

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk

Geo B Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Jany. 6, 1926.

The city governing body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$36,693.63, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1332,
Creating Sewer Lateral Dist. No. 87.

An ordinance creating Lateral Sewer District No. 87, in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, and providing for the construction of a lateral sewer therein and providing for the payment of the cost thereof was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Resolution to Improve,
East Fifteenth Street Highway.

A resolution of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, providing for the improvement of the East Fifteenth Street Highway, was introduced and was unanimously adopted. Resolution as follows:

"Whereas, the city of Ottawa, in Franklin County, Kansas, is a city of the second class with a population of less than 65,000 inhabitants, and East Fifteenth Street is a street extending eastward from Main Street and is on the corporation line of said city and extends eastward into Main Franklin County and is unimproved and Cedar Street in said city is a street beginning at said Fifteenth Street and extending northward and is improved by grading, paving, curbing and guttering for a long distance northward from the intersection of said Cedar Street with said Fifteenth Street, and,

Whereas, the governing body of said city believes that it is now expedient and that a public necessity exists to improve said Fifteenth Street from the west side of said Cedar Street and eastward along the south corporation line of said city and thence eastward for a distance of 5/8th of a mile from the intersection of said Fifteenth Street with the said Cedar Street, and

Whereas, the said Fifteenth Street or road from said Cedar Street is bordering on the limits of said city for a part of the distance proposed to be improved and lying partly within and partly without the said city of Ottawa, now, therefor,

Be it resolved, by the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, that said Fifteenth Street or highway, from the west side of Cedar Street at the intersection of said 15th street with said Cedar Street be improved eastward from said intersection for the distance of 5/8th of a mile that said 15th street shall be brought to a proper grade and paved with a course of brick laid upon a foundation of crushed rock or concrete, that the width of said pavement shall be 18 feet; that a benefit district within said city to bear the cost of such part of said improvement as shall be a charge upon the specific property within said city is described as follows

Beginning at the northeast corner of the intersection of Cedar and Fifteenth Streets and being the southwest corner of Lot 36 in University Subdivision, thence east 265 feet, thence north 500 feet thence west 265 feet, thence south 500 feet to the point of beginning; and that the cost of such improvement shall be levied and assessed in the manner provided by law; and that the number of annual assessments to be levied as special

assessments against the property in said city within said dostrict shall be ten., and,

Be it further resolved, that said improvement shall be supervised and installed and the cost provided for in the manner as set forth in Sections 12-647 to 12-655 of the 1923 Revised Statutes of Kansas, and,

Be it further resolved, that a certified copy of this, the foregoing resolution be forthwith filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, for such action thereon as said Board may deem proper.

Ordinance to Pave,
No. Cedar-Wilson to Red Jacket,
Red Jacket to Powhattan.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of North Cedar Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, from Wilson Street to Red Jacket Street and from Red Jacket to Powhattan Street was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Final Estimates Approved,
Fourth, Sixth and Tenth Streets.

The engineer presented the final estimates on the paving of Fourth Street from Cedar to ^{Hickory}; Tenth Street from Main to Cedar Street and Sixth Street from Poplar to Cherry Street, this work was considered and viewed by the Governing Body and on the recommendation of said engineer such paving was accented.

Resignation of Jno. C. Quin.
Accepted by Commission.

John C. Quin, city attorney, having been appointed acting postmaster of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, such services beginning January 1, 1926, tendered his resignation to the city governing body as city attorney of the said city to take effect at the pleasure of said governing body. The governing body thereupon accepted such resignation and appointed Walter Pleasant to serve in this capacity such duties to begin at once and the appointment to expire after the mayor had been elected and had qualified after the April City election. Such appointment was duly confirmed by the governing body of the city and the oath of office was given Mr. Pleasant by the city clerk.

Members of Library Board,
Reappointed by Mayor.

The terms of Miss Maye Halloren and Nelle Chaffee as members of the Library Board having expired, Mayor Ross reappointed both to succeed themselves for a new term on said library board.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk.

Geo B Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Jany. 13, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1333,
Pave No. Cedar-Wilson to Powhattan.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of North Cedar Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, from the south line of Wilson Street to the ^{south} north line of Powhattan Street and providing for the payment of the cost thereof was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

The Board of
Judges and Clerks of Election,
Gas Franchise.

<u>First Precinct.</u>	<u>Second Precinct.</u>	<u>Third Precinct.</u>	<u>Fourth Precinct</u>
<u>Judges.</u>			
*Mott G. W.	*Foster C. C. P.	*Peck C. E.	*Broderick Wm.
Slater E. H.	Stokes J. F.	Doran A. J.	Carrier Olive
Kramer Mattie	X Doran Mrs. M. E. <i>M. E. Doran</i>	Crouse Julia	Hall Mollie
<u>Clerks.</u>			
Young Mrs. Jesse	Winkler Rosa	X Conrad Helen	Chamberlin Mrs. F.
Saxton Mrs. Nora	Cover Bessie	Rarey Caramitta	Murphy C. W.
<u>Fifth Precinct.</u>	<u>Sixth Precinct.</u>	<u>Seventh Precinct.</u>	<u>Eighth Precinct.</u>
<u>Judges.</u>			
*Cartzdafner A. B.	<i>C. G. Taylor</i> Geiger W.	*Kaiser P.	*Paramore H. B. J.
X Mickey F. S. <i>W. H. Mickey</i>	Chase Aldythe	Flaherty J. O.	Rodman Ada B.
Weinheimer Mrs. Geo.	Mitchell Margaret	Bowler Mrs. Lee	Johnson Paul
<u>Clerks.</u>	<u>Clerks.</u>		
Stiles Mary	Stearns Onie C.	Adler Frances L.	Vincent Ursa A.
X Springer J. H. <i>Berry</i>	Shook E. R. <i>x m m</i>	Halloren Maye	Crane Lizzie Mrs
<u>Ninth Precinct.</u>	<u>Clerks.</u>		
*Cook Mrs. Chas.	Lloyd Mrs. E. E.		
Emerson E. Q.	Winger Mrs. Carrie		
Latimer Mrs. Harry			

The above were appointed to serve on the election board for the special election held January 26th, 1926, to vote upon the Gas Franchise

to grant to the Ottawa Gas and Electric Company a franchise to manufacture gas and to operate a natural or manufactured gas distribution plant and system in the city of Ottawa.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Curich
City Clerk.

Geo. B. Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Jany. 20, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$8971.77, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Appropriation to Battery "B".

Captain Joe R. White, Commanding Officer of Battery "B", 161st Field Artillery, appeared before the governing body with the request that an appropriation of not to exceed \$200.00 be made to this organization to be used in making much needed repairs in the upper floor of the armory building located at 412 North Main Street. This request was granted the authority being based under Section 48-308 and 48-509, the Revised Statutes of Kansas.

On motion the commission adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Curich
City Clerk.

Geo. B. Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Jany. 27, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Street Lights Ordered. In.

Superintendent Myers was instructed to have street lights put in at the corners of Logan and Birch Streets and one at Logan and Spruce Streets. Such lights to be installed at once.

Contract to Pave-No. Cedar St.,

The mayor and city clerk were authorized to enter into a contract with Cook and Stucker to pave North Cedar Street from the south line of Wilson Street to the south line of Powhattan Street. A personal bond was furnished by said contractors and both contract and bond was approved by the governing body.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet on Friday, January 29th, 1926.

Edwin Quack
City Clerk

Geo B Ross
Mayor.

January 29th, 1926, City Hall, Ottawa, Ks.

The City Governing Body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, met in special session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present, for the purpose of canvassing the votes cast at the special election held in such city on Tuesday, January 26th, 1926, at which election there was submitted to the electors of such city the question of the acceptance or rejection of a franchise ordinance granting to the Ottawa Gas and Electric Company a franchise to operate and maintain a gas distribution system in the city of Ottawa as set out in Ordinance numbered 1330 of such city.

A canvass was made of the votes cast at such election, and it was found that a total of 876 votes were cast at such election of which 509 votes were in favor of the approval or granting of such franchise, and 348 votes against such approval and grant, and the governing body find by unanimous vote that such franchise ordinance numbered 1330 of said city has been approved by a majority of the electors of the city of Ottawa voting at such special election, and that said franchise ordinance numbered 1330 of the city of Ottawa has been legally and properly approved

and is in full force and effect.. (At this canvaes it was found there were 12 spoiled or blank ballots cast.)

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk.

Geo B Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Feb. 3, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Monthly Reports Approved.

The monthly reports of the clerk, treasurer, water and light department, police judge, city market were presented and approved and placed on file in the office of the city clerk.

Appropriation Ordinance.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$15,409.34 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Petition to Pave.

East Tenth-Mulberry to Sycamore.

A petition was presented by property owners asking that Tenth Street from Mulberry Street to Sycamore Street be paved with the same type of pavement as that to be used on South Mulberry Street from Ninth to Eleventh Streets. Such petition was referred to the city attorney for investigation.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk.

Geo B Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Feb. 10, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Resolution to Improve,
Poplar-Logan to Powhattan Streets.

Whereas, North Cedar Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, is unimproved from the north line of Logan Street to Powhattan Street, and the governing body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

Be it Resolved by the governing body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas, that North Poplar Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, from the north line of Logan Street to the south line of Powhattan street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and the gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the costs of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas, governing street paving.

The above resolution was unanimously adopted by the governing body.

Resolution to Improve,
Cedar Street, Logan to Powhattan.

On motion the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, North Cedar Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, is unimproved from the north line of Logan Street to Powhattan street and the Governing Body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and the gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the costs of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving.

Resolution to Improve,
East Tenth-Mulberry to Sycamore.

On motion the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the governing body of the city of Ottawa:

Whereas, East Tenth Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, is unimproved from the east line of Mulberry Street to Sycamore Street, and the governing body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering, now, therefor,

Be it Resolved, by the Governing Body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas, that East Tenth Street in the city of Ottawa, from the east line of Mulberry Street to Sycamore Street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and the gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the costs of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving.

Notice to Close Pool Halls.

On motion of Mayor Ross the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the governing body and the city attorney was instructed to draw up a notice notifying the various pool halls now operating within the limits of the city of Ottawa should be closed no later than March 15, 1926.

Following is a copy of the resolution as passed:

Whereas, Pool Halls and Billiard Halls combined have for sometime been operated within the limits of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, and

Whereas, the Mayor and Commissioners of said city received some information to the effect that these halls were being operated in violation of the city ordinance relating to Pool Halls and Billiard Halls and upon receipt of this information the Mayor and Commissioners requested the City Attorney to investigate the matter and advise them whether these halls were in fact being so operated, and,

Whereas, the City Attorney reported to the Mayor and commissioners that he had made an investigation of the manner in which the said halls were being operated, that he had secured the facts in connection with its operation; that from his investigation he was satisfied, and advised the

Mayor and Commissioners that these places were being operated for profit and in direct violation of the said ordinance. That in his opinion the operators of said pool halls were subject to arrest and trial for violating said ordinances, and that in his opinion there was no reasonable doubt but a conviction could be had.

Now, therefore, we as Mayor and Commissioners of Ottawa, do not desire a prosecution if the same result can be obtained in another way. The real thing that we desire and believe that a large majority of the citizens of Ottawa desire, is that these places be closed and remain closed. We, however, are not unmindful of the fact that these places have been tolerated for a long period of time and that the immediate closing of the place might cause heavy financial loss which we believe the citizens of Ottawa might regret.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that all ^{owners of} pool and Billiard rooms be notified and warned that said pool and billiard halls should be closed at no later date than the 15th day of March, 1926, and that the same shall remain closed thereafter.

Street Light Ordered.
Wilson & King Streets.

The superintendent of the Water and Light Department was instructed by the governing body to have a street light put in at the corner of Wilson and King Streets at the earliest date possible.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Curich
City Clerk.

Geo. B. Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kans., Feby. 17, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$18657.10, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Application of Bethlehem Steel Co.,
For Extension of Time on Contract.

An application was received from the Bethlehem Steel Co., of Bethlehem, Pa., asking for an extension of time on their contract with the city of Ottawa, under their contract for steel work on the Main Street Bridge, dated December 1st, 1926. The commission decided that it was not advisable to grant an extension of time at this time on account of the other contractors employed on this work not knowing how it might effect the progress of their work. The city clerk was instructed to notify the Bethlehem Steel Co., that such extension could not be granted and a copy of such letter to be forwarded to our consulting engineers, Harrington, Howard & Ash.

Claim of John Nelson,
Not Approved.

John Nelson appeared before the governing body and presented a claim for alleged damages to property on the north side of the Marais des Cygnes River. Such claim being in the amount of \$3,000.00, this amount Mr. Nelson claims as a fair claim for damages which he sustained by reason of the building of this bridge.

The Governing Body did not allow this claim at this time and same was properly filed.

Final Estimates on Sewer Laterals.

Enginner Novak presented final estimates on the completed work on Sewer Laterals No. 82, 84, 85 and 87, and the sewer lateral constructed from Twelfth to Fifteenth Street in South Cedar Street.

The above work was recommended by the engineer in charge as being satisfactorily completed and recommended that it be accepted. Thereupon the governing body duly accepted all of this work.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk.

Geo. B. Pass
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kans., Feb. 24, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Nothing of record coming before the governing body the motion for adjournment was moved and seconded and the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk.

Geo B Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kans., March 3, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$38105.90, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Final Estimate Accepted,
Eleventh St.-Cedar to Mulberry Sts.

Engineer Novak presented the final estimate on the paving of Eleventh Street from Cedar to Mulberry Street, such work being satisfactorily completed, Mr. Novak recommended that such work be accepted. Thereupon the governing body accepted this work.

Resolution to Improve Forest Park,
Construct a Building.

On motion of Mayor Ross the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the governing body:

WHEREAS, The city of Ottawa, in Franklin County, Kansas, is now the owner of and in control of a public park known as Forest Park, which is maintained by said city for the recreation, pleasure and profit of the public, and

WHEREAS, The Mayor and Commissioners of said city deem it necessary and for the best interests of said city to further improve said Forest Park by the construction of a suitable building therein.

Now, therefore, Be it resolved by the Mayor and Commissioners of said city of Ottawa, Franklin County, Kansas, that it proceed to improve the said Forest Park as soon as funds are available for that purpose by the construction therein of a suitable building for the use of the public and that the money deemed necessary for the construction of such building shall be provided for by the issuance of \$15,000.00 of bonds of said city as provided by law--this being the amount the said Mayor and Commissioners deem necessary for said purpose--said bonds to mature in equal amount of a period of 15 years and to draw interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}\%$ per annum, payable semi-annually on the date of said bonds; and that the proposition to issue such bonds shall be submitted to the voters of said city at the next general city election of said city to be held on the 6th day of April, 1926.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the rentals to the amount of \$1000.00 yearly to be received by said city for the use of Tauy Court be set aside and treated as a sinking fund to be used in retiring the bonds to be issued for the purposes herein proposed.

JUDGES AND CLERKS OF ELECTION.

FIRST PRECINCT.

JUDGES:

*Mott G. W.
Slater E.H.
Kramer Mattie

CLERKS.

Young Anna Mrs.
Saxton Nora Mrs.

FOURTH PRECINCT.

JUDGES.

*Wm. Broderick
Olive Carrier
K. M. Bucklin

CLERKS.

C. W. Murphy
Mrs. F. Chamberlin

SEVENTH PRECINCT.

*JUDGES.

P. Kaiser
J.O. Flaherty
Mrs. Lee Boler

CLERKS.

Frances Adler
Maye Halloren

SECOND PRECINCT.

*C.C.E. Foster
J. F. Stokes
W. S. Miller

CLERKS.

Winkler Rosa
Bessie Cover

FIFTH PRECINCT.

*Judges.

*A.B. Cartzdafner
C. F. Crain
Mrs. Geo. Weinheimer

CLERKS.

Mary Stiles
Ida Booze

SIXTH PRECINCT.

JUDGES.

*C. Fetter
Aldythe Chase
Margaret Mitchell

Clerks.

Onie C. Stearns
Winnifred Jones

EIGHTH PRECINCT.

*H. B. Paramore
Paul Johnson
Ada B. Rodman

CLERKS.

Ursa Vincent
Lizzie Crane

NINTH PRECINCT.

JUDGES.

*Mrs. Chas. Cook
E. Q. Emerson
Mrs. Harry Latimer

Clerks.

Mrs. E. E. Lloyd and Carrie Winget.

The above were duly appointed to serve as judges and clerks of the Primary and City elections to be held in the city of Ottawa on Tuesday,

March 9th, 1926 and on Tuesday, April 6th, 1926, for the purpose of voting on nominess for the office of Mayor of said city of Ottawa.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk

Geo B Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, March 10, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioner Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

OFFICIAL CANVASS PRIMARY ELECTION,
MARCH 6th, 1926.

An official canvass of the Primary Election held in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, March 9th, 1926, for the nomination of candidates for t the office of Mayor of said city of Ottawa, having been made by the city clerk, the results were found to be , as follows:

E. M. Elliott.....	439	votes
Geo. B. Ross.....	636	votes
E. H. Slater.....	542	votes
J. S. Weethee.....	569	votes
Joe R. White.....	290	votes
Void and spoiled ballots	27	

Geo. B. Ross and J. S. Weethee having received the highest number of votes cast are declared the nominees and will be placed upon the official city ballot to be voted upon at the city election to be held in said city of Ottawa on Tuesday, April 6th, 1926.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk.

Geo B Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, March 17, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$22687.88, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1334,
Pave No. Cedar-Logan to Powhattan.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of North Cedar Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, from the north line of Logan Street to Powhattan Street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1335,
Pave N. Poplar-Logan to Powhattan Sts.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of North Poplar Street, in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, from the north line of Logan Street to Powhattan Street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1336,
Pave Tenth Street-Mulberry to Syc.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of East Tenth Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, from the east line of Mulberry Street to Sycamore Street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, was introduced and placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three. Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Bond of A. C. Moses Approved.

The bond of A. C. Moses in the amount of \$1,000.00 was presented to the governing body to cover the performance of his duties as city scavenger for the city of Ottawa and approved. Same was approved by the Mayor.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk.

Geo. B. Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Mch. 24, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in adjourned session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Special Appropriation Ordinance.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$1600.00 was introduced to take care of a mortgage loan for the Cemetery Reserve Fund. Such ordinance was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes three, Nays, None. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Light Ordered In.

A street light was ordered to be placed at the corner of First and Main Streets, between Hickory and Main. Supt. Myers was instructed to have this light installed at once.

Bids for Forest Park Sewer.

The City Engineer having asked for bids on the proposed six inch sewer for the bath house at Forest Park to be opened by the governing body on this date, bids were filed by Wm. Lewis, Emmett Bunyan and M. L. Staneart for such work. All of these bids being higher than the estimate of the engineer therefor such bids were rejected by the governing body.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Curick
City Clerk.

Geo BOPass
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kans., Mch. 31, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Clear Title to Berlin & Haight.

Berlin and Haight appeared before the governing body requesting that such body procure through court a clear title to the south five feet of Lot thirteen and all of lot fifteen in Block twenty of the city of Ottawa purchased of them by Berlin and Haight sometime ago. It was agreed that the city would procure for them a clear title to the above described lots.

Forest Park Sewer Contract Awarded.

Emmett Bunyan submitted a new bid on the construction of a sanitary sewer for the bath house at Forest Park. Such bid being 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents per lineal foot and \$15.00 for two manholes. The bid amounting to \$210.00. Mr. Bunyan to furnish a desirable bond covering such contract.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

Edith M. Curick
City Clerk.

