

COUNCIL CHAMBER

Jan.12.1923

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Minutes regular meeting City Council held on Friday Jan.12 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present The Mayor Hon.R.H.Jennings  
Councilmen A.C.Watson.

Councilman Sifly absent . Out of City.

Minutes Regular Meeting held Dec.22,1922 read and approved.

City Treas Submitted report of financial transaction of his office for month of December which was received as information.

Report of Chief of Police.

Number of arrests	100
Fines and forfeitures	\$450.00
Days on public works	125
Transferred to Magistrate	7

Received as information.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PUBLIC SAFETY BY REGULATING THE MOVEMENTS OF VEHI- OF EVERY KIND ON THE STREETS OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. BY ADDING A SECTION TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION 47-B,PROHIBITING THE USE OF STEEL TIERED MOTOR VEHICLES OR TRAILERS HAULING LOGS,LUMBER, OR COTTON FROM USING CERTAIN STREETS. received third reading and was ordered engrossed,by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor.Councilmen Watson.

Messrs Pelham Felder,D.H.Marchant , W Hampton Dukes and others submitted a petition stating that petition had been filed some time ago for roadway paving of Ellis Avenue and asking that this work be included in the immediate paving now under construction. These gentlemen were assured that Council and Commission had this matter under consideration and were endeavoring to secure funds for this purpose and if successful that roadway on this street would be laid.

Commuhication from Mr.L.L.Hamilton requestin that arrange- ments for water and lights for Hamilton Veneer Company be made at once this matter was referred to Councilman Watson and Supt.Pear- son. Supt Pearson was to secure prices on necessary pipe and atempo- rary one inch line to be constructed for which Mr.Hamilton is to pay cost. Mr.Hamilton was present and agreed to this proposition.

Application from the Bludwine Bottling Company for exemption from licenses and taxes as provided by Section 59 of the revised ordinances of the City of Orangeburg,and not claiming exemption for taxes and licenses already paid within the five year period was read.

Regular meeting Jan.12,1923 , continued.

This corporation having complied with requirements of said Sec.59 of the revised Ordinances of City of Orangeburg and having invested over \$5.000 in their plant as required by Ordinance to the satisfaction of Council, their petition was granted by following vote:- Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

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

Communication from Chamber of Commerce Greenville S.C. relative to legislation being enacted at present session of General Assembly concerning Hydro-Electric Plants and taxation of individuals was read and City Clerk was instructed to submit same to Young Man's Business League for investigation and reply.

Communication from The Young Men's Business League commending Council on the placing of new Street signs on Street corners and also on Street Paving now being constructed and offering their services if needed to aid in any proposition for the advancement of Orangeburg, was read and City Clerk was instructed to reply to same thanking this progressive organization for sentiments expressed in their communication and also their aid proffered to Council.

✓ City Attorney stated that according to instructions he had secured deed from Mr.E.C.Johnson, for North Development Company, for right of way including all property in City of Orangeburg formerly owned by Orangeburg Railway, purchased by them at sale of said road by order of the Court and paid the price agreed upon which was \$2.000.00 . He had also secured right of way deeds from Messrs W.C.Wolfe, L.L.Hamilton and Enterprise Land Company for which no charge was made.

✓ Above action was approved by City Council as well as the payment of \$2.000 from funds of Water and Light Plant by City Treasurer for this purpose by following vote.

Yea The Mayor and Councilman Watson.

✓ City Attorney was instructed to have all these deeds recorded, communicated with the proper authorities of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad advising them that City wished them to construct proposed side track from their main line to City Power House, along right of way agreed upon and forward deed to right of way for said side track from City to said railroad, by the following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

Minutes Regular Meeting January 12, continued.

City Engineer Hawes stated that Mrs E.D.Reeves had called upon him and requested that fence on her property on North Broughton Street which had been taken down when street was straightened some time ago and had not been replaced owing to growing crops on land at that time, be replaced. That the wire was on ground and only new posts would have to be purchased and work could be done by City hands. Council instructed Mr.Hawes to replace fence using the old wire and purchasing new posts using city hands for this purpose.

He also stated that contract for new bridge over the Edisto River had been let and that bridge would cost approximately \$36,516.00 and Cities proportion of cost would be around \$9,000.

In connection with the plant to continue West Russel Street to connect with new bridge Mr Hawes stated that deed to land over which extension would pass owned by the Bryants had been signed by U.G.Bryant and W.B.Bryant and that Mr.Robert Lide was to have dower signed by wives of these gentlemen.

Supt Water and Light Plant Pearson stated that Mr W.F.Barton Jr wanted service cut off from his Ginnery at College Avenue and wished to know what would be required of him when again cut on. Mr Barton has one year contract which has not expired.

Council decided that if this service was cut out that when Mr. Barton desires the same cut on he will have to pay back service charge to date of cut on and instructed Supt.Pearson to notify him of decision.

Meeting then adjourned.

*J. D. [Signature]*  
City Clerk

January 11, 1923.

To the City Council of Orangeburg, S. C.

Gentlemen:

The Bludwine Bottling Company began operations in the City of Orangeburg in January, 1920; we hereby wish to petition, under Section 59 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Orangeburg, published in 1901, for an exemption from the payment of City licences and taxes as provided in the section referred to; we understand, of course, that this petition does not refer to licences and taxes already paid and only ask for action to be effective from this day until the expiration of the period of five (5) years as referred to in the said section.

Bludwine Bottling Co.  
by *B. L. Redman*.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Jan. 26, 1923

Minutes regular meeting City Council held Friday, Jan. 26, 1923.

Present :- The Mayor Hon. R.H. Jennings  
 Councilmen A.C. Watson  
 J.M. Sifly

Minutes meeting Jan. 12 read and approved.

Resolution authorizing the Mayor to borrow on notes of the City necessary funds for use of the City, pledging taxes 1923 for same, was passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

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

Communication from Mrs L.E. Williams thanking City for floral tribute sent by Council upon death of her Husband L.E. Williams who for many years has been a member of Board of Health of City, was read and received as information.

City Treasurer was authorized to transfer sinking fund now deposited in Banks of the City to 5 % Certificates of Deposit in such banks.

City Clerk reported that in accordance with instructions from Councilman Sifly that he had notified Miss Henrietta Copes that fence recently erected on Green Street was 4 inches over on street and requesting that fence be moved back to comply with Street line.

Bill of B.C. Geddings for time lost and expense caused from injury by fall off road drag on S. Broughton Street June 29 1922, amounting to \$ 186.40 was ordered paid by following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

An Ordinance TO REGULATE LICENSES IN CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1<sup>st</sup> 1923 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1924 received and passed 1st reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

City Clerk submitted copy of letter written to Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company relative to crossings on their right of way at S. Broughton and Mill Street. No reply has been received. Referred to Councilman Sifly.

Matter of continueing roadway paving on N. Broughton Street from Culvert to City limits was discussed but no action taken as petition had not been received for this extension.

City Clerk was instructed to communicate with Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company stating that condition of ditch on their right of way was such that it will have to be piped. This ditch is on the North side of right of way extending from Rowe Street Easterly to lands of Standard Warehouse Company.

Piping the ditch back of property of Dr. Shecut, T.E. White and others by the City was also discussed but no action taken.

Mr. L.D. Hamilton was present and inquired as to what had

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been done relative to side track from Atlantic Coast Line to ~~xx~~ City power plant. City Attorney stated that deed to Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company of right of way had been forwarded to officials of road but that he had received no acknowledgement of receipt up to this date. He was instructed to write and inquire of officials of road when they proposed to commence work on side track.

Upon the recommendation of Councilman Watson the pay of four white firemen operating Pumper and Seagrave truck was raised to \$100 per month effective ~~Feb~~ by 1, 1923., by following vote,

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Request of Mr. L. L. Hamilton for permission to lay a three inch pipe through culvert on W Russel Street for purpose of getting river water for Hamilton Veneer Co not to interfere in any way with traffic or damage anything, was granted by following vote:

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

In the matter of suit R. L. Stokes Admr Vs City of Orangeburg a verdict of \$500 and costs having been given plaintiff on June 1922 and appeal of City being abandoned by City, the City Treasurer was authorized to pay this claim amounting to \$549.40.

Which amount included amount of Verdict, costs and Interest to Jan. 1, 1923. By following vote

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly

City Attorney was instructed to submit an Act authorizing City Play Ground Commission of the City of Orangeburg to delegation for passage at present session of Genl Assembly.

Engineer Hawes reported that fence of Mrs E. D. Reeves on North Broughton Street had been rebuilt.

That receptacle for use in emptying contents of Sanitary wagons into Sewer near Incinerator was completed. Received as information.

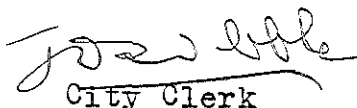
Councilman Sifly stated that another mule had been purchased for Health Department at a cost of \$212.50 and freight from Columbia. Action approved.

An Amendment to Bicycle Ordinance covering skating on Streets of City on roller skates read by title and passed to 2nd reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

The Mayor stated that he had notified the County Health official that the City would not continue appropriation for clinic after Jan. 1, 1923.

Meeting Adjourned

  
City Clerk

RESOLUTION.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg S.C. in Council assembled:-

Article 1. That the Mayor of the City of Orangeburg S.C. be and he is hereby authorized to borrow on the note or notes of the City of Orangeburg S.C., maturing not later than December 31st 1928, executed by Hon. R. L. Jennings Mayor, and attested by F. O. S. Little City Clerk and Treasurer, bearing interest payable in advance not to exceed Six (6) percentum per annum, such amounts from the funds of the City of Orangeburg as he may deem expedient from time to time.

Article 2. That the taxes due the City of Orangeburg S.C. for fiscal year ending March 31, 1928 are hereby pledged to secure the said note or notes.

Adopted and ratified by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg S.C. January 26, 1928.

R. L. Jennings

Mayor City of Orangeburg S.C.

F. O. S. Little

Attest,

Joan Little

City Clerk and Treas.

Councilmen City of Orangeburg S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Feb 9, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening Feb 9, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present :-	The Mayor	Hon.R.H.Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
Absent	Councilman	J.M.Sifly, Sick.

Minutes regular meeting held Jan.26,1923 read and approved.

Financial report of City Treasurer for month of January 1923 read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police:-

No Arrests	83
Fines & Forfeitures	361.00
Days on Public Works	161
Transferred to Magistrate	3

received as information.

City Clerk submitted letter written Capt.T.E.White relative to piping ditch on their right of way East of Rowe Street and his reply thereto in which he stated that one half of ditch belongs to City and His Company will not pipe ditch on private property. Engineer Hawes was instructed to measure distance of ditch from A.C.L.Track in order to clear up dispute as to line.

City Engineer was authorized to lay 18 inch storm sewer Glover Street under old right of way Orangeburg Railway to lands of Hamilton Veneer Company.

Secretary Dibble of the City Improvement Commission by instruction of Commission submitted request that City secure additional \$50.000 which they understood was available. He also advised Council that when this money was secured that 1st consideration would be given North Broughton Street from Culvert to City Limits in additional roadway paving, but if petition is not arranged that then additional money would be expended on other streets.

The Mayor stated that \$50.000 additional could be secured upon note or notes of the City maturing two years from date.

A resolution was passed authorizing the Mayor and City Treasurer to issue note or notes of the City of Orangeburg for the loan of \$50.000 payable two years from date of note at 6 % interest, per annum, the proceeds to be used for the extension of Street work now in progress by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

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

Mr Marvin A.Arant was nominated by the Mayor to fill unexpired term as member of Board of Health vacancy occasioned by the death of Mr.Lewis E.Williams. Term of office expires Nov.1923. Mr. Arant was elected by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor Councilman Watson.



Communication from local chapter of the American Red Cross asking the appointment of a representative from City Council to meet with executive council of that body. in compliance with this request the Mayor appointed Councilman Watson as representative from City Council.

The Mayor stated that he had received a letter from Mr. C.P. King saying that he would come to Orangeburg for a personal investigation of several matters that had been called to his attention.

✓ Councilman Watson submitted to Council a deed to the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company transferring to them ~~the~~ certain right of way for side track from the main line of said railroad company to power plant, which had been purchased by City of Orangeburg from Mr. E.C. Johnson.

A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute agreement and sign deed, attested by City Clerk under seal of City, was passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson

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

In the Matter of bill against Henry Palmer for cutting tree over street and breaking down fence was referred to Councilman Sifly for investigation.

