

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S?C,
COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Jan.18,1918

Proceedings at regulat meeting of City Council held on Friday evening, Jan 18, 1918. (note this meeting should have been held Friday Jan.11th but same was postponed until this date), at six O'clock P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon Robert Lide
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		R.R.Bruner

City Clerk submitted report of receipts and disbursments of his office for the Month of December 1917, which was received as information by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner

Report of Chief of Police for month of December:-

Number arrests	64
Fines and Forfeitures	561.75
Days on Streets	116
Transferred to Magistrate	1

Received as information :-

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Communication from Carolina Farmer relative to License collected from their representative for soliciting subscriptions to this Journal Jan 7, 1918, offering premium to induce subscriptions, claiming exemption from said license, was received as information but City Clerk was instructed to advise Mr. L.S. Wolfe their local representative that hereafter agents of this periodical would be charged no license if they were endorsed by him.

Agreement between City of Orangeburg and Postal Telegraph-Cable Company relative to the use of certain Poles belonging to City by Said Company was passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

And City Clerk was instructed to forward same to Postal Telegraph-Cable Company for the signatures of proper officials.

A resolution offered by Councilman Bruner authorizing the Mayor to Borrow \$20.000 to be used for City purposes and the payment of obligations of the Water and Light Plant was passed by following vote? - (see resolution attached to these minutes)

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.


Bill of Orangeburg Machine Shop amounting to \$32.06 for travelling expenses and work incident to the New Water and Light Plant was passed for payment. Vote.

Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Communication from Postal Telegraph-Cable Company in reference to Ordinance passed at last meeting, was read and referred to City Attorney for reply.

Communications from Companies composing the Orange-Fire Department, submitting nominations for chief and Assistant Chief of Fire Department under Ordinance passed at regular meeting December 18, 1917, were read and action upon same postponed until next meeting of Council.

No further business these minutes were read, confirmed and Council adjourned.


City Clerk

A R E S O L U T I O N.

RESOLVED by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg in City Council Assembled:


SECTION I. That the Mayor of the City of Orangeburg be and he hereby is authorized to borrow on the note or notes of said City maturing not later than December 1st, 1918, executed by Hon. Robert Lide, Mayor, and attested by T. O. S. Dibble, City Clerk and Treasurer, bearing interest payable in advance not exceeding five per centum per annum, the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary for ordinary city purposes and to defray the expenses of the Water and Light Plant of said City and such other obligations of said City as may now be due and may be incurred by said City, until the taxes for the fiscal year 1918-1919 are received.


SECTION II. That the taxes of said City for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1919, due and payable from the first day of October 1918 to the sixth day of November 1918, are hereby pledged to secure the repayment of the amounts so borrowed.

ADOPTED and Ratified by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg in Council Assembled this 18 day of Janu 1918.



Mayor for the City of Orangeburg





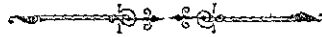
Councilmen for the City of
Orangeburg.

Attest.



City Clerk and Treasurer.

Important Notice To The Public.



In compliance with instructions from COAL ADMINISTRATOR for South Carolina, relative to the conservation of fuel, the City Water and Light Plant, beginning at 12 o'clock, midnight, January 17, 1918, will DISCONTINUE ELECTRIC SERVICE, from the hours of 12 midnight and 5 P. M., during the following days, namely: January 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, and 22nd; and Mondays thereafter, until, and including, March 25th, 1918

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Jan. 25, 1918

PROCEEDINGS AT REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL held
Friday January 25, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present The Mayor Hon Robert Lide

Councilmen A.C. Watson
R.R. Bruner.

The Mayor reported to Council that in accordance with resolution passed at last meeting of Council that he had borrowed for use of the City \$20,000, which loan was taken by Banks of the City as follows:-

Bank of Orangeburg	\$4.500	
Edisto National Bank	4.000	
Peoples " "	4.000	
Planters Bank	2.500	
Farmers Union Bank	2.500	
Farmers and Merchants Bank	2.500	\$20.000

Rate on above mentioned loan 5 % per Annum.

Payable Nov. 10, 1918

That in accordance with resolution he had pledged taxes for 1918 as collateral for same.

Council entered into an election for Chief and Assistant Chief of Fire Department.

Following nominations for Chief and Assistant Chief of Fire Department, in accordance with Ordinance passed December 28 1917, were submitted by Companies composing the Orangeburg Fire Department:-

Young America Fire Engine Co.	Jas Izlar Sims
	J.A. Jordan
Elliott Ind. Hook & Ladder Co.	Jas. P. Doyle
	J.A. Jordan
East End Reel Co.	Jas. P. Doyle
	H.C. Wannemaker
Phoenix Reel Co.	Jas. P. Doyle
	Jas. Izlar Sims.

Mr Jas. P. Doyle was elected Chief,
Mr. Jas. Izlar Sims Assistant Chief, by unanimous vote of council, term of office to be at will of Council. Salary of Chief to be \$20.00 per month and Assistant Chief \$5.00 per month.

Councilman Watson made a motion which was unanimously adopted that either Chief or Assistant Chief be required to attend regular meetings of Council on the fourth Friday of each Month.

Upon Motion of Councilman Bruner the hour of meeting for regular meetings of Council was changed to 6 O'Clock P.M.

Mr. R.F. Walker, Manager Southern Bell Telephone Co was present at meeting and requested Council to take some action relative to poles left on Russel Street when wires of said Company were removed recently.

Councilman Bruner moved that Council offer the Southern Bell Tel. Co. 50 ¢ each for these poles, which motion was unanimously adopted.

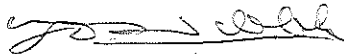
Councilman Watson reported progress in the purchase of additional pump for new Water and Light Plant and advised that contract covering details of same would shortly be submitted to Council for approval.

Engineer Hawes reported that construction of reservoir and erection of coal chute were progressing satisfactorily, that he had been delayed somewhat by the excessive cold weather and that he estimated that Coal Chute would be so far completed as to use same in a week or ten days if not further delayed by bad weather, he recommended the purchase of iron for a short track about 60 feet costing about \$275.00 for the purpose of conveying coal to boilers and cinders away.

Councilman Bruner and Engineer Hawes were requested to investigate drainage of Brailsford property on Maxcy Street and report to Council.

Owing to the scarcity of coal it was decided to shut down electric current from Water and Light Plant until further notice each Sunday at 12 M. and no current be turned on until 12 Midday following Monday.

Minutes were read and approved and Council adjourned.


City Clerk.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Feb 8, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on
Friday February 8, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon Robt Lide
 Councilman A.C. Watson
 " R.R. Bruner

City Clerk and Treasurer submitted report of receipts
and disbursements of his office for month of January 1918 which
were received as information by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Report of Chief of Police for month of January

Number arrests	80
Fines and Forfeitures	479.50
Days on public Works	54

Received as information.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE LICENSES IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1918 AND ENDING MARCH, 31, 1919, was read by title and passed to second reading.

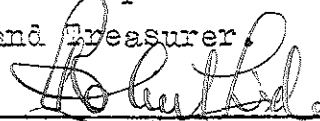
Vote Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.


Supt. of Water and Light Plant Fizer submitted for the consideration of Council copy of a contract from the Worthington Pump Company, proposing to deliver to the City for the Water and Light Plant one Tryplex Motor Driven Pump at a cost of \$1,236.00 F.O.B. Factory. Mr Fizer stated that this pump was necessary to complete pump equipment for New Plant.

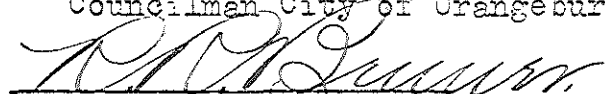
Councilman Watson offered following resolution:-

Resolved by City Council of Orangeburg in Council assembled that the purchase of one Tryplex Motor Driven Pump at a cost of \$1,236.00 F.O.B. Factory from Worthington Pump and Machinery Corporation is hereby authorized ; That ^{Proposal} ~~contract~~ submitted by said Corporation submitted January 19, 1918 be accepted and that the Mayor be authorized to sign contract for purchase of this pump, same to be attested by City Clerk and Treasurer.

Passed.


Mayor City of Orangeburg


Councilman City of Orangeburg


Councilman City of Orangeburg.

City Engineer Hawes submitted price for a Model 17 Wonder Concrete Mixer, with side loader and Water tank to cost \$578.00 and freight, stating that this mixer was very necessary for the building of reservoirs and other cement work and would pay for its self in a very short time .

Councilman Watson offered following resolution:-

Resolved by City Council of Orangeburg S.C. the City Engineer Edward Hawes Jr is hereby authorized to purchase one Cement Mixer at acost of \$578.00 and freight and that City Clerk and Treasurer is authorized to pay for same when received and accepted.

Passed.

Mayor City of Orangeburg

Councilman City of Orangeburg

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Superintendant Fizer W & L Plant asked Council for instruction relative to the construction of Electric Service Line to Orangeburg Packing Plant. Referred to Councilman Watson and Supt. Fizer

Supt. Walker, Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co was present and reported that his company were unwilling to accept .50 ¢ each for poles as offered by Council at last meeting but that \$1.00 apiece would be accepted. Councilman Bruner moved that the Telephone Company be paid \$1.00 apiece for these poles, which motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. S. H. Crum, through Councilman Watson applied for additional pressure and larger water pipes for his bottling works on Center Street.

Councilman Watson moved that one Four inch water main be laid connecting East Russel Street with East Amelia Street, through Center Street, there being enough piping on hand at this time to do this work, and that one fire Hydrant be installed on this extension on Center Street.

Motion adopted:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

No further business, these minutes were approved and Council adjourned.

Yea. The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

John H. H.

City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Feb'y 22, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held
Friday, February 22nd 1918 at 6 O'clock P.M.

Present:-

The Mayor

Hon. Robert Lide

Councilmen

A.C. Watson

R.R. Bruner.


City Clerk and Treasurer submitted statement of condition of sinking fund at this date, which was received as information by unanimous vote of Council and filed with these minutes.

Chief of Fire Department Doyle was present and ~~fixed~~ reported having ordered glasses for fire alarm boxes from Gamewell Fire Alarm Company.

City Clerk and Treasurer was instructed to pay bill Gibbs Machinery Company for services and expenses of their man in connection with repairs to Skinner Engine.

