

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Jan.10,1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held at City Hall ,Friday Jan.10,1919.

Present:-

The Mayor
Councilmen

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

City Clerk and Treas. submitted report of financial transactions of his office for month of December 1918,which was received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for Month of December 1918

No.Arrests	80
Fines and forfeitures	\$653.00
Days on Public Works	40
Trans to Magistrate	5

Received as information.

City Clerk reported that in accordance with action of Council at last meeting \$20.000 had been borrowed from Banks of City payable Nov.15,1919 at 6 % per annum. (see report attached)

This was received as information by unanimous consent.

Councilman Watson who had been requested at last meeting of Council to suggest to Council a Superintendent of Water and Light Plant to fill vacancy occasioned by resignation of J.Ross Fizer,nominated Mr. John F.Pearson at salary of \$2.500 per Annum for ninety days and \$2.750.00 per annum thereafter if services rendered prove satisfactory. Mr.Pearson to take charge Jan.15,1919.

Upon this recommendation of Councilman Watson ,Mr John F.Pearson was elected as Superintendant of Water and Light Plant to take charge Jan. 15 1919 at salary as above indicated,by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Application of Mr.W.Hampton Dukes for permission to install Gasoline Tank at No.13 Wiles Street was authorized subject to the approval of proper City Officials.Vote.

Yea The Mayor,Councilman Watson and Bruner.

Following petitions for curbing and cement side walk were approved and ~~xxxxx~~ work orderd as soon as practicable.

Petition from residents East side of Green Street,filed Aug.27,1918,from east Amelia Street to near Sunnyside Branch, for cement walkand granite curb. Also E. Russell St. Southern Railway
to City limits for cement sidewalk - granite curb

Petition from residents on North and South side of Hampton Street from Middleton to Froughton Streets for cement paving and curbing,faled Sept.27 and Nov.11th respectively.

Petitioners for above having complied with abutting property Ordinance their petitions were approved by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor,Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Messrs.R.Chestnut and C.H.Salvo were present at meeting for the purpose of requesting Council to authorize the construction of water mains on Green Street from its present termination to Corner of ~~Amoyville~~ Cemetary Street as was petitioned by residents on this Street May 10,1918. Mr.Chestnut was advised by Council that if he would secure written guarantee from four property owners that they would connect with mains in this new territory that Council would take the petition under advisement.

AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE THE SALARY OF MAYOR OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS PER ANNUM, received first reading and was passed to second reading by following vote.

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

This Ordinance was submitted to Council by the Mayor who made following remarks in connection with same.

Mayor Lide Stated that it was his intention to resign the office of Mayor of the City as soon as arrangements could be made for the selection of his successor, and that he desired his resignation to become effective upon the selection and qualification of his successor. He stated that he had assumed this office during the war, when he considered it the duty of every citizen to serve the public in any capacity to which he might be called; and that since the cessation of hostilities he considered that ~~he~~ he was relieved from this obligation. He stated that the demands of his private affairs upon his time were such that he did not feel that in justice to himself he could further devote to the duties of the office the necessary time that was required of him.

He asked that it be referred to the City Attorney to look into the law as to the proper method to be followed in the selection of his successor, and that the City Attorney be requested to furnish City Council a written opinion as to the proper course for it to follow.

The action suggested by the Mayor was adopted by City Council, and the City Attorney was requested to furnish such opinion.

The Mayor also stated that when he assumed office the salary fixed by City Council for the Mayor's office was \$600.00 per annum, and that he had declined to have it increased during his time in office. He felt, however, that the City of Orangeburg should pay its Mayor \$1000.00 per Annum, which was the maximum ~~xxxxxx~~ permitted by law for City Council to allow. In order that his successor should not meet the necessity of passing on his own salary he suggested that the City Council now take action to fix the salary of the Mayor hereafter at \$1000 per annum, and that for each councilman \$600.00 per annum.

An ordinance was then presented and action as above taken.

No further business Council adjourned.

T. J. Lide
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Jan.24,1919

Minutes or proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening January 24,1919 at 6 P.M.

Present. The Mayor, Hon. Robert Lide.
Councilman R.R. Bruner

AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE THE SALARY OF MAYOR \$1000.00 PER ANNUM AND COUNCILMEN \$600.00 PER ANNUM, which received 1st reading at meeting Jan.10th 1919, was read second time and passed to third reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO FORBID RIDING BICYCLES OR MOTORCYCLES OR SKATING ON THE PLATFORMS OR CEMENT YARDS OF RAILROADS, AND FORBIDDING LOITERING AROUND DEPOTS OR RAILROAD STATIONS, was read 1st time and passed to second reading by following vote:-

Yea, The Mayor, Councilman Bruner.

City Clerk and Treasurer submitted statement of distribution of sinking fund. Received as information.

City Attorney submitted written opinion relative to procedure required by law as to filling vacancy in City Council, as requested by Council Jan 10, 1919. Received as information and attached to these minutes.

Messrs Bultman, Jordan and M.F. Inabinet as a Committee from Elliott Hook and Ladder Company asked for an increase of appropriation for this Company of the Fire Department to \$125.00 per month on account of increased cost of horse feed and salary of driver, this was referred to Trustees of Firemen's Fund to ascertain if loan could be made from fund under their charge to cover immediate necessities of this company.

No further Business Council adjourned.


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. Jan. 10, 1919

To City Council.

I beg to report that in accordance with action of City Council \$20,000 has been borrowed from Banks of City payable Nov. 15, 1919 at 6 per cent per annum, as follows:-

Bank of Orangeburg	\$4,500.00	
Edisto Nat. Bank	4,000.00	
Peoples Bank	4,000.00	
Farmers Union Bank	2,500.00	
Farmers and Merchants Bank	2,500.00	
Planters Bank	<u>2,500.00</u>	\$20,000.00

Respectfully submitted

T. O. S. Dibble

City Treas.

SINKING FUND AND INTEREST.

1918-19

Assessed valuation real and personal

\$2.121.770

4 3/4 mills levy

10.078.40

DISTRIBUTION.

	Levy	
MANCHESTER AND AUGUSTA	1/2 Mill	\$1.060.88
Water and Light	1 "	2.121.78
ORANGEBURG RY.	3/4 "	1.591.32
EXTENSION AND ENLARGEMENT.	1 1/4 "	2.652.21
SEWER.	1 1/4	<u>2.652.21</u> \$10.078.40

EXPENDITURES.

Invested in Liberty Bonds	\$5.000.00 ✓
S/A interest Water & Light Due Dec.1st	1.002.50 ✓
" " Sewer " Jan.1st	1.127.81 ✓
" " Orbg Ry " " "	451.25 ✓
" " Exten. & En. " " "	751.88 ✓
	<u>\$ 8.333.44</u>
Amt due to place account in balance	<u>1.744.96</u> \$10.078.40

I am P. Gordon Bailey

Respectfully submitted.

W. W. W.
City Clerk and Treas.

ORANGEBURG, S. C. Jan. 24th, 1919.

Honorable City Council:✓

In response to request for an opinion as to filling vacancy in City Council beg to advise that Section 3076 of the Civil Code, 1912 as amended by an Act of the General Assembly dated February 18, 1914, provides as follows: "If any vacancy occurs in the City Council, the same shall be filled by a special election called by the remaining members of the City Council or a majority thereof, upon three weeks' notice duly published in at least one of the newspapers published in such City, and such special election shall be held and otherwise conducted as a regular election for Mayor and Councilmen is held and conducted."

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It is clear from the above amendment that vacancy in City Council must be filled by a special election called by remaining members of Council, and that three week's previous notice of such special election must be published in at least one of the local newspapers of the City. The Commissioners of Election; the managers of election and the Supervisor of Registration having been previously appointed and their respective terms of office not having expired, they will have charge of and conduct any special election to fill vacancy.

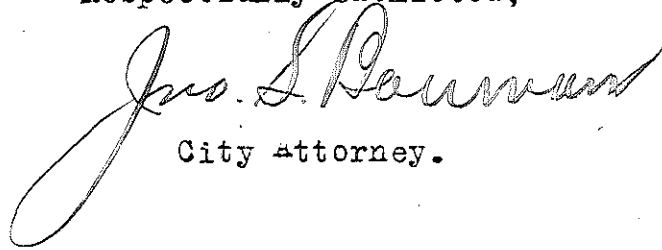
As to the question as to how many days the books of registration shall be opened prior to said special election, Section 3077 of the Civil Code provides that the primary election of any party for nominating Mayor and Councilmen shall be held on the second Tuesday preceding the municipal election, and Section 3091 provides that the said Board of Commissioners of Election shall also have charge of the registration of the electors of said City, and shall allow registration

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for four days consecutively up to two days preceding the first primary election, and shall require as a prerequisite to registration proof of payment of City as well as other taxes, if past due.

It will be necessary, therefore, that the books of registration be opened for four days consecutively, and must be closed sixteen days before the special election.

Respectfully submitted,


City Attorney.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Feb'y 14, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held Friday evening Feb'y 14, 1919 at 6. P.M.

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

Minutes meeting Jan 24th read and approved.

City Clerk and Treasurer submitted statement of receipts and disbursements for month of January 1919 which was received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for Jan 1919:-

Number arrests	65
Fines and forfeitures	\$502.00
Days on public works	39
Transferred to Magistrate	5

received as information.

An ORDINANCE TO INCREASE THE SALARY OF MAYOR TO \$1.000 per ANNUM AND TO PAY COUNCILMEN \$600 PER ANNUM, which received 1st reading at meeting Jan. 10th; second reading Jan. 24, received third reading and was ratified by following vote:-

Yea, the Mayor Councilmen Bruner and Watson.

AN ORDINANCE TO FORBID RIDING OF BICYCLES, MOTOR CYCLES OR OTHER VEHICLES OR SKATING ON PLATFORM OR CEMENT YARDS OF RAIL ROADS AND FORBIDDING JUMPING ON OR OFF MOVING TRAINS, OR LOITERING AROUND DEPOTS OR RAILROAD STATIONS, received ~~first~~ ^{second} reading and was passed to second reading by following vote:-

Yea. The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

Petition of two property owners of real estate situate on North side of East Calhoun Street from South Middleton to Meeting Streets for cement walk and curbing was referred to Councilman Bruner.

Petition from real estate owners on North side of Sellers Avenue from Doyle to Elliotts Streets filed September 13th 1918 was granted all requirements of Abutting Property Ordinance having been complied with, and curbing ordered installed.

Yea the Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

Petition for authority to install a gasoline and oil tank on private property No. 135 West Russel Street was granted. same to be in compliance with City ordinance.

Petition from Orangeburg Packing Plant relative to rates charged for Electric service was referred to Councilman Watson and Supt. John F. Pearson.

Trustees of Firemens Fund were authorized to borrow \$300 from fund in their charge to be paid to Elliot Hook and Ladder company to be used for maintenance of said company by following vote. Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Councilman Watson was authorized to purchase a hand stoker at approximately \$500 and Double Standard Thick magnesia pipe and Boiler top covering costing \$1.500 for Water and Light plant by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

Council then adjourned.

Calendar No. 74

Introduced by Mr. BERRY.

Printer's No. 29—Z.

House.

THE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY,

To whom was referred a Bill (H. 74) to ratify an amendment to Section 7, Article 8 of the Constitution relating to municipal bonded indebtedness by adding a proviso thereto as to the city of Orangeburg, respectfully

REPORT:

That they have carefully considered the same, and recommend that the same do pass.

J. B. ATKINSON, for Committee.

H. B. }
No. 74 }

{ IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
{ Read the first time January 22, 1919.

A BILL

To Ratify an Amendment to Section 7, Article 8 of the Constitution Relating to Municipal Bonded Indebtedness by Adding a Proviso Thereto as to the City of Orangeburg.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. That the amendment to Section 7, Article 8 of the Constitution, relating to municipal bonded indebtedness by adding a proviso thereto as to the city of Orangeburg, submitted by the last regular General Assembly to the qualified electors at the next general election thereafter by a Joint Resolution, upon which said Amendment, a majority of the electors qualified to vote thereon voted in favor thereof, be, and the same is hereby, ratified and made a proviso to Section 7, Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of South Carolina in form and words, as follows:

"That the limitations imposed by this Section, and Section 5, of Article 10 of the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, shall not apply to the bonded indebtedness of the city of Orangeburg, when the proceeds of such bonds are applied exclusively for the building, erecting, establishing, repairing, extending or maintaining of sidewalks, streets, waterworks, lighting plants, sewerage system, fire department or City Hall and Guardhouse for such city, or for any or either of such purposes, or for the payment of any indebtedness already incurred for any or either of such purposes, and when the question of incurring such bonded indebtedness is submitted to the qualified electors of such municipality by the City Council of said city, and a majority of those voting in such election or elections shall vote in favor thereof."

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CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Feby 28, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday February 28, 1919 at 6 P.M.

Present:-

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

Minutes of meeting February 14th read and approved.

A petition from property holders interested for Cement sidewalk and stone curbing on East side of South Railroad Avenue from East Russel Street to Palmetto Street was read and ordered filed for future action.

Petition from property owners interested for Cement sidewalk and curbing on South side of East Amelai Street for Church Street to Academy Street was read and ordered filed for future action.

ANY ORDINANCE TO REGULATE LICENSES IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1919 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1920, was read by title and passed to second reading by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO FORBID RIDING OF BICYCLES, MOTOR CYCLES OR OTHER VEHICLES OR SKATING ON PLATFORM OR CEMENT YARDS OF RAILROADS AND FORBIDDING JUMPING ON OR OFF MOVING TRAINS, OR LOITERING AROUND DEPOTS OR RAILROAD STATIONS, which passed first reading at regular meeting of Council Jan. 24, 1919; second reading at regular meeting Feby 14, 1919; was read and passed third reading and ordered ratified by following vote:-

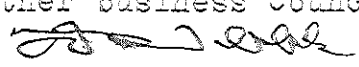
Yea, the Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

City Clerk and Treasurer advised Council that notes aggregating \$50,000 held by banks of the City would be due before next meeting of Council and submitted a statement of funds in bank available for the purpose of making a payment on same and paying discount ^{on} ~~in~~ renewal of unpaid balance.

Following preamble an resolution was passed relative thereto by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

There being no further business Council adjourned.