Request of Postal Telegraph Company for use of certain poles of Water and Light Plant for their wires, referred to Councilman Watson and Supt Pearson.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PUBLIC SAFETY &c by adding a section to be known as Section 49 A. prohibiting skaters <sup>from</sup> attaching themselves to moving vehicles, passed 2nd reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

Chief Fischer asked for and was granted the privilege of stencilling streets to advertise a moving picture film "The Third Alarm" from which the Fire Department will receive a percentage.

Engineer Hawes stated that on account of elevation of new bridge across the Edisto River that the fill to be made by City for the straightening of West Russel Street to connect with bridge will be more than was anticipated, that it will take practically 2.500 yds.

Meeting Adjourned.

*Joan BBR*  
City Clerk

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ORANGEBURG S.C., in coun-  
cil assembled and by authority of the same that notes in the sum  
of FIFTY THOUSAND (\$50,000) DOLLARS be executed by the Mayor and the  
City Clerk and Treasurer, dated *February 10 - 1923* to mature two  
years from date, bearing interest from date at the rate of six (6)  
per cent per annum, payable annually. Both Interest and principal  
payable to bearer at any bank or banks designated by the Mayor.

These notes are issued in anticipation of the collection  
of special curbing, roadway and sidewalk assessments to be sold  
or hypothecated by the Mayor and City Clerk and Treasurer of the  
City of Orangeburg S.C., and the proceeds turned into the special  
improvement fund of the said City. The full faith and credit of  
the City of Orangeburg, is pledged to the punctual payment of the  
principal and interest of said note or notes, at maturity.

DONE AND RATIFIED by the City Council of Orangeburg S.C. at  
Orangeburg S.C. February 9, 1923.

*R. H. Jennings*  
Mayor of City of Orangeburg S.C.  
*A. Watson*

Attest:

*John D. Bell*

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City Clerk and Treasurer. Councilmen of City of Orangeburg S.C.

Copy -

Nos. 10 --- 11 .

2 notes \$25,000.00 each

OFFICE OF  
CITY COUNCIL OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA.

\$25,000.00.....

Orangeburg, S. C., February 10th 1925<sup>3</sup>.....

On February 10th, 1925 ..... the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for value received, promises to pay to the BEARER hereof, at the National Park Bank in the City of N. E. W. Y. O. R. K. ..... the sum of Twenty-five thousand # ..... Dollars, with interest from date, payable Annually, at the rate of six (6%) per cent.

This note is issued in pursuance of a Resolution duly adopted by the City Council of Orangeburg, S. C., on the ninth day of February, 1925, and duly signed by Mayor and City Clerk and Treasurer as required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that each and every act, condition, and thing required to be done, to have happened and to be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this note, has been done, has happened and has been performed in full and strict compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State of South Carolina and that this note is within every debt and other limit prescribed by law, and the faith and credit of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the Principal and Interest of this note, according to its terms.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, has caused its Corporate name to be signed hereto by the Mayor of said City, and the Corporate Seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by the City Clerk and Treasurer of said City this the 10th day of February, 1925.....

(SEAL)

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Signed By R. H. Jennings  
Mayor.

Attest: T. O. S. Dibble  
City Clerk & Treasurer.

The above note, in my opinion, is a valid and binding obligation of the City of Orangeburg, So. Ca.

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

THE PLANTERS BANK, Orangeburg, S. C., hereby Certifies to the GENUINENESS of the above Signatures.  
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-: R E S O L U T I O N :-

WHEREAS, the City of Orangeburg desires a track and spur thereto constructed on the roadbed of the old Orangeburg Railroad leading from the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad to its Power Plant at Orangeburg, S. C., and desires to have said tract put in operation; and


WHEREAS, a satisfactory agreement and understanding has been reached between representatives of the City and representatives of the Railroad Company as to the construction and operation of said tracks, as fully set forth in a certain agreement bearing date the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1923, and now submitted to this meeting, a copy of which agreement is attached hereto and made a part of this resolution;

NOW, THEREFORE:

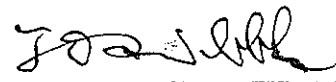
BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg, in Council assembled, and by authority of same, that the aforementioned agreement be, and the same is hereby accepted on behalf of the City of Orangeburg and this Council; that the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute said agreement and a deed for the right of way required for said tracks under the seal of the City, to be attested by the Clerk of Council, and that when the said agreement and deed shall be so executed, it shall constitute the act and deed of the said City and its Council as fully as if executed by the members of said Council in their official capacity.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the minutes of this meeting be spread upon the records of the City, and that a copy thereof be furnished the Atlantic Coast Line Rail Road Company.

Thus done and ratified this 9th day of February, 1923.

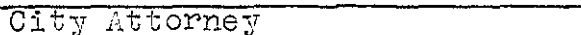
  
Mayor.

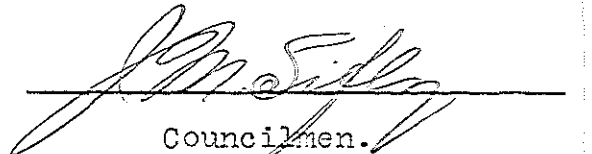
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Clerk of Council

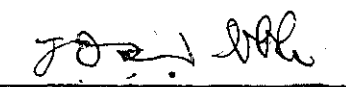


Approved: (As to form)

  
City Attorney

  
Councilmen.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above correctly sets forth and is a true copy of the resolution passed at the regular meeting of the Council of the City of Orangeburg, S. C., held on the 9th day of February, 1923.

  
Clerk of Council.

CITY OF ORANEGBRUG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Feb 23, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on Friday February 23, 1923 at 7 .30 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor, Hon.R.H.Jennings  
Councilmen A.C.Watson  
J.M.Sifly

Minutes meeting Feb 9, 1923 read and approved.

Petition for paved roadway, granite curb and cement sidewalk ~~for street alley way~~ connecting s.Broughton street with S.Middleton Street by a proposed a Alley adjacent to City Hall property was received as information.

A petition from Carolina Corporation for water and sewer connections in connection with same Alley was received as information, action on each of these propositions to be considered when complete right-of way to property through which this alley passes are in possession of City.

County Auditor T.M.McMichael requested that Council nominate Board of Assessor for City Township to serve for year 1923. Following were suggested for appointment:-

Messrs H.C.Wannamaker, Sr, Geo.V.Zeigler and R.C.King.

The Mayor submitted a letter received from Mr C.P.King regarding fence at Pasenger Station of Southern Ry., stating that he is working on this project and will advise later as to result.

Communication from Mr.W.C.Wolfe regarding ditch rear of dwelling of Capt.T.E.White asking abatement of alleged nuisance claiming that property od Capt.White has been damaged by same, was read and action deferred.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PUBLIC SAFETY BY REGULATING THE MOVEMENTS OF VEHICLES OF EVERY KIND IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C., BY ADDING A SECTION TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION 49 A PROHIBITING PERSONS ON SKATES, OR BICYCLES FROM ATTACHING THEMSELVES TO MOVING VEHICLES, passed third reading and was ordered engrossed by following vote:

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

A committee from Childrens Playground Commission consisting of Mrs J.M.Albergotti, Mrs Adam Moss and Mr.Rodwell, with Mr. J.M.Albergotti as spokesman . They desired to commence improvements of play ground at Edisto River . The first matter that needed attention is the filling and grading Harleys Dam from Russel Street towards City Water and Light Plant. The Mayor stated that it was the purpose of City to have Engineer make estimate of ~~this~~ the cost of this work, but on account of the proposed railroad spur track and street work now in progress taking all the time of Engineer it had been impossible to do so. Also, the City was not in position from a financial standpoint to handle the matter at this time. Engineer Hawes stated that he had made no measurements to give an accurate statement of Cost of this work but thought it would cost at least \$500.00 for Dam and \$2.500 for playground fill . He said this was simply an off hand estimate and cost may be

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more . Mr Albergotti then offered to advance necessary money to do this work if same was started at once, taking the note of the City payable one year from date at 5 % interest.

Upon motion Mr. Albergotti's offer was accepted and Engineer Hawes instructed to order necessary T C pipe for this work at once. by following Vote:- Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Dr. C. I. Green was present ~~and~~ in the interest of the paving of Lovel Street and requested Council to use every effort to include this work in present program. His request was referred to Street Improvement Commission.

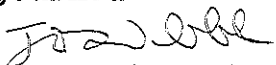
Invitation from Public Health Association of S. C. to have City represented at meeting of that organization in Charleston on April 17th and 18th by Health Officer read and Council decided to request Dr. Brabham to attend meeting as representative from this City.

Chief of Fire Department, Fischer, called attention of Council to the trouble he is having when responding to alarms with apparatus and also at arrival at fire on account of drivers of Automobiles blocking streets and disregarding traffic ordinance. He asked that a policeman be detailed to accompany apparatus when rolling to fires and be instructed to clear block within which the fire is located of all automobiles in order that department may have room to work.

The Mayor told Chief Fischer that he would instruct the Chief of Police to confer with him and make such necessary arrangements.

Shief Fischer also asked permission to investigate syren street alarm such as is used in Columbia and submit cost at future meeting of Council. Granted.

Council then adjourned



City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

March 9, 1923

Minutes meeting of City Council held on Friday March 9th 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present :-	The Mayor	Hon.R.H.Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sifly

Minutes meeting February 23rd read and approved. Financial report City Treasurer for month of February read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for month of March:-

No.Arrests	45
Fines and Forfeitures	\$325.00
Days on Public Works	98

read and received as information.

Petition for roadway paving Treadwell Street from Russel to Ellis Avenue submitted and ordered filed and referred to Improvement Commission.

Mrs J.M.Albergotti, Miss Annie Hydrick and Dr.V.W. Brabham from the Playground Commission were present to discuss with Council proposed work to be done and fills to be made along river dam. The Mayor told them that after the Engineer, Mr Hawes, had measured up amount of filling required and expense of necessary drainage, that cost would be considerable more than was estimated at last meeting, the work on dam including cost of drain pipe being approximately \$7.500.00, that these figures were much higher than Council expected to have to, pay and that the present state of the finances of City would not permit expenditure of that amount during present year. After discussion of the situation the Committee stated that they would take council with other members of Commission and report back to Council at later date.

Dr.V.W.Brabham, Chairman Board Of Health asked the co-operation of Council towards a "clean up week" that the Board contemplates to put on April 9th to 14th. The Boy Scouts are to be asked to help and the matter of compensation for their services was discussed and matter was referred to Councilman Sifly and Dr.Brabham with power to act.

Dr.Brabham also stated that he desired to enlarge on the inspection of milk, sold within the City, which is now handled by him. The present method covers the cleanliness of the milk but he desired to be permitted to instal in addition to equipment now in use in laboratory by apparatus for the Bacteriological examination of milk to detect any germs that might be injurious to the public health. Equipment will cost approximately \$185.00 and would be a valuable addition to work now being accomplished by Department. The Mayor advised Dr.Brabham that Council would take his suggestion under consideration.

City Clerk was instructed to wire Mr. B. B. Hare Supt. A. C. L. inquiring as to what action if any had been taken relative to sidetrack to Power Plant.

Following agreement in connection with the paving and at same time straightening North Broughton Street from Culvert to City limits, which necessitated cutting into property of Mr G. H. Slater on West side of Street, was read and agreement and offer to sell was accepted by Council by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

" I hereby agree to sell the City of Orangeburg a strip of land represented by plat made by Edward Hawes, City Engineer, in front of my place on North Broughton Street, and lying West of said Street, aggregation one and one hundredths (1.01) acres, for the sum of Three Hundred and Ten and 80/100 (\$310.80) Dollars; and I agree to, execute good and clear title to said property to the City of Orangeburg as soon as proper deed can be prepared.

I hereby acknowledge the receipt of one dollar on account of the purchase price for said parcel of land, and the balance of said purchase price, as agreed upon and stated <sup>above</sup>, shall be paid up on the execution and delivery of a clear title in fee to said parcel of land, and this agreement shall be binding upon me and my heirs, administrators and assigns.

Witness my hand and seal at Orangeburg S. C., this third day of March A. D. 1923

Signed G. H. Slater (L. S.)

Witness

Signed Edward Hawes.

March 3rd 1923

Chief Fischer of Fire Department was authorized to purchase three siren horns to be used on Russel Street to notify traffic of approach of fire Department when responding to alarms. License ordinance passed & value by following vote  
No further business Council adjourned.

*Franklin*  
City Clerk

*yes the way is  
concluded  
Sifly*



CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

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March 23, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held Friday evening March 23, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon R.H.Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sifly

Minutes regular meeting of March 9th read and approved.