Upon the recommendation of the Chief of Fire Dept. Supt. Fizer was instructed to order Rectifier for Fire Alarm System to cost approximately \$48.00

No further business minutes were approved and Council adjourned.


City Clerk

PROPOSALS

Bids open December 3, 1915.

PROPOSALS FOR BOILERS

ORANGEBURG, S. C.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg until 12 M., Friday, December 3rd, 1915, at the office of the City Clerk and Treasurer for furnishing and delivering and erecting on foundations provided by them of two 275 H.P. water tube boilers designed for a working pressure of 160 lbs. gage.

Bidders are asked to name prices on complete boilers delivered. Also, on complete boilers delivered and erected; and to furnish list of all valves, fittings, etc., to be furnished with each boiler, together with amounts deducted for each in the event that valves, fittings, etc., are not desired.

Each bidder is requested to propose boilers covered by their standard form of specification and of their regular rating, and in view of this request, a variation in rating of 5 per cent from 275 H.P. will be acceptable.

Proposals on both horizontal and vertical boilers will be considered.

A certified check for \$500.00, made payable to the City of Orangeburg, must be furnished by each bidder as a guarantee that contract will be entered into should his proposal be accepted.

The Mayor and Councilmen reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

T. O. S. DIBBLE,
City Clerk and Treasurer.

Orangeburg S.C. Feby 22, 1918

To The City Council.

I respectfully submit statement as to condition of Sinking Fund account this date:-

Balance in Bank Sept. 30, 1917		\$29.479.42
RECEIPTS.		
Received from Taxes		
5 1/2 mills on \$1.952.030	\$10.736.16	10.736.16
Interest Oct 1/17 to Jan 1/18		
Peoples Bank	69.30	
Planters "	73.87	
Farmers Union Bank	72.78	
Farmers & Merchants "	20.60	
Edisto National "	25.53	
Bankers Orangeburg "	66.53	328.41
Interest on M & A Bonds		660.00
		<u>\$41.203.99</u>

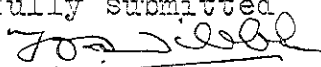
DISBURSEMENTS:

1917. Nov. 24	Int and Banks Com. M & A Bonds	\$1.002.50	
" Dec 24	" " " " E & E "	751.88	
" " "	" " " " Sewer "	1.127.91	
" " "	" " " " City	451.25	
1918 Jan. 1	" M. & A R.R. Bonds	660.00	3.993.44
Balance on deposit this date		\$	<u>37.210.55</u>

Deposited as follows

BANK OF ORANGEBURG	\$5.962.48	
PEOPLES NAT. BANK	6.229.59	
EDISTO "	6.280.08	
FARMERS UNION "	6.544.18	
E & M "	5.553.98	
PLANTERS "	<u>6.640.24</u>	\$ 37.210.55

Respectfully submitted



City Clerk and Treas.

Orangeburg S.C. Feby 22, 1918

DISTRIBUTION OF TAXES AND INTEREST .

SINKING FUND ACCOUNT.

BONDS.

11	Manchester & Augusta	Taxes	\$1.952.03	
	Taxes	Interest	<u>72.10</u>	\$2.024.13
20	Water & Light. (Old)	Taxes	1.952.03	
		Interest	<u>261.84</u>	2.213.87
30	Extension & Enlargement	Taxes	1.952.03	
		Interest	<u>196.31</u>	2.148.34
20	City (Orbg Ry)	Taxes	1.952.03	
		Interest	<u>130.90</u>	2.082.93
30	Sewer	Taxes	2.928.04	
181		Interest	<u>327.26</u>	3.255.30
				<u>\$ 11.724.57</u>

Balance on hand Oct. 1 1917	\$29.479.42
Amount received and distributed	11.724.57
Total cash to credit	
Sinking Fund	\$ 41.203.99
Less Expenditures	<u>3.993.44</u>
Cash in Bank	\$ 37.210.55
11 shares M & A Bonds	<u>11.000.00</u>
Total cash and securities	\$ 48.210.55

Respectfully submitted

John L. Loh
City Clerk

3850.00
2024.13
5874.13

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Feby 28, 1918

Proceedings at special meeting of City Council
held Thursday, February 28, 1918 at 6.P.M.

Present:-

The Mayor.
Councilmen

Hon Robert Lide
A.C. Watson
R.R. Bruner.

The Mayor stated that special meeting of Council had been called for the purpose of making arrangements to secure money necessary to complete new power house and also to finance the City until November 1, 1918 under an act of the General Assembly of South Carolina ratified Feby 12, 1918 authorizing the City to borrow such amounts as are necessary for this purpose.

After hearing reports from Engineer Hawes, Supt Fizer and City Clerk Dibble as to the needs of these Departments the following resolution was offered by Councilman Watson, which was passed by following vote:-

Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

(SEE RESOLUTION AND REPORTS ATTACHED)

Council having acted upon above measures, having approved minutes adjourned.



City Clerk

City of Orangeburg

Commission Form of Government

COUNCIL CHAMBER

Orangeburg, S. C. February 28. Th. 1918

To The City Council,

SUBJECT COSTS TO COMPLETE CERTAIN WORK
AT POWER HOUSE.

City Of Orangeburg S.C.

Continued.

As requested, I herewith submit to you an approximate estimate of cost of work that you have designated and laid out for me to complete, which includes all of the outside work at Power House, and some items on the inside of the building, as follows.

Boiler room floor	\$	100.00	✓
Engine & Pump Room floors		900.00	✓
For both Reservoirs, Pipes, valves, fittings and labor		1900.00	✓
To complete Reservoir No.1 & 2		3500.00	✓
" " Coal Chute		675.00	✓
Retaining Walls, Roads, walks		3500.00	✓
Excavation of grounds	<i>taken</i>	1000.00	2000.00 +
Drains and labor		150.00	✓
Concrete stairs		125.00	✓
Coal Track, Turntable, and two (2) one (1) Ton cars		646.00	✓
Estimated freight, and installing above item		75.00	

Total approximate estimate \$15,571.00

Respectfully Submitted.

City Number.

Feb. 28, 1918

ESTIMATED COST TO COMPLETE THE NEW PLANT OF THE ORANGEBURG WATER & LIGHT PLANT.

Including Only Electrical & Mechanical Work.

WORK WHICH SHOULD BE COMPLETED AT ONCE.

<u>BUILDING-</u>			
* Fire Doors-----		\$	80.00 ✓
Installation-----			10.00 ✓
Conduit, Fixtures, Wiring & Lighting-----			1000.00 ✓
Oil House-----			75.00 ✓
<u>Equipment-</u>			
* Additional Service Pump-----			2000.00 ✓
* Boiler Feed Pump-----			200.00 ✓
Switchboards-----			4000.00 ✓ <i>see 1/2 2000.00</i>
* Steam Traps-----			131.50 <i>paid</i>
* Exhaust Piping, including additional pipe & fittings needed-----			700.00 ✓
Transferring Fire Pumps-----			40.00 ✓
* " Harrisburg-----			25.00 ✓
* Glazing for windows-----			35.00 ✓
* Painting Stacks-----			75.00 ✓
Pipe Covering-----			150.00 *
<u>Line Extension-</u>			
To Connect Arc Light Circuits To New Plant-----			50.00 ✓
Fire Alarm Circuit to new plant-----			75.00 ✓
<i>Fire Alarm Chg Set</i>			60.00 ✓
To Run Feeder from new plant to Packing Plant			2500.00 + <i>To City Water 1000.00</i>
<u>Water Works Extension</u>			
Connecting main from new plant to system---			1000.00 ✓
<i>Fire Hydrants & pipe for New Plant---</i>			600.00 <i>2500.00</i>
<i>additional Fire Hydrants ---</i>			416.00 ✓
<i>Center St. Extension ---</i>			150.00 ✓

13272.50

* Items which are finished or in course of being done but not as yet paid for.

J. Ross Taylor

Orangeburg Water and Light Plant,

OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG

To.

City of Orangeburg

Dr.

	Amount Due Oct. 1 1917 as per Auditors Report	12.081.83
1918	November Loan	1.500.00
	December "	500.00
	January "	6.000.00
	February "	1.000.00
		\$ 21.081.83
1917	Bilal paid Owen & Co	6.70
	" " Freight	39.29
	" " Pay roll	58.92
		104.91
		\$ 21.186.74
	Credit	
	Police Uniforms paid out of W & L Funds by error	586.88
		\$ 20.599.86

	Estimated expenses necessary for running City for 8 Mos at \$3.000 per month	24.000 00
	Estimated receipts	
	Licenses	\$9.000
	Fines & For.	2.000
	Sanitary Dues	1.500
	Compound & Dog-	1.500
		14.000 00
	Balance necessary	10.000.00

City Clerk

and the lake

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The State of South Carolina,

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned _____

_____, who being sworn says that the foregoing and attached bill

of \$_____ is justly due him by the City of Orangeburg, and that the services therein named and goods delivered for which charges have been made have been performed and delivered; that no part has been paid by discount or otherwise.

Sworn to this _____ day of _____ 191_____.

Notary Public for S. C.

No. _____ Page _____

Treas. Check No. _____

us } _____ Dept. _____

Orangeburg Water and Light Plant

For _____

Approved and ordered
paid for _____ \$ _____

Mayor and Councilmen.

An Act.

To authorize and empower the City Council of the City of Orangeburg to borrow money, and to provide for the payment thereof.

Be it enacted, etc.

Sec.1. That the City Council of the City of Orangeburg is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow from time to time an amount not to exceed the sum of fifty thousand dollars, and at a rate of interest not to exceed six per cent. per annum, and to execute a note or notes therefor, and to renew the same from time to time, and to pledge the credit and good faith of the said City of Orangeburg, and the taxes levied as hereinafter provided, to the payment thereof; Provided that the sum or sums so borrowed shall be used for the extension, enlargement, improvement, completion, operation or maintainance of the City Water and Light Plant, or the repairing or other improvements thereof, or for extending the services or facilities thereof, or for street or sidewalk improvements, maintainance or repairs, or for any or either of such purpose or purposes.

Sec.2. That the said City Council of the City of Orangeburg is hereby authorized, empowered and required to levy and collect such tax or taxes on all property within the City of Orangeburg, in addition to the taxes now authorized or provided by law to be levied, for the purposes of paying the interest on such note or notes, or any renewal or renewals thereof, and to provide for the gradual payment thereof within a reasonable time in the discretion of the said City Council, which power shall continue and be in force until and unless the indebtedness incurred under the provisions of this Act shall sooner be taken up and retired by a bond issue therefor.

