

City Hall,  
San Clemente, California,  
June 7th, 1944.

The regular meeting of the City Council of the City of San Clemente was held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 408 N. El Camino Real, San Clemente, California, WEDNESDAY, June 7th, 1944, at 8.00 O'clock, p.m. - Mayor LeRoy M. Strang in the Chair.

On roll-call the following was the stated vote,

to-wit:-

PRESENT: COUNCILMEN: Smith, Sturgis, Preston and Strang,  
ABSENT : COUNCILMEN: Palmer.

All rose and Pledged Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

The Minutes of the last regular meeting held WEDNESDAY, May 17th, 1944, were read and approved as read.

WRITTEN  
COMMUNICATIONS.

TERMINATION OF  
LEASE-GARAGE &  
STORE ROOM.

Communication from the United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Emergency Rubber Project, terminating their lease of a portion of the ground floor commonly known as the City Hall occupied by them as a garage and storehouse under Lease dated January 15th, 1943, as and at June 30, 1944; was read and ordered filed.

Communication from the Coast Guard asking for acknowledgement of Notice covering Lease renewal Tcg-35644 for year 1944 to and including June 30, 1945, of City's property known as the San Clemente Beach Club; was read and referred to the City Attorney.

Communication from Homer D. Tuttle, 4474 West 60th, Street, Los Angeles, regarding maintenance of Golf Course; was read and referred to the Commissioner of Parks and Playgrounds.

Copy of letter from Lieutenant Colonel Henry L. King, U.S. Army retired, City, addressed to War Price Administration, Los Angeles, regarding his being refused extra ration points under new regulations of the O.P.A. by the Local Rationing Board; was read and ordered filed.

Communication from Betty Sue Jones, Girl Scouts Scribe, thanking the City Council for their gift of the Air Raid Post Hut and the land made available for it; was read and ordered filed.

Communication from the National Labor Relations Board thanking the Council for the use of the Court for their Hearing, Wednesday, June 14th, 1944, of the Reeves Rubber Coy.'s Case #21-C-2378; was read and ordered filed.

Communication from George I. Schlotterbeck, U.S. Coast Guard, retired, San Clemente, applying for a position as Police Officer; was read and referred to the Commissioner of Police.

WRITTEN  
COMMUNICATIONS.  
continued -

Communication from the Department of Finance, Sacramento, enclosing Application and Agreement for the allocation by the Director of Finance of funds for our Civilian Defense Control Center for period June 1, 1943 to June 30, 1944, under provision of Chapter 805, Statutes of 1943; was read and referred to City Attorney to draw up necessary Resolution. (Item involved is \$7.15 for telephone services.)

ORAL  
COMMUNICATIONS.

PROPOSED TRAILER  
CAMP TO BE OPERATED  
AT SITE OF OLD LUMBER  
YARD BY ERNEST SMITH.

Mr. Ernest Smith appeared before the Council and asked if there was any Ordinance or restriction against putting in a Trailer Camp in the City. If not he proposed to convert the old lumber yard into a first class trailer camp and would have an investment of \$17,000.00 in same. He intended to erect fourteen house trailers for rental purposes.

City Attorney McKinney said he knew of nothing against it.

There was no objection from any of the Council if the camp was conducted in a proper manner.

Councilman Sturgis intimated that the general public do not like the State Park Camp on account of inadequate facilities there.

REPORTS OF  
COMMISSIONERS AND  
OFFICIALS.

Report of the Activities of the Police Department for May, 1944, submitted by Chief of Police, Arthur L. Daneri; was read and ordered filed.

Report of the Activities of the City Court for month of May, 1944, submitted by William H. Stute, City Judge; was read and ordered filed.

Treasurers report for month of May, 1944, submitted by Verne D. Bailey, City Treasurer; was read and ordered filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

With regard to the proposed Curfew Ordinance, City Attorney McKinney recommended that this Ordinance be tabled at this time.

PROPOSED CURFEW  
ORDINANCE TABLED.

Moved by Councilman Sturgis, seconded by Councilman Preston, that the proposed Curfew Ordinance be tabled. On roll-call the following was the stated vote, to-wit:-  
AYES : COUNCILMEN: Smith, Sturgis, Preston and Strang,  
NOES : COUNCILMEN: None,  
ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: Palmer.

The Motion was declared carried.

City Attorney McKinney stated that he had prepared the first Resolution relative to abandoning portion of alleys in Industrial District, but unfortunately he forgot his brief case this evening with it in and would suggest passing same over till the next meeting if that would be agreeable to the City Engineer. City Engineer W. A. Ayer said that would be satisfactory.

APPLICATIONS FOR  
CARETAKERS POSITION  
AT SOCIAL CLUB.

The Clerk reported that he had received twenty applications relative to the Caretakers position at the Social Club, which he had handed over to Councilman Smith, Commissioner of Parks and Playgrounds.

Councilman Smith was authorized to pick out those applications he thought best and ask applicants for an interview.

## PAYING BILLS.

Moved by Councilman Preston, seconded by Councilman Smith, that the following bills, as audited, be paid. On roll-call the following was the stated vote, to-wit:-  
 AYES : COUNCILMEN: Smith, Sturgis, Preston and Strang,  
 NOES : COUNCILMEN: None,  
 ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: Palmer.

The Motion was declared carried.