~~AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE LICENSES IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1923 AND ENDING MARCH 31st 1924, received and psassed third reading and was ordered engrossed and printed, by following vote:-~~

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

City Clerk submitted contract received from Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company relative to proposed side track to Power House for consideration and ultimate action as to approval and signature by Council. After due consideration Council postponed action on same for the present, with the understanding that considæration would be taken within a few days..

Mr.W.E.Atkinson personally submitted pægition from property owners residing on North Railroad Avenue asking that name of North Railroad Avenue from South West corner of property of Mr J.M.Sifly, Northwely to City Limits be changed to " North Boulevard"

In connection with this petition it was suggested that Street abutting the South Line of property of Mr J.M.Sifly, connecting North Railroad Avenue with College Avenue across tracks of Southern Railway, be named "Sifly Terrace".

The Petition of Mr.Atkinson also suggestion as to name of Sifly Terrace for short street above mentioned was adopted by following vote. Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

Request from Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company as contained in letter to City Council that An Ordinance be passed by City Council making it a misdemeanor for unauthorized persons to trespass on the yards and tracks of the Railroad Company in the vicinity of the overhead crossing on South Railroad Ave.

Council decided that it was not advisable to pass this Ordinance.

Petition from Young America Fire Engine Company asking for increased appropriation to assist Company in paying their driver the same amount as paid by City to regular Firemen, was submitted by Mr Julian A.Wolfe. Council advised Mr.Wolfe that this petition would be given consideration at a later date.

Meeting March 23, 1923

continued.

Councilman Watson stated to Council that Postal Telegraph Company had not as yet signed contract with City for using certain poles of Water and Light Plant for wires leading to new location on Middleton Street, altho8 wires had been placed on some of the poles. City Attorney was instructed to communicate with Postal officials advising them either to sign contract required by City or remove their wires.

In accordance with action of City Council an advertisement calling for sealed bids ~~to be~~ be received by City Council at this meeting for the removal and filling of approximately 12,000 cubic yards of earth to be excavated ~~of earth~~ in vicinity of City power Plant and also from the Felder Hill and Adden Lands to be used in filling portion of land set aside for City Play Ground and river dam, bids were submitted as follows:-

	From Power Plant	From Felder-Adden
Miller and Langston	27 pr Cu.yd	23½ pr. Cuyd
D.H.Hydrick	30	24
J.J.Mackey	19	19
Morrison & Glover	35	33
J.L.Carroll	35	35

Upon motion of Councilman Watson contract was awarded to Mr.J.J.Mackey the lowest bidder as per bid submitted, which motion was carried by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

There being no further business meeting adjourned

Joan Sibley  
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

March 26, 1923

Saturday

Minutes of Meeting of City Council held on ~~Monday~~ March 24, 1923 at office of Councilman A.C.Watson.

Present	The Mayor	Hon R.H.Jennings
	Councilmen <del>Watson</del>	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sify

Meeting called for the purpose of discussing and taking action on contract submitted by Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company relative to construction of side track from their main line to Power House of Water and Light Plant.

After fully discussing the contract following resolution was passed:-same being duly made and seconded.

Resolved. That the Mayor and City Clerk of the City of Orangeburg be and they are hereby authorized to execute for and on behalf of the City and under its corporate seal, a contract with Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company covering the construction, maintainance and operation of a side track extending from the pass track of the said Railroad Company to or near the Power Plant of the City of Orangeburg, and for and on behalf of the City assume all the obligations in said contract contained, to be on the part of the City kept and performed, said contract to be in the form now presented to this City. Passed by the following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

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Mayor City of Orangeburg S.C.

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It was also moved, seconded and passed by the vote of the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly;

That the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company be requested to Construct said side track, furnishing all materials, labor &c at actual cost to the railroad company, track to be constructed with re-lay rails.

Meeting then adjourned.

*Joseph S. Sibley*  
 City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

March 27, 1923

Minutes of Meeting of City Council held on Tuesday March 27, 1923 at office of City Attorney, City Clerk not being present, City attorney acted as City Clerk.

Present	The Mayor	Hon.R.H.Jennings,
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sifly

Acommunication from Mr.J.J.Mackey, which is attached hereto and made a part of these minutes, was taken up and considered by Council.

After considerable discussion it was decided to call together the five firms who bid on contract awarded on the 23rd, The matter would be laid before them and if satisfactory to all, new bids would be accepted. If not satisfactory the contract awarded to Mr. Mackey would have to stand. The City attorney who was present was requested to keep the minutes of the meeting and to notify the bidders to meet the Council at the City Hall on the 29th inst at twelve, noon and if represented to empower said representative to bid on said contract if new bids were called for.

There being no further business meeting adjourned.

*John Sifly*  
City Clerk.

On Thursday March 29th meeting above referred to was held in City Hall at 12 noon. Present The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly , Also bidders on contract of March 23rd. for grading and filling required for Playground.

Mr Mackey was advised that if he forfeited the contract that Council could not return his check for \$100.00 submitted with same.

Mr Mackey stated to Council that he had since making bid discovered that he had made a mistake in his calculations and would lose money should he attempt to fulfil same, but that if he had to, forfeit his check that he would hold the contract and go to work on job.

This being the case no further action was taken and council adjourned.

*John Sifly*  
City Clerk

Orangeburg, S. C., March 26, 1925.

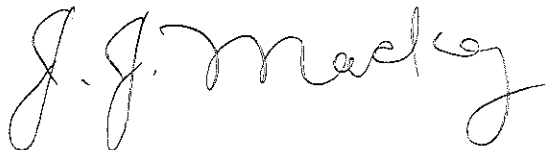
Hon. R. E. Jennings, Mayor,  
Hons. A. C. Watson and J. H. Sifly, Councilmen,  
Orangeburg, S. C.

Gentlemen:

On Friday of last week at the regular meeting of the City Council, a contract was awarded to me covering work outlined in specifications affecting the park to be filled near the river. My bid of 19¢ per cubic yard was accepted as the lowest bid. The next bid to mine was 24¢ per cubic yard.

Originally my bid was made to read 23¢ per cubic yard but upon arriving at the City Hall on Friday evening, I secured my bid and changed the same to the 19¢ bid above mentioned. This was done without due consideration on my part, as I did not then carefully estimate the job. I realize now that it will be practically impossible for me to make good on this bid. It is my intention, however, if no relief can be secured, to make an honest and earnest effort to carry out my part in accordance with my bid. At the same time, I feel that a loss is inevitable and would respectfully ask that the Council take this matter under advisement, and, if possible, allow me 23¢ per cubic yard or give me relief to such extent as may be deemed proper.

Respectfully submitted,



J. J. Mackay.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

April 13, 1923

Minutes regular meeting City Council held on Friday April 13, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon.R.H.Fennings,  
Councilmen A.C.Watson ~~and Sifly~~  
J.M.Sifly

Minutes meetings March 23, 25, 27, and 29th read and approved.

City Treasurer submitted report of financial transactions for month of March which was received as information.

Report of Chief of Police:- for March 1923:-

Number of arrests	61
Fines and Forfeitures	\$475.00
Days on Public Works	110
Transferred to Magistrate	none.
Received as information.	

Following Resolution was passed by City Council:-

Effective April 1st 1923 City of Orangeburg will appropriate from funds of the City towards conduct of a Venereal Clinic to be located within said City \$150.00 per month . This appropriation is made with the understanding that City Clinic will be operated separately from County ~~Health~~ *Health Department* -

Passed by following vote:- Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Resolved by City Council of Orangeburg in Council assembled that action of Mayor and City Clerk in issuing draft on funds of the water and light plant to Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, payable April 15, 1923 in the sum of \$158.00 being the approximate cost of side track to be constructed as per agreement entered into Feb 9, 1923 with said Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, and that City Treasurer is hereby authorized to settle said draft from funds of Water and Light Plant when due.

Passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Sifly.

Resolved that the purchase of 500 feet of hose from Empire Rubber and Tire <sup>Corporation</sup> ~~Company~~ of Trenton New York for Fire Department by Councilman Watson is hereby approved and that the Mayor of the City is authorized to execute note to said Empire Rubber and Tire Corporation in the amount of \$500.00 attested by City Clerk, payable Feb 20 1924 at 6 % interest from date

Passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly .

MEETING APRIL 13, 1923 continued.

In the matter of adjustment of claim of U.C.Berry & Co for printing Board of Health rules was referred to Councilman Sifly and Chairman Brabham of Board of Health.

Petition for Roadway paving East Calhoun St and Meeting Street was submitted and ordered filed .

Messrs R.J.Jeffords and J.M.Miller made complaint that some parties in dray business were getting by without paying license and promised co-operation in detecting those who are doing business in this line without paying license. The Mayor instructed Chief of Police to use all efforts along this line.

City Attorney was instructed to ascertain exact lines of right of way acquired by City in purchase from North Development Company of right of way of Orangeburg Railway.

Contract for grading and filling River Dam and Children's playground near Edisto River was amended making haul from Power House grounds 27 ¢ and Felder- Adden Lands 19¢, at least 1,500 yards to be hauled from Power House lands, and at request of Mr.J.J. Mackey to whom contract had been awarded same was transferred to Mr.D.H.Hydrick, by following vote

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

The Mayor stated that matters concerning continuation of paving of streets of City will be discussed at a Joint meeting of Council with Street Improvement Commission to be held on Tuesday April 17, 1923.

At suggestion of Councilman Watson, Supt. John F. Pearson of Water and Light Plant was delegated to attend the Tri-State Water and Light Association at Birmingham Ala Apr 17-20 as representative of City.

City Clerk was instructed to communicate with Prof.A.J. Thackston Supt of City Schools relative to removal of inlet covers on Street adjacent to Sterling Negro School.

Chief Fischer of Fire Department advised Council that Annual meeting of S.C.State Firemen's Association will be held in this City June 19 and 20th and that Committees were being organized for the entertainment of this body.

Council adjourned.

*Joel L. L.*  
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER

MBREB

April 27.1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council April 27, 1923  
at 7.30 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon.R.H.Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sifly

Minutes regular meeting of Council held April 13th 1923  
read and approved.

Petition for roadway paving ,North Windsor Street, Russel  
to Amelia read and ordered filed.

Communication from Young Men's Business League relative  
to the parking of cars on South Broughton Street and use of W.Rus-  
sel Street from Broughton to Windsor Streets by Lumber trucks and  
wagons was read . The Mayor stated that this matter would be handled  
under traffic ordinance by Police Department.

It was decided to instruct Chief of Police to forbid the  
parking of cars on South Broughton Street from Russel Street to  
proposed Alley through property of W.C.Wolfe, also on Middleton St.  
from C.H.Square to Amelia Street.

✓ Communication from A.C.L.Ry relative to percentage that  
they would charge over and above actual cost of construction of side  
track to power house would be 10 % on labor and supervision and  
15 % on Materials was read and received as information.

Amendment to Building Code relative to Iron Clad  
Buildings on Fire District was read by title and passed to second  
reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr.L.L.Hamilton offered to Council right of way  
for extension of West ~~GLOVER~~ and West CALHOUN streets from pres-  
ent terminus to right of way of side track to Power Plant.

Council agreed to meet onground and discuss offer  
with Mr.Hamilton on Saturday April 28th at 10 P.M.

Meeting then adjourned.

*John Sifly*  
*city clerk*



CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

May 11, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on Friday  
May 11, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present The Mayor	Hon R.H.Jennings
Councilman	J.M.Sifly
Councilman	A.C.Watson absent, out of City

Minutes meeting April 27<sup>th</sup> read and approved.

Financial report of City Treasuzer for month of April read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for month of April 1923

Number of arrests	79
Fines and forfeitures	\$491.00
Days on Public works	125
Transferred to Magistrate	1

Received as information,

Communication from Postal Telegraph Company relative to license imposed for doing business in City for year Commencing April 1, 1923, read and referred to City Attorney for investigation and report.

Petition from W.C.Wolfe and others relative to recent traffic rules forbidding parking of Automobiles on certain portions of Broughton Street asking that same be recinded, was read and as this matter has been already adjusted, was received as information.

Report of Venereal Clinic for Month of April read and received as information.

Petition for roadway paving on Henly Street read and as Council and City Improvement Commission felt that they had gone to the limit in expenditures for Paving at this time same was received as information.

Chief of Police reported that the matter of paring<sup>k</sup> of Automobiles on North Middleton Street had been satisfactorily adjusted.