Sec.3. That this act shall go into effect immediately on its approval by the Governor.

Approved, February 12th, 1918.

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Approved, February 12th, 1918.


A R E S O L U T I O N.


RESOLVED by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg in City Council assembled:

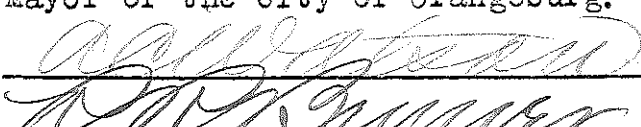
SECTION I. That under and by virtue of the authority and power vested in the City Council of the City of Orangeburg by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, approved February 12th, 1918, that the Mayor of the City of Orangeburg be and he is hereby authorized to borrow on the note or notes of said City, maturing not later than one year from the date thereof, executed by Honorable Robert Lide, Mayor, attested by T. O. S. Dibble, City Clerk and Treasurer, bearing interest, payable in advance, not exceeding six per centum per annum, the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, and to renew said note or notes from time to time, and that Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars of the amount so borrowed be set apart for permanent street and sidewalk improvements, and the balance used for the extension, enlargement, improvement, completion, operation or maintainance of the City Water and Light Plant, or the repairing or other improvements thereof, or for extending the services or facilities thereof, or for street or sidewalk improvements, maintainance or repairs, or for any or either of such purpose or purposes.

SECTION II. That the credit and good faith of the City of Orangeburg as well as the taxes to be levied as provided for, and under the Act of the General Assembly, approved February 12th, 1918 above referred to, be and the same are hereby pledged to secure the payment of the amount so borrowed. Adopted by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg in Council assembled February 28, 1918.

Attest:


City Clerk & Treasurer.


Mayor of the City of Orangeburg.


Councilmen for the City of Orangeburg.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG,

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

March 8, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held
Friday, March 8, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. Robert Lide
	Councilmen	A.C. Watson
		R.R. Bruner.

City Clerk and Treasurer submitted report of financial transactions of his office for month of February 1918 which was received as information by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Report of Chief of Police for month of February 1918
as follows:-

Number arrests	58
Fines and Forfeitures	372.50
Days on Streets	33

Received as information by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor Councilman Watson and Bruner.

Communication from Mr T.S. White, Supervisor Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company requesting permission to discontinue Flagman on South Broughton Street crossing was submitted for consideration of Council. This was received as information and City Clerk was instructed to advise Capt White that City Council ~~does~~ does not at this time see their way clear to act on same.

Vote Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

City Clerk and Treasurer submitted statement ~~of~~ relative to money borrowed by the Mayor under resolution passed at ~~reg-~~ ^{Special} meeting of Council February 28, 1918. (Statement attached to these minutes)

Received as information.

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

City Clerk was instructed to communicate with General Manager of the Southern Railway relative to stationing a flagman by said Railroad Company at railroad crossing on East Russel Street, Adjacent to Southern Railway Passenger Depot.

AN ORDINANCE, TO REGULATE LICENSES IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1918 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1919, which received first reading Feby 8, 1918 and was passed to second reading on that date, was read in ~~full~~ full and passed second reading by following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

COUNCIL THEN ADJOURNED

[Signature]
City Clerk

ROBERT LIDE,
MAYOR

A. C. WATSON, R. R. BRUNER,
COUNCILMEN

T. O. S. DIBBLE,
CLERK AND TREASURER

City of Orangeburg

Commission Form of Government

COUNCIL CHAMBER

Orangeburg, S. C.

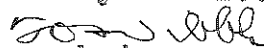
To The City Council:-

I respectfully report following amounts borrowed by the Mayor under resolution passed at special meeting of City Council Feby 28, 1918.

Date of loan March 2, 1918; term one year; rate 5 % per annum

Edisto National Bank	\$11.000	
Peoples " "	11.000	
Bank of Orangeburg	11.000	
Farmers Union Bank	6.000	
Farmers & Merchants	6.000	
Planters Bank	<u>5.000</u>	\$50.000

Respectfully submitted



City Clerk

In compliance with resolution ~~has~~ I have deposited \$10.000 in a special fund for street improvement with Edisto National Bank.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

March 22, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held
Friday March 22, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. Robert Lide
	Councilmen	A.C. Watson
		R.R. Bruner

Communication from Mr. H. L. Hungerford relative to stationing a flagman at Southern Railroad crossing on East Russell Street was read by City Clerk. In this communication Mr. Hungerford states that he does not deem it necessary for the safety of traffic to have flagman at this point as requested by Council. City Clerk was instructed to reply inclosing a copy of Ordinance requiring Automatic Safety Gates at this point which had been suspended until further notice by City Council Oct 1, 1912. He was also instructed to advise Mr. Hungerford that that time of suspension was ended and that the Southern Railway is required to comply with Ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE LICENSES IN CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. for fiscal year beginning April 1, 1918 and ending March 31, 1919 which passed first reading Feb 8, 1918; second reading March 8, 1918, passed third reading and was ratified by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

(Note) Upon the question as to license to be charged Pool Rooms, Councilman Watson Moved that License for Pool Rooms be \$1.000 per annum. Councilman Bruner moved to amend by making License for 1st table \$150.00 and \$75.00 for each additional Table, which amendment was passed by following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Bruner.
Nay Councilman Watson.

City Clerk reported only one bid had been received for the printing of City Ordinances, this bid was from R. L. Berry & Co who proposed to print 1st 500 copies for \$24.00 and \$2.00 additional for each one hundred copies in excess of 500.

This bid was unanimously accepted by Council.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT ANY PERSON OR PERSONS OPERATING MOTOR VEHICLES WITHIN CORPORATE LIMITS OF CITY WITHOUT FIRST COMPLYING WITH THE STATE HIGHWAY ACT. passed 1st reading by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Petition from Phoenix reel Company for an increase of Appropriation which was approved by Chief Doyle was read and upon motion of Councilman Watson the monthly appropriation of this company was increased from \$40.00 to \$50.00 per month.

Vote Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

No further business council adjourned

[Signature]
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

April 12, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held
Friday April 12, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. Robert Lide
	Councilmen	A.C. Watson
		R.R. Bruner

Messrs Jas.M.Albergotti, J.W.Culler and J.S.Salley

were present in interest of Orangeburg Packing Company. At a recent date the State Board of Health had condemned the system by which they disposed of their sewerage and these gentlemen were endeavoring to make some arrangement with City Council whereby the Packing Plant could connect with City sewers. At some future date it will be necessary for City to extend sewers from Broughton Street and the suggestion offered by Packing Plant was that City run these sewers through Murray property, if satisfactory arrangements could be made with Estate of Murray, making sewers large enough to handle City and packing House sewerage, the Packing House to pay difference in expense for installing larger mains. After the discussion of various plans for the disposal of sewerage above mentioned, consideration was postponed to future date.

A petition from citizens residing on Fenwick Street for extension of Sewer Mains through this Street was read, received as information and ordered filed in regular order.

Report of Chief of Police for month of March

Number of arrests	55
Fines and Forfeitures	\$459.50
Days on Streets	6
Received as information.	

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

Engineer Hawes stated that Postal Telegraph Company had requested permission to place a sign on Russel Street, which would require an extra post on this street and that he had refused request and they had requested him to bring request before City Council. Upon vote Council refused to grant permit.

Vote. Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

J.M.Maxwell from Central Committee for the entertainment of Negro Medical Association of South Carolina, who are to meet in this City April 23 - 25th, and solicited a contribution from Council to assist in the entertainment of this body.

This appeal was referred to City Attorney with the understanding that actual expenses necessary for the conduct of the business of this association, that he would approve as such to the amount of \$50.00 if amount expended was used for legal public purposes, would be paid from funds of the City.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT ANY PERSON OR PERSONS OPERATING MOTOR VEHICLES WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY WITHOUT FIRST COMPLYING WITH STATE HIGHWAY ACT, received and passed second reading

Vote- Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner

Council then adjourned

Joseph L. Lide *Attest*

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.
COUNCIL CHAMBER.

May
~~April~~ 3, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council
held on Friday May 3, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present,	The Mayor	Hon Robert Lide
	Councilmen	A.C. Watson
		P.H. Bruner

City Clerk and Treas submitted statemnet of receipts and disbursments of his office for month of April 1918 which was received as information. by unanimous vote.

Communication from Board of Health submitting for approval of City Council amendments to rules and regulations of former Board of Health approved by City Council March 18, 1902, relative to sanitary construction of privies and revising ~~sanitary~~ amount charged for sanitary dues and the method of collection of same, was read and upon the motion of Councilman Brannen said amendments were approved and Board of Health were authorized to enforce same, by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Request of Board of Health, for an additional sanitary wagon to replace ~~the~~ one now in use which is practically worn out which leaves the Board with only one two horse cart for use of City which is entirely inadequate, was granted and they were authorized to purchase a two horse wagon by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor Councilman Watson and Bruner.

Resignation of Mr. W. E. Williams from Board of Health
was read and consideration postponed.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT ANY PERSON OR PERSONS OPERATING MOTOR VEHICLES WITHIN CORPORATE LIMITS OF CITY OF ORANGEBURG WITHOUT FIRST COMPLYING WITH STATE HIGHWAY ACT, received third reading and was passed and ordered ratified.

Vote Yea. The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner

Request from Standard Oil Company relative to the permit for the erection of a building on their property on Mill Street asking that in addition to permit issued by Building Inspector that City issue one contact from submitted by them under seal of City.

City Clerk was instructed to communicate with them and advise that if other requirements of building code were complied with that request would be granted.

Councilman Watson offered following resolution, seconded and passed.

Resolved, that hereafter no permits for the installation of Gasoline or Oil Tanks, for the sale or distribution of Gasoline or other Fuel, Lubricating or illuminating Oils be granted, allowing the installation of same on any Street of the City which is paved ; Also, no installation to be allowed as follows:-

North Middleton from Russel to Amelia
North Broughton from Russel to Amelia
West Russel from Broughton to Windsor
Doyle from E Russel to St Johns.

Passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

Regular meeting May 3, 1918 continued.