City Clerk and Treas.

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

WHEREAS the City Council of the City of Orangeburg by virtue of a Resolution adopted February 28, 1918, under and by virtue of the authority and power vested in said City Council by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina approved February 12th, 1918, borrowed on the notes of the City of Orangeburg, executed by the Mayor of said City and attested by the City Clerk and Treasurer the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, for the purposes set forth in said Resolution and in said Act, and

WHEREAS said notes are now due, and are only paid in part, and

WHEREAS it is necessary to renew said notes to cover unpaid balance and Whereas said Resolution and said Act authorize said renewal or renewals,


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

Section 1. That the Mayor of the City of Orangeburg, in order to renew the unpaid balance due on said notes, be and he is hereby authorized to borrow on the notes of said City, maturing not later than December 1st, 1919, executed by Honorable Robert Lide, Mayor, 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 Forty-four Thousand and Two Hundred (\$44,200.00) Dollars as follows:


Note to Bank of Orangeburg, Orangeburg, S. C.,	\$9800.00
Note to Peoples National Bank, Orangeburg, S.C.,	9800.00
Note to Edisto National Bank, Orangeburg, S. C.,	9800.00
Note to Planters Bank, Orangeburg, S. C.,	9600.00
Note to Farmers & Merchants Bank, Orangeburg, S. C.,	5200.00

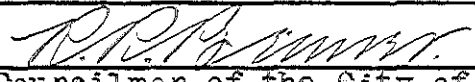
Section 11. That the credit and good faith of the City of Orangeburg as well as the taxes to be levied as provided for and under the Act of the General Assembly, approved February 12, 1918, above referred to, be and the same are hereby pledged to secure the payment of the amounts so borrowed.

Adopted and Ratified in Council Assembled this 28th day of February A. D. 1919.



Mayor of the City of Orangeburg.





Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg.

Attest:



City Clerk & Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

March 7, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at special meeting of City Council held on Friday, March 7, 1919 at 5 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE LICENSES IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1919 and ENDING MARCH 31, 1920, which received first reading at regular meeting Feb'y 28, 1919, ~~was read in full and passed~~ was read in full and passed second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

A communication from Chamber of Commerce requesting Council to have the City Engineer prepare estimates for the cost of fifteen miles of paved streets and sidewalks, so that they could co-operate with Council in having necessary petitions circulated and signed to call an election upon issuing of bonds.

The Mayor was requested to have estimates prepared by City Engineer and furnished Chamber of Commerce, advising them of action by council, also. that City Council will be ready at any time to co-operate with Chamber in promoting plans for Municipal improvements.

No further business Council Adjourned.


City Clerk.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

March 14, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday march 14, 1919 at 6 P.M.

Present :- The Mayor Hon R.P. Bryant
Councilmen A.C. Watson
R.E. Bruner

Minutes of regular meeting Feb'y 28th and special March 7th 1919 read and approved. Unanimously.

Financial report of City Clerk and Treasurer for the month of February 1919 read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police,
No. Arrests 31
Fines and Forfeitures \$500
Days on Public Works 7

Read and received as information. Unanimously.

Correspondence of the Mayor with Chamber of Commerce relative to their request submitted to special meeting of Council March 7th for estimates of cost of 15 miles of paving, read and received as information.

Application of R.T. Hall for permission to ~~install~~ remove Gasoline tank from No. 93 West Russel Street to opposite No. 11 West Amelia Street, granted. Applicant to comply with Ordinance relative thereto.

Petition from four property owners of abutting property on Sellers Avenue from Doyle to Rowe Streets, North side, for granite curb, was ordered filed.

Daniel Moorer was present at meeting and stated that he wished to call to the attention of Council the need of some improvements on Treadwell Street as same was in bad condition, he was advised to get up a petition from abutting owners of property on that Street and submit same to Council for their consideration.

Following letters of resignation were tendered Council.

To the City Council March 14, 1919
City of Orangeburg,
Orangeburg S.C.

Gentlemen:-

For reasons heretofore made public, I hereby tender my resignation as Mayor of the City of Orangeburg. I desire this resignation to be accepted to take effect upon the election and qualification of my successor in office.

Respectfully

Signed, Robert Lide.

March 14, 1919.

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

Gentlemen:-

I have reached the conclusion that I should retire from office as commissioner of this City, so that I can devote all of my time to my business interests.

Regular meeting Council March 14, 1919, continued.

I hereby tender my resignation as City Commissioner of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, to take effect upon the election and qualification of my successor.

Respectfully,

Signed, R.A. Bruner.

Above tendered resignations of Mayor Robert Lide as Mayor and Councilman Bruner as Councilman of the City of Orangeburg were accepted to take effect upon the election and qualification of their successors by following vote,

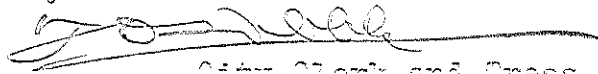
Yea The Mayor, Councilman Bruner and Watson.

A resolution ordering a special municipal election to be held at City Hall on Tuesday 15th day of April 1919 to fill vacancies occasioned by resignation of Mayor Lide and Councilman Bruner by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

See Resolution attached to these minutes.

No further business, Council adjourned.


City Clerk and Treas.

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

WHEREAS Honorable Robert Lide, Mayor of the City of Orangeburg has tendered to the City Council of the City of Orangeburg his resignation as Mayor of said City to take effect upon the election and qualification of his successor as Mayor of said City, and whereas, Honorable Robert R. Bruner, one of the Councilmen of said City has tendered to the City Council of the City of Orangeburg his resignation as one of the Councilmen of said City to take effect upon the election and qualification of his successor as Councilman of said City.

NOW, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg in Council assembled:

First: That the resignation of Honorable Robert Lide as Mayor of the City of Orangeburg, and the resignation of Honorable Robert R. Bruner as Councilman of said City, be and the same are hereby accepted to take effect upon the election and qualification of their respective successors.

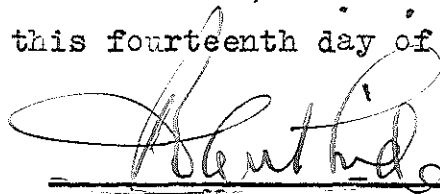
Second: That a special municipal election is hereby ordered and proclaimed to be held, at the City Hall, in the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, by the qualified registered electors of the City of Orangeburg, on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of April A. D. 1919, for the election of a Mayor and one councilman for said City to succeed Honorable Robert Lide as Mayor and Honorable Robert R. Bruner as Councilman of said City, to serve for their respective unexpired terms, under the Commission Form of Government, adopted by said City, and as provided by law.


Third: That the polls for said election shall be kept open from eight o'clock in the morning until eight o'clock in the evening, and that ^{W. A. Summers} ~~W. W. Dukes~~, J. West Summers and Chas. R. Jones have been appointed managers of such special election.

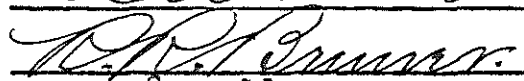
Fourth: That the twenty-sixth, twenty-seventh, twenty-eighth and twenty-ninth days of March A. D. 1919 are hereby designated as the days for the registration of the electors of the City of Orangeburg, and for that purpose the Supervisor of Registration of said City shall on said days keep the Books of Registration open from eight o'clock in the morning until eight o'clock in the evening at the City Hall of said City.

Fifth: That three weeks' notice of said special municipal election shall be published in the newspapers published in the City of Orangeburg, and that the proclamation so published, calling said election, shall be signed by the Mayor and Councilmen of said City.

Adopted and ratified by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg in Council assembled this fourteenth day of March A. D. 1919.



Mayor.




Councilmen.

Attest:



City Clerk & Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

March 28, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening March 28, 1919 at 6 P.M.

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

Minutes meeting March 14th read and approved.

Communication from Mr. Wm. S. Barton Jr. relative to prospects as to sufficient current to furnish current necessary for power plants during the coming season, read and City Clerk was instructed to advise Mr. Barton that Council had this matter under consideration at this time.

Petition from Freeholders on East side Lovell Street from East Russel to ~~Windsor~~ ^{Chilman} Streets for Cement walk and Curbing ordered filed.

Petition From Free Holders North Side of Sellers Avenue from Doyle to Rowe Street for granite curb, filed March 14, 1919, petitioners having complied with abutting property Ordinance, placing of curbing was ordered by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

City Clerk was instructed to issue License to Robert Carnival Amusement Company for one week commencing April 14, 1919 for \$100.00. The Mayor stated that he had consulted the Board of Health relative to allowing this Carnival Company to come to the City and they saw no objection in allowing them to show here from a health standpoint.

City Clerk was authorized to issue License to I.J. Mingo for his pool room for the period of one month in the sum of \$25.00 in order that he might dispose of his furniture and fixtures. From April 1 to May 1st 1919 and no longer, by following vote:-

Yea. The Mayor, Councilman Bruner.

Councilman Watson voting "nay".

The Mayor informed Council that Policeman W.J. Dawkins had tendered his resignation effective April 1st and nominated as regular policeman to supply vacancy Mr. Fred Boylston.

Upon ballot being taken he was elected by following vote, Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

City Atty notified Council that Mr. A.V. Holman had entered suit against the City of Orangeburg in the amount of \$20,000 for personal damage caused by falling over meter box on S Broughton Street and at his request Mr. Adam H. Moss was employed as assistant Council at price \$150.00.

No further business council adjourned.

[Signature]
City Clerk

City of Orangeburg

Commission Form of Government

COUNCIL CHAMBER

Orangeburg, S. C.

Statement of distribution of special fund \$7.500 deposited
with PLANTERS BANK to be used in payment of notes due by
City of Orangeburg Marc 2, 1919.

Bank	Amt Loan	Payment	Balance	Interest
Edisto Nat.	\$11.000	\$1.200	\$9.800	371.58
Peoples Nat.	11.000	1.200	9.800	372.94
Bank of Orbg	11.000	1.200	9.800	374.31
Farmers & Merchants	6.000	800	5.200	197.89
Farmers Union	6.000	800	5.200	
Planters	5.000	600	4.400	366.70
Totals	50.000	\$5.800	\$44.200	\$1.683.42

Amount in Bank		\$7.500
Payment on notes	\$5.800.00	
Interest	1.683.42	7.483.42
Balance		\$ 16.58

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

April 12, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday April 12, 1919 at 5 P.M.

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

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting March 28, 1919 read and approved.

Reading of financial report of City Treasurer for month of March postponed until next meeting of Council.

Report of Chief of Police for Month of March 1919

Number arrests 52

Fines and Forfeitures \$525.00

Days on City works 6

read and received as information.

A committee from the Young America Fire Engine Company consisting of Messrs H.R. Sims, Julian S. Wolfe and Joe Marcus appeared before Council requesting an extra appropriation of \$225.00 to be used in the purchase of two tires for their Auto Truck. As these tires were absolutely essential request was granted and as the City was not in funds to apply for this purpose it was decided to incorporate this amount with amount appropriated to Elliott Hook and Ladder Company (\$300) Feb'y 14th 1919, making \$525 ~~xxxxxxx~~, borrowing same from funds in hand of Trustees or Firemen's Fund under following resolution.

vote:- Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

(see resolution attached to these minutes)

Two titles to Real Estate, one from Alma Keller and one from P.W. Cantwell Jr. to City of Orangeburg S.C. of real estate situate on the South side of West Amelia Street, for the purpose of widening said street were submitted to Council by Engineer Hawes and same were approved by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

City Engineer Hawes was instructed to secure prices on five cars of Granite Curb to be submitted to Councilman in charge of streets and if approved by him to be ordered at once, by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

Council adjourned.

John L. Lide
City Clerk and Treas.

Petition of Freeholders on East side of Treadwell Street from East Amelia Street to Peasley Street for cement sidewalk and curbing was read and ordered filed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Bruner.

John L. Lide
City Clerk and Treas.

R E S O L U T I O N .

Resolved by City Council of the City of Orangeburg in Council assembled:

That the City of Orangeburg borrow from the Board of Trustees of the Firemen's Fund, of the City of Orangeburg, on the note of said City to be executed by its Mayor and attested by its City Clerk and Treasurer, bearing interest from date at the rate of five per cent per annum, and maturing on December 10, 1919, the sum of Five Hundred and Twenty-five (\$525.00) Dollars.

Adopted and ratified by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, at Orangeburg, S.C., in Council assembled the eleventh day of April A. D. 1919.



Mayor of the City of Orangeburg.



Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg.

Attest:


City Clerk and Treasurer of the
City of Orangeburg.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

April 18, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday April 18, 1919 at 6 P.M.

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

Minutes of regular meeting of April 11, read and approved.

City Clerk and treas. submitted financial report for month of march which was received as information.

Application from the Postal Telegraph Co for reduction on ~~taxes~~ City License on account of small intra state business as compared with their competitor at this point was read and action on same postponed.

In compliance with an agreement between City Council and Mr. John F. Pearson when he was employed as Superintendent of Water and Light Plant, Jan. 10, 1919 that if after three months services from Jan. 15th 1919 the same were satisfactory to Council his salary would be raised to \$2,750.00 per annum and he having given entire satisfaction Mr. Watson moved that he be paid at the rate agreed upon after April 15th 1919.

Carried:- Yea the Mayor, Councilman Watson and Bruner.

City Engineer Hawes advised Council that stone curbing had been completed on Sellers Street from Rowe to Doyle, and from Doyle to Elliott Street, North side, and submitted statement of cost to property owners for same.

this work was accepted by Council and City Clerk instructed to enter bills for same for collection.

Certificates from the managers of City election held April 15th 1919, to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Hon. Robert Lide as Mayor and Councilman Bruner, also certificate from Commissioners of Election declaring as a result of said election that W.A. Livingston had been elected Mayor, and John M. Sifley had been elected Councilman, was read and received as information.

See certificates attached to these minutes.

The above elected officials being present they were sworn in by City Attorney John S. Bowman.


Retiring Mayor Lide in relinquishing the Chair to Mayor Livingston wished him and Councilman Sifley abundant success in the management of City affairs. Mayor Livingston replying that he and Mr. Sifley has accepted the office pledging their every effort towards the upbuilding of Orangeburg and that it was their intention with the support of the people of the City to make Orangeburg a better town to live in by means of permanent Street improvements and the enforcement of traffic and sanitary Ordinances of the City.

