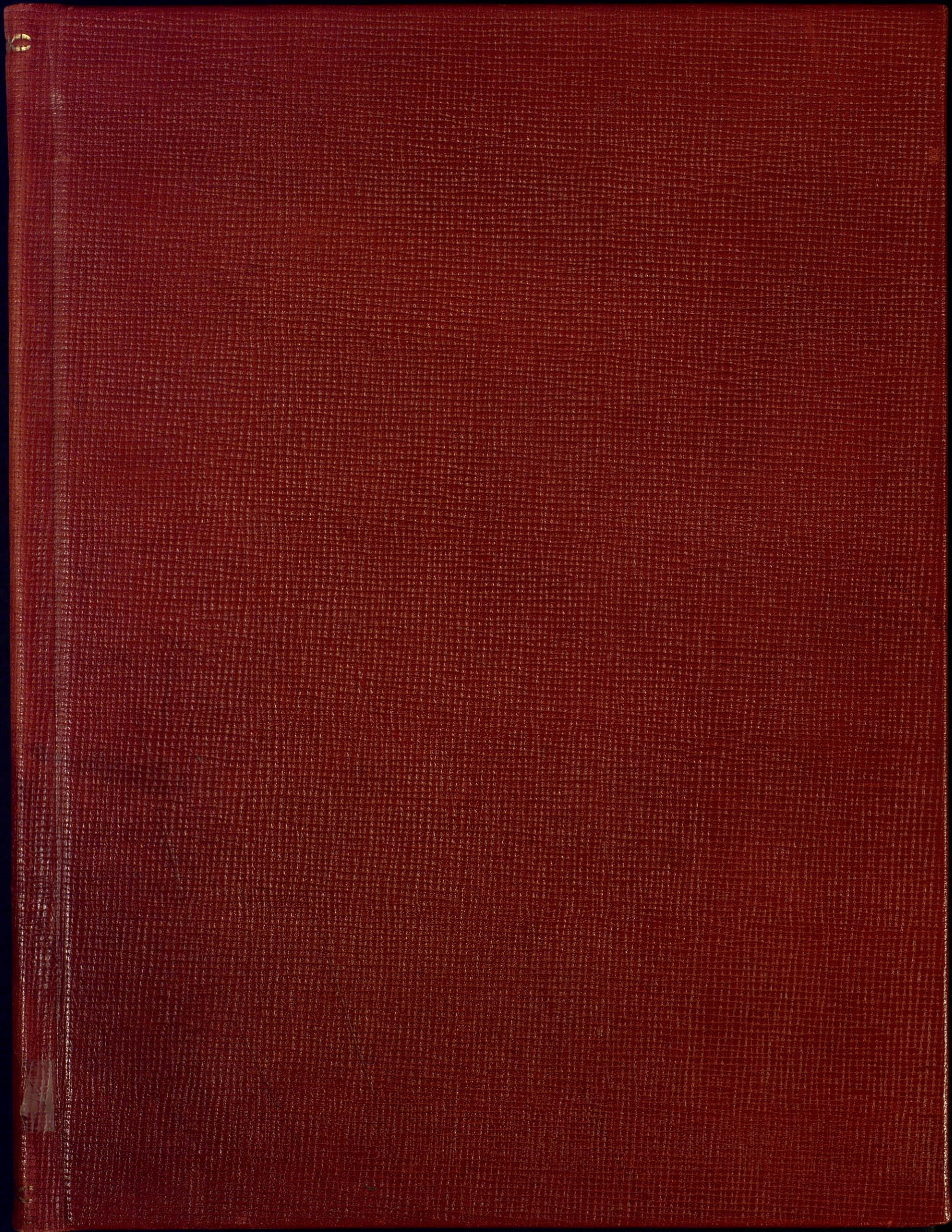




NO. 3 RECORDS OF THE AYDENT AMLETOWN OF AUSTIN 1831 - 1832





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Record

of the proceedings of the Ayuntamiento of the

TOWN of AUSTIN

for the years

1831 and 1832

deposited in the

General Land Office

on the thirtieth day of April A. D. 1852 in accordance
with an Act to remove from Austin County and place
in the General Land Office certain land papers."

Approved Feby 9th 1852

See letter files 7.327 and 12.833.

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INSTITUTO POR EL ESTADO DE COAHUILA Y TEXAS PARA EL BIENIO DE 1852 Y 53

July 21
William

The Ayuntamiento met this day pursuant
 in order of the president, present the following
 members: Francis W Johnson, pres. Waltere White
 Regidor, Randaal Jones 3^o Regidor and R.M. Will-
 iamson Sindico procurador. The Ayuntamiento proceeded
 to examine the report of Mr Thomas Barnette the
 president and treasurer of the body, the account
 of the said treasurer of the ingress and egress of the
 of the municipality under his charge during the last
 and also a statement of the debts due by the Ayuntamiento
 and debts due to it, and after a careful examination
 was approved - and the Ayuntamiento ordered that
 succinct statement of the situation of the municipal
 funds be published for the information of the inhabitants
 of the Jurisdiction.

The Ayuntamiento then proceeded to the appoint-
 ment of a treasurer, and on motion of R.M. Will-
 iamson, Francis W Johnson, the president of the body,
 was duly appointed Treasurer to this municipality in
 conformity with the provisions of the municipal
 ordinance.

The Ayuntamiento adjourned until tomorrow morning
 at 10 o'clock

The 2^o and 4^o Regidores did not attend & the

reason

Thomas W. Williams
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Reported in Journal Land Office April 30th 1852 in accordance
 with an order to remove from Austin County and place in the General
 Land Office, certain "Land Papers" Approved Feb'y 9th 1852. See
 letter of April 27 1852. Letter file 12. 83A

Feb. 11. 1852
 John M. Egner
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En la Villa de Austin a 18 de Mayo de 1831

Conforme al acuerdo de ayer se recibió el Ayuntamiento
ante y asistieron el Sr. Jefe Francisco
Johnson, Walter C. White 1º Regidor, Randall Jones
3º Regidor y el procurador Sindico Roberto M.
Williamson.

Propuso el Sr. Presidente para discusión
el nombram^{to}. de Secretario. Cuando se discutió por
los miembros por su orden, y acordaron que con-
siderando a que dos de los miembros se hallan aus-
entes, y es muy conveniente que todos asistiesen al
dho nombram^{to}. que se suspenda el nombram^{to} de
Secretario hta la sesión proxima Ordinaria, y que
el actual encargado siga desempeñando hasta
otra resolución del Cuerpo.

Tambien propuso el Sr. Presidente
para discusión el asunto de los reclamos a favor
de los fondos, por los multos impuestos y despues
de una examinacion se nombró al procurador
Sindico R. M. Williamson como una Comision pa-
ra tomar a su cargo el asunto, y que se le pidieran
los documentos relativos para su gobierno, como tam-
bien las listas relativas a la pejsion debida por los
propietarios de los solares de esta Villa que actua-
lmente se hallan en poder del Sr. procurador
Sindico, para que presente la Comision a este
Cuerpo en su sesion venidera un listado que mani-
festa el en que se halla este asunto.

Acordo el Ayuntamiento que se pague por
el presidente de los fondos Municipales para la tra-
duccion de la Causa y evidencias en el proceso contra
Ingram y Leque.

Tambien Acordo el Ayuntamiento que
el presidente adoptare tales medidas como a

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In the town of Austin 18th July 1831. The ^{Williams} Ayuntamiento met pursuant to the adjournment of yesterday present J. W. Whisenand president Walter C. White 1st Regidor, Randall Jones 2^d Regidor and N. M. Williamson Sindico procurador.

The subject of the appointment of a Secretary to the body was introduced by the president, and discussed by the different members in regular order, and it was resolved inasmuch as two members of the body were absent, it being desirable that all of them should be present, at the time of appointing the Secretary, that they be postponed until the next meeting, and that the present Secretary continue discharging his duties until a further resolution of the body relative thereto.

The subject of the various claims in favor of the Mexican property arising from fines &c. &c. on some of which judgments have been entered, was introduced by the president, and after an examination, and full discussion by the body, it was resolved that N. M. Williamson be appointed a Committee to whom shall be referred the whole matter, and that all the documents &c. now in the possession of the body relative to it, as also the list and documents relative to the tax on town lots, in this town, now in the possession of the former Sindico procurador, be given to the said Williamson, for his examination and in order to enable him to report to the body at the next meeting, the true situation of all such matters.

The Ayuntamiento further ordered that the provision be authorized to pay out of the first funds collected and belonging to the municipal funds, for the translation of the evidence taken in the case of Ingram & Slagel.

It was further ordered by the Ayuntamiento that the president of the body adopt such measures not:

si su juicio parecen suficientes y que no sean contrarios
a las leyes vigentes para allegar a las personas de
las Criminales ahora detinidas, y lo mismo con las delos
demas que pueden ofrecerse mientras permanese la
Municipalidad sin Cancele, y que sean tambien mu-
chos arrosos a la Municipalidad, y cubra estos gastos
de los fondos municipales.

Se propuso por el Sr. Presidente para
discusion, El levantamiento de una Compañia de sol-
dados para velar y proteger la frontera de esta Muni-
cipalidad de las incursiones de los Indios Barbaros, y
despues de una discusion larga por los miembros por un
orden, Atendiendo en consideracion el Estado atrasado
de la Municipalidad con respecto a fondos, con que cubra
los gastos necesarios para la mantencion de un
numero suficiente de hombres para proteger la fron-
tera, se acordó el Ayuntamiento, como mas conveniente
que se pasara un oficio al Sr. Comandante
de Milicias del Batallon de Asisten Reguamir de
proporcinar el numero competente de Milicianos
por sueldo o de otro modo para servir sobre la
frontera de esta Municipalidad.

