

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, January 1st, 1927.

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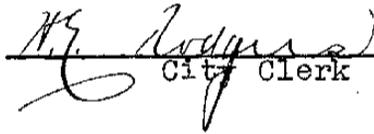
Special Appropriation Ordinance No. 436.

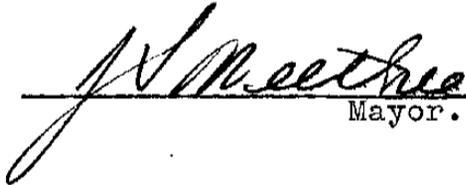
An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$52,246.50 was introduced and placed upon its first reading Read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed upon its second and final reading.

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.

This appropriation was made out of the Water and Light Department funds for Wyandotte County, Fairfax Dist Drainage 4/3/4 per cent bonds to yield 4½ per cent.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet in regular session, Wednesday, January 5th, 1927.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, January 5th, 1927.

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 January 1st read and approved.

Approval of Reports.

Monthly reports of the W & L. Dept., City Treasurer, City Clerk, Sexton Hope Cemetery, Sexton Highland Cemetery, Police Judge, and City Market were presented, inspected, and approved.

Ordinance No. 1403- Final Reading.  
Amending Traffic Ordinance No. 1379.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 1379 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, said ordinance number 1379 being an 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 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.

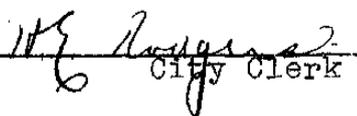
Appropriation Ordinance No. 437.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$22,506.29 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.

Appointment to Library Board.

Miss Frances Adler, and Mrs. Sam Hubbard, were named as members of the Library Board to succeed themselves, by Mayor Weethee and these appointments are hereby ratified and approved by the Governing Body.

On motion, the governing body adjourned to meet in regular session Wednesday, January 12th, 1927.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, January 12th, 1927.

The 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.

#### Return of Appraisalment.

The appraisers appointed for appraising the property liable for the payment of the cost of paving, Powhattan street from the alley between Cedar and Oak to the west line of Oak street, also from the east line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street,; North Oak street from Redjacket street to Wilson street; North Cherry street from Logan street to the north line of Powhattan street east of Cherry street; East Thirteenth street from Main street to Cedar street; and Beech street from Fifth to Sixth streets.

Protest filed- Pave No. Main street from First street to Tecumseh street.

A protest was filed, protesting the paving of Main street from First street to Tecumseh street.

#### Cancellation of Anti- Saloon League Note refused.

Rev. Zook appeared before the Board of Commissioners and asked that the note held by the city against the Anti- Saloon League, for \$175 be cancelled. This the Commissioners refused to do, on the advice of the city attorney.

#### Offer of purchase of city lots.

Inquiry was made relative to the sale of lots owned by the city on North Cherry street, near the reiver and also on lots on Pecan street.

It was decided to sell the lots on Pecan for \$25. the city reserving an easement for the maintenance of a drainage ditch across these two lots. Investigation is to be made relative to the value of the lots on No. Cherry and if it is found that the city has no further need for these lots, they will be offered for sale.

#### Increase of salaries.

Beginning January First, the following scale of wages and salaries will be effective:

Joe	from \$145. to \$150. per month.	
Ernest Bechtle	125. to \$135. do	
Honn	120. to 130. do	
Taggart	105. to 112.50 do	
Mealman	105. to 112.50 do	
Cooper.	105. to 112.50 do	
Smay	40¢ per hr. to 42½¢ per hour	
Burgoon		55¢ " "
Hollings		40¢
Elmer Bell	45¢	50¢
Elizabeth Bement	from \$110. per month to \$120. per month	
Frances Ferguson	\$ 80.	90.

Mary P. Finley	from \$ 30. per month to \$ 35. per month.
J. L. Sheldon	75. 90.
Jonathan Marshall	135. 150.
F. H. Bullock	112.50 125.
Angus Wheeler	105. 115.
H. E. Rodgers	135. 150.

