

Council Chamber, Easley Building,
San Clemente, California,
Friday, May 1st, 1936.

The regular meeting of the City Council of the City of San Clemente was held in the Council Chamber, Room 210, Easley Building, San Clemente, California, Friday, May 1st, 1936, at 8.00 o'clock, p.m. - Mayor Dan Mulherron in the Chair.

The following was the state of the roll-call:

PRESENT: COUNCILMEN: Fate, Coe, Smith and Mulherron,
ABSENT : COUNCILMEN: Kinney.

At this point ex Councilman Von Bon Horst rose and said before the Council started its meeting he had a few words to say. He was glad to see the large lobby in attendance, the finest gathering assembled here for three years. On behalf of ex-Councilman E. L. Holloway, and himself, he had a little token he would like to present to the Mayor - this little token was made in San Clemente. He then presented Mayor Mulherron with a Gavel.

Mayor Mulherron said he thanked them very much for this implement of authority and hoped he would not misuse or hurt anybody with it, or do anything rash. He wanted bygones to be bygones and all to come together 100% - Let us make this an outstanding City for people to come here and live - let us put our shoulders to the wheel and push her over the hill - then we will have lots of people here and lots of work. Forget what has gone by and come together as neighbors and friends. I thank you.

The Minutes of the last adjourned regular meeting held Monday, April 20th, 1936, were read and approved as read.

WRITTEN
COMMUNICATIONS.

Communication from Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Neddermeyer making application for reinstatement as Custodians of the Social Club was read and ordered filed.

Communication from George Larson applying for position as Life Guard for coming season; was read and ordered filed.

Communication from George A. Wilcox applying for position of truck driver; was read and ordered filed.

Communication from Miss Eunice Templin applying for reinstatement as Caretaker on Sundays at the Social Club; was read and ordered filed.

PRESCRIPTIVE
RIGHT TO 12
MINERS INCHES
OF WATER AT
CAPISTRANO.

Communication from Chas. D. Swanner, Attorney at Law, Santa Ana, enclosing Copy of Judgement No. 26127 showing that there exists a prescriptive right to TWELVE miners inches of water owned either by the City or its predecessors in interest, but binding as against the defendants named in said judgement; also that there was a balance of \$500.00 due him for attorney's fees in this connection; was read and referred to the City Attorney.

WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS - continued -

Application from Clyde T. Chalk asking to be retained in his position as Building Inspector; was read and ordered filed.

Communication from Roy Divel Junr resigning his position as Life Guard on account of having received a more remunerative and steady job was read and ordered filed.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. B. Z. McKinney, the newly appointed City Attorney, said it was a good thing for the citizens of the community to attend the Council meetings, as this would let the Council know that the citizens were interested in what their City was going, and would make them more on their toes to carry out the wishes of the citizens with respect to community affairs. He also suggested that in order for San Clemente to properly progress it would be necessary for the citizens to forget their differences of the past and unite on a programme for the upbuilding of the City, as the City should not be known as a place where outside motorists were pounced upon for the purpose of enriching the coffers of the City, but stated, however, that that did not mean that if persons were flagrantly violating the motor vehicle laws that they should not be arrested and punished. He again urged the cooperation of the citizens for the upbuilding and betterment of the City.

REPORTS OF COMMISSIONERS AND OFFICIALS.

Report of the Activities of the City Court for month of April, submitted by Fred S. Warner, City Judge, was read and ordered filed. Fines for April totalled \$ 735.00 -

Report of the Water Department for month of April, submitted by Glenn E. Easley, was read and ordered filed.

The Committee of the Whole Council, Councilman Henry A. Fate, Chairman, was read and on Motion of Councilman Fate, seconded by Councilman Coe was accepted and adopted as the action of the Council.

On roll-call the following was the stated vote, to-wit:
 AYES : COUNCILMEN: Fate, Coe, Smith and Milherron,
 NOES : COUNCILMEN: None,
 ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: Kinney.

The motion was declared carried.

Copy of said report is attached to these Minutes and made a part hereof.

PAYING BILLS.

Moved by Councilman Fate, seconded by Councilman Coe, that the following bills, as audited, be paid, as, if and when funds are available.

On roll-call the following was the stated vote, to-wit:
 AYES : COUNCILMEN: Fate, Coe, Smith and Mulherron,
 NOES : COUNCILMEN: None,
 ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: Kinney.

The Motion was declared carried.

Warrant #		
973	William Holmes	\$ 99.43
974-5	Den M. Acres	89.60
976	C. O. Easley	75.73
977	Verne D. Bailey	57.83
978	Fred S. Warner	66.66
979	L. M. Strang	89.17
980	Tom Murphine	95.20
981	Earl Moore	84.00
981-a	Tom Murphine	89.25
981-b	Earl Moore	78.75

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	982	Henry L. Moore	\$	26.27
	983	Sid J. Holland		56.00
	984	Roland Peterson		75.15
	985	Glenn E. Easley		72.65
	986	John F. Killen		87.82
	987	Julius Becker		55.89
1062	988	Wendell Lovell		60.00
	989	Floyd Ray		52.95)
	990	Floyd Ray		11.25)
	991	George A. Wilcox		52.00
	992	Harvey E. Davis		18.00
	993	Everett Bewley		7.00
	994	C. C. Chambers		4.00
	995	Roy Divil Junr		15.00
	996	Robert Smith		56.00
	997	Joe A. Jeans		69.33
	998	Jock MacAdam	3.09	
	999	Jock MacAdam	58.00	
	1000	Jock MacAdam	<u>19.66</u>	80.75
	1001	F. A. Neddermeyer		53.33
	1002	Eunice Templin		5.00
	1003	A. Simmen		15.50
	1004	William A. Ayer		20.00
	1005	Dewey Hoople		<u>14.50</u>

