

Stated Meeting of the Borough Council of Liphard
January 4th 1870 -

Members present were T. B. Jarman, Agurlasted, Brouther.

Minutes of Stated Meeting held December 7. 1869 read & approved.

Return
of
Justice of Peace.
\$2.00

D. G. Compton, "Justice of Peace"; returned account of fines collected during December, to be two dollars. (\$2.00)

Thomas Aaron presented a bill of 1 ²/₃₅ weeks service as policeman @ 10.50 - \$18.30 -

On motion of Mr. Baskin that an order be drawn on the Treasurer for the payment of Policeman - so ordered -

Opinion.

A communication from Mr. Aaron, asking for information on the Ordinance relating to "Corner Lounging," was read and the opinions of Councilmen given; which were that, it was only necessary to notify Once, those who violate said Ordinance; and that for any one to persist in obstructing sidewalks after having Once been notified (no matter when) Policeman being certain of the same, they are liable to arrest.

adjourned -

B. Brouther
Clerk

Stated Meeting of the Borough Council of Upland
held Feb. 1st 1870.

Members present - T. B. Jarman,
J. Wm Lewis, Agur Castle & B. Crouther.

Minutes of Meeting
held January 4th 1870 read & approved.

Resolution. On motion resolved - that the Chief Burgess
S. A. Crozer be authorized to erect a
foot bridge on the western side of the road
bridge between No 3 Mill and B. F. Pretty's Store.

Police Salary. Policeman's salary for four weeks service \$42.00
ordered paid. R. M. Green's bill for Bricks 2.71
" " T. B. Jarman's bill for Dark Lantern 3.60
48.31

On motion adjourned - B. Crouther
Clerk

Stated Meeting of the Bor, Council of Upland.
held March 1st 1870.

Present - T. B. Jarman, Agur Castle & B. Crouther.
Minutes of Meeting held Feb. 1st 1870 read & approved.

Receipts
of
Tax. President of Council handed to the Clerk, two
receipts amounting to \$931.07 from M. S. Parker,
to tax Collector for money received.

Salary
of
Policeman. Policeman's salary dating from Feb. 1st to March 1st 1870
for \$42.00 presented and ordered paid.

adjourned
B. Crouther
Clerk

Stated Meeting of the Borough Council of Upland
April 5th 1870.

Present T. B. Jarman, J. Wm Lewis
and B. Brouther.

Minutes of Meeting held March 1st 1870
read and approved.

Thomas Aaron's Bill for five weeks
Bill for Police Service \$52.50 presented and ordered paid.

On motion of J. Wm Lewis that the Secretary prepare
an Ordinance for the Control of Dogs, within the Borough
limits; having regard for the suggestions made about Registering,
Numbering etc. so ordered.

On motion we adjourn to meet
Tuesday evening the 19th inst at half past seven o'clock at the
Library Building, for the purpose of hearing a report
from the Secretary about the Charter of incorporation, and
to notify absent members to attend. adopted.

B. Brouther
Clerk.

Special Meeting of the Borough Council of Upland, Ap. 19. 1870
A temporary organization was effected by Calling Robert H. Grozer
to preside and B. Brouther Secretary.

The Oath of affirmation of Councilmen elect, T. B. Jarman,
J. Wm Lewis, Robert H. Grozer and B. Brouther was presented
and read. T. B. Jarman was elected permanent President,
and B. Brouther Secretary.

Reading of minutes of stated
meeting held Ap. 5. 1870 approved. Secretary reported
having procured the Charter of Incorporation, and had
notified absent Members to attend; he also reported
progress on the Ordinance for the Control of Dogs.

Ways & Means Committee. T. B. Jarman and Robert H. Grozer appointed a
Committee of Ways & means.

Streets & Roads. J. L. Grozer and J. Wm Lewis were appointed a committee
on Streets & Roads.

Health Committee, B. Brouther -

Treasurer. M. E. Parker was appointed Borough Treasurer.

On motion an order was drawn in favor of Ward & Broomall
for \$95, for services rendered in obtaining a Charter of Incorporation
and division of school property.

Resolved that Thomas Aaron be continued as a member of the
Borough Council.

May 3^d 1870

Stated Meeting of the Borough Council of Npland

President - T.B. Jarman called the meeting to order.
 Members present - T.B. Jarman, J. Wm Lewis,
 R.H. Grozer, J.L. Grozer and B. Browther.

Qualified. J.L. Grozer Councilman elect was duly qualified
 before D.G. Compton, Justice of Peace.