Geo BOPass
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 7, 1926

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Monthly Reports Approved.

The monthly reports of the City Clerk, Treasurer, Police Judge, Water and Light Department, City Market were presented and approved by the governing body and placed on file in the office of the city clerk.

Appropriation Ordinance.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$21,778.67 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Petition for Sidewalk.
North Side Powhattan Street.

A petition was presented signed by resident property owners asking that a sidewalk be ordered in on the north side of Powhattan Street from Cherry Street to Cedar Street. Said petition was referred to the city attorney for investigation.

Order of U. C. T. Release
Park Dates for July 4th.

A communication was received by the governing body from the Ottawa Council 390, U. C. T. asking that their previous request for the use of Forest Park for a July Fourth celebration be cancelled as it was deemed best by the order to abandon the celebration.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet Friday April 9th.

Edith M. Cusick
City Clerk.

Geo. B. Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 9, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in adjourned session to canvass the votes cast at the Municipal Election held in the city of Ottawa on the 6th day of April, 1926, with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Official Canvass of Votes.

An official canvass having been made of all the votes cast at the city election held April 6th, 1926, such canvass showed that Geo. B. Ross received 1439 votes and J. S. Weethee 2046. Therefore J. S. Weethee having received a majority of all the votes cast was declared elected Mayor of the city of Ottawa for the ensuing term.

There were 52 void and blank ballots cast.

On the proposition submitted to issue bonds in the sum of \$15,000.00 to provide funds for the erection of a building in Forest Park and to equip the same, there were 1599 votes cast in favor of the proposition and 1743 against the proposition. There being a majority of votes cast against the proposition such bond proposition was defeated.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet in regular session Wednesday, April 14th, 1926.

Edith M. Curick
City Clerk.

Geo B Ross
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 14, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Ross presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Petition for Sidewalk.

A petition was presented to the governing body for the construction of a sidewalk extending 450 feet south of Seventh Street on the east side of Pecan Street. Such walk to be four feet in width. The governing body instructed C. A. Novak to give the grade for such walk to the property owners since it was deemed advisable to order such walk constructed.

Petition for Sidewalk,
Block 125, fronting Walnut St.

A petition was presented to the governing body for the construct-

ion of a sidewalk on the west side of lots in Block 123, fronting on Walnut Street. Such petition was presented by Geo. W. Davis he being the owner of all the property represented in this request. This petition was not granted at this time. Being held for further investigation.

Recommendation by Geo. B. Ross
Regarding Official Salaries.

The following recommendation was presented by Mayor Ross:

"Since there has been some question as to what salary the mayor and commissioners of Ottawa should receive. I wish to advise that should it be determined by competent authority that I along with the commissioners have accepted salary in excess of what we were entitled to under the law. I will cheerfull join with the commissioners in refunding to the city at any time, any salary accepted by us in excess of that provided by law."

Such recommendation was sired by Mr. Ross and placed on file.

Scavenger Contract Approved.
By A. B. Peterson.

A contract was entered into with Albert A. Peterson to perform ^{work} the scavenger/of the city of Ottawa such contract becoming effective April 1st, 1926. Such work to be performed according to contract.

Agreement-Municipal Power
Transmission Company.

An agreement was entered into between the City of Ottawa and The Municipal Power Transmission Company such transmission company having been purchasing electricity from said city of Ottawa and wish to enter into a new agreement covering all of the electricity purchased by them. Such agreement was entered into and the mayor and city clerk were authorized to enter into such agreement at once. Such agreement to cancel all other contracts previously entered into for the furnishing of electric current previously entered into with other municipalities in the state of Kansas.

Oath of Office-J. S. Weethee.

J. S. Weethee, the newly elected Mayor of the city of Ottawa, having presented a surety bond in the amount of \$5,000.00 properly approved by District Judge Hugh Means, was thereupon given the oath of office by the city clerk and entered upon his official duties as Mayor.

Resignation Presented-W. Pleasant.

Walter Pleasant presented his resignation as city attorney to become effective, ^{at once.} The governing body asked to leave the consideration

of such resignation until the next day.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet Thursday,

April 15th, 1926.

Edith M. Curick
City Clerk.

J. S. Meether
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 15, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in adjourned session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Resignation-Accepted.

The resignation of Walter Pleasant was accepted by the governing body to become effective ^{at once} at the request of Mr. Pleasant.

City Attorney Appointed.

J. L. Shelden was appointed city attorney by a unanimous vote of the governing body and entered upon his duties at once. A motion was made and carried that Walter Pleasant be employed to assist Mr. Shelden in prosecuting the district court cases now pending in the April term of court.

The meeting adjourned to meet in regular session Wednesday, April 21, 1926.

Edith M. Curick
City Clerk.

J. S. Meether
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 21st, 1926.

The city governing body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Guaranty Bond of Kansas State Bank Approved.

The personal surety bond of the Kansas State Bank, in the amount of \$15,000. securing city deposits with them was approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Henry Schnoke Plumbers Bond approved.

Fidelity and Deposit Company bond, guaranteeing the faithful compliance of Henry Schnoke, with their terms and conditions of all of the ordinances of the city of Ottawa relating to the operations of plumbers, approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Scavenger bond for Albert A. Peterson approved.

Scavenger bond of the Fidelity and Deposit Company guaranteeing the faithful discharge of duties and the compliance of Albert A. Peterson with the ordinances of the city of Ottawa relating to the duties of scavenger, approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Resolution to Improve North Poplar Street.

On motion the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the governing body of the city of Ottawa.

Whereas, North Poplar Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the south line of Red Jacket Street to the north line of Massasoit Street and the governing body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving and curbing, now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the governing body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas that North Poplar Street in the city of Ottawa from the south line of Red Jacket to the north line of Massasoit Street be improved by bringing said street to grade and be grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same.

That said street shall be surfaced with brick layed upon crushed rock foundation and the curb and gutter shall be a cement concrete; that the cost of said work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving.

Resignation of Edith M. Cusick,

Edith M. Cusick presented her resignation as city clerk to become effective at once.

Appointments

The following officers were unanimously selected by the governing body for the various offices, as listed. Said appointments effective May 1st, 1926.

Clerk	Hugh E. Rodgers
Chief of Police	Jonathan Marshall
Night officers	F. H. Bullock
	W. W. Weaver
Motor Cycle officer	Angus Wheeler
Humane Officer	J. W. Kerr
Police Judge	R. S. Parker
Milk Inspector	Dr. L. P. Gentry

Park keeper
 Fire Chief
 City Treasurer
 Supt. of Water & Light Dept
 and city engineer
 City Street foreman
 Health Officer

W. H. Pritchard
 Willis Rodgers
 Mary P. Finley

W. O. Myers
 S. T. Cole
 Dr. W. L. Jacobus

Advisory Boards

Highland Cemetery

J Ward Smith, Chairman
 W. J. Sheldon
 J. V. Mitchell
 C F Wolf

Hope Cemetery

M. H. Forrester, Chairman
 R. A. Harris
 E. J. Lamb
 C. F. Wolf

Oath of Office to J. L. Sheldon

Oath of office was administered to J. L. Sheldon,
 incoming city attorney.

Acceptance of Resignation of Edith M. Cusick

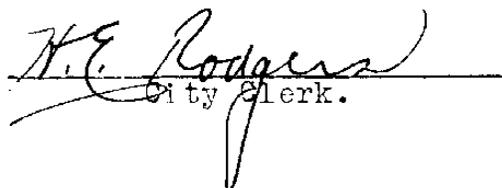
The resignation of Edith M. Cusick was accepted to become
 effective at once and she was accordingly checked out, by
 J. G. Spears and Harry Woods in accordance with their report on file.

Oath of office to H. E. Rodgers

Following the resignation of Edith M. Cusick, city clerk,
 H. E. Rodgers appointment became effective at once and,
 accordingly the oath of office was administered to him and
 he took up his duties immediately.

On motion the commissioners adjourned to meet in adjourned
 session Thursday April 22, 1926.


 Mayor


 City Clerk.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 22, 1926

The city governing body met in adjourned session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

RESOLUTION TO IMPROVE

Whereas Third Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and Fourth Street in said city being parallel streets, one block apart, and each abutting upon Block 86 in such city, are each graded, paved, guttered, and curbed, and

Whereas, the alley in said Block 86 connects such two parallel streets and is not graded or paved, and the Board of Commissioners of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, deem it necessary that such alley be graded and paved,

Therefore, Be it resolved by the Board of Commissioners of the said City of Ottawa, Kansas, that they deem it necessary and hereby declare it necessary that the alley in Block 86 in such city be improved by bringing said alley to grade and paving same.

This motion unanimously adopted.

On motion the commissioners adjourned to meet in adjourned session Friday April 23, 1926.

J. Weethee
Mayor

H. E. Rogers
City Clerk

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 23, 1926.

The city governing body met in adjourned session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 1337

REVISING ORDINANCE NUMBER 1005

That Section One of Ordinance number 1005 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, be and it hereby is amended to read as follows:

" That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to own, keep, harbor or care for any female dog in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, after May first (1), 1915, unless such female dog has been spayed, provided that it shall not be unlawful to own, keep, harbor or care for a pure bred registered female dog under the following conditions: that each such pure bred registered female shall be securely housed and penned in a kennel yard except when

out for exercise or training and shall then be on leash; then especial care shall be taken of such registered female while she may be in heat; that such registered female shall be immunized for rabies by a graduate veterinary and a certificate thereof filed with the City Clerk; that a license fee of Eight (\$8.00) dollars be paid for such license; that the owner of any such registered female cover the kennel yard if required."

The vote for this ordinance being unanimously for, it was declared duly passed.

Bids received for the construction of sewer laterals in Sewer lateral Districts numbers 88^B and 89.

Bids were received from Vick's Plumbing Shop, Wightman and Seevers, and the Elder Mercantile Company for the construction of sewer laterals in Dist. 88^B between Hickory and Cedar Streets from Massasoit Street to Powhattan street, and for Dist 89 between Mulberry and Sycamore streets from Wilson street to Red Jacket Street.

Bids on the Dist 89 project were: Vick's Plumbing Shop \$2509. with extras of \$3.00 per cu. yd. for shale, \$7.50 per cu. yd. for rock up to two feet and according to depth of from \$9.00 to \$12.00. Wightman and Seevers bid \$2505.20 with extras of \$3.00 per cu. yd. for shale and \$7.50 per cu. yd. for rock if shallow, if ten feet below the surface \$12.00

The Elder Mercantile Company bid \$2094.72 with extras of \$2.50 per cu. yd. for shale and \$8.00 per cu yd. for rock.

Bids on the Dist 88^B project were: Vick's Plumbing Shop \$589. extras \$3.00 per cu yd for shale and \$7.00 per cu yd for rock. Wightman and Seevers bid \$590. with \$3.00 extra for shale and \$7.50 for rock. The Elder Mercantile Company bid \$521.63, extras \$2.50 per cu yd for shale and \$8.00 per cu yd for rock.

The Engineer's estimate for the proposed sewer in Lateral Dist number 89 is \$2450. with extras of \$4.00 per cu yd for shale or gravel and \$10. per cu yd for rock. His estimate for the proposed sewer in Lateral Dist number 88^B is \$630. with extras of \$3.00 per cu yd for shale or gravel and \$7.50 for rock excavations.

It being determined that the Elder Mercantile Company's bids on each of these proposed sewers were the lowest bids offered, the contract was awarded to them for the construction of each of these sewers and the city engineer was instructed to draw up contracts for the Elder Mercantile Company to execute and to instruct them to furnish bond in the proper amount.

The checks of the other bidders were returned to them.

On motion the commissioners adjourned to meet at a later date.

J. S. Meethree
Mayor

H. E. Rodgers
City Clerk

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 29th, 1926.

The Board of Commissioners met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Minutes of regular meeting April 21st also of adjourned meetings April 22d and April 23d read and approved.

Contract and Bond of Elder Mercantile Co approved.

The contract of the Elder Mercantile Company and their bond for the construction of sewer laterals in Districts Nos. 88^B and 89 were approved and the city clerk instructed to file same.

City Clerk's Bond approved.

U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Companys Bond for \$2000. for Hugh E. Rodgers as city clerk approved and ordered filed with the city treasurer as custodian.

Proposition of John Nelson for settlement of claim for damages to his lots on account of the construction of the Main Street Bridge.

Ottawa, Kansas, April 27th, 1926.

To the Mayor and Commissioners of
the City of Ottawa, Kansas.

Gentlemen:

We wish to submit the following propositions relative to the compromise of our claims for damages to our premises in Block thirty-two, near the north end of the new Main Street bridge, as follows:

First; We claim damage for taking away the street in front of the three business rooms lying south of the stone and brick building, thereby eliminating a net annual rental of \$360. to our injury and damage in the sum of \$1500.

Second. Damages caused to the said three business rooms by changing the south property line of said premises, so as to cut off the southeast half of said premises, and cutting off all the frontage thereof, to our injury and damage in the sum of \$3000. We will build retaining wall in the same direction as now started, and build and extend same to south line of said premises, and continue same westerly on said line to connect with proposed retaining wall on south side of Bennett Creamery building; and if we can get the rock from north pier of old bridge to use in said retaining wall, we will deduct \$200. from said claim of \$3000. The estimated cost of said retaining wall is \$2000.

We also make the claim of \$2000. damage to the brick and stone building lying north of said first named three business rooms, by reason of the construction of the north end of said bridge in such manner as to obstruct the front and entrance of said building and reducing the rental value of said building, \$10. per month; and if the grade of the sidewalk in front of said premises be raised above the floor level of said room, necessitating the raising of said floor, we ask \$500. additional above the said \$2000.

Signed John Nelson & Son.

Resolutions of Board of Education, City of Ottawa.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of the City of Ottawa, Kansas:

First; That it is necessary for the Board of Education of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, to provide funds to erect and equip a suitable grade School Building on Hawthorne School grounds in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and that it is necessary to borrow money for such purpose

Second: That for such purpose it will be necessary for the Board of Education to issue bonds, bearing the reate of interest not to

five per cent per annum in form and manner as required by law

Third, That the Board of Education by this Resolution does hereby request the Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Kansas to call an election at the earliest possible date, in time and manner as required by law for the purpose of taking the sense of the School district of the City of Ottawa, Kansas and the territory annexed therein for School purposes upon the question of issuing of such bonds, such proposition to be submitted in the following form: " Shall the Board of Education, of the City of Ottawa, Kansas issue bonds in the sum of Seventy Five (\$75,000) Thousand Dollars to provide funds for the purpose of erecting and equipping a grade School building on the Hawthorne School grounds in the City of Ottawa Kansas, such bonds to bear interest not to exceed five per cent per annum, from date, to be issued and dated July 1, 1926, in denomination of Five hundred Dollars and maturing as follows:

January 1, 1927	2 bonds	\$500 each	\$1000.
July 1, 1927	2 "	" "	\$1000.
January 1, 1928	2 "	" "	\$1000.
July 1, 1928	2 "	" "	\$1000.
January 1, 1929	2 "	" "	\$1000.
July 1, 1929	2 "	" "	\$1000.
January 1, 1930	2 "	" "	\$1000.
July 1, 1930	3 "	" "	\$1500.
January 1, 1931	3 "	" "	\$1500.
July 1, 1931	3 "	" "	\$1500.
January 1, 1932	3 "	" "	\$1500.
July 1, 1932	2 "	" "	\$1000.
January 1, 1933	3 "	" "	\$1500.
July 1, 1933	3 "	" "	\$1500.
January 1, 1934	4 "	" "	\$2000.
July 1, 1934	4 "	" "	\$2000.
January 1, 1935	4 "	" "	\$2000.
July 1, 1935	5 "	" "	\$2500.
January 1, 1936	5 "	" "	\$2500.
July 1, 1936	5 "	" "	\$2500.
January 1, 1937	5 "	" "	\$2500.
July 1, 1937	5 "	" "	\$2500.
January 1, 1938	5 "	" "	\$2500.
July 1, 1938	5 "	" "	\$2500.
January 1, 1939	5 "	" "	\$2500.
July 1, 1939	5 "	" "	\$2500.
January 1, 1940	6 "	" "	\$3000.
July 1, 1940	6 "	" "	\$3000.
January 1, 1941	6 "	" "	\$3000.
July 1, 1941	6 "	" "	\$3000.
January 1, 1942	6 "	" "	\$3000.
July 1, 1942	7 "	" "	\$3500.
January 1, 1943	7 "	" "	\$3500.
July 1, 1943	6 "	" "	\$3000.
January 1, 1944	7 "	" "	\$3500.
July 1, 1944	2 "	" "	\$1000.

Fourth, Be it further resolved that upon receiving authority by election duly held, that the Board of Education proceed to erect and equip on the Hawthorne School grounds a modern fire proof grade school building with proper heating apparatus, plumbing, lighting, and ventilating fixtures, the cost of the same to be limited to the amount of \$75,000.

Board of Education
Signed C. H. Thomas
President.

C. W. Murphy
Clerk.

Be IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of the City of Ottawa Kansas:

First, That it is necessary for the Board of Education of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, to provide funds to erect and equip a suitable Junior High School Building on the Washington School grounds in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and that it is necessary to borrow money for such purpose

Second, That for such purpose it will be necessary for the Board of Education to issue bonds, bearing the rate of interest not to exceed five per cent per annum in form and manner as required by law

Third, That the Board of Education by this Resolution does hereby request the Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Kansas to call an election at the earliest possible date, in time and manner as required by law for the purpose of taking the sense of the school district of the city of Ottawa, Kansas and the territory annexed therein for School purposes upon the question of the issuing of such bonds, such proposition to be submitted in the following form:

" Shall the Board of Education, of the City of Ottawa, Kansas issue bonds in the sum of Two Hundred Ten (\$210,000.00) Thousand Dollars to provide funds for the purpose of erecting and equipping a Junior High School Building on the Washington School grounds in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, such bonds to bear interest not to exceed five per cent per annum, from date, to be issued and dated January 1, 1927, in denomination of Five Hundred Dollars and maturing as follows:

Jan 1, 1928	5	Bonds	\$500.00	Each	\$1500.00
July 1, 1928	4	"	"	"	2000.00
Jan 1, 1929	5	"	"	"	2500.00
July 1, 1929	5	"	"	"	2500.00
Jan 1, 1930	4	"	"	"	2000.00
July 1, 1930	4	"	"	"	2000.00
Jan 1, 1931	5	"	"	"	2500.00
July 1, 1931	4	"	"	"	2000.00
Jan 1, 1932	5	"	"	"	2500.00
July 1, 1932	4	"	"	"	2000.00
Jan 1, 1933	5	"	"	"	2500.00
July 1, 1933	5	"	"	"	2500.00
Jan 1, 1934	5	"	"	"	2500.00
July 1, 1934	5	"	"	"	2500.00
Jan 1, 1935	14	"	"	"	7000.00
July 1, 1935	14	"	"	"	7000.00
Jan 1, 1936	14	"	"	"	7000.00
July 1, 1936	14	"	"	"	7000.00
Jan 1, 1937	14	"	"	"	7000.00
July 1, 1937	15	"	"	"	7500.00
Jan 1, 1938	15	"	"	"	7500.00
July 1, 1938	16	"	"	"	8000.00
Jan 1, 1939	16	"	"	"	8000.00
July 1, 1939	17	"	"	"	8500.00
Jan 1, 1940	17	"	"	"	8500.00
July 1, 1940	17	"	"	"	8500.00
Jan 1, 1941	17	"	"	"	8500.00
July 1, 1941	18	"	"	"	9000.00
Jan 1, 1942	18	"	"	"	9000.00
July 1, 1942	18	"	"	"	9000.00
Jan 1, 1943	19	"	"	"	9500.00
July 1, 1943	19	"	"	"	9500.00
Jan 1, 1944	19	"	"	"	9500.00
July 1, 1944	21	"	"	"	10500.00
Jan 1, 1945	22	"	"	"	11000.00
July 1, 1945	3	"	"	"	1500.00

Fourth, Be it further resolved that upon receiving authority by election duly held, that the Board of Education proceed to erect and equip on the Washington School grounds a modern fire proof Junior High School building with proper heating apparatus, plumbing, lighting, and ventilating fixtures, the cost of the same to be limited to the amount of \$210,000.00

Board of Education
Signed C. M. Thomas
President
C. W. Murphy
Clerk.