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

H. E. Rodgers  
City Clerk

J. S. Weethee  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, January 19, 1927.

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.

Reports filed.

Annual report of the Treasurer of the Library Board was presented, approved, and filed. Semi-monthly report of the city market was presented, approved and filed.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 438.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$8460.51 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.

Review of Appraisement.

Friday at Ten O'clock A. M., January 28th was set as the time for reviewing appraisements on the properties liable for the payment of the costs of paving, Oak street, from Red Jacket to Wilson street; Powhattan street from Main street to Oak street; Cherry street, from Logan street to the north line of that part of Powhattan street running east of Cherry street; Thirteenth street from Main street to Cedar street; Beach street, from Fifth street to Sixth street;

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

H. E. Rodgers  
City Clerk

J. S. Weethee  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, January 26, 1927.

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.

Annual report filed

The annual report of the city clerk was presented, and approved and filed.

Resolution- West Seventh Street.

Whereas, the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas desires to co-operate with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin county, Kansas in the improvement of the highway commonly called west seventh street, and

Whereas, the city of Ottawa in Franklin County, Kansas is a city of the second class having a population of less than 65,000 inhabitants, and west seventh street is wholly within the city of Ottawa from main street to the west line of Beech street, and the north half of west seventh street from the west line of Beech street west a distance of 150 feet, is within the corporate limits of the city of Ottawa, the south half of said Seventh street from Beech street west being within the county and outside of the city of Ottawa, and,

Whereas, said West seventh street is improved and paved from main street to the west line of Beech street, and,

Whereas, the governing body of the city of Ottawa believes that it is now expedient, and a public necessity exists to improve said west seventh street from the existing pavement on said west seventh street westward as far as the west corporate limits of said city and thence westward on the country highway without the corporate limits of said city for a distance of five-eighth of a mile upon the road or highway connecting with such street.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, that said West Seventh street from the existing paving thereon at the west line of the intersection of Beech street and west seventh street be improved westward to the west corporate limits of said city and thence, on the country road or highway westward a distance of five-eighth of a mile from the west corporate limits of said city where the same intersects said west seventh street;

That said west seventh street 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 and within the following boundaries, to-wit:-

Commencing at the intersection of the north line of West Seventh Street with the west line of Beech street, thence north along the west line of Beech street 500 feet, thence 150 feet west to the west corporate limits of the city of Ottawa, thence south along the west corporate line of the city 500 feet to the north line of west seventh street, thence east 150 feet to place of beginning.

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

C. F. Wolf The East 150 feet of the following described tract-- Commencing 967 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet east and 30 feet north of the S. W. corner of the S. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 35, Township 16, Range 19, thence running north 100 feet, thence east 322 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet, thence south 100 feet, thence west 322 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet, being the south 100 feet of what has been heretofore known as Lot 10 of Baldwin and Taylor's addition to Ottawa, Kansas.

Christopher Beerman.

Commencing at a point 130 feet north and 1350 feet west of the S. E. corner of S. W. quarter of Section 35, Township 16, Range 19, thence North 127 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet, thence East 150 feet to place of beginning.

Anna E. Bearman;

Beginning at a point 75 feet South of the N. E. corner of Lot 10, Baldwin and Taylor's addition to the city of Ottawa, Kansas, thence going west parallel with the north boundary of said lot 10, 150 feet, thence south 100, thence east 150 feet, thence North along the west line of Beach street to point of starting.

Geo. L. Beeler.

Commencing at a point 1290 feet east and 537 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet north of the S. W. corner of the S. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 35, Township 16, Range 19, thence N. 75 feet to the N. E. corner of what was formerly known as lot 10 of Baldwin and Taylor's addition the city of Ottawa, Kansas, thence W. 150 feet, thence S. 75 feet, thence E. 150 ft. to place of beginning.