The Mayor assigned Councilman Sifley as Councilman in charge of Street and Health Departments.

The Mayor said that the first thing that he wished to have done was to have a general cleaning up of the City and to this end had requested the Board of Health to be present at this meeting. Mr. L.E. Williams being the only member of said Board present the Mayor stated that he had decided to

commence operations at once and requested Engineer Hawes to take charge of all the City carts and start operations in the morning; also to have placards which had been printed calling the attention of citizens to the fact that from this date the sanitary ordinances of the City would be enforced. City Clerk was instructed to have copies of trash ordinance printed and policemen would be assigned to distribute same. Councilman Sifley stated that Engineer Hawes will take charge and superintend work of Street Department.

No further business Council adjourned.


City Clerk

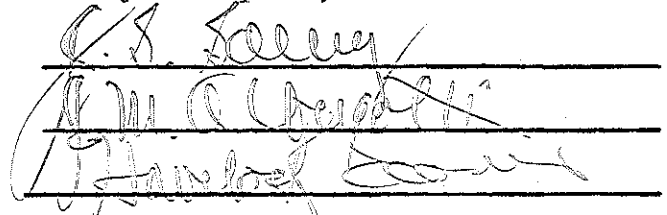
J. Stokes Salley
Attorney & Counsellor at Law
Orangeburg, S. C.

April 25th, 1919.

We, the undersigned, Commissioners of Election, for the City Orangeburg, South Carolina, do hereby declare that at the Municipal Election for April 15th, 1919, for the election of a Mayor and Councilman, 236 votes were cast, of which J. J. Bolen received, for Mayor, 40; and W. A. Livingston received, for Mayor, 196; and J. M. Sifly received 234 for Councilman.

We hereby declare, as a result of the above votes cast, that W. A. Livingston was duly elected Mayor, and John M. Sifly, Councilman, for the City of Orangeburg; said W. A. Livingston to fill out the unexpired term of Robert Lide, resigned; and said John M. Sifly to fill out the unexpired term of R. R. Bruner, Councilman, resigned.

Witness our Hands this 25th day of April, 1919.



Commissioners of Election for
the City of Orangeburg, S. C.

April 15th, 1919.

We, the undersigned, Managers of the Municipal Election for the City of Orangeburg, for April 15th, 1919, for the election of a Mayor and Councilman for said City, hereby declare the result of said election to be as follows, to wit:

Total number of votes cast:	235
Of which J. J. Bolen received, for Mayor,	40
Of which W. A. Livingston received, for Mayor,	196.
Of which J. M. Sifly received, for Councilman,	234.

W. H. Perryman

R. F. Fain

R. F. Pike

Managers of said Election.

First, I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified, according to the Constitution of this State, to exercise the duties of the office to which I have been elected (or appointed), and that I will to the best of my ability discharge the duties thereof, and protect and defend the Constitution of this State and of the United States.

And I do further solemnly swear (or affirm) that I have not since the first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-one, engaged in a duel as principal or second, or otherwise, and that I will not, during the term of office to which I have been elected (or appointed) engage in a duel as principal or second, or otherwise. SO HELP ME GOD.

As Mayor or Councilman of the City of Orangeburg, I will equally, fairly and impartially, to the best of my ability and skill exercise the trust reposed in me and will use my best endeavor to preserve the peace and carry into effect according to law the purposes for which I have been elected, and that I will at all times endeavor to secure and maintain for the City of Orangeburg an honest and efficient government in every particular, with an eye single to the public welfare. SO HELP ME GOD.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

this 25th day of April A. D. 1919.

W. H. H. H. H. H.
Mayor.

J. M. H. H. H.
Councilman.

(L.S.)

W. H. H. H. H.
Notary Public, S. C.

City Attorney of the
City of Orangeburg, S. C.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG §28?

COUNCIL CHAMBER?

May 19, 1919

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held
Friday, May 23, 1919 at 5 P.M.

Present:-

The Mayor	Hon. W.A. Livingston
Councilmen	A.C. Watson
	J.M. Sirley.

Minutes of meeting April 18, read and approved.

City Clerk and Treas submitted financial report of transactions of his office for month of April 1919 which was received as information.

Report of Chief of Police

Number arrests	54
Fines and Forfeitures	\$479.00
Days on Public Works	15,

read and received as information.

Request of Postal Telegraph Co. for rebate on License postponed for further consideration.

Chief of Police was instructed to enforce Ordinance relative to mufflers and cut outs on Automobiles, also, requiring to stop at corners East Russel and S. Church, East Russel and Doyle, East Russel and Pittham, St Johns' and S. Church, St John's and Doyle streets as required by Ordinance.

By the instruction of Council Supt. Pearson of Water and Light Plant had written manufacturers for proposals for an engine and generator of sufficient capacity to take care of immediate and future needs of Plant, in response to these inquiries representatives of several largest producers of this equipment were present at this meeting for the purpose of submitting bids.

Following Manufacturers were represented.

General Electric	Represented by	Mr. De Lauchian
Westinghouse	" "	" Simpson
Allis-Chalmers	" "	" Moore
C.H. Wheeler & Co	" "	" Heyward
Alburger Co	" "	" Hall
Ingersoll Rand Co	" "	" Bartlett

Bids as follows were submitted.

For one 600 KW Turbine.

General Electric Co.	\$18,500
Westinghouse Elec. Mfg Co	21,892
Allis-Chalmers	18,410 with condenser.

For Motor driven Condenser

Ingersoll Rand Co.	4,715
Alburger Mfg Co	4,430
C.H. Wheeler Mfg Co	5,960
Allis-Chalmers Mfg Co	6,000

Regular meeting May 9, 1919, continued.

Bids were turned over to Mr. John F. Pearson in order that he might tabulate same and report result to Council at an extra meeting to be held in City Hall on Saturday May 10th at 10³⁰ A.M.

Mr. B.S. Wolfe personally requested permit to erect on property of Mr. Chas. A. Stroman, corner of W. Middleton and W. Amelia Streets and within the fire district, a building covering same with corrugated iron, this building to be used as creamery. Action postponed for further investigation by Council.

City engineer reported that since last meeting of Council at which time he had been instructed to take charge and have a general cleaning up of City that work was progressing and to this time that 498 loads of trash had been hauled to incinerator.

Following petitions for curbing were passed on and work ordered.

East Clover Street	North side, Doyle to Middleton Streets
S.R.R. Avenue	East side, Russell to Palmetto "
East Russell	Southern Railway to City Limits,
North and South sides,	excepting property owned by Estate
of P. Doyle.	

No further business Council adjourned.


City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

May 10, 1919

minutes of special meeting of City Council held at
Council chamber on Saturday May 10, 1919 at 1 P.M.

Present:-

The Mayor
Councilmen

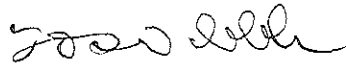
Hon. W. A. Livingston
A. C. Watson
J. M. Sifley

Council met to receive report from Supt. Water and Light Plant on tabulation of bids for engine and Condensers received at meeting May 9th and his recommendations relative to same.

After receiving report of tabulation and discussion of the relative efficiency and capacity for production of each of the turbines and condensers offered, following resolution was passed the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifley each voting "yea"

(see resolution attached and a part of these minutes)

City Attorney was requested to attend to all details connected with contract to be executed by City with parties interested.
no further business council adjourned.



City Clerk and Treas.

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




Resolved by the City Council of the City of Grangeburg
in Council assembled:

Section I. That Council receives with pleasure the information
concerning the work of the members of Faithful Workers Circle of
the King's Daughters contained in letter addressed to Council.


Section II. That Council is gratified with the fine showing
made by the King's Daughters, and assures them that their
appropriation will continue as heretofore.

Section III. That the City Clerk furnish the King's Daughters
a copy of these Resolutions.

Adopted by City Council in Council assembled this 23rd.
day of May A. D. 1919.


Mayor.

City Clerk.

Treasurer.

Attest:


City Clerk & Treasurer.

RESOLUTION.

Resolved by City Council of the City of Orangeburg in Council Assembled this 9th day of May 1919:

First: That the written proposal this day submitted to Council by the General Electric Company of Schenectady, N. Y., for the sale to the City of Orangeburg of one six hundred Kilowatt Turbo Generator Set, with direct connected Exciter and switch-board Panel, and accessories, for the sum of Eighteen Thousand and Three Hundred (\$18300.00) Dollars F. C. B. Company's Factory, be and the same is hereby accepted.

Second: That the written proposal this day submitted to Council by the C. E. Wheeler Manufacturing Company, of Philadelphia, Pa., for the sale to the City of Orangeburg of one Low Level Jet Condenser, Motor Driven, with air pumps, for a six hundred H.W. Steam Turbine for the sum of Thirty-nine Hundred and Sixty (\$3960.00) Dollars F. C. B. Company's Factory, be and the same is hereby accepted.

Third: That the Mayor of the City of Orangeburg be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute said above mentioned contracts on behalf of the City of Orangeburg, and said contracts shall be attested by the City Clerk and Treasurer of said City.

Adopted and ratified in Council assembled this 9th day of May A. D. 1919.

J. M. Livingston
Mayor
A. C. [unclear]
J. M. Sibley
Councilmen.

Attest:

John [unclear]

City Clerk and Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

May 23, 1919

Proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held at Council Chamber, Friday May 23, 1919 at 6 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon. W.A. Livingston
Councilmen A.C. Watson
John M. Sirley.

Communication from General Electric Co. relative to funds which will be required to comply with contract between City of Orangeburg and said Company, was read and referred to the Mayor for reply.

Communication from Kings Daughters inclosing report of activities of this body during the past year was read to Council and following resolution was passed by unanimous vote of Council.

Resolved, by the City Council of the City of the City of Orangeburg in Council assembled:-

Section 1. That Council receives with pleasure the information concerning the work of members of Faithful Workers Circle of the Kings Daughters contained in letter addressed to Council.

Section 2. That Council is gratified with the fine showing made by the Kings Daughters, and assure them that their appropriation will continue as heretofore.

Section 3. That the City Clerk furnish the Kings Daughters a copy of these resolutions.

Adopted by City Council in Council assembled this 23rd day of May A.D. 1919.

Signed W.A. Livingston Mayor
A.C. Watson
John M. Sirley Councilmen

(Signed copy attached to these minutes)

City Attorney reported that case City Vs Harper which was appealed to Circuit Court from verdict of City Court Jan. 20, 1919 had been adjusted by payment of fine of \$125.00 by defendant.

Councilman Watson called attention of Council to the sale of Gasoline on Sunday. Referred to the Mayor.

Councilman Watson was authorized to employ a lineman at \$115.00 per month by following vote.

Yes The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Sirley.

Councilman Sirley submitted to Council an elaborate outline, including blue prints, Maps and estimates of cost of proposed Municipal improvements consisting of Street improvements, Water and Light extensions, Sanitary and Storm Sewers as prepared by Edward Hawes Jr. City Engineer at his request.

The estimated cost of these improvements amounted to approximately \$850,000.00 and it was the unanimous sentiment of Council that Orangeburg in order to keep in line with other commercial centers should at earliest opportunity inaugurate a system of extensive municipal improvements and for this purpose the Citizens be petitioned to authorize a bond issue sufficient

in amount to carry on all necessary activities in this line.

After a thorough discussion of plans and estimates further action was postponed until additional information could be furnished by Supt. Pearson of the Water and Light Plant and City Attorney.

A request from the Swansburg Bathing Company for additional lights at swimming pool was presented by Councilman Watson and Council decided to contribute the amount if Bathing Company will assume expense for installing additional lamps necessary.

Engineer Hayes called to the attention of Council the expense to City in removing broken bottles from the several Bottling Works in the City. By unanimous vote of Council it was decided that hereafter Bottling Companies operating in City will be required to remove ~~xxxx~~ all broken bottles and other such rejected materials from their places of business at their expense or if City makes same a charge of \$1.00 per load would be made by City. The Mayor advised Council that he would communicate this action of Council to Bottling Works.

✓ Petition for granite Curb and Cement Sidewalk on North Doughton Street, both sides, from ~~1st~~ ^{1/2} Russel to Broad Street was confirmed and work ordered.

Permission was granted E.S. Bruner for the installation of 500 gal. Gasoline Tank on premises North of West Russel Street provided all requirements of City are complied with.

✓ Petition From Standard Oil Company for installation of Gasoline Tank on their property Mill Street was declined for the reason that plans for same do not comply with City requirements.

✓ Petition from Capt. W.W. Hennemeyer for the installation of 97 feet of Granite curb on Elliott Street, he to pay one-half of expense of same confirmed.

Chief of Police instructed to interview proprietors of all business houses on Russel Street and advise them that garbage ordinance of the City must be complied with.

Chief Doyle of Fire Department was authorized to purchase 5 rubber coats and 5 pair of boots for use of Fire Department

Council then adjourned.

J. J. J. bbl
City Treas

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

June 13, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held Friday June 13th 1919 at 6 P.M.

Present The Mayor Hon. W.A. Livingston
Councilmen A.C. Watson
John M. Sirly

minutes of meeting May 26rd read and approved.

Financial report of City Treas. for month of May 1919 was submitted and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police:-

Number arrests 71
Fines and forfeitures \$748.00

Received as information.

Application of S.H. Crum for permission to install Gasoline tank 250 gals capacity on premises rear 127 East Russell Street, also, application of J.H. Albrecht to install gasoline tank not to exceed 650 gals in capacity in front of his building No. 54 South Broughton Street;

also, petition of Crum Bros to be allowed to remove gasoline tank now in front of 69 East Russell Street to their present location No. 75 East Russell Street were presented for consideration of Council. These petitions were granted by unanimous vote of Council. City Clerk was instructed to notify Messrs Crum Bros. and Mr. J.H. Albrecht that City Council contemplates removing all Gasoline supply stations from the business streets of City by July 1st 1920 on account of interference to traffic on these streets.

AN ORDINANCE, Providing for the regulation and installation of electrical work and equipment in City of Orangeburg passed first reading by following vote:-

Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sirly.