In accordance with the request of the Board of Education the Mayor was instructed to Call an election to be held upon Tuesday May 25th, 1926 for the purpose of submitting to the electors of the School District comprising the city of Ottawa and the territory annexed thereto for school purposes, propositions for the issuing of \$75000. in Bonds

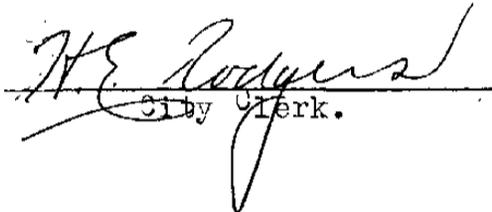
for the construction of a new grade school building on the Hawthorne School Grounds and a new Junior High School building on the Washington School Grounds in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, in the manner outlined in the Resolutions of the Board of Education of the City of Ottawa, Kansas.

Negotiations relative to the purchase of a motor cycle for the use of the Motor Cycle officer.

Mayor Weethee was instructed to purchase a motor cycle for the use of the Motor Cycle officer.

On motion the commissioners adjourned to meet in regular session Wednesday May 5th, 1926.


Mayor


City Clerk.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, May 5th, 1926.

The commissioners met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

Monthly reports approved.

The monthly reports of the treasurer, police judge, city weigher, water and Light Dept., and city clerk, were presented, and approved by the commission and placed on file in the office of the city clerk.

Appropriation Ordinance. # 416.

This ordinance was duly passed in the regular meeting of April 21st, but through oversight was not written into the minutes of that meeting.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$11,315.97 introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in ayes three, nays none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Agreement for revision of Ordinances.

The board of commissioners entered into an agreement with Attorney John Guinn for the revision of the ordinances for a consideration of \$400. Said revised ordinances to be ready for the printer by July 1st, 1926.

Construction of additional election booths.

To meet the requirements of the laws relative to voting booths, contract was entered into with Ira Dick for the construction of ten additional election booths.

Reduction of Salaries of Commissioners.

On the advice of the Attorney General, based on the law regulating the salaries of the commissioners in accordance with the population of cities, the salaries of the Mayor was reduced to \$1000. per year and that of the commissioners to \$900. per year. The Attorney General ruled that changes should be made with the beginning of the calendar year.

Return of excess salary by Commissioner Porter.

Acting in harmony with the decision of the Attorney General, commissioner Porter presented his check to the city clerk for \$75.00 to cover the excess salary paid him for the months of January, February, and March 1926.

Appropriation ordinance number 417.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$41,916.49, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in yeas, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ordinance to pave Poplar Street from the South line of Red Jacket Street to the North line of Massasoit Street / 2338

An ordinance providing for the improvement of Poplar Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from the South line of Red Jacket Street to the North line of Massasoit Street and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Whereas, on the 21st day of April, 1926, the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, duly passed and adopted a resolution deeming it necessary to improve Poplar street in said city from the South line of Red Jacket Street to the North line of Massasoit Street by grading, paving, curbing and guttering and whereas said Poplar street proposed to be improved is a connecting street of one block in length and connects with the paved portion of said Poplar Street north of the south line of said Red Jacket Street and south of the North line of said Massasoit Street, now therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF OTTAWA, KANSAS

Section 1. That pursuant to said resolution it is ordered that Poplar Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from the South line of Red Jacket Street to the North line of Massasoit Street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering; that said street be paved with one course of three inch verticle fibre vitrified paving brick laid upon a base of crushed rock six inches thick, after the same has been covered with a layer of sand one and one half inches deep; that the said pavement shall be twenty-four (24) feet wide between the curbs; that the curbs and gutters shall be of cement concrete and shall be thirty inches wide; that said improvement shall also include the extensions of sidewalks from lot lines to the curbs and the filling of terraces back of the curbs where necessary and the necessary drainage; and that all such improvements shall be made according to the plans and specifications heretofore adopted by said city for street improvement and now on file at the office of the City Engineer of said city; that the governing body is hereby authorized to do all things that may be necessary to carry into effect the terms of this ordinance and to provide for the payment of the cost of said improvement.

Section 2. That for the purpose of providing for the payment of the cost of such improvement and for the doing of

grading and excavating of the same, except the bringing to grade of said street, and except for the cost of such part of said improvement that is not a charge upon specific property, a levy and an assessment shall be made, by the governing body, for each block of work separately, upon each side of said street to be thus improved for the distance improved, by an assessment ordinance and in the manner provided by the statutes of the State of Kansas.

Section 3. That such levy and assessment shall be made according to the assessed valuation of the lots and pieces of ground liable therefore, but without regard to the value of the buildings and improvements thereon, which values shall be ascertained by three disinterested appraisers to be appointed by the governing body of said city. That such assessments shall be levied and assessed by ordinance and the property owners liable for said assessments may pay the same in full upon their several properties within thirty days after the same have been fixed and determined. That to provide for such part of the cost of said improvement charged against specific property that shall not be paid upon the completion of the work, the said body shall issue bonds for the amount thus unpaid, payable in ten equal installments as nearly as practicable each year for ten years; such bonds shall bear the rate of interest provided by law and shall be paid semi-annually. And for such installments of interest, coupons shall be attached to said bonds in sufficient numbers and in amounts to cover the full maturity of the bonds. The amounts levied against each lot or parcel of ground to pay for the bonds falling due in each year and the interest due shall be levied and collected the same as other taxes.

Section 4. That for the purpose of providing for the payment of the cost of such part of the improvement that is not a charge upon specific property, such as the adjustment of all sidewalk extensions from lot to curb line, the grading and finishing of all parkings, the construction of necessary catch basins and extensions for drainage, and bringing said street to grade as provided by law, an assessment shall be made upon all the taxable property of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, within the limit provided by law. But in the event the said city does not have funds on hand to pay for such part of said improvement that is a charge upon the city at large, then the governing body shall issue special improvement bonds and levy a tax in addition to all other taxes and assessments now authorized by law to pay such bonds and the interest thereon. Such bonds shall run ten years and be payable in equal amounts in each year and the interest shall be at the rate provided by law and be payable semi-annually, and coupons shall be attached thereto to evidence the interest to the full maturity of the bonds.

Section 5. That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in the Ottawa Herald.

This ordinance was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Resolution to pave alley between Hickory Street and Cedar Streets from Second Street to Third Street.

Whereas Second Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas and Third Street in said city being parallel streets, one block apart, and each abutting upon Block 73 in such city, are each graded, paved, guttered, and curbed, and

Whereas, the alley in said Block 73 connects such two parallel streets and is not graded or paved, and the Board of Commissioners of the city of Ottawa, Kansas deem it necessary that such alley be graded and paved,

Therefore, Be it resolved by the Board of Commissioners of the said city of Ottawa, Kansas, that they deem it necessary and hereby declare it necessary that the alley in Block 73 in such city be improved by bringing said alley to grade and paving same.

This resolution was unanimously adopted by the governing body.

Purchase of Motor Cycle.

Mayor Weethee reported the purchase of a Harley- Davidson motor cycle from Paul Deneve, local dealer on the following terms:

One Harley- Davidson motor cycle with side car, horn, and other equipment \$525.25. Allowance on old motor cycle in exchange and ~~miscel--repair-bill~~ \$110. Total amount to pay \$415.25. A miscellaneous repair bill on the old motor cycle of \$25. was also cancelled by Paul Deneve, on the purchase of the new motorcycle.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet at a later date.

H. E. Rodgers
City Clerk

J. M. Weethee
Mayor

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, May 12th, 1926.

The commissioners met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance Number 1239

An ordinance for the revision of the ordinances of the city of Ottawa, Kansas and providing for the employment of John C. Quinn for revising the ordinances was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Resolution to Pave East Seventh Street from Cherry to Lincoln.

A resolution of the City of Ottawa, Kansas providing for the improvement of East Seventh Street from Cherry Street to Lincoln Street was introduced and was unanimously adopted. Resolution as follows:

Whereas, 7th Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from Cherry Street eastward to Lincoln Street is not improved and the Governing Body of the said city deems it necessary to improve said portion of Seventh Street, now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Governing body of said city, that it is hereby declared necessary and ordered that Seventh Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from Cherry Street Eastward to the city limits at Lincoln Street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering; that such pavement shall be of brick laid upon a base of crushed rock and including the gutters shall be 24 feet wide; that the curb and gutters shall be of cement concrete and shall be 29 inches wide; and that the improvement be installed at the cost of the property upon each side of said street which may be liable for special assessments for street improvements and that special assessments be levied therefore, except such part of the cost of the work as may be charged to the city at large, all in the manner and according to the terms of the

statutes of the State of Kansas in such cases made and provided.

Adopted by the Governing Body on the 12th day of May 1926

A. Resolution to Improve Ninth Street from Locust Street to Third Ave.

Whereas, Ninth Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from Locust Street to Third Ave., commonly called Willow Street, is not improved and the Governing Body of the said city deems it necessary to improve said portion of Ninth Street, now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Governing Body of said city, that it is hereby declared necessary and ordered that Ninth Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the west end of the pavement at the intersection of Ninth and Locust Street, westward to the pavement in Third Avenue be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering; that such pavement shall be of cement concrete and shall be 24 inches wide; and that the improvement be installed at the cost of the property upon each side of said street which may be liable for special assessments for street improvement and that special assessments be levied therefore, except such part of the cost of the work as may be charged to the city at large; all in the manner and according to the terms of the statutes of the State of Kansas in such cases made and provided.

That the curbing and guttering shall be of brick laid upon a base of crushed rock and in center of gutter shall be 24 feet wide.

The above Resolution was unanimously adopted by the Governing Body.

Appraisers Appointed.

Martin Strafuss, F. A. Clark, and A. G. Stoffer were appointed by the Governing Body to appraise the properties liable for the cost of improving all paving contracted for and also for the cost of constructing sewer laterals now being constructed. The city clerk was instructed to notify the above parties of this appointment.

Commissioner Porter was instructed by the Governing Body to make arrangements for printing the various bonds to be issued in connection with various sewer and paving projects.

Tree Sprayer ordered

On vote of the Governing Body it was decided to purchase a power tree sprayer and one was ordered from Lansing, Michigan

Judges and Clerks of Election

School Bond Issue.

First Precinct
Judges
John Hamilton
Hattie W. Porter
R. E. Unruh

Clerks
Mrs. Rae Norton
Mrs. Nora Saxon
Mrs. Walter Rodgers

Fourth Precinct
Judges
J. E. Mc Wharf
Geo. M. Grimes
Mrs. E. H. Bucklin

Clerks
C. W. Murphy
Mrs. Frank Chamberlin
Mrs. Ralph A. Shiras

Second Precinct
Judges
Will Miller
L. A. Wendorf
Mrs. Mollie Leese

Clerks
Mrs. Harley Cover
Mrs. Rosa Winkler

Fifth Precinct
Judges
A. B. Cartzdafner
C. E. Crain
Mrs. Geo. Weinheimer

Clerks
Ida Booze
Mary Stiles

Third Precinct
Judges
C. E. Peck
Geo. Burns
E. S. Lynch

Clerks
Mrs. Jennie Newhouse
Margaret Branaman
Haud Ross
Ella Allan
Marj Ross

Sixth Precinct
Judges
H. B. P. Heller
Mrs. J. C. Ames
Mrs. Aldyth Chase

Clerks
Onie C. Stearns
Winifred Jones

GVKCH

Judges and clerks of Election. Continued.

Seventh Precinct

Judges

Edward S. Curby

T. J. Pyle

Mrs. Roy Fisher

Clerks

Genevieve Shubert

Frances Adler

Annexed Territory

Judges

Mrs. C. C. Wolf

Mrs. J. F. Berlin

Mrs. Earl Bruner

Clerks

~~Mrs. Chas. Ramey~~

Mrs. Floyd Ogg

Mrs. A. C. Wells

Nelson Claim Disallowed.

The claim of John Nelson for damages on account of damage to his lots caused by building the Main Street Bridge was disallowed.

Order for Spray Material.

An order was entered with the Rex Company of Kansas City for 1000 pounds of Arsenate of lead for tree spraying.

Plans considered for Leasing the Swimming Pool.

The commission discussed and took under advisement several tentative plans for leasing the swimming pool.

H. E. Rodgers
City Clerk

J. D. Meethue
Mayor

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas May 19, 1926

The Commissioners met in regular session with Mayor Meethue presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Resolution to improve and resurface Main Street from the South line of Eleventh Street to the North line of Twelveth Street and to repair curb and gutter.

Whereas, Main Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the South line of Eleventh Street to the North line of Twelveth Street heretofore has been graded, paved, curbed and guttered and the surface of said street and the curb and gutter, by reason of the wear and tear of traffic is in condition which requires resurfacing of said street in order to preserve the base of the same and to provide a reasonably smooth wearing surface, and a repairing of the curb and gutter, and

Whereas, the Governing Body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas deems it necessary to improve, repair, and resurface said street and to repair the curb and gutter thereof, now therefore,

Be it resolved, by the Governing Body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, that Main Street in said city from the South line of Eleventh Street to the North line of Twelveth Street be improved by resurfacing the same with a course of Brick laid upon the present foundation and for the full width thereof between the curbs and gutters thereof; that the cost of said improvement be levied and assessed against the property upon each side of said Main Street to the middle of the blocks upon each side for the distance improved in the manner provided by law.

This resolution was unanimously adopted by the governing body May 19, 1926.

Resolution to Improve North Oak Street.

Whereas, North Oak Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the North line of Logan Street to the North line of Red Jacket Street, and the governing body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering, now, therefore

Be it resolved by the governing body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas, that North Oak Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, from the North line of Logan Street to the North line of Red Jacket street be improved by bringing said street to grade, and by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and gutter shall be of cement concrete: that the cost of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving.

Adopted by the governing body May 19, 1926.

Ordinance Number 1339 providing for Revising the city ordinances.

An ordinance for the revision of the ordinances of the city of Ottawa, Kansas and providing for the employment of John C. Quinn for revising the ordinances was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.

The question shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in ayes Three Nays-none. The majority votes having been in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Contract for Revision of Ordinances.

A contract was entered into with Attorney John C. Quinn in accordance with Ordinance number 1339. This contract provides for the payment to Mr. Quinn of \$400. in full consideration for all his services in and about the revision of the ordinances.

Request granted for the Use of Forest Park July 4th, 1926.

The request of the Chamber of Commerce for the use of Forest Park for a July 4th celebration and Pageant was granted.

Provision for repair of residence at Highland Cemetery.

Arrangements are being made for repairing the residence in Highland Cemetery by laying some new floors and other necessary repairs.

Appropriation Ordinance number 418.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$38,842.23 was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

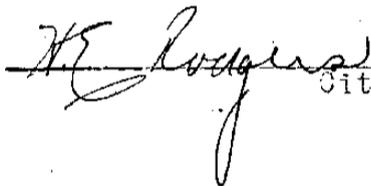
Final Estimate accepted.

Paving Poplar street from South line of Wilson to South line of Red Jacket and Poplar Street from the North line of Massasoit Street to the North line of Powhattan Street.

Engineer Novak presented the final estimate on the paving of Poplar street from the south line of Wilson to the south line of Red Jacket and from the North line of Massasoit to the North line of Powhattan Street, such work being completed in a satisfactory manner. Mr. Novak recommended that this work be accepted and, on his recommendation as engineer in charge, the work was accepted by the governing body.

Oath of Office Administered to Appraisers.

The oath of office was duly administered to Martin Strafuss, A. G. Stoffer, and E. A. Clark as appraisers for appraising the various properties legally liable for the payment of paving and of sewer assessments on the various projects now contracted for or which may be contracted for.


City Clerk


MAYOR

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, May 26th, 1926

The city Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Meeth presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Bond Clearance

An Ordinance providing for issuance of improvement bonds of the City of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the cost of improving certain streets, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Date set for receiving bids for auditing the books of the city.

June 2d was set as the date for receiving bids for auditing the city books and the various local and nearby accounting firms in Topeka and Kansas City, were notified of the date set.

Date set for hearing complaints on appraisements for various sewer and pavement improvements.

June 7th at 10 O'clock was set as the date for hearing all complaints on account of appraisements made providing for the

payment of sewer laterals numbers 88^b and 89 and also for paving North Cedar Street from Wilson to Logan Streets; North Poplar Street from Red Jacket to Massasoit streets, and from Powhattan to Logan Streets; East tenth street from Mulberry to Sycamore streets, and South Mulberry street from Nineth street to eleventh street.

Report of appraisement.

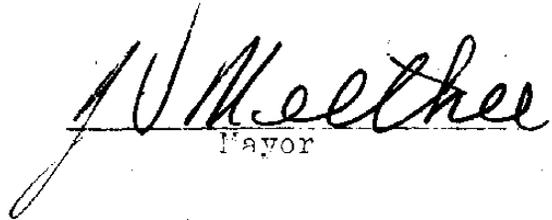
The appraisers made their returns on May 24th covering the properties affected by sewer laterals nos. 88^a and 89 and paving as follows:

East 10th street from Mulberry to Sycamore.
South Mulberry from Nineth Street to Eleventh Street.
North Cedar Street from Logan Street to Wilson street.
North Poplar Street from Red Jacket Street to Massasoit street and Powhattan to Logan Streets.

Ordinance fixing term and salary of certain city offices.

An ordinance providing for the appointment of certain city officers and fixing the time and salary thereof, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.


City Clerk.


Mayor

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 2, 1926.

The Commissioners met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of regular meetings of May 19th and of May 26th were read and approved.

Failure to leave swimming pool.

The projected lease of the swimming pool to B. A. Novak failed on account of the desire of Novak for a lease permitting him to operate on Sunday, and which, according to city ordinance, and also state law, the commissioners are not permitted to do.

Contract to audit city books.

This being the day set for opening the bids for the job of auditing the city books, the Commissioners proceeded to open up the various bids. Bids were received from Baird, Kurtz and Bohson; Seath, Mitchell, and Ross; Beat, Warwick Mitchell & Company all of Kansas City, Mo; also Ernst & Ernst of Kansas City, Mo.; and Johnson and White Company of Hutchinson, J. K. Brelsford of Topeka, Kansas, John H. Oldroyd and Mr. French representing the Caton Company of Topeka, and the League of Kansas Municipalities of Lawrence.

After due consideration of all of the bids and consultations relative to the extent and thoroughness of the work, it was decided to award the contract to the League of Kansas Municipalities and the Mayor and City Clerk were instructed to enter into a contract with this organization.