Mr. C. A. Schiffley representing the Standard Warehouse Company requested reduction of License charged their warehouse.

Upon Motion of Councilman Watson, which motion was carried, the license was not reduced.

Communication from Mr. J. M. Brunson requesting that Council would pro-rate his Pool Table License from April 1 to Sept. 1st 1918 as he would at that time close up his pool business and sell his tables. City Clerk was authorized to pro-rate this license with the understanding that Mr. Brunson would ~~xxxxx~~ discontinue this business after Sept. 1, 1918.

Resolution offered by Councilman Watson.

RESOLVED, by City Council of the City of Orangeburg that after May 1, 1918 no License be issued for billiard and pool tables within the corporate limits of the City of Orangeburg.

This resolution was passed by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

No further business Council Adjourned.

Joan Webb
City Clerk

RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF
ORANGEBURG RELATIVE TO SANITARY CLOSETS, BOXES, ETC.

RESOLVED by the Board of Health of the City of
Orangeburg, in meeting assembled this 3rd day of
~~February~~ ^{December} A. D. 1918 that the Rules, or Resolution adopted by
this Board of Health, at a meeting thereof, held March 13,
1902, and submitted to and approved by City Council of the
City of Orangeburg March 18th, 1902, and all resolutions
amendatory thereto, be and the same are hereby amended to
read as follows:

Rule 1. That hereafter all owners of real estate within
the corporate limits of the City of Orangeburg, S. C., on which
any house or houses are situated or on which any house or houses
may hereafter be erected, whether the same be business houses or
dwelling houses, occupied by themselves or tenants shall, where
permissible under rules of the Board of Health and the ordinances
of the City of Orangeburg, erect suitable privies for the use of
the occupants of any such house or houses. Such privies shall be
so constructed as to allow the free use of privy boxes or pails
as herein prescribed. All such privies shall be erected at least
ten feet from any ditch used as a drain and at least fifteen feet
from any street, and shall have hinged covers for each hole; and
the backs shall have tight fitting covers, thus rendering the
compartment for receiving the excreta fly proof. All privies now
within the corporate limits of the city which do not conform to
this rule shall forthwith be changed by the owners so as to
conform thereto.

Rule 11. That the owner of any premises within the
corporate limits of the city of Orangeburg, shall supply and keep
supplied all privies used on said premises, whether for his or
her own use or the use of his or her tenants, a box or boxes or
pails placed therein below the seat for the reception of the

privy deposits, which boxes shall be of the following dimentions, to wit: fifteen inches wide, twenty inches long, and ten inches deep, provided that water tight pails of not less than fourteen inches in diameter and not less than twelve inches in depth may be substituted, and provided, that if the boxes or pails are not provided and placed as herein required within ten days after notice so to do, they shall be furnished and placed by the city at the cost and expense of the owner of such premises.

Rule III. That no slop, rubbish or refuse of filthy matters shall be placed in such box or boxes or pails.

Rule IV. That the number of holes and boxes or pails to be provided and supplied at each privy shall be determined by the health inspector.

Rule V. That any person violating or not complying with the provisions of rules I, II and III shall, on conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment, with or without labor, not more than thirty days, in the discretion of the officer trying the case.

Rule VI. That each owner or tenant using any privy or privies within the city limits, shall be required to pay to the City Clerk and Treasurer of the city quarterly, semi-annually or annually in advance, the following sanitary dues or fees:- For each residence, fifty cents per quarter; boarding houses, for regular and transient boarders, fifty cents per privy hole per quarter; hotels, sixty-five cents per privy hole per quarter; factories and shops sixty-five cents per privy hole per quarter; livery stables, stores, and offices fifty cents per privy hole ~~per~~ quarter; and that any person liable therefor who shall fail or refuse to pay the sum of money herein required and provided, including any cost or expense of furnishing and plading any box or boxes, or pails, on demand of the Police

Department of the City, shall on conviction thereof, for each offense, pay a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or be imprisoned, with or without labor, not more than thirty days, in the discretion of the officer trying the case.

Resolved further that only such resolutions or parts of resolutions heretofore adopted by the Board of Health of the City of Orangeburg as are in conflict with this resolutions are repealed.

Adopted by the Board of Health of the City of Orangeburg the twentieth day of February ^{March} A. D. 1918.

[Signature]
President Board Health.

Attest:

[Signature]
Secretary Board Health.

R E S O L U T I O N.

RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg in Council Assembled:

First: That the foregoing Resolution and Rules thereunder adopted by the Board of Health of the City of Orangeburg on ^{Feb. 20, 1918} Feby. 20, 1918, be and the same are hereby approved and confirmed.

Second: That said Resolution and Rules thereunder shall have the force and effect of an ordinance of the City of Orangeburg.

Adopted this 3 day of ^{April} ~~February~~ A. D. 1918.

[Signature]
Mayor of the City of Orangeburg.
[Signature]
[Signature]
Councilmen of the City of
Orangeburg.

Attest:

[Signature]
City Clerk and Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

Council Chamber.

May 10, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held
Friday May 10, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present The Mayor. Hon. Robert Lide.
 Councilmen A.O. Watson
 R.R. Bruner.

City Clerk submitted financial statement of receipts and disbursements of his office for Month of April 1918, which was received as information by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Report of Chief of Police:- for April 1918.

No. Arrests	58
Fines and forfeitures	\$1.300
Days on Public Works	95
Transferred to Magistrate	1

Received as information:-

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Communication from Dr. Vance W. Brabham tendering his resignation as a member of Board of Health was read and action postponed.

The Mayor stated that a Committee of the Kings Daughters had called upon him relative to the co-operation of this organization with Dr. Vance W. Brabham, County Health Officer in employing a City nurse. Dr. Brabham not having necessary funds at his disposal to pay all of required salary he suggested that the Kings Daughters make a contribution and by this means a nurse could be employed. The Kings Daughters asked of City an additional appropriation of \$10.00 per month to assist them in financing this proposition.

per month Councilman Moved that City Council appropriate \$10.00 in addition to the present appropriation of \$25.00 now paid the Kings Daughters, to be used for the purpose of aiding in the employment of a City Nurse. This appropriation to be allowed for one year from the employment of nurse and Kings Daughters be requested to make report of activities of said nurse to City Council together with their opinion as to the success of this undertaking.

This motion was carried by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor Councilman Watson and Bruner.

A petition of property owners living on West Calhoun Street asking for the installation of Sewerage on said Street from South Broughton to South Windsor was order filed for future consideration.

Petition of G. Milton Crum and others relative to extension of Water Mains in Green Street from dead end on said street to Padgets Store opposite Cemetary Street; also, that sidewalk be extended from Canal Bridge to Padget Store and Ditch along Green Street be piped on East side of Street, was ordered filed and so much of petition as referred to Water Mains referred to Councilman Watson and paving petition referred to Councilman Bruner for investigation.

Regular Meeting May 10, 1918 continued.

Mr. J. W. Sheriff was present at meeting and requested that some arrangement be made whereby he could convey shavings from his planer across *Barlow* Street to boilers to be used as fuel.

Councilman Bruner offered resolution that permit be granted Mr. J. W. Sheriff to erect a conveyor over *Barlow* street for the purpose of transferring shavings from planer to boiler, that City Attorney after conference with City Engineer be instructed ~~him~~ to draw up necessary contract protection City from all damages. Conveyor to be erected under supervision of City Engineer. The City reserving the right to have said conveyor ^{removed} whenever in their opinion it is deemed necessary to protect public interest.

This resolution was passed by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Council then adjourned.



City Clerk and Treas.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S.C.,

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

May 24, 1918

COUNCIL MET AT 6 P.M.

Present; The Mayor Hon Robt. Lide.
Councilmen R.R. Bruner
A.C. Watson

Communication from Board of Health relative to securing a suitable location at which to dispose of surplus privy deposits that could not be handled by crematory read. Referred to Councilman Bruner for investigation.

Petition from W.W. All & Co asking privilege of installing Gasoline Tank for sale of Gasoline at No. 125 W. Russel St. was read and permission granted provided Ordinance relative thereto be complied with.

Communication from Postal Telegraph Company requesting a reduction in License charged them amounting to \$50.00, for the reason that they had only recently entered the City and their business would for a time be limited in receipts. was considered by council and City Clerk and Treasurer by unanimous vote of Council was authorized to allow a rebate of Twenty Five Dollars on this License.

City Clerk and Treasurer was instructed to issue check for \$10.00 to Postmaster A.C. Ligon as contribution of City towards expense of Sign calling attention to the sale of War Saving Stamps during the campaign to be inaugurated by the Government during the month of June.

City Attorney submitted for approval of Council a resolution relative to the application of Mr J.W. Sheriff submitted to Council at last meeting asking permission to lay a Railroad track and shaving flume across Barton Street, permission for which was granted at that meeting and City Attorney instructed to draw up necessary papers.

Resolution was approved by council by following vote,
Yea The Mayor, Councilman Bruner,

The payment of \$980.00 by City Clerk and Treasurer to Skinnex Engine Company in settlement for Cylinder and Piston Head for Engine No. 9207 in order to have prompt shipment of same, was approved by following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Council authorized the purchase of a Switchboard and panel and regulator costing approximately \$1,550.00 from Westinghouse Electric Company by following vote

Yea The Mayor Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

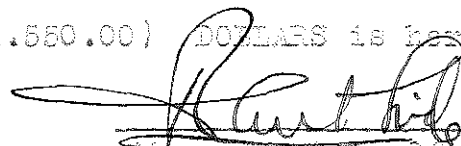
Extension of electric service on Dutton Street at a cost of \$57.00 and Broadwell Street at a cost of \$75.00 ordered.

Extension of Water mains and building sidewalk on Green Street for which petition was presented at last meeting was discussed and it was deemed advisable to postpone same at this time as funds were not available.

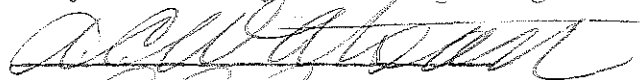
No further business Council adjourned.


City Clerk and Treas

RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ORANGEBURG IN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED
that the purchase of Electric Switchboards and Voltage Regulators
from the Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Company at a cost of
FIFTEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY (\$1,550.00) DOLLARS is hereby authorized.



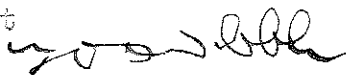
Mayor of City of Orangeburg S.C.