A Mociion del Sr. Procurador Sindico
acordó el Ayuntamiento, que sea autorizado el Sr.
Presidente para pagar de los fondos publicos para
la traduccion al Ingles del decreto N.º 104 la Cartilla
de tramites - tambien se acordó que sea autorizado el
Presidente para convenir para la impresion de 100
copias por la parte de la dha Cartilla de tramites
y la ley N.º 39 Reglamentaria de Justicia.

A Mociion del Sr.

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to any to the existing laws, as may be seen in the
 pursues of the Criminals now under arrest, and in
 all others that may hereafter require confinement, while
 the Municipality is without a public prison or Jail,
 as in his judgement may fulfil the objects and
 intentions of the laws, and at the same time to the
 least burthensome and expensive to the Municipality,
 and defray the expenses which may be incurred from
 funds of the Municipality not otherwise appropriated.

The president introduced for discussion the pro-
 posality of raising a Company of Rangers for the pro-
 tection of the frontier settlements of this Municipality
 against the incursions and hostilities of barbarous Indi-
 ans, and urged the necessity of the adoption of this or
 some other measure to secure the inhabitants from the
 fear of Indian invasion, after mature discussion of the
 subject by the members in regular order, and taking into
 consideration the peculiar situation of this Municipal-
 ity with respect to public funds for the defraying of
 the necessary expenses of a number of men who would
 be sufficient to guard and protect the frontier, the
 body resolved as the most expedient that an official
 letter be addressed to the Lieut Col. Commandant of the
 Battalion of Acacias, requiring him to furnish the
 necessary number of Militia men, by draft or other
 wise, to act as Rangers on the frontier of the Muni-
 cipality.

On motion of the Sindico procurador, it was ordered
 that the president be authorized to pay out of any of the mu-
 nicipal funds not otherwise appropriated for the translation
 of Law N° 104 of the Legislature of the State, and further ordered
 by the Ayuntamiento that the president of the body be autho-

Alcaldes D. White Residencia 4.º Acordo el Ayuntamiento que el Ayuntamiento Municipal Thomas Bonden sea autorizado para cercar una línea desde el punto dos millas más allá que el llamado de ocho millas, hasta la Casa de Josiah & Jell con tal que se pueda hacer en convenio con el de comprender el trabajo por un precio muy moderado y que los C.º Thomas Gay, y Jesse Thompson sean en unión con el dho Ayuntamiento comisionados para reconocer el terreno sobre el cual puede pasar la línea, y manifestar á esta Corporación la practicabilidad de abrir un camino conforme á la línea desde esta villa hasta la dha Casa de dho J. & Jell.

A mocion del 3.º Residencia Randall Jones se acordó el Ayuntamiento que James W Jones, y George Buff sean nombrados una Comisión para delimitar un camino de la Casa de dho Buff hasta la de William Morton sobre el Río de los Toros.

Se presenta por el procurador Sindico una cuenta del Sr Cotton para la insercion en la gaceta de un aviso, que lleva á ser 5 pesos y fue aprobada, y mandó el Ay.º que se lo pague tambien fue presentado una libranza del Sr Thomas Barnett agente de William Barnett a favor de Thomas Davis para 44 pesos 5 rs 4 q.º que se mandó pasar en abono de la Cuenta de dho Davis; tambien se abono la cuenta del dho Thomas Barnett con 54 pesos 7 rs. y 11 q.º cargando la cantidad en union con el primero á la Cuenta de William Barnett, ambas partidas forman la suma De 99 pesos 5 rs. 6 q.º.

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A contract for the printing in the English language
of 100 Copies of said laws N^o 104 and N^o 39 and pay for the same
out of any unappropriated funds of the municipality.

On motion of the first reader, Walter C. White, advised
that the Municipal Surveyor, ^{Thomas Dyer} be authorized to run a straight
line from the point two miles beyond that known as the
Eight mile point to the house of Josiah H. Bell, provided
a Contract can be made with him to do the same for a
moderate Compensation, and that Citizens Tho^s Gray
Jesse Thompson be appointed Commissioners in conjunction
with the said Surveyor, to review the ground over which
said line may pass, and report as to the practicality
and propriety of making a road in conformity with
said line from this Town to the house of said Josiah Bell.

On motion of the 3^o Regidor Gaudencio Larralde, advised
that James W. Jones & George Bluff be appointed Com-
missioners to lay off a road from the house of said
Bluff to that of William Mortons on the Dry Run.

An account was presented to the body by C. B. Cotton
printer for advertising in the Gazette for subscriptions
to the Church to make payment, am^t \$6. five dollars,
which was admitted, and ordered the same to be paid
also an order of Thomas Barnett agent for William
Barnett in favor of Thomas Davis for 44⁶⁹/₁₀₀ which
was ordered to pass to the Credit of said Davis, and
charged to the acc^t of said William Barnett, and
also the amount due the municipality by the said
Thomas Barnett, being \$54. ⁹⁹/₁₀₀ was ruled by being
placed to the debit of William Barnett, making both
items the am^t of \$99- ⁶⁸/₁₀₀

Se presentó por el Sr. procurador Sindico
una instancia del vecino Nathaniel Townsend
en que pide se le expida en título para los so-
lares Numeros 143. 144. y 181. para haber el Cum-
plido los requisitos prevenidos. Se mandó ex-
pedir el título referido.

También se presentó una instancia del
vecino Samuel S. Bardin en que pide se le
expida en título para los solares Numeros 137 y
138. para haber el Cumplido con los requisitos
prevénidos. Se mandó expedir el título re-
ferido. — Se mando reparar este acuerdo y
que se expida el título a favor de Francisco Somp-
eroy.

También se presentó una instancia del vecino
William S. Jack en que solicita la dispensación
de los requisitos bajo qualis Compró el solar de
puerta N.º 66. fue reprobada y se mando de-
volver al interesado su instancia

Se levante la sesión. No asistieron los
Regidores 2.º y 4.º.

Samuel Williams
his

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A petition was presented to the body by the ^{scribes} ~~sindico~~ ^{William} procurador from Nathaniel Hornum praying that a title may issue to him for building lots N^{os} 143, 144, & 145, he having complied with the requisitions under which they were sold. Which prayer was granted and the title ordered to be issued.

A petition from Amos H. Garden was presented to the body by the ~~sindico~~ procurador, praying that a title may issue to him for building lots N^{os} 137 & 138, he having complied with the requisitions under which they were obtained. Which was granted and the title ordered to be issued, referred by order and the title to issue to the company.

A petition from William H. Sack was presented to the body by the ~~sindico~~ ^{sindico} praying for a dispensation of the provisions under which he purchased lot N^o 66, which was objected to by the body, and the prayer refused.

The body adjourned. The 2^o & 4^o Requiriments not having attended the session.

Amos H. Garden



Este Ayuntamiento de San Felipe de Austin á 8 de
Enero de 1834. Reunido el Ayuntamiento en la
sala capitular en su ordinario el día de
hoy presente el Sr. Francis M. Johnson por el
Abogado James D. Rigdon William Robinson 3.^o
Rigdon y R. M. Williamson síndico procurador.
Se acordó que con motivo de creer que el H. Congre-
so de este Estado, en consideración de las cir-
cunstancias peculiares en que se hallan los habitantes
de Texas con respecto á la administración de justi-
cia, intentan nombrar jueces de Circuito y
formar Cortes de Circuito. Este Ayuntamiento con-
siderando los meritos virtudes morales y políticas
con sus conocimientos en las leyes que adornan la
persona del vecino de esta Colonia Señor Don
Lucas Lejassier lo recomienda por medio de los
Señores Diputados de Texas en el H. Congreso de
este Estado á otro H. Congreso como persona
propia y capaz de desempeñar los deberes de un
jefe de Circuito. Así mismo este Ayuntamiento
considerando los meritos virtudes morales y polí-
ticas en unión de sus conocimientos en las leyes, que
se encuentran en la persona del vecino de esta
Colonia el Sr. Roberto M. Williamson lo
recomiendo de la misma manera para el
puesto de Fiscal en el caso que por la ley
organica huban en los Cortes de Circuito tal
funcionario. Además que de esta acta
se saca copia testimoniada para remitirle

In the Town of San Felipe de Austin 8th March 1831

At a meeting of the Ayuntamiento in ordinary session in the public hall of the Municipality, were present
el Sr. Francisco de Johnson pres.
Regidor - William Robinson 3^o Regidor. & G. M. Williamson *Procurador*

The Ayuntamiento resolved, that inasmuch as there is reason to believe that the 1st Congress of this State considering the peculiar circumstances in which the inhabitants of Texas are placed as regards the administration of justice contemplate appointing Circuit judges, and form Circuit Courts. This Ayuntamiento considering the personal merits, moral and political virtues and information and knowledge of the laws that are attached to Citizen Luke Sessapier recommended him through the members of the Legislature for being to the consideration of the Legislature of this State as a person fully qualified and capable of discharging the duties of a Circuit judge.

Likewise the Ayuntamiento in consideration of the moral and political virtues, and also the knowledge of the laws, as found in the person of Robert M. Williamson recommended him in the same manner for the appointment of prosecuting Attorney in case that by the organic law there should be provision made for a prosecuting Attorney for the Circuit Courts - *Despues* the Ayuntamiento ordered that a certified copy of this act be made out and remitted to Citizen Stephen F. Austin in

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William Williamson para los fines

William Williamson

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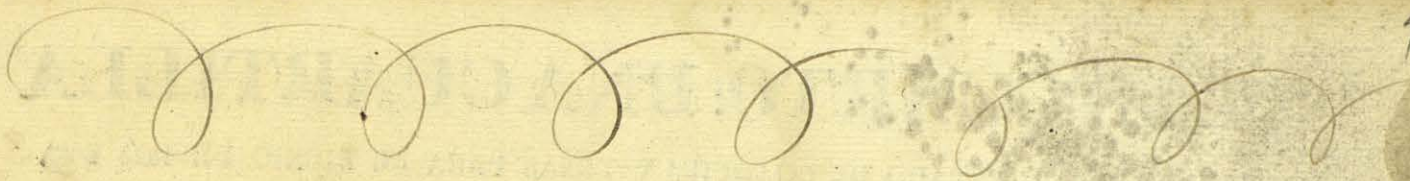
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W. Robinson

Robt M Williamson

Samuel M. Williams

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that it may supply its corresponding effect
and the body adjourned until tomorrow to collect

Samuel M. Williams
Chair

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En la Villa de San Felipe de Austin á los 9 de ^{William} ~~enero~~ de 1831. Se reunió el Ayuntamiento conforme a la convocatoria que presenta los mismos el Sr. Francisco W. Johnson por el 1.º Regidor, 2.º Regidor William Robinson 4.º Regidor J. M. Williamson procurador Sindico.

