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the resolution to be carried into effect .

Also read read reports City Engineer dated
~~December~~
~~September~~ 11th, 1918 and submitted at meeting
of the Board of Control, December 12th, 1918.

Dec; 11th, 1918

His Worship the Mayor,
Sir,

The Imperial Oil Limited has applied for permission to extend the City siding across Young Street to their property opposite the site of the old Cotton Factory, as shown on the attached plan. Special legislation would be required to authorize the granting of such permission.

An application was made in 1905 by the Dominion Cotton Mills Company Limited for permission to lay a track on the same location. In granting permission an agreement should be required to be signed by the Company providing that the use of the siding shall not be allowed to interfere with traffic requirements, in connection with the holding of the Provincial Exhibition, including the time immediately before and after the dates during which the Exhibition is open; that traffic over the siding shall be subject to the direction of the City Engineer, that the siding shall be located to the approval of the City Engineer; laid to the grade of Young Street; planked where it crossed the street; free passage for water provided and maintained at the gutters, and the whole crossing maintained and kept in good repair by the Company; that it shall be operated only in connection with the business of the Company; that cars shall not be allowed to stand on Young Street; that every precaution shall be taken to protect the public against accident and for indemnification of the City; that work and repairs shall be performed to the satisfaction of the City Engineer; that the agreement may be terminated and the permit cancelled by one year's notice in writing; that the Company shall pay the City the sum of _____ per annum for the privilege granted, which includes the use of the siding through the City Field on the east side of Kempt Road; and such other provisions as your Board and the City Solicitor may consider necessary.

In connection with this matter I desire to call your attention to the fact that the Canadian Government Railways are using the siding in the City Field continuously, although it was laid primarily for Exhibition purposes. Steps should be taken

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to retain the City's rights in the land and siding so that there may be no misunderstanding between the Railways Department and the City.

F.W.W. Doane,
City Engineer .

Also read report City Engineer submitted at meeting of Board of Control March 25th, 1919 dated March 22nd, 1919.

Halifax, N.S., March 22nd 1919

His Worship the Mayor,
Sir,

I beg to report on the application of the Imperial Oil Company for permission to extend a railway siding across Young Street to their property on Kempt Road.

Special legislation will be required to authorize the granting of such permission, which, I presume is the reason for applying again, I reported on this matter in December last, The question of policy is one for the Board to settle but in my opinion, the flat ground in this neighborhood is the only suitable ground within reach of the railways, where industries of any consequence can locate, and the question should be decided on broad lines instead of allowing personal interest to overshadow the general interest of the City.

If permission is granted, an agreement should be required to be signed by the company, providing that the use of the siding shall not be allowed to interfere with traffic requirements in connection with the holding of the Provincial Exhibition, including the time immediately before and after the dates during which the Exhibition is open; that the traffic over the siding shall be subject to the direction of the City Engineer; that the siding shall be located to the approval of the City Engineer; laid to the grade of Young Street; paved where it crosses the street, including two feet on each side outside the rails; free passage for water provided and maintained at the gutters and the whole crossing maintained and kept in good repair by the company; that it shall be operated only in connection with the business of the Company; that cars shall not be allowed to stand on Young Street; that every precaution shall be taken to protect the public against accident and for indemnification of the City; that work

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S.S. Shafford ✓

and repairs shall be performed to the satisfaction of the City Engineer, that the agreement may be terminated and the permit cancelled by one years notice in writing; that the Company shall pay the City the sum of _____ per annum for the privilege granted, which includes the use of the siding through the City Field on the east side of Kempt Road; and such other provisions as your Board and the City Solicitor may consider necessary.

F.W.W. Doane,
City Engineer.

The motion for the granting of the request is put and passed, Aldermen Finlay and Murphy dissenting.

GENERAL ACCOUNTS.

Read report Finance Committee recommending for payment accounts chargeable to various services.

City Hall, Halifax, N S.,
October 7th, 1919

To His Worship the Mayor
and City Council.
Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance Committee held this day the following named accounts amounting to \$3875.47 were examined found correct and are recommended for payment, viz:-

C.P.R. Telegraph Co.	Telegram	.89	
City Print	Printing Minutes	53.60	
T.C. Allen & Co.	Printing & Stationery.		
	City Clerk	230.20	
	Collector	12.40	
	"	10.80	
	Assessor	14.00	
	"	4.00	
	Solicitor	4.70	276.10

A. & W. MacKinlay Ltd.

	Books		
	City Assessor	41.10	
	"	7.20	
	" Clerk	49.90	
	" Collector	16.10	
	"	112.50	226.80

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E.J. Blois, Supt. Neglected & Delinquent Children - Support of Neglected children, 3 mos. to Oct 1/1919		999.00
Religious of Good Shepherd	Maintenance of Girls, 3mos to Sept. 30/1919	231.25
McLean Publishing Co.	Sub. to Financial Post.	3.00
British American Bank Note Co.	Bonds etc.	736.20
McLean Publishing Co.	Advertising	60.00
Halifax Herald	do 6.30	
	6.30	
	5.60	
	4.20	
	4.20	
	4.20	
	<u>4.20</u>	30.80
Chronicle Pub. Co.	Advertising	
	6.30	
	6.30	
	4.20	
	4.20	
	11.73	
	<u>16.50</u>	43.23
Blackadar Bros.	Advertising	
	8.40	
	5.60	
	8.40	
	4.20	
	<u>8.40</u>	35.00
J. Burke	Interpreters Fee	6.00
Soulis Typewriting Co.	Repairs	.75
London Rubber Stamp Co.	Dater	.60
" " " "	Badges	56.00
Royal Print & Litho Ltd.	Directory	
Office Specialty Co.	City Assessor	5.00
	Office Furniture	1070.25
W. H. Isnor & Sons.	Hire of Team	9.00
Dr. Finn, M.D.	Certificates of death.	
	John Grant, 4.00 Mrs. Thos. White	4.00
	F. Bridge 4.00 Bruce T. Graham 4.00	
	M. Heckey 4.00 Helen Roachford	
	<u>12.00</u>	32.00

Alfred Whitman,
Chairman.

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Moved by Alderman Whitman seconded by Alderman Power that the report be adopted and the accounts paid. Motion passed.

YOUNG STREET CONCRETE SIDEWALK.

