

City Hall,
San Clemente, California,
June 21st, 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 21st, 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 June 7th, 1944, were read and approved as read.

WRITTEN
COMMUNICATIONS.

Communication from John E. Roberts, City, asking for permission to remove two poplar trees bordering the grounds of the Shell Service Station on account of them putting up shoots on this lot through the black macadam and breaking same up badly; was read and request granted on condition that the work be done at his own expense.

Communication from Mrs. Faith Tansey, City, applying for position in Police Department office; was read and referred to Police Commissioner.

Communication from Ernest J. Boud, Chairman of the San Diego Public Safety Committee relative to passing a Resolution to submit to Washington in an effort to make Highway 101 a four-lane highway North from Oceanside to San Clemente to eliminate the present large number of accidents occurring on same; was read and referred to City Attorney to draw up necessary Resolution.

Communication from H. O. Parks, City, submitting a bid of \$250.00 for Lots 28 and 29, Block 1, Tract 795 on behalf of Mrs Gladys I. Rand, 1404 Sassafras Street, San Diego, a married woman. If Bid accepted deed to be made out to her as her sole and separate property. After reading same was ordered held over till next regular meeting of the City Council for further bids, acceptance or rejection.
(City Clerk's notation: City only owns East 10 feet of Lot 28, Block 1, Tract 795 mentioned above.)

1944-1945
ASSESSMENT ROLL
DELIVERED TO
CLERK BY
ASSESSOR.

Communication from Verne D. Bailey, Deputy Tax Assessor, addressed to City Clerk, and delivering to City Clerk a true list of the Assessment Roll for the Fiscal Year 1944-1945 for the City of San Clemente containing a description of the property assessed in said City and the value thereof of each parcel together with a total valuation of all property on said Roll; also maps accompanying same; was read and ordered filed.

COUNCIL TO
SIT AS BOARD
OF EQUALIZATION
MONDAY, JULY
3rd, 1944.

Communication from City Clerk, William Holmes, advising the Council that the Deputy Assessor, Verne D. Bailey, pursuant to law and Ordinance No. 113, had deposited with him, as City Clerk, the Assessment Roll to property within the City of San Clemente subject to Taxation for the Fiscal Year 1944-1945; also further advising the Council that the date set by law for the City Council sitting as a Board of Equalization, will be MONDAY, July 3rd, 1944, at the hour of 10.00 o'clock, a.m. and will continue in adjourned sessions from 10.00 o'clock, a.m. to 12.00 o'clock noon each day thereafter to Saturday July 8th, 1944, inclusive, or until all the Returns of the Assessor have been rectified or verified. Place of Meeting, Council Chamber, City Hall, 408 N. El Camino Real, San Clemente, California. Notice to be published twice, June 23rd and 30th, 1944.

AGREEMENT FOR
EXPENDITURE OF
 $\frac{1}{2}\%$ STATE GAS
TAX MONEY FOR
STREETS OF
MAJOR
IMPORTANCE.
PROJECT NO. 9.

Communication from S. V. Cortelyou, District Engineer, Division of Highways, District VII, Los Angeles, enclosing Memorandum of Agreement, in triplicate, for expenditure of $\frac{1}{2}\%$ State Gas Tax money for streets of major importance in City for fiscal year 1945, also copy of Resolution required for Project No. 9; was read and referred to "RESOLUTIONS."

ORAL
COMMUNICATIONS.

Tom Murphine, President of the Peace Officers Association, and Cuba Morris, member of the California Highway Patrol, appeared before the Council and explained the working of the proposed Curfew Ordinance and both strongly stressed the need for a uniform Curfew Law throughout Orange County. They also stated the County of Orange and six other cities had adopted the Ordinance or were in the process of doing so, but that in order to make it work satisfactorily it would be necessary for all communities to adopt it.

While all Councilmen agreed in an Ordinance of this nature, they thought the present proposed Ordinance was just a little tough and required modification.

After quite a length discussion it was decided to hold same over for further discussion at next meeting.

REPORTS OF
SPECIAL
COMMITTEES.

Councilman Preston, Commissioner of Water, reported that last Wednesday he had taken a trip to San Mateo Creek along with Mayor Strang, City Engineer William A. Ayer and James Henry Bennett, Superintendent of Public Works.

They had practically decided on a site for well location and had instructed William A. Ayer, City Engineer, to make a survey and plat and get blueprints showing what territory we will travel over. In order to complete plan will plot right up to the proposed reservoir which, if ground is available, would be alongside one we have now. We would have to get in touch with the Officer in Charge at Camp Pendleton as the application will have to go through him and get him to give us his friendly word. Then we would have to contact our Senator and Congress representatives so that after the war is over we will be able to go ahead with our long needed extra reservoir and new well.

UNFINISHED
BUSINESS.

Mayor Strang brought up the matter of revamping our present Building Ordinance requiring 800 square feet instead of the present 600 square feet for residential buildings.

Councilman Preston said 600 square feet was too much in the nature of a shack.

BUILDING ORDIN-
ANCE TO BE
AMENDED TO READ
800 SQUARE FEET
INSTEAD OF 600
SQUARE FEET.

After a slight discussion City Attorney McKinney was authorized and instructed to draw up necessary changes to cover the entire city with the exception of Tracts 823 and 899 in the Industrial District.

Councilman Sturgis reported about a week ago he interviewed George Schlotterbeck regarding position in Police Departments Office, and he appeared to be interested. He told him he would pay him \$ 4.00 per day till next Council meeting. Schlotterbeck informed him he would take the job at \$ 125.00 per month. He would like to know if this met with the approval of the Council.