Ordinance Number 1340

An ordinance providing for issuance of improvement bonds of the City of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the cost of improving certain streets, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass, A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority vote having been in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Appropriation Ordinance Number 419

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$15,767.20 was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading, read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A Vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

H. E. Rogers
City Clerk

J. W. Meethel
Mayor

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 9th, 1926.

The Commissioners met in regular session with Mayor Meethel presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved.

Request for use of Forest Park.

The request of the Bankers' Brothers for the use of the Forest Park from August 18th to August 23 inclusive, was granted.

Request for use of Forest Park.

The request of the Assembly of God, for the use of Forest Park for a meeting beginning July 8th and ending July 18th was granted.

Order from Drainage Board.

Marais Des Cygnes Drainage District No. 2

At a regular called meeting June 7th, 1926, gave the following order to be given to Ottawa City Commissioners:

" That all dirt, old ricks, stone and obstructions be cleaned away from both North and South abutments of Main Street Bridge to the street line as the original contract called for."

Signed E. B. Monroe

Secy. & Treas.

Marais Des Cygnes Dist. #2

Remonstrance- West Ninth Street Paving.

A remonstrance was filed against paving west Ninth street from Locust street to Third Avenue and was given to the city attorney to check up and report his findings.

Remonstrance- Main Street- Eleventh to Twelfth Street.

A remonstrance protesting against the improving and resurfacing the block on Main street between Eleventh Street and Twelfth Street, was filed and referred to the city attorney to check up and report his findings.

Final Estimate- Poplar Street South line of Redjacket to the North line of Massasoit and North line of Powhattan to the North line of Logan.

The engineer presented his final estimate of the cost of paving North Poplar from the south line of RedJacket street to the North line of Massasoit street and from the North line of Powhattan street to the North line of Logan street. He states that it has been satisfactorily completed and recommends that it be accepted.

Final estimate- Cedar Street Logan Street to Wilson street.

The engineer presented his final estimate for the cost of improving Cedar Street from Logan Street to Wilson street. He states that it has been satisfactorily completed and recommends that it be accepted.

Ordinance number 1342- First Reading.

Providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to cover the cost of improving the 5/8ths mile of highway bordering on the limits of the city of Ottawa and lying partly within and partly without the corporate limits. West Wilson.

An ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds for the City of Ottawa, Kansas, to pay the cost of improving 5/8ths mile of highway bordering on the limits of said city and lying partly within and partly without the City in co-operation with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Final Estimate accepted and work approved.

The final estimate of the engineer was accepted, covering the cost of improving Cedar Street from Logan Street to Wilson street and North Poplar Street, south line of Red-Jacket to the north line of Massasoit and North line of Powhattan to the North line of Logan, and the work was approved.

City attorney instructed to prepare ordinance limiting night parking of cars on city streets.

The city attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance limiting the parking of cars and the time, on the city streets at night.

Approval of monthly reports.

The monthly report of the city clerk, W. & I. Dent., City Market, Sexton of Hope Cemetery, and police judge were checked and approved.

Request for raise of wages of linemen

The request of the linemen for a raise of wages was taken under advisement.

Visit to Topeka on City Business.

Mayor Weethee, Commissioner Porter and Attorney J. E. Thelden made a trip to Topeka on matters pertaining to the leasing and operation of the swimming pool.

Ordinance Number 1241- Fixing term and salary of
Certain city offices.

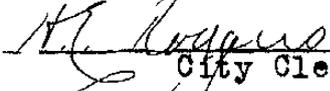
An ordinance providing for the appointment of certain city officers and fixing the time and salary thereof, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Aye- three, Nays- none. The majority votes having been in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance- First Reading. z
Providing for issuance of improvement bonds
5/8 mile Gravel Road- West Wilson.

An ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds for the City of Ottawa, Kansas, to pay the cost of improving 5/8ths mile of highway bordering on the limits of said city and lying partly within and partly without the City in-cooperation with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, within which said county said city is located, was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules laid over until its second and final reading.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet in adjourned session.


City Clerk.


Mayor

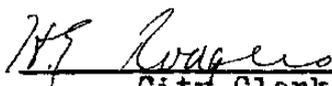
City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 11th, 1926.

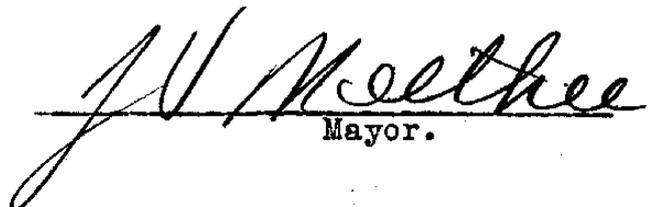
The City Governing Body met in adjourned session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Agreement to lease Swim pool.

An agreement was entered into with C. A. Novak and John A. Lawrence to lease the swimming pool in Forest Park for a term of ten years, and, all of the commissioners concurring, the mayor and city clerk were instructed to enter into a contract with Messrs. Novak and Lawrence and see that a good and sufficient bond is given to complete the pool according to agreement.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet at a later date.


City Clerk


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 16th, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The meeting of the previous regular meeting and adjourned meeting were read and approved.

Approval of Reports.

The market report for the first half of June, and the May report of the Sexton of Highland Cemetery were read and approved.

Approval of Contract and Bond- Swim Pool.

The contract for the lease of the swimming pool and the bond of Messrs. Novak and Lawrence as principals and S. R. Hubbard and H. C. Constant, sureties, were approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Appropriation Ordinance.
#420.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$19,649.36 was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading, read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Attorney's report- West Ninth Street.

The City Attorney reports the remonstrance to paving West Ninth street from Locust Street to Third Avenue as insufficient.

No Remonstrance- North Oak.

There having been no remonstrance presented against paving North Oak Street, the city attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance for paving that street.

No Remonstrance- Pave.

Alley between Hickory Street and Cedar Street from Second Street to Third Street.
Alley in Block 86.

No Remonstrances having been presented against paving the alleys in the block between Hickory Street and Cedar Street from Second to Third Street and the alley in Block 86, the city attorney was instructed to prepare ordinances for paving these alleys.

Raise of Linemen's wages.

An increase in the Electric Linemen's pay, effective beginning the last half of June was ordered by the commissioners. the increase to be on the following scale:

John Martin	from 70¢	per hour	to 75¢	per hour.
Jack Shepherd	" 62.5	"	72.5	"
Will Martin	" 55	"	65	"
Morrison	55	"	60	"
Bolton	55¢	"	60	"
Thos. Crawford	40	"	45	"
Geo. Hayward	45	"	50	"

Remonstrance- East Seventh Street,
South Main Street- Aufficient.

The city attorney report the remonstrances against improving East Seventh Street and South Main street from Eleventh Street to Twelfth Street as sufficient.

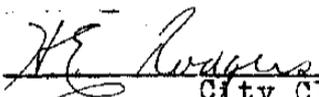
Ordinance Number 1342- Second Reading.

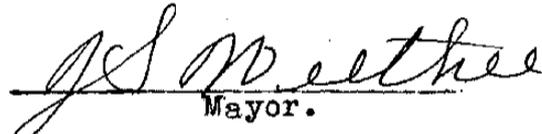
An ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds for the City of Ottawa, Kansas, to pay the cost of improving 5/8ths mile of highway bordering on the limits of said city and lying partly within and partly without the city in co-operation with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority vote having been in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ordinance Number 1343- First Reading.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of North Oak street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from the north line of Logan street to the north line of Red Jacket street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet at a later date.


City Clerk


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 23, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1344. - First reading.

An Ordinance creating Lateral sewer District No. 88 B. providing for the construction of a Lateral sewer therein and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance No. 1345- First Reading.

An Ordinance creating lateral sewer District No. 89 providing for the construction of a lateral sewer therein and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance No. 1343- Final Reading.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of North Oak street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the North line of Logan street to the North line of Red Jacket street and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, was placed upon

its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1346- First Reading.

Paving- Alley in Block No. 73.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of the alley in Block 73 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas by grading, and paving and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance No. 1347- First Reading.

Paving- Alley in Block No. 86.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of the alley in Block 86 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, by grading and paving and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance No. 1348- First Reading.

Paving- Ninth Street- Locust to Third Ave. (Willow St.)

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Ninth street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from Locust street in said city to Third Avenue, commonly called Willow Street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Resolution- Pave North Hickory Street.

North Line of Massasoit to North line of Red Jacket Street.

Whereas, North Hickory Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the North Line of Massasoit to the North line of Red Jacket and the Governing Body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

Be it Resolved by the Governing Body of said City of Ottawa, Kansas that North Hickory Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the North line of Massasoit to the north line of Red Jacket street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and the gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the cost of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving.

Adopted by the Governing Body, June 23, 1926.

Resolution - Pave North Hickory Street.

North line of Logan Street to the south line of Massasoit street.

Whereas, North Hickory Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the North line of Logan street to the south line of Massasoit and the Governing Body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering, now, therefore,

Be it Resolved by the Governing body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas, that North Hickory Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Logan Street to the south line of Massasoit street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering

the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and the gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the cost of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving.

Adopted by the Governing Body, June 23rd, 1926.

Resolution to Pave- Powhattan Street
from the East line of Cedar Street to the East line
of the alley between Cedar and Oak Streets.

Whereas, Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the East line of Cedar Street to the East line of the alley between Cedar street and Oak street in said city is not improved and the Governing Body of the said city deems it necessary to improve said portion of Powhattan street, now, therefore,

Be it Resolved by the Governing body of said city that it is hereby declared necessary by said city and ordered that Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the East line of Cedar street to the East line of the alley between Cedar street and Oak street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering; that said pavement shall be of brick laid upon a base of crushed rock and including the gutters shall be 24 feet wide; that the curb and gutters shall be 29 inches wide; and that the improvement be installed at the cost of the property upon each side of said street which may be liable for special assessments for street improvement and that special assessments be levied therefore, except such part of the cost of the work as may be charged to the city at large: all in the manner and according to the terms of the Statutes of the State of Kansas in such cases made and provided.

Adopted by the Governing Body on the 23rd day of June, 1926.

Resolution- Pave North Oak Street
North line of Red Jacket to the South line of
Wilson Street.

Whereas, North Oak Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the North line of Red Jacket to the South line of Wilson Street and the Governing Body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Governing Body of said City of Ottawa, Kansas, that North Oak Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from the north line of Red Jacket street to the south line of Wilson street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and the gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the cost of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving

Adopted by the Governing Body, June 23, 1926.

Bridge Claim- John Nelson.

The following notice was served on the city by John Nelson and Son:

TO THE CITY OF OTTAWA FRANKLIN COUNTY KANSAS AND THE GOVERNING BODY OF SAID CITY:

You will take notice that the undersigned makes a claim against you for damages to his property, to wit:

The real estate facing Main street and bounded on the south by the Marais des Cygnes river, and on the north by the private alley leading from Main street to the property of the Bennett Creamery Company.

The damages claimed is by reason of the manner of construction of the north end of the bridge across said river on Main street, the removal of the sidewalk in front of said property, the excavation made in the street destroying the lateral support of said property, the destruction of means of ingress to and egress from said property, the loss of rent, and the raise of the street grade hitherto established above the floor grade of said buildings.

You will take further notice that the undersigned claims \$4000. as his damages for the injury to the said property as above outlined.

Signed John Nelson and Son.

State of Kansas ss.
Franklin County)

John Nelson being duly sworn says: I am the party who signed the foregoing notice and demand. I know the contents thereof and the matters and things stated therein are true.

Signed John Nelson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of June, 1926.

Signed R. S. Hanes

My commission expires the 30 day of Jan 1927.

Notarial seal R. S. Hanes.

Injunction papers served- John Nelson.

Injunction papers were served on the city by John Nelson affecting work on the construction of the new Main Street bridge and these papers were referred to the city attorney.

HE Rogers
City Clerk

J S McElther
Mayor.

Increase in salary- Supt. W. & L.

Street Foreman.

By unanimous vote, the salary of the Superintendent of the Water and Light Department, W. O. Myers, was raised to \$200. per month and that of Street Foreman, S. T. Cole to \$110. per month beginning July 1st.

HE Rogers
City Clerk

J S McElther
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 30th, 1926

The Commissioners met in regular session with Mayor Weethie presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1344- Final Reading.

An Ordinance creating Lateral sewer District No. 88 B. providing for the construction of a Lateral sewer therein and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time and considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.

The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1345- Final Reading.

An ordinance creating lateral sewer District No. 89 providing for the construction of a lateral sewer therein and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1346- Final Reading.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of the alley in Block 73 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas by grading, and paving and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1347- Final Reading.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of the alley in Block 86 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, by grading and paving and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, None. The majority having voted in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1348- Final reading.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Ninth Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from Locust street in said city to Third Avenue, commonly called Willow Street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass.

A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the Ordinance was declared duly passed.

Final Estimates- No. Cedar Street- South Mulberry Streets- East Tenth Street.

The Engineer presented his final estimate of the cost of improving North Cedar Street, from Logan to Wilson Streets; South Mulberry street from Ninth to Eleventh streets; East Tenth Street from Mulberry to Sycamore streets,

recommended and moved that this work be accepted. After inspecting, the Commissioners decided to accept this work.

Final Estimate- Sewer Lateral No. 88B

The Engineer presented his final estimate for the cost of constructing sewer lateral no. 88 and recommended that this work be accepted as having been satisfactorily completed. On motion the commissioners voted to accept this work as completed.

Return of Appraisements.- Keokuk-Main to Hickory Streets; Oak Street- Logan Street to Red Jacket streets; Alley,- Block 86; Alley- Block 73: West Ninth Street- Locust to Willow Streets; Powhattan Street- Cedar Street to Alley East.

The Appraisers appointed returned their appraisal for the cost of improving the above streets and alleys.

Date set for review of appraisal.

July 12th at 10 A. M. was set as the date for reviewing the appraisal for the payment of improving Keokuk street from Main Street to Hickory Street.

Taylor application for Building Permit-Granted

W. K. Taylor presented his application for a building permit for erecting a building of Cement and Tile on the East side of Hickory street between First street and Second street. This permit was granted.

Notice of application to state for permit to operate Bus line between Ottawa and Topeka via Overbrook.

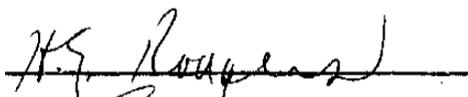
Notice was given by the Public Service Commission of the application of H. Moran for a permit to operate a bus line between Ottawa and Topeka. Since there are no objections to this permit being issued- no protest was filed.

Refund of \$100. to Hyde Jewelry Co.

The Commissioners voted to refund to S. H. Ober of the Hyde Jewelry Co. \$100. return of license fees on account of his bona fide close out auction sale.

Remonstrance- Paving North Oak Street.

A remonstrance was filed against paving North Oak Street from Wilson to RedJacket as for the year 1926. This remonstrance was turned over to the City attorney to check up.


City Clerk.


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 7, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1349- First Reading.

An Ordinance fixing the amount of license tax to be paid to the City of Ottawa by any circus, menagerie or circus and menagerie or other kind of show or entertainment traveling and exhibiting within or under canvas inside the city limits, from August 15th to September 15th in each year, and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance and repealing all ordinances in conflict herewith, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Remonstrance against paving North Hickory Street.

A remonstrance was filed against the paving, grading and macadamizing of North Hickory Street from the North line of Massasoit street to the North line of Red Jacket street, was filed and given to the city attorney to pass upon.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 421.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$73,324.22 was introduced and placed upon its first reading read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by section and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Monthly reports approved.

Monthly reports of the City treasurer, City Clerk, city market, W & L. Dept. police judge, and sexton of Hope cemetery were approved, and ordered filed.

Resolution- East Fifteenth Street

Whereas, the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas desires to cooperate with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, in the improvement of the highway commonly called East Fifteenth Street, and,

Whereas, the City of Ottawa in Franklin County, Kansas, is a city of the second class having a population of less than sixty five thousand inhabitants, and East Fifteenth street is a street extending eastward from Main Street and is on the corporate line of said city and extends eastward into Franklin County, and is unimproved and said Main street is a street beginning at the middle line of said Fifteenth Street and extending northward and is improved by grading, paving, curbing and guttering for a long distance northward from the intersection of said Main Street with said Fifteenth Street, and,

Whereas, the governing body of said city believes that it is now expedient and that a public necessity exists to improve said Fifteenth street from the existing pavement on said Main Street and eastward along the south corporate line of said city to the east corporate limits of the same and thence eastward on the country highway without the corporate limits of said city for a distance of five eighths of a mile upon the road or highway connecting with such street, and,

Whereas, the said Fifteenth street or road from said Main Street is bordering on the limits of said city for a part of the distance proposed to be improved and lying partly within and

partly without the said city of Ottawa, Kansas, now, therefore,

Be it Resolved by the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, that said Fifteenth Street highway from the existing paving on Main street at the intersection of said Fifteenth Street with said Main street be improved eastward to the east fr from said intersection to the east corporate limits of said city and thence on the country road or highway eastward a distance five eighths of a mile from the east corporate limits of said city where the same intersects said Fifteenth Street or highway;

That said Fifteenth Street shall be brought to a proper grade and paved with a course of brick laid upon a foundation of crushed rock or concrete; that the width of said pavement shall be eighteen feet; that a benefit district within said city to bear the cost of such part of said improvement as shall be a charge upon the specific property within said city as described and within the following boundaries, to-wit:-

Commencing at the intersection of East Line of Main street, City of Ottawa, produced and a line thirty (30) feet north of south line of Section two(2), township seventeen (17) Range Nineteen (19), Franklin County, Kansas, thence north Five hundred (500) feet, thence east one thousand sixty five (1065) feet to east line of the City limits of said city of Ottawa, thence south five hundred feet to a point thirty(30) feet north of south line of section one (1), township seventeen (17) range nineteen (19), thence west one thousand sixty five (1065) feet more or less to the place of beginning.

That the several tracts and parcels of ground within such benefit district are more particularly described as follows:

Lillian E. Floyd commencing at a point 1016 feet S. and 360 ft W of SE cor. of Blk. 26 Universit Add. No 2, City of Ottawa, th. w. 360 ft. th. S 234 ft. th. E. 360 ft. th. N.234 ft. to palce of beginning being a part of the SW. $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec 2, in Twp 17, range 19, containing about 1.9 acres.
Com. at a point 1016 ft. s. of the Se. cor of Block. 26 Universit Add. No. 2 City of Ottawa, on west line of Cedar Street produced, th. w. 360 ft. th. S. 234 ft. th. East 360 ft. to west line of Cedar St. produced, th north 234 ft. to point of beg. being a part of the SW $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 1, twp 17, range. 19 cont. about 1.9 acres.

A. S. Myers Com. at a point 782 ft. south of the SE Cor Blk 26 Universit Add. No. 2 City of Ottawa on west side of Cedar St. produced, th. west 720 ft. to east line of Main st. produced, thence south 234 ft. thence east 720 feet, thence North 234 ft to beg. being in the SW $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec 1, and Se $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec 2, Twp. 17, rng. 19, cont about 2.8 acres.

Lulu Igel Com. at a point 750 ft. south of S. E. cor Blk 26 University Add. No. 2 City of Ottawa, thence west 720 ft. to east line of Main st produced, thence south 32 ft. thence east 720 ft. to west line of Cedar St. produced, thence north 32 ft. to beg. being in S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec 1, and S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 2, Twp 17, Rng. 19, containing about 52/100 acres.