Read reports Committee on Works and City Engineer re concrete sidewalk West Young Street, north side.

Office of City Works,
October 8th, 1919

The City Council.
Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Works Committee held on the 8th inst a letter from Brandram-Henderson Limited, Halifax Branch, was read calling attention to the condition of Kempt Road and West Young Street, also asking the City to place a concrete sidewalk in front of their premises on the north side of West Young Street from the intersection of Kempt Road to west side of dwelling known as No 253 and further stating that if City was not able to undertake the work now, they were prepared to do so themselves at the same rate paid by City on this years contract, work would be done in accordance with City specifications and supervision; Messrs. Brandram & Henderson agreeing to contribute the regulation abutters charge toward cost of work.

On motion, and with the approval of the City Engineer the Committee decided to recommend to Council that a concrete sidewalk with curb and gutter be constructed on the north side of West Young Street from Kempt Road to West line of property now known as No. 253, under the permanent sidewalk Act 1906.

Further that should Messrs. Brandram-Henderson, Limited wish to undertake the work themselves as per conditions set out in their letter of the 7th instant and as outlined in this minute, it is with the understanding that payment for the work performed would not be authorized until such time as the work would otherwise be proceed with in its regular order, with the further stipulation that no interest is to accrue against the City in the meantime.

Attached hereto is the original letter of Brandram-Henderson Limited referred to above.

A. F. Messervey,
Clerk of Works

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Moved by Aldermen Finlay seconded by Alderman Douglas that the report be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Murphy seconded by Alderman Whitman that the reports be referred back to the Committee on Works.

The amendment is put and lost.

The original motion is put and passed.

SIDEWALKS ORDERED.

Read reports Committee on Works and City Engineer covering list of sidewalks ordered but not yet constructed.

Office of City Works,
October 8th, 1919

The City Council.
Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Works Committee held on the 8th day of October the City Engineer submitted the attached list of concrete sidewalks ordered by Council.

Approved and ordered to Council for their information.

A. F. Messervey,
Clerk of Works.

City Engineer's Office,
October 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor,
Sir,

In compliance with resolution of the Council I beg to submit herewith list of concrete sidewalks which have been ordered for construction.

F. W. W. Doane,
City Engineer.

List of sidewalks ordered.

<u>Street.</u>	<u>Side.</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Barrington	West	Cornwallis	North
Coburg Rd.	north	Waagwoltic	
Preston	west	West end Baptist Ch.	

*Engineer
Messrs Blandham
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<u>Streets.</u>	<u>Side.</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To.</u>
Robie	east	Spr. Garden Rd.	College
College	north	Tower Rd.	Summer
Moren	west	Cunard	Sarah
Kent	south	Pleasant	Queen
South Bland	west	Atlantic	Inglis
Victoria Rd.	north	Queen	Lucknow
Birmingham	east	Morris	Rottenburg
LeMarchant	east	Coburg Rd.	Watt
Henry	west	Coburg Rd.	Bliss
Pepperell	south	Louisburg	Preston
Cunard	south	Robie	Windsor
Rhuland	both	S. Park	Lucknow
Lucknow	both	Victoria Rd.	Fenwick
Edward	west	Morris	South
Bland	east	Inglis	Victoria Rd.
Lilac	east	Coburg Rd.	Payzant
Cherry	both	Robie	Louisburg
Up. Water	east	at #55	
Fenwick	south	Lucknow	Queen
Charles	north	Front of Church	
Louisburg	west	Jubilee Rd.	Cedar
South Park	west	Spr. Garden Rd.	Morris
Robie	east	In front of fire station	
Quinpool Rd. } Preston St } Robie } North Park } North } Dublin } Hollis } Hollis } South } Quinpool Rd. } Maynard } Barrington }	south } West } west } east } north } east } east } west } north } south } east } west }	In front of West end Baptist Church. North St. northwardly Cogswell Windsor North Morris Morris Hollis #106 Gerrish King Edward Hotel	Cornwallis Dublin Seaforth Fawson South Barrington Preston N. side West St. Young St. Vernon Spr. Garden Rd. Spr. Garden Rd. Sackville Almon Watt Blowers Morris South South Bloomfield Robie Clifton Clifton Westerly South St. South St. St. Albans
Jubilee Road	south	Edward	Vernon
Birmingham	west	Morris	Spr. Garden Rd.
Birmingham	east	Rottenburg	Spr. Garden Rd.
Grafton	east	Blowers	Sackville
Agricola	east	Ontario	Almon
Vernon	west	Jubilee Rd.	Watt
Grafton	west	Sackville	Blowers
Dresden Row	both	Sp. Garden Rd.	Morris
LeMarchant	east } west }	Morris } Coburg Rd. }	South } South }
Creighton	west	North	Bloomfield
Willow	south	Agricola	Robie
Willow	south	Gladstone	Clifton
Willow	north	Gladstone	Clifton
Annandale	north	Dresden Row	Westerly
Seymour	west	Coburg Rd.	South St.
Tower Rd.	west	Morris	South St.
Robie	west	North	St. Albans

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*Members
City Council*

Filed and a copy of the list ordered to be forwarded to each member of the Council.

WATER METER BILL OLD LADIES HOME GOTTINGEN STREET.

Read reports Committee on Works and City Engineer re water meter bill Old Ladies Home, Gottingen Street.

Office of Clerk of Works,
October 8th, 1919

The City Council.
Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Works Department the City Engineer submitted a report which attached hereto, on an application for rebate on two water meter bills for Old Ladies Home, Gottigen Street, on motion report was approved and recommended to Council for adoption.

A. F. Messervey,
Clerk of Works.

City Engineer's Office,
Oct. 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor,
Sir,

Respecting the two bills attached for water supplied through meter at the Old Ladies' Home the first account was for the period from Sep./17 to Feb./18. The consumption was, from the middle of Sept. to the middle of Oct., 96,200 gals; from the middle of Oct. to November 143,200 gals. After that 56,800, a total of 296,200 gallons.

I have no reason to believe that this bill is in any way incorrect.

After the explosion, the building was vacated until June 1st, Any water that was used up to that time was used in connection with the repairing of the building and it has not been paid by the Relief Commission, either the Old Ladies' Home or the City will lose it.

In July considerable water was used apparently for testing the pipes. The consumption in August was 45,900 gallons and in Sept. 38,700 gallons, total of 84,600 gallons for those two months.