City Treasurer was instructed to return to the Postal Telegraph and Cable Company \$25.00 as a refund on their license paid for year commencing April 1, 1919, by following vote:-

Yes The Mayor, Councilmen, ^{the} Watson and Sirly.

City Attorney reported to Council that ~~the~~ Case of Holman Vs City of Orangeburg for damages in amount of \$20,000 for alleged damages sustained by plaintiff in falling over meter box on N. Broughton Street, was tried at recent term of Court and verdict directed for City.

Following resolution relative to bond issue to cover cost of proposed permanent Municipal improvements which was submitted to Council at Meeting May 23, 1919 ^{and the selection of an} was passed by following vote:

advising Board to assess amount in same
Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sirly

(See resolution attached to these minutes)

Regular meeting June 13, 1919 continued.

Councilman John M. Sifly was authorized to purchase wheels and axles for Street Sprinkler at a cost of \$226.92, by following vote:-

Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

No further business Council adjourned.

City Clerk and Treas.

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

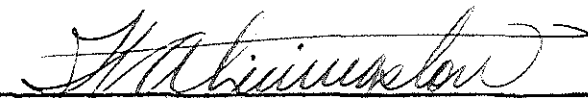
On due consideration of the improvement plans submitted by Councilman Sifly, for the proposed permanent improvements in the City of Orangeburg, Resolved:

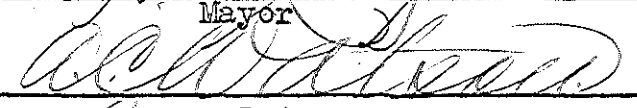
First: That in order to effect these desired improvements the following bond issues would be necessary:


Street and sidewalk improvements	\$610000.00
Sewerage (sanitary and storm sewers)	50000.00
Waterworks	45000.00
Electric Light Plants	<u>45000.00</u>
Total,	\$750000.00

Second: That for the purpose of purchasing, constructing and making all of said proposed permanent improvements above set forth, provided said bonds are issue, the City Council hereby designates and appoints W. L. Moseley, Adam H. Moss, F. A. Adden, Frank C. Bryant and R. H. Jennings, Sr., an advisory Board to City Council in the purchase, construction and making of said permanent improvements.

Adopted and ratified in Council Assembled this 13th day of June A. D. 1919.



Mayor




Councilmen

Attest:



City Clerk & Treasurer.

June 27, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting City Council
held Friday June 27, 1919 at 8 P.M.

Present: The Mayor Hon. W. A. Livingston
Councilmen A. C. Watson
J. H. Sibley

minutes meeting June 15th read and approved.

Communication from Mr. W. W. Watson relative to settlement of contract for Street Sweepings and Stable Manure read and action postponed until next regular meeting of Council at which meeting City Clerk was instructed to request Mr. Watson to be present.

A petition from property owners on West Side of Green Street from East Annie to Cemetery Trench for Granite Curb on sidewalk under abutting property Ordinance was read and ordered filed.

The Mayor having refused him use to Geo. Haysath for a restaurant on South Church Street for the reason that his place had been complained of as a nuisance by neighboring business men and others, the matter was referred to Council for consideration.

It was decided that City Clerk be authorized to issue license to said Geo. Heyerath for four months commencing April 1, 1919 and ending July 31, 1919 charging for same 1/5 of amount of annual charge for Restaurant and soft drink license and one third of penalty now due in order that he may close out his business, by following vote :-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sirly.

A communication from Standard Oil Company relative to their petition to erect a tank for the storage of Gasoline which was presented at meeting May 23rd and declined for the reason that construction did not comply with ordinance, amending petition with the statement that tank was to be used for storage of kerosine Oil. The city Clerk was instructed to advise Standard Oil Co that in the opinion of City Attorney the ordinance to regulate the manufacture, storage, sale and use of combustible, explosive or dangerous materials within the City of Orangeburg applies to kerosine Oil and compliance with this ordinance will be required.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION AND INSTALLATION
OF ELECTRICAL WORK AND EQUIPMENTS IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.
was Read in full and passed second Reading by following vote:-

Yes, The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Sirly.

The sale of the Harrisburg Engine now in use at water and light plant by Councilman Watson to the Commissioners of town of Barnwell S.C. for \$2,000 was confirmed by City Council and City clerk was instructed to communicate with Commissioners purchasing this engine if necessary funds had been provided to pay for same by following vote:- Yea the Mayor, Councilman Watson and Sixty.

Council then adjourned.

City Clerk and Treas.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COMMONS CHAMBER.

July 11, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held Friday evening July 11, 1919.

Present:- The Mayor Hon. W. A. Livingston
Councilman A. C. Watson
J. M. Sifly.

Minutes of meeting May 27th read and approved by following vote:-

Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

City Treasurer submitted financial statement of receipts and Disbursements for month of June 1919 which was received as information by following vote:-

Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Report of Chief of Police for month of June:-

No. Arrests	55
Fines and Forfeitures	\$529.75
Days on Public Works	20

Received as information by following vote:-

Yes The Mayor Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Communication from Board of Health advising Council that at a meeting of Board vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. John A. Hertzog as health Officer was filled by the election of Mr. Frank M. Cain to serve as Health Officer at a salary of \$1.500 per annum, \$1.200 of which Council was asked to pay, and if they could not at this time assume the whole amount, and \$300 to be paid as arranged for by Board. Council was requested to approve above action on Board, which was done by following vote:-

Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Petition of residents of that section of Orange Township adjacent to Southern limits of City for extension of electric service from southern limits of City on South Bruceton Street to and across Southern railway and agreeing to connect their homes with said service, was read and filed for further consideration.

Mr. W. A. Watson was present, as requested by Council at last meeting, to discuss with Council the adjustment of settlement for Street Sweepings and Compost. After hearing Mr. Watson and also a full discussion by Council it was agreed as follows:-

City to deliver street sweeping at City stables and Mr. Watson to remove same at least once a week if possible. Mr. Watson to pay City Clerk and Treas. \$162.50 and agreement as to Compost and Street sweepings to terminate Nov. 30 1919.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION AND INSTALLATION OF ELECTRICAL WORK AND EQUIPMENT IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. received third reading and was passed for ratification by following vote.

Yes The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Council then adjourned.

Joseph H. H.
City Clerk and Treas.

City of Orangeburg

Commission Form of Government COUNCIL CHAMBER

Orangeburg, S. C. July 9, 1919

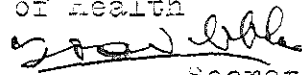
To the City Council:-

Gentlemen:-

I am instructed by Board of Health to advise your honorable body that at a meeting of board held July 1, 1919 the vacancy in office of Health Officer occasioned by resignation of John A. Hartzog was filled by the election of Mr. Frank M. Cain to serve as Health Officer from July 12, 1919 at a salary of \$1,500 per year; the salary of Health Officer being at present \$100.00 per month the Board has made arrangements to supplement this amount in order to secure this applicant who is highly recommended, as City Council does not at this time feel that present financial condition of City will permit advance of salary.

The Board requests that City Council will approve above stated action.

By Order of Board of Health


Secretary.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

July 23, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held Friday July 23, 1919 at 6 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon. W.A. Livingston.
Councilmen A.C. Watson
John M. Sifly

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting July 11, 1919 read and approved as read.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

City Engineer reported Granite Curb on following Streets completed and work was approved by Council.

East Glover Street North Side, South Middleton to Doyle Street:-

South Railroad Ave, East side, East Russel to Palmetto Street.

Approved by following vote .

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

City Treasurer was instructed to pay bill of Valk and Murdock for Bushing, Piston and rings \$683.99 by following vote

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly

A-pplcation from Santee Mills through Councilman Watson for a specific rate for current to be used in lighting the homes used by their operatives on Company property south of A.C.L. roadway was discussed by Council and it was decided as follows:-

Water and Light Plant to instal one meter to cover all current used in aforesaid homes, charging regular rates for this meter plus service charge of 60 cents per month for thirty five services, additional houses connected with line to be charged at same rate. Vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

On account of the predicted shortage of coal for winter months Councilman Watson was requested to buy a supply in advance for future use.

Numerous complaints having been made by patrons of the Southern Bell Tel. Co. on account of very unsatisfactory service now supplied by the Telephone Co. City Clerk was instructed to Communicate with Mr. Morgan B. Speir, Genl. Supt, Charlotte N.C. requesting him to come to Orangeburg, confer with Council and patrons of his Company in order that better service be given our people.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF GASOLINE TANKS UPON THE STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND WAYS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, AND TO REQUIRE THE REMOVAL OF GASOLINE TANKS NOW ON ANY OF THE STREETS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, passed 2nd reading by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION AND INSTALLATION OF ELECTRICAL WORK AND EQUIPMENTS IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG Sec. passed third reading and was orede ratified.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Regular meeting July 25th 1919 continued.

City Clerk and Treasurer advised Council that funds in City Treasury were practically expended and that approximately \$10.000 would be needed to finance City until collection of taxes in October next.

Following resolution authorizing the Mayor to borrow \$10.000 if so much be required, pledging the taxes for 1919-20 which are collectable in October 1919, for payment of same.

(see resolution attached to these minutes and a part of same)

Vote on above resolution,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

City Treasurer was authorized to pay ~~EA~~ \$50.00 per month on account of salary of nurse at the Public Health Clinic of the U.S. Public Health Service and ~~\$2~~ as much as \$25.00 per month, if so much be needed, towards medical supplies required for same, until further notice, by following vote.


Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

(see resolution attached to and a part of these minutes)

Mr. Jas. M. Albergotti was present in the interest of the extension of Rowe Street and widening Whaley Street offering to secure rights of way and payment of all expenses incurred over the amount of \$500.00. The mayor advised Mr. Albergotti that owing to lack of funds in City Treasury at present that City was powerless to act but it was the sentiment of Council that proposition be accepted, with the proviso that City do work necessary when practical and Mr Albergotti to confer with City Atty, placing his proposition in writing and securing ~~necessary~~ deeds to property necessary for these improvements .

Mr. William C. Wolfe discussed with Council the advisability of the establishment of a Gas Plant in The City, suggesting that City issue bonds for the installation of same. He Stated that Mr. Rhea a manufacturer of Gas plants would be pleased to have a conference with Council and submit a proposition to City, to which Council agreed and Mr. Wolfe said that he would at once advise Mr. Rhea of action.

Council then adjourned.


City Clerk and Treas.


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

Whereas there has been established in the City of Orangeburg a free clinic for the treatment of venereal diseases under the United States Public Health Service, and whereas a nurse and medical supplies are necessary to a proper conduct of said clinic, and whereas there are insufficient funds for this purpose, therefore, be it resolved:

FIRST: That the City of Orangeburg hereby appropriates monthly the sum of Fifty Dollars to be applied to the salary of such nurse, and the sum of twenty-five dollars to be applied to the purchase of supplies.

SECOND; That the City Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Orangeburg is hereby authorized to pay out of the ordinary funds of said City each month hereafter, including the month of July, until further notice, the above amounts to the proper parties designated to receive same.

Adopted this 25th day of July A. D. 1919 by City Council of the City of Orangeburg.



Mayor.



Councilmen.

Attest:



City Clerk & Treasurer.

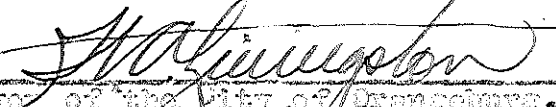
A R E S O L U T I O N.


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 is hereby authorized to borrow on the note or notes of said City maturing not later than December 1st, 1919, executed by Honorable W. A. Livingston, Mayor, and attested by F. O. S. Dibble, City Clerk and Treasurer, bearing interest payable in advance not exceeding 6 per centum per annum, the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, 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 1919-1920 are received.


SECTION II. 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 25th day of July A.D., 1919.


Mayor of the City of Orangeburg.


Councilmen.

Attest:


City Clerk & Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER:

August 8, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at meeting of City Council held on Friday evening August 8, 1919 at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. W.A. Livingston
	Councilman	A.C. Watson.

Minutes of proceedings of Council at meeting held July 25th 1919 were read and approved.

City Treasurer submitted report of receipts and disbursements of City and Water and Light Plant for month of July which were received as information.

Report of Chief of Police.

No. Arrests	63
Fines and forfeitures	\$590.00
Days on public works	9
Transferred to Magistrate	1

Received as information.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF GASOLINE TANKS UPON THE STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND WAYS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, AND TO REQUIRE THE REMOVAL OF GASOLINE TANKS NOW ON ANY OF THE STREETS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

passed third reading and was ratified by following vote :-

Yea The Mayor Councilman Watson.

AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE THE OFFICE OF RECORDER FOR THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. was read by title and passed to second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

City Clerk notified Council that Turbine engine recently purchased from the General Electric Co. had arrived and that arrangement for funds to make settlement for same was necessary in order to meet first payment and freight on same.

Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to borrow on note or notes of the City of Orangeburg the sum of \$20.000 if so much be needed to settle for this Engine was passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson

(See resolution attached to and a part of these minutes)

The Mayor made following nominations to fill vacancies occurring in police department recently, as follows:-

Chief	G.S. Kirkland	in place	F.F. Limehouse	Resigned
Policemen	John H. Varn	" "	Fred Boyleston	"
"	Thos. H. Hall	" "	J.M. Edwins	"
"	E.H. Graham	" "	G.S. Kirkland	, promoted

to take effect from August 1, 1919.

Nomination was accepted by Council and they were elected to fill positions in police Department as above stated.

Vote Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

Council adjourned.

Goodwill at-Clark

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 is hereby authorized to borrow on the note or notes of said City maturing not later than December 1st, 1919, executed by Honorable W. A. Livingston, Mayor, and 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 Twenty (\$20,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purchase of a Turbo Generator set and accessories for the use of the Water and Light Plant of the City of Orangeburg, until the taxes for the fiscal year 1919-1920 are received.

SECTION II. 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 8th day of August A.D., 1919.

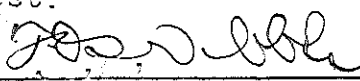


Mayor.



Councilmen.

Attest:



City Clerk & Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

COUNCIL CHAMBER?