J. H. Ischy Com. at a point 782 ft. south of the S. W. Cor. of Blk. 27, University Add. No 2 City of Ottawa, on east line of Cedar Street produced, thence south 468 ft. thence east 265 ft., th. north 468 ft. thence west 265 ft. to beg. being in the S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$ of sec. 1, twp. 17, rng. 19, containing 2.84 acres.

James H. Vogan Com. at a point 750 ft. south of S. W. Corn. Blk. 27, University Add. No. 2, City of Ottawa thence East 265 ft. thence south 32 ft. thence west 265 ft to east line of Cedar Street produced, thence north 32 ft. to place of beg. being in the S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 1, twp. 17, rng. 19 and containing about 19/100 acres.

That the cost of such improvement shall be levied and assessed in the manner provided by law and that the number of annual assessments to be levied as special assessments against the property in said city within said district shall be ten.

And it is further resolved that said improvement shall be super-vised and installed and the cost provided for in the manner as setforth in section 12-647 to 12-655, of the Revised Statutes of Kansas, 1923, and,

Be it further resolved that a certified copy of this the foregoing resolution be forthwith filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, for such action thereon as said Board may deem proper.

Adoped by the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas. this the 7th day of July, 1926.

J. S. Weethee. Mayor.

Attest:
H. E. Rodgers,
City Clerk.

State of Kansas, SS:
Franklin County,

I, H. E. Rodgers, City Clerk of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true, full and complete copy of the resolution of the governing body of said city providing for the improvement of East Fifteenth Street in said city as the same is of record in the office of the city Clerk of said City.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, this 9th day of July, 1926.

H. E. Rodgers
City Clerk of the City
of Ottawa, Kansas.

H. E. Rodgers
City Clerk.

J. S. Weethee
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 12, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in special session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioner Porter present, Commissioner Johnson absent, to review appraisements affecting the payment of the cost of Paving Keokuk street from Main Street to Hickory Street.

After checking over the report of the appraisers and there being no protest against the appraisements made, the appraisements were accepted and made a permanent record.

H. E. Rodgers
City Clerk.

J. S. Weethee
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 14, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioner Porter present, Commissioner Johnson absent.

The meeting of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1349- Final Reading

An Ordinance fixing the amount of license tax to be paid to the city of Ottawa by any circus, menagerie or circus and menagerie or other kind of show or entertainment traveling and exhibiting within or under canvas inside the city limits, from August 15th to September 15th in each year, and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance and repealing all ordinances in conflict herewith, was placed upon the second reading. Read the second time. Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, Two, Nays, None. The vote being unanimous for the passage of the ordinance, the mayor declared it duly passed.

Resolution- County Commissioners- relative to improving East Fifteen Street Road.

The County Commissioners filed with the city a copy of their resolutions affecting the improvement of East Fifteenth Street, and the creation of a Benefit District affecting certain specifically described tracts of land. This resolution was ordered filed in the files of the City Clerk.

Notice of East Fifteenth Street Improvement

The following notice was ordered published in the official City paper:

" Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, heretofore passed a resolution finding it expedient and that a public necessity exists to improve what is know as East Fifteenth Street from existing pavement upon Main Street in the city of Ottawa, eastward to the city limits of the city of Ottawa, and thence eastward on the country road or highway a distance of five eighths of a mile from the east corporate limits of said city: that such resolution has been duly presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, and that such Board of County Commissioners has duly resolved that such proposed improvement is a public utility: and that the Board of County Commissioners have by resolution fixed the 4th day of August, 1926, at 10 o'clock A. M. as the date on which such Board will meet in Joint session with the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, at the Commissioners' office in the Courthouse in said city of Ottawa, at which time complaints will be heard and written protests may be filed against the proposed improvement.

The proposed benefit district within the City of Ottawa, in connection with said project as stated in said resolution of the city of Ottawa is bounded as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the east line of Main Street, City of Ottawa, produced, and a line thirty (30) feet north of south line of Section two, township seventeen (17), Range nineteen (19), Franklin County, Kansas, thence north five hundred (500) feet, thence east one thousand sixty five (1065) feet to the east line of the city limits of said city of Ottawa, thence south five hundred (500) feet to a point thirty (30) feet north of the south line of Section One (1), township seventeen (17), Range Nineteen (19), thence west one thousand sixty five (1065) feet more or less to place of beginning.

On account of carrying a large balance of cash in the Water and Light account to offset the large overdraft on the paving account until bonds could be issued to cover the amount of paving costs, par only was collected on the bonds sold to this department, allowing them the accrued interest from January 1st, 1926.

Engineers Estimate of Cost

Alley Block 86, Alley Block 73. West Ninth Street
North Oak Street.

The Engineer filed his estimate of cost of paving the alleys in Block 86 and in Block 73 and also for paving West Ninth from Locust Street to Willow street and North Oak Street from the North line of Logan Street to the North line of Red Jacket street.

Contract to Pave. West Ninth- North Oak.

Acting in harmony with the instructions of the governing Body, the Mayor and city clerk entered into a contract with Cook and Stucker, their bid being lower than the Engineers estimate, and in accordance with their agreement to pave for the same price, any new street paving of like kind, projected before present contracts are completed, to ~~pave West Ninth Street from Locust Street to Willow Street and North Oak Street from the North line of Logan Street to the North line of Red Jacket street.~~

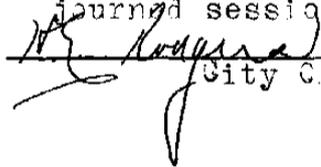
Contracts to Pave- Alleys- Block 86- Block 73.

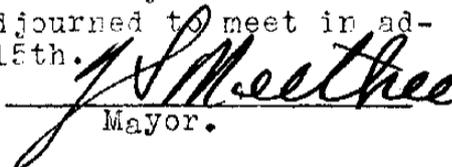
Being below the estimate of cost of the engineer, and in accordance with instructions from the governing body, the Mayor and City Clerk entered into a contract with Cook and Stucker, Paving Contractors, to pave the alleys in Block 86 and in Block 73.

Bonds filed

The Bonds of Cook and Stucker, covering the paving projects on ~~west Ninth street from Locust to Willow,~~ North Oak Street from the North line of Logan Street to the North line of Red Jacket street, and the alleys in block 86 and in Block 73, were duly presented, found acceptable and ordered filed with the city clerk.

On motion the commissioners adjourned to meet in adjourned session, Thursday July 15th.


City Clerk.


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 15th, 1926.

The city governing body met in adjourned session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Zoning Committee Appointed.

The following persons, F. M. Harris, Chairman, A. M. Warner and William Wallace were appointed as a special commission to recommend to the City commission a division of said city into zones or districts and the boundaries thereof and the regulation, restrictions and locations of trades and industries and the location, direction, alteration and repair of the buildings designated shall specify uses and the use of the land within such districts or zones.

On motion the commissioners adjourned to meet at a later date.

W. E. Rogers
City Clerk.

J. S. Weethee
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 21st, 1926.

The city governing body met in regular session with Commissioner Porter presiding in the absence of Mayor Weethee, Commissioner Johnson present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and adjourned meeting of July 15th were read and approved. the

Semi-monthly reports filed.

Semi monthly report of the city market was inspected, approved and ordered filed and the monthly report for June for Highland Cemetery was approved and ordered filed in the city clerks files.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 422.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$55,216.76 was introduced and placed upon its first reading read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, two, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Auditor's report filed.

Two copies of the Auditors report of condition of the affairs of the city of Ottawa, as found by the League of Kansas Municipalities' Auditors in their recent audit, were received and placed on file for future inspection.

The governing body, on motion, adjourned to meet in adjourned session, Friday, July 23, 1926.

W. E. Rogers
City Clerk.

L. E. Porter
Acting Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 23, 1926.

The City Governing body met in adjourned session with Commissioner Porter presiding in the absence of Mayor Weathee, Commissioner Johnson present.

Appointment of Clerks and Judges of Election.

The following list of persons were duly appointed as Judges and Clerks of election to serve in the Primary election to be held in the city of Ottawa, Tuesday, August 3, 1926 for the purpose of selecting candidates for the offices to be filled at the regular election in November.

First Precinct

Judges

- ✓ Mrs. Hattie Porter
- ✓ Mrs. Fred Flinchbaugh
- ✓ R. E. Unruh X

Second Precinct.

- ✓ W. S. Miller X
- ✓ Mrs. Bessie Cover
- ✓ J. F. Stokes

Third Precinct

- ✓ C. E. Peck X
- ✓ Maud Ross
- ✓ W. H. Jones

Fourth Precinct

- ✓ E. W. Smay X
- ✓ Geo. Ogden
- ✓ Mrs. K. M. Bucklin

Fifth Precinct

- ✓ A. B. Cartzdafner X
- ✓ Mary Stiles
- ✓ Mrs. Geo. Weinheimer

Sixth Precinct

- ✓ Mrs. Aldyth Chase X
- ✓ Mrs. Carl Dean
- ✓ L. H. Maubin

Seventh Precinct

- ✓ Peter Kaiser X
- ✓ J. Defenbaugh
- ✓ Mrs. E. L. Bowler

Eighth Precinct

- ✓ Katherine Cambell X
- ✓ Paul Johnson
- ✓ H. B. Paremore

Ninth Precinct

- ✓ ~~Mrs. L. E. Crane~~
Mrs. L. E. Crane
- ✓ Fred Hess X
- ✓ B. L. Reinhardt.

Clerks

- ✓ Mrs. Rose Rodgers
- ~~Mrs. Rea Morton~~
- ✓ Mrs. Nora Sutton

- ~~Mrs. Etta Branson~~
- ~~Mrs. Mollie Eeese~~
- ✓ Mrs. Rose Winkler

- ✓ Mrs. Amel Hjort
- ~~Eunice Eeese~~
- ✓ Margaret Brannaman

- ✓ Mrs. W. O. Myers
- ~~Mrs. Ralph Phillips~~
- ✓ Mrs. Ed Stoffer

- ✓ Mrs. Ida Booze
- ✓ Ethel Chappell

- ✓ Mrs. Aaron Jones
- ✓ Mrs. J. A. Stearns

- ✓ ~~Genevieve Shubert~~
Mrs. Arthur Shubert

- ✓ Frances Adler

- ✓ Mrs. L. E. Crane
- ✓ Ursa Vincent

- ✓ ~~Annette Miller~~
Mrs. Chas. Cook
- ✓ Mrs. Victor Shmoke

X Designated and notified to come for supplies.

and guttering the same, was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading.

Water Main- West Fifteenth and South Willow. 1351

An ordinance proportioning and levying special assessments for the costs of the extension of a water main of the City of Ottawa, Kansas and water service to a territory lying beyond but adjacent to said city and providing for the costs thereof was placed upon its first reading read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading. 1352

Repealing Ordinance No. 969.

An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 969, being an ordinance of the city of Ottawa, Kansas relating to bill- posters, sign- tackers and distributors of samples and advertising matter and fixing license tax thereon, was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading 1353

An Ordinance proportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving and repairing East Fourth St.

An Ordinance proportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving and repairing Fourth Street from Cedar Street to Cherry Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading 1354

Apportioning and Levying special assessments- Sixth St.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Sixth Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from Poplar street to Cherry Street by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering the same, was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading. 1355

Apportioning and levying special assessments- Cedar Street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Cedar Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from Twelfth Street southward to the city limits by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering the same was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading. 1356

Apportioning and levying special assessments- Eleventh St.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Eleventh Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from Cedar Street to Mulberry street by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same, was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading. 1357

Apportioning and levying special assessments- Tenth Street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Tenth street from Main street to Cedar Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas by re-surfacing same with brick or asphaltic concrete, was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading. 1358

Apportioning and levying special assessments- Beech Street.

An ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Beech Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from Sixth street to Seventh street by grading, paving, curbing

and guttering same, was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading.
City Zoning.

An Ordinance Prohibiting the erection or installation of Gasoline or Oil filling stations, gasoline or oil pumps and public garages on certain streets in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet in regular session Wednesday, July 28th, 1926.


City Clerk.


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 28th, 1926.

The City Governing body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of Adjourned meeting of July 23 were read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1350- Final Reading.

An Ordinance regulating Public Billiard Parlors, Pool Parlors and Bowling Alleys in the city of Ottawa, Kansas and providing penalties for violation thereof, was placed upon its second reading, read the second time. Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes: two, Nays One. The majority vote being in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1351- Final Reading.

An Ordinance proportioning and levying special assessments for the costs of the extension of a water main of the City of Ottawa, Kansas and water service to a territory lying beyond but adjacent to said city and providing for the costs thereof was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time. Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, Three, Nays, none. The vote being in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1352- Final Reading.

An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 969, being an ordinance of the city of Ottawa, Kansas relating to bill- posters, sign-tackers and distributors of samples and advertising matter and fixing license tax thereon, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time. Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1353- Final Reading.

An Ordinance proportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving and repairing Fourth Street from Cedar Street to Cherry Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time. Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, None. The vote being in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1354- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Sixth Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from Poplar Street to Cherry Street by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time. Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, Three, Nays, None. The majority vote being in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1355- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Cedar Street in the City Of Ottawa, Kansas from Twelfth Street southward to the city limits by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, Three, Nays, None. The majority voting in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1356- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Eleventh Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from Cedar Street to Mulberry Street by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading, read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, None. The vote being in favor of the passage of the ordinance, the Mayor declared it duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1357- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Tenth Street from Main street to Cedar Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas by re-surfacing same with brick or asphaltic concrete, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1358- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Beech Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from Sixth Street to Seventh Street by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, None. The majority vote having been in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1359- Final Reading.

An Ordinance prohibiting the erection or installation of gasoline or oil filling stations, gasoline or oil pumps and public garages on certain streets in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, Three, Nays, none. The majority vote being in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Consent to Assignment. Tany Court Lease.

On request of L. M. Belden and Otto Baxter, and the Ottawa Petroleum Company, the Mayor, and City clerk signed a "Consent of Assignment" of their lease of Tany Court

to the Cities Service Oil Company, which assignment is hereby ratified by the Board of Commissioners, and consent is hereby given the Cities Service Oil Company to handle Empire products through this filling station.

Filing of "Power of Attorney"- F. A. Clark.

F. A. Clark filed with the City Clerk, a copy of his and of D. L. Casida's appointment of "Power of Attorney" for the Union Indemnity Company of New Orleans, La.

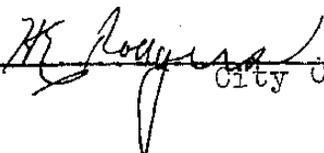
Committees from Chamber of Commerce- relative to Hickory Street Dam. also for Urgin Street Sweeper and City Care of Terrace Trees.

Committees comprising, E. M. Elliott, Harold Lamb, John Nelson, and Warren J. Sheldon urging the building of a dam at the Hickory Street crossing of the Marais Des Cygnes, and E. M. Elliott, A. M. Warner, Roy Fisher, J. W. Davenport, and Percival Moise urging the purchase of a street sweeper for cleaning the city streets, and A. P. Elder, E. M. Elliott, and others recommending to the city the taking over of the care of all terrace trees in the city, called on the Commissioners, urging the installation of these respective projects. These matters were taken under advisement by the commissioners.

Petition for Sewer- Block 63

A petition for a sewer lateral in Block 63 was presented and the city engineer was instructed to draw up specifications for a sewer lateral in this block.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet in Special session July 30th, 1926.


City Clerk


Mayor

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 30th, 1926.

The City Governing body met in Special session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Special Appropriation Ordinance No. 423.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$1265.75 was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading.

Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none.

The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

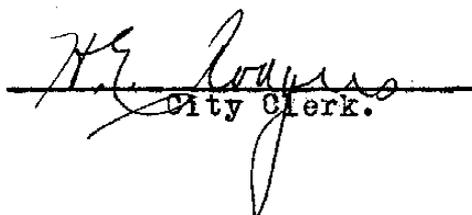
Receipt from John Nelson and Edward Nelson.
Bridge Claim.

Received of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, the sum of \$1265.75 in full settlement of any and all damages occasioned to the undersigned John Nelson and Edward Nelson by reason of the construction of the River Bridge on Main street in Ottawa, Kansas, including the hand rail being installed on wing wall of bridge, in so far as such damages pertain or relate to their real estate in Block 32 of the said city of Ottawa, south of the Brick and stone building facing on Main Street and owned by them in said block, and in consideration of such payment the undersigned agree to remove the frame buildings now on their property south of such stone building as soon as such removal can be reasonably accomplished.

Signed John Nelson

Edward Nelson.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.


City Clerk.


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 4th, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of special Meeting of July 30th were read and approved.

Approval of monthly and semi monthly reports.

Reports of the Sexton of Highland Cemetery, Home Cemetery, also of City Treasurer, and of City Market were inspected and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 424.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$16,782. was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading.

Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none.

The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Special assessment Ordinance- Sewer Lateral 81.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 81 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- Sewer Lateral 82

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 82 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- Sewer Lateral 83.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 83 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- Sewer Lateral 84.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral sewer District No. 84 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- Sewer Lateral 85

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 85 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- Sewer Lateral 86

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An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 86 in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and in accordance with the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- Sewer Lateral 87

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 87 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- Sewer Lateral 88.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 88 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- Keokuk.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Keokuk street from the East line of Main Street to the West line of Hickory Street, by grading, paving and guttering the same, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time, and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- North Cedar Street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving North Cedar Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the North line of Logan Street to Powhattan street, by grading, paving and guttering the same, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- North Poplar Street.
Wilson to Red Jacket.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Poplar street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from the south line of Wilson street to Red Jacket street by grading, paving and guttering the same, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- North Poplar Street,
Logan Street to Powhattan Street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Poplarstreet in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from the North line of Logan street to Powhattan street by grading, paving and guttering the same, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- North Poplar Street,
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An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Poplar street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Red Jacket to the North line of Massasoit street by grading, paving and guttering the same, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- North Poplar street,
Massasoit to Powhattan.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Poplar street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Massasoit to the south line of Powhattan street, by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- North Cedar Street.
Wilson street to Powhattan street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving North Cedar Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Wilson street to the south line of Powhattan street by grading, paving and guttering the same, was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- East Tenth Street.
Mulberry street to Sycamore street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving East Tenth street from the East line of Mulberry street to Sycamore street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas by grading, paving, and guttering the same, was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Special Assessment Ordinance- Mulberry Street.
Ninth street to Eleventh street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Mulberry street from the south line of Ninth street to the North line of Eleventh street by grading, paving and guttering the same, was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Estimate of Cost- Hickory Street Dam.

The Engineer submitted an estimate of the cost of constructing the proposed dam at Hickory street. He estimated the cost to be \$9000.

Order to the County Surveyor to Survey West Ninth Street.

Arrangements were made to have the County Surveyor to make a survey of west Ninth street to establish the lines for paving that street.

Adjournment for Joint meeting with County Board.
East Fifteenth Street.

The Commissioners adjourned to meet in joint session with the County Commissioners relative to matters pertaining to the proposed pavement of the 5/8 mile on East Fifteenth Street.

On Motion the Governing Body adjourned to meet in
Joint session with the County Commissioners.

W. H. Rogers
City Clerk.

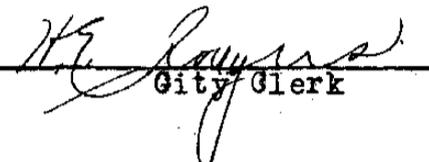
J. S. Meethree
Mayor

Ottawa? Kansas August 4th, 1926.