It was decided to remove roof from cistern by old power house, formerly used for storage of water, and fill same using surplus dirt from streets now being graded for paving purposes; also, to level up floor of old power house in like manner.

The necessity of removing the old smoke stack in rear of old Water and Light Plant on account of opening of alley from Broughton to Middleton Streets and the proposed erection of buildings on said Alley was discussed and it was decided to have stack taken down

Engineer Hawes and Supt. Pearson were instructed to superintend and carry out wishes of Council in filling reservoir and removing stack.

Council then adjourned.

*[Signature]*  
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

May 25, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held Friday evening May 25, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present The Mayor  
Councilmen

Hon R.H.Jennings  
A.C.Watson  
J.M.Sifly

Minutes meeting May 11, read and approved.

Communication from Messrs Raysor Moss & Lide asking reduction of License charged American Ry. Express<sup>Co</sup>. was read and City clerk was instructed to advise in reply that no reduction would be made on same.

Relative to License of Postal Telegraph Co. City Clerk was instructed to advise Mrs Wright from whom a letter was received that Company would have to pay License of \$75.00 plus penalty of 10 % after which application for reduction would have consideration by Council.

Messrs Wallace Crum and J.V. Weeks appeared before Council on behalf of Orangeburg Bathing Company, asking Council to remit water and light bill amounting to \$81.99 and grant free service for balance of season. Mr. Crum stated that swimming pool was being run at a loss and that they were willing at any time to turn same over to playground commission should they wish to take charge and operate same.

Council agreed to this proposition, the Orangeburg Bathing Company to pay Water & Light Plant amount of indebtedness as above stated and City to issue check covering same amount to Orangeburg bathing Co., by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Amendment to Building Cod relative to buildings in Fire District passed 2nd reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr J.Finkelstein appeared before Council asking for reduction of "Junk License" to \$25.00, which was agreed to by following Vote:-  
Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Engineer Hawes was instructed to let Mr Scoville Wannamaker have approximately 50 loads of dirt from surplus dirt on E. Calhoun Street.

Councilman Sifly and Engineer Hawes were authorized to purchase a pump and specially designed nozzle for use in clearing sewer lines from obstacles.

✓ Councilman Watson reported that side track under construction by Atlantic Coast Line R.R.Co from their main line to Power Plant was nearly completed and that in a few days will handle coal shipments .

Supt. Pearson of W & L Plant suggested to Council the advisability of the handling of Electric ranges by the Plant and after discussion the whole matter was referred to Councilman Watson and Supt. Pearson to investigate more fully this matter with power to act.

City Engineer Hawes reported obstruction of Barton Street by J.W. Sheriff Lumber Co and Mill Street by Bamberg Lumber company. Chief of Police was instructed to have streets cleared of obstructions .

Chief of Fire Dept. and Chairman of Board of Health were instructed to inspect building of H. Von Ohsen in lot owned by him between Wiles and St John's Streets the same being in a dangerous and unsanitary condition.

Council adjourned

*John W. H.*  
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

June 8, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on Friday June 8, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present The Mayor. Hon R.H. Jennings

Councilmen A.C. Watson  
J.M. Sifly

Minutes regular meetin held on May read and approved.

Financial report off City Treasurer for month of May read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police:- Month of May.

Arrests 55  
Fines and Forfeitures \$244.00  
Days on Public Works 95

read and received as information.

The program for the completion of City Improvement now in progress and near completion was discussed. Copy of estimate submitted by Engineer Hawes containing ~~complete~~ approximate estimate of cost to complete program, as decided by Commission and submitted in detail by him in this estimate, was read. Upon showing of City Treas as to amount cash on hand available for payment of reserve now due Ely Construction Company and settlement for all estimated work to complete program it was found necessary to authorize the Mayor to borrow \$60,000 additional money if so much be necessary for this purpose.

Councilman Sifly introduced following resolution relative to this proposed loan.

( See resolution attached and a part of these minutes) which was passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

It was also decided that the program for completion of work as decided by Commission and named in Estimate submitted by Engineer Hawes will not be added to or extended and no petition for extension of program would be considered by Council as it would take all available money to be obtained to pay for work already passed and ~~that~~ settle account of Ely Construction Co.

Vote *Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson & Sifly*

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE AND ESTABLISH FIRE DISTRICTS IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, etc. and to regulate the erection and construction of buildings, houses and other structures within the fire districts, done and ratified on the 6th of June 1914, by omitting a provision in Section 9, authorizing iron clad buildings under certain conditions. Received and passed third reading and was ratified. by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly

Regular meeting June 8 1923, continued.

Mr. V. J. Hill representing the Edisto Veneer Company asked for extension of electric lines for the purpose of running a motor to pump water for use of plant. This line would have to be extended over right of way A. C. L. Ry Co also some distance ~~over~~ over property of Edisto Veneer Company. Council agreed to extend line to North side of right of way Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company at expense of City, Edisto Veneer Company to pay cost of extension from that point over railroad to their pumping station. This was agreed upon between Mr. Hill and Council.

Meeting then adjourned.

  
ity Clerk

RESOLUTION.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, in Council assembled and by the authority of the same, that notes in the sum of SIXTY THOUSAND (\$60,000) DOLLARS, if so much be necessary, be executed by the Mayor and the City Clerk and Treasurer dated June 8, 1923 to mature one year from date, bearing interest from date at the rate of Six ( 6 ) per Centum per annum, payable annually Both principal and interest payable to bearer at any bank or banks designated by the Mayor. These notes are issued in anticipation of the collection of special Roadway, Curbing and Cement Sidewalk assessment to be sold or hypothecated by the Mayor and City Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Orangeburg S.C., and the proceeds turned into the special improvement fund of the said City.

The full faith and credit of the City of Orangeburg is hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of said notes at maturity.

DONE AND RATIFIED by the City Council of Orangeburg S.C.

this 8th day of June 1923.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor of City of Orangeburg

Attest

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk and Treasurer.

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Councilmen of City of Orangeburg

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

June 22, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening June 22, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present :-	The Mayor	Hon.R.H. Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sifly

Minutes of meeting June 8, 1923 ~~read~~ read and approved.

City Engineer advised Council that sidewalks on certain portions of Whitman, and S.Broughton Streets also Union Ave were in bad condition on account of roots of trees pushing the cement sidewalk up. Referred to Councilman Sifly and Engineer Hawes.

Engineer Hawes desired Council to act on certain matters relative to making out assessments against abutting property for Roadway paving and following resolution was passed.

Resolved. That in the assessment against property owner for roadway paving ~~that~~ laid by Ely Construction Company that charge for storm drainage be eliminated from said assessment, and that Engineers be instructed to compute cost of work completed on each street and pro-rate same against property owners in accordance with Ordinance.

This resolution was passed by following vote:-

Ye<sup>s</sup> The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Chief of Police instructed to to notify Mr.W.W.Wannamaker relative to damage to railing placed by City on Sidewalk next to his coal chute on East Russel Street by some of his employees in unloading cars and to request him to repair same.

City Clerk was instructed to communicate with Mr D.H.Hydrick advising him that ~~if~~ he was to grade Felder property to the satisfaction of Mr.Felder and in accordance with lines and grade established by City Engineer. That reserve now in hands of City Treas. would be withheld until same is done.

City Clerk was instructed to draw to the amount of \$3.500 on Mr.J.M.Albergotti for City Playground purposes and that to be the limit of amount borrowed by City. for that purpose.

Meeting then adjourned.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
City Clerk

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

July 13, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening at 7.30 P.M.

Present The Mayor:-  
Councilmen

Hon R.H. Jennings  
A.C. Watson  
J.M. Sifly.

Meeting called to order at 7.30 P.M.

Minutes of Meeting held on June 23rd read and approved.

Financial report of City Treas for month of June 1923 read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for month of June.

Number arrests	51
Fines and Forfeitures	358.00
Days on Public Works	80

Received as information.

Maj. James Griggs, American Rescue Workers, whose home was closed and their activities discontinued in Orangeburg by City Council some time ago, was present at meeting and requested Council to permit him to open another home and renew the work of the American Rescue Workers in the City. After a respectful hearing Council advise that they would take the matter under advisement and advise through City Clerk of decision. Later during meeting Clerk was instructed to communicate with Major Griggs and inform him that Council did not see the necessity of a home such as he suggests in Orangeburg.

City Clerk was instructed to advise Playground Commission that City Appropriation towards the work of this body by agreement with Mr. Albergotti was to start when activities of Commission commenced and Playground opened for children and that amount already paid them by City Treasurer \$1,041.66 will apply for payment from June 1st to Nov. 1, 1923, five months.

Police were instructed to allow no parking of cars or other vehicles on alley connecting S. Middleton with Broughton Street also to enforce strictly Section 51 of the traffic ordinance, relative to parking of cars on Russel and other streets within the congested district.

City Clerk was instructed to communicate with Southern Bell Telephone Company and inform them that City Council expects them to comply strictly with agreement relative to removal of poles on South Broughton Street by Nov. 1, 1923.

The Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company having requested City to allow street sweeper to sweep their yard which has recently been laid with ~~concrete~~ <sup>asphalt</sup> top. Council agrees to permit this at a charge of two dollars <sup>per month</sup>.

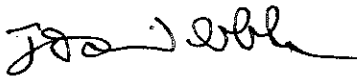


Regular meeting July 13, 1923 continued.

Councilman Sifly was requested to communicate with Officials of Southern Railway calling to their attention the fact that sundry improvements around their Depot such as laying concrete over their yard, placing fence at depot, fixing crossings &c had not been commenced and that Council insists that same have their immediate attention.

City Treasurer was instructed to make license for Standard Investment Company \$25.00 this business not having been clasified in License Ordinance. This license was imposed at request of the Mayor as he was an interest in this business and they wished to pay license for conduct of same.

City Treasurer was instructed to pay D.H. Hydrick \$300.00 of amount of \$374.97 held as reserve for work done on account of Playground Commission.



Council adjourned

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

CITY IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION

July 24, 1927

Minutes meeting City Improvement Commission held on Tuesday  
July 24, 1927 at 7 P.M.

Present Chairman Adden, Messrs Moss, Moseley, Malpass.  
Councilman A.C. Watson.

Chairman Adden stated that Commission had been called in session for the purpose of taking action upon final estimate for roadway pavement constructed by Ely Construction Company submitted by Consulting Engineers Tomlinson Engineering Company and City Engineer Edward Hawes.

Report was submitted. Engineers reported that work laid out was completed, submitting detailed statement of cost to City of each street paved, also condensed statement of gross amount of work done, amounts paid out on previous estimates and balance due as final estimate all approved by Engineers.

After general discussion of report and statement of Engineer Hawes that all requirements of contract made by Ely Construction Company had been complied with, Mr Moss submitted following resolution:-

Resolved that final estimate <sup>of</sup> roadway construction work done by Ely Construction Company for City of Orangeburg S.C. as approved by Consulting Engineers Tomlinson Engineering Co and City Engineer Edward Hawes be accepted and that final payment of amount due as per said report of \$37,965.42 is hereby approved and payment recommended upon signing receipt, release and acknowledgement that all claims have been paid.

This resolution was passed by following vote:-

Yea, Chairman Adden, Messrs Moss, Moseley, Malpass.

Mr F.B. Thompson, Vice President of the Ely Construction Company was present and expressed to Commission and Council the thanks of his Company for the courteous treatment received by themselves and employees while engaged on the construction of this work and especially mentioned the very efficient manner in which Engineer Hawes had handled his duties in connection ~~with~~ therewith.

Mr. Jess Summers through Commissioner Moss submitted request that cement sidewalk be laid on East side of North Broughton Street to City Limits. Commission recommend that same be done if sufficient fund be available after present program is completed.

Meeting adjourned

Duplicate

OFFICE OF  
CITY COUNCIL OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA.

\$ 25,000.00 Orangeburg, S. C., July 25, 1923 192.....  
On July 25, 1924 the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for value  
received, promises to pay to the BEARER hereof, at the Edisto National  
Bank in the City of Orangeburg S. C. the sum  
of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars,  
with interest per annum at the rate of six (6) per cent.

This note is issued in pursuance of a Resolution duly adopted by the City Council of Orangeburg, S. C.,  
on the eighth day of June 1923, and duly signed by  
Mayor and City Clerk and Treasurer as required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that each and every act, condition, and thing required to be done, to  
have happened and to be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this note, has been done, has hap-  
pened and has been performed in full and strict compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State of  
South Carolina and that this note is within every debt and other limit prescribed by law, and the faith and  
credit of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment  
of the Principal and Interest of this note, according to its terms.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, has caused its Corporate name to  
be signed hereto by the Mayor of said City, and the Corporate Seal to be  
hereunto affixed and attested by the City Clerk and Treasurer of said City  
this the 25th day of July 1923.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA,

(SEAL)

Signed

By R.H. Jennings, Mayor  
Mayor.