I would recommend under the circumstances that the

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City Works ✓
Collector ✓

bill from Feb/ 18 to Sep./18 be settled on a basis of 100,000 gals.

F.W.W.Doane,
City Engineer.

Moved by Alderman Finlay seconded by Alderman Douglas that the reports be adopted. Motion passed.

PAY OF CITY WORKMEN LABOR DAY.

Read reports Committee on Works and City Engineer re pay of City workmen, Labor Day.

Office of City Works,
Oct. 8th, 1919

City Council.
Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Works Department held on the 8th inst. the attached report of City Engineer re pay of City Workmen on Labor Day was read and on motion ordered to Council for their information.

A.F.Messervey,
Clerk of Works.

City Engineer's Office,
October 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor,
Sir,

In compliance with your request, I beg to report on the following list of names who are claiming pay for Labor Day.

Rich. Fink, Driver	William O'Brien, Driver
Chas. Jenkins, "	Jn. Orman Laborer
Wm. Flint, Laborer	Wm. D. Murphy do
P. Courtenay "	

I have gone through the time books but have been unable to discover the name of Wm. D. Murphy or P. Courtenay in that fortnight. As far as Mr. Downie is aware, they have not been employed.

Respecting the other five men, they were instructed to work as usual on Labor Day and remove the ashes and garbage, but refused, preferring to fake a holiday, and consequently were not paid for the day. The men employed in cleaning paved streets and the men removing ashes and garbage are required to work every day except Christmas. In consideration of this drivers are given a week's holidays with pay to make up for the loss of other holidays.

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With one or two exceptions they are not permanent, that is, they have not been employed for a long period ~~of~~, but come and go as they see fit. If they had asked for a holiday on Labor day in time for me to make arrangements by advertising or otherwise to take care of the situation, all the men on that service would have got a holiday.

It would be manifestly unfair for these men to be paid when they refused to work, while other men in the same service did work and would be getting only the same pay. It would also be very unjust to all the other workmen who were compelled to take a holiday whether they wanted it or not, and who lost their pay for that day as they do for all holidays and rainy days because they are not permanently employed men. If these five men were to be paid, every man of the hundreds on the pay roll would have as good a claim for pay whether they worked or not.

It is usual with the squad cleaning paved streets, to require them to clean up the streets as rapidly as possible in the morning and then to give them the rest of the holiday, but as it takes all day to remove the ashed and garbage in a district in which men are employed, it is found impossible to give them any portion of the holiday; hence the week's holiday with pay. No other laboring men who are not employed permanently, get holidays with pay, and in addition, they do not get a change to work full time on account of the varying weather.

F.W.W. Doane,
City Engineer.

Moved by Alderman Murphy seconded by Alderman Buckley that the report be referred to the Committee on Works with the request that they adjust the days pay of the five men referred to in the report who did not report for work on Labor Day.

Motion put and lost 3 voting for the same and 13 against it as follows .

For the Motion.

Aldermen Regan, Murphy, Buckley -3

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Against it!

Engineer
Aldermen #Colwell, Whitman, Ackhurst, Finlay, Hoyt
Douglas, Butler, Ritchie, Power, Guildford, Godwin,
Hubley, Thompson -13

CHURCH STREET SIDEWALK.

Read reports Committee on Works and City
Engineer re concrete sidewalk on the east side of
Church Street.

Office of City Works,
October 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor and
City Council.
Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Works Department the
City Engineer's report as attached hereto was read
in re concrete sidewalk on east side of Church Street.
On motion it was approved and recommended for adop-
tion by Council.

A. F. Messervey,
Clerk of Works.

City Engineer's Office,
Oct. 6th, 1919

Engineer
His Worship the Mayor,
Sir,

I beg to report on the petition which it is
claimed was sent in in 1916, asking for the con-
struction of a sidewalk on the east side of Church
Street. Mr. Johnston states that the petition was
received but was not reported on.

There is a sidewalk on the west side, and I
would recommend that a concrete sidewalk with con-
crete curb and gutter be constructed on the east
side of Church Street between Morris and South
Streets under the Permanent Sidewalk Act 1906. The
estimated cost is \$4551.00

F. W. W. Doane,
City Engineer.

Moved by Alderman Finlay seconded by Alderman
#Douglas that the same be adopted. Motion passed.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Read report Committee of Fire Wards on various matters.

City Hall, Oct. 8, 1919

The City Council.
Gentlemen:-

The Committee of Fire Wards beg to report and recommend as follows :-

1. The following report from a committee appointed to consider the matter is recommended for adoption.

City Engineer's Office,
August 5th, 1919

Chairman,
Fire Committee.

Dear Sir:-

Your Committee appointed to consider application of the employees of the department for an increase in pay have given the matter careful consideration and beg to report that \$1450.00 was estimated and is available for work which Mr. Emmerson is expected to perform. He is at present getting \$1326.00 and your committee recommend that his pay be fixed for this year at \$1450.00. Mr. Ross has been getting 25¢ a day less than Mr. Emmerson and they recommend that his pay be increased to \$4.25 a day. Mr. Flinn has been getting \$4.00 a week they recommend that his pay be made \$6.00 a week.

The Committee also considered the question of supervision of Mr. Emmerson's work and recommend that all bills contracted by or for the City Electrician be certified to by him for payment and the Chief be relieved from all responsibility for them, otherwise that the organization be conducted as in the past.

W.W.Hoyt,
Chairman Fire Committee,
F.W.W.Doane,
City Engineer,
P.R.Colpitt,
City Electrician,
A.W.Churchill,
Chief Fire Department.

2. Explosion - Hire of Steam Fire Engine.

The Board submits herewith an account from the

Auditor ✓
Chief Fire Dept ✓
Electrician ✓

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Asst. City Clerk

American LaFrance Fire Engine Company \$714.00 for **Hire** of a steam fire engine after the Explosion of December 6th, 1917 in which the motor fire engine "Patricia" was seriously damaged and put out of commission. **be**

It is recommended that the account/referred to the Finance Committee for report.

3. City Dump Near Fairview.

The Board submits herewith an account \$142.60 against the City Works Department for labor and materials at fire at Sullivan dump near Fairview July 5th, to 10th, 1919 and recommend that the Fire Department be credited with the amount.