Joint meeting with the Franklin County Commissioners held August 4th at the Courthouse, Ottawa, Kansas.

Mayor Weethee and Commissioners Porter and Johnson were present, representing the city and County Commissioners Lister, Springer and Mills representing the County.

The County commissioners objected to the City's resolution to start the East Fifteenth Street hard surfaced road with Main Street and recommended that it start at Cedar Street instead. This was taken under advisement by the city commissioners and the meeting adjourned to meet again in joint session Friday August 6th.


City Clerk


Mayor.

Ottawa, Kansas August 6th, 1926.

Joint Meeting of the City Governing Body and the Board of County Commissioners, held at the Courthouse Ottawa, Kansas, Friday, August 6th, 1926.

Mayor Weethee and Commissioners Porter and Johnson present. County Commissioners Lister, Springer, and Mills present.

Amended Resolution of the City of Ottawa, Kansas relating to the Improvement of East Fifteenth Street Highway.

Whereas, the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, heretofore and on the 7th day of July, 1926, duly passed a resolution with reference to cooperating with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, in the improvement of the highway commonly called East Fifteenth Street, and,

Whereas, such resolution was duly presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, on the 9th day of July, 1926, and,

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, has heretofore passed a resolution finding that the improvements proposed in the said resolution of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was a public utility, and,

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin, County, Kansas, by resolution proposed a benefit district in connection with such improvement and by resolution named the 4th day of August, 1926, at ten o'clock A. M. on said day as the time when such Board would meet in joint session with the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, to

hear complaints and suggestions of tax payers and citizens with reference to such improvement, notice of which meeting was duly published by the said Board of County Commissioners and by the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and,

Whereas, at such joint meeting on consideration it was tentatively determined and considered that it is desirable to amend the said resolution of the City of Ottawa, Kansas relating to such improvement, so as to provide for the building of such improvement, from existing pavement on Cedar Street eastward to the City Limits of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and thence east on said Fifteenth Street Road for the distance of five eighths of a mile,

Now therefore, be it resolved by the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, that its said resolution relating to said improvement be amended to read as follows:

Be it resolved by the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, that said Fifteenth Street Highway from the existing paving on Cedar Street at the intersection of said Fifteenth Street with said Cedar Street be improved eastward from said intersection to the east corporate limits of said city and thence on the country road or highway a distance of five eighths of a mile from the east corporate limits of said city.

That said Fifteenth Street Road shall be brought to a proper grade and paved with a course of brick laid upon a foundation of crushed rock or concrete; that the width of such pavement shall be eighteen feet; that a benefit district within said city to bear the cost of such part of said improvement as shall be a charge upon specific property within said city is described and within the following boundaries to-wit:-

Commencing at the intersection of the West line of Cedar Street, City of Ottawa, produced, and a line thirty (30) feet north of the south line of Section One, Township Seventeen, Range Nineteen, Franklin County, Kansas, thence north five hundred feet, thence east three hundred forty five feet to the east line of the city limits of said city of Ottawa, thence south five hundred feet to a point thirty feet north of the south line of section one, township seventeen, range nineteen thence West three hundred forty five feet more or less to place of beginning.

That the several tracts and parcels of ground within such benefit district are more particularly described as follows:

J. H. Ischy Com. at a point 782 ft. south of the Southwest cor. of Block 27, University Add, No. 2 City of Ottawa, on east line of Cedar Street produced, thence south 468 feet thence east 265 feet, thence north 468 feet, thence west 265 feet, tp beg. being in the southwest quarter of Sec One, Twp. seventeen, Range 19 containing 2.84 acres.

James H. Vogan Com. at a point 750 feet south of the southwest corner of Block 27, University Add, No. 2, City of Ottawa thence East 265 feet thence South 32 feet thence West 265 feet to east line of Cedar Street produced, thence north 32 feet to place of beginning. being in the southwest quarter of Sec one, Twp Seventeen, Range Nineteen, and containing about 19/100 acres

Also the south 500 feet of Cedar Street, Ottawa, Kansas.

That the cost of such improvement shall be levied and assessed in the manner provided by law and that the number of annual assessments to be levied as special assessments against the property in said city within said district shall be ten.

And it is further resolved that said improvement shall be supervised and installed and the cost provided for in the manner as set forth in Section 12-647 to 12-655, of the

Revised Statutes of Kansas, 1923, and,

Be it further resolved that a copy of this amended resolution be forthwith filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, for such action thereon as said board may deem proper.

Adopted by the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, this the Sixth day of August, 1926.

Concurring Resolution of the Governing Body of the City of Ottawa in Relation to the Amended Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, regarding the improvement of East Fifteenth Street Highway.

Be It Resolved by the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, that the City of Ottawa does hereby approve of and concurs in the amended resolution in of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, passed on the Sixth day of August, 1926 relating to the improvement of the East Fifteenth Street Highway; and by this concurring resolution does hereby authorized the improvement mentioned in the amended resolution of the governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and the amended resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas; and that such amended resolutions with this concurring resolution shall be deemed and considered the final resolution for the improvement mentioned and described in such amended resolution within the meaning of Section 12-659 of the Revised Statutes of Kansas, 1923

Passed by the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas this Sixth day of August 1926.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

W. E. Rogers
City Clerk

J. S. Meetho
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 11, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved and also of the Joint meetings of August 4th and August 6th with the Board of County Commissioners were read and approved.

Permission granted for use of Park.
Colored Picnic- September 22, 1926

Permission was granted to the colored people for holding a picnic in Forest Park September 22, 1926.

Traffic Ordinance- First Reading.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 1255 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, being an ordinance regulating riding, driving, travel and traffic in and upon the public streets, alleys, lanes and avenues of the city of Ottawa, Kansas and repealing certain ordinances in conflict therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and also repealing sections 9-13-29 30-31 of such ordinance, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance No. 1360- Final reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral sewer District No. 81 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none.

The vote being in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1361- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in lateral sewer District No. 82 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority vote being in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1362- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in lateral sewer District No. 83 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, None. The Majority vote being in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1363- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in lateral x sewer district No 84 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority vote being in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1364- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 85 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by section and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority vote being in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1365- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral sewer District No. 86 in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second reading, read the second time and considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority vote being in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1366- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 87 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority vote being in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1367- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No 88 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question Being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1368- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Keokuk street from the East line of Main street to the west line of Hickory street, by grading, paving and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1369- Final Reading.

Aon Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving North Cedar Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Logan street to Powhattan street, by grading, paving and guttering the same was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time,

considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. -1370- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Poplar street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Wilson street to Red Jacket street by grading, paving, and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1371- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Poplar street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, from the north line of Logan street to Powhattan street, by grading, paving and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1372- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Poplar street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Red Jacket to the North line of Massasoit street by grading, paving and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The Vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No 1373- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Poplar street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Massasoit to the south line of Powhattan street, by grading, paving, curbing, and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1374- Final Reading.

An ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving North Cedar street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Wilson street to the south line of Powhattan street by grading, paving, and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1375- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving East Tenth Street from the east line of Mulberry street to Sycamore street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas by grading, paving, and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting

Ordinance No. 1376- Final Reading.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Mulberry Street from the south line of Ninth street to the North line of Eleventh street by grading, paving, and guttering the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1377- Final Reading.

An Ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the cost of improving certain streets in said city was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1378- Final Reading.

An Ordinance providing for the issuance of bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay for the cost of installing lateral sewer in Lateral sewer Districts Nos. 81-82-83-84-85-86-87- and 88 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.


City Clerk


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 18, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Commissioner Porter presiding in the absence of Mayor Weethee, Commissioner Johnson present.

Appropriation Ordinance # 425.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$18,195.36 was introduced and placed upon its first reading.

Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, two, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Petition against change of traffic rules.

A Petition was presented by A. A. Bauchman and others protesting against the change of traffic rules. This petition was inspected and ordered filed for further reference.

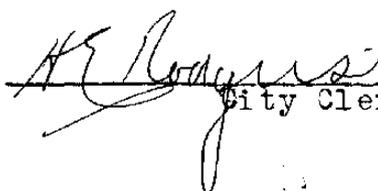
Traffic Ordinance- No. 1379.

Final Passage.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 1256 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, being an ordinance regulating riding, driving, travel and traffic in and upon the public streets, alleys, lanes and avenues of the city of Ottawa, Kansas and repealing certain ordinances in conflict therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and also repealing sections 9-13-29-30-31 of such ordinance, was placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, two, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1380- 1926 Tax levy.

An Ordinance providing for the levy of taxes in the year 1926 for the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.


City Clerk.


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 25, 1926.

The city governing body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved.

Notices of Assessment- Water line.

Notices of the special assessment on account of building the water line on Willow street and on Fifteenth street were duly mailed on August 17th by the city clerk, to the owners of the various tracts of land liable for the payment of the cost of the line.

Order from Drainage Dist. # 2.

To the Mayor and Commissioners of Ottawa:

At the regular meeting of the Drainage Board, No. 2, August 24, 1926---

Please take notice that the Drainage Board, by unanimous vote has decided to ask the city to remove the dirt and brick retaining wall at the southwest corner of the new bridge on Main street.

Very truly yours,

Sign'd E. S. Monroe, Secy.

License for Pawnbroker.

On application of J. H. Liggett and son for a license to operate a pawn shop and the payment of the fees required by ordinance, they were issued a license to operate a Pawn shop at number 104 south Main street.

Building permit granted.

On application of J. H. Wilson, a permit was granted to him to build an extension to his building at No. 117 North Main street.

Petition- Change of City Government.

The petition filed by W. H. Martin and others for a change of city government was held for consideration and to check up the legal points of law affecting such changes petitioned.

Notice- Sale of Bonds.

The city clerk was instructed to advertise in the Herald the sale of Paving and sewer bonds on August 27th.

H. Rogers
City Clerk.

J. P. Weethee
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Sept 1, 1926.

The City Governing body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved.

Attorneys report- Petition for change of Government.

After carefully checking up the legal points of the petition for change of governments, the city attorney reports that the law does not permit the operation of a city manager form of government in connection with a Mayor and Council, as petitioned, and that an election carried out in accordance with the petition would be of no consequence. The city attorneys views is supported by the Attorney General.

Appropriation Ordinance # 426

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$29,158.30 was introduced and placed upon its first reading.

Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Agreement for Electric Light Pole.

An agreement was entered into with the A. K. & S. F. Ry. Company relative to the placing of an electric light pole of their property east of the Depot and west of the Ross Milling Company and the Mayor and City Clerk are instructed to enter into a written agreement with the Santa Fe. relative to the placing of the pole.

Monthly reports approved and ordered filed.

Monthly reports of the city clerk, city treasurer, W & L. Dept, Market, Police Judge, and Sexton of Hope Cemetery, were inspected, approved, and ordered filed.

Ordinance- Parole Power to Police Judge.

An Ordinance to empower the judge of the police court of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, to parole persons convicted of violation of the ordinances thereof, to provide for the punishment of a violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- Repealing Certain Ordinances 1381

An Ordinance repealing certain ordinances of the city of Ottawa, Kansas was introduced and placed upon its first reading,

Read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass, A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, None. The majority vote being in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance- Code of Procedure- Police court
and its officers - First Reading.

An ordinance to establish a code of procedure for the police court and its officers was introduced and placed upon its first reading, read the first time, and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Sale of Bonds.

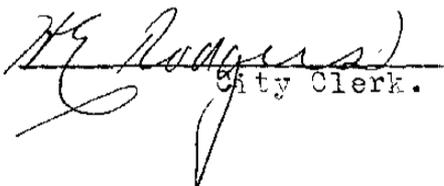
In accordance with the advertised sale of bonds on August 27th, the sale was held and bonds sold as follows:

W. & L. Deet.	Series "D" #25-50	at par value	
	Series "E" #1-625	at par value	
First National Bank	Series "D" #1-10	at par and accrued int.	
E. A. Harris	Series "D" #11-24	at par and accrued int.	
	"E" #7-12	do do	
Mrs. Grace Bell	Series "E" #15	at par and accrued int.	
W. S. Clark	Series "E" #1-6	at par and accrued.	
Lou E. Allen	Series "E" #13-14	do do	
Peoples Natl. Bank	Series "E"	do do.	

Zoning Ordinance- First Reading. 1337

An Ordinance creating a City Planning Commission was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.


City Clerk.


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Sept 8, 1926.

The City Governing body met in regular session with Mayor Waethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1382 - Zoning.

An Ordinance creating a City Planning Commission was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time. Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, Three, Nays, None. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1383. Parol Power

An Ordinance to empower to judge of the police court of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, to parole persons convicted of violation of the ordinances thereof, to provide for the punishment of a violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1384

An Ordinance to establish a code of procedure for the police court and its officers, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Petition to Pave- South Locust Street
Ninth to Eleventh.

A petition to pave south locust street from Ninth to Eleventh streets was presented and filed.

Agreement to sell rock

Agreement was made with W. G. Gibson to sell him some of the rock from the bridge, the rock piled up in the river, at \$5.00 per cord.

Ordinance- First Reading
Levying Assessments- Sewer Lateral #88B. 25

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 88B of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading
Levying Assessments- Sewer Lateral #89.

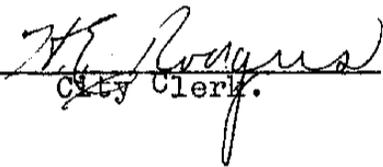
An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 89 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Final Estimate- Sewer Lateral 88B and 89.

Engineer in Charge, C. A. Novak filed his final estimate of the cost of constructing the sewers in sewer lateral districts 88B and 89 and recommended that this work be accepted.

Having already checked the work, the commissioners accepted the work as completed.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.



City Clerk.



Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Sept 15, 1926.

The City Governing body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance #1385- Sewer Assessment
#88B.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral sewer District No. 88B of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance #1386- Sewer Assessment.
Lateral Sewer Dist #89.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of installing a lateral sewer in Lateral sewer District No. 89 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 427.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$9892.88 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Protest- Paving South Locust Street,
Ninth street to Eleventh Street.

A protest petition was filed, protesting against the paving of south Locust street from Ninth to Eleventh streets. This petition was considered sufficient to block paving on that street and vetoe the petion, previously filed, to pave.

Garnishee- Cement Gun Company.

The city of Ottawa, through the city clerk, was servd with a Garnishment summons of the Ottawa Hardware Company, garnisheeing the account of the Cement Gun Company. This summons was turned over to the city attorney to answer.

Contract to Pave- West Ninth
Locust street to Willow street.

The bid of Cook and Stucker being lower than the estimate of the engineer, the Mayor and city clerk were instructed, by the governing body, to enter into a contract with said Cook and Stucker to pave said street and to require of them a satisfactory bond for the execution of the contract.

Building Sidewalk approaches.

The city governing body employed Carl Dean to put in the approaches for sidewalks on North Cedar street and on North

Poplar streets. The city is to furnish the material and Mr. Dean furnishes the labor and equipment and receives 8 cents per square foot for the work.

Order to Build sidewalk.

A sidewalk was ordered in to connect up with sidewalk already constructed and extending from Eighth street south ward on all unconnected strips to Ninth street on the East side of South Hickory street and the city clerk is ordered to notify all property owners to construct sidewalks within thirty days from the date of the notice or the city may build said sidewalks and charge same on the tax list for said properties.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

W. F. Rodgers
City Clerk

J. S. Meethes
Mayor.

Courthouse, Ottawa, Kansas, September 14, 1926.

The City Commissioners met in joint session with the Board of County Commissioners to organize a Board for taking care of the East Fifteenth Street Benefit District business.

City Mayor, Weethee, and Commissioners Porter and Johnson were present representing the city governing body and Commissioners Springer, Lister, and Mills, were present representing the County Governing Body.

Mayor Weethee was nominated and unanimously chosen to act as chairman and county clerk was unanimously chosen as clerk.

It was moved and seconded that Ed F. Loveless, county engineer, be chosen as the official engineer for this work. This motion carried unanimously.

There being no other business at this time, and on motion the Joint Board adjourned to meet in session at a later date.

Joint Board Meeting- East Fifteenth Benefit District Road.

Ottawa, Kansas, September 14, 1926.

Meeting of the Joint Commission consisting of the Commissioners of the city of Ottawa, Kansas and the Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas.

Present	Present
For the city	for the County
Mayor J. S. Weethee	Chairman J. H. Springer
Commissioner I. E. Porter	Commissioner E. Lister
Commissioner H. W. Johnson	Commissioner J. O. Mills

The meeting was organized by electing Mayor J. S. Weethee Chairman and County Clerk J. R. Finley Clerk.

On motion it was declared to be the intent of the meeting to proceed with the hard surfacing of the Fifteenth street road from Cedar Street in the City of Ottawa to a point five eighths of a mile east of the city limits and the county Engineer Ed F. Loveless was directed to prepare plans and estimates for the same.

Meeting then adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

Signed J. R. Finley
Clerk

J. S. Weethee
Chairman

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, September 22, 1926.

The city Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioner Porter absent, Commissioner Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Report of City Market.

City Weighmaster, Lambert presented his semi-monthly report of the City Market. This report was inspected by the governing body and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Paving Contract.

Contract with Cook and Stucker for paving Ninth street from Locust street to Willow street was duly executed by A. L. Cook for Cook and Stucker and by the Mayor and city clerk for the city and the bond of Cook and Stucker signed by B. D. Bennett and F. F. Fockele as sureties was duly filed and is hereby approved by the governing body.

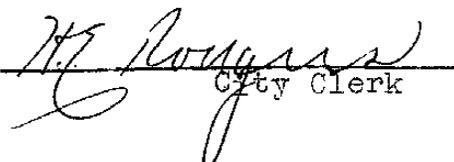
Petition- Pave No. Oak Street.

A petition to pave North Oak street from the north line of Red Jacket street to the north line of Black Hawk street was filed and given to the city attorney to check up.

Final Estimate - Paving. Alley Block 73- Alley Block 86.

The engineer presented his final estimate of the cost of paving the alleys in blocks 73 and 86 and recommended the acceptance of the work, it being satisfactorily completed.

On motion, the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.


City Clerk


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, September 29, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Notice of Review of Appraisement.

The city clerk is hereby instructed to advertise in the Ottawa Herald a notice of Review of Appraisement on October 6th, 1926 at 10.00 O'clock A. M. for the properties liable for the cost of improvements on the following streets and alleys:

Alley Block 73 and also in Block 86.
North Oak street- from Logan to Red Jacket Streets
Ninth street- from Locust to Willow streets.

Final Estimates of Engineers-

Main street Bridge.

Herrington, Howard, and Ash, engineers employed by the city on the construction of Main street bridge, submitted their final estimates and recommendations on the cost of building the Main street bridge. The city clerk was instructed to check up on payments already made on the various contracts and the recommendations of the engineers were taken under advisement to be acted on at a later date.

Garnishment-

Ramey & Garrison vs Cement Gun Company.

The city clerk was served with a Garnishment summons garnisheeing the account of the Cement Gun Company by Ramey and Garrison. The city clerk is instructed to turn this summons over to the city attorney to answer.

Petition to vacate alley

between Lots 1-2-3-4 and 5-6-7- and 8
DeValley's Subdivision.

A petition, signed by the owners of lots 1-2-3-4-5-6-7- and 8, DeValleys Subdivision, was filed with the city clerk, asking the vacation of the alley at the west of Lots 1-2-3- and 4 and East of Lots 5-6-7 and 8 in said sub division.