A mocion del Sr. presidente acordó el Ayuntamiento que el nombramto. de Secretario se recaie en el Sr. Samuel M. Williams quien ha sido desempeñando las funciones interinamte. y que se le designa el sueldo de \$500 al año.

Se presentó por el Sr. procurador sindico una instancia del 1.º Regidor (Walter C. White) solicitando permision de ausenciarse para tres meses para atender a sus negocios propios. fue aprobado.

A mocion del Sr. Presidente se puso a discusion el establecimto. o formacion de una Junta de Sanidad en esta Villa, y en las otras partes de la colonia, á como se estiman por convenientes, y acordó el Ayuntamiento que á consecuencia de haber el Sr. Cefe de este departamento comunicado á esta Corporacion de que actualmte. existe en la Capital de este departamento la enfermedad contagiosa de Viruelas, como tambien en la Villa de Croliad, y recomendado el establecimto. de Juntas de Sanidad, con el fin de proteger á los habitantes de los extranos de esta devastadora enfermedad, que en los lugares siguientes las personas vecinos de los precinetos y vecindarios respectivos formaran una Junta de Sanidad. Y son 1.º para la

Town of Austin 9th March 1834. The Ayuntamiento met this day pursuant to adjournment. present the same members to wit Francis W. Johnson Pres^t. Randall Jones 2^d Regidor Williams Robinson 4th Regidor and R. M. Williamson Sindice procurador. On motion of the president the subject of the appointment of a Secretary to the body for the present year was discussed, and the appointment conferred on Citizen Samuel M. Williams. Who has been discharging the duties of Secretary provisionally, with the salary of 800\$ per annum.

A petition was presented by the Sindice procurador from the first regidor Walter C. White praying leave of absence for three months, for the purpose of attending to some important individual affairs. The petition was read and granted by the body.

On motion of the president the subject of establishing boards of health in this town and in such other sections of the Colony as may be deemed expedient was discussed and it was ordered by the Ayuntamiento that inasmuch as the Chief of this Department has communicated to this body the fact of the existence of the Contagion called the Small pox in Bezar, and Cholera (formerly Cholera) and recommending to this body the establishment of boards of health for the purpose of protecting as far as may be practicable the inhabitants of this jurisdiction from the ravages of this serious disease that the persons herinafter mentioned shall within their respective precincts or neighborhoods compose a board of health.

Just for the Town of San Felipe de Austin, Doctors
James B. Miller, Robert Peck, & Socrates Moreley

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Villa de Austin. Los S^{os} Doctores, James Williams,
J. Miller, Robert Pebley, y J. J. Morley, el
Sr. Alcalde Francis W. Johnson, el Procurador
Sindico N. M. Williamson, los vecinos Luke
Lesaffrie y William P. Sack.

2^o para la villa de Grassville. Sr. Prigbam sindico
los medicos J. F. Wells y S. J. Walls, y los vecinos John
Austin y A. D. Stewart.

3^o para la villa de Harrisburg. El Comisario de
justicia S. C. Hiron, el sindico S. Bundeick y los
vecinos Wm. Harris, David Harris, y Ephraim Fuqua.

4^o para el precinto de Pastrop.

El medico J. G. Wright, y los vecinos Thomas S.
Cant, J. P. Cole, Astor Clay, Abner Snykenhall
y Levi Bostic.

5^o para el precinto de Mina.

El Comisario Lawrence Ramoy, El medico C. C. Cox
los S^{os} Thomas M. Duke, Robert H. Williams, Aslett
C. Duckner, y James Cummins.

6^o para Comrales.

El Comisario J. B. Patrick, sindico Geo. R. Miller
y vecinos Green D. Webb, Ezekiel Williams y Joseph
Clements.

Se acordó la resolución siguiente a mocion del
Sr. Presidente, que a consecuencia de haber este Ayun-
tamiento recibido informacion que el Sr. Padre don Miguel
Maldon ha sido nombrado cura de esta Jurisdiccion
y se halla en camino para esta Villa, se nombra para
una Comision para recibir al Sr. Padre y manifes-
tarle la alta consideracion de esta Corporacion, y para fran-
quearle las comodidades de alojamiento y demas que pueden
admitirse las circunstancias, siendo de esta Comision el
procurador sindico, el Sr. Samuel M. Williams, y Luke Lesaffrie.

Francis W Johnson Alcalde and Robert M Williamson
Sindico procurador, Messrs Luke Lesaffre & Wm H
Sacke,

second for the town of Brassoria, Asa Brigham Comisario
Doctors Francis F Welles, S D Wells, Messrs A B Blew-
art and John Austin.

third for the town of Harrisburg Samuel C Parsons Comisario
S. Bundick Sindico, Messrs David Harris Wm P Harris
and Ephraim Fuqua

fourth for the upper settlement on this River & Mill Creek
Doctrs Wright, Thomas S Paul, J P Cole, Nestor
Clay Abner Keyser date and Levi A Postice.

fifth for the Bay Praeria and lower part of the Colorado. Law-
rence Ramey Comisario, ^{D^o C^o C^o} Thomas M Duke, Wm H Williams,
Ayala C Duckman and James Cummings

sixth for the town of Consales J B Patrick, Comisario Thos
R Miller Sindico, Messrs Green D'Will, Ezekiel Williams
and Joseph Clements.

The following resolution of the body on motion of the Pres^t
was then adopted. That inasmuch as this Ayuntamiento has
rec^d information that Padre Miguel Muldoon has been
appointed Curate of this place, and is now on his way, to
take charge of his Curate ship, that R M Williamson, Sindico
procurador, Mr Luke Lesaffre and Samuel M Williams
be and are hereby appointed as a Committee from this body
to wait upon the said Padre Muldoon, and offer to him
the high Considerations of the body, and to provide such con-
veniences, for his Comfort and the Circumstances and Situation
of the place will admit.

on Motion of R M Williamson Sindico procurador ordered
that the president be authorized, to have the necessary re-
pairs made to the building now occupied as the Ayuntamiento,
that so as to render it secure from the weather, and to make

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William

A mocion del Sr. procurador Sindico se acordó, que se autoriza al Sr. presidente para mandar hacer las mejoras necesarias ala casa que actualmente se ocupa para Sala Consistorial, para abrigarse a los puebles de las aguas, y para hacer convenios para la Exencion del Trato, y empinar la buena fe de la Municipalidad p.^a la satisfaccion del pago.

A mocion del Sr. presidente se acordó que el Sr. procurador Sindico Robert M. Williamson sea nombrado una Comision para ajustar los cuentas con el Sr. Nicholas Flepper, relativas a la compra de una casa que se hizo de el y tambien para averiguar el estado de las respectivas listas suscriptorias de Subscripciones voluntarias que hicieron los habitantes para pagar el costo de la compra de dicha Casa.

Tambien acordó el Ayuntamiento, que el Alcalde Francis W. Johnson el procurador Sindico R. M. Williamson los vecinos Duke Sasapin, James Whiteide y William Moton sea una Comision para formar un plan de arbitrios para abran una cantidad que sea suficiente para cubrir los gastos ordinarios de la Municipalidad, y pagar las deudas, y para la construccion de Carcel y Casa Consistorial y tambien para formar el plan y presupuesto de gastos para dicha Carcel y Casa Consistorial, Y presenten los respectivos a esta Corporacion ala vesion venidera, 2 de Abril entrante.

Tambien acordó el Ayuntamiento, que el Sr. R. M. Williamson sea nombrado una Comision para averiguar el estado en que se halla, los propios, de la pensión debida para Solares de esta Villa, y tambien de las multas, impuestos y que todavia no se ha pagado, y de cobrar quantos cantidades sean practicables.

A Mocion del Sr. R. M. Williamson se acordó que se formara una patrulla para esta Villa y el vecindario, y que el Sr. Alcalde Francis W. Johnson y el Sr. Duke Sasapin sean nombrados una Comision

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it answer for the purposes for which it was intended, or for those for which it is now occupied, and to contract for the work to be done on the best terms possible and pledge the faith of the Municipality for the payment of it

On motion of the president ordered that Robert M Williamson be appointed a Committee to make a settlement with Nick Clopper for the purchase made of a house in this town and also to enquire into the situation and state of the respective subscription lists, in which voluntary subscriptions were made for the purpose of defraying the expense of the purchase of said house.

Further ordered by the Ayuntamiento that Francis W. Johnson, pres. Robert M Williamson *indicio pro*. Luke Seafair, James Whiteside and William Morton be appointed a Committee to form and report a plan of taxation for the purpose of raising a sufficient fund, to defray the current expenses of the Municipality, the debts now due by the same, and also to defray the expense of building a Jail, and a building sufficient for transacting the business of the Ayuntamiento, and Alcalde in, and for the preservation of the archives of the body - and also to form and report a plan of the buildings desired, and an estimate of the probable cost of erecting and finishing them, which report must be made to the Ayuntamiento on the 2^d day of April next.