Aug. 22, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening Aug. 22, 1919 at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. W.A. Livingston
	Councilman	J.M. Sifly

Minutes meeting August 8th read and approved by following vote :-
Yea The Mayor, Councilman Sifly

Board of Health Consisting of Dr. V.W. Brabham, Chairman, Mrs. J.M. Brailsford and Lewis E. Williams were present at meeting to discuss with Council matters relative to activities of Health Department. By Instruction of Board the Secty of same notified Council that Health Officer Mr F.C. Eain had tendered his resignation effective Sept. 1, 1919 which resignation the Board had accepted and elected Mr. B.D. Ward as his successor at a salary of \$100.00 per month term of office subject to discretion of Board of Health, Submitting action of Board for consideration of City Council.

Upon Motion action of Board was confirmed by following vote. Yea The Mayor, Councilman Sifly.

Board of Health authorized to increase pay of John Thornton in charge of Incinerator to 25 cents per hour.

In the matter of handling Street Dumpings for delivery to City Stables Street Department was instructed to haul same.

Dr. Brabham, Chairman, stated to Council that he had been in communication with Dr. Jas. A. Haynes, Secty State Board of Health, relative to taking advantage of offer of U.S. Public Health Service to make sanitary surveys of such Cities as desired same by expert engineers of said service, this survey to cost City having same made nothing for making survey, it being left absolutely with the City as to whether recommendations of these experts are carried out or no.

By unanimous consent City Clerk was instructed to communicate with Dr. Haynes advising him that at a joint meeting of City Council with Board of Health it was decided to request that Officer of U.S. Public Health Service be requested to make Sanitary Survey of City as per offer as stated by Dr. Brabham.

City Treasurer was authorized to pay bill of Board of Health for bicycle \$42.50 to be used by Health Officer, in discharge of his duty.

Street Department was instructed to make a charge of \$1.00 per load for the removal of limbs and brush from the trimming of or cutting down trees by residents of City. X

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A MUNICIPAL COURT IN AND FOR THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. which received first reading at regular meeting Aug. 8, 1919, passed second reading by following vote:-

Yea the Mayor, Councilman Sifly.

REGULAR MEETING AUGUST 22, 1919 continued.

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, 1919 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1920, passed second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor Councilman Sifly.

Council adjourned.


City Clerk

Minutes proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday, September 12, 1919 at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. W A. Livingston
	Councilman	A.C. Watson
		John M. Sifly

Minutes meeting August 22nd read and approved.

City Treasurer submitted report of receipts and disbursements of office of City Clerk and Treas. for month of August which was received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for month of August as follows:-

Number arrests	120
Fines and forfeitures	\$834.00
Days on public works	37

Received as information.

Application from Jennings-Bowman Company for permission to replace gasoline tank now operated by them with one of larger capacity, read and City Clerk instructed to advise these parties that action on their petition would be had at next regular meeting of Council at which meeting a representative of the firm was requested to be present.

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, 1919 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1920. received third reading, was passed and ordered engrossed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Sifly.

Mr. William C. Wolfe appeared before Council for the purpose of interesting this body in a proposition to open up a twenty-five foot street connecting South Middleton Street with South Broughton Street. He stated that he had recently purchased the "old Cotton Yard" property of Mrs Adeline Smoak on South Broughton Street and wished to develop same. That he was willing to donate thirty feet for a street through this property and that Mr. P.M. Smoak would donate 12 1/2 feet if City would donate same amount making a twenty five foot Street on the Middleton Street end.

Consideration of this proposition was postponed for future consideration.

Councilman Watson submitted contract made by General Fire Extinguisher Company of Charlotte N.C. proposing to furnish all necessary piping, valves &c and work incident with connecting up the G.E. Turbine to be installed at Water and light plant for a cost of \$3,745.00,

Meeting September 12 1919 continued.

Councilman Watson recommended that this contract be accepted . and following resolution was passed.

Resolved ~~that contract~~ By City Council that the proposals set forth in contract of the General Fire Extinguisher Company submitted to Council this day is hereby accepted and Councilman Watson is hereby authorized to sign ^{said} contract on behalf of the City, and the City Clerk and Treasurer is authorized to attest same and affix the seal of the City thereto. Passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Sifly.

Bill of \$55.90 from Young America Fire Engine Company for repairs to fire truck was ordered paid .

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Sifly.

AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL THE EXEMPTION OF MANUFACTURERS Clause of Chapter 4 Section 59 of the revised Ordinances of the City of Orangeburg , passed 1st reading by following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

A petition from property owners North and South side of West Russel Street, from ~~South~~ Broughton to Seaboard Avenue for Granite Curb and Cement pavement was read .

Petition granted and work ordered done by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Petition from property holders abutting West side of Green Street, submitted at meeting June 27th was granted and City Engineer instructed to lay curbing when work on Russel Street is completed, also to lay curb on East Russel Street as soon thereafter as practicable.

Mr. J. O. Bolen, through City Engineer Hawes, asked permission to roll 4 buildings now on property opposite City Hall on South Middleton Street, through South and North Middleton Street, West Amelia and Fairey Streets to location on Fenwick Street. Mr. Hawes was instructed to advise Mr. Bolen that City Council could not permit the obstruction of streets mentioned as requested.

City Clerk was instructed to inform Gulf Refining Company that installation of Gasoline tank on South Broughton Street at property of Mr J. H. Albrecht does not comply with City regulations relative to same and it must be made to conform with requirements as given their representative by City Engineer.

no further business Council adjourned.

Yours truly, W. B. Sifly

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Sept 26, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at Regular meeting of City Council held on Friday Sept. 26, 1919 at 5 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon. W.A. Livingston
 Councilmen A.C. Watson
 John M. Sifly

Minutes meeting Sept. 12 1919 read and approved.

H.L. Green applied for permission to instal two 585 gal. Gasoline tanks and two 85 Gal Oil Tanks on lot owned by B.J. Mixson corner East Russel ~~Street~~ and Lowman Streets. Permission granted, installation to be in accordance with City Ordinances. Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

The petition from Jennings-Bowman Co for permission to instal larger Gasoline tank on location now occupied by them on North Railroad Ave. which was postponed from last meeting, was granted with the proviso that they reduce size of shed on North Railroad Ave., a portion of which is on the Street to conform with Street Line, satisfactory to Council, but should building project one ^{inch} ~~ex~~ two feet over street petitioner to pay city \$1.00 per year for seven years. All work to be done under supervision of City Engineer. Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Wayson and Sifly.

Communication from Chamber of Commerce asking Council to appropriate \$50.00 per month towards the maintainance of a room for the care of public charge patients, was read and action postponed.

Following Communication was received from Mr. Jas M. Green.

Honorable City Council:-

Gentlemen:- on the sixteenth of March 1917 I entered into a contract with the City of Orangeburg whereby it was agreed that if I advanced the money, the City would make certain improvements in the way of the extension of the Sewer System on Lyndale Street, and would repay me the money so advanced as soon as the City should be in a financial position so to do; Under this contract I advance seven hundred Dollars . I now think it time that the City repay me this amount, and I request that Council take up this matter as early as convenient.

very respectfully

Signed J.M. Green.

City Clerk was instructed to advise Mr. Green that at present City was not in funds to repay this amount but would take up matter later in the year.

REGULAR MEETING Sept.26,1919 continued.

Mr.Geo V.Zeigler and H.B.Riggs of Reneker & Riggs, were in attendance at meeting to submit samples and prices for Police Uniforms . The Mayor was authorized to make selection and purchase Fall Uniforms for Police and Health Department.

A delegation of dealers in horses and mules consisting of following,were present:- Messrs N.W.Wertz,U G Bryant,T.B.Bryant,Mr.Smoak of Orangeburg Live Stock Co asked Council to increase license charged transient dealers and auctioneers of horses and mule within City. As a result of their request an amendment to license ordinance making license to transient dealers and Auctioneers of Horses and Mules \$500 per day,received first reading.

Vote Yea The Mayor,Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr.J.O.Bolen with his contractor was present to ascertain if he could make any arrangement with Council whereby he could move buildings on South Middleton Street to Fenwick Street,which was discussed at last meeting of Council and proposition declined

The Mayor advised Mr.Bolen that Council would not consider the blocking of the Streets by the moving of these buildings at this season of the year and not until march 1,1920 at the earliest,but suggested that Mr.Bolen put his proposition in writing and submit same to Council.

Board of Health,Dr.V.W.Brabham,Messrs L.E.Williams and Jas.M.Brailsford attended this meeting for the purpose of conferring with Council in reference to matters pertaining to this Department. Council was notified that Mr.B.D.Ward had handed in his resignation effective as soon as his successor was elected and qualified and that Board had elected in his stead to serve as Health Officer at will of Board of Health at a salary of \$100.00 per month, Mr.M.P.Smoak and Council was asked to approve action of Board; Action of Board of Health in this matter was approved by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor.Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

The Board was authorized to employ an extra man for the purpose of collecting sanitary dues at a salary of \$25.00 per month and 25 % of amount collected by following vote.

Yea The Mayor,Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

The Mayor at request of Board of Health promised assistance of the Police Department in enforcing Trash Ordinance whenever needed.

The City Park Field located near the river was rented to F.R.Courtney for year ending Sept.30 1920 for \$10.00

REGULAR MEETING SEPTEMBER 26, 1919 continued.

AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL SO MUCH OF SECTION 59 OF THE REVISED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG AS EXEMPTS MANUFACTORIES FROM CITY LICENSES AND TAXES. received and passed second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Sifly
Nay Councilman Watson.

Enginuer Hawes was instructed to charge in the future \$10.00 each for hauling dead stock to Incinerator.

Messrs J.Stokes Salley, Havelock Eaves, and Jas.M.Albergotti were recommended to the Governor for re-appointment as City Commissioners of Election for City of Orangeburg and City Atty was requested to so advise Governor.

City Clerk and Treas. notified Council that following petitions had been filed with him Sept.24th 1919:-

A Petition of Freeholders of the City of Orangeburg for The issue of Coupon Bonds to extend and enlarge its Sewerage and Sewerage System, in amount \$50.000

A Petition of Freeholders of the City of Orangeburg for the issue of Coupon Bonds for the purpose of paying for permanant improvements on the Streets of the City of Orangeburg, in amount \$610.000

A Petition of Freeholders of the City of Orangeburg for the issue of Coupon Bonds for the purpose of paying for Enlarging and Extending its Water Works, in amount \$45.000

A Petition of Freeholders of The City of Orangeburg for the issue of Coupon Bonds to Extend and Enlarge its Electric Light Plant, in amount \$45.000

A Petition of Freeholders of the City of Orangeburg for the issue of Coupon Bonds for the purpose of establishing a Gas Plant, in amount ~~\$50.000~~ \$100.000

The said petitioners requests City Council to call a special election to vote on said petitions, and City Clerk filed with Council his certificate as required by law that each of above petitions had received a majority signature of Freeholders of the City of Orangeburg.

(See certificate attached to and a part of these Minutes)

Upon the reading of certificate of City Clerk and Treasurer Councilman Watson offered the following resolution ordering an election pursuant to said petitions to be held on Tuesday November 4, 1919 ; also that books of registration be opened by supervisor of Registration ten days as required by law for the registration of qualified voters. This resolution was passed by following vote,

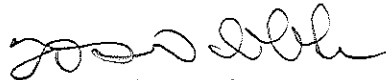
Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Sifly.

to

(See Resolution attached and a part of these minutes)

A proclamation ordering election properly signed was read by City Clerk and approved by Council and ordered published in accordance with legal requirements.

Council then adjourned.



City Clerk and Treas.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,))
COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.) THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

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

I, T. O. S. Dibble, City Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Orangeburg, S. C., and custodian of the Tax Books of said City, do hereby certify and declare that I have carefully examined and compared with the tax books of the said City of Orangeburg, the names and signatures of the freeholders, who have signed the petition to said City Council asking the said City Council to order a special election, at which election shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City of Orangeburg the question: "Shall the City of Orangeburg for the purpose of establishing a gas plant or system, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said City?"

And I find, and do hereby certify and declare that a majority of the freeholders of the said City of Orangeburg, S. C., have signed the said petition as required by law, as appears from the tax books of said City as follows:

Total number of freeholders of said City-- 873

Total number of freeholders who have signed
said petition, 443

And I do hereby further certify that I have carefully examined and compared with the tax books of the said City of Orangeburg, the names and signatures of the freeholders of said City, who have signed the petition to the City Council of Orangeburg, S. C., asking that the said City Council of Orangeburg order a special election at which special election shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City, the question: "Shall the City of Orangeburg, S. C., for the purpose of enlarging and extending its sewerage and sewerage system, issue coupon bonds as provided by

law, to the amount of fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said City?"

And I find and do hereby certify and declare that a majority of the freeholders of the said City of Orangeburg, S. C., have signed said petition as required by law, as appears from the tax books of ~~said~~ said City, as follows:

Total number of freeholders of said City,	873 .
Total number of freeholders who have signed said petition,	461.

And I do further hereby certify that I have carefully examined and compared with the tax books of the said City of Orangeburg the names and signatures of the freeholders, who have signed the petition to said City Council asking said City Council to order a special election, at which election shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City of Orangeburg, S. C., the question: "Whether for the purpose of paying for permanent improvements on the streets of the City of Orangeburg, S. C., shall the City of Orangeburg, S. C., issue coupon bonds as provided by law to the amount of six hundred and ten thousand (\$610,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said City?"

And I find and do hereby certify and declare that a majority of the freeholders of the City of Orangeburg, S. C., have signed said petition as required by law, as appears from the tax books of said City as follows:

Total number of freeholders of said City,	873
Total number of freeholders who have signed said petition,	456

And I do further certify that I have carefully examined and compared with the tax books of the City of Orangeburg, S. C. the names and signatures of the freeholders of said City, who have signed the petition to the City Council of said City asking that the said City Council of Orangeburg, S. C., order a special election at which special election shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City, the question: "Shall the City of Orangeburg, S. C., for the purpose of enlarging and

extending its waterworks, issue coupon bonds as provided by law to the amount of forty-five thousand (\$45,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said City?"