The city clerk is instructed to deliver this petition to the city attorney for checking the names against the recorded ownership of the lots affected.

Zoning Committee Appointed.

The following list of men were appointed to serve on the Zoning Board in accordance with Zoning Ordinance number 1382.

Fred M. Harris, Chairman	Three years term
A. M. Warner	" "
Wm. Wallace	Two Years "
Herm Furness	" "

Arthur Willis
Ransom Bennett
D . F. Daniel.

One Year term
do

On motion, the governing body adjourned.

W. E. Rogers
City Clerk

J. M. Meether
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 6th, 1926.

The city Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved.

Garnishment
Schnoke vs Cement Gun Co.,

The city clerk was served with a Garnishment summons garnisheeing the account of the cement gun company by V. A. Schnoke. This summons was turned over to City Attorney, Sheldon to answer.

Appropriation Ordinance. 1128

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$16,534.21 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Approval of reports.

Monthly reports of the city clerk, W. & L. Dept, Sexton of Hope Cemetery, sexton of Highland cemetery for August and September and semi monthly report of the city market were inspected, approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Resolution- North Oak Street.
North line of Red Jacket to South line of
Wilson street.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted by the governing body:

Whereas, North Oak street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the north line of Red Jacket to the south line of Wilson street and the Governing Body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

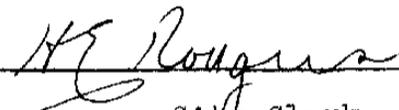
Be It Resolved, by the Governing Body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas, that North Oak street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the North line of Red Jacket street to the south line or Wilson street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and the gutter shall be of cement concrete: That the cost of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving.

Adopted by the Governing Body, October 6th, 1926.

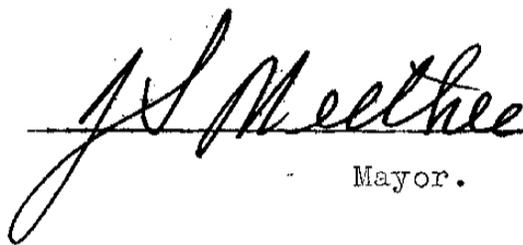
Ordinance- First Reading.
License Tax-Circuses.

An Ordinance fixing the amount of license tax to be paid to the city of Ottawa by any circus, menagerie or circus and menagerie or other kind of show or entertainment traveling and exhibiting within or under canvas inside the city limits, from August 15th to September 15th in each year, and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance and repealing all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet in regular session, Wednesday October 13th.



City Clerk



Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 13, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Resolution to Pave.
East Thirteenth Street- Main to Cedar.

Whereas, East Thirteenth street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, is unimproved from the East line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street, and the governing body of said city deems it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

Be it resolved; by the governing body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas that East Thirteenth street in the city of Ottawa from the east line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and the gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the costs of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving.

Adopted by the governing body, October 13th, 1926.

Resolution to Pave- No. Cherry
Logan to Powhattan.

Whereas, North Cherry Street from Logan street northward to that part of Powhattan street that is in Sheldon's Addition in the city of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved, and the governing body of said city deems it necessary to improve said street, now, therefore,

Be it resolved; That North Cherry Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, from the north line of Logan street to the north line of that party of Powhattan street that is east of said North Cherry Street and is in Sheldon's Addition, be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same: that the pavement shall consist of vitrified paving brick laid upon a base of crushed rock; that the curb and gutter shall be of cement concrete, and shall be 29 inches wide; and that the improvement, including gutters shall be 24 feet wide, except at intersections of streets, where the width shall be the width of the intersection; that said improvement be installed at the cost of the property liable for special assessments for street improvements, except such part as may be a charge against the city at large, and that special assessments be levied therefore as provided by law.

Adopted by the governing body October 13, 1926.

ORDINANCE- FIRST READING.
ASSESSMENT PAVING- ALLEY BLOCK 73.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving the alley in Block 73 between Hickory and Cedar street from second street to Third street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, by grading, paving and otherwise improving the same, was placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

ORDINANCE-FIRST READING
ASSESSMENT - PAVING - ALLEY BLOCK 86

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving the alley in Block 86 between Hickory street and Cedar street from Third street to Fourth in the city of Ottawa, Kansas by grading, paving and otherwise improving the same, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- Final Reading.
License Tax- Circuses- 1387.

An Ordinance fixing the amount of license tax to be paid to the city of Ottawa by any circus, menagerie or circus and menagerie or other kind of show or entertainment traveling and exhibiting within or under canvas inside the city limits, from August 15th to September 15th in each year, and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance and repealing all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, was put upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Sale of Lot 26 Block 46.

The Governing body made an agreement with F. R. Nuzman to sell him Lot 26 in Block 46 for \$1000., and the Mayor and city clerk are instructed to execute a deed in his favor on his payment of the \$1000.

Petition for Sewer.

A petition for a sewer running from Thirteenth street to Fifteenth street between Main street and Walnut street was presented to the commissioners. This was signed by a majority of the interested property owners. There being no alley in this block, the city attorney was instructed to secure a right of way across the various properties affected for this sewer line and also for an electric line. The Engineer was instructed to make plans and his preliminary estimate of the cost of this proposed sewer.

Request for sewers.

Following numerous requests for sewers in the following described districts:

Alley between Main street and Hickory street running north 2 blocks from Wilson street: also between Cedar and Oak streets running from Wilson to Grant streets, the city governing body instructed the city engineer to check up an estimate of the cost of running these sewers and the feasibility of installing them.

City License Granted.

The city clerk is instructed to issue a license for selling and soliciting accident and health insurance, to J. K. Shaner, representing the Midwest Life and Casualty Insurance Company of Topeka. Their being a mutual company and exempt under state laws from paying a license tax.

On Motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.


City Clerk


Mayor.

Joint Meeting- East Fifteenth Road.

Ottawa, Kansas, October 15, 1926.

Meeting of the Joint Commission of the City of Ottawa Commissioners and the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin county on call of Chairman J. S. Weethee.
Present.

For the city
Mayor J. S. Weethee
Commissioner L. E. Porter

For the County
Chairman J. H. Springer
Commissioner E. Lister
Commissioner J. O. Mills.

On motion by E. Lister and seconded by L. E. Porter that plans submitted by Engineer Ed F. Loveless be adopted was passed unanimously, in the following resolution:

Be It Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, and the Governing Body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, acting as a joint board in the matter of the Highland Cemetery Road, being a project extending from existing pavement on Cedar street in the City of Ottawa, thence east on what is known as Fifteenth street to the city limits of the city of Ottawa, and from thence east on said highway without the city the distance of five eighths of a mile, do hereby approve the plans, specifications and estimates with reference to said street and road improvement which have been prepared under the direction of Ed F. Loveless, the County Engineer and which are now on file in the office of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas. The above resolution was passed by a majority vote of each of said boards.

The following resolution was introduced by E. Lister and seconded by L. E. Porter and passed by unanimous vote of all present and by a majority vote of each of said boards:

Be It Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin county, Kansas and the Governing Body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, acting as a joint board in the matter of the construction of what is known as the Highland Cemetery Road that the form of notice prepared and hereto attached is approved and it is ordered that the same be signed by the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners and by the Mayor of the city of Ottawa, attested by the County Clerk of Franklin County, Kansas and the city Clerk of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, and that said officers cause said notice to be published in the official county paper of Franklin County and in the official city paper of the city of Ottawa in two consecutive issues, one each week, the first publication of such notice to be not less than fifteen days previous to the day fixed for receiving bids.

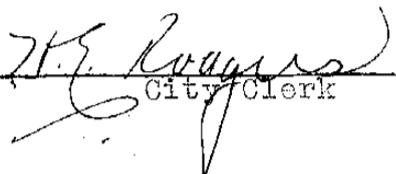
On motion, meeting then adjourned to the call of the chairman,
Attest:

J. R. Finley
Clerk

J. S. Weethee
Chairman

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 20, 1926

Owing to the absence of Commissioners Porter and Johnson Mayor Weethee adjourned the regular meeting to meet in an adjourned session Thursday, October 21, 1926.


City Clerk


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 21, 1926.

The City Governing body met in adjourned session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meetings were read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1388- Assessment

Alley- Block 86

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving the alley in Block 86 between Hickory street and Cedar street from Third street to Fourth street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, by grading, paving and otherwise improving the same, was placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by section and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, None. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1389- Assessment.

Alley - Block 73

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving the alley in Block 73 between Hickory and Cedar street from Second street to Third street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, by grading, paving and otherwise improving the same, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, None. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Remonstrance- Pave So. Hickory.

A remonstrance against paving South Hickory street between Eighth Street and Ninth street was filed. This remonstrance covers the block that was recently petitioned, and since it

since it is apparant that the majority of the property owners do not favor paving at this time no resclution to pave is to be published.

Bond Filed
H. C. Livingood- Electrician.

Union Indemnity Company surety bond for \$1000. H. C. Livingood, Electrician's bond was approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Appointment- Clerks and Judges of Election.

The following list of clerks and judges were appointed to serve for the General Election, November 2, 1926.

First Precinct.

Frank Brown
-Mrs. Hattie Porter J. Count. *R. E. Unruh J. Rec.
-Mrs. Anna Switzer do -W. J. Welsh J. Count
-Mrs. Fred Flinchpaugh J. Rec. -Mrs. Adelaide Furness C. Rec.
-Frank Bruner do -E. M. Thomas C. Count
-Mrs. Nora Saxon C. Rec.
-Mrs. Rose Rodgers C. Count.

Second Precinct.

*Mrs Kollie Leese J. Rec. -J. F. Stokes J. Count
-Mrs. Mae Capps do -Mrs. M. E. Doran J. Rec.
-Mrs Hazel Walker J. Count -Mrs. Rose Winkler C. Rec.
-W. S. Miller do -Si Grant C. Count.
-Mrs. Etta Branson C. Rec. *Miss M. J. ...*
-Mrs Bossie Gover C. Count

Third Precinct.

*A. J. Doran J. Rec. *W. H. ...*
-Mrs S. M. Baldrige do R. H. Keene J. Rec.
-C. E. Peck J. Count. -Mrs. D. H. Mc Cullough J. Count
-Mrs. O. W. Newhouse J. Count. -Mrs. Margaret Branaman C. Rec.
-Mrs. Amel Bjort C. Count. -Mrs. Tom Lucas C. Count.
-Mrs T. C. Brunton C. Rec. *Miss ...*

Fourth Precinct.

-Mrs. K. E. Bucklin J. Rec. -Mrs. F. A. Clark J. Rec.
*Dr. J. M. Mc Wharf do -Frank Walsh J. Count
-Geo. Ogden J. Count. -Mrs. Chas Martin C. Rec.
E. H. Tipton do -G. W. Murphy C. Count
-Mrs. Ralph Shiras C. Rec.
-Mrs Anna Larkin C. Count.

Fifth Precinct.

*A. B. Cartzdafner J. Rec. -Mrs. A. H. Slater J. Rec.
-Mrs. Vertus Crotts do -Mrs. Geo. Weinheimer J. Count.
-M. F. Short J. Count. -Miss Ethel Chappell C. Rec.
-Pearl Rodgers do. -Mrs. P. E. Rees C. Count.
-Mrs. Ida Booze C. Rec.
-Mary Stiles do

Sixth Precinct.

*H. B. F. Keller J. Rec. -L. H. Maupon J. Rec.
-Mrs. Carl Dean do -Miss Margaret Nicely J. Count.
-Mrs. J. L. Shelden J. Count. -Mrs. Clarence Moody C. Rec.
-Mrs. Aldyth Chase do -Mrs. J. A. Stearns C. Count.
-Mrs. Joe G. Ames C. Rec.
-Mrs. H. P. Wilson C. Count.

Clerks and Judges of Election- Contd.

Seventh Precinct.

* P. Kaiser J. Rec. -J. O. Flaherty J. Rec.
 -Rev. E. R. Shook do -Frances Adler J. Count.
 -J. Defenbaugh J. Count. -Mrs. O. M. Nicholson C. Rec.
 -Ed S. Curby do Maye Halloren C. Count.
 Mrs. Arthur Wharton C. Rec
 -Genevieve Shubert C. Count.

Mrs. B. F. Downing
 Eighth Precinct.

* Catherine Campbell J. Rec. -Mrs. Adelaide Claypool J. Rec.
 -Mrs. Oscar Beal *Mrs. Beal* do -Paul Johnson J. Count.
 -H. B. Paremore J. Count. -Mrs. Ada Mc Cracken C. Count.
 -Ralph E. Page do -Mrs. Ursa Vincent C. Rec.
 Myrtle Humphrey *Mrs. Humphrey* C. Rec.
 W. H. Wharton C. Count.

Ninth Precinct.

* -Fred Hess J. Rec. -Mrs. Fred Ashby C. Count.
 -Mrs. Chas Cook do -Mrs. Harry Latimer J. Count.
 Herm Furness J. Count. -Mrs. Vic Schnoke C. Rec
 -Mrs. L. E. Turner do -B. L. Reinhardt J. Rec.
 -Mrs. Annetta Miller C. Rec.
 -Mrs. Carrie Winget C. Count.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 429

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$23,710.96 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Report- City Market.

Market manager, W. G. Lambert presented his semi monthly report of busiess. After inspection, this report was approved and ordered filed.

Resolution.

The city governing body, acting as a joint board with the Board of County Commissioners passed the following resolution:

Resolution- East Fifteenth.

Be It Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin county, Kansas, and the Governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, acting as a joint board in the matter of the construction of what is known as the Highland Cemetery Road that the form of notice prepared and hereto attached is approve and it is ordered that the same be signed by the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners and by the Mayor of the city of Ottawa, attested by the county clerk of Franklin county, Kansas, and by the City Clerk of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and that said officers cause said notice to be published in the official county paper of Franklin County and in the official city paper of the city of Ottawa in two consecutive issues, once each week, the first publication of such notice to be not less than fifteen days previous to the day fixed for receiving bids.

The above resolution is passed this 15th day of October 1926 by action of a majority vote of each of said boards.

Signed J. S. Weethee
Chairman of the Joint Board

Attest:

Signed J. R. Finley
Secretary of the Joint Board

Notice to Contractors.

The following "Notice to Contractors" was ordered published by the Joint Board of County and City Commissioners:

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the county commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, and the commissioners of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, acting as a joint board in the matter of the construction of what is known as the Highland Cemetery Road will on Monday, the 8th day of November, 1926, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, receive bids for the proposed improvement, which improvement is the construction of a hard surfaced road from existing pavement on Cedar street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, thence East on what is known as East Fifteenth street to the city limits of the city of Ottawa, thence East on said Highway without said city the distance of five-eighths of a mile in accordance with plans, specifications and estimates approved by said boards acting jointly and by the county engineer of Franklin County, Kansas, and which are now on file in the office of the County Commissioners of Franklin County at the Court House in the city of Ottawa, Kansas.

The contract for such improvements will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, the right being reserve to reject any and all bids. Each bidder must accompany his bid with a certified check for five per cent of the amount of his Bid payable to the chairman of the Board of County Commissioners as a guarantee that if the contract is awarded to him he will enter into a contract for the performance of the same and if he fails to enter into such contract when awarded to him the amount deposited or so much thereof as shall equal five per cent of the bid shall be and become the property of said city and county as liquidated damages.

The contractor will be required to give a good and sufficient bond in such sums as the joint board may fix but not less than the contract price and all things pertaining to such bidding and contract must be subject to and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 12, Article 66 of the Revised Statutes of 1923.

The Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas.

Signed J. H. Springer
Chairman

Attest:

J. R. Finley
County Clerk

The City of Ottawa, Kansas, by

J. S. Weethee
Mayor.

Attest:

H. E. Rodgers
City Clerk

Detail Road Estimate Filed.
East Fifteenth.

E. F. Loveless.

County Engineer filed his detailed estimate of the cost of installing the East Fifteenth Road project.

Resolution- East Fifteenth.

The following resolution was adopted by the Joint Board of County and City Commissioners relative to the East Fifteenth Street improvement.

Resolution of Joint Board Relating to Highland Road Improvement.

Be It Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas, and the Governing Body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, acting as a joint board in the matter of the construction of what is known as the Highland Cemetery Road, being a project extending from existing pavement on Cedar Street in the city of Ottawa, thence East on what is known as Fifteenth street to the city Limits of the city of Ottawa, and from thence East on said highway without the city the distance of five eighths of a mile, do hereby approve the plans specifications and estimates with reference to said street and road improvement which have been prepared under the direction of Ed S. Loveless, the County Engineer, and which are now on file in the office of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Kansas.

The above resolution is passed by a majority vote of each of said boards this the 15th day of October, 1926

J. S. Weethee
Chairman of the Joint Board

Attest:
J. R. Finley
Secretary of the Joint Board.

Approval of County Engineer:

I, Ed F. Loveless, County Engineer of Franklin County, Kansas, do hereby approve the plan, specifications and estimates referred to in the above resolution.

Signed this 15th day of October, 1926.

Ed F. Loveless
County Engineer of Franklin
County, Kansas.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet at a later date.


City Clerk


Mayor.



City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 27, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bond Ordinance- First Reading.
Sewer Laterals Nos. 88 B. and 89.

An Ordinance providing for the issuance of bonds of the City of Ottawa, Kansas to pay for the cost of installing Lateral Sewers in Lateral Sewer Districts No. 88B and 89, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Bond Ordinance- First Reading.
Water Main- South Willow- West Fifteenth.

An Ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the costs of the extension of a water main of the said city of Ottawa, Kansas and water service to territory lying beyond but adjacent to said city was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Bond Ordinance- First Reading.
Paving- Keokuk- No. Cedar- So. Mulberry
East Tenth.

An ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the cost of improving certain streets in said city, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Resolution to Improve Powhattan.

Whereas, Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the east line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street and the Governing Body of said city deems it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the Governing body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas that Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the East line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the cost of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street pavement.

Adopted by the Governing Body, October 27th, 1926.

Resolution to Improve Beech.

Whereas Beech Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the north line of Fifth street to the north line

Resolution to Improve
Powhattan- E.L. Alley between Cedar and Oak
to West line of Oak street.

Whereas, Powhattan street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the east line of the alley between Cedar street and Oak street to the west line of Oak street, and the Governing Body of said city deems it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

Be it resolved, by the Governing Body of the said city of Ottawa, Kansas that Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the East line of the alley between Cedar street and Oak street to the west line of Oak street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the cost of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the blocks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street paving.

Adopted by the Governing Body, October 27th, 1926.

of Sixth street and the governing body of said city deems it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it to grade and by grading, paving curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Governing Body of said city of Ottawa that Beech street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Fifth street to the North line of Sixth street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same. That said street shall be surfaced with brick laid upon a crushed rock foundation and the curb and gutter shall be of cement concrete; that the cost of the work shall be assessed to the property on each side of said street for each block of work separately to the middle of the locks upon each side, except that portion of the cost that is legally chargeable to the city at large and in the manner as provided by the statutes of Kansas governing street pavement.

Adopted by the Governing Body, October 27th, 1926.

Protest- Against side parking-
Main street between First and Tecumseh.

A petition was filed protesting against the enforcement of the new traffic ordinance affecting side parking between First street and Tecumseh street. This petition was taken under consideration.

Protest- Against New Traffic Ordinance.

A protest headed by A. A. Naughtman, also one by farmers against the New traffic ordinance was filed and taken under advisement by the governing body.

Sign Boards Ordered Removed.