4. Spring Garden Road Engine House, Lease.

The Board beg to report that in response to advertisements in the newspapers tenders for the lease of the Spring Garden Road engine house, for a period not to extend beyond April 30th, 1920 were received from C.F. McDonald, at the rate of \$800.00 per year and from Peter Laba at the rate of \$1000.00 per year the tenant to have the privilege of remodelling the premises to suit his occupancy under the supervision of and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.

Subsequent to the date fixed for the reception of tenders an offer was received from Danial A. Bollong at \$100.00 a month.

The tenders not being satisfactory to the Board it is recommended that new tenders be called for by public advertisement.

5. Accounts.

The following named accounts are recommended for payment .

<u>August 1919</u>		
Canadian Oil Ltd.	gasoline	43.40
Robert Horner	horseshoeing	15.50
O.C. Marriott	do	16.28
Ungar's Laundry	laundry	6.00
Robinsons Ltd.	motor supplies	81.95
William Collings & Son	Machine supplies	51.02
R.N. McDonald	Groceries	26.00
T.C. Allen & Co.	Office supplies	1.15
American La France Fire Engine Co.	Motor supplies	1.41
N.S. Tramway Co.	Current account	23.75
		<u>\$ 266.46</u>

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Chronicle Pub. Co.	Advertising	6.30
C.R. Hoben & Co.	Hardware	1.50
R.N. McDonald	groceries	2.80
Ungar's Laundry	Laundry	13.26
H.D. McFatridge	Horseshoeing	13.50
Wm. Stairs Son & Morrow	Hardware	.58
Imperial Oil Ltd.	gasoline	70.97
Dominion Rubber System	Rubber goods	4.32
Royal Print & Litho	Directory	5.00
Halifax Herald	Advertising	8.40
National Drug Co.	Drugs	.35
A.H. Lamphier	Repairs	10.00
Robert Taylor Ltd.	rubber boots	93.00
Brookfield Bros. Ltd.	Lumber	97.04
J.&M. Murphy	Dry goods	163.30
Northern Electric Co.	Eleo. fittings	1.20
O.C. Marriott	horseshoeing	14.00
Robert Horner	do	23.75
F.W. McNally	Plumbing	35.97
American La France Fire Engine Co.	Motor Supplies	16.00
A.H. Lamphier	Car. Repairs	10.75
Halifax Broom Factory	Brooms	10.00
Gutta Percha Rubber Co.	rubber boots	93.00
Imperial Oil Ltd.	gasoline	11.50
Lawrence Hardware Co.	Hardware	12.16
Automotive Supply co.	Motor Supplies	15.00
Wm. Stairs Son & Morrow	Hardware	7.20
American LaFrance Fire Engine Co.	motor supplies	.90
T.C. Allen & Co.	office supplies	5.40
Chas. Brister & Sons	Motor supplies	14.10
Gutta Percha Rubber Co.	Rubber Goods	1.75
Brookfield Bros. Ltd.	Lumber supplies	36.05
Imperial Oil Ltd.	gasoline	83.61
Frank Fraser	Feed	841.40
Wm. Stairs Son & Morrow	Hardware	11.01
Wm. Corkum		306.24
Stroud & Eveleigh	Car. repairs	12.75
N.S. Tramway Co.	Light	15.61
Brookfield Bros.	Lumber	66.00
Adams Express Co.	Express charges	5.00
Wm. Collings & Son	machine supplies	27.68
J.W. Churchill	Cash	4.07
Northern Electric Co.	Eleo. supplies	6.13
Hillis & Sons	Fittings	2.90
J.G. Crump	Plumbing	96.95
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		\$ 2317.50

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Moved by Alderman Hoyt seconded by Alderman Murphy that the report be considered clause by clause. Motion passed.

Read clause one re pay of officials in the City Electrician's Department.

Moved by Alderman Hoyt seconded by Alderman Ritchie that the said clause be adopted eliminating the name of Mr. Ross who is not now in the employ of the department. Motion passed.

Read clause two re ^{hire} salary of steam fire engine from the American La France Fire Engine Company.

Moved by Alderman Hoyt seconded by Alderman Ritchie that the ~~account~~ ^{clause be adopted.} be paid. Motion passed.

Read clause three re City dump near Fair view.

Moved by Alderman Hoyt seconded by Alderman Murphy that the clause be adopted. Motion put and lost.

Read clause 4 re Spring Garden Road engine house lease.

Moved by Alderman Hoyt seconded by Alderman Murphy that the report be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Ritchie seconded by Alderman Colwell that the tender of Peter Laba at the rate of \$1000.00 per year be accepted subject to the approval of the City Engineer. The amendment is put and passed.

Read clause five recommending accounts for payment.

Chief Fire Dept Electrician Auditor

Auditor Ass't City Clerk

Engineer Chief Fire Dept Solicitor

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Moved by Alderman Hoyt seconded by Alderman Ritchie that the accounts be paid. Motion passed.

Moved by Alderman Hoyt seconded by Alderman Ritchie that the report as amended by adopted as a whole. Motion passed.

WORKS DEPARTMENT ACCOUNTS.

Read report Committee on Works recommending accounts for payment.

City Works Office,
Oct. 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor,
Sir,

Attached hereto are accounts for the Works Department for the month of September 1919, amounting to the sum of \$46,625.88 chargeable to the following services:-

Loan Widening Streets	6.30
Teams & Stables	551.61
Elec. Wiring Inspection	36.65
Permanent Pavement	130.09
Telephones	138.84
City Property	124.51
plumbing under Health Rules	8.40
Streets	1646.50
Permanent Sidewalks	960.60
Street Lighting	5908.76
Sewerage	5778.43
City Hall Lighting	59.16
Fuel City Hall	232.50
Felming Park	9.44
Public Baths	31.50
Market Revenue	3.69
City Prison Fire Loss	18.90
Cleaning Paved Streets	61.69
Internal Health	2881.26
Catchpit Cleaner	14000.00
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	29995.83
Water Maintenance	4891.25
Water Construction	11738.80
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	16630.05
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	\$ 46625.88

The Works Committee beg to recommend the same for payment.

A. F. Messervey,
- Clerk of Works.

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Moved by Alderman Finlay & seconded by Alderman Douglas that the report be adopted and the accounts paid. Motion passed.

CITY HEALTH BOARD ACCOUNTS.