Having received Council's approval, it was Moved by Councilman Smith, seconded by Councilman Preston, that we hire George I. Schlotterbeck on the Police Department at a salary of \$125.00 per month.

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.

Councilman Preston reported that the party parked in a trailer near his residence had erected quite a building and wondered if the Council knew about it. He would see Bartlett and ask him to inspect it.

Moved by Councilman Sturgis, seconded by Councilman Preston, 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.

Wrrant #		\$
10244	William Holmes	101.00
10245	James Henry Bennett	101.00
10246	James Henry Bennett	101.00
10247	Verne D. Bailey	83.20
10248	Bertram H. Latham	73.90
10249	William Henry State	63.90
10250	B. Z. McKinney	58.60
10251	Julius H. Becker	20.00
10252	Arthur L. Daneri	96.00
10253	Wendell B. Lovell	87.50
10254	Ernest L. Collingsworth	77.40
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10256	James L. Morgan	72.40
10257	Marvin Crummer	46.70
10258	Dave Tansey	6.25
10259	Richard A. Parker	93.10
10260	Dewey N. Hoople	79.90
10261	John Avalos	76.70
10262	Jose Villalobos	70.70
10263	Feliciano Reyes	41.40
10264	Roy Salyer	74.70
10265	Carl Milner	29.70
10266	Floyd H. Ray	83.50
10267	James Arthur Bennett	20.00
10268	James Molitor	5.00
10269	Edith Ann Harvey	40.90
10270	Frank Carizosa	79.90
10271	Verne D. Bailey-Withholding Tax	129.50

TOTAL PAY ROLL FIRST HALF JUNE, 1944..... \$1,891 . 25

G.I.SCHLOTTER-
 BECK APPOINTED
 TO POLICE DEPT:
 AT SALARY OF
 \$125.00 PER
 MONTH.

PAYING BILLS.

PAYING BILLS - continued.	Warrant No.	Brought Forward	\$ 1,891.25
	10272	Petty Cash Expenditures	6.08
	10273	Abstract & Title Insurance Company	12.50
	10274	American Fire Equipment Company	9.49
	10275	Buckner Manufacturing Company	15.08
	10276	Chemurgis Corporation	18.27
	10277	Consolidated Rock Company	367.94
	10278	Corcoran Paper Company	1.54
	10279	Crane Company	39.61
	10280	Hardie Manufacturing Company	2.50
	10281	Pacific Toro Company	28.44
	10282	Paulsen and March	140.53
S.G.T.F.	10283	Paulsen and March	242.11 SGT.
	10284	S.C. Volunteer Firemen's Organizn:	50.00
	10285	San Diego Electric Company	.63
	10286	Sea Shore Cafe	8.20
	10287	Southern California Telephone Co	38.83
	10288	Sully Miller Company	31.07
	10289	Warsco Equipment Company	13.01
TOTAL ALL WARRANTS ISSUED JUNE 21st, 1944.....			\$ 2,916.08

NEW BUSINESS.

DOGS TO BE
ON LEASH
WHEN AT
BEACH OR ON
CITY
STREETS.

A discussion took place regarding dogs running at large on the beach - several children and adults have been reported as having been attacked by dogs on the beach and on the streets. Chief Daneri said he was issuing a warning to dog owners to either keep their dogs on a leash when at the beach and also to see that dogs were kept at home and not allowed to run the streets or his department would be compelled to bring the offenders into court. A Notice would be inserted in the San Clemente Sun to this effect so that all dog owners could see and so keep their dogs under control. During the hot weather sometimes an otherwise quiet dog might become vicious and even infected with rabies.

LICENSE GRANTED
FOR SANDWICH
SHOP 106 S. EL
CAMINO REAL.

The request of Mrs. Ada Mae Benton and Mrs Edith Lovell for a License to operate a Cafe, to be known as the El Camino Sandwich Shop, located at 106 S. El Camino Real, was considered and the request granted, Clerk being instructed to issue the necessary License.

Councilman Preston again brought up the matter of what could be done to alleviate the squirrel question as they were doing considerable damage.

James H. Bennett, Superintendent of Public Works, said he had a quantity of poison but did not have labor enough to put on a campaign against the pests. Any citizen wishing to do this work himself would be supplied with the poison free of charge upon request.

NEW SEWER
EQUIPMENT
REQUIRED.

Mr. James H. Bennett, Superintendent of Public Works, informed the Council he was badly in need of some new sewer equipment to take care of the present situation. 1800' feet of the sewer from the toilets at the beach to the sewer pump was

choked and the rest rooms were flooded, and the only thing was to buy some more equipment. He said it would cost \$540.00 to clean out that much pipe by contract.

NEW SEWER

EQUIPMENT TO BE
PURCHASED AT A
COST NOT TO
EXCEED \$875.00-

Moved by Councilman Smith, seconded by Councilman Preston, that we purchase equipment necessary for the Sewer department at a cost of approximately \$ 875.00.

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.

RESOLUTIONS.

EXPENDITURE OF
 $\frac{1}{4}$ CENT STATE
GAS TAX FOR
FISCAL YEAR
1944-1945.

Upon Motion of Councilman Sturgis, seconded by Councilman Preston, RESOLUTION NO. 368, BEING A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE ADOPTING BUDGET AND APPROVING MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT FOR EXPENDITURE OF $\frac{1}{4}$ CENT STATE GAS TAX ALLOCATED FOR STREETS OF MAJOR IMPORTANCE, 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 Motion was declared carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

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

William Holmes

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

APPROVED: JULY 5th, 1944.

W. Strang

Mayor and President of the
City Council.