Council Hall.
Nov. 26. 1880.

A regular meeting of the Council was held on above date.

Present. His Honor the Mayor.
Solomon Schultz.
Alderman. A. Krakauer.
Do. I. D. Acker.
Do. Do. Magoffin.
Do. B. L. Slade.
Asst. City Marshall. Wm Johnson.
City Attorney. G. F. Neil.
Absent. Alderman A. Heath.

On motion. it was resolved that a Committee of two Aldermen be appointed to draft resolutions on the loss by the death of Alderman B. S. Dowell. Committee appointed. Do. Magoffin and Slade.

A petition was then presented by Alderman Slade. signed by twenty three citizens. and tax payers of the City. requesting and petitioning the Council to order an election with the view to assume control of the free schools within the corporate limits of the City.

On motion. the Mayor was directed to order an election. by posting written or printed notices. giving twenty days notice. according to law. with a view of the City assuming control of the free schools within the corporate limits of the City.

The following ordinance

was then offered.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of El Paso. That all offenders against any Ordinance of said City of El Paso. and found guilty by the Mayor. and sentenced to fine or imprisonment and who shall be unable to pay such fine. may be put to labor on the streets and alleys of said City. or on any public work. following such conviction. two dollars per day till such fine. costs. and length of imprisonment may be exhausted. and that this Ordinance take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

After some discussion it was decided that the proposed Ordinance lay over until next meeting.

The following Ordinance was then offered.

Be it ordained by the City Council of El Paso. That the City Attorney of El Paso receive for each conviction wherein he represents the said City. and where no appeal is taken. or when upon appeal the judgement is affirmed. the sum of Ten Dollars; and in every case where the defendant pleads guilty the sum of Two

and one half dollars, or five dollars, to be regulated by the Mayor of said City.

After some discussion it was decided that the Ordinance lay over until next meeting.

On motion it was unanimously decided to remove the Assessor and Collector, A. I. Stevens, for neglect and dereliction of duty.

The resignation of A. I. Stevens as City Marshall was received and accepted.

The City Clerk was directed to inform Mr. A. I. Stevens of his removal as Assessor & Collector and to request him to present his account to the Mayor for adjustment by the Council.

On motion it was decided to postpone the election of City Marshall and Assessor and Collector until next meeting.

On motion it was unanimously ordered that the Mayor order an election in the First Ward for the election of an Alderman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Alderman B. S. Dowell.

Council then adjourned to meet Wednesday Nov. 30. 7 o'cl. P.M.

S. Schutz
Mayor