Attest:

T.O.S. Dibble  
City Clerk & Treasurer.

The above note, in my opinion, is a valid and binding obligation of the City of Orangeburg, So. Ca.

Hugo S. Sims  
Attorney for the City of Orangeburg, S. C.

~~THE PLANTERS BANK~~, Orangeburg, S. C., hereby Certifies to the GENUINENESS of the above  
Signatures.

OFFICE OF  
CITY COUNCIL OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA.

\$ 15,000 ..... Orangeburg, S. C., July 25, 1923 192  
On July 25, 1924 ..... the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, for value  
received, promises to pay to the BEARER hereof, at the Orangeburg National Bank  
Bank in the City of Orangeburg S.C. .... the sum  
of FIFTEEN THOUSAND ..... Dollars,  
with interest per annum ..... at the rate of Six ( 6 ) ..... per cent.

This note is issued in pursuance of a Resolution duly adopted by the City Council of Orangeburg, S. C.,  
on the eighth ..... day of June ..... 1923, and duly signed by  
Mayor and City Clerk and Treasurer as required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that each and every act, condition, and thing required to be done, to  
have happened and to be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this note, has been done, has hap-  
pened and has been performed in full and strict compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State of  
South Carolina and that this note is within every debt and other limit prescribed by law, and the faith and  
credit of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment  
of the Principal and Interest of this note, according to its terms.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, has caused its Corporate name to  
be signed hereto by the Mayor of said City, and the Corporate Seal to be  
hereunto affixed and attested by the City Clerk and Treasurer of said City  
this the 25th ..... day of July ..... 1923

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA,

(SEAL) Signed By R. H. Jennings .....  
Mayor.

Attest: T. O. S. Dibble .....  
City Clerk & Treasurer.

The above note, in my opinion, is a valid and binding obligation of the City of Orangeburg, So. Ca.

Hugo S. Sims .....  
Attorney for the City of Orangeburg, S. C.

~~THE PLANTERS BANK~~ Orangeburg, S. C., hereby Certifies to the GENUINENESS of the above  
Signatures.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

July 27, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held Friday July 27, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon A.H. Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C. Watson
		J.M. Sifly

Minutes regular meeting July 13th and copy of minutes of meeting of City Improvement Commission held July 24th at which meeting work on Streets done by Ely Construction Company of Augusta Geo. was accepted by Commission and final estimate for work approved, was read and approved.

Councilman Sifly offered following resolution confirming and approving action of Commission and accepting work as recommended by Commission.

See Resolution attached to and a part of these minutes.

Passed by following vote Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

The Mayor informed Council that in accordance with resolution passed June 8, 1923 he had borrowed on note of City payable one year from date at 6 % interest \$40,000.00 ; \$25,000 from Edisto National Bank and \$15,000 from Orangeburg National Bank.

✓ Receipted bill from Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company for \$8,158.00 covering cost of side track to Power House read by City clerk and received asx information.

In the matter of a safe for records of City Improvement Commission referred to City Improvement Commission for action.

Engineer Hawes stated that his office was now making up assessments for roadway paving against abutting owners, that cost of each street had been figured out and desired instructions as to what per cent to add to individual assessment for Engineer and other services not included in cost of actual work done on street which he estimated to be 5 %.

It was resolved that for the purpose of assessment of abutting property for roadway paving, that after the cost of street is ascertained that 5 % be added thereto to cover Engineer and other incidental expenses; that the assessments against abutting property be prorated in accordance with ~~front~~ footage on street, each property owner paying his or her proportion as their property bears to the whole.

Passed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Councilman Sifly stated that Southern Railway had commenced work on crossings.

City Clerk was instructed to communicate with Mr

## REGULAR MEETING JULY 27, 1925

W.W.Crum manager of Swimming Pool calling his attention to leak from overflow pipe of Swimming Pool which causes water to run over adjacent street also that piping to well which is located on said street projects above level of street and is dangerous to traffic. That Council expects him to remedy these defects at once.

Recommendation from City Improvement Commission that cement sidewalk be laid on N. Broughton Street, east side, from Columbia road to Berry Street was discussed and council agrees to approve said construction if Mr. Summers who submitted the petition will pay to contractors one half of expense of work, the City to ~~advance~~<sup>pay</sup> other half.

It was resolved that City Treasurer be authorized to make period for collection of assessments for sidewalk and curbing now coming due from Sept. 15 to Nov. 15th, by following vote

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Meeting adjourned.

*John S. Sifly*

*City Clerk*

At a regular meeting of City Council held Friday July 27, 1923 Councilman Sifly offered the following resolution confirming and approving action of City Improvement Commission and accepting work as recommended by Commission.

Passed by Following Vote:-

Yea The Mayor , Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Whereas City Improvement Commission at a meeting held on the 24th day of July 1923 ,received the final estimate of the Ely Construction Company for work done in this City, and the same being approved by Tomlinson and Company ,consulting Engineers and Edward Hawes Jr. City Engineer, and

Whereas the said final estimate, as submitted, met the approval of the City Improvement Commission, and the completed work of the Ely Construction Company was accepted, and the final payment of the amount due recommended by said Commission ;

Now Be it Resolved, by the City Council of Orangeburg S.C. in Council assembled , and by authority of the same, that the action of the City Improvement Commission be and the same hereby is approved and ratified.

I, T.O.S. Dibble City Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Orangeburg S.C. hereby certify that above is a true and correct copy of resolution passed by City Council of Orangeburg on July 27, 1923

City Clerk and Treas Orangeburg  
City of Orangeburg S.C.

Whereas, the City Improvement Commission, at a meeting held on the 24th day of July, 1923, received the final estimate of the Ely Construction Company, for work done in this city, and the same being approved by ~~the~~ Tomlinson and Co., consulting engineers, and Edward Hawes, Jr., city engineer, and

Whereas, the said final estimate, as submitted, met the approval of the said City Improvement Commission, and the completed work of the Ely Construction Company was accepted, and the final payment of the amount due recommended by the said commission,

Now, be it resolved, by the City Council of Orangeburg, S. C., in council assembled, and by authority of the same, that the action of the City Improvement Commission be, and the same hereby is, approved and ratified.

August 10, 1923.

Correct Attest:

*Tom J. All*

City Clerk  
and Treasurer

*R. S. Jennings*  
Mayor

*A. W. [unclear]*

Councilmen



RELEASE

July 23, 1923  
City of Orangeburg, South Carolina.  
-X-

The undersigned, Ely Construction Company, hereby acknowledge receipt from the City of Orangeburg, S.C., of the sum of Thirty Seven

Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty Five Dollars and Forty Two Cents (\$37965.42) in full payment and satisfaction for all materials furnished and for all work and labor done or performed under or in connection with the contract dated May 26 1922 between the City of Orangeburg, S.C. and the Ely Construction Company for laying street pavement, curbs, gutters, sidewalks, storm drains, etc., and other work in connection therewith, for the City of Orangeburg, S.C. The said contract being now completed, and the said amount being final payment thereunder the said Ely Construction Company do hereby certify that all liens, claims and demands of every description for labor performed or materials or supplies furnished on any part of said work, have been satisfied in full; and the said Ely Construction Company do hereby relieve and release the said city from and agrees to indemnify and save it harmless from or against any and all claims, demands or causes of action whatsoever, under or by virtue of said contract, or for work or labor done, and for materials or supplies furnished by the said Ely Construction Company, or by any other party or parties for or on this account in connection with said contract.

In TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Witness the following signature and seal:

Witness:

E. R. Lawrence  
[Signature]

Ely Construction Co. (Seal)  
By F. B. Thompson  
Vice President (Seal)

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Aug 10, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on Friday August 10, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present The Mayor	Hon R.H.Jennings
Councilmen	A.C.Watson
absent "	J.M.Sifly out of City

Minutes regular meeting July 27th read and approved.

Financial report of City Treasurer for month of July read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for month of July:-

No arrests	138
Fines and forfeitures	\$592.00
Days on Public Works	62

read and received as information.

Application from Bake-Rite Bakery for exemption under Section 59 Revised Ordinances of the City of Orangeburg, as a manufacturer their capital stock being more than \$5,000. Exemption granted dating from October 1, 1923 and ending October 1st 1925. Two years exemption only was granted as they had been in business three years previously and ordinance can not be applied to former years.

This exemption was granted by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

Application from Mr.W.S.Barton to instal 4 gasoline tanks 550 gal Capacity each on his lot corner S.Middleton and St John's Street was read and granted, installation in accordance with ordinances of City , by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

Messrs A.T.Wannemaker and F.P.Schiffley appeared before Council representing Young America Fire Engine Co . requesting additional appropriation of \$15.00 per month in order to raise salary of driver to that paid by City to other drivers employed. Request granted effective from August 1, 1923 by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

Dr.Brabham , Chairman Board of Health reported Health conditions in City good. Asked assistance from City in enforcing ordinances relative to unused wells and removal of weeds from vacant and other lots as required by Ordinance.He was authorized to refer all parties not obeying instructions of Board in complying with health ordinances or rules of City to Chief of Police to be summoned before Recorder.

REGULAR MEETING AUGUST 10, 1923 continued.

Chief of Police instructed to enforce Ordinance against hitching of horses or mules to trees or poles on the streets, especially on Church Street.

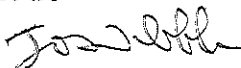
Chief of Police instructed to see Mr W.W.Crum relative to instructions of Council to remove pipe projecting above roadway leading to power house also repair <sup>overflow</sup> ~~drain~~ pipe from swimming pool which was emptying water on roadway, which had not as yet been attended to, and see that same be complied with.

Fire Chief Fischer was authorized to go to Florence to confer with authorities and acquire information relative to condemnation of unsafe buildings as handled by that City.

Ordinance to <sup>control</sup> ~~control~~ sale of ~~Ginger~~ Jamaca Ginger Xc received ~~first~~ first reading and was passed to 2nd reading by ~~following~~ following vote.

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

Meeting Adjourned.

  
City Clerk.

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

AUGUST 24, 1923

MINUTES REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL HELD FRIDAY EVENING AUG 24, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present The Mayor	Hon. R.H. Jennings
Councilman	A. C. Watson
Absent Councilman	J.M. Sifly absent from City

Minutes regular meeting held on Aug 10, read and approved.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE SALE, DISPOSITION, or POSSESSION OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS OR ALCOHOLIC COMPOUNDS IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. read and passed second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson.

AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE SUPPLIES AND MEET THE ORDINARY EXPENSES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE YEAR COMMENCING APRIL 1, 1923 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1924 received and passed 1st reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson

Application from Mr. D.H. Hydrick for appropriation from City towards payment of hospital bill of negro injured while working for him on city playground contract was refused for the reason that Council did not consider it a case of charity neither was it a liability of City, the contractor being responsible for accidents to his employees. City Clerk was instructed to so notify him.

City Clerk and Treas was instructed to pay bill of East End Reel Co for tire and repairs to truck amounting to \$38.25 by following vote :- Yea The Mayor Councilman Watson.

Application of Mr. H.G. Brown for permission to instal a 550 Gal. Gasoline tank at his place of business corner S.R.R. Ave and Bayne St with pump on sidewalk near curb, was refused same being in violation of City Ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE USE OF WELL IN CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. passed 1st reading by following vote

Yea The Mayor Councilman Watson

AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE PROPERTY OWNERS TO HAVE PRIVIES ON PROPERTY THAT IS WITH OUT SEWERAGE AND OCCUPIED, passed 1st reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson

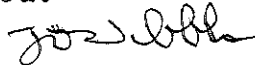
Meeting August 24, 1923 continued.

Mr E.S. Bruner petitioned Council through Councilman Watson for that service be cut on ~~ix~~ his ginnery. Supt. Pearson stated that this service had been cut off for non-payment of bill, amounting to \$364.90. Council agreed to accept Mr. Bruner's checks one for \$150.00 payable Oct. 1, 1923 and check for balance \$214.90 payable Nov. 1 1923. by following vote Yea The Mayor Councilman Watson. After receipts of these checks Supt. Pearson was authorized to cut service on for Mr. Bruner.