I find and do hereby certify and declare that a majority of the freeholders of the City of Orangeburg, S., C., have signed said petition as required by law as appears from the tax books of said City as follows:

Total number of freeholders of said city, 873

Total number of freeholders who have signed said petition, 463

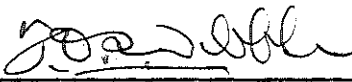
And I do further certify that I have carefully examined and compared with the tax books of the City of Orangeburg, S. C., the names and signatures of the freeholders who have signed the petition to the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, asking the City Council to order a special election, at which said special election shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City, the question: "Shall the City of Orangeburg, S. C., for the purpose of enlarging and extending its electric light plant, issue coupon bonds as provided by law to the amount of forty-five thousand Dollars (\$45,000.)), or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said City?"

And I find and do hereby certify and declare that a majority of the freeholders of the said City of Orangeburg, S. C., have signed said petition as required by law as appears from the tax books of said City, as follows:

Total number of freeholders of said City, 873

Total number of freeholders who have signed said petition, 462

Given under my hand and at Orangeburg, S. C., this
26th day of September, A. D. 1919.



City Treasurer of the City
of Orangeburg, S. C.

State of South Carolina
County of Orangeburg
City of Orangeburg

In re: Petition for
Special Elections to
submit to qualified
Electors the questions
as to the issue of Bonds
for Electric Lights,
Sewerage, Streets,
Waterworks and Gas

Certificate of City Clerk
Treasurer as to Majority
of Freeholders signing Petition

Filed

Sept. 26-1909

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.

WHEREAS on the 24th day of September A. D. 1919, a majority of the freeholders of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, as shown by the Tax Books of said City did file with THE CITY COUNCIL OF ORANGEBURG their petitions asking that the City Council of Orangeburg order a special election, as required by law, at which election shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City of Orangeburg the question:

"Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of establishing a gas plant or system, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of one hundred thousand ^{Dollars}, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

And that the said City Council of Orangeburg also submit to the qualified electors of said City of Orangeburg at a special election the question:

"Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its sewerage and sewerage system, issue coupon bonds as provided by law to the amount of fifty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

And that the said City Council of Orangeburg also submit to the qualified electors of said City of Orangeburg at a special election the question:

"Whether for the purpose of paying for permanent improvements on the streets of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, issue coupon bonds as provided by law to the amount of six hundred and ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

And that the said City Council of Orangeburg also submit to the qualified electors of said City of Orangeburg at a special election the question:

"Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its water works, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of forty five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

And that the ^{said} City Council of Orangeburg also submit to the qualified electors of said City of Orangeburg, at a special election the question:

"Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its electric light plant, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of forty five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDAINED by the City Council

of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in regular council assembled, pursuant to said petitions and as required by law that a Special Election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held at the City Hall, in the City and County of Orangeburg in said State, on Tuesday, the 4th day of November, A. D., 1919, at which election shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City of Orangeburg the questions:

"Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of establishing a gas plant or system, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

And also the question shall be submitted at said election:

"Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its sewerage and sewerage system, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of fifty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

And also the question shall be submitted at said election:

"Whether for the purpose of paying for permanent improvements on the streets of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, issue coupon bonds as provided by law to the amount of six hundred and ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

And also the question shall be submitted at said election:

"Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its water works, issue ^{coupon} bonds as provided by law, to the amount of forty five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

And also the question shall be submitted at said election:

"Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its electric light plant, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of forty five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

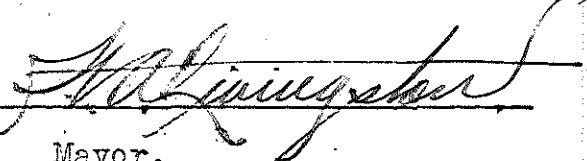
And said questions shall be voted on separately by the qualified electors at said election.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ORANGEBURG That those qualified electors of said City voting at said election who are in favor of issuing said bonds shall in respect to each proposed issue of said bonds vote a ballot upon which shall be written or printed "Yes, in favor of Bonds," and

that those qualified electors of said City voting at said election, who are opposed to issuing said bonds, shall vote a ballot upon which shall be written or printed "No, against Bonds". Also each ballot voted at such election or elections shall have printed or written upon the face thereof the question, voted or to be voted on therein.

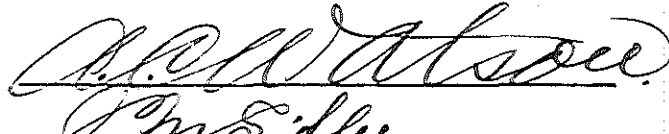

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ORANGEBURG That, for the purposes of said election, Books of Registration be opened by the Supervisor of Registration of said City, twenty days before the day fixed for said election, and that said Books of Registration be kept open ^{for} ~~open~~ days in said City, for the purpose of registering all persons qualified to register in said City as provided by law; and that the said Supervisor of ^{Registration of} said City do publish due notice of the time and place of the opening of said Books of Registration.

DONE AND RATIFIED in City Council by the City Council of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in Council assembled, at the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, this 26th day of September, 1919.


Mayor.

ATTEST:


City Clerk & Treasurer.



Councilmen of Orangeburg.

South Carolina
County of Berkeley
City of Cranbury

Resolution Order
Special Election
For Bond Issue

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO BE HELD BY THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG UPON THE QUESTION OF ISSUING COUPON BONDS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG IN THE SUM OF EIGHT HUNDRED AND FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, THE SUM OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS THEREOF FOR THE PURPOSE OF ESTABLISHING A GAS PLANT OR SYSTEM; THE SUM OF FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENLARGING AND EXTENDING THE SEWERAGE AND SEWERAGE SYSTEM OF SAID CITY; THE SUM OF SIX HUNDRED AND TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING FOR PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS ON THE STREETS OF SAID CITY; FORTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENLARGING AND EXTENDING THE WATER WORKS OF SAID CITY; THE SUM OF FORTY FIVE THOUSAND FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENLARGING AND EXTENDING THE ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT OF SAID CITY.

WHEREAS, a majority of the free-holders of the City of Orangeburg, as shown by its tax books, did on the 24th day of September, 1919, file with the City Council of Orangeburg, their petitions, as provided by law, praying that a special election be held at which election shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City of Orangeburg, the question:- "Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of establishing a gas plant or system, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?" Also praying that the City Council of Orangeburg submit to the qualified electors of the City of Orangeburg at said special election the question:- "Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its sewerage and sewerage system, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city"? Also praying that the City Council of Orangeburg submit to the qualified electors of the said City of Orangeburg at said special election the question:- "Whether for the purpose of paying for permanent improvements on the streets of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, issue coupon bonds as pro-

vided by law to the amount of six hundred and ten thousand (\$610,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city"? Also praying that the City Council of Orangeburg submit to the qualified electors of the said City of Orangeburg at said special election the question:- "Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its water works, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of forty five thousand (\$45,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city"? And also praying that the City Council of Orangeburg submit to the qualified electors of the said City of Orangeburg at said special election the question:- "Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its ^{light} electric/plant, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of forty five thousand (\$45,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city"?

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to said petitions, the City Council of Orangeburg did on the 26th day of September, A. D., 1919, duly pass and ratify a Resolution and Ordinance directing that an election be held by the qualified electors of said City upon said questions of issuing coupon bonds as prayed in the said petitions, said election to be held on the 4th day of November, A. D., 1919, at the City Hall, in the City of Orangeburg, in the County of Orangeburg, and State of South Carolina.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to said petitions and to said Ordinance and Resolution, duly passed, adopted and ratified by the City Council of Orangeburg, at a regular meeting of said City Council held on the said 26th day of September, A. D., 1919,

IT IS ORDERED AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That a special election shall be held at the City Hall, in the City of

Orangeburg, in the County of Orangeburg, and State of South Carolina, on Tuesday, the 4th day of November, A. D., 1919, by the qualified electors of the said City of Orangeburg, at which election shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the said City the questions, "Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of establishing a gas plant or system, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?" Also the question shall be submitted at said election to the qualified electors:- "Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its sewerage and sewerage system, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?" Also the question shall be submitted at said election to the qualified electors:- "Whether for the purpose of paying for permanent improvements on the streets of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, issue coupon bonds as provided by law to the amount of six hundred and ten thousand (\$610,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?" Also the question shall be submitted at said election to the qualified electors:- "Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its water works, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of forty five thousand (\$45,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?" And also the question shall be submitted at said election to the qualified electors:- " Shall the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for the purpose of enlarging and extending its electric light plant, issue coupon bonds as provided by law, to the amount of forty

five thousand (\$45,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be legally issued by said city?"

Said questions so submitted shall be voted on separately by the qualified electors of said City at said election.

At said election those qualified electors of said City voting at said election who are in favor of issuing ^{said} bonds shall in respect to each proposed issue of said bonds vote a ballot upon which shall be written or printed "yes, in favor of bonds," and those qualified electors of said City voting at said election who oppose the issuing of said bonds shall vote a ballot upon which shall be written or printed "No, against bonds." Also each ballot voted at such election or elections shall have printed or written upon the face thereof, the question ~~voted~~ or to be voted on therein.

At said election the polls shall be open at eight o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be closed at eight o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

That for the purpose of registering those qualified to vote in said election, not heretofore registered, the Books of Registration shall be open by the Commissioners of Election of the said City of Orangeburg twenty days before said election and remain open for ten days, as provided by law.

The said special election shall be conducted by the Managers of Election duly appointed by the Commissioners of Election, in and for the said City of Orangeburg, and said managers shall conduct said election according to law, and make returns thereof to the Commissioners of Election of said City.

The qualified electors of said City are further notified
that H. E. Moore, P. F. Haigler and
O. A. Hydrick are the managers of election
duly named, appointed, and qualified to conduct said election, and
make the statement and return thereof as required by law.

October 3rd, 1919.

Stokes Sallee
James A. H. H.
Havelock Cady

COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION OF
THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

J. A. Livingston
MAYOR.

A. W. H. H.
COUNCILMAN.

J. M. Sifly
COUNCILMAN.

ATTEST:

Good
CITY CLERK.

State of South Carolina
County of Oconee
City of Oconee

In re: Proposed Issue
of Bonds.

Proclamation of
Election

Orangeburg, S.C., October 3rd. 1919.

Hon. R.A. Cooper, Governor of South Carolina
Columbia, S.C.

Dear Sir:

It appearing to the City Council of Orangeburg, S.C. that the term of office of Messrs. J. Stokes Salley, Jas. M. Albergetti and Havelock Hayes as the Board of Commissioners of Election for the City of Orangeburg, has expired, and that under Section 3090 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina Vol. 1, it is necessary that their successors be appointed by your Excellency, We, the undersigned, constituting the city Council of the City of Orangeburg, beg leave to recommend and request that the above named gentlemen be reappointed the Commissioners of Election for the City of Orangeburg, for a term of two years as is provided by law..

Respectfully submitted.

W.A. Livingston
Mayor of the City of Orangeburg

A.A.C. Watson
Councilman

John M. Sifley
Councilman.

Attest

T.O.S. Dibble.
City Clerk.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER..

Oct.10,1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City
Council held on Friday October 10,1919 at 6 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon.W.A.Livingston
 Councilmen A.C.Watson
 J.M.Sifly.

Financial Statement of City Treasurer was postponed to
second meeting in this month as books are in hands of Auditor.

Report of Chief of Police for September as follows:-

No.arrests	125
Fines and Forfeitures	\$900
Days on Public Works	10
Transferred to Magistrate	2

Mr.M.O.Dantzler asked permission to erect an Iron Clad
Automobile Garage on property of his wife,abutting building owned
by her and occupied by Tyler Bros and "Arants" gents furnishing
establishment. This building to be used for Automobile of himself
and that of Tyler Bros. No action was taken on this application
but Mr.Dantzler was assured that if he would make satisfactory
adjustment of insurance rates effecting adjacent property that
Council would grant permit.

Mr.Geo.A.Schiffley,representing Basket Band of the Metho-
dist Church, requested permission to sell meals, soft drinks & Cigars
from war savings booth on Court House Square. As Council has no
special charge of this booth he was advised that if he secured pro
per authority permission to use this booth that license would be
satisfactorily adjusted.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND BUSINESS LICENSE OF THE CITY OF
ORANGEBURG 1919-1929,relative to auction of horses and mules by
transients , passed second reading by following vote,

Yea The Mayor,Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Minutes meeting of Sept.26 read and approved by follow
ing vote:- Yea The Mayor,Councilmen Watson and Sifly

Council adjourned.


City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

Council Chamber.

Nov 14, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening Nov. 14 1919, at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. W.A. Livingston
	Councilmen	A.C. Watson
		J.M. Sifly.

Minutes meeting Oct. 24th read and approved.

Mr. P.R. Sanders again submitted application to be allowed to move building located on No. 43 S. Middleton Street to a location situate on opposite side of same Street on block next South of present location. This petition was granted with the understanding that Mr. Sanders and his contractor give bond in sufficient amount to protect the City and save it harmless in respect thereto, City Attorney to approve all necessary papers as to form and the Mayor as to sufficiency.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Farmers Marketing Association, represented by Mr. John Blanche, applied for extension of water mains from terminus of same on Bayne Street to near center of Whaley Street, four inch main to be laid. This extension was for the purpose of furnishing fire protection to two warehouses said Association proposed building, in order to secure minimum insurance rates on Cotton to be stored therein. The Marketing Association to secure right of way through private property covered by this extension also to pay cost of all labor necessary to make this extension, City to furnish all 4 inch pipe and necessary valves and one Hydrant.

Work to be done under supervision of Superintendent of Water and Light Plant. Passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr. O.W. Hartness petitioned for outlet on Warehouse recently built by him on Dukes Avenue for water from said warehouse to Storm Sewer on ~~South Side~~ City Engineer Hawes estimated cost of this work to be \$200. Petition granted, work to be done under supervision of City Engineer. Vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr. William C. Wolfe was present and renewed his petition for the opening of a street connecting South Middleton Street with South Broughton Street through property of City of Orangeburg, P.M. Smoak, Estate of Theodore Kohn and property recently purchased by Mr. Wolfe. A plat of proposed Street was submitted and filed with City Clerk and Treasurer.

Following Resolution was passed.

(See Resolution attached to and a part of these minutes)

Vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER?