N. B. Beeler;

Commencing 432 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet N. and 1350 feet W. of the S. E. corner of S. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 35, Township 16, Range 19, thence North 75 feet; west 150 feet, S. 75 feet; thence E. 150 feet, being a tract of land 75 feet north and south by 150 feet east and west out of the S. E. corner of what is known as Lot 9, Baldwin and Taylor's addition to Ottawa, Kansas.

M. E. Honn

Commencing at a point 507 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet north and 1350 feet west of the S. E. corner of the S. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 35, Township 16, Range 19, thence N. 22 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet, thence W. 150 feet, thence S. 22 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet, thence east 150 feet to place of beginning, being what was formerly known as part of Lot 9 of Baldwin and Taylor's addition to the city of 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 certified copy of this the foregoing resolution be forth with 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 26th day of January 1927.

Scavanger Contract.

The Mayor and city clerk were instructed to enter into contract with Albert Peterson, covering Scavenger work in the city of Ottawa from March 1st, 1927 to March 1st, 1928 in accordance with the contract submitted to the Board of Commissioners.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

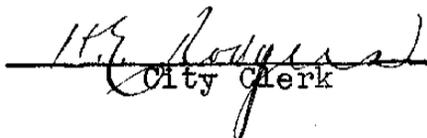
City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Jan 28th, 1927.

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

Review of Appraisement.

This being the date set for reviewing appraisments of property liable for the payment of the costs of paving Oak street from Red Jacket to Wilson street, Powhattan, from Main street to Oak street, Cherry street, from Logan street to that part of Powhattan street running east of Cherry street; Thirteenth street, from Main street to Cedar street; and Beach street from Fifth street to Sixth street, the commissioners reviewed all complaints made and adjustments were made in accordance with the appraisements as shown in the appraisement records

On motion the commissioners adjourned to meet in regular session Wednesday, February 1st.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, February 1st, 1927.

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.

Reports filed.

Reports of the city treasurer, city clerk, Water and Light Department, Sexton Hope Cemetery, Police Judge, Supplemental report of treasurer of Library Board, were all filed and approved.

Electricians Bond Filed.

Frank D. Cook filed his bond for electrician and it was found acceptable and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Appropriation Ordinance #439.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$ 74,165.<sup>9</sup> 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.

Final estimate- Paving.

Engineer in charge, C. A. Novak filed his final estimate of the cost of paving North Oak street from Logan to Wilson streets; and Powhattan street from Cedar to Oak streets and recommended that this work be accepted. ~~Final estimate was also filed on West Ninth street from Locust to Willow street.~~

It was decided to accept these estimates of final cost and the work as satisfactorily completed.

Bonds Purchased for W. & L. Reserve.

On authority from the Governing body, Finance commissioner Porter made arrangements with the Commerce Trust Company of Kansas City, Mo. for the purchase of \$20,000. Goodland, Kansas  $4\frac{1}{2}$  per cent School Building Bonds to net 4.30. These Bonds were purchased for the Water and Light Department Reserve Account.

Petition to Vacate Hackberry Street.

A petition to vacate Hackberry street in Ottawa,, a street running from Second street southward about 320 feet and located about 200 feet west of Ash street, was filed by property owners owning land adjoining this street. This petition was taken under advisement.

Contract filed. - Ottawa Boy's Band

The contract between the city of Ottawa and the Ottawa Boy's Band, having been properly signed by Harold J. Lamb, Manager of the band and by the city Commissioners is hereby accepted by the governing body and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Sale of Lot Authorized.

The Mayor and city clerk are hereby instructed to execute and deliver to Fred R. Nuzman on his payment of \$1000., a quit claim deed conveying all of Lot 26, in Block 46 of the Original Townsite in Ottawa, Kansas.

Resolution to Audit Books.

On motion, the following resolution was passed by the governing body.

Resolved that it is necessary to have a general audit, analysis and report of all financial transactions and records of the city of Ottawa, Kansas for the period of May 1st, 1926 to May First, 1927 inclusive. Such work is to be started on or about April 25th, 1927. The audit is to be made by the expert municipal auditors of the Accounting Department of the League of Kansas Municipalities, and is to be paid for upon completion of the audit and the receipt of two signed, typewritten copies of the auditors' report, and upon the same basis of the contract for their last audit.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet in Special session, February 7th, 1927.