The Mayor submitted for consideration of Council a communication from Atlantic asking endorsement from City Council of the proposed lease by the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad ~~of~~ <sup>and</sup> Louisville and Nashville railroad of the Clinchfield and Ohio Railway System making a direct line from the Atlantic Seaboard to the coal mines of Virginia, and soliciting the passing of resolutions by Council endorsing such lease and asking Interstate Commerce Commission to approve same.

After discussion the matter was laid over until next meeting in order that City Atty might investigate same and give opinion as to same.

Council then adjourned.

  
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Sept 5, 1923

Minutes special meeting of City Council held Sept. 5, 1923

Present	The Mayor	Hon. R. H. Jennings
	Councilmen	A. C. Watson
		J. M. Sifly

AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE SUPPLIES AND MEETING THE ORDINARY EXPENSES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING APRIL 1, 1923 and ending march 31, 1924 was read and passed second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Meeting then adjourned.

  
City Clerk

# BAKE-RITE BAKERY

BETTER BREAD

Bake-Rite

IT'S DELICIOUS

*"Fresh from the ovens every hour"*

58 W. RUSSELL ST. ORANGEBURG, S. C.

August 10 1923

The City Council.

Orangeburg S C

Dear Sirs.-

Through city clerk , We were informed that a free license would be granted to any manufacturing enterprise. With capital stock of 5,000 dollars doing business in the city of Orangeburg for the period of five years, being well qualified we hereby file applicatinn for same.

Yours Truly

Bake Rite Bakery.

By - B. F. Ayers  
Per W. M. Ayers.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COMMISSION FORM: COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Sept 14, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on September 14, 1923 at City Hall, 7.30 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon R.H.Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sifly

Minutes meeting Aug 24 and special Sept.5, 1923 read and approved.

Financial statement of City Treasurer for month of August 1923 read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for August 1923,

Number arrests	101
Fines and forfeitures	\$642.00
Days on Public Works	124

read and received as information.

AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE SUPPLIES FOR MEETING THE ORDINARY EXPENSES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE YEAR COMMENCING APRIL 1, 1923 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1924 received and passed third reading and was ratified by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH BY REQUIRING OWNERS OF DWELLING HOUSES TO PROVIDE PROPER TOILET FACILITIES FOR USE OF OCCUPANTS WHEREOF; received and passed second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH BY REGULATING THE USE OF WELLS IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. RECEIVED AND PASSED SECOND READING by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE SALE, DISPOSITION OR POSSESSION OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS OR ALCOHOLIC COMPOUNDS IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C. RECEIVED AND PASSED THIRD READING AND RATIFIED by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE LANDLORDS TO FURNISH AN ADEQUATE SUPPLY OF PURE WATER TO TENANTS, received first reading and was passed to second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

REGULAR MEETING SEPTEMBER 14, 1923 continued.

Communication from Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company asking endorsement by them of proposed lease of the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Railway systems which was postponed for further investigation at meeting Sept. 26th was taken up and received as information by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Agreement between City of Orangeburg and Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co, relative to installation of storm sewer pipe on their right of way, submitted by said railroad for passage by Council was received as information by following vote

Yea the Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Communications from Mr. M. E. Zeigler, Atty. representing Mrs F. J. D. Felder offering to sell City a piece of property owned by Estate of late F. J. D. Felder, located near swimming pool ; also a complaint relative to removal of dirt from lot on West Russel Street by Mr. D. H. Hydriek for City, claiming that lot was left in very bad condition and asking removal of stumps from said land.

City Clerk was instructed to reply to above with statement that City could not consider purchase of property at this time as finances will not permit; also, City Engineer had arranged matter of complained of satis factory to Mrs Felder and that stumps would be removed not later than Oct. 15th.

Mr. L. A. Hutson, Atty, representing Mr. J. Felder Hunter was present with Mr. Hunter and submitted request that case recently tried before Recorder , against Mr. Hunter the charge being violating parking Ordinance and disoredrly conduct and fine of \$7.00 having been imposed , be re-opened and submitted to a Jury. After hearing Mr Hutson the Mayor advised him that matter would be taken up later during meeting. Later the City Attorney was instructed to formulate a reply to this request stating that while City Council regretted the occurance that they could not give relief requested as such action would be illegal and would tend to bring into disrepute constituted authority and that said letter be addressed to Mr. Felder, and copy to Mr Hutson and signed by City Clerk.

Mr. W. E. Atkinson was present and offered to deed to City two streets running easterly from North Boulevard, one to be named Eutaw Avenue approximately 50 X 200 feet and one to be ~~named~~ an extension of Ellis Avenue 60 X 200 feet. He submitted deeds to this property which was accepted and streets ~~named~~ named as requested by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr. Atkinson assured Council that these streets had been graded and worked.

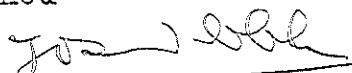


REGULAR MEETING SEPT. 14, 1923 continued.

Representative of Galleon Iron Works was present in interest of sale of a road machine to City. Councilman Sifly suggested that he submit his proposition in writing and it would receive consideration.

City Clerk was instructed to communicate with Mr. L. L. Hamilton stating that bill for laying temporary pipe line to his veneer plant the payment of which he questioned would have to be paid by him as he agreed to settle same at meeting Jan. 12th when application was made for service .

Meeting was then adjourned

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

September 28, 1923

Minutes regular meeting City Council held on Friday evening September 28, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon R.F.Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sifly

Minutes Meeting Sept.14th read and approved.

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH BY REQUIRING LANDLORDS TO FURNISH AN ADEQUATE SUPPLY OF PURE WATER TO TENANTS IN CITY OF ORANGEBURG, received and passed 2nd reading by following vote:- Ordered engrossed.

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly

An Ordinance to provide for the public health by regulating the use of wells in the City of Orangeburg, received and passed third reading and was ordered engrossed by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH BY REQUIRING OWNERS OF DWELLING HOUSES TO FURNISH PROPER TOILET FACILITIES FOR OCCUPANTS THEREOF, passed third read and was ordered engrossed by following vote:- Yea The Mayor Councilmen Watson and Sifly:-

Application from H.G.Brown for permit to install on ~~the~~ property of Santee Mill Co, Corner Bayne Street and S.R.R.,ve, a 550 Gal Gasoline tank for use by Filling Station to be located at that point. Application granted by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Tank to be installed as required by Ordinances of City. customers

Councilman Watson submitted revised contract covering rates, rules and regulations of Orangeburg Water and Light Plant and following resolution was passed:-

Be It Resolved. by the Mayor and Councilmen of City of Orangeburg in Council assembled:-

That from and after October 1, 1923v the attached rates, rules and regulations shall be operative for the Orangeburg Water and Light Plant, all previous rates, rules and regulations in conflict herewith are hereby abolished.

Done by the City Council in City Council of Orangeburg, at Orangeburg S.C. this 28th day of September 1923.

Passed by following vote Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly: ( Signed copy attached to these minutes )

REGULAR MEETING SEPTEMBER 28, 1923, continued.

Mr W.L.Blanchard was present with request that he be permitted to conduct the business of photographer in City that at present he had no place of business in City but desired to take pictures of City officials, schools, public buildings. Xc and possibly if conditions were satisfactory open a gallery here.

City Clerk was instructed to issue license to Mr Blanchard from date to March 31, 1924 for \$15.00

Communication from Mr W.W.Dukes relative to dangerous crossing of Atlantic Railroad Company at Rowe~~s~~ Street and suggesting that flagman be stationed there was discussed. The Mayor stated that through Mr.Womble, local Agent of that Company that he had forwarded this communication to Mr R.B.Hare Suptand had read a letter received from him relative to same stating that he had <sup>re</sup> issued instructions already given to crews on trains passing this crossing to protect same. Chief of Police was instructed to have crossing watched and report if proper precautions were taken to protect the public at this point.

Dr Brabham of the Board of Health stated that the lot ~~opposite~~ opposite City Hall, now used as a wagon yard, had been reported to be somewhat of a nuisance to neighborhood on account of bad odors arising from same, that the Board had sent the trash wagons and cleaned up same and suggested that this be continued weekly but that Health Department could not spare the teams from their regular work and asked if Street Department could handle same. It was decided that Street Department do this and Health Department lend all aid possible to assist in same.

Abutting Assessments for Roadway Paving was submitted by City Engineer, in book form, covering roadway paving laid by Ely Construction Co and assessments therein contained approved by City Council and City Clerk instructed to collect same as required by Ordinances of City, by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr. Dukes was present and stated that he desired to establish a manufacturing plant on Seaboard Ave and as he expected to have over the required amount for City to abate taxes and License for five years as allowed by Ordinance, also he wished to locate on lands <sup>owned</sup> belonging to either ~~W.C.Wolfe or City of Orangeburg.~~ <sup>W.C.Wolfe</sup>

Council instructed City Atty to investigate ownership of property and advised Mr Dukes that when he was ready to commence operations that action on his abatement would be considered when proper application in writing was submitted.

City Clerk was instructed to send Copy of Jaimaka Ginger, Extract Xc Ordinance to Saures & Co who had requested same.

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

That from and after October 1, 1923, the attached  
rules, rates, and regulations shall become operative for  
the Orangeburg Water and Light Plant, all previous rates,  
rules and regulations in conflict herewith are hereby  
abolished.

Done by the City Council in City Council of Orange-  
burg, at Orangeburg, S. C., this 28th day of September, 1923.

*R. H. Jennings*  
MAYOR.

Attest:-

*R. W. Watson*

*J. S. Dobb*

City Clerk & Treasurer.

*J. M. Ripley*  
COUNCILMEN.

**RULES, RATES AND REGULATIONS**  
—OF—  
**ORANGEBURG WATER AND LIGHT PLANT OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG**

ORANGEBURG, S. C., OCTOBER 1ST, 1923.

In Accordance with a Resolution Passed by City Council of the City of Orangeburg,  
On and After October 1st, 1923, the Following Rules, Regulations and  
Rates Will Be Effective.

(1) Bills for water and electric service will be issued monthly, and while the City will make every reasonable effort to see that each patron of the plant receives his bill, no responsibility will be assumed for non delivery when same has been mailed at the Post Office.

(2) All charges for water and electric current service (1) are due and payable at the office of the Orangeburg Water and Light Plant, during office hours, on the SIXTEENTH day of each month and EXCEPT WHERE SPECIFICALLY STATED TO THE CONTRARY in these regulations and rates. All bills for WATER and ELECTRIC CURRENT paid on or before the FIFTEENTH day of the month in which the bill is dated will be subject to a discount of 10 per cent. Bills will be dated on the first day of the month and will cover service for one month prior to date of bill.

(3) All services will be metered. Where meters fail to register, bills shall be arrived at by taking an average of the three most recent months.

(4) The consumer making payment by mail is entitled to discount only when Post Office canceled stamp evidences mailing on or before the FIFTEENTH day of the month in which payment is due.

(5) All bills that have not been paid on the last day of the month in which bill is dated, will have added a FIFTY CENT collection charge and will be turned over to a collector who will present the bill at the place where water and electric service is being furnished for payment. If this bill together with the collection charge is not paid service will be discontinued.

(6) When service has been discontinued for non-payment as in paragraph (5) charges for all service to date become due immediately and service will not be re-installed until all bills due, together with collection charges, and cut in charge of FIFTY CENTS per service has been paid and a forfeit deposit, similar in amount to the amount paid in settlement, made with the City.

(7) A forfeit deposit equal to two months probable service will be required from all users of Water and Electric Current in the City of Orangeburg, S. C.

(8) No claim or demand that the consumer may have against the City shall be considered as an offset against the payment for service furnished under these regulations.

(9) These Rules, Regulations and Rates are intended to apply only to water and electric service furnished within the City limits of the City of Orangeburg, S. C., but may be applied in whole or in part to service furnished without the City limits provided that in no case shall the charges for service furnished without the City limits be less than the rates specified. Increased rates may be applied to services without the City limits where conditions warrant and special contract is entered into.

(10) No additional service will be installed until a contract, clearly stating rates, discounts, charges, etc., has been entered into.

(11) No contract shall be binding upon the City unless it has been accepted in writing by the Mayor or acting Mayor of the City of Orangeburg.

(12) These Rules, Regulations and Rates are referred to in, and made a part of, each contract for water and electric service.

**WATER.**

All water meters will be installed on the streets, which is the property of the City of Orangeburg, S. C. No flat service will be furnished, EXCEPT to such carnivals and traveling shows as it would be inadvisable to meter, and then a special rate will be proposed.