Minutes of Special Meeting held Apl. 19 - read
 and approved -

B. Browther read an Ordinance for the
 Control of dogs; which was referred with
 suggestion's.

Resolution. Resolved, That the treasurer M.E. Parker -
 present his annual report at our next
 Stated Meeting.

Pax Resolution. Resolved that the committee on ways & means
 (5 Mills) levy a tax of five (5) Mills, on the dollar for
 Borough purposes, on all incomes and property.

Treasurer's Bond \$3000
 compensated (1) per cent.
 Resolved that the Treasurer give bond & security
 in the sum of \$3000, and that the compensation
 for his services be one (1) per cent -

The Street and road committee were informed
 that they had full power to act in
 repairs of streets and roads -

Police Bills. Thomas Aaron's Bill for police service \$40.65
 and D.G. Compton's bill for official " 1.25
 were ordered paid - Total 41.90

B. Browther

Secretary -

June 7th 1870

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Stated Meeting of the Borough Council of Upland.

Present, all the Council men - Minutes of Stated

Meeting held May 3^d 1870 read & approved -

B. Brouther
Sec. of Street & Road
Committee - On motion of J. Wm Lewis, B. Brouther was added to
the Street & road Committee.

Secretary said he was in possession of an order on the
Treasurer of Chester Township P. School Board for \$9.37
Also an order on the Borough School Board for \$9.37
for legal charges in procuring the division of School property
On motion that the Street & Road Committee be empowered to provide
a place to impound Cattle. - so ordered -

Place to
impound
Cattle -

Resolved - That the Salary of our Secretary be fixed
at Fifty dollars per Annum to be drawn semi-annually
salary. it being understood that it shall be his duty to keep the
time and wages accts of all hands working for the
Borough - adopted -

Resolved - That the Sum of Fifty dollars (\$50.00) be appropriated
for the purpose of remunerating our Secretary for his services during
the past year (viz 1869 & 1870) and that an order be drawn in his
favor for said Sum. - agreed to -

order of pay
remunerating
Sec -

Thomas Aaron's bill for 5 weeks Police Service \$52.50 ordered paid
Benjamin Brouther's order for Secretary's " 50.00 " "

Secretary read in place an ordinance for the
control of Dogs, which was adopted and passed,
with one alteration, referring to the Policeman 20 cents
out of the charge of one dollar for registering, numbering & putting collar on
each Dog.

charge of
finance -
for control
of Dogs -

On motion of R. H. Grover that the Secretary
be a Committee to carry this ordinance into effect.
- Adopted -

On motion that we adjourn -

B. Brouther
Secretary

July 5th 1870.

Stated Meeting of the Borough Council of Upland
 members present T. B. Jarman, J. Wm Lewis,
 J. L. Broxer and B. Browther.

Minutes of stated Meeting held June 7th 1870 read
 and approved.

Report

Committee appointed to carry the Dog law into effect
 reported that the printing & publishing of the ordinance
 had been done, Stamps bought for numbering & registering
 and in a few days it would be practically at work.

Resolution.

paying

workmen.

Resolved That the Street & Road Committee be
 authorized to pay the workmen on the Streets & Roads
 from time to time as they need their money. Passed.

Tax Collector
 2 1/2 per cent.

Joseph Dransfield was appointed Collector of Borough tax,
 at 2 1/2 per cent.

Resolution
 Large

Taxpayers
 to pay tax
 to Treasurer.

Resolved - That in Case Mr Dransfield does not accept
 the office of Collector, our Treasurer may receive from
 the large tax payers money, to pay the bills of the
 Borough. adopted.

Treasurer's
 Report
 referred.

Treasurer's report received and referred to the
 Bor. auditor.

On motion of J. Wm Lewis that orders be
 drawn on the Treasurer to pay the following
 named persons for labor & material done & supplied
 the Borough.

Thomas Aaron, Police Service	42.00
William Hill, " "	4.00
James Dolan, Building bulwer	27.06
Henry Halfpenny, Hauling dist	46.55
John Gamble, working 10 1/2 dy	15.90
John Sweeney, " 19 1/2 "	28.65
George Cardwell, " 11 1/2 "	17.25
Michael Mullan, " 10 1/2 "	15.75
Thomas Moore, Stamps	3.05
D. S. Bunting, Lumber	7.92
John Spencer, Printing Ordinan	3.85
	<u>211.98</u>

On motion adjourned

B. Browther

Secretary

July 9th 1870

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Special Meeting of Borough Council.

All the members present - T. B. Jarman, President of Council, stated the object of the meeting to be, for the purpose of appointing a collector of Borough tax; Joseph Dransfield having refused to accept the appointment tendered him.