Further ordered that Robt M Williamson be appointed as a Committee to examine into and report the true situation of the Tax on town lots now due to the Municipality and also the situation of the various judgements in favor of the Municipality for fines imposed on various individuals, and also to make such collections on account of the same as may be practicable

On Motion of Robert M Williamson ordered that a Patrol be formed for the town and neighborhood of San Felipe de Austin and that Francis W Johnson & Luke Seafair be appointed as a

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William

para formar las reglas necesarias para el
manejo de la Patrulla, Ademas el ayuntamiento con-
vencido del celo y actividad del vecino Thomas Galy lo nom-
braron para el Capitan de la Patrulla.

A Moción del Sr. Presidente, acordó el Ay-
untamiento que todas las Casas tiendas, pulperias y de-
mas lugares donde se venden los licoros, paicirante sean
cerradas a las diez horas de la Noche, y que cada peo-
no que no cumpla o contraviere a esta orden, teniendo
abierta su tienda, casa y pulperia despues de las horas
referidas sean multados en 10 pesos por cada infrac-
ción - Entendido que esta provision no estienda a las
Tavernas abiertas para la asistencia de los paragueros
mas. Es preciso que el quantito de las botellenas se cierre
a las diez de la Noche

Se presento una instancia de Nash Scott
en que solicita que se le libere de la multa que le im-
pusieron en el año pasado. Fue reprochada.

A Moción del Sr. R. M. Williamson se acordó
de que se conviniera con el Sr. Aguirre y Herman A. Brown
u otros en los nuevos terminos para extender la linea que
se debe tener para el Camino de esta Villa hasta la casa del
Sr. J. A. Bell, desde la casa del Sr. Bell hasta la
Villa de Durango.

A moción del Sr. presidente se mando tener
una eleccion en la casa del Sr. William Robinson sobre
el Colorado y otra del Sr. William Barton sobre el
mismo Rio para la eleccion de oficiales para una com-
pañia de Milicia Civica para la 6^a Compañia y 9^a
las otras elecciones el dia 16 de Abril entrante, una sera
presidido por el mismo Sr. Robinson y la otra por
procurador Sindico R. M. Williamson.

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The report of James W Jones and George Huff the committee appointed to examine and report the most direct and best route for a road from the house of said Huff, to Wm Mertons on the Brazos River, was read and approved and ordered to be filed.

An account ^{of G. D. Cotton} was presented to the body for advertising in the Texas Gazette am^t 7 to 16[¢] which was rejected on account of said Cotton having agreed with the Ayuntamiento of last year, to publish all advertisements &c for one year for a stipulated sum which had been paid him.

The body entered into a discussion relative to the non-compliance on the part of Pleasant D. M^o. Neel, third Regidor, with the duties which the laws prescribe and his having failed to attend any session of the body since his election alth^o frequently notified to do so. In consequence of which and in compliance with the 10th article of the Municipal ordinance the body declared that a fine should be entered up against him of Ten dollars and further that should he fail to attend the next session that he be reported to the Chief of Department, as a member who refuses to comply with his duties.

The Ayuntamiento then ordered that a memorial be addressed to the Legislature of the State praying them to provide a Company of Rangers. The Ayuntamiento ^{assumed}

James M. Williams

En la Villa de San Felipe de Austin el día de Abril
de 1831. Reunido el Ayuntamiento en sesión ordinaria
y fueron presentes el Sr. presidente Francisco Johnson
2.º Regidor el Sr. Manuel Jones. 4.º Regidor el Sr. Wil-
liam Robinson y el procurador síndico Robert M. Williamson
asunto el Sr. Regidor 1.º J. Waller White con licencia
y Placunt D. M. Neil. 3.º Regidor no habiendo todavía
tomado su asiento.

Se leyó los actos de la sesión anterior y fueron
aprobados.

Se acordó por el Ayuntamiento que los arbitrios
establecidos en esta colonia, no surtieron el efecto: y tuvo
por bien aprobar el plan manifestado por la Comisión
a quien fue pasado el asunto, y que se pasará una copia
al Sr. Jefe de este Departamento para su aprobación
y remisión a la Legislatura del Estado. y son.

Cada persona que establezca una pulpería ó vina-
toría para la venta de licores por menudo pagará
al año veinte y cinco pesos.

Cada persona que establezca meson público ó ta-
berna pagará para una licencia treinta pesos.

Cada persona que establezca un billar pagará
cincuenta pesos al año.

Cada médico ó cirujano que ejerce su facultad
pagará veinte y cinco pesos al año.

Las personas que ejercen los oficios de abogados ó
agentes públicos para atender á los negocios de
particulares según queda espuesto por el artículo
57 de las ordenanzas Municipales como dife-

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In the Town of San Felipe de Austin ^{William}
on the fourth day of the month of April 1831

The Ayuntamiento met in regular session present
Francis W. Johnson Alcalde, Randall Jones 2.^o
Regidor William Robinson 4.^o Regidor and Robert M.
Williamson *sindice procurador*. Absent Walter C. White
1.^o Regidor by permission, and Pleasant S. McNeil
3.^o Regidor not yet having taken his seat.

The acts as recorded of the last session were read
and approved.

It was then ordered by the body that the plan sub-
mitted by the Committee, to whom was referred the subject
to raise funds by taxation to defray the expenses of build-
ing a jail and other buildings necessary for the local
Municipal Authorities to hold their sessions in.
And to procure the records of the Colony, be adopted
and passed to the Chief of this Department for his
approval and to be transmitted to the Legislature of the
State.

Each and every grog Shop, tippling Shop or retailer
of spirituous liquors in any quantity less than one quart,
shall pay a licence of twenty five dollars.

Each and every Keeper of a Tavern or public house
residing in a Town shall pay per annum for a
licence thirty dollars.

Each billiard

Inicio de Crecer de los extranjeros en lugar de 150^{ps}.
200 pesos.

Cada persona que vende mercancías dentro de la
jurisdicción pagará 25 pesos al año las solas mi-
mas prevenciones contenidas en los artículos 58 y 59
Con respecto a los extranjeros pagaran doscientos
pesos en lugar de 150 pesos como allí se expresa.

Cada sitio de tierra mercenado pagara su dueño
dos pesos.

Cada media sitio diez rs.

Cada cuarto de sitio seis rs.

Cada labor Cuatro rs. Y así proporcionalmente
por cantidades diferentes de las expresadas segun
su cuantia.

Cada solar en las villas nuevas en la Muni-
cipalidad pagara dos pesos por el de fabrica
y un peso sobre el de Puerta, con excepcion de
La Villa que de Antemano tiene puesto en fondo
de propios.

Impuso por cada Negro viriente arriba de la edad
de ocho años con excepcion de los muy ancianos
y enfermos que no pueden servir.

Se presento una instancia del
Sr. Thomas J. Garbey en que solicita que
se le extienda un titulo para los solares nu-
meros 136 y 189 a virtud de su tras-paso
de su derecho hecho por el Sr. Plinneo Jones
a su favor. que fue aprobado.

Y como no

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Table fifty dollars

Each practicing physician twenty five dollars

Each practicing lawyer in conformity with the 57th art. of the Municipal ordinances, with the difference that a foreigner shall pay 200[¢] instead of 150[¢].

Each person who sells merchandise in conformity with article 58 of 0^o ordinances, with the difference that a foreigner shall pay 200[¢].

Each and every league of land for which title has issued two dollars

Each and every half league of land one dollar & twenty five cents

Each quarter league of land seventy five cents

Each labor of land fifty cents.

Each and every proprietor of land other than that above enumerated shall pay in the above proportion

Each and every out lot in a territory comprehended within the limits of any town one dollar. Each and every in lot in conformity with the plan of said town two dollars with the exception of the town of Austin. Whose charter regulates the tax on lots.

Each and every Negro, over the age of eight years the sum of One dollar, provided that the Negro who is Unfit for service from age and infirmities be subject to taxation

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Auto otro negocio presente. Se levanta la sesion

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petition of Thomas J. Carley, praying that
 the title for lots Number 136 & 139 be made to
 him, in virtue of a transfer and sale of 1^o lots made
 by Thomas Jones 1^o to said Carley. The Regent^o
 ordered that the title as prayed for be made. And
 there being nothing further before the body it adjourned
 to the next regular term.

En la Villa de San Felipe de Austin a 2 de mayo
de 1831. Reunido el Ayuntamiento en sesion ordinaria
se abrió la sesion por el acto de juramentar al Señor
Pleasant D. McNeil 3.º Regidor por el Sr. Alcalde
y los siguientes Compusieron los jurantes el Alcalde
Francis W. Johnson. - Regidor 2.º Randall Jones -
Regidor 3.º Pleasant D. McNeil - Regidor 4.º William
Robinson y el procurador Sindico Robert M. Williamson
ante el 4.º Regidor por vicario.

Se dió lectura a los actus de la sesion pasada y
fueron aprobados.

Accion del Sr. Presidente Mando que los
señores doctores Miller y Mosely, el Sr. Alcalde y el
Regidor 4.º William Robinson formen una Comision
para formar y juramentar a esta Corporacion en la
sesion venidera en arcan el prescribiendo los deures
que deben practicar los medicos en el ejercicio de sus
facultades.

Se dió lectura a la representacion de la Comis-
ion a quien se pasó el asunto de formar un presen-
tativo de gastos para las mejoras a la casa com-
prada, y fue aprobado unanimamte.

Se dió lectura de una instancia del Colono
Nelson Smith en que solicita que esta corpo-
racion le absuelva de los impedimtos a sea recibido
como Colono que le impuso el Ayuntamiento del año
pasado. Sobre la cual resolvió el Ayuntamiento
que por ser aprobada se pasara en oficio al Agent
del Sr. Empresario Austin avisandole que esta Cor-
poracion ha libertado el dho Smith de los embarcos

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In the town of San Felipe de Austin 2^o of
May 1831. The Ayuntamiento this day met in regular
session, and the meeting opened by Pleasant P. M.
Neil appearing and taking before the Alcalde the oath
of office as 3^o Regidor. The following members being
present. Francis W. Johnson prest. - Randall Long
2^o Regidor - J. D. McNeil 3^o Regidor - Wm Robinson
4th Regidor and A. M. Williamson Jidici procurador.
Walter C. White 1^o Regidor being absent on leave.