Oct 24, 1919

Minutes proceedings at meeting of City Council held on Friday
October 24, 1919 at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. W.A. Livingston
	Councilmen	A.C. Watson
		John M. Sifly

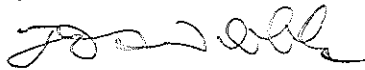
Minutes meeting Oct. 10, read and approved.

Financial report of City Clerk and Treasurer was submitted and received as information.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND BUSINESS LICENSE ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, relative to the auction of horses and mules by itinerants, received third reading and passed by following vote:- Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr. P. B. Sanders was present and submitted verbal request for permit to mow a building recently purchased by him and located on the East side of S. Middleton St down S. Middleton St to lot on West side of said Street. Mr. Sanders was ^{advised} ~~requested~~ to submit proposition in writing, especially stating how long street would be obstructed in moving this house, after which Council would give due consideration to same.

Council then adjourned.



City Clerk

A committee from Farmers Marketting Association consisting of Messrs John Blanch, John Mc Namara, Geo, R, Bowman, W.L. Moseley and L.S. Wolfe submitted verbally request for water protection for Cotton Warehouses of this Association located on property of Orangeburg County Fair Association. They were advised that Council would take matter under consideration and would be in position to act on same at next meeting.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

Council Chamber.

Nov 14, 1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening Nov. 14 1919, at 6 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon. W.A. Livingston
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		J.M. Sifly.

Minutes meeting Oct. 24th read and approved.

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Following Resolution was passed.

(See Resolution attached to and a part of these minutes)

Vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr James M. Albergotti was present to ask consideration of his petition submitted at last meeting of Council in reference to extension of Rowe Street on opening and grading of other Streets through his property adjacent to South Broughton and Rowe Street, which he submitted to Council at ~~last~~ Meeting July 25th 1919.

After full discussion of Mr. Albergotti's proposition it was agreed by City Council to extend Rowe Street from ~~Whaley Street~~ ^{Union Ave} to Mc Alpin Street; open and grade Mc Alpin Street; from South Broughton to Chrystal Street; opening and grading Chrystal Street from Whaley Street to Mc Alpine Street; widening Whaley Street to a width of 50 Feet from South Broughton Street to right of way off Southern Railway. Mr. Albergotti to pay the entire cost of entailed in above mentioned improvements, to furnish City with necessary rights of way. The City to re-imburse Mr Albergotti in the amount of \$500.00 and no more on Jan. 1, 1921, without interest. City Attorney to draw up agreement covering above to be signed by Mr. Albergotti for himself and the Mayor for the City attested by City Clerk and Treasurer.

This agreement was passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr. Jas. M. Brailsford submitted following Petition:-

To Hon. W. A. Livingston, Mayor

" A. C. Watson

" J. M. Sifly, Councilmen for the City of Orangeburg S. C.

We the undersigned, residents and property owners of the City of Orangeburg and Orange Township of the County of Orangeburg South Carolina, do hereby petition your honorable Board as follows:-

That the undersigned citizens are desirous of building and operating an Electric Light Line beginning at the end of the City limits on East Russel Street, and extending along the Belleville Road to the residence of Mr. Albert Bennett, a distance of one and one-quarter miles from the City limits of the City of Orangeburg.

The undersigned citizens propose to build this line free of cost to the City of Orangeburg and it is the intention of the undersigned citizens to incorporate same and thereby be responsible for any damages that might incur. That it is also the intention of the undersigned citizens to have a meter installed at the end of the City limits where the proposed Electric Line will be connected with the City line, thereby making it ^{un}necessary for the City Electrician to read the meters on this line outside of the City.

The purpose of this line is not for profit but for the convenience of the property owners along said line, the cost of installing same to be pro-rated among those using the line now and here after.

In consideration of the building and maintaining of this line free of cost to the City of Orangeburg we, the undersigned citizens do petition your Honorable Board that you furnish us with

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continued.

the necessary current for running and operating this line.

In case of the granting of our petition by your Honorable Board we would be glad if you see fit, to have your City Attorney draw a contract between the City of Orangeburg and the proposed Company carrying the provisions above set forth.

Respectfully Submitted.

Signed. Jerry M. Hughes	J. B. Smosk,
H. L. Shuler	A. Bennett
Geo. H. Muller	W. E. Mc Craw
Jas. M. Brailsford	M. P. Rosseau.

After full discussion of above petition with several of the petitioners present at this meeting petition was granted and City Attorney was instructed to draw up necessary papers carrying out intent of petition.

Vote:- Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Council then took recess to Monday Nov. 17th.

Nov. 17 1919.

Council re-assembled.

Present the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

City Clerk and Treas. submitted financial statement of receipts and disbursements for month of October 1919.

Received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for month of Oct. 1919

No. Arrests	190
Fines and Forfeitures	\$1,374.50
Days on public Works	25
Transferred to Magistrate	1

Received as information.

Bill for repairs to West Russel Street from River Bridge East on account of damage from flood of July 1919 amounting to \$350.90 was read and City Clerk was instructed to send same to Atlantic Coast Line Railway for payment.

Paving Assessments for Hampton Street for Curbing and North Broughton Street for curbing, submitted by City Engineer were approved by Council and City Clerk was instructed to issue statements to property owners interested for payment of their proportion.

Vote:- Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

By Unanimous vote of Council Mr. W. E. Verdery was elected Street Overseer at a salary of \$150.00 per month commencing Dec. 1, 1919, term of office at will of Council.

Vote Yea The Mayor Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Salary of City Engineer was increased to \$4000 per Annum commencing Jan 1 1920, by following vote,

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly

Regular Meeting Nov 14 1919 continued.

Salary of City Clerk and Treas was increased to \$2.400 per annum commencing Jan.1,1920 by following vote:-


Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Report of Commissioners of election declaring result of election on the question of issuing bonds by City for municipal improvements, which election was held on the 4th day of November 1919. This report was received as information and ordered filed by following vote :-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly

(See report attached to and a part of these minutes)

Council then adjourned.


City Clerk and Treas.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.

To The Hon. Clerk of the Court for the
County of Orangeburg,
and
The City Clerk for the
City of Orangeburg:

Gentlemen:

We, the undersigned Commissioners of Election for the City of Orangeburg, do make the following report of the Election held in the City of Orangeburg on the 4th day of November, 1919, on the question of the Issuing of Bonds by said City for the enlarging and extension of its water works; on the question of issuing bonds by said City for the enlarging and extension of its electric light plant; on the question of issuing bonds by said City for the enlarging and extension of its sewerage and sewerage system; on the question of issuing bonds by said City for the establishment of a gas plant, ^{or system} and on the question of issuing bonds by said City to pay for permanent improvements on the streets of said City:

The question of issuing bonds by the City of Orangeburg for the enlarging and extension of its water works, in the sum of forty five thousand dollars; the enlarging and extension of its electric light plant, in the sum of forty five thousand dollars; the enlarging and extension of its sewerage and sewerage system, in the sum of fifty thousand dollars; the establishment of a gas ^{or system} plant, in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, ^{for the purpose} and for permanent improvements on the streets of said City, in the sum of six hundred and ten thousand dollars, ~~were~~ duly submitted to the citizens to be voted upon on the 4th day of November, 1919, that this election was held upon said date in compliance with

Farmers Marketing Association -

Mar. 9.

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MAN 9 140' 6" Pipe = 2.33 Lms. } 539 Lms.
 241' 4" " = 2.62 " } @ \$58.00 312 62
 12' 8" " = .34 " } Per Lms
 1- 4" x 6" Cross = .10

2-2" Muzzle Hydrants \$47.60 ea 95 20
 364 lbs lead @ .11 1/4 per lb. 40 00

Total time of City SW work. 203 35

\$651 17

laws regulating same and that the Managers of said election have regularly reported same to us, which return or reports ~~are~~ hereto attached.

We have carefully inspected the ballots and reports of Managers of said Election and find same correctly reported by the Managers of Election; that is, said ballots show:

Total votes cast for Bond Issue (extension water works), .	261
Of which For Bonds (extension water works),	233 ✓
" " Against " " " "	28 ✓
Total votes cast for Bond Issue (extension electric light plant),	262
Of which For Bonds (extension electric light plant), . . .	233 ✓
" " Against " " " "	29 ✓
Total votes cast for Bond Issue (extension sewerage and sewerage system),	260
Of which For Bonds (extension sewerage and sewerage system),	230 ✓
" " Against " " " "	30 ✓
Total votes cast for Bond Issue (establishment gas plant)	263
Of which For Bonds (establishment gas plant),	226 ✓
" " Against " " " "	37
Total votes cast for Bond Issue (permanent improvements on streets),	264
Of which For Bonds (permanent improvements on streets), .	221 ✓
" " Against " " " "	43 ✓

We, therefore, declare the result of said election favorable to the issuing of bonds by said City of Orangeburg in the sum of forty five thousand dollars for the enlarging and extension of its water works; favorable to the issuing of bonds by the said City in the sum of forty five thousand dollars for the enlarging and extension of its electric light plant; favorable to the issuing of bonds by the said City in the sum of fifty thousand dollars for the enlarging and extension of its sewerage and sewerage system; favorable to the issuing of bonds by the said City in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars for the establishment of a gas plant, and favorable to the issuing of bonds by the said City in the sum of six hundred and ten thousand dollars for permanent improvements on the streets of said City. *Given under my hand and sealed to this 10th day of November 1914.*

[Signature]
[Signature]
Commissioners of Election.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD IN
THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA, on the 4th day of
November, A. D. 1919, on the question of issuing \$610,000.00
Coupon bonds of the City of Orangeburg, for the purpose of paying
for permanent improvements on the streets of the City of Orange-
burg, South Carolina.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION OF THE CITY OF
ORANGEBURG AND TO THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

We, the undersigned managers of the election held in
the City of Orangeburg, S. C., this 4th day of November, 1919,
on the question of issuing coupon bonds of the City of Orangeburg,
in the sum of \$610,000.00 for the purpose of paying for perma-
nent improvements on the streets of the City of Orangeburg,
South Carolina, do hereby make the following statement and re-
turn of said election:-

Total number of votes on bond issue 267
Of which "YES FOR BONDS" received 221
Of which "NO FOR BONDS" received 46

We, the undersigned managers of the said election,
do hereby certify that the above and foregoing statement is a
true and correct return of the whole number of votes cast on the
question of the bond issue above named and the number of votes
cast for bonds and the number cast against bonds; and the fore-
going is a true and correct return of the result of the said
election.

Given under our hands at Orangeburg, South Carolina,
this 4th day of November, A. D. 1919.

W. H. Moore,

P. F. Haigler,

Frank R. Byrdick

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD IN
THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA, on the 4th day of Novem-
ber, A. D., 1919, on the question of issuing \$100,000.00 coupon
bonds of the City of Orangeburg for the purpose of establishing
a gas plant or system for said City.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION OF THE CITY OF
ORANGEBURG AND TO THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG:-

We, the undersigned managers of the election held
in the City of Orangeburg, S. C., this 4th day of November, 1919,
on the question of issuing coupon bonds of the City of Orangeburg,
in the sum of \$100,000.00 for the purpose of establishing a
gas plant or system for the said City of Orangeburg, do hereby
make the following statement and return of said election:-

Total number of votes on bond issue	<u>263</u>
Of which "YES FOR BONDS" received	<u>226</u>
Of which "NO FOR BONDS" received	<u>37</u>

We, the undersigned managers of the said election,
do hereby certify that the above and foregoing statement is a
true and correct return of the whole number of votes cast on the
question of the bond issue above named and the number of votes
cast for bonds and the number cast against bonds; and the fore-
going is a true and correct return of the result of the said
election.

GIVEN under our hands at Orangeburg, South Carolina,
this the 4th day of November, A. D. 1919.

HELMORE,
P. F. Haigler,
Charles H. Hymnick

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD
IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA, ^{held} on the 4th day of
November, A.D. 1919, on the question of issuing \$50,000.00
coupon bonds of the City of Orangeburg, for the purpose of en-
larging and extending the sewerage and the sewerage system,
of the City of Orangeburg.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION OF THE CITY
OF ORANGEBURG AND TO THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG:-

We, the undersigned managers of the election
held in the City of Orangeburg, S. C., this 4th day of November,
1919, on the question of issuing coupon bonds of the City of
Orangeburg, in the sum of \$50,000.00 for the purpose of en-
larging and extending the sewerage and the sewerage system,
for the City of Orangeburg, do hereby make the following state-
ment and return of said election:-

Total number of votes on bond issue	<u>260</u>
Of which "YES FOR BONDS" received	<u>230</u>
Of which "NO FOR BONDS" received	<u>30</u>

We, the undersigned managers of the said elec-
tion, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing statement
is a true and correct return of the whole number of votes cast
on the question of the bond issue above named and the number
of votes cast for bonds and the number cast against bonds; and
the foregoing is a true and correct return of the result of
the said election.

GIVEN under our hands at Orangeburg, South
Carolina this the 4th day of November, A. D. 1919.

W. M. Coetz.
P. F. Haigler.
Charles D. Dyck

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD
IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA, on the 4th day of
November, A. D. 1919., on the question of issuing \$45,000.00
Coupon bonds of the City of Orangeburg, for the purpose of en-
larging and extending ~~the~~ electric light plant, of the City of
Orangeburg.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION OF THE CITY OF
ORANGEBURG AND TO THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG:-

We, the undersigned managers of the election held
in the City of Orangeburg, S. C., this 4th day of November, 1919,
on the question of issuing coupon bonds of the City of Orange-
burg, in the sum of \$45,000.00 for the purpose of enlarging and
extending ~~the~~ electric light plant, of the City of Orangeburg,
do hereby make the following statement and return of said elec-
tion:-

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question of the bond issue above named and the number of votes
cast for bonds and the number cast against bonds; and the fore-
going is a true and correct return of the result of the said
election.

GIVEN under our hands at Orangeburg, South Carolina,
this the 4th day of November, A. D. 1919.

H. E. Mootz.

P. F. Haigler

Charles E. Lyndon

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA ,

CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG.

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD
IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA, on the 4th day of
November, A. D. 1919, on the question of issuing \$45,000.00
Coupon bonds of the City of Orangeburg, for the purpose of en-
larging and extending ~~the~~ water works, of the City of Orange-
burg.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION OF THE CITY OF
ORANGEBURG AND TO THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG.

