offering an indignant insult were I to pretend to question the authority of the Council upon examination of the latter part of the 5 Section. which is in these words, Provided nevertheless that the General Council reserves to itself the Privilege of ~~ordering~~ payments on Claims not within the provisions of this ordinance and the first part of the 6 Section. that all Claims on passing the General Council shall be signed by the president and secretary or the governor if the Council is not in session which shall be sufficient evidence to the Controller to counter sign the corresponding draft on the Treasurer. I therefore cannot see any thing to change my opinion and in accordance with my opinion of the law and in accordance ~~of the~~ with the 15th and 16th Sections I return ~~to~~ the proceedings to your Excellency [signature] auditor

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