The Prest. called for a reading of the acts of last meeting
which was done and they approved.

On motion of the president ordered, that a Committee be
appointed to regulate the fees and Charges of licenced phy-
sicians and doctors Miller and Morley. The president
and Wm Robinson 4th Regidor were appointed the Com-
mittee to report a tariff or fee bill at the next regular
session.

The report of the Committee to whom was referred the
subject of the repairs necessary to be made to the building
purchased for a temporary Church, was read and adopted
by the unanimous vote of the body.

A petition from Nelson Smith was read, praying a release
from certain disabilities incurred under an order of the body
last year, in the month of Decem^r. - The prayer was unani-
mously granted. And the Ayuntamiento ordered that the
Agent of the Empresario Austin be notified that said Smith
is released from the impediment, which heretofore existed

que tiene para bien el Ayuntamiento del año pasado poner
a su admision. Y que puede ser admitido como Co-
lono

Se dio lectura a una instancia del vecino
Nicholas Clapp en q. pide se le cedan un título
para el Solar n.º 107 fue acordado.

Se pasó a examinar una cuenta de gastos
hechos en formar puertas y ventanas a la Casa
que actualmente ocupa la Corporacion, como Casa
Consistorial, a favor de Patrick Crown para 207.
y fue aprobado deduciendo 3 p. 4 av. de otra suma.

Se presentó una cuenta del Sr. William
H. Jack para alquiler de Casa de N.º de Invern
N.º 18 de marzo a razon de 15 peso mensuales.

Se presentó una cuenta de Thomas Davis
de 13 p. 2 av. para servicios como guardia y man-
do el Ayuntamiento de ser en su Comandancia. Y en
iguales terminos pasaron las siguientes

Una de A. Blair para 110 p. 5 av.
una de Thomas Alley 13 p. 2 av.
una de James Small 102 p. 2 av.
una de Wm. J. Whiteside 12 p. 2 av.

Se presentó una Cuenta por el Sr. James White-
side para la asistencia de H. H. Seague y Seth
Ingram los detenidos, y fue reprobada por el Ayuntamiento
por no haberse presentado para la asistencia.

Las listas formadas en la eleccion de oficiales
para la sexta Compania por ser contrarios a lo
previsto fueron reprobadas.

Asociacion del Sr. Presidente. mundo
el Ayuntamiento que los solares en esta villa con-
grados por Dudley J. White y abandonados seran

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to his receiving land as a Colonist.

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A petition from N. Clapper praying for a title to town Lot No. 17 was read and granted.

An account by Patrick Green for repairs done in the building occupied as a Municipal Hall. am^t to \$20— was admitted subject to a deduction of three dollars fifty cents.

An account by Wmth Sack for house rent from the 1st Jan^y to 18th March at the rate of 15¢ per month allowed.

An account of Tho^s Davis for services rendered as a guard am^t to \$13²⁵/₁₀₀ was postponed or deferred to the next meeting.

A do of A. Blair 100⁵⁰/₁₀₀ deferred

A do of Tho^s Alley \$13²⁵/₁₀₀ deferred

A do of James Small \$102²⁵/₁₀₀ deferred

A do of Wmth Whiteside \$12²⁵/₁₀₀ deferred

The above accounts being for services rendered as a guard were deferred for further consideration.

An account by James Whiteside for boarding prisoners at St. League and Seth Ingram rejected that is so much of it as regards board.

The returns made for Election of Company officers being informal were rejected.

On motion of the pres^t. Ordered that the Lots purchased by Dudley & White be sold on the 2^d day.

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Vendidos el día 2 de Junio venidero en venta
publica cuya fecha habra tenido lugar en el
mes de Febrero Ultimo.

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of some meat, he having failed to comply with the obligation under which he purchased them and which had by an order of the body of last year, been entered sold in february last.

William

En la Villa de San Felipe de Austin a los Cuatro
de Junio de 1821. Reunido el Ayuntamiento en sesion
ordinaria compuesta del Sr. Alcalde - 1.º Re-
gidor Walter C. White 2.º Regidor Randall Jones
3.º Regidor Pleasant D. McNeil. asistente el 4.º
Regido y el procurador Sindico. Se dio lectura a las
actas de la sesion ultima. y fueron aprobada.

Acordo el Ayuntamiento que el Sr. Alcalde pres. y el 4.º
Regidor (Walter C. White, y el vecino William H. Jack)
sean nombrados una Comision para formar una regla-
mento para sistematizar la mensura de tierras vendidas
de particulares a particulares y establecer los derechos y condi-
mentos que deben percibir los Agrimensores municipales, y
su trabajo en la mensura. Y tambien para proponer una
division de la Municipalidad en distritos, en los cuales practi-
caran los agrimensores su arte sin perjuicio de otros.

Tambien acordo el Ayuntamiento que a consecuencia de la
informalidad que hubo en la eleccion, para oficiales de la
6.ª Compañia de Milicia civil, se manda que el dia
25 del presente mes habra otra eleccion en las casas de Will-
iam Robinson y William Barton, para la eleccion de ofi-
ciales de esta Compañia conforme a lo prescrito en la ley regla-
mentaria.

Tambien acordo el Ayuntamiento, que considerando que hay
varios partidos de Indios extranjeros en la jurisdiccion
perjudicando a los habitantes por la matanza de sus perros
que hacen de los animales domesticos, y en la quemadura de los
pastos. Que se recomienda al Sr. Alcalde, y los Sres.
Comisarios de parroquia, mandan llamar a los Jefes de
estos Indios, y manifestarles este perjuicio y recomendarles de
trabada su gente a fuerza de la jurisdiccion, para impedir
disgustos y inconveniencias.

Tambien acordo el Ayuntamiento que de Confor-
midad con lo prescrito en el Capitulo 8.º de las ordenan-

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In the Town of San Felipe de Austin on the
6th day of June 1831. At a regular meeting of the
Ayuntamiento of this Jurisdiction present Francis
W Johnson Pres^t. Walter C White 1st Regidor.
Randall Jones 2^a Regidor and Pleasant D McNeil
3^o Regidor absent Wm Robertson 4th Regidor & Not^y.
M Williamson Indico procurador. The meeting
was opened by the act of the last meeting being read
which were approved.

The following resolutions were then adopted.

first - That F W Johnson pres^t. W. C. White first regi-
dor & Citizen Wm H Sack be appointed a committee to
draw up and report to the body at the next regular
session, a system for the regulation of Municipal sur-
veying, to regulate the fees and emoluments, which
the Municipal Surveyors shall receive and collect, and
also to propose a division of the jurisdiction into sur-
veying districts.

second - The return of the election held on the Colorado being
informal ordered that a new election be held at the house
of Wm Robertson and Wm Bartens on the 25th of this
month, for the Election of Militia Officers, for that Com-
pany.

third - That the Alcalde of the jurisdiction and the Comi-
sarios of the various precincts be recommended to call on or
send for the Chiefs of the various rambling and other
tribes of Northern Indians, and represent to them the
great injury and inconvenience experienced by the inhabi-
tants of the Colony by their destroying the game and burn-
ing or firing the prairies, and request them to remove
with their tribes beyond the limits of the Colony.

fourth - That in conformity with the provisions of

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Las Municipalidades y por las facultades conferidas Williams
a este Ayuntamiento por el decreto N.º 180 del H. Congreso
de este Estado. Que todos los vendedores y todo vendedores de mer-
cancias y efectos seran requeridos a presentarse el dia
N.º de Julio o antes para sacar la licencia necesaria para
poder ejercer sus ventas conforme a lo prevenido en el
dicho Capitulo. Los Abogados o otras personas que ejercen
las funciones de Agentes publicos para atender a los negocios
de otras personas delante el Alcaide tambien sacaran
la correspondiente licencia. Todas las personas que contra-
viengan a otras ordenanzas y de este acuerdo del Ayunta-
miento seran multadas como previene en el mencionado Capitulo.
Los misioneros o Fabriqueros tambien tienen obligacion de
sacar licencia que haran antes del referido dia N.º de Julio.
Tambien acordó el Ayuntamiento que los comisarios
y sindicos de

The 8th Chapter of the Municipal ordinance and the authority vested in the Ayunt.^o by decree N^o. of the State Legislature¹⁸⁴. All Store keepers, Retailers or Venders of goods wares & Merchandise be required to come forward on or before the first day of July next, and take out the licence necessary for them to exercise their professions agreeably to the provisions of said Chapter of the ordinance. - Lawyers or those persons who exercise the profession of public Agents for individuals before the Alcalde will also prior to 5th 1st July apply for licence, as all those who fail to comply with this order will be fined agreeably to the provisions of said law. Tavern keepers must also under the provisions of said law take out a licence on or before first July next.

fifth - That the Comisarios of precincts and Auditors be ordered to take the Census of their respective precincts and report the same to the Ayuntamiento of this jurisdiction at their next regular Session, and that they be also furnished with instructions how to proceed to take a list of the taxable property of each resident of the jurisdiction, and that blank forms be furnished them.

sixth. That it shall be the duty of every ferryman or owner of a ferry boat, to post up in some conspicuous place the rates of ferrying as established by this body, and every ferryman who exacts more than the said rates shall be liable to a fine of five dollars recoverable before the Comisario of any precinct or before the Alcalde of the jurisdiction.

seventh That the Alcalde be authorized to have some blank licences printed for the purpose of

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To those persons who may apply for them agreeably to the provisions of the 1st Chapter of the Municipal Ordinance, for which a sum equivalent to the printing and paper shall be exacted.

That S. M. Williams agent of the Comptroler Austin be requested to furnish the body with a list of the land granted to individuals in this Colony.

It having come to the knowledge of the Agent that C. G. Cox and S. B. Walls are exercising the profession and practice of Medicine without having previously complied with the ordinance regulating the practice of medicine within this jurisdiction: Ordered, that they be notified to attend at the next regular meeting of the Agent on the first Monday in July next. And show cause why they should not be fined agreeably to the provisions of said Ordinance.