Read report City Health Board/ recommending that the following accounts amounting to \$2,825.09 be passed for payment.

Office of City Health Board,
October 7th, 1919

To Chairman & Other
Members of Finance Committee.
Gentlemen:-

The attached accounts, from City Health Board, amounting to \$2,825.09 were passed at a meeting of the Board held this date and same are forwarded for your information and necessary action, please.

John W. Watters,
Secretary C.H.B.

Small Pox Hospital	Advertising	22.80
Ross Print	Printing	21.75
City Taxi Service	Service	14.50
Leonard Fisheries	Fish	15.85
Cragg Bros.	Hardware	23.19
Chronicle Pub. Co.	Advertising	8.40
Halifax Herald	do	4.90
J. & M. Murphy	Cheese cloth	10.89
J. Lycon	Taxi Service	64.50
Kinley's Ltd.	Drugs	210.85
Boutilliers Ltd.	Fish	1.20
T.H. & T. Francis	Blinds, etc.	142.75
Blackadar Bros.	Advertising	64.75
Rodgers & Beazley	Clothing	106.00
Mahoné Ltd.	Clothing	70.25
H.K. Mulford Co.	Vaccine	160.30
Farquhar Bros.	Plumbing etc.	108.15
C.P.R. Telegraph Co.	Telegrams	.71
H. Hemming	Carpenter etc.	739.22
J.A. Leaman & Co.	Meat	229.70
P.T. Shea	Eggs. Etc.	21.81
Hfx. Steam Laundry	Washing	74.21
S.D. Innes	Milk etc.	69.55
G.M. Meagher	Bread	45.88½
Wentzells Ltd.	Groceries	202.93
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		\$ 2535.04½

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Isolation Hospital.

J. A. Leamen & Co.	Meat	56.93
P. T. Shea	Butter Eggs, etc.	33.30
Hfx. Steam Laundry	Laundry	10.08
S. D. Innes	Milk etc.	15.34
G. M. Meagher	Bread	12.28½
Michael Day	Plumbing	54.60
Wentzells Ltd.	Groceries	61.36
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		\$ 243.89½

General Account

T. C. Allen & Co.	Office supplies	31.75
Morton & Thompson	Hardware	1.40
Royal Print & Litho Ltd.	Directory	5.00
A. A. Thompson	Anti Toxin	8.00
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		\$46.15

Recapitulation

Small Pox Hospital	2,535.04½
Isolation Hospital	243.89½
General Account	46.15
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	\$ 2,825.09

Moved by Alderman Finlay seconded by Alderman Guildford that the report be adopted and the accounts paid.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Regan seconded by Alderman Buckley that the report be referred to the Finance Committee.

Amendment put and lost 7 voting for the same and 9 against it as follows :-

For the Amendment

Aldermen Whitman, Hoyt, Buckley, Butler, Ritchie, Hubley -7

Against it.

Aldermen Colwell, Ackhurst, Finlay, Douglas, Murphy, Power, Guildford, Godwin, Thompson -9

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Moved in amendment by Alderman Murphy seconded by Alderman Regan that the report be referred to the Finance Committee and if found correct by that Committee that the accounts be paid.

Amendment put and lost 7 voting for the same and 9 against it as follows :-

For the Amendment.

Aldermen Whitman, Hoyt, Buckley, Butler, Ritchie -
Regan, Hubley -7

Against it.

Aldermen Colwell, Aokhurst, Finlay, Douglas,
Murphy, Power, Guildford, Godwin, Thompson -9

The original motion is put and passed.

SALARY F.C.CRAIG CITY HEALTH BOARD?

His Worship the Mayor informed the Council that the salary of F.C.Craig as a City Health Board inspector for the month of September had not been paid. The two letters from the Deputy Provincial Secretary on this matter, submitted at meeting of City Council, October 2nd, 1919 are again read.

Auditor
Moved by Alderman Murphy seconded by Alderman Douglas that the salary of F.C.Craig for the month of September be paid. Motion passed. ✓

Moved by Alderman Douglas seconded by Alderman Power that the Council do now adjourn. Motion put and passed 9 voting for the same and 7 against it as follows :-

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For the motion.

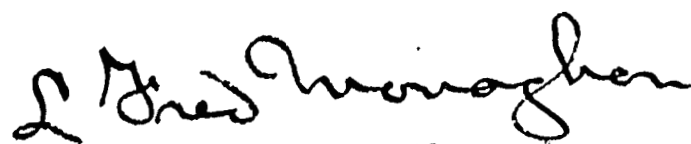
Aldermen Ackhurst, Hoyt, Regan, Douglas,
Butler, Power, Guildford, Godwin, Thompson -9

Against it.

Aldermen Colwell, Whitman, Finlay, Murphy,
Buckley, Ritchie, Hubley -7

Council adjourns 11 o'clock.

J.S.Parker,
MAYOR.


L. Fred Monaghan,
CITY CLERK.

A F T E R N O O N S E S S I O N ,

3.10 o'clock,

COUNCIL CHAMBER , CITY HALL,

October 14th, 1919

A meeting of the City Council was held this day at the above named hour. Present His Worship Mayor Parker and Aldermen Ackhurst, Finlay, Bissett, Regan , Douglas, Murphy, Buckley, Ritchie, Power, Godwin, Hubley.

The Council was summoned to proceed with business standing over and the transaction of other business.

VISIT MAYOR OF MONTREAL WEST.

His Worship the Mayor invites to a seat beside him Mayor Ballantyne of Montreal West and introduces him to the Council.

At the request of the Mayor, Mayor Ballantyne addresses the meeting.

PRESENTATION AND CONSIDERATION OF PAPERS.

The following named papers are submitted :-

Report Charities Committee by Alderman Ritchie for Chairman.

His Worship the Mayor submits the following named papers :-

Annual Report City Clerk 1918-19

Housing Problem, Letter Deputy Provincial Secretary re W.H. McCoy.

School Commissioner J.E. Furness, Resignation.
City Health Board accounts.

Wheel of Fortune J. Jannigan.

Child Saving Conference and Exhibit.

City Clerk's Office Staff.

Report Committee on Cabs re Regulation of Hacks, covering Ordinance.

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Cash Statement City Treasurer.
Police Department Accounts.
Reports (3) Committee on Works, viz:-
Assessment Improvement Plan.
Philips Streets Water Extension.
Beech Street Sewer.