T. Aaron On ^{motion} of J. Ym Lewis that Thomas Aaron be appointed Collector of Borough taxes at a Commission of two and a half (2½) per cent - motion carried -

On motion that the property holders pay their tax in checks drawn to the order of M. C. Parker Treasurer.

- So ordered -

It was on motion resolved that, Thomas Aaron give bond ~~for~~ ⁱⁿ the sum of Eight hundred (\$800) as collector of tax.

Adjourned -

B. Knowlton
Secretary.

Property
Holders
checks to
Treasurer.

Collectors
Bond \$800

August 2^d 1870

Stated meeting of Borough Council
Members present T. B. Jarman, J. Wm Lewis
and B. Browther.

Minutes of Special & Stated meetings
read and approved.

Thomas Aaron's bill 4 weeks Police Service	42.00
M. E. Parker's " 1% Commission Treas. & Book	15.33
Brannon's " Quarrying Stone	145.30
Wm Howard's " Carpenter work	4.87
J. Wm Lewis (Vance) Tools Etc	9.69
S. A. Grover's Bill (Lumber & labor on bridge)	78.70
Total	295.89

Ratifying
payment
of
road work.

On motion of J. Wm Lewis That the following
bills be approved and their previous settlement
ratified in accordance with a resolution
passed at last Stated meeting (July 5-1870)
authorizing Street & Road committee to pay
workmen their money as they need it.

Viz

Henry Halfpenny, (Hauling & for stone)	165.50
John Gamble 23 1/2 days work	35.55
John Sweeney 18 " "	27.00
Geo. Carduell 7 " "	10.50
Michael McMullan 22 1/2 " "	33.75
Bernard McLaughlin 18 " "	27.00
John Kelly 4 " "	6.00
	<u>305.30</u>

On motion adjourned

B. Browther

Secretary

Communications.

Thomas Aaron presented a report
of 13 dogs registered - in which was placed
\$9.75 for the Treasurer - which was paid
J. Wm Lewis for Treasurer

September 13th 1870

Sepecial Meeting of Borough Council - Member's present. T. B. Jarman, J. Wm Lewis, R. H. Brozer and B. Browther.

Minutes of stated meeting held August 2^d 1870 read and approved.

R. H. Brozer suggested to the road Committee the need of a guard railing on each side of the road running up to Ship Creek bridge; for protection against accidents.

On motion orders were drawn on the treasurer for the following amounts:

J. Wm Lewis for tools	4.58
Workmen, & for stone on Roads	210.87
Wm T. Stilwell for collars	9.22
Policeman's Salary (5 wks)	52.50
Wm Chadwick's Blacksmith's Bill	7.23
15 Citizens who worked out tax	19.76
Total	305.16

Thomas Aaron reported registering one dog, and paid the fee, (75 cents) to the secretary.

Thomas Aaron tax collector for which he claimed exonerations from paying tax for the reasons given.

John Bail, Mark Bail, Wm Guilfoyle, Richard Green, Wm Hill, John Hudson, John Mallan, Samuel Shaw, Samuel Whittaker, Emanuel Bierby, George Jones, Jeremiah Kutcheler, Mathew Wardlaw, Samuel Smalley, Samuel Scott, James Hamilton, and Hamilton Gillan. All having removed from the Borough.

with the exception of John Bail they were exonerated. Thomas O'Brien, John Sweeney and James Reed were exonerated, because of age and inability to pay tax.

The hours of duty of Policeman were changed, so that he go on duty at six instead of five P. M., and come off duty at three A. M. instead of ~~two~~ A. M.

Adjourned
B. Browther
Secretary

Suggestion
to the road
Committee
guard railing
each side of
Ship Creek
bridge road

Exonerating
20.10

Change in
the hours
of Policeman

October 14th 1870

Stated meeting of Borough Council

Members present
T. B. Jarman, J. Wm Lewis, J. L. Crozer, R. W. Crozer
and B. Browther. Minutes of Special meeting
read and approved.

On motion that order's be
drawn for the following amounts

Viz Halfpenny Gamble & Co for Labor 61.40
James Brannon Quarrying Stone 54.75
Policeman's Salary (4 wks) 42.00
Total 158.15

Suggestion's
to
Street & Road
Committee -

T. B. Jarman suggested to the road Committee
the need of a guard railing at No 3 Mill Bridge.
Suggested also the need of a foot path near
Stone Bridge at S. A. Crozer's Cotton Warehouse.

T. B. Jarman asked Council to consider the matter
of increasing the pay of Election Officers, in
view of the extra duty they have to do.

Resolved that the Election officers receive one
dollar each for conducting Borough Election.