The minimum charge will be made on the basis of one month, and while this charge will be made for any part of a month down to one-third, if a service is cut in after the 20th of any month and a contract entered into at the same time, no bill will be rendered for that part of the month and until the first of the month following.

The following rate is based on the usage for one month and the charge is per 100 cubic feet (1 cubic foot is equal to 7½ gallons.)

- .25c per 100 Cu. Ft. for the first 5,000 Cu. Ft. a month.
- .20c per 100 Cu. Ft. for the next 10,000 Cu. Ft. a month.
- .17½c per 100 Cu. Ft. for all in excess of 15,000 Cu. Ft. a month.

PROVIDED that the bill in no case be less than the following schedule of minimum rates which are based on the size of pipe supplying the service. Provided, also, that where one tap and service pipe supplies more than one building the minimum rate will be obtained by multiplying the minimum rate shown in the schedule for the size of the pipe used by the number of buildings supplied, EXCEPT that in case of factories, warehouses, etc., used in connection with stores or general offices under one management the single minimum as stated in schedule shall apply.

**SCHEDULE OF MINIMUM RATES.**

For ½ inch and ¾ inch tap .....	.56 per month
For 1 inch tap .....	1.00 per month
For 1½ inch tap .....	2.00 per month
For 2 inch tap .....	3.50 per month
For 4 inch tap .....	6.00 per month
For 6 inch tap .....	10.00 per month

**ELECTRIC.**

**Schedule No. 1.—Regular Electric Current Rate.**

The following rate is made up of two factors, (1) The connected load in Kilo-Watts, or Horse Power and (2) Kilo-Watt-Hours of current consumed; both of which are reduced, per unit, as the units increase in number. For use with this rate ONE HORSE POWER will be considered equal to ONE KILO-WATT.

The following table gives the monthly SERVICE CHARGE for the different connected loads.

For ½ Kilo-Watt [= 500 watts] connected load .....	.60 per month
“ 1 “ “ [=1,000 “ “] “ “ .....	.95 “ “
“ 2 “ “ [=2,000 “ “] “ “ .....	1.50 “ “
“ 3 “ “ [=3,000 “ “] “ “ .....	2.10 “ “
“ 5 “ “ [=5,000 “ “] “ “ .....	3.30 “ “
“ 7½ “ “ “ “ .....	4.80 “ “
“ 10 “ “ “ “ .....	6.15 “ “
“ 12½ “ “ “ “ .....	7.60 “ “
“ 15 “ “ “ “ .....	9.00 “ “
“ 20 “ “ “ “ .....	11.75 “ “
“ 25 “ “ “ “ .....	14.45 “ “
“ 30 “ “ “ “ .....	16.95 “ “
“ 40 “ “ “ “ .....	19.50 “ “
“ “ “ “ And over per KILO-WATT .....	.50 “ “

The above Service Charge is subject to a cash discount of 10 per cent. only when paid in advance for a period of one year.

Electric Current charges are based on readings for a period of one month and the charge is per kilo-watt-hour in addition to the service charges listed above.

The following is the schedule of rates for electric current under this rate.

- 7c per K. W. H. for the First 50 K. W. H. per month consumed.
- 6c per K. W. H. for the next 100 K. W. H. per month consumed.
- 4c per K. W. H. for the next 200 K. W. H. per month consumed.
- 3c per K. W. H. for all in excess of 350 K. W. H. per month consumed.

**Schedule No. 2.—Electric Cooking and Heating Rate.**

3c per K. W. H. per month consumed; 3.00 minimum.  
Heating and cooking appliances only are permitted under this schedule.

**Schedule No. 3.—Special Power Daylight Rate.**

Current furnished under this schedule is restricted to the hours between sun rise and sun set, and any violation of this time limit shall automatically revoke this contract, and in that event the consumer agrees to pay the regular rate as provided in Schedule One.

For 30 Kilo-Watt connected load and over.  
The following table gives the monthly SERVICE CHARGE for the different connected loads.

For 30 Kilo-Watt connected load .....	16.95 per month
For 35 Kilo-Watt connected load .....	19.45 per month
For 40 Kilo Watt and over, per Kilo Watt .....	.50 per month

The discount, and the basis for billing are the same as in the above Regular Electric Current Rate.  
The following is the schedule of rates for electric current under this rate.

- 5c per K. W. H. for the First 50 K. W. H. per month consumed.
- 4c per K. W. H. for the next 100 K. W. H. per month consumed.
- 3c per K. W. H. for the next 200 K. W. H. per month consumed.
- 2c per K. W. H. for all in excess of 350 K. W. H. per month consumed.

**Schedule No. 4.—Special Short Term Rate.**

The following rate is based on a monthly charge and bill will be rendered on this basis even though the time service is required be less than a month.

- 10c per K. W. H. from 1 to 100 K. W. H. per month consumed.
- 9c per K. W. H. from 1,000 and over per month consumed.

Provided that in no case shall the bill be less than \$1.50 and when the connected load is greater than 2 Kilo-Watt, the MINIMUM bill will be 56c for each Kilo-Watt, or fraction of a Kilo-Watt, of connected load.

# ORANGEBURG WATER AND LIGHT PLANT OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG

## CONSUMER'S CONTRACT.

No. ....

This agreement made and entered into in the City of Orangeburg, S. C., this ..... day of ....., 192 .., by and between the City of Orangeburg, hereinafter referred to as the City, and ..... hereinafter referred to as the Consumer.

### WITNESSETH:--

1. That the said City agrees to connect its service wires with the premises located at No. .... Street, used as ....., and there install a meter loop, which has been installed by the Consumer, and furnish electric current to the Consumer, under electric current rate schedule ....., for a connected load of ..... Kilo-Watts and the Consumer agrees to use electric current furnished by the City Plant for the purpose permitted under said schedule, and to pay for the same at the schedule rates.

2. That the said City agrees to furnish metered water through a ..... inch pipe line, connecting the Consumer's premises at No. .... Street to the water mains on ..... Street, and the Consumer agrees to use water furnished by the plant of the said City.

The Consumer agrees that the use of Electric Current and Water shall be subject to the rules, rates and regulations of the ORANGEBURG WATER and LIGHT PLANT, as adopted by resolution of the City Council, effective ....., and to pay for service of electric current and water at the office of the ORANGEBURG WATER and LIGHT PLANT, monthly, as specified in the above mentioned rules, rates and regulations, which are hereto attached and made a part of this contract.

This contract shall be effective until October 1st, after date, and shall be automatically renewed yearly unless notice to the contrary is given thirty days prior to its expiration by either party to this agreement.

This contract shall not be binding unless approved by the Superintendent, or acting Superintendent of the ORANGEBURG WATER and LIGHT PLANT.

THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG,

APPROVED this ..... day }  
of ....., 192 .. } By .....  
Mayor.

Supt. Orangeburg Water and Light Plant.

Consumer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

October 12, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held Friday evening Oct 12 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon R.H.Jennings  
Councilmen A.C.Watson  
J.M.Sifly

Minutes regular meeting Sept. 28 read and approved.

Financial report of City Treasurer for month of September 1923 read and received as information.

Report Chief of Police for month of Sept. 1923

Number arrests 49  
Fines & Forfeitures \$224.00  
Days on Public works 52

Received as information

Petition from numerous property owners whose property abutts on S.Railroad Ave asking that the name of this street be changed to South Boulevard was read and following resolution by Councilman Sifly was passed.

Resolved that the name of South Railroad Avenue be changed to South Boulevard from East Russel Street to City Limits, and that North Railroad Avenue from East Russel Street to City limits be named North Boulevard (Note, the portion of N.Railroad Ave from Sifly Terrace to City Limits was named North Boulevard at meeting March 23, 1923 ) Vote. Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Report of Venereal Clinic for month of September was received as information

Request of Southern Bell Telephone Company to be permitted to use following streets for their poles in order to comply with agreement with the City to move all poles ~~from~~ <sup>on</sup> Broughton Street from Street to A.C.L. right of way, to wit:-  
Rowe, Glover, Sellers Ave, Union Ave, Whaley, South, and Hartzog Alley,  
was granted by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

AMENDMENT TO SECTION 19 PLUMBING CODE was read by title and passed to second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Meeting October 12, 1923-- continued.

A representative of the American Spotless Street System was present and made request that they be permitted to remove from the streets of City 14 of their trash receptacles leaving 14 yet in service. This request was made because they had failed to get space covered by advertisements and thereby had lost considerable money. Health Officer Dr. Prabham was present and advised Council that they could retire 14 of these cans and <sup>not</sup> impair service. Upon motion of Councilman Sifly request was granted with the understanding that cans removed shall not be taken out of the City and be left in care of officials of Health Department.

Vote Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Chief of Police Kirkland reported to Council that he had detailed an officer to see that Rowe Street Crossing was properly "flagged" by Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company when their trains were passing and that same was being done.

Attention of Chief of Police was directed to the practice of merchants and others sweeping trash into gutters on West Russel Street in violation of City Ordinance and he was instructed to give this his attention.

Request of Stevens and Lingard for permission to use land on certain point of spur track connecting Power House ~~ix~~ with main line A.C.L.Ry Co, was referred to City Atty for reply stating that if request came from Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, council would take same under consideration.

Council then adjourne

  
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 City Clerk



CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

October 26, 1923

Minutes of regular meeting of City Council held Friday evening October 26, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon R,H,Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.watson
		J.M.Sifly

Minutes regular meeting October 12 read and approved.

In the matter of request of Lingard & Stevens for permission to load lumber at a certain point on right of way A.C.L. leading to power house, City Attorney submitted copy of reply to these gentlemen referring them to authorities of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad for the purpose of taking up same with the City.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE PLUMBING IN CONNECTION WITH THE SEWERAGE AND WATER WORKS SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG ,AND TO BE KNOWN AS "THE PLUMBING CODE OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG", BY AMENDING SECTION NINETEEN THEREOF ,BY OMITTING PROVISIONS THEREIN RELATEDG TO RUNNING TRAPS AND GREASE TRAPS, was read and passed second reading by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Resignation of Dr.V.W.Brabham as member of Playground Commission, on account of other duties conflicting was read and same was referred to Playground Commission for their consideration.

Communication from Southern Railway through Mr.W.S.Cooper Agent requesting permission to block for about a day crossing on their right of way extending from N. Railroad Ave to College Ave. on account of work on their siding . Request was granted. Railroad required to use same material on this crossing and also on Oil Mill track on South Boulevard as is used on Whitman & Glover street crossing.

Street connecting S.Middleton Street with South Broughton Street was named Market Place.

An agreement with Atlantic Railroad Company relative to drain extending from property of Capt T.E.White on their right of way was submitted and approved by following vote:-

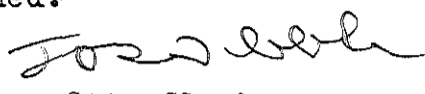
Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Regular meeting October 26, 1923.

Council discussed the advisability of moving City Stables from their present locality to City property on Bull Street and it was decided to advertise property on Rowe Street now being used for this purpose for sale asking for bids on same by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Council adjourned.



City Clerk

Extract from minutes of Council Meeting held on the 25 day of Oct 1923

RESOLUTION

City Orangeburg, S. C.,

Be it resolved by the Mayor and ~~Councilmen~~ Councilmen of the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ in council assembled, that the Mayor by, and he hereby is, authorized to enter into an agreement with the ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY, and to sign same on behalf of said Mayor and Councilmen, whereby ~~the said Railroad Company gives and grants unto the~~ said City of Orangeburg, S.C. the right and privilege to lay and maintain, for the purpose of a storm sewer, 40 feet of 24-inch concrete pipe on the westerly portion of the right of way of the M&A main track of the said Railroad Company, said pipe extending northwestwardly across said right of way to the westerly boundary thereof from the westerly end of a concrete arch culvert of the said Railroad Company, which culvert is located 897 feet southwestwardly, measured along the center line of the said Railroad, from Mile Post 44, the said 24-inch pipe being as particularly described in said agreement dated 25 day of October 1923, and as shown in red on the blue print attached thereto and made a part thereof:

I certify the above to be a true and correct copy.

(SEAL)

✓ [Signature]  
 Clerk of Council

Approved: [Signature]  
 Real Estate Agent.

Approved: [Signature]  
 Engineer, Maintenance of Way

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Superintendent.

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
 General Superintendent.

[Signature]

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COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Nov. 9, 1923

Minutes of regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening November 9, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon R.H.Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sifly

Minutes of regular meeting Oct 26 read and approved.

Financial report of City Treasurer for month of October read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for month of October.