Warrant #		\$
10184	William Holmes	101.00
10185	James Henry Bennett	101.00
10186	Verne D. Bailey	83.20
10187	Bertram H. Latham	73.90
10188	William H. Stute	63.90
10189	B. Z. McKinney	58.60
10190	Julius H. Becker	20.00
10191	Arthur L. Daneri	127.24
10192	Arthur L. Daneri	96.00
10193	Wendell B. Lovell	114.06
10194	Ernest Collingsworth	105.12
10195	James L. Morgan	83.10
10196	Marvin Crummer	46.70
10197	Dave Tansey	25.00
10198	Edith Lovell	5.00
10199	Richard A. Parker	93.10
10200	Dewey N. Hoople	79.90
10201	John Avalos	84.10
10202	Jose Villalobos	72.70
10203	Feliciano Reyes	77.40
10204	Roy Salyer	74.70
10205	Floyd Harold Ray	83.50
10206	James Arthur Bennett	20.00
10207	James Molitor	10.00
10208	Mrs Harvey	30.50
10209	Frank Carizosa	79.90
10210	Verne D. Bailey - Withholding Tax	155.60

TOTAL PAY ROLL LAST HALF MAY, 1944.....	\$1,966.22	
10211	Petty Cash Expenditures	72.00
10212	V. B. Anderson Company	4.07
10213	Barnetts Radiator Service	2.80
10214	Bowles Electric Company	16.65
10215	Braun Corporation	70.74
10216	Calgon Inc	73.73
10217	Dow Radio Supply Company	57.19
10218	Dresser Manufacturing Company	182.25
10219	George Dunton	9.68
10220	Paul H. Esslinger, M.D.	5.00
10221	General Electric Corporation	94.50
10222	Cancelled.	-
10223	Hardie Company	10.11
10224	Hockaday & Phillips	16.94
10225	Orange County Auto Parts	2.27
10226	W. J. Patterson	9.79
10227	Radio Products Company	31.22
10228	Radio Television Equipment Co	8.70
10229	Royal Indemnity Company	25.00
10230	San Clemente Sun	64.17
10231	S.C. Volunteer Firemans Organizn:	50.00
10233	San Diego Electric Company	493.58
10232	Los Angeles Times	4.50
10234	San Diego Electric Company	39.45
10235	Shepherd Equipment Company	27.74

PAYING BILLS -  
continued.

Warrant #			
10236	So. Cal. Disinfecting Company	\$	6.00
10237	Telephone Company		4.10
10238	So. Counties Gas Company		16.07
10239	Standard Oil Company		8.69
TOTAL WARRANTS ON ACTIVE PUBLIC FUNDS.....			<u>\$3373.17</u>
10240	General Petroleum Corporation	\$	11.16
10241	W. J. Patterson		3.00
TOTAL WARRANTS ON LOT CLEANING FUND.....			<u>\$ 14.16</u>
10242	William A. Ayer - Project #9 on SPECIAL STATE GAS TAX FUND.....	\$	<u>6.50</u>
10243	San Diego Electric Company MAY LIGHTING..... on SAN CLEMENTE LIGHTING MAINTENANCE #1 FUND.	\$	<u>717.53</u>
TOTAL ALL WARRANTS ISSUED JUNE 7th, 1944			<u>\$4,111.36</u>

NEW BUSINESS.

Councilman Sturgis said he was under the impression when we put an Ad in the paper for a Caretaker at the Social Club we had also inserted an Ad for a Man for inside work on the Police Department, but it appears we did not do so. However before inserting another advertisement he would see Schlotterbeck first.

SQUIRREL POISONING.

Councilman Preston reported that the squirrel situation was getting bad and thought something should be done to eliminate the condition.

James H. Bennett, Superintendent of Public Works, reported that on account of labor shortage he would be unable to get any assistance from the county this year, but he would do the best he could under the circumstances.

Mr. Bennett also reported that he had been troubled with Golfers sneaking on the Course after four o'clock, after the greenskeeper had left work for the day, but this was now being taken care of.

Mr. Bennett also reported verbally regarding work done at the Social Club House, the Caddy House and the Tennis Courts. New nets had been obtained for the latter.

PROPOSED APPLICATION  
FOR WELL SITE & WATER  
SUPPLY FROM SAN MATEO  
CREEK To U.S.  
GOVERNMENT.

Plans were ordered to be started immediately on data for a formal request to the United States Government for a Well Site and needed Water Supply from San Mateo Canyon.

Councilman Preston and the City Engineer to get together on this and get same in proper shape for submission to the U. S. Government.

Mayor Strang said he would like also at the same time to get ready data regarding proposed new pipe line, new reservoir, etc.

## RESOLUTIONS.

Upon Motion of Councilman Sturgis,  
seconded by Councilman Smith, RESOLUTION NO. 367, BEING  
A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN  
CLEMENTE REQUESTING STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO PAY HALF COST  
OF TELEPHONE EXTENSION FROM STATE OF CALIFORNIA, SAID  
EXTENSION BEING USED AS PART OF CIVILIAN DEFENSE CONTROL  
CENTER; was regularly introduced, passed and adopted by  
the following stated vote, to-wit;-

AYES : COUNCILMEN: Smith, Sturgis, Preston and Strang.  
NOES : COUNCILMEN: None.  
ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: Palmer.

The Resolution was declared adopted.

## ADJOURNMENT.

Moved by Councilman Sturgis, seconded by  
Councilman Smith, and carried, that the meeting adjourn.

*William Hobbes*

City Clerk and ex-officio  
Clerk of the City Council.

APPROVED: JUNE 21st, 1944.

*W. Strang*

Mayor and President of the  
City Council.