ASSESSMENT IMPROVEMENT PLAN.

Read reports Committee on Works and Assistant
City Engineer re final payment to H.B. Pickings
on contract for furnishing assessments plans of
the City.

City Works Office,
October 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor.
Sir:-

At a Meeting of the Works Committee the City
Engineer's certificate recommending final payment to
H.B. Pickings of \$2308.00 in full settlement for
work in connection assessment improvement plans
was approved and recommended to Council for payment.

A.F. Messervey,
Clerk of Works.

City Engineer's Office,
Oct. 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor,
Sir,

Certificate #6 (final)

I beg to recommend payment to H.B. Pickings of
the sum of two thousand three hundred and eight
dollars (\$2308.00) being the balance in full on
his contract for completing the assessment plan
of the City of Halifax.

Amt. of contract	\$9450.00
1 extra set of blue prints	44.50
2 " sets of blue-lined prints	133.50
	<u>9628.00</u>
Paid on certificates 1 to 5	<u>7320.00</u>
Bal. recommended in full	\$ 2308.00

H.W. Johnston,
Asst. City Engineer.

*Engineer ✓
Auditor ✓
Recorder ✓*

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Moved by Alderman Finlay seconded by Alderman Douglas that the reports be adopted and the account paid. Motion passed.

PHILLIPS STREET WATER EXTENSION.

Read reports Committee on Works and Assistant City Engineer recommending final payment on account of contract for trenching Phillips Street Water extension.

City Works Office,
October 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor,
Sir,

At a meeting of the Works Department held this day the City Engineer's certificate recommending final payment to Hanratty and Robertson for work on water trench on Phillips Street amounting to \$2441.75 was approved and recommended to Council for payment.

A.F. Messervey,
Clerk of Works.

City Engineer's Office,
Oct. 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor,
Sir:

Certificate #2 (Final)

I beg to recommend payment to Messrs. Hanratty & Robertson of the sum of Two Thousand four hundred forty-one dollars and seventy-five cents (\$2441.75) the balance in full on their contract for trenching and laying water pipe on Phillips Street.

Estimated value of work done	\$3841.75
Less paid on certificate #1	1400.00
Bal. recommended in full	\$ 2441.75

Certificates have been filed for the Registrar of Deeds and for the Workmens Compensation Board as required.

H.W. Johnston,
Asst. City Engineer.

Moved by Alderman Finlay seconded by Alderman

*Engineer,
Austin*

October 14th, 1919

Douglas that the reports be adopted and the account paid. Motion passed.

BEECH STREET SEWER.

Read reports Committee on Works and Assistant City Engineer re final payment on contract for Beech Street sewer trenching.

City Works Office,
October 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor.
Sir:-

At a meeting of the Works Committee the City Engineer's certificate recommending final payment to Luciano, Lucinao, and Nasso for work in connection with Beech Street sewer trench amounting to \$2295.75 was approved and recommended to Council for payment.

A.F. Messervey,
Clerk of Works.

City Engineer's Office,
Oct. 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor.

Sir:-

Certificate #5 (final)

I beg to recommend payment to Luciano, Luciano and Nasso of the sum of Two thousand two hundred ninety-five dollars and seventy-five cents (\$2295.75) being balance in full on their contract for Beech Street sewer from Gunpool Road to Chebucto Road.

Estimated value of work done	\$11395.75
Less paid on certificates 1 to 4	<u>9101.00</u>
Bal. recommended in full	\$ 2295.75

Before this amount is paid certificate should be filed for the Registrar of Deeds and for the Workmen's Compensation Board.

H.W. Johnston,
Asst. City Engineer.

Moved by Alderman Finlay seconded by Alderman Douglas that the reports be adopted and the account paid. Motion passed.

WHEEL OF FORTUNE - JOHN JANNIGAN.

Read application John Jannigan for permission

Engineer ✓
Auditor ✓

October 14th, 1919

to operate a wheel of fortune on the common.

Halifax, N.S., Oct. 14, 1919

To His Worship the Mayor
and City Council.
Gentlemen:-

I humbly ask your Worship and Council for a license to run a wheel of fortune with fruit and confectionery as prizes. I would want a space 10 ft x 8 ft. on North Common, opposite Armouries Building, for three days, October 15, 16 and 17. I can assure your body that everything will be done orderly and fair, for which I pray that you will grant my request.

John Jannigan.

Moved by Alderman Douglas seconded by Alderman Finlay that the application be filed.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Murphy seconded by Alderman Bissett that the license applied for be granted at the usual charge.

Amendment put and passed 6 voting for the same and 5 against it as follows :-

For the Amendment.

Aldermen Bissett, Regan, Murphy, Buckley,
Ritchie, Hubley -6

Against it.

Aldermen Ackhurst, Finlay, Douglas, Power, Godwin -5

HOUSING PROBLEM - W.B. MCCOY.

Read letter Deputy Provincial Secretary as follows :-

Halifax, N.S. 4th, October, 19

The City Clerk,
Halifax.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge your memo. of the 2nd October containing extract from Minutes of the meeting of City Council held on the 25th September last, addressed to Hon. G.H. Murray. Mr. Murray is out of the city at the present time, and on his return

*Read by clerk ✓
Mayor ✓
Solicitor ✓*

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W B MacLoy ✓

the matter will be placed before him for consideration,

Arthur S. Barnstead,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Filed.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER J.E.FURNESS, RESIGNATION.

Read notification Board of School Commissioners of the resignation of Ex-Alderman J.E.Furness as a School Commissioner.

Halifax, N.S. Oct. 3, 1919

L.Fred Monaghan, Esq.,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Board yesterday, a letter of Mr. J.E.Furness, was submitted, resigning his position as Commissioner of this School Board.

Will you kindly notify the City Council of the vacancy at its next meeting.

S.J.Wilson,
Secretary.

*J E Furness ✓
Board School Commissioners
Alderman Thompson ✓*

Moved by Alderman Ackhurst seconded by Alderman Power that Alderman Thompson be appointed a member of the Board of School Commissioners to fill the unexpired term of Ex-Alderman Furness. Motion passed.

ANNUAL REPORT CITY CLERK 1918-19

Read Annual Report City Clerk for the Civic Year 1918-19. Filed.