Councilmen City of Orangeburg

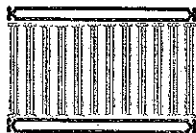
S.C.

Attest



City Clerk and Treas.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
ORANGEBURG
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
AND AGRICULTURE
FOR YEAR 1918



OFFICERS

FRANK C. BRYANT, President
DR. W. R. LOWMAN, Vice President W. C. WOLFE, Vice President
W. W. BARR, JR., Secretary

BOARD of DIRECTORS

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B. KAHNWEILER	J. T. LILES
W. A. LIVINGSTON	J. M. SIFLY
L. E. WILLIAMS	

Like all other businesses and industries, the Chamber of Commerce has had to meet new problems incident to the successful closing of the war. Our commercial and industrial activities have necessarily been restricted under the ruling of the Government relative to new non-essential industries.

From time to time throughout the year, we have aided in the numerous campaigns for funds for the government, and for organizations allied with the Army and Navy, such as the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., United War Work Campaign and others, also the Liberty Loan campaigns, and the War Savings Stamps campaign.

GET-TOGETHER-DAY

Probably brought more people to Orangeburg than has ever been here before, people coming from as far as Charleston and Columbia and all over lower South Carolina, mainly to see the big league baseball game between the Boston Nationals and the New York Americans, which was a very fine exhibition of professional ball, the game here was said to have been one of the very best played on the entire trip. Although, we went to great expense in having sufficient seating capacity erected, and had Orangeburg's famous artillery band here at our expense for the occasion, we had clear after paying all advertising and other expenses, the amount derived from the sale of the lumber, less a small overdraft, netting us the sum of \$68.97.

COMMUNITY CANNERY

Was built and equipped jointly by the Chamber of Commerce and Mr. F. C. Bryant, for the benefit of the people of Orangeburg and vicinity. Heretofore, many fruits and vegetables have been spoiling by not being canned, and one of the purposes of giving the people this service was to prevent that as much as possible. The work was done very reasonably, the supply however, was insufficient to pay expenses. The equipment is good for future use, and is an asset of the Chamber of Commerce.

RESERVE MILITIA

Popularly known as the "Home Guards" was organized by the Chamber of Commerce to protect this City, County and Section in case of necessity during the war, the other military organizations from the State having been ordered to the front. This affords excellent training for its members, and is well and ably officered by Captain W. C. Crum, and Lieutenants S. Wannamaker and F. P. Schiffler.

REDPATH'S CHAUTAUQUAS

Was handled by the Chamber of Commerce. This most excellent institution has been so long established that its value is known to all. To keep the burden from a few of the hundred guarantors from having to sell all of the tickets, it was in a called meeting of the guarantors decided to divide the tickets up equally between them so that each could sell any extra tickets that they may have, after having supplied their own uses. The Chautauqua was a financial success this year, the Chamber of Commerce and the Dixie Club by agreement each receiving the sum of \$80.05. The contract was again signed by a hundred guarantors for next year, and the Chau-

tauqua will return, under the same financial agreement as above indicated.

STAR RURAL MOTOR ROUTES

In order to get these routes started, the Orangeburg Chamber of Commerce appropriated funds so that a trip could be made over each of the then proposed routes, namely from Orangeburg to Charleston, Orangeburg to Columbia, and from Orangeburg to Augusta, and an appropriately worked post card was dropped in each mail box along the several routed informing the people of the benefits to be derived from the establishment of these lines, and asking their patronage. These trips were all made, cards dropped and much benefit is thought to have arisen from this work. The road to Charleston was found to be impracticable for the trucks to go over. The routes to Columbia and Augusta were established, and ran for a time, but have temporarily been discontinued so that lighter trucks could be substituted for the heavy and cumbersome trucks first sent by the government. The success of these routes means a great deal more to the framers than they imagine, and an educational campaign should be put on, so that personal contact or meetings could be held in every community along the routes, but such a campaign would take lots of time and much money.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

While not under U. S. control, was nevertheless operated in close connection with the office of Mr. H. L. Tilghman, State Director of Labor, during the war. The names of many applicants for government work were sent in through us, and we handled lots of newspaper articles for them relative to openings for laborers.

LABOR BOARD

Was organized and appointed under direction of State Director Tilghman to facilitate the "work or fight" order and labor troubles in general for this County. Mr. J. W. Smoak, was made Chairman; Mr. W. E. Atkinson and Mr. T. J. Jackson members of same. They performed their numerous duties well and faithfully.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Showing the wholesale and retail prices of groceries usually used were published during the exigency for the occasion, for the benefit of all customers.

COUNCIL OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

Was reorganized during the year with Major Havelock Eaves, of the Orange Cotton Mills as Chairman, Dr. V. W. Brabham, Vice Chairman and Mr. W. W. Barr, Jr., as Secretary. Co-workers were appointed in each township throughout The County. The enforcement of the building restrictions and handled by them. This body will handle such matters as come before it requiring their attention.

ORANGEBURG COUNTY AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION

Was organized by the Chamber of Commerce, co-operating with the field representative of the South Carolina Automobile Association. The purposes of this organization are obvious. The officers are as follows: W. E. Atkinson, President; G. M. Seignious, Vice President and Mr. J. Roth Sally, Secretary. The popular movement recently started for permanent highways throughout the State will probably receive their most hearty co-operation.

WAR GARDEN CAMPAIGN

Was successfully conducted under the management of Mr. R. F. Walker, who took much interest in the success of the work. Their record was worthy of emulation.

A R E S O L U T I O N.

WHEREAS J. W. Sheriff has applied to the City Council of the City of Orangeburg for a permit to lay and maintain a four (4) inch steam pipe across and under Barton Street in said City at the point on said Street where the applicant owns property on both sides of said Street; to lay, use and maintain at such point an industrial railroad track across said Barton Street, and also to erect, operate and maintain over and across said Street a shaving flume.

NOW BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg:

Section 1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said J. W. Sheriff,

First: To lay and maintain a four inch steam pipe across and under Barton Street in said City at or near where the property of the said J. W. Sheriff is located on both sides of said Street, provided that said pipe is laid in a concrete conduit, and is so laid as not to obstruct the gutters and drains in said Street, or in any way to injure or damage the surface of said Street.

Second: To lay, operate and maintain over and across said Barton Street at the point where the said J. W. Sheriff has property located on both sides of said Street, and on the grade of said Street, an industrial railroad track.

Third: To erect, maintain and operate over and across said Barton Street at the point on said Street where the said J. W. Sheriff owns property on both sides of said Street, a "shaving flume" to be made of wood or sheet iron, provided that it, as well as the steam pipe and industrial railroad track above mentioned, be so constructed as not to interfere with travel and traffic on, over or across the said Barton Street, and provided further that the bottom of said flume shall be at least

seventeen (17) feet above the grade of the said Barton Street.

Section 11. That said steam pipe, industrial railroad and shaving flume shall be constructed out of good material and in a substantial and workmanlike manner, and shall be laid, constructed, installed, maintained and operated by and under the regulations and ordinances of the City of Orangeburg, and under the supervision of the City Engineer, and subject to the approval of the City Council of the City of Orangeburg.

Section 111. In consideration of the rights and privileges herein granted the said J. W. Sheriff, his successors, heirs or assigns, shall hold and hereby agrees to hold the City of Orangeburg free and harmless from all damages or claims for damages arising by reason of the negligent laying, erection, construction, operation or maintenance of said steam pipe, industrial railroad and shaving flume, or on account of defects in said Street caused by such negligent acts.

Section 1V. The acceptance in writing of this resolution duly executed by the said J. W. Sheriff shall be filed with the Clerk of the City of Orangeburg, and this resolution shall be in force from the date of its adoption and the filing in the office of the Clerk of said City of his written acceptance hereof.

Adopted and Ratified by the City Council or the City of
Orangeburg, S. C. this 24th day of May A.D. 1918.

Mayor of the City of Orangeburg.

Councilmen of the City of
Orangeburg.

Attest:

City Clerk and Treasurer.

I hereby accept, under the terms, limitations and conditions of the foregoing resolution, the rights and privileges thereby granted unto me.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

June 14, 1918

Council met at 6 P.M. Regular meeting.

Present:-

The Mayor	Hon. Robert Lide
Councilmen	A.O. Watson
	R.R. Bruner

City Clerk and Treasurer submitted report of receipts and disbursements of his office for the month of May 1918, which was received as information by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Report of Chief of Police for Month of May as follows:-

Number of arrests	25
Fines and forfeitures	\$128.00
Days on Public Works	114
Transferred to magistrate	2
U.S. Marshall	1

Received as information :-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

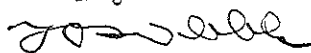
Application from Orangeburg Coca Cola Bottling Co for permission to install Bowser Gasoline Tank of 550 gals capacity for storage of gasoline on their property 28 S. Broughton Street, Granted.

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

Petition of Santee Mills for revision of rates charged for water service supplying mill village was read and action on same postponed.

Engineer Hawes reported Reservoir No. 1 at New Plant was completed May 31, 1918 and council discussed matters relative to connecting same with the new system at as early date as possible and the abandonment of the old plant as soon as pump is installed and reservoir connected.

No further business council adjourned.


City Clerk and Treas.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

June 19, 1918

Council met in special session at 10 A.M.

The object of meeting was for the purpose of discussing special paving for which \$10.000 has been set aside from funds borrowed in March .

AN ORDINANCE TO LEVY ASSESSMENTS UPON ABUTTING PROPERTY FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING FOR PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS ON STREETS, SIDEWALKS OR PARTS OF EITHER, PROPOSED TO BE IMPROVED IMMEDIATELY, ABUTTING SAID PROPERTY. was read and passed first reading by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Bruner.

Councilman Watson was absent from this meeting.

Meeting then adjourned.

John W. Bruner
City Clerk and Treas.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

June 26, 1918

Council met at 6 P.M.

Present:- Hon Robt. Tide Mayor
 A.O. Watson
 R.P. Bruner Councilmen.

Resolution authorizing Standard Oil Co N.J. to erect pump building on their lot on Mill Street was unanimously passed.

Whereas, the Standard Oil Company (N.J.) has made application for a permit to erect on their lot located within the corporate limits of the Town of Orangeburg S.C. a pump house 12 x 12 x 10 Wood and John Marville Roofing:-

It is resolved that permission be and the same is hereby granted the Standard Oil Company (N.J.) to erect said construction in accordance with said application.