The report of the Committee to whom was referred the formation of a fee bill to regulate the Charges of Licensed Physicians was read and approved, and the fee bill ordered to be engrossed in the book of Ordinances for which see 1st book pages

A petition from Gail Jordan for praying to be appointed Municipal Surveyor. was read and the appointment made subject to such special regulations as may hereafter be adopted.

A petition from Laughlin M. Laughlin praying that the title for Town Lot N^o be made to John M. Allen, for the reasons set forth in the petition - prayer granted

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W. L. ...
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A petition from S. A. Brown was presented
read, and rejected by the unanimous vote of the body

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William

In the Town of San Felipe de Austin 4th July
1831. The Ayuntamiento of this jurisdiction this day
met in regular session. present the following members
J. W. Johnson pres. W. C. White 1st Regidor. J. D.
McNeil 2^d Regidor and A. M. Williamson Sindico
procurador. Absent Randall Jones 2^d Regidor & Wm
Robinson 4th Regidor. The acts of the last meeting were
read and approved.

The report of the Committee appointed to draw up
an ordinance regulating the Municipal Surveying de-
partment, was read and approved and the ordinance
ordered to be published. (for which see Book of ordinances
pages) and so much of the ordinance of 5th July
1830, as may be contrary to the provisions of this are
being repealed.

On motion of A. M. Williamson Sindico procurador,
ordered that Walter C. White Regidor be instructed
and authorized to collect the amount due the Mu-
nicipality on town lots in this Town.

On motion of the president. The subject of the situa-
tion of the Children of John Jones, who have been
left by their parents in a helpless and starving con-
dition, was taken up and discussed and the Ayun-
tamiento ordered that the treasurer be authorized to
minister to their present wants and necessities from
the municipal funds and until something can be done
for their permanent support.

On motion of the pres. ordered that the Comisarios
of the different precincts in the Municipality be required
from their own observations and knowledge, and also on
a report made to them by the sindicos of said precincts.

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To make and transmit monthly to the Alcalde of the jurisdiction a report of all Doctors, Merchants, vendors of Merchandise and Retailers of liquors within their respective precincts, and all those who in any way exercise such professions a full report without having obtained a licence in conformity with the laws.

Ordered that doctors S. B. walls, & C. G. Good be fined each \$25. for a breach of the municipal ordinances by practicing medicine without having previously obtained a licence according to said ordinance, and also for a non compliance with the order of the Ayt. to present themselves before the body at this session.

Ordered that James Whiteside and Jonathan Peyton be fined each \$5 for failing to comply with the provisions of the ordinance, regulating Tavern keepers, and also for a non compliance with the order of last meeting.

The report of the Committee appointed to draft rules & regulations for the government of the patrol guard, was read and adopted.

The petition of Asa Brigham praying for special privilege to collect for ferriage, at the ferry kept by him at Grassia, an amount equivalent to the former rates of ferriage, to compensate him for his trouble and expence, was read and rejected, on the ground of its being inadmissible to alter the present rates of ferriage, to suit the special convenience of any particular person and to avoid a number of petitions from other parties on the same subject.

The petition of John Peterson praying to be released from the effects of the order of this body by which he is prevented from receiving land as a Colonist, was read,

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In Connection with the Evidence of Character presented by him, and was admitted. And the body ordered that the Empressaire S. T. Austin be notified thereof in order that the said Peterson may obtain his land as a settler.

A written application of Wm J Austin for a license to keep a public house at Brazoria, was admitted and the license ordered to be issued.

A petition of Stephen Richardson, praying that a title for Lot N^o 565 purchased by him be made to Henry Chees and Thomas Gay - prayer admitted and title ordered to be made.

On Motion of the Just^r ordered by a unanimous resolution of the body, that the amt. of tax due and arising from Town and out lots in this town, and also the amount due and arising from the ferry at this place shall be specifically and specially appropriated to the pay^t of the Claims due by the Agent^o and on which the body has passed special resolutions, a list of which the Secretary is ordered to furnish the Just^r for his information and government. And further that no claims or drafts &c shall be accepted by the Treasurer or tax gatherers as set off, or in pay^t of Taxes which will be due under the provisions of the Municipal ordinance and by virtue of Law N^o 180. as the amt. arising from that tax is to be appropriated solely to the purposes expressed in said Law. The body then ordered an extra meeting on Monday the 18th inst and adjourned to that day.

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In the Town of San Felipe de Austin
5th Septem^r. 1834 The Ayuntamiento this day met
in regular session, present. F. W. Johnson Alcalde
W. C. White 1st Regidor, Randall Jones 2^d Regidor
and A. M. Williamson Sindice procurador. The acts
of the session of 4th July were read and approved
as the extra meeting of 18th July and regular meeting of
1st August did not take place in account of the
Members failing to attend.

The following appointments were then made by the
body. For Surveyors of the different Municipal
Surveying districts, on the petitions presented
by the applicants and the evidence of their quali-
fications

Thomas A. Jordan, Municipal Surveyor of district
number 1.

John P. Borden Municipal Surveyor of district
number 4

Byra Lockhart do do of district N^o 3

Horacio Christman } do do of district N^o 2.
Sam^l. and J. Groome }

Gail Jordan jr do do of district N^o 5.

J. C. Herons do do of district N^o 7

A letter from Henry Smith praying for the appoint-
ment of Municipal Surveyor of District N^o 6. was
deferred on account of his having failed to Comply with
the requisition of furnishing the body evidence of his
Capacity.

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A petition from the Citizens of Harrisburg praying for the appointment of Tyndrick Rankin John W. Moore and John W. Little as Commissioners to lay off a road from Harrisburg to New Kentucky & the Lake Settlement. prayer granted and the report ordered to be made first Monday in Novem^r next.

A petition of Robert Pebles praying that the title for out lots numbers 43, 44 - & 46, purchased by him from the Ayuntamiento, may be made to James B. Miller to whom he has sold them. prayer granted and title order to be made to said Miller in Conformity with a former order of this body, authorizing the title to issue to said Pebles.

On motion of the president it was ordered that Stephen F. Austin, F. W. Johnson, & William Williamson be appointed a Committee to draft a plan of Townhouse or Municipal Hall and a Jail. The Court House to be at least 50 feet long and 20 feet wide and one and a half story high.

A petition of William Williamson praying that the right to Town lots N^o 87 & 112, which were formerly purchased by John Montgomery and Patrick Green, be transferred and vested in him by virtue and on account of his having purchased said lots. which petition was granted. And the body further, allowed the said Williamson until the first of March 1832 to improve the said lots in. The title to issue to him as soon as they may be improved if done prior to 1st March next.

The plan of a patrol law as drawn up by the Committee appointed for that purpose was read and

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IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF TRADE

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Approved and it was ordered to be engrossed
in the Book of Ordinances, for which see said
Book pages

A petition of Wm Cooper was presented and read
in which he prays that a certain league of land
granted to the late Benj Eaton be by the body
declared as forfeited for the want of improvement
rejected by the body on account of the time allowed by law
for the improvement of land not having expired.

An account presented by L. J. Parley for boarding
Spinks - rejected for want of proper vouchers.

A petition of Oliver Jones praying for a title to certain
town lots used to meet meetings.

G. F. Richardson was fined in the sum of twenty
five dollars for selling Merchandise and Liquor with
out a licence.

Math. Lynch was fined \$12⁵⁰ for selling Mer-
chandise and Liquor without a licence.

John Leasson appointed prosecuting attorney for
the next 6 months.

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In the Town of San Felipe de Austin
3^o of October 1831 At a regular meeting of the Ayuntamiento of this jurisdiction the following members were present, J. W. Johnson, pres. W. C. White 1^o Regidor, Randal Jones 2^o Regidor - J. S. McNeil 3^o Regidor y Wm Robinson 4^o Regidor, absent R. M. Williamson Sindico procurador. The session was opened by reading the acts of the preceeding session which were approved.

A petition was presented by Wm. Cummins praying to be appointed Municipal Surveyor of Surveying District Number 8. and the body being satisfied with the evidence of qualifications offered by said Cummins appointed him Surveyor to said district

A petition from E. R. Wrightman for the appointment of partition Surveyor in District Number 5 and recommending Tho^s J. Fone for the same appointment, was presented and read. and Thomas J. Fone was appointed Municipal Surveyor, and authorized to do partition work in 5^o district No. 5.

A claim presented by St. J. Farley for boarding and attendance of J. Spinks (a pauper) and after fully discussing the subject in its merits the body unanimously resolved that Ten Dollars be paid said Farley on his said acct.

On motion of the pres^t. it was ordered that William Pettus, Walter C. White and Samuel M. Williams be appointed a Committee to investigate the true situation of the unimproved lots in this Town. and report such as they may deem proper, to the body at the next meeting

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Ordered That inasmuch as it has come to the ^{Williams} knowledge of this body that Thomas Powell, ^{has} been vending Merchandise in this jurisdiction without having previously obtained a license in conformity with the provisions of the Municipal Ordinance that he be fined in conformity with said ordinance in the sum of \$ 37⁵⁰ Thirty seven dollars and four cents.

A plan for the building of a townhouse or Municipal hall and a jail was submitted and approved
Ordered That inasmuch as it is reported that E. Winstan has violated the provisions of the Municipal Ordinance by vending Merchandise in this municipality without a license, that he be notified to show cause to this body if any he has, ^{at the next meeting} why he should not be fined agreeably to the provisions of said ordinance - Said it is further ordered that Randall Jones 2^d Regidor be authorized to take the deposition of Wm Little relative to the above fact of the sale, and present the same to this body at the next meeting.