Auditor ✓

CITY HEALTH BOARD ACCOUNTS.

Read report Finance Committee covering report City Health Board recommending accounts for payment.

Committee Room. City Hall,
October 7th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor,
and City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance Committee

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held this day the attached accounts ^{of the} ~~of the~~ City Health Board chargeable to 1918-19 account and referred at a meeting of the City Council held on the 25th September last to this Committee for report, are recommended for payment.

Alfred Whitman,
Chairman.

Moved by Alderman Finlay seconded by Alderman Ritchie that the report be adopted and the accounts paid. Motion passed.

CHILD SAVING CONFERENCE AND EXHIBIT.

Read letter Mrs. Clara B. Bligh, Secretary Local Council of Women re proposed Child Saving Conference and Exhibit.

Halifax, N.S. 10.10, 1919

His Worship Mayor Parker.

Dear Sir:-

The Local Council of Women in co-operation with other interested Organizations and Societies, propose holding a Child Saving Conference with Exhibit, during the last week in October. The purpose is to stimulate interest in the preservation of child life.

An Exhibit has been secured from Montreal, which will have local additions. It is proposed to hold a series of talks and lectures on subjects to be selected.

The arrangement Committee greatly desires the sympathy and co-operation of the City Council.

Clara B. Bligh,
Secretary.

Moved by Alderman Mur by seconded by Alderman Regan that the letter be referred to His Worship the Mayor for acknowledgment and endorsement. Motion passed.

CITY HOME

Read report Charities Committee for the month of September.

*His Worship the Mayor
Clara B. Bligh*

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Halifax, N.S., Oct. 3rd, 1919

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

The Charities Committee met this day and beg to submit the following report :-

Members Present: The Chairman, Alderman Regan and Alderman Ritchie.

The Superintendent's report for September, 1919, shows that during the month there were 23 persons admitted into the City Home, 4 born, 16 discharges and 4 died. Of the number admitted 3 were chargeable to the Province, 2 to the Department of Indian Affairs and 18 to the City. The total number of inmates September 30th, 1919 was 256 made up of 150 men, 121 women, and 5 children. On the same date last year there were 147 men, 117 women and 6 children a total of 270.

The following accounts are recommended for payment.

Wentzells Ltd.	Groceries	834.32
J.A. Leaman & Co.	Meat	634.25
Leonard Fisheries Ltd.	Fresh fish	56.55
Smith & Proctor	Butter	250.64
H.D. Grant	Milk	197.64
Kennedy's Limited	Dry-goods	68.30
Frank W. Fraser	Feed	46.49
H.D. McKenzie	Coal	338/80
Union Coal Co.	Coal	80.06
The Flieschmann Co.	Yeast	4.55
N.S. Tramways Co.	Light	40.33
do	Power	2.52
C.E. Puttner	Dispensing	100.00
Nickerson & Crease	Groceries	184/00
H. McFatriidge	Vet. Services	8.50
Jas. Simmonds Ltd.	Hardware	23.45
W.S. & H.H. Rogers		165.00
T.J. Whelan & Co.	Clothing	10.00
National Drug & Chem Co.	Drugs	1.20
Hillis & Sons. Ltd.	Stove fittings	38.50
Mathers & Dougl	Prof. Services	5.00
J.H. Buchanan	Cash expended	297.95
Salaries		1058.64
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		\$ 4446.69

H.S. Colwell,
Chairman.

Moved by Alderman Ritchie seconded by Alderman Regan that the report be adopted and the accounts paid. Motion passed.

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CASH STATEMENT CITY TREASURER.

Read cash statement City Treasurer for the month of September. Filed.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE STAFF.

Read letter City Clerk recommending the employment of an additional stenographer for his office.

Office of City Clerk
October 8th, 1919

His Worship the Mayor
and City Council.

Gentlemen:-

I beg to report that I require more stenographic and typist assistance in my office and request that the position of a competent stenographer be advertised for the salary to be at the rate of \$800.00 per year.

Should the Council approve of this recommendation it would be necessary to secure an undertaking from the Government that they will use their good offices for the promotion of legislation to provide for the salary and for desk and type-writing machine.

L. Fred Monaghan,
City Clerk.

Moved by Alderman Ackhurst seconded by Alderman Murphy that the report be referred to the Finance Committee for report. Motion passed.

STREETS ON OFFICIAL CITY PLAN - TOWN PLANNING BOARD.

Read extracts from Minutes of a meeting of the City Council held on the 24th day of June, 1919 covering reports from the Clerk of Works and the City Engineer recommending in conjunction with the Town Planning Board that certain streets be plotted on the Official City Plan. (See Minutes of Council June 24th, 1919)

Moved by Alderman Finlay seconded by Alderman

*Alderman
Whitman.
Asst. City Clerk.*

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Ackhurst that the reports of the City Engineer and the Clerk of Works be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Murphy seconded by Alderman Power that the reports be referred back to the Committee on Works.

Amendment put and ~~12~~ 9 voting for the same and 2 against it as follows :-

For the Amendment.

Aldermen Bissett, Regan, Douglas, Murphy, Buckley, Ritchie, Power, Godwin, Hubley -9

Against it.

Aldermen Ackhurst, Finlay -2

HACK ORDINANCE.

Read report Committee on Cabs covering an Ordinance to amend Ordinance #14 relating to Hacks.

Halifax, N.S. July 24, 1919

The City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Committee on Cabs held this day the attached draft of an amendment to ordinance No. 14 Relating to Hacks was approved and is recommended to the Council for adoption.

J.S.Parker.
Mayor and Chairman.

Read an Ordinance to amend Ordinance #14 of the regulation of hacks as amended by Ordinance #44.

An Ordinance to amend Ordinance number 14 "of the Regulation of Hacks " as amended by Ordinance 44.

Be it enacted by the Council of the City of Halifax as follows -

Clerk of Works
City Engineer

October 14th, 1919

Ordinances number 14 and 44 of the City of Halifax "Of the Regulation of Hacks" are hereby amended as follows &

Section 3 of Ordinance 14 is hereby struck out.

Every licensed hack driven by motor power shall at all times display on the windshield of the vehicle a sign bearing the word Taxi in letters not less than one inch in length and shall also when on the stand or at the railway station or a steamboat wharf similarly display a card at least 9" long X 6" wide with letters 2 inches high and 2/10 inches wide, if not engaged the words "Fore Hire" or if engaged the word "Engaged".