Application from Jenkins Grocery Company for permission to install gasoline tank of 300 gallons capacity on their store lot corner East Russel and Railroad Ave, property of Adden Bros, referred to Chief of Fire Department with power to allow installation , provided ordinance relative thereto is complied with.

Petition from Santee Mills carried over from meeting June 14th requesting revision of water rates charged for service to Mill Village was discussed and council decided that it was inexpedient to grant same at this time.

AN ORDINANCE, TO LEVY ASSESSMENTS UPON ADJUTING PROPERTY FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING FOR PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS ON STREETS , SIDEWALKS OR PARS OF EITHER, PROPOSED TO BE IMPROVED IMMEDIATELY, ADJUTING SAID PROPERTY, Which passed 1st reading at meeting June 19, 1918 was read in full and passed 2nd reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson & Bruner.

A resolution relating to the permanent improvement of Streets and Sidewalks in the City of Orangeburg was discussed but no action taken at this meeting.

No further business Council adjourned.

City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG . S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

July 10, 1918

Council met at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. Robert Lide
	Councilmen	R.R. Bruner
		A.C. Watson

City Clerk and Treasurer submitted report of financial transactions of his office for the month of June 1918, which was received as information by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Report of Chief of Police for month of June 1918 as follows:-

Number arrests	38
Fines and forfeitures	\$361.50
Days on public works	23

Received as information by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO LEVY ASSESSMENTS ON ADJUTING PROPERTY FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING FOR PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS ON STREETS, SIDE-WALKS OR PARTS OF THEREOF, PROPOSED TO BE IMPROVED IMMEDIATELY ADJUTING SAID PROPERTY, Which received 1st reading June 19th and second reading June 24, 1918 was read third time and passed by Council and ordered engrossed by following vote:-

Yea, The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

The Mayor stated that the Policemen had requested an increase of salary owing to the increased cost of living at this time and suggested that action on this petition be acted upon, whereupon Councilman Watson moved that salaries of Policemen be increased to \$90.00 per month to take effect from July 15, 1918, which resolution was passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

A communication from W.W. Barr Jr, Secty Chamber of Commerce relative to complaints received by that body from citizens claiming that they were not getting a square deal from dealers in Ice of the City and asking for relief, was read, (communication attached to these minutes)

At the suggestion of the Mayor a special meeting of Council was ordered for Monday afternoon July 22nd, City Clerk instructed to request the attendance at this meeting of all Ice Dealers of the City, representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and citizens interested in order that this matter be thoroughly discussed and Council be in position to apply whatever remedy necessary to correct evil complained of.

City Clerk was instructed to advise the public through the press that water would be cut off on Thursday morning July 18th in order that connection could be made with new reservoir at River Plant for a few days and requesting that during this period that consumption of water be reduced to the minimum.

No further business Council adjourned.

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at Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

July 15-1918

Council met at 6 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon. Robert Lide.
 Councilmen A.C. Watson
 R.R. Bruner

Meeting was held in accordance with decision of Council at meeting July 16 to discuss the ice situation .

Meeting was attended by practically all of the ice dealers in the City and Chamber of Commerce was represented by Secty W.W. Barr.

Letter from Chamber of Commerce to Council in reference to complaints as to the handling of ice by dealers was read by City Clerk; after which a general discussion was entered into.

Prices charged for ice in City are as follows:-

Orbg Ice Mfg Co.

To Consumers (at plant)	Pr 200 lbs	.75
	100 "	.40

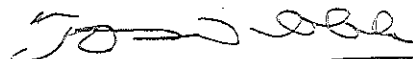
RETAILERS:-

To consumers	" 150 "	.25 cash
		.30 credit
22 to 25 lbs		.15
7 " 8 "		.05

All retailers sell 5 ¢ worth at their ice houses and some from wagon.

The mayor stated that Council had no authority to fix price on ice that was a matter to be agreed upon between dealer and customer and that he thought that after the complaints of the citizens and the position taken by the dealers as disclosed by discussion of this subject were known to all present that he was satisfied that matter would adjust itself and advised Secty of Chamber of Commerce that he would leave the subject in his hands and if any further complaints were made he could advise Council and they would be glad to investigate same.

No further business council adjourned.


 City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

July 26, 1918

Council met at 6 P.M.

Present:-

The Mayor
CouncilmanHon. Robert Lide.
A.C. Watson

AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE SUPPLIES AND MAKE APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET THE LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C., FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING ~~OCTOBER 1~~, 1918 AND ENDING ~~SEPTEMBER~~ MARCH 31, 1919, was read once by title and passed 1st reading.

Vote Yea the Mayor Councilman Watson.

A resolution relating to the permanent improvement of Streets and Sidewalks in the City of Orangeburg was offered by Councilman Bruner and passed by following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilman ~~Bruner~~. Watson

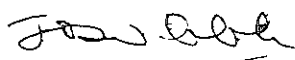
(Resolution attached to these minutes)

Petition From E.E. Culler & Son requesting permission to install Gasoline tank on St John's Street at their place of business granted .

Yea The Mayor, Councilman ~~Bruner~~. Watson

Councilman Watson offered a resolution the the Superintendent of the Water and Light Plant be authorized to purchase additional meter now needed for water and electric service and that the City Clerk and Treasurer be instructed to place monies received from the sale of old machinery of abandoned Plant in a separate account in Bank and be authorized to apply as much of said special deposit to the payment for such meters and the installation of same as may be necessary ; this resolution was passed.


Yea The Mayor Councilman Watson.


City Clerk and Treas.


extent, unless a portion of said block has already been permanently improved, and the petition seeks the improvement of the balance of the block.

Fifth: That preference may be given such petitions as allege that the petitioners desire to pay assessment in cash, and also preference may be given to such as request only curbing improvements.

Adopted and Ratified in Council Assembled this 15th
day of July 1918.



Mayor of the City of Orangeburg.



Councilman of the City of
Orangeburg.

Attest:



City Clerk and Treasurer.

A RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT OF
STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg
in Council Assembled:

First: That petitions for permanent improvements on the streets
or sidewalks of the City of Orangeburg as authorized by an
ordinance of said City, shall be substantially in the following
form:

"TO THE CORPORATE AUTHORITIES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG:

We, the undersigned, property owners of the property abutting
upon _____ from _____
to _____ respectfully petition your
Honorable Body, to make permanent improvements upon said street
or sidewalks, upon which said property abutts, under the provision
of Act Number 75 of the Acts of the General Assembly of South
Carolina, 1915, and an ordinance of the City of Orangeburg
passed pursuant thereto, as follows:

and levy an assessment upon said property for the purpose of
paying for said improvements as provided by law, and we hereby
consent to the ordering of said improvements and levy."

Second: That such petitions shall be filed with the City
Clerk and Treasurer, and shall be submitted by him to City Council
and considered by them in the order filed.

Third: That preference shall be given petitions requesting
improvements on such streets or sidewalks that lead to public
places, and then to such petitions as request improvement of
streets or sidewalks as are most frequently travelled.

Fourth: That no petition will be considered that requests
improvement on street or sidewalks for less than one block in

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & AGRICULTURE

Orangeburg, S.C., July 12, 1918.

Hon. Robert Mide,

Mayor of City of Orangeburg, S.C.

Dear Sir:

Many complaints have been made about the local ice situation, and we desire the City Council to take some action for the relief of the public at their next meeting.

I visited the plant of the Orangeburg Ice Manufacturing Company yesterday, and weighed some of the out-going ice myself, and saw more weighed. It averaged over 200 pounds to the block. Anyhow, a scale is on the platform, and any ice bought of them may be weighed by the purchaser, if he has any reason whatever to suspect that he is not getting the full weight. That seems fair enough. I was informed that the Ice Company charged sixty cents per block (200 pounds) for same.

After conferring with the Honorable Frank C. Bryant, President of the Chamber of Commerce, we have decided to ask City Council to pass an ordinance at their next meeting embodying the following principles:

(1) Require wagons delivering ice to carry suitable scales for weighing same, so that purchasers will only have to pay for the actual amount that they receive.

(2) Require dealers handling ice to send out delivery wagons once a day, covering all parts of the City, so that every street and section of the City will be covered.

(3) Require ice delivery wagons to sell as little as five cents worth, based on the proportional price.

Ice is a necessity, and is needed by the poor as well as the rich. The poor cannot afford to buy it in large quantities, nor can they afford to have refrigerators. Now, during mid-summer, while the weather is hot, it is not improbable that if they could obtain ice in small quantities, their health would be much better, their cost of living reduced, their lives made more pleasant, and their power of resistance of germs and diseases made stronger.

We are taking this position for the general welfare of the City, and hope that you will soon give the long suffering people the relief that they have a right to expect.

Yours very truly,

W. W. Barr, Jr.
Secretary.

ROBERT LIDE,
MAYOR

A. C. WATSON, R. R. BRUNER,
COUNCILMEN

T. O. S. DIBBLE,
CLERK AND TREASURER

City of Orangeburg

Commission Form of Government

COUNCIL CHAMBER

Orangeburg, S. C.

July 12, 1918

Mr. W. W. Barr, Jr, Secty

Chamber of Commerce

Orangeburg S.C.

Dear Sir:-

Your communication relative to the ice situation was submitted to City Council at a meeting held this evening . Council has decide to hold a special meeting at City Hall on Monday July 15, 1918 ,which meeting the Ice Dealers of the City have been invited to attend and the Chamber of Commerce are also invited to be represented as well as any citizen interested. The meeting will be held at 6 P.M.

very truly yours

City Clerk

City of Orangeburg

Commission Form of Government

COUNCIL CHAMBER

Orangeburg, S. C.

July 12, 1918

Mr.

Orangeburg S.C.

Dear Sir.

Complaint has been made to City Council concerning the method of retailing ice in the City by Chamber of Commerce and others and it is desired by the City Council that all parties concerned be heard before any actionⁿ is taken in the matter in order that no injustice may be done.

Therefore all of the Ice Dealers are requested to meet the City Council to discuss this matter on Monday July 15th at 6 P.M. at City Hall.

Representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and any interested Citizen are also invited to be present.

By Order of City Council


City Clerk.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCILCHAMBER.