Policeman (present) stated that in the event of
personal sickness he could not support his
family at his present salary, and that the
salary was not as much as was now paid
in Chester which was 12.50 per week and
one dollar for clothes -

On motion that we take into consideration
the salary of Policeman and if we find that
we do not pay as much as Chester City that
an advance be made dating from the present time.

On motion of R. W. Crozer that a watch watch
be purchased for the use of Policeman. passed.

B. Browther

Upland 17 Oct 1870

Special Meeting of Borough Council.

Members present T. B. Jarman, J. Wm Lewis, R. H. Croger and B. Browther. Minutes of Stated meeting

held 4 October 1870 read and approved.

President T. B. Jarman stated the object of this meeting to be, for the purpose of considering the resignation of Thomas Aaron Borough Policeman, and appointing some person to fill the vacancy.

The following ^{named} persons had applied for the position of Policeman - John W. Gamble, Edward Melampy,

C. W. Ferguson - D. Pretty - and Wm Pasten.

After an expression of opinion on the part of Councilmen it was moved that the President of Council have authority to appoint a Policeman. So ordered -

R. H. Croger presented a bill of expenses for the purchase of a Watch Clock for the use of Policeman - \$78.02. On motion resolved that an order be drawn on the Treasurer for the amount - adopted -

Resolved that legal advice be obtained on the question of expiration of term of Borough Officers. Also the propriety or right of Chief Burgess to act as President of Council. J. Wm Lewis to ask Wm Ward - passed -

- Adjourned -

B. Browther
Secretary

Resignation
of
T. Aaron
Policeman.

President
of
Council
to appoint.

Watch Clock.
\$78.02.

Legal advice
on
Expiration
of
Office.

Upland 1st Nov - 1870

Stated meeting of Borough Council.

Members present Messrs Jarman, Lewis, R. H. Crozer and B. Gowler. Minutes of special meeting read & approved.

Term of
Office.

J. M. Lewis reported having obtained the written opinion of Messrs Ward & Broomall respecting the terms of Office of the Upland Borough Council, who said that "From the facts presented, we can find nothing in the law that should induce them to assume that their terms of Office expired before the first Monday in April, 1871."

President
of
Council.

Mr Ward also said that "The Chief Burgess had a legal right to sit as president of Council."

E. Malampy
Bor
Policeman

Mr Jarman reported that he had appointed Edward Malampy, Borough Policeman, in accordance with the instructions of Council.

Orders were ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for the following amounts.

A. O. & J. O. Deshong for 184 sq ft of stone	\$ 40-48
J. M. Vance & Co (per Mr Lewis) for Handles,	1-72
D. S. Bunting, for Lumber,	49-02
Thomas Aaron, Police Service,	15-90
Edward Malampy, " "	21-00
Thos Moore, Lock & hinges 2.40 W. Carley H. Handles 2.00	4-40 (paid to sec, order)
Halfpenny, Gamble & Co, Hauling Stone & labor	68-99
Total —	\$ 201-51

Two dogs
registered.

E. Malampy reported having registered two dogs, and paid the fee, \$ 1.50, which was handed to the Treasurer.

Resolved, That the Chief Burgess be requested to preside at the meetings of Council. So ordered.

On motion adjourned.

B. Gowler

Sec.

Upland 6 Dec^r 1890

Stated Meeting of Borough Council.

Members present. Messrs Jarman, Lewis, J. L. Croger and B. Browther.

Minutes of stated meeting held Nov 1st read and approved.

Registered
one dog.

Edward Malampy reported having registered one dog, and paid the fee 75^{cts} into the treasury.

Monthly
Report of Justice

Justice D. G. Compton, reported having fined Frank Burk, one dollar, for corner lounging, which the Clerk of Council would pay into the treasury.

Report of
Treasurer.

M. E. Parker presented a report of the Treasury, showing a balance of \$491.22 on hand, 1st Nov 1890.

On motion the following bills were ordered paid:

James McKinney, for Hauling	258.60	
Edward Malampy, Police Service 5 wks	52.05	(as 5 Hours)
Benjamin Browther, 6 mos, clerk serv	25.00	
H. Halfpenny, hauling Stone & wks	186.80	
Gamble, Kelly, Bradley, Baker, Martin labor	184.93	
Hepworth, Kealey & Co lumber	40.00	
James Brannon, Quarrying Stone	258.20	Total \$1105.58

Resolution.

3rd reading.

On motion, Resolved, That we authorize the Chief Burgess to borrow \$500 for Road purposes, at 6 per cent. interest.
So ordered.

Adjourned

B. Browther

Secy