Table of Fares and Distances.

The fares for Motor Hacks shall be -

To or from any steamer or passenger vessel to or from any railway station, or to or from any hotel or dwelling house, stand, or other place with a $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. of baggage 50¢ for any passenger any distance up to one mile, over one mile for each passenger fare shall be 75 cents. For each extra $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt of baggage charge of 25 cents will be made.

Motor Hacks Hire by the Hour.

For a 7 passenger car the charge will be \$4.00 for each hour.

For a 5 passenger car the charge will be \$4.00 for the 1st hour and \$3.00 for each successive hour.

For employment in the night time between the hours of 12.00 p.m. and 7 a.m. the fare shall be as parties may agree not however to exceed double fare.

Moved by Alderman Douglas seconded by Alderman Bissett that said Ordinance be now read a first time. Motion passed.

Read a first time an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to amend Ordinance #14 of the Regulation of Hacks" as amended by Ordinance #44.

Moved by Alderman Douglas seconded by Alderman Power that said Ordinance be now read a second time. Motion passed.

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Read a second time an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to amend Ordinance #14 of the Regulation of Hacks as amended by Ordinance #44."

ORDINANCE #14 OF THE REGULATION OF HACKS

Moved by Aldermen Douglas seconded by Alderman Power that the ordinance relating to hacks submitted and read a first and second times at meeting of City Council June 19th, 1919 be now read a third time. Motion passed.

Read a third time an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to amend Ordinance 14 of the Regulation of Hacks."

An Ordinance to amend Ordinance 14 of the Regulation of Hacks.

Be it enacted by the Council of the City of Halifax as follows-

Ordinance number 14 of the City of Halifax of The Regulation of Hacks is amended as follows -

By striking out clause 3.

By adding to clause 4 the following -

Provided that for the civic year ending 30th April 1919 a license may be granted upon any application which has been made previous to the 1st day of July.

Letter
In Council

Moved by Alderman Douglas seconded by Alderman Power that the said Ordinance having been duly read in Council three times be now adopted and forwarded to the Governor in Council for approval. Motion passed.

POLICE ACCOUNTS.

Read report Police Committee recommending

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accounts for payment.

Geo. Foley	Meals	1.05
T.C. Allen & Co.	Stationery	11.30
Mar. Tel. & Tel. Co.	Phones	22.50
A.H. Lamphier	Rep. Waggon	22.50
F.W. Fraser	Feed	30.19
Robinsons Ltd.	Patches car.	1.00
N.S. Storage Battery Works	Battery	48.50
C. Shipley & Co.	Uniforms	333.50
T.J. Whalen & Co.	Raincoats	208.00
Halifax Herald	Advertising	6.30
Chronicle Pub. Co.	do	6.30
Alex. Frizzell	Batons	12.50
F. Hanrahan	Sundries	29.47
Le Bon Marche	Hat	8.50
R. Taylor Co. Ltd.	Boots	5.25
Hfx. Relief Commission	Clothing	54.00
J. Wannacott	Key	.50
Hfx. Vulcanizing Co.	Valve Centre	.45
Dr. H. McFatriage	Destroying Dog.	1.00
Wm. J. Regan	Harness etc.	2.65
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		\$ 806.46

Moved by Alderman Ackhurst seconded by Alderman Finlay that the report be adopted and the accounts paid. Motion passed.

TOWER ROAD REPAIRS - SALARIES OF OFFICIALS.

Read extract from Minutes of a meeting of the City Council held on the 24th day of June 1919, covering notice of motion submitted by Alderman Power re Tower Road repairs, Salaries of Officials, etc.

Alderman Power declines to move for the adoption of the motion of which he had given notice.

Alderman Kelly arrives and takes his seat in Council.

TOWER ROAD PAVING.

Moved by Alderman Regan seconded by Alderman

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Power that the answers made by the City Solicitor to questions asked by Alderman Power at a meeting July 25th, 1919 in relation to paving of Tower Road if submitted by the City Solicitor be taken up as the first order of business at the next meeting of the City Council. Motion passed.

*City Solicitor
City Clerk*

OILING OF STREETS.

Read extract Minutes of meeting of the City Council held August 6th, 1919 covering notice of motion by Alderman Finlay in connection with the cost of oiling of streets (see Minutes of Council August 6th, 1919).

Moved by Alderman Finlay seconded by Alderman Ackhurst "That the City Solicitor be authorized to prepare legislation at the next session of the Nova Scotia Legislature making the cost to abutter 1/3 and 2/3 to the City.

*City Engineer
City Solicitor
Mayor*

This legislation to become retroactive and that the City have power to order without petition."

Moved in amendment by Alderman Douglas seconded by Alderman Ritchie that the resolution be amended to the effect that the abutters pay 50% of the cost and the City the other 50%.

Amendment put and passed 9 voting for the same and 3 against it as follows -

For the Amendment.

Aldermen Ackhurst, Bissett, Kelly, Douglas, Buckley, Ritchie, Power, Godwin, Hubley -9

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Against it.

Aldermen Finlay, Regan, Murphy -3

In response to request His Worship the Mayor undertakes to obtain from the City Engineer a report as to the cost of oiling of streets.

HOUSING PROBLEM.

Moved by Alderman Power seconded by Alderman Finlay that Alderman Ackhurst be permitted to introduce a resolution respecting the housing problem in Halifax. Motion passed.

Alderman Thompson arrives and takes his seat in Council.

Alderman Ackhurst submits the following resolution :-

RESOLVED that if the Provincial Government establishes a company or commission for the erection of houses in the City of Halifax, the City agrees to lay in the streets adjoining the plot of land selected for that purpose water pipes and sewers, provided the selection of such plot is approved by this Council, the same to be laid subject to the approval and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer, and such pipes and sewers to be laid subject to the usual terms respecting contributions from the owners of adjoining property.

Moved by Alderman Ackhurst seconded by Alderman Power and passed. Alderman Godwin dissents.

Moved by Alderman Douglas seconded by Alderman Power that the Council do now adjourn. Motion passed

Council adj urns 5.30 o'clock.

MAYOR

J. Fred Monaghan
CITY CLERK.

City Engineer
Mayor
Hon. H. Murphy
Prov. Secy.