Aug. 23, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held
Friday August 23, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present	Hon. Robert Lide	Mayor
	A.O. Watson	
	R.R. Bruner	Councilmen.

Financial report of City Clerk and Treasurer for month of August was submitted and received as information by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Report of Chief of Police for July, 1918, was submitted.

No arrests	54
Fines and Forfeitures	\$252.50
Days on Public Works	35
Transferred to Magistrate	1

Received as information

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE KEEPING OF UNSANITARY STABLES WITHIN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. was read 1st time and passed to second reading by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE PERSONS ENGAGED IN LAUNDERING OR WASHING CLOTHES FOR THE PUBLIC TO OBTAIN HEALTH CERTIFICATE, was read 1st time and passed to second reading by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

A delegation from various churches in the City consisting of Major A.C. Dibble, Messrs W.B. Thompson and G.V. Zeigler were present for the purpose of requesting Council to have the electric current shut off for one minute at 9 O'Clock every evening during the term of the war, this minute to be used as a period of Prayer by the people of City for our soldiers and sailors engaged in the present great world war.

On motion of Councilman Watson this request was unanimously granted and the Mayor advised these gentlemen that he would issue a proclamation calling attention of our people to this action by Council.

Application from Caro-Cola Bottling Company for permission to install Gasoline tank on property used by them on North Church Street, Rear, was referred to Engineer Hawes, City Clerk instructed to advise them that installation would be permitted if City Ordinances relative to such installations were complied with.

Councilman Watson moved that salary of Health Officer be raised to \$85.00 per month and that he be furnished with a uniform. Passed.

Yea The Mayor. Councilman Watson.

Councilman Bruner not voting.

Regular Meeting August 26, 1918,

continued.

By Councilman Watson:-

Resolved by City Council of Orangeburg S.C. in Council assembled that after October 1, 1918 the rates charged for water and electric current be revised and from that date following rates be charged. to wit:-

Electric Current.

7 cents per K.W.H. for first 50 K.W.H. per month consumed
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 4 " " " " " " 200 " " " "
 3 " " " " " all in excess of 350 K.W.H. "

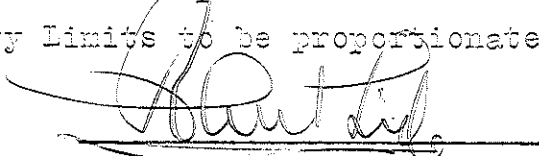
Water.

25 cents per 100 cubic feet for first 5,000 cubic feet per month
 20 " " 100 " " " the next 10,000 cu.ft " "
 17 1/2 ¢ " 100 " " " all in excess of 15,000 cubic feet per month used.

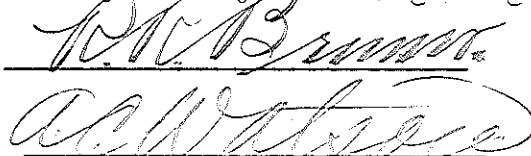
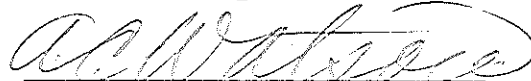
Service charge to remain the same as required by contracts now in force.

Same discount allowed as at present.

Services out of City Limits to be proportionately raised.



Mayor City of Orangeburg

Councilmen City of Orangeburg.

Passed by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

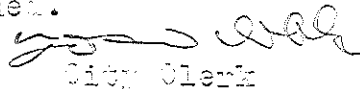
AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE SUPPLIES AND MAKE APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET THE LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C., FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1918 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1919, which passed first reading at regular meeting July 26th, 1918 was read in full and passed second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

A petition from a majority of the property owners of property abutting upon South Sellers Avenue, from South Broughton Street to Southern Railway, on the South side of said Street, petitioning Council to lay curbing along the sidewalk on South side of Sellers Avenue from South Broughton Street to Southern Railway under the provisions of an Ordinance of City Council passed July 16, 1918, was read and petition granted.

Note Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner

Council Then adjourned.



City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Sept. 13, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held Friday Sept., 13, 1918 at 6.30 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. Robt Lide.
	Councilmen	A.C. Watson
		R.R. Bruner

City Clerk and Pres. submitted statement of receipts and disbursements for month of August which were received as information by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting Aug. 28, approved as read by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Report of Chief of Police for Month of August 1918,

Number arrests	93
Fines and Forfeitures	\$792.50
Days on Public Works	33

Received as information:

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE SUPPLIES AND MAKE APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET THE LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1918 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1919, was read thinn third time and passed and ordered, ratified by following vote::

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE PERSONS ENGAGED IN LAUNDERING OR WASHING CLOTHES FOR THE PUBLIC, TO OBTAIN ADMISSION CERTIFICATES; passed second reading by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE KEEPING OF UNSANITARY STABLES WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, passed second reading, by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Following petitions for stone curbing and paving under the provisions of an Ordinance of The City of Orangeburg passed July 10, 1918 were received and referred to Councilman Bruner.

From abutting property owners on East side of Green Street, for Cement walk and curbing and one from abutting property owners on Sellers Avenue from Doyle to Elliott Street, on North side of said Street.

Councilman Bruner reported that Sunnyside ditch had been cleaned out and was in good condition.

REGULAR MEETING SEPT. 13, 1918. continued.

Mayor Lide reported to Council that Policeman F.M. De Mars had resigned from the force, and that Policeman W. M. Anderson had also handed in his resignation effective Sept. 15th. He nominated Messrs M.T. Lewis and W.J. Dawkins to fill vacancies caused by these resignations. Messrs Lewis and Dawkins were unanimously elected.

A proposition having been submitted to City Council by the Orangeburg Bathing Company proposing to lease a portion of City Park property, on banks of Edisto River, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining a bathing pool for the accommodation of the public, the City Clerk read a lease which had been tendered Council for their consideration.


After a full discussion of proposed lease the following resolution was offered by Councilman Watson.


RESOLVED. The proposed lease of the City of Orangeburg to the Orangeburg Bathing Company having been read and duly considered, now be it resolved:-


FIRST. That the City of Orangeburg agrees to lease the premises described in said proposed lease to the said Orangeburg Bathing Company under the terms, conditions, limitations and stipulations set forth in said lease.

SECOND. That the Honorable Robert Lide, Mayor, of the City of Orangeburg, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute said lease on behalf of the City of Orangeburg attested by the City Clerk and Treasurer of said City, and affix thereto the seal of said City.

Adopted and ratified by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, S.C. in Council assembled this thirteenth day of September, A.D. 1918.



Mayor


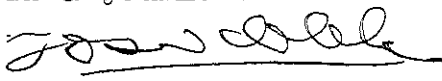


Councilmen

This resolution was passed by following vote:

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner

No further business Council adjourned.



City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.
COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Sept. 27, 1918.

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday
September 27, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present :- Hon. Robert Lide Mayor

A.C. Watson
R.R. Bruner

Councilmen. *Sept 13*

Minutes of proceedings at meeting Aug 28th read and approved.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE KEEPING OF UNSANITARY STABLES
WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, which pas-
sed its first reading on Aug 28, 1918; second reading Sept. 13, 1918,
passed third reading and was ratified by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE PERSONS ENGAGED IN LAUNDERING OR WASH-
ING OF CLOTHES FOR THE PUBLIC, TO OBTAIN HEALTH CERTIFICATES,
which passed first reading on Aug 28; second on Sept. 13th, pas-
sed third reading and was ratified by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE ALL PERSONS WITHIN THE CITY OF OR-
ANGEBURG, CAPABLE OF SO DOING, TO REGULARLY AND CONTINUOUSLY EN-
GAGE IN SOME USEFUL LABOR, WORK, EMPLOYMENT, PROFESSION OR BUSINESS,
AND TO REQUIRE IDENTIFICATION CARDS, AND TO PROVIDE PUNISHMENT
FOR THOSE FAILING TO DO SO, was read by title and passed to second
reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Petition from property Owners on South side of Hampton
Street for cement sidewalk and granite curb under the abutting
property Ordinance was read and referred to Councilman Bruner.

No further business council adjourned

Robert Lide
City Clerk and Treas.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Sept. 30, 1918

Minutes of proceedings at special meeting of City Council
held on Monday Sept. 30, 1918 at 1.30 P.M.

Present :- The Mayor Hon Robert Lide
 Councilmen A.O. Watson
 R.L. Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE ALL PERSONS WITHIN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, CAPABLE OF SO DOING, TO REGULARLY AND CONTINUOUSLY ENGAGE IN SOME USEFUL LABOR, WORK, EMPLOYMENT, PROFESSION OR BUSINESS, AND TO REQUIRE LABOR IDENTIFICATION CARDS, AND TO PROVIDE PUNISHMENT FOR THOSE FAILING TO DO SO. was read in full and passed to second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

By Councilman Watson: 5

Resolved, that from October 1st 1918 the salary of City Clerk and Treasurer shall be fixed at \$140.00 per month. Passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, councilmen Watson and Bruner.

City Clerk instructed to notify Chief Police, City Engineer, Supt. Water and Light Plant, Supt Streets, and Health Officer that they were expected to attend all regular meetings of City Council and that the Chief of ~~Police~~ ^{Fire} or his Assistant Chief was expected to attend the meetings held on the second Friday of the Month.

No Further business Council adjourned.

[Signature]
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Oct.11,1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held
Friday October 11,1918 at 6 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon.Robert Lide
 Councilmen A.C.Watson
 R.R.Bruner.

Minutes of Regular Meeting Sept.27th and extra meeting Sept.30th read and approved .

Dr C.L.Green having resigned as Chairman of Board of Health on account of his having been commissioned in the Medical Reserve Corps of the United States Army and ordered on duty, and as the terms of office of Dr.V.W.Brabham and Mr.Lewis E Williams having expired as members of said Board of Health, the Mayor made following nominations to Council for Board of Health:-

Chairman	Dr.Vance W.Brabham.	Term	three years
Members	Mr.Jas.M.Brailsford	"	Two "
	Mr.L.E.Williams	"	One "

All to serve from this date.

These Nominations were approved by Councilmen Watson and Bruner and City Clerk was instructed to notify these gentlemen at once of the action of Council.

By resolution offered by Councilmen Watson, City Clerk and Treasurer was instructed and authorized to purchase \$5000.00 of Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds of the United States Government, funds for payment of same to be taken from the Sinking Fund of the City. This resolution was carried by following vote:-

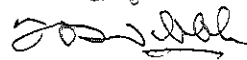
Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

(See resolution attached.