We, the undersigned managers of the election held
in the City of Orangeburg, S. C., this 4th day of November, 1919,
on the question of issuing coupon bonds of the City of Orangeburg,
in the sum of \$45,000.00 for the purpose of enlarging and ex-
tending ~~the~~ water works, of the City of Orangeburg, do hereby
make the following statement and return of said election:-

Total number of votes on bond issue	<u>261</u>
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question of the bond issue above named and the number of votes
cast for bonds and the number cast against bonds; and the fore-
going is a true and correct return of the result of the said
election.

Given under our hands at Orangeburg, South Carolina,
this the 4th day of November, A. D. 1919.

HELMUTH
P. F. Haigler
Chas. A. Hymanick

State of South Carolina
County of Oconee
City of Oconee

Report and Statement
of the Commissioners
of Education for the City
of Oconee of the
Municipal Election
held in the City of
Oconee held on the
fourth day of November
1919 on the Questions
of Issuing Bonds by
the City of Oconee
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RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, in regular session assembled and a full quorum being present, do hereby dedicate, appropriate and set apart for a street or public way in said City a strip of land to be cut off of the North side of the City lot, such strip of land to be twelve feet and six inches in width, and about two hundred and sixty nine feet in length, running from Middleton Street Westwardly on the North side of said City lot to the strip of land or easement now owned by the Estate of Kohn; such strip of land being bounded on the North by a strip of land of equal width and length, now owned by Perry M. Smoak and to be also dedicated to the opening of the proposed street or public way; on the East by said Middleton Street; on the South by the remainder of said City lot; and West by said strip of land or easement belonging to the Estate of Kohn: Provided, that this dedication or appropriation of said strip of land by the City of Orangeburg for said purpose shall not be or become effective until the land or property owners of adjacent lands do dedicate or convey sufficient lands to open such street or way from said Middleton Street to Broughton Street in said City according to the plan for such street, made by Edward Hawes, Jr., City Engineer, dated July 19th. 1919. And in case any condemnation proceedings to open said street or way become necessary then the adjacent property owners shall ^{pay/} all damages assessed with costs and save City harmless in respect thereto.

Washington
Ed. Hawes, Jr.
J. M. S. S.

attest

Geo. B. B.
city clerk

CITY OF ORangeburg S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Nov.28,1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening Nov. 28,1919 at 6 O'Clock.

Present:- The Mayor Hon.W.A.Livingston
Councilmen A.C.Watson
J.M.Sifly

Minutes meeting Nov.14, read and approved.

Following communication from Board of Health was read:-

To the City Council:-

I am instructed to advise your Honorable Body that at a meeting of the Board of Health held Tuesday Nov.26,1919 that an election for the position of Health Officer to fill vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr.M.P.Smoak was held and Mr.Frank Dukes was elected . Salary \$100.00 per month. Term of office at will of Board.

The Board begs to advise that if this selection meets with the approval of Council that MrmDukes is ready to take charge Monday Dec.1st. Board has arranged that Health Officer has charge of Sanitary and Trash wagons, see that they are kept steadily at work and remove trash and Closet deposits as promptly as facilities at hand will permit.

Mr.Hartzog will continue the collection of Sanitary dues and inspection of sanitary closets in City reporting to the Board all that do not comply with regulations theretofor their information and necessary action.

This action of Board is submitted to your Honorable Body for your approval.

Respectfully

Signed

T.O.S.Dibble, Secty.

of Board of Health.

Action of Board of Health as above indicated approved by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and ^{Sifly} ~~Druzer~~.

Lease of portion of City property adjacent to power house renewed to H.C.W.Mc Millan for \$5.00 for year commencing Dec.1,1919 Payable by Oct.1,1920.

Application of Standard Oil Co. for permit to erect Kerosine Oil Tank on their property was declined as ^{plans submitted} ~~same~~ did not comply with City Regulations.

Engineer Hawes reported certain 12 and 15 alleys on lands known as A.R.Smith Lands

Meeting Nov.28 1919 continued.

(Old Parade Grounds) had been closed by adjacent owners . These alleys connected Russell (West) , Amelia (West) and Maple Streets. Action on same was postponed.

City Clerk was instructed to advise Companies composing Orangeburg Fire Department that a conference ~~wixx~~ in reference to Fire service was desired and they were requested to appoint two delegates to meet with Council on Dec.4th at 8 P.M. for said purpose.

Salary of Book-keeper to Water and Light Department was increased from \$75.00 per month to \$100.00 per month from Jan: 1st 1920.

City Clerk an Treas. was authorized to make payment of \$5.800 on certain notes Due by City Dec.1,1919 and Mayor authorized to renew balance for one year, by resolution attached to and a part of these minutes ~~by following~~ vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Council then adjourned.


City Clerk and Treas.

A RESOLUTION.

Whereas the city council of the City of Orangeburg by virtue of a resolution adopted February 28, 1918 under and by virtue of the authority and power vested in said City Council by an Act of the General Assembly of South Carolina approved February 12th 1918, borrowed on the notes of the City of Orangeburg, executed by the Mayor of said City and attested by the City Clerk and Treasurer, the sum of FIFTY THOUSAND (\$50.000) DOLLARS, for the purposes set forth in said resolution and in said Act, and

WHEREAS, on the 28th of February 1919 the City Council by resolution authorized the payment of FIVE THOUSAND, EIGHT HUNDRED (\$5.800.00) DOLLARS ON ACCOUNT OF SAID NOTES and the renewal of balance amounting to FORTY FOUR THOUSAND, TWO HUNDRED (\$44.200.00) by notes executed by the Mayor and attested by City Clerk and Treasurer of said City of Orangeburg, payable December 1, 1919 at interest not exceeding five per cent per annum, and

WHEREAS SAID NOTES are now due and are only paid in part and,

WHEREAS it is necessary to renew said notes to cover unpaid balance and whereas said Resolutions and said Act authorize said renewal ~~and~~ or renewals.

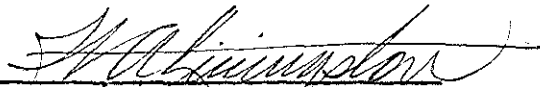
BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg in Council assembled.

SECTION 1. THAT THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG in order to renew the unpaid balance due on said notes, be and he is ~~he~~ hereby authorized to borrow on the notes of said City, maturing not later than DECEMBER 1, 1920, executed by Hon. W.A. Livingston, 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 THIRTY EIGHT THOUSAND, TWO HUNDRED (\$38.200.00) DOLLARS, as follows:


Note to Bank of Orangeburg, Orangeburg S.C.		\$8.500.00
Note to Peoples National Bank	" "	8.500.00
Note to Edisto National Bank	" "	8.500.00
Note to Planters Bank	" "	8.300.00
Note to Farmers and Merchants Bank	" "	4.400.00

SECTION 2 That the Credit and Good Faith of the City of Orangeburg as well as the Taxes to be levied and provided for and under the Act of The General Assembly, approved February 12, 1918, above referred to, be and the same are hereby pledged to secure the payment of the amounts so borrowed.

ADOPTED AND RETIFIED in Council assembled this 28,th day of November 1919 Anno Domini.


Mayor City of Orangeburg S.C.




Councilmen City of Orangeburg S.C.

Attest:-


City Clerk and Treasurer

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Dec 2, 1919

In accordance with action at last meeting of Council a conference was held with representatives of the four Companies composing the Orangeburg Fire Department on matters pertaining to the Fire Service of the City; on Tuesday Dec. 2, 1919.

Present The Mayor Hon. W.A. Livingston.

Councilmen A.C. Watson

I.M. Sifly.

Following representative of Fire Companies.

YOUNG AMERICA.	Messrs H.B. Riggs, F.P. Schiffley.
Elliotts	" E.A. Bultman, M.F. Inabinet.
EAST END	" T.A. Jeffords, O W. Spahr
PHOENIX	" W.W. Williams, A.E. Bythewood

His Honor the Mayor stated to firemen that City Council deemed it necessary to call this conference for the purpose of ascertaining from the individual companies the needs of the Fire Department in reference to hose and other necessary equipment as complaint had been made that they were short of same. That Council appreciated the valuable services of the members of the Companies composing Department and desired them to know that all necessary needs of Department, would as far as financial conditions of City Treasury would permit, would be supplied.

Each Company was requested to make a statement as to condition of equipment and membership or any other matter they desired to bring to attention of Council.

It was generally conceded that Department was short of hose, also the manner in which hose is taken from companies for use by Street Department was complained of.

Phoenix Company reported their Hose Wagon to be in bad condition and dangerous. Their representatives were instructed to at once ascertain the cost of a Chassis that could be used in connection with body of Wagon, by this means securing Automobile truck in place of Horse drawn Apparatus; Also to advise Council what they could realize from sale of Horse.

City Clerk was instructed to secure prices on hose and Chief of Fire Department was instructed to make an inventory of supplies on hand submitting same and making requisition on Council for absolute requirements of Fire Department

After assuring firemen present that Council intended to give Fire Department all reasonable financial support necessary and there being no further business, conference was declared adjourned by the Mayor

John W. Sifly City Treas

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Dec.12,1919

Minutes of proceedings at regular meeting of City Council held on Friday December,12,1919 at 6 P.M.

Present The Mayor Hon.W.A.Livingston
Councilmen A.C.Watson
J.M.Sifly

Minutes of meetings November 28 and December 2nd read and confirmed by Council.

City Clerk and Treas submitted financial report for month of November which was received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for Month of November:-

Number of arrests	162
Fines and Forfeitures	\$2.075.00
Days on Public Works	91
Transferred to Magistrate	1

Received as information.

City Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids on street sweepings and compost at City Stables for year 1920. Bids to be submitted by 2 P.M. Jan. 9,1920

Salary of City Attorney was increased to \$500.00 per annum to date from Oct.1,1919. *W.A.L.*

Bids for hose for use of Fire Department were submitted by ~~The~~ Fabric Hose Company, Eureka Fire Hose Co and Calahan Hose Company. Mr.Jas.Rafter representing the Fabric and Mr T.O.Stewart representing the Eureka Hose people were present.

Bids were opened and following prices submitted.

Fabric Hose Company

Keystone	1.30 per foot		
Safety Jacket	1.20	"	"
Yale Jacket	1.15	"	" 2 % off for cash

Eureka Fier Hose Co.

Paragon Hose	1.30	"	" 2 % off for cash
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C.C.C.Fire Hose Co.

Cantonia brand	1.20	"	" 4 % off for cash
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No action was taken at this meeting and City Clerk was instructed to secure further information as to terms.

City Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids on following Bonds to be offered for sale by City of Orangeburg,

\$100.000	Street Improvement
45.000	Electric Light
45.000	Water Works
10.000	Sewer

These bonds to run for 40 years with privilege of redemption in twenty years;Int 5 % payable semi-annually. Bidders to give bond in amount of \$1.000 as security for performance

Regular meeting Dec.12,1919

continued.

of contract if accepted.

This action of Council was passed by following vote.


Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL COUPON BONDS AUTHORIZED AND DIRECTED TO BE ISSUED AND SOLD BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. BY A SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD BY THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. ON THE FOURTH DAY OF NOVEMBER A.D. 1919, AND MAKING THE CERTAIN PRE-^{said}SCRIPTIONS REQUIRED BY LAW TO BE MADE BY CITY COUNCIL, was passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

(See Ordinance attached to and a part of these minutes.)

Meeting then adjourned. See Ordinance Book Pg 130-C



City Clerk and Treas.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.
CITY OF ORANGEBURG So. Ca. Dec. 15, 1919.
IN RELATION TO THE SALE OF \$200,000 MUNICIPAL BONDS.

Amount to be sold.

\$100.000	Street improvements.
45.000	For enlarging and extending its Water Works.
45.000	For enlarging and extending its Electric Light Plant.
10.000	For enlarging and extending its sewerage system.

To be issued by the City of Orangeburg, Orangeburg County, So. Ca.
To be dated Jan. 1, 1920 Maturing Jan. 1, 1960 — Option 20 years.
Rate of interest 5%, payable semi-annually.
Principal and interest payable at New York, City.
Issued under authority of Sec. 3050 Code of Laws of South Carolina
Volume 1, 1912 and Constitutional amendment approved March 8, 1919.

Date of Election Nov. 4, 1919.

Vote	Yes	No.
Street Improvements	221	43
Sewer	230	30
Electric Light	233	29
Water Works	233	28

Sealed bids received by T. O. S. Dibble City Clerk and Treas. up to
12 O'clock, Noon, Jan. 15, 1920.

Bids to be opened Jan. 15, 1920 at 6 P.M.

Certified Check for \$1,000, payable to the City of Orangeburg, S.C. to
accompany bid.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Assessed value taxable property 1918	\$ 2,121.770
Assessed value taxable property 1919	2,821.700
Estimated actual value of taxable property	10,000.000
Total Bonded indebtedness including this issue	351.000
Total floating indebtedness	38.000

Outstanding Bonds:—

Water and Light	5%	Due Dec. 1, 1938	40.000
Water & Light	5"	Due July 1, 1953	30.000
Sewer	4½	Due Jan. 1, 1947	50.000
Orbg Railway	4½	Due Jan. 1, 1933	20.000
M. & A. Railway	6%	Due Jan. 1, 1925	11.000

Total	\$151.000
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(Note) The M & A Ry Bonds were originally \$50,000 in amount but \$39,000 have
been retired by the City and balance \$11,000 purchased by W & L Sinking fund.)

Amount of Sinking Fund on hand for above bonds	\$51.134.99
Bonds are exempt from State, County and Municipal Tax.	

Population 1910 Census	5,994
Population at present, estimated	8,000

City of Orangeburg incorporated Dec. 24, 1863.

Commission Form of Government adopted Sept. 2, 1913, under authority
of an Act. of the General Assembly of South Carolina.

No litigation threatened or pending affecting the corporate existence
or boundaries of the Municipality, or title of its present officials to their
respective offices, or the validity of these bonds.

No previous issue has been contested.

All interest has been paid promptly at maturity.

The foregoing statement I hereby certify to be, to the best of my
knowledge and belief, true and correct. In witness where-of, I have hereunto
set my hand this 15th day of December 1919.

City Clerk and Treas.