A license for the sale of dry goods issued in conformity with the provisions of the Municipal Ordinance to James C. Carr, had by said Carr been transferred to Henry Christ to whom the said Carr had sold the remaining stock of his goods. - The question then arose before the body whether or not Licenses are transferable, and after considerable discussion the question was put to vote and there being two Regidores, in favor and two against the question the pres^t by the ordinance had the right of voting and gave the casting vote against the question, whereupon it was ordered that Licenses for the sale of Merchandise &c

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are not transferable

The subject of the propriety of taking a certain description of property, in part payment of taxes due and to be collected from the inhabitants of this Municipality was discussed. Whereupon it was resolved by the body that good sound rate Cows and Calves and good yearling Heifers shall be rec^d from each individual who may desire to pay them under such special regulations as may hereafter be adopted for collecting the Taxes, provided however that in no instance shall the amt^t of property so taken or rec^d exceed two thirds of the whole amount of tax due by such individual. And further that the price which is authorized to be allowed for such property is 10^{ts} Ten Dollars for each Cow & calf as aforesaid and five dollars for each heifer at least one year old.

The body then took up the subject of the appointment of a Collector whose duty it shall be to collect the amt^t of Tax due and that it shall be the duty of whomsoever may be appointed for that purpose to make a correct return of all the amt^t which he may have collected and rec^d in payment of taxes as well the amount of property as also the amt^t of money and deliver them to the Treasurer of this Municipality in this town on the first day of may next. And that he shall give bond and security in the sum of Ten thousand Dollars for the full and faithful performance of his duty as collector and for the delivery of the amt^t collected. and further be subject to such general instructions relative to the Collections as this body may deem expedient to form for his government.

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And it was further ordered that the Collection of the Taxes for the present year shall be farmed out to the lowest bidder on the first day of November next at the office of the Alcalde in this Town.

On motion of the president ordered that so much of the plan for the building of a town house approved at the meeting on the first Monday of last month, as relates to the height of said building be repealed, and that it be two stories high and further that the said building be constructed of brick and agreeably to the plan filed in the records of this body.

And it was further ordered that the plan for a Jail as submitted be approved and that the building of it be farmed out to the lowest bidder on the first Monday in November next at the Office of the Alcalde in this Town the Undertaker will be bound to give bond and sufficient security for the fulfilment of the Contract.

A petition was presented from Dr. C. J. Cox praying the body to remit a fine imposed on him for a breach of the Municipal Regulations which was rejected on the ground that the body has not the power of remitting fines (see article 47 of law N^o. 37. of this State).

The cause of Pleasant P. McNeil 3^o Regidor for non attendance being heard was declared by the body good & reasonable.

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In the town of San Felipe de Austin 7th Nov^r 1831⁽³²⁾
At a regular meeting of the Ayuntamiento in consequence
of the sickness of the Alcalde Mayor (White 1st Regidor
present - present A. Louis 2^o Regidor - William Robinson
4th Regidor & J. M. Williamson Sindici procurador. The
acts of the last session were read and approved -

Petition from Nathaniel Lynch praying to be released
from a fine imposed on him by this body - which was
rejected and the fine ordered to be collected

A petition from the inhabitants of the precinct of Bastrop
living up on the Colorado, praying for a division of the
precinct and for permission to open a road from the
crossing of the San Antonio road to this town. The body
decided that it was impracticable to accede to the prayer
for a division of the precinct, but granted the privilege
of opening the road

Petition from Oliver Louis praying for a title to certain
town Lots Numbers 139-140-141-184-185 & 186. - which
was granted and the title ordered to be made

Satisfactory evidence being before the body that E. Winsten
has violated the municipal ordinance by vending mer-
chandise without a licence, it was ordered by the body
that the said E. Winsten be fined in conformity with said
ordinance thirty seven dollars & a half.

Samuel C. Aday, Martin Allen and Isaac Best
were appointed Commissioners to open a road from this town
to the prairie on the opposite side of the river.

The body then entered into the discussion of the approach-
ing election and the propriety of augmenting the num-
ber of electoral assemblies in the municipality for the
convenience of the inhabitants, and also the number.

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of members necessary for the Ayuntamiento of the next year in conformity with the population of the jurisdiction, and in as much as article 98 of Law 3rd provides that when the number of inhabitants exceeds 5000 the Ayuntamiento shall be composed of 2 Alcaldes 6 regidores and 2 Sindios procuradores. These must be elected ~~then~~ at the ensuing elections ~~2 regidores~~ ^{2 Alcaldes} 4 regidores and 2 Sindios procuradores, And that elections shall be held at the hereinafter described places of

Precinct of San Felipe - At the Town of Austin to be presided by ~~the Alcalde~~
 the Alcalde - at the house of W^m Robinson to be presided by
 Robinson - At the house of W^m Andrews to be presided by
 Randall Jones - at the house of Henry Jones to be presided by
 W. C. White - at the house of Abner Kempstead - to be pre-
 sided by said Kempstead.

Precinct of Susca - At the house of Walter Sutherland to be pre-
 sided by Jesse Green - at the house of Francis Holland to be
 presided by J^d Holland - At the house of Fred^d Sutherland
 to be presided by M. Herbert -

Precinct of Bastrop - At the house of Richard Andrews to
 be presided by sindio May - At the house of W^m Barton to be pre-
 sided by said Barton - At the house of John Clark to be presided
 by Master Clay -

Precinct of Victoria - At the house of W^m Stafford to be presided
 by Mills M. Battle - At the house of Alexander Rudge to be pre-
 sided by Asa Brigham sindio - At Brasoria to be presided
 by Henry Smith Comisario -

Precinct of Mina - At the Town of Matagorda to be pre-
 sided by James Norton - at the house of Rob^t W. Williams to
 be presided by P. D. M. Neil - At the house of S. Ramey to be
 presided by said Ramey - At the house of George Sutherland
 to be presided by said Sutherland.

Precinct of San Jacinto - At Harrisburg to be presided by J. C. Harris
 Comisario - At the house of M. Lynch to be presided by sindio Ben-
 dict -

Gonzales - at the town to be presided by Comisario Patrick - The

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Electors to be held at the before mentioned places on Sunday &
Monday 11th & 12th Decem^r. next, for the office of the Govern-
ment for the ensuing year. And Comisarios & Sindicos of
precincts in Conformity with the provisions of the
State Constitution and Law N^o. 37.

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En la Villa de San Felipe de Austin a 18 de Dic^o de 1838

Reunido el Ayuntamiento de esta jurisdicción en la casa consistorial, de conformidad con lo prevenido por el Artículo 164 de la Constitución del Estado y del artículo 100 de la ley N^o 37.

Los siguientes miembros fueron presentes, Francis W Johnson
Presid^{te} Walter C White primero Regidor y
Roberto M Williamsin sindice procurador

y con presencia y asistencia de los Presid^{tes} de
ciudades, y Jueces de todas las asambleas electorales mu-
nicipales, se declaró por el presidente abierta la sesión, y
con presencia de las listas hechas en las dhas asambleas,
que se hallan presentes se les abrieron el Sr. presidente y se
firmaron las tres generales conforme a lo prevenido por el
citado artículo 100 de dha ley N^o 37 y según ellas declaró
el Sr. presidente por constitucionalmente electo para Alcalde
el Sr. Horacio Francisman por haber reunido la mayoría, y
el Sr. John Austin - por la 2^a votación y los J^{es} C^{es}
Josiah H. Bell - Jefe Grimes - Martin Alden
y Abner Newkirkall - para Regidores por haber
reunido la mayoría de los votos y los J^{es} C^{es} Henry Cherry y
Rawson Alley para sindicos procuradores por haber re-
unido la mayoría de los votos, y se mandó sacar las
dos copias de dhas listas y se fizo una de ellas inme-
diatamente en pública, y se pasó a la formación
de las listas para los Comisarios y sindicos de precintos,
conforme a lo prevenido por el artículo 158 de la constitu-
ción y el artículo 106 de la ley N^o 37 y según ellas, declaró
el Sr. presidente por constitucionalmente electo para
el precinto de Vesca para Comisario el Sr. John
Braman y para sindico el Sr. Peter D. Spritaker por
haberse reunido la mayoría de votos, - para el

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precincto de Gastrop para Comisario el *William*
Richard Andrews y para Sindico el *Juan*
Maria Rousseau por haber reunido la mayoria de
votos — para el precincto de Mina para Comisario
el *...* y para Sindico el *...*
por haber reunido la mayoria de votos —
para el precincto de Victoria para Comisario el *...*
Asa Brigham y para Sindico el *Juan Thomas*
Westall por haber reunido la mayoria de votos —
para el precincto de San Jacinto para Comisario el *...*
John W. Moore y para Sindico el *William*
Saughlin por haber reunido la mayoria de votos —

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Lista de los Individuos que obtuvieron en votos para
decaídas en las Elecciones Municipales hechas en los días
11 y 12 del presente mes de conformidad con el artículo 164
de la Constitución y los artículos 97 y 100 de la Ley N° 37

El Ciudadano Horacio Caserman	recibió	254	votos
El Ciudadano John Cardin	idem	243	votos
El Ciudadano Horacio Mack	idem	88	votos
El Ciudadano John P. Coles	idem	77	votos
El Ciudadano Saml. Herrens	idem	75	votos.

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F. W. Johnson

John Jones

John W. Moore

Wm. Barton

Richd. Brown

John Bowmery

Henry Smith

A. W. Briggs

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List of the ~~Municipals~~ who were voted for for
alcaldes at the Municipal elections held on the
11th & 12th of the present month in Conformity with the 104th
article of the Constitution and articles 17 & 100 of Law n^o.
37.

Amacio Ponsman	ve d.	254	votes
John Martin	ve d.	243	votes
Florence Mack	ve d.	88	votes
John P. Cook	ve d.	77	votes
Samuel Cherry	ve d.	75	votes

Town of Austin 18 Dec. 1821.