TOTAL WAGES APRIL 16th to and INCLUDING MAY 2nd, 36 \$ 1733.41

	1006	Petty Cash Expenditures		7.46
1063	1007	Adairs Grocery		7.15
1064	1008	A. B. Anderson Company		27.80
1065	1009	Bancroft Whitney		12.88
1066	1010	Chemical Equipment Co		39.66
1067	1011	Coast Hiway Garage		138.48
1068	1012	Crane Company		165.11
1069	1013	Crane Company		49.90
1070	1014	Coastline Dispatch		20.50
1071	1015	Dr. Paul Esslinger		2.00
1072	1016	Graham Brothers		86.20
1073	1017	Dr. Glenn Halverson		11.00
1074	1018	Jeffries Banknote Company		7.62
1075	1019	Pomona Pump Company		263.96
1076	1020	Schwabacher Frey Company		154.68
1077	1021	Southern Counties Gas Company		22.95
1078	1022	Southern California Telephone Co		57.37
1079	1023	Standard Oil Company		294.46
1080	1024	Strang Brothers		42.00
1081	1025	Sparling Company		185.40
1082	1026	United Automotive Service		4.47
1083	1027	Ray Walter Typewriter Company		8.40
1084	1028	Western Metal Company		143.14
1085	1029	Western Metal Supply Company		39.16
-	1030	San Diego Electric Company		551.81

TOTAL ALL WARRANTS ISSUED MAY 1st, 1936..... \$ 4,077.97

RESOLUTIONS.

NEW COUNCIL
APPOINTIVE
POSITIONS.

Upon Motion of Councilman Fate, seconded by Councilman Coe, RESOLUTION No. 271, BEING A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE APPOINTING CERTAIN PERSONS TO CERTAIN APPOINTIVE OFFICES IN THE CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE AND FIXING THE SALARIES THEREOF; was regularly introduced, passed and adopted by the following state vote, to-wit:

AYES : COUNCILMEN: Fate, Coe and Mulherron,
NOES : COUNCILMEN: Smith,
ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: Kinney.

The Resolution having received the required number of votes was declared adopted.

AUDIT OF
CITY'S BOOKS.

Upon Motion of Councilman Fate, seconded by Councilman Coe, RESOLUTION NO. 272, BEING A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE AUTHORIZING AUDITING COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL TO MAKE AUDIT AND EMPLOY CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT TO ASSIST THEM; was regularly introduced, passed and adopted by the following stated vote, to-wit:

AYES : COUNCILMEN: Fate, Coe and Mulherron,
NOES : COUNCILMEN: Smith,
ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: Kinney.

The Resolution having received the required number of votes was declared adopted.

Moved by Councilman Fate, seconded by Councilman Coe, and carried, that the meeting adjourn.

William Holmes

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

APPROVED: May 15th, 1936.

Don Mulherron
Mayor and President of the
City Council.

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COMMITTEE OF WHOLE COUNCIL'S REPORT.

The Honorable Mayor and City Council,
City of San Clemente, California.

Gentlemen,

We, your Committee of the Whole Council, who have had under consideration the matters set forth below, respectfully make the following recommendations:

1. That George A. Wilcox be employed as Truck Driver on the Street Department, effective May 2nd, 1936.
2. That the communication from Chas. H. Swanner regarding his bill for legal services in connection with the San Juan Capistrano Water Suit be referred to the City Attorney.

COMMITTEE OF THE
WHOLE COUNCIL'S
REPORT -
continued -

3. That Clyde T. Chalk be employed as Building Inspector, effective May 2nd, 1936.
4. That Floyd Ray be employed as Water-man at the Golf Course, effective May 2nd, 1936..
5. That the Council approves and recommends the proposed Resolution submitted to them by the League of California Municipalities of Orange County, and that the Clerk be instructed to write a letter informing the League of the Council's action.

Respectfully submitted,
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL,

HENRY A. FATE,
Chairman.

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SUGGESTED
MILITARY
ACADEMY IN
SAN CLEMENTE.

After the meeting had been adjourned, Major J. B. Wansettler, representing Colonel Harry Culver of the Culver Military Academy, Culver City, California, appeared and addressed the Council. He explained that he was sorry that he was late and did not get here in time before the meeting terminated. He did not know when he came down he would have to make a speech, but he made lots and, if the Council could stand it, he could.

He stated about a year ago he was here for Colonel Culver looking over various properties with the intention of starting a Military Academy. He said Colonel Culver was very much sold in any place along the ocean but particularly here in San Clemente for such a school. At the present time in Culver City they had 225 boys - not only were they filled to capacity but had about 50 more than they should have. The Colonel's idea is to find another location along the Coast where he could start another school. At the present time he was down to see what arrangements could be made for a small Summer School where later on it could be made into an all year school. They had boys in their school from 35 States and 10 or 12 from foreign countries. There was no reason why a portion of the income derived from these boys tuition, schooling, etc, should not come down here and he asked the Council's assistance in trying to secure something suitable for their requirements.

Mayor Mulherron said all the City had to offer was the Beach Club and that was out of the question as it was under lease to Mr. J. D. L'Esperance. There was the Hospital and the Golf Course Club house - the former was owned by the Beverley Hills National Trust and Savings Bank and the latter by the Bank of America. There were also quarters established at the State Park not being used at present - something might be done there. He would investigate the matter thoroughly and see what he could do for them. It would be a splendid thing for the City to have the Military Academy in San Clemente.