The governing body instructed the Chief of Police to have the sign boards at the corner north of Wilson and East of Main street removed.

In Re- Traffic rules

Chief of Police Marsman and Motor Cycle officer, Wheeler were asked to make recommendations relative to any changes they deem necessary or advisable on account of the operation of the new traffic rules.

Request for Special Sewer Connection.

The Elder Mercantile Co., acting as agent for Miss Medaris asked for permission to lay sufficient sewer pipe in 9th st. to provide for connection to house at S. W. Cor of 9th and Locust when needed in the future. It was stated that about 80 feet of pipe would be saved by connecting in 9th st instead of running to the alley. The city engineer was instructed to notify the plumber that permission to run pipe to the curb line would be given without payment of the usual connecting fee if agreement of the paving contractor to assume all responsibility and keep pavement in repair is secured and filed with the application.

On motion, the governing body adjourned to meet in regular session, Wednesday, November 3, 1926.

H. Rogers
City Clerk

J. S. Medsker
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 29, 1926.

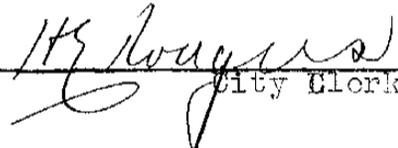
The city governing body met in special session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Agreement for Purchase of
Wyandotte Co. Special Improvement Bonds
from Prescott, Wright & Snyder for Reserve
account of Water & Light Department.

The city governing body made an agreement with Prescott, Wright & Snyder to purchase \$12,000 par value Wyandotte County, Kansas Special Improvement 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ % Bonds due January 1st, 1941 on a 4.25 basis.

Special appropriation Ordinance
No 430

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$12,495.50 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the Ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.


City Clerk


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, November 3, 1926.

The Governing Body of the city of Ottawa met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of Special meeting of October 29th were read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1390- Final reading.
Issuance of Bonds- Street paving.

An Ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the cost of improving certain streets in said city, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The majority vote being in the affirmative the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1391- Final reading.
Issuance of Bonds- Sewer Laterals Nos. 88B. and 89.

An Ordinance providing for the issuance of bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay for the cost of installing lateral sewer in Lateral sewer Districts Nos. 88B and 89 was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1392- Final Reading.
Issuance of Bonds- Water Main Dist No. 1.

An Ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the costs of the extension of a water main of the said city of Ottawa, Kansas and water service to territory lying beyond but adjacent to said city was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Monthly reports.

Monthly reports of Mary P. Finley Treasurer, Sexton of Hope Cemetery and W & L. Dept. also semi monthly report of city market were presented, approved and ordered filed with the city clerk, also report of Police Judge.

Suit- John Nelson and Son.

The city received notice that it is being sued by John Nelson and Son for damages to their stone building on account of building Main Street bridge and the consequent raising of the street grade. This was given to the city attorney to handle.

Claim Filed- G. W. Miller/

G. W. Miller, through his attorney, F. W. Harris, filed his claim for \$1241. for damages to his building sustained through the building of Main street bridge. This claim was turned over to city attorney to handle.

Resolution- Chamber of Commerce.

A committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce, of H. H. Forrester, G. F. Kaiser, Steve Day, A. C. Carpenter and F. F. Fockele, called on the governing body asking that the two hour limitation on parking be repealed, and in which resolution of the Chamber of Commerce, the recognized the fact that it was the intention of the governing body, in the passage of the ordinance, to keep local cars off Main street, so that visitors could have more room when they visit Ottawa, but that the same has been prevented and misunderstood.

Temporary suspension of Two Hour Parking rule.

It was decided by the governing body to temporarily suspend the two hour parking rule on the promise of Ottawa Merchants and clerks to make such a rule not necessary by keeping their cars off of Main street on busy days. Failure on the part of the merchants and business men to do this will make necessary again the enforcement of this ordinance.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 431.

An ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$9392.54 was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time and on motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet in regular session Wednesday, November 10, 1926.

H. E. Rogers
City Clerk

J. S. Weethee
Mayor.

Ottawa, Kansas, November 8, 1926.

Meeting of the Joint Board consisting of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin county, Kansas and the Governing Body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas.

Present.

For the city

Mayor J. S. Weethee

Commissioner L. E. Porter

Commissioner H. W. Johnson

Called by the Chairman, J. S. Weethee.

For the county

Chairman J. H. Springer

Commissioner E. Lister

Commissioner J. O. Mills

This being the date set for the receiving of bids on the project known as the Highland Cemetery Road the following bids were opened and read.

The Geiger and Rutherford Construction Co. of Leavenworth	\$27,430.00
The Mc Coy Construction Co. of Emporia	27,561.50
Cook & Stucker of Ottawa	23,774.18
Engineer Ed F. Loveless estimate was for	26,942.30

Said Cook and Stucker being the lowest responsible bidders and said bid being below the engineers estimate, on motion of J. O. Mills seconded by H. W. Johnson, it was unanimously voted to accept the said bid of Cook and Stucker and award them the contract.

On motion by E. Lister and seconded by L. E. Porter meeting then adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

Attest:

J. R. Finley,
Clerk

J. S. Weethee
Chairman.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, November 10, 1926.

The City Governing body of the City of Ottawa, Kansas met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

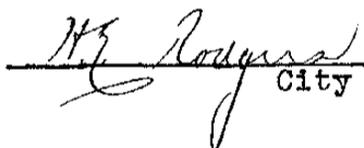
Notice to John Nelson to Construct walk.

The city clerk was instructed to mail a notice to John Nelson to construct a sidewalk along the East end of his lots on Main street just south of the O. L. Taylor lots.

Ordinance No. 1393
Paving- North Oak- Red Jacket to Wilson.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of North Oak street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Red Jacket street to the south line of Wilson street and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and, upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet in adjourned session Friday, November 12th.


City Clerk


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, November 12th, 1926.

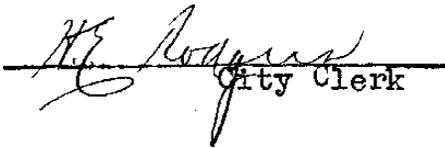
The City Governing Body met in adjourned session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

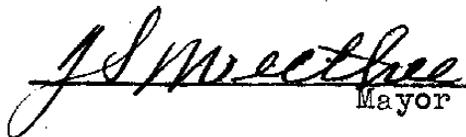
Ordinance No. 1394.
Paving East Thirteenth - Main to Cedar.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of East Thirteenth street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading.

Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet in regular session, Wednesday, November 17, 1926.


City Clerk


Mayor

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, November 17, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson Present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of the adjourned meeting, November 12th were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 432.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$8106.54 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

City Market report.

City Market Manager, W. G. Lambert, presented his report of business done the first half of November. This report was inspected and approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Claimed filed.

Mrs. Nina Manley filed a claim against the city for damages sustained by her, caused by a fall on the walk at the corner of 8th and Willow streets, due, she contends, to the faulty or unnatural construction of steps approaching the streets at this corner. Her claim was for \$150.

Protest- Pave Beech Street.

A protest was filed by F. C. Robinson and others, protesting against the paving of Beech street from Fifth street to Sixth street, until sewers needed for proper sanitation are placed.

Board of Censors Appointed.
Provided for by Ordinance No. 1215.

The city clerk was instructed to notify the following persons of their appointment to serve on the advisory board created for the purpose of censoring and regulating, in an advisory capacity, of theatres, vaudeville exhibitions, and other places of public amusement and recreation.

A. C. Carpenter Chairman.
Dr. J. R. Scott
Mrs. Walter Rodgers
Mrs. Fred R. Nuzman
Mrs. O. W. Newhouse

The Governing Body appreciates the work done by the old Board and votes its expression of thanks to the individuals making up this board, and, since, this appointment carries no remuneration, it was voted advisable to appoint a new board, so this duty to the Public may be passed around.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at some future date.

H. E. Rogers
City Clerk.

J. S. Weethee
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, November 24, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Johnson and Porter present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Contract to Pave North Oak - Red Jacket to Wilson street-- East 13th Street- Main to Cedar.

The Mayor and City Clerk were instructed to enter into contract with Cook and Stucker for paving North Oak street, Red Jacket to Wilson street and East Thirteenth street- Main to Cedar Street, and the Bond covering these contracts, offered by Cook and Stucker and signed by B. D. Bennett and F. F. Fockele as Sureties is hereby approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Ordinance- First Reading.

Vacate Alley in De Valleys SubDivision.

An Ordinance vacating a certain alley in the city of Ottawa Kansas.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the city of Ottawa, Kansas:

Section 1. That the alley lying at the west of Lots One, two, three, and four and at the east of Lots Five, six, seven and eight in De Valley's Subdivision of Block E of Southside addition, a platted addition to the said city of Ottawa, Kansas is hereby vacated.

Section 2 That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication according to law.

This Ordinance was placed upon its first reading, read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

On motion the Governing Body adjourned to meet in regular session December 1st, 1926.


City Clerk


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 1st, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 433

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$12,433.61 was introduced and placed upon its first reading.

Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Protests- No. Cherry and also on Beech- Insufficient.

Protests filed with the city clerk against paving North Cherry Street from the North line of Logan street to the North line of Powhattan street running east of Cherry and also one filed protesting the paving of Beech street from Fifth to Sixth street were checked by the Attorney and found insufficient to defeat the improvement of these streets.

Approval of monthly and semi-monthly reports.

Reports of the Police Judge, City Treasurer, W. & L. Dept. and Market report were presented to the governing body, checked, approved, and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Petition filed-City Manager Form of Government.

A petition was filed asking the Mayor to call a special election, in accordance to law, to vote on the proposition of City Manager form of Government for Ottawa. This petition was given to the city clerk to check up against the Poll Book records and report his findings within ten days to the Governing Body.

Ordinance No. 1395- Final Reading.
Vacate Alley in De Valley's Addition.

An Ordinance vacating a certain alley in the city of Ottawa, Kansas was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Protest- Smoke nuisance-
Ramseys Garage in Halloren Building.

A protest was filed by residents in the vicinity of Ramsey's garage at Fourth and Main street, against what they claim to be a smoke nuisance caused by the smoke from the chimney of the Halloren Building occupied by the Ramsey garage. They ask that this be investigated and if they determine that this is a nuisance, that some means be taken to have it abated. This was taken under consideration by the board, pending an investigation.

Ordinance- First Reading.

Pave Powhattan- East line of Cedar to west line of Oak.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Cedar street to the west line of Oak street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading.

Pave Powhattan - East line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First reading.

Pave North Cherry- North line of Logan to North line of Powhattan that runs east from Cherry.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of North Cherry street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Logan street to the north line of that part of Powhattan street that is east of said North Cherry street and is in Sheldon's Addition to the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading.

Pave Beech- from the North line of 5th street to the North line of Sixth street.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Beech street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the North line of 5th street to the North line of Sixth street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Contract Filed.

In accordance with instructions from the Governing Body, the contract, with Cook and Stucker to pave North Oak street from Red Jacket to Wilson and East Thirteenth Street from Main street to Cedar Street, was duly signed by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk and this contract is hereby approved by the governing body and it is ordered filed with the bond in the office of the city clerk.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.


City Clerk


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 8, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the regular meetings of November 24th and of December 1st were read and approved.

Monthly reports filed.

Monthly reports of the Sextons of Highland and of Hope cemeteries and the City Clerk's report were presented, approved and ordered filed.

Petition- City Manager
Insufficient.

City Clerk, H. E. Rodgers filed his report of his findings on checking the petition for city manager with the Poll Books and on the basis of this report this petition is found insufficient.

Ordinance No. 1396- Final Reading.
Pave Powhattan- Cedar to Oak.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Cedar street to the west line of Oak street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was placed upon its second reading, read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the Ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1397- Final Reading.
Pave Powhattan- Main to Cedar.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for the Ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1398- Final Reading.
Pave North Cherry- Logan to Powhattan- east of Cherry.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of North Cherry street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the North line of Logan street to the North line of that part of Powhattan street that is east of said North Cherry street and is in Sheldon's Addition to the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass, A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, None. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance Non 1399- Final Reading.
Pave Beech- Fifth to Sixth street.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Beech street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the North line of Fifth street

to the north line of Sixth street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none/ The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance- First Reading.
Amending Ordinance No. 1390- Issuance of Improvement Bonds.

An Ordinance amending Sections 2 and 3 of Ordinance Number 1390, being an ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the costs of improving certain streets in said city and repealing original sections 2 and 3 of said Ordinance number 1390 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

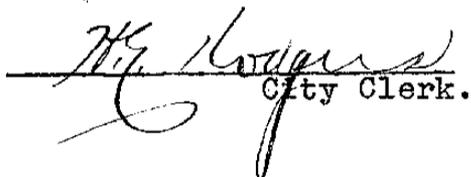
Ordinance- First Reading.
Amending Ordinance No. 1391- Issuance of Sewer Bonds.

An Ordinance amending Section 2 of Ordinance number 1391 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, providing for the issuance of bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay for the costs of installing Lateral Sewer in Lateral sewer districts number 88B and 89, and repealing original Section 2 of said Ordinance Number 1391 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and in accordance with the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading.
Amending Ordinance No 1392- Issuance of Waterline Bonds.

An Ordinance amending Section 2 of Ordinance Number 1392 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas providing for the issuance of improvement bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the cost of the extension of the water-main of the city of Ottawa, Kansas and water service to territory lying beyond but adjacent to said city and repealing Section 2 of said Ordinance Number 1392 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time, Considered by sections and according to rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

On motion, the governing body adjourned to meet in session at some later date.


City Clerk.


Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 15, 1926.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioner Porter absent. Commissioner Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1400- Final reading.
Amending Ordinance No. 1390- Bonds.

An Ordinance amending Sections 2 and 3 of Ordinance number 1390, being an ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the costs of improving certain streets in the said city and repealing original sections 2 and 3 of said Ordinance number 1390 was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote wastaken resulting in Ayes, two, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1401- Final reading.
Amending Ordinance No. 1391- Sewer Bonds.

An Ordinance amending Section 2 of Ordinance number 1391 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, providing for the issuance of bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay for the costs of installing Lateral sewer in Lateral sewer districts number 88B and number 89, and repealing original section 2 of said Ordinance number 1391 was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, two, Nays, none. The majority having voted in the affirmative, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1402- Final Reading.
Amending Ordinance No. 1392- Water main bonds.

An Ordinance amending section 2 of ordinance number 1392 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas providing for the issuance of improvement bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay the cost of the extension of the water-main of the city of Ottawa, Kansas and water service to territory lying beyond but adjacent to said city and repealing section 2 of said ordinance number 1392 was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, two, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 434.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$38,017.42 was introduced and placed upon its first reading.

Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass.

A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, two, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

On motion, the governing body adjourned to meet at a later date.

H. J. Rodgers
City Clerk

J. S. Weethee
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 22, 1926.

The city Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Permission granted for use of Forest Park.

On behalf of the Nazarine church, Rev. E. R. Shook asked for the use of Forest park for a convention to be held by the Nazarine Church in June 1927. The exact dates to be determined later. This request is granted on the condition that the dates do not conflict with other dates that would make it impossible to grant the request.

Disclaimer Agreement with Franklin county, relative to the Old Main Street Bridge - filed.

A disclaimer, relinquishing all their right, title or interest in the old Main street bridge to the city, was filed by the county. This gives the city the right to dispose of the bridge as they may see fit.

Electricians Bond filed and Approved.

United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company,s Bond for the City Electric Company was approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Market Report Filed.

W. G. Lambert, Mgr. of city market filed his repprt of business done for the first half of December. This report was inspected, approved, and ordered filed.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet in regular session Wednesday December 29th.

Instructions to enter into paving contract.

The Mayor and City clerk are hereby instructed to enter into contract with Cook and Stucker for paving Powhattan street from Main street to Oak street; Cherry street from Logan street to the north line of Powhattan street east of Cherry and Beech street from Fifth street to Sixth street on the basis of recent paving contracts by the same firm and in accordance with their bid on competitive bidding of several months ago.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet in session at a later date.


City Clerk

Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 29th, 1926

The city governing body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Special Appropriation Ordinance #435.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$10,855.91 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Contract filed- Paving Powhattan Street- Main St to Oak St.- Cherry street, Logan street to N.L. of Powhattan st. east of Cherry- Beech street from N.L. of Fifth street to Sixth street.

Acting in accordance with instructions from the governing body, the Mayor and city clerk entered into contract with Cook and Stucker to Pave Powhattan street from Main to Cedar, Cherry street from Logan to the north line of Powhattan street east of Cherry and Beech street from Fifth street to Sixth street.

This contract with surety bond attached is now presented and is hereby approved the the governing body and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Petition filed to retain W. W. Weaver on the Police force.

A petition was filed asking that W. W. Weaver, night police officer be retained on the police force. This was taken under advisement.

Purchase of Bonds authorized.

Finance Commissioner, Porter was instructed to make arrangements with the Shawnee Investment Company for the purchase of \$50,000. par value Wyandotte County, Fairfax Drainage bonds. These bonds draw 4 3/4 per cent interest and are to be bought to net 4 1/2 o/c.

These bonds are being purchased by the Water and Light Dept. for their reserve fund.

Request for Sewer- North of River and East of Main st.

A request was made for a short sewer north of the river and east of Main street for the use of the skelley Oil station and others. Acting on this request, the governing body instructed the City Engineer to make a preliminary survey and make a preliminary estimate of the cost of this project.

Proposed sale of old Main street bridge.

The commissioners decided to advertise the old Main street bridge for sale.

Resolution to Pave and Resurface.

Main- First street to North line of Tecumseh street.

A resolution to pave, repair, and resurface Main street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of First street to the north line of Tecumseh street in said city:

Whereas a portion of Main street in said city between the north line of First street and the north line of Tecumseh street has not been graded, guttered, paved and curbed, and whereas, the whole of said Main street from the North line of First street to the north line of Tecumseh street in said city, except the portion above mentioned is paved and said pavement is in need of repair and the Board of Commissioners of said city deem it necessary that the portion of said Main street above described which has not been graded, guttered, paved and curbed, be graded, guttered, paved and curbed and also deem it necessary to repair the paved portion of said Main street from the north line of First street to the north line of Tecumseh street in said city, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Board of Commissioners of said city of Ottawa, Kansas that they deem it necessary to grade, gutter, pave and curb that portion of Main street from the north line of First street to the north line of Tecumseh street which has not already been graded, guttered, paved and curbed, be graded, guttered, paved and curbed to a width of seventy-one feet between the curbs, except where it narrows to conform to the bridge, and that said Board of Commissioners deem it necessary and hereby declare it necessary that Main street in said city from the north line of First street to the north line of Tecumseh street, which has heretofore been paved, be repaired, improved and resurfaced.

Adopted by the Governing Body this 29th day of December, 1926.

J. S. Weethee
Mayor.

Attest:

H. E. Rodgers,
City Clerk.

Traffic Ordinance- First Reading.
Amending Ordinance No. 1379.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 1379 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, said Ordinance number 1379 being and ordinance amending Ordinance number 1256 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas which is an ordinance regulating riding, driving, travel and traffic in and upon the public streets, alleys, lanes and avenues of the city of Ottawa, Kansas and repealing certain ordinances in connection therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and also repealing sections of said ordinance number 1379 was introduced and placed upon its first reading, Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

On motion, the governing body adjourned to meet in Special Session, January 1st, 1927.

H. E. Rodgers
City Clerk

J. S. Weethee
Mayor.