J. W. Brown

John Jones

John W. Cloon

Wm. Factor

Rich. Andrew

John Bowman

Henry Smith

A. Brigham

Acta de los Individuos y oblativos votos para el Poder Judicial en las elecciones Municipales hechas en los dias 11 y 12 del presente mes de Conformidad con el articulo 164 de la Constitucion y los articulos 97 y 100 de la ley n.º 37.

El Ciudadano	Nombre	Votos	Idem
El Ciudadano	Francisco Bell	227	votos
El Ciudadano	Jose Prames	189	idem
El Ciudadano	St. Juan Baylandall	140	idem
El Ciudadano	Martin Allen	145	idem
El Ciudadano	Juan Lockhart	105	idem
El Ciudadano	James Reed	92	idem
El Ciudadano	William Marchese	47	idem
El Ciudadano	James Stewart	25	idem
El Ciudadano	Wm. Robbins	20	idem
El Ciudadano	John Jones	20	idem
El Ciudadano	James Wateridge	19	idem
El Ciudadano	Isaac Lakey	17	idem
El Ciudadano	Thomas Westall	13	idem
El Ciudadano	James W. Jones	9	idem
El Ciudadano	Thos. Davis	2	idem
El Ciudadano	Samuel Small	2	idem
El Ciudadano	John Brown	2	idem
El Ciudadano	John E. Cooper	2	idem

Villa de Astoria 18 de Dic.º de 1831.

J. Johnson

John Jones

John W. Moore

Wm. Barton

Richard D. Reed

John Bowman

Jerry Smith

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List of the individuals who were voted for, for Regi-
dors, at the Municipal elections held on the 11th of the
present month in conformity with articles 164 of the Constitution
and 97 & 98 of Law n.º 37.

Joseph H. Wells	227
John Rainey	189
Abraham S. Woodruff	140
Martin Miller	145
Byron Lockhart	105
Thomas Lewis	92
William Simons	47
James Knight	25
William Robbins	20
John Jones	20
James Whiteside	19
Loel Sealey	17
Thomas Westall	13
James Co Jones	9
Thomas Davis	2
James Small	2
John Brown	2
John F. Collier	2

Term of Austin 18th Dec. 1831

J. P. Johnson

John Jones

John W. Wood

Wm. Barton

Rich. Finney

John Bowman

Henry J. Williams

Lista de los Individuos que obtuvieron votos para sindico pro-
curador de las elecciones municipales hechas en los dias
11 y 12 de febrero mas de conformidad con el articulo 164 de
la constitucion y los articulos 97 y 100 de la ley N.º 37.

El Ciudadano	Henry Cheves	recibio	117	votos
El Ciudadano	R. W. Mason	idem	84	idem
El Ciudadano	R. D. Williams	idem	9	idem

Villa de Astoria a 18 de Diciembre de 1831

J. W. Johnson

John Jones

John W. Mason

Wm. Barton

Richd. Foreing

John Bowman

Henry Smith

A. W. Brigham

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List of the individuals who were voted for by the
deci procuradores at the Municipal election held
on the 11th 11th of the present month in conformity with the
164th article of the Constitution and 97th Art of Law No 37

Henry Cherry	rec ^d	117	vo
Robertson Alley	rec ^d	84	vo
W. H. Williams	rec ^d	9	vo

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John Jones

John Williams

Mr. Porter

Richd. Howard

John Bowmen

Henry Smith

W. Brigham

Lista de los Individuos que obtuvieron votos para
Comisarios de precincto y sindicos procuradores en las elecciones
hechas en los dias 11 y 12 del presente mes de conformidad
con el articulo 158 de la Constitucion y los articulos 56 de la
ley No. 37.

Precincto de Cisca.

para Comisario	John Borenman	recibio	21 votos
	Francis Holland	idem	6 idem
para sindico	John Whiteaker	idem	22 idem
	Paul Mellican	idem	4 idem

Precincto de Bantrop.

para Comisario	Richard Andrews	recibio	35 votos
para sindico	Moses Rousseau	idem	15 idem
	Gannett	idem	14 idem

Precincto de Alton.

para Comisario	James Norton	recibio	25 votos
	John Huff	"	13 votos

para sindico	Daniel Serow	recibio	35 votos
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List of the individuals who were voted for for Comisarios of precinct, and Sindicos in the municipal elections held on the 11th & 13th of the present month in conformity with article 158 of the Constitution and Decree Law n^o. 37

Precinct of Vera

for Comisario John Forman rec^d. 21 votes
Francis Holland " 6 do

for Sindico Peter Whitaker rec^d. 22 votes
Dant. Millican " 14 do

Precinct of Bastrop

for Comisario Richard Ananias rec^d. 25 votes

for Sindico Morca Rousseau rec^d. 15 votes
Tannehill rec^d. 14 do

Precinct of Mina

for Comisario James Norton rec^d. 25 votes
John Huff rec^d. 13 votes

for Sindico Samuel Brown rec^d. 35 votes

Provincia de Victoria

para Comisario A. Graham recibí 88 votos

W. Henry idem 75 votos

para Jueces Thomas Westall id 27 id

Edwin Waller id 16 id

Provincia de San Jacinto

para Comisario John W. Moor recibí 56 votos

para Jueces William Laughton id 49 id

Anders Robinson id 3 id

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for Comisario A. Brigham rec^d 88 votes
McHenry do 75 do

for Sindico Thomas Westall rec^d 27 votes
Edwin Waller " 16 do

Precinct of 1st District

for Comisario John W. Moore rec^d 56 votes

for Sindico William Saughton rec^d 49 votes
Andrew Robinson do 3 do

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H. P. Williams

F. W. Johnson

R. Jones

W. Robertson

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R. Jones

*G. C. P.
H. Johnson*

J. M. Williamson

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En la Villa de San Felipe de Austin a 2 de Enero de
1829 Mando el Ayuntamiento en su casa Consistorial
Comandada del Alcalde 1.º (Horacio Pausman)
Ayudant 2.º N.º 1.º Regidor - William Robinson 2.º
Regidor - Frank A. Bell 3.º Regidor - Juan Grimes 4.º
Regidor - Simon Reynard 5.º Regidor - y William
Chavez Jefe de los procuradores, Asistente el Alcalde 2.º (Juan Martin,
el 3.º Martin Allen 5.º Regidor y el 6.º
Ayudante de los Regidores. El Sr. Francisco
Grimus como una Comision Especial el Sr. Regidor 4.º
Juan Grimes. 2.º Regidor William Robinson y el procurador
de los Regidores Henry Chaves para reconocer el chalan
de este Rio, y manifestar el estado en que se halla
el chalan y botes a esta Corporacion esta tarde a las
dos. Y se levanto la sesion.

Alas dos horas de la tarde se reunió el Ayuntamiento Com-
puesto de los mismos miembros, y el Sr. Martin Allen
quien se presento como el 5.º Regidor.

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In the town of San Felipe de Austin on the 2^d of January 1832. At a meeting of the Ayuntamiento pursuant to the order of the President, consisting of the 1st Alcalde (Donato Jimenez), 2nd Alcalde Don Manuel 1^o Regidor Williams Robinson 2^o Regidor Josiah H. Bell 3^o Regidor Jesse Grimes 4^o Regidor Abner Seymour 5^o Regidor William Jones 6^o Regidor procurador absent John Austin 7^o Alcalde Martin Allen 8^o Regidor Dawson Alley 9^o Regidor procurador. The President appointed as a special committee 2^o Regidor Wm Robinson 4^o Regidor Jesse Grimes y 6^o Regidor procurador Sindico Henry Jones to examine into and report the situation of the ferry flat, at the ferry at this town and make said report at 2 o'clock the evening and the body adjourned

2 o'clock in the afternoon, the body met pursuant to adjournment, the same members being present, and also Martin Allen 5th Regidor who appeared took his seat. The report of the committee appointed to inspect the ferry boat was read and approved.

ordered that the President of the body visit the ferry at this town on tomorrow at 12 o'clock.

ordered that Williams Robinson, Martin Allen, Henry Jones and S. M. Williams be appointed as a committee of finance.

ordered that Josiah H. Bell, Jesse Grimes and Manuel S. M. Bell be appointed a committee to examine into and report relative to the situation of the prisoners in confinement, which report they will present to the body on Thursday the 10th tomorrow at 10 o'clock and the body adjourned.

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The report of the Committee appointed to enquire into the situation of the prisoners now in prison and presented to the body their report which was read and on the final question, Shall said report be adopted the vote stood thus for the adoption

P. J. McNeil 1st Regidor, Wm. Robinson 2nd Regidor, J. H. Bell 3rd Regidor, Jose Grimes 4th Regidor, Martin Allen 5th Regidor, Henry Chaves 6th Regidor, present

Abner Keykendall 6th Regidor opposed on the ground that it was a subject that did not belong to the body, and the report was consequently adopted, the motion being in favor of it.

Ordered that the Alcalde be authorized to procure for the support of John Soms' Children in the manner least expensive to the funds of the Municipality, at the same time to prevent them from suffering, and to pay for the same out of the said funds.

The body then proceeded to the appointment of a treasurer and Henry Chaves 6th Regidor procurador was unanimously elected treasurer. And the body adjourned to the next regular session.

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J.B. Mulla 43. 44. 46. ~~88~~ 44
 G. Huff 88 + III
 N. Paviour 182. 183.
 F. Robinson out lot 11.
 Wm. Stappford 18. 83. 84
 J.B. Austin 16. 51
 John Austin 120
 John McCrosky out lot 14
 Polly Morgan 532. 574.
 F. Allcorn 534
 Martin Tamm 564
 John McFarlan 580
 Mulla & Balte
 D. McCosmuck 20. 21.
 Dawn de Bastrop 535. 536
 Tho Coatsright 85. 86
 Wm Pettis 64
 C. Roark 567 568
 26 Sm. Willems 12. 55. 11. 5. 115. 116
 H. H. Seay 131. 132. 67. 68.
 13 Rose de Saussure
 S. Austin 13. 14. 15. 52. 53. 54. 208
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