Supt Water and Light Plant was instructed to purchase a recording guage to measure water pressure and install same in city Clerks Office.

Supt.Streets Kennehy was instructed to have clay placed at the ends where brick street pavings stop in the different streets, and the dirt roads commence.

No Further business Council adjourned.


City Clerk

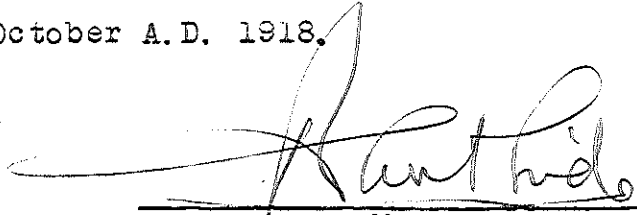
A R E S O L U T I O N.

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, in Council Assembled:

1. That Five Thousand (\$5000.00) Dollars of the Sinking Fund of the City of Orangeburg be invested in Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds of the United States.

11. That the City Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Orangeburg be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds of the United States to the amount of Five Thousand (\$5000.00) Dollars out of the Sinking Fund of said City.

DONE AND RATIFIED by City Council in Council Assembled this eleventh day of October A.D. 1918.



Mayor



Councilmen.

Attest:



City Clerk & Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

Council chamber.

Nov. 8, 1918

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held Friday November 8, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present :- The Mayor Hon Robert Lide.
Councilman A.C. Watson.

Minutes of meeting Oct 11, 1918 read and approved.

Financial report of City Clerk and Treas. for Month of September 1918 was submitted and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for month of October 1918 :-

Number Arrests 56
Fines and Forfeiture \$439.00
No. Days on Street none

Received as information.

Following application was submitted to Council and approved by following vote :-

Yea the Mayor and Councilman Watson.

To the City Council,
City of Orangeburg S.C.

Gentlemen:-

Application is hereby made by the undersigned to enter the public Storm Sewer in front of my property No. 79 West Russel Street, with a sewer connection for two (2) Kitchen sinks and (1) Lavatory, It being understood that if a nuisance is made from this connection, that connection will be cut off.

And further that when a public Sanitary Sewer is built in front of this property that I, my heirs or assigns will abandon this connection and tap the Sanitary Sewer.

Yours truly

Signed, C.W. Spahr

Owner of property No. 79 W. Russel St.

Application from W.W. All & Co to install 1000 gal. tank for gasolime at 127 West Russel Street in accordance with City Ordinances, was approved by following vote:-

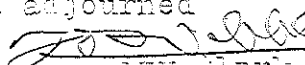
Yea The Mayor and Councilman Watson.

Open field on City Park property was rented to Mr. J.R. Courtney for \$10.00 to October 1st 1919.

City Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for Street Sweepings and Compost on the City from paved Streets and City Stables, Bids to be handed City Clerk by 12 M. Friday November 22nd 1918.

The Mayor notified Council of the resignation of Mr. M.T. Lewis from Police force. Council elected Mr. J.M. Edwinc to fill vacancy.

No further business Council adjourned


City Clerk.

City of Orangeburg

Commission Form of Government

COUNCIL CHAMBER

Orangeburg, S. C. November 1 St. 1918

To The City Council

City Of Orangeburg S.C.

Gentlemen;

Application is hereby made by the undersigned to enter the Public "STORM" Sewer in front of my property No. 79 West Russell Street, with a Sewer connection for two (2) Kitchen sinks, and One (1) Lavratory,

It being understood that if a nuicence is made from this connection, that connection will be cut off.

And furthur that when a Public " SANITARY" sewer is built in front of this property that I, my Heirs or Assigns will abandon this connection and tap the Sanitary Sewer.

Yours Very Truly.



Owner of property No. 79 W. Russell Street

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Nov.2,1918

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held Friday November 22,1918 at 6 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon Robert Lide,
Councilmen A.C.Watson
R.R.Bruner.

Minutes of Meeting Nov.8,1918 read and approved.

City Treasurer submitted financial report for month of ~~Oct~~ October 1918 which was received as information.

City Clerk read notice which was published in City papers calling for bids for compost from City Stables and Street Sweepings, to be opened at this meeting.

One bid was submitted from Mr.W.W.Watson as follows:-

For Compost	\$125.00
For Sweepings	100.00
	<u>\$225.00</u>

which was accepted by Council by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

City Clerk and Treas.was authorized to pay note due on incinerator amounting to \$1,500.00 due Dec.1,1918.

The Orangeburg County Fair Association were allowed to collect all Licenses ,except Transfer and Dray, as has been the custom,during the term of the approaching County Fair, by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor,Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

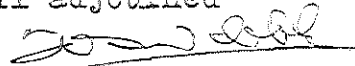
Salary of Mr.W.B.Way ,who has charge of City Stables and distribution of Disinfectants was increased to \$10.00 per week.

Yea The Mayor,Councilman Watson and Bruner.

M.M.T.Lewis was elected Street Overseer to fill vacancy occasioned by resignation of Mr John C.Kennerly,at a salary of One Hundred Dollars per month,from Nov.1,1918, Vote.

The Mayor,Councilman Watson and Bruner.

No further business Council adjourned


City Clerk

UNIONHILL TOWN.

Sealed bids will be received at office of City Clerk and Treas. up to 12 M. November 18, 1918 for the street sweepings on paved streets, also, for compost from City Stables, for year commencing December 1, 1918 and ending December 1, 1919.

Payment to be made for the above as follows:- One-half on January 15, 1919 and balance on July 15, 1919, or cash for whole amount should successful bidder prefer, Dec. 1, 1918. Should deferred payments be desired, successful bidder to give bond approved by City Council for double amount of bid.

Separate bids required should same party bid for both compost and sweepings.

R. C. B. Dibble

City Clerk and Treas.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Dec. 14, 1918

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held Friday December 14, 1918 at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. Robert Lide,
	Councilmen	A.C. Watson
		R.R. Bruner

City clerk and Treas submitted financial report for month of November which was received as information,

Minutes of proceedings meeting Nov. 22nd read and approved.

Report of Chief of Police:-

No. arrests	122
Fines and Forfeitures	\$1.207.50

Received as information.

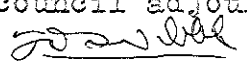
Fire Inspector Geom E. Dorrell tendered his resignation to take effect at once. This was referred to City Atty for opinion before action by City Council.

Following resolution was offered by Councilman Watson and passed .Vote:-

Yea ~~Councilmen~~ The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner

RESOLVED. That the Policemen of the City be paid salaries at the rate of One Hundred Dollars per month until further action of City Council.

There being no further business council adjourned.


City Clerk and Treas.

Resolved that the policeman of the
City be paid salary at the rate of
One hundred dollars per month until
further action of City Council.
from Dec 18

CITY OF ORANGEBURG
COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Dec.27,1918

Minutes of Proceedings of Regular meeting City Council
held Friday December 27,1918 at 6 P.M.

Present.

The Mayor	Hon. Robert Lide
Councilmen	A.C. Watson
	R.R. Bruner

Minutes of meeting Dec 14th read and confirmed.

Mr. J. Ross Fizer, Superintendent of Water and Light Plant, tendered his resignation as such to take effect Jan 15th 1919. Upon motion of Councilman Watson same was accepted. The Mayor requested Councilman Watson to make necessary arrangements to fill vacancy.

Application of 15 abutting property owners on Doyle Street (West Side) for Granite Curb and 6 foot cement side walk was read and same being in compliance with Abutting Property ordinance and also this pavement being very necessary for the use of Children going to School it was the sense of Council that this work be done and upon motion of Councilman Bruner petition was granted and work ordered by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

City Clerk was authorized to pay following taxes, issuing City Check to cover same.

Young America Fire Engine Co	\$10.50
Elliott Hook and Ladder Co	5.25
	<hr/> \$15.75

by following vote :- Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner

A request from The Board of Health in reference to the moving of trash on Russel Street was submitted by Secretary of Board and he was instructed to advise Board that Council will be glad to co-operate, and that if Board would report violations to Chief of Police that they would be attended to.

Resignation of Mr. Geo. B. Dorrel as Fire Inspector which was submitted to Council on Dec. 14th was accepted and Chief James P. Doyle appointed to fill vacancy.

By resolution of City Council Mayor was authorized to borrow \$20,000 for use of City, pledging taxes to be collected during Fiscal year commencing April 1, 1919 and ending March 31, 1920, by following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Bruner and Watson.

(See resolution attached to these minutes)

It was decided that all claims against the City, except stated salaries and appropriations passed by City Council must be approved by Councilman in charge of Department against which claim is made and stated salaries and appropriations to be approved by City Attorney, before payment can be made on same by City Treasurer.

City Treasurer was authorized to pay from City funds Bill of Water and Light Plant for current used on the occasion of the recent meeting of the Schrimers in our City, by unanimous vote of Council. Amount 7 45

No further business Council adjourned.

City Clerk

A R E S O L U T I O N.

Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg in City Council assembled:

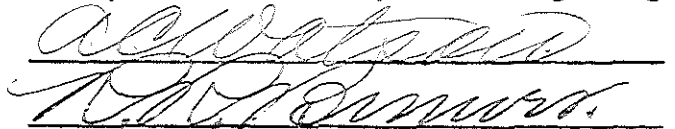
Sec. 1. That the Mayor of the City of Orangeburg be and he hereby is authorized to borrow on the note or notes of said City maturing not later than Dec. 1st, 1919, executed by Hon. Robert Lide, Mayor, and attested by T. O. S. Dibble, City Clerk and Treasurer, bearing interest payable in advance not exceeding per centum per annum, the sum of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for ordinary City purposes, and such other obligations of said City as may be due and may be incurred by said City, until the taxes for the fiscal year 1919-1920 are received.

Sec. 2. That the taxes of said City for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1920, due and payable from the first day of October 1919 to the sixth day of November 1919, are hereby pledged to secure the repayment of the amounts so borrowed.

Adopted and Ratified by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg in Council Assembled this 27th day of December 1919.

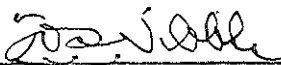


Mayor of the City of Orangeburg



Councilmen.

Attest:



City Clerk & Treasurer.