Number of arrests	62
Fines and Forfeitures	\$265.00
Days on Public Works	51

Received as information.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE PLUMBING IN CONNECTION WITH THE SEWERAGE AND WATER WORKS SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG AND TO BE KNOWN AS THE "PLUMBING CODE OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG" BY AMENDING SECTION NINETEEN THEREOF BY OMITTING PROVISIONS THEREIN RELATING TO RUNNING TRAPS AND GREASE TRAPS. Received and passed third reading and was ordered ratified by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Resignation of Mr. V.J. Hill as a member of Playground Commission for the reason that he could not spare time from his business to properly attend to duties involved was received and accepted with regrets by Council.

Communication from Miss Annie Hydrick Secty of the Playground Commission containing recommendation from Playground Commission that Council appoint Messrs Jas.M. Albergotti and Hugo So Sims as members of said Commission in place of Messrs Prabham & Hill resigned. In accordance with recommendation Messrs Jas .M. Albergotti and Hugo S.Sims were elected to fill said vacancies.

City Clerk was authorized to issue permit to parties desiring to transport passengers and freight from points outside of City to City without charge, provided that they do not solicit or passengers for transport from point to point within the City, and arrange a regular passenger schedule. This effective until April 1, 1924.

Report of Venereal Clinic for month of October read and received as information.

City Treasurer was authorized to refund license for Auto Transfer paid by Harry B. Smoak for the reason that before he began business his car was in awreck and he decided ~~to~~ not to operate if Council would refund license,

City Clerk was instructed to observe same arrangements relative to issuance of licenses during Fair Week as heretofore, arranged with Orangeburg County Fair Association.

License for Parking Cars during Fair Week was placed at \$30.00 payable in advance.

Mr. J. W. Dawkins asks permission from City Council to have laid a side track from A. C. L. Ry track to power house, to a piece of property recently purchased by him on Langston Ave. This matter was referred to Engineer Hawes to investigate and report at next meeting of Council.

David Finkelstein asked permission to attach an aréal from his residence on St John Street to Fire Bell Tower of City. Permission was granted with the proviso that work be done by electrician and bond given to City releasing City from any liability should accident occur in handling this matter. City Attorney to draw up bond covering release of city .

Vote Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly applications from A. E. Bythewood and E. V. Holman for permission to install filling station on their property, installation complying with City regulations, was granted. Installation under supervision of Chief Fire Department.

Vote Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly

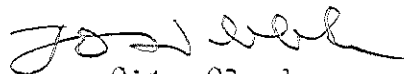
It was decided that no charge be made for water used on Fair Grounds for sprinkling purposes during Fair.

At suggestion of Chairman Board of Health Commission of Mr. John Hartzog for collection of sanitary dues was increased to 25 % by following vote: p

Yea The Mayor, Councilman Watson and Sifly

Condition of crossing over Southern Railway at Sifly Terrace was referred to Councilman Sifly for investigation.

Meeting adjourned

  
City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Nov.23,1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening Nov.23,1923 at 7 P.M.

Present:- The Mayor Hon R.H.Jennings  
Councilmen A.C.Watson  
J.M.Sifly

Minutes meeting Nov.9th read and approved.  
was read

Communication from Mr J.West Summers stating that he desired to place in proper condition and request acceptance by City of the Streets shown on a plat of what is now known as "Moss Heights" said plat being recorded in office of Clerk of Court and requesting that Council co-operate with him in this project by authorizing the City Engineer to supervise this work in order that it may conform in every way to the requirements of the City. Mr Summers to bear all expense attached to this work.

This request was granted by Council and City Engineer authorized to assist Mr.Summers as requested by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr.Walter Cannon of CannonBros submitted to Council a ~~petition~~ asking that dealers in fruits and fireworks having regular license as such be permitted to display for sale their fruits and vegetables on tables and stands in front of their regular places of business on the curb one week before Christmas and that no special license be granted to others to place stands or tables on sidewalk who have not been conducting a similar business during the year.

Council agreed to comply with this request and instructed Chief of Police not to issue any special <sup>license</sup> ~~permit~~ for sale of fruits and vegetables in compliance with above request, City Clerk and City Attorney to to have action of Council in this respect properly advertised. by following vote -

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Request from The Wesley House on South Boulevard for a street light to be located on Palmetto Street in rear of House .granted.

City Clerk was instructed to advertise that bids would be received at next meeting of City Council Dec.14th for purchase of City stable property on Rowe Street.

Health Officer Dr.Brabham was authorized to go to Florence to confer with Dr Brigham Health Commissioner at that City on matters relative to Laboratory work of Health Department.

Following petition from Mr. W. J. Dawkins was submitted.

State of South Carolina.  
County of Orangeburg  
City of Orangeburg.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Orangeburg.

The petition of your petitioner, W. J. Dawkins, would respectfully show to your your Honorable body:-

1. That he has recently purchased Lot No. 84 on a plat of the Enterprise Company with the purpose in view of erecting on said lot a warehouse to be used in connection with his business.

2. That when your petitioner purchased said lot he was under the impression that same bounded on the right of way of the railroad running from the City Power Plant to the A. C. L. railroad; but has since been informed that the City of Orangeburg owns a strip of land between the said lot and the said right-of-way.

3. That unless your petitioner can acquire the strip of land above mentioned and thus bring his lot out to the right-of-way of said railroad he will suffer great inconvenience in his proposed business arrangements, as well as financial loss and disappointment.

4. That it is the purpose of your petitioner to establish a business on the location mentioned above that will bring revenue to the City by way of taxes, as well as attracting other industrial establishments to same locality which would in effect develop that part of the City which is now undeveloped.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that your Honorable body convey to him, by usual form of deed, the strip of land mentioned above as lying between his lot and the right-of-way of said railroad, at a reasonable price.

Respectfully submitted

Nov. 23. 1923

(Signed) W. J. Dawkins

Above petition was discussed by Council and discussed with Mr. Dawkins, who was present, in person. The Council informed him that the City would not sell the strip of land mentioned in petition to him, but would lease same for a nominal sum, upon certain conditions as to its use, and referred him to City Attorney who was instructed to draw lease which would protest City ownership of the property and also provide for further industrial extension in said section of City. This action was passed by following vote:-  
Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCILCHAMBER.

Dec.10,1923

Minutes special meeting of City Council held on Monday  
December 10,1923 at 2 P.M.


Present	The Mayor	Hon R.H.Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		J.M.Sifly

Meeting called to arrange for settlement of several notes becoming due made during the month of December 1922 for extension of Roadway work then under construction at that time.

Following resolution offered by Councilman Watson was passed . Vote :- Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

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

Meeting then adjourned.

  
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 City Clerk



## CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Dec. 14, 1923

Minutes regular meeting of City Council held on Friday evening December 14, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present The Mayor Hon. R.H. Jennings  
Councilmen A.C. Watson  
J.M. Sifly

Minutes regular meeting Nov. 23rd and Special Dec. 10th read and approved.

Financial report of City Treasurer for month of November 1923, read and received as information.

Report of Chief of Police for month of November.

Number arrests 73  
Fines and forfeitures \$417.00

Days on public works 54

Transferred to Magistrate 3

Received as information.

Communication from Postal Tel. Co. asking permission to place poles for their lines on certain streets was read and City clerk was instructed to write in reply that they must furnish blue print of location of said poles in order that City Council can act intelligently on this petition. Also that alley referred to in their petition does not belong to City.

Mr. Atticus H. Marchant, representing Committee on entertainment of Citadel Cadets and students of S.C. University and other guests of the City on the occasion of Citadel-Carolina Football Game, during County Fair, submitted request for an appropriation from City Council towards entertainment. He asked for a like amount as had been subscribed by County Fair Association, \$220.56. Council granted this request and authorized City Treasurer to give Capt Marchant check for this amount, by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Mr. P.M. Smoak was allowed rebate on taxes property R.A. McCreary, corner E. Amelia and Sunnyside Streets to the amount of \$44.91, taxes assessed on personal property and penalty on same. by following vote:-

Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson and Sifly.

Communication from Mr. H.C. Huggins relative to purchase of City Stable property on Rowe Street, was referred to the Mayor, with authority to ~~sell~~ offer same to Mr. Huggins for \$4.500.

*Council then adjourned*

*Wen*

*J. M. Sifly*

*City Clerk*

Regular Meeting December 14, 1923 continued.

Petition of Mr. A. D. Webster and others residing on Ellis Avenue ~~to~~ soliciting Council that immediate steps be taken to open up a street to be known as Stanley Avenue and maintain same as a public thoroughfare, said proposed street to be in Northern Section of City running parallel with Ellis Avenue.

City Clerk was instructed to advise these petitioners that City Council would authorize City Engineer to give all engineering assistance, but that work and expense incurred in grading and clearing proposed avenue to conform with City requirements would have to be borne by petitioners, under supervision of City Engineer.

*Meeting then adjourned*

*J. O. Webb*

*Clerk of Council*

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER

December 28, 1923

Minutes meeting of City Council held December 28, 1923 at 7.30 P.M.

Present	The Mayor	Hon R.H.Jennings
	Councilmen	A.C.Watson
		<del>H.M. Kelly</del>

Minutes meeting Dec.14 read and approved.

Petition of Postal Telegraph Company submitted at meeting Dec.14 and consideration postponed awaiting blue print designating location of poles that they desired to set on certain Streets of the City, was taken up and location as designated on blue print accepted with the exception of poles on Glover Street to be on the North side instead of South side of said street.

Communication with resolutions from the Orangeburg County Medical Society indorsing the work of The County Health Department and Orangeburg Venereal Disease Clinic and asking support of City Council in continuance of their support of same in the future, was read and received as information.

Resolution authorizing the Mayor to borrow \$5,000 for immedite use to pay bills becoming due by W & L Plant and City funds for that purpose being tied up in Farmer's and Merchants Bank ,which was recently taken over by Bank examiner, note to be payable on February 1, 1925.

Vote Yea The Mayor, Councilmen Watson.

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

Meeting adjourned.

*John S. Wall*  
City Clerk

R E S O L U T I O N .

WHEREAS, by proper resolution dated December 1, 1922, the City of Orangeburg authorized the issuance of notes in the total of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000) Dollars and on December 8, 1922, the additional sum of Thirty Five Thousand (\$35,000) Dollars, and whereas, the said notes are now due and payable and the said City desires to properly meet the same,

NOW, be it resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg, in council assembled and by authority of the same:

That the Mayor and City Clerk and Treasurer be authorized and directed to settle the notes above mentioned, with interest due on same as follows:

Pay two notes, due Dec. 6, 1923, of \$25,000 each, with interest for 1 yr at 6%	\$53,000.
Pay five notes, due Dec. 12, 1923, of \$5,000 each, with interest for 1 yr. at 6%	26,500.
Renew two notes, due Dec. 12, 1923, of \$5,000 each, and pay interest on same for 1 yr. at 6%	600.

WHEREAS, in making the above settlement, the collection of the assessments to carry out the same <sup>is insufficient</sup> and the City can save considerable interest by making a short term loan, and

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Clerk and Treasurer are hereby authorized and directed to execute a note or notes in the total amount of \$17,000 to mature sixty days from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable at The Planters Bank of Orangeburg, S. C. These notes when so issued for the purpose and under the conditions of the resolution passed by the City Council on the 8th day of December, 1922, with the understanding that the assessments referred to shall also include roadway assessments. The full faith and credit of the said City is hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of the said note or notes at maturity.

Done and ratified by the City Council of Orangeburg, S. C., at Orangeburg, S. C., this tenth day of December, 1923.

Attest:

Joan Bell  
City Clerk & Treasurer.

Rob Jennings - Mayor.  
W. W. Waterman  
L. M. Duff

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

BE IT RESOLVED ;by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg S.C., in Council assembled:-

That the Mayor of The City of Orangeburg S.C. be and he is hereby authorized to borrow on the note or notes of the City of Orangeburg maturing February 1, 1928, executed by R.E. Jennings, Mayor, and attested by T.O.S. Dibble, City Clerk and Treasurer, bearing interest payable in advance not to exceed Six ( 6 ) percentum per annum, in the amount of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000.00) DOLLARS.

That the full faith and credit of the City of Orangeburg are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of said note or notes at maturity.

Adopted and ratified by City Council of Orangeburg S.C.

December 28, 1923

*John H. Dibble*  
City Clerk

*R. E. Jennings*  
Mayor of City of Orangeburg

*A. W. Dibble*  
Councilmen of City of Orangeburg S.C.