H. E. Rogers  
City Clerk

J. S. Weethee  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, February 7th, 1927.

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

Special Appropriation Ordinance No., 440

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$2152.36 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 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 session at a later date.

H. E. Rogers  
City Clerk.

J. S. Weethee  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, February 9, 1927.

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

Ordinance Number 1404.- Dog License.

An Ordinance regulating the keeping of dogs in the city of Ottawa, Kansas requiring and providing for the registration of dogs kept in said city, fixing fees therefor, requiring a check or tag to be kept on the neck of registered dogs, prohibiting the running at large of dogs without a check or tag, providing for the killing unregistered or untagged dogs and repealing ordinances No. 228-1005-1123 and 1337 of said city, 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.

Ordinance Number 1405 Assessment.  
Paving Powhattan- Cedar to Oak.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Cedar street to the west line of Oak street by grading, paving curbing and gutterin the same, 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.

Ordinance Number 1406- Assessment.  
Paving North Oak street  
Red Jacket to Wilson street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving North Oak street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Red Jacket street to the south line of Wilson street by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same 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.

Ordinance number 1407- Assessment  
Paving North Oak street  
Logan street to RedJacket street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving North Oak street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the North line of Logan street to the north line of Red Jacket street by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same 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.

#### Notice of Assessment.

In accordance with the preceding assessment Ordinances, and acting upon instructions from the Governing body, notices of the cost assessed to each individual tract or lot of ground for paving North Oak street from Logan street to Wilson street and for Powhattan street from Cedar street to Oak street were mailed to the various property owners of record.

#### Adjustment of paving and sewer tax letter filed.

A letter, requesting a readjustment of the division of tax, for paving and sewers, on Lot 1 in block 19, University Addition No. 2 was filed by the interested owners. This requested that  $\frac{2}{8}$ ths of the tax be apportioned to the east 65 feet, and  $\frac{3}{8}$ ths each to the west 100 feet of lot 1 and to the East 100 feet of the west 200 feet. Acting in harmony with this request the division has been made as requested.

#### Sale of Lots authorized.

The governing body instructed the mayor and city clerk to execute and deliver to F. E. Wilson a quitclaim deed conveying to him all of lots 35 and A. C. D. E. F. G. and H. in Block 13 for a consideration of \$200.

#### Resolution to Pave.

King Street from the South Line of Powhattan street to Wilson street.

Whereas, North King street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the south line of Powhattan street to Wilson street in said city 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 North King street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Powhattan street to Wilson street in said city 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 February 9th, 1927.

#### East Thirteenth Street Paving.

A. L. Cook and C. S. Igel, owning the lots on the south side of Thirteenth street from Main street to Cedar street protested against extending the assessments 585 feet south of the south line of Thirteenth street for the payment of the Thirteenth street pavement, claiming that assessments should extend only 300 feet or a distance equal to the distance assessed on the North side of Thirteenth. Through the advice of the city

Attorney, the governing body decided that there being no street between Thirteenth street and Fifteenth street, that assessments should be levied on the several tracts and lots half way to Fifteenth street or 585 feet and Messrs. Cook and Igle agreed to accept this decision.

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

H. G. Rogers  
City Clerk

J. S. Meethes  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, February 16, 1927.

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

The minutes of the regular meeting of February 1st and of Special meetings of February 7th and regular meeting of February 9th were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance. No. 441.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$15,733.72 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.

Market report approved.

W. G. Lambert presented his report of city market operations for the first half of February. This report was inspected and approved and ordered filed.

Report- City Planning Commission.

F. M. Harris as chairman of the city planning com. filed a tentative report of the work of the commission. He requested that the governing body fix a time and place for holding a public hearing upon this report and that due notice to the public be given.

After due inspection, the governing body accepted this report.

Order for Public Hearing.  
City Planning Commission.

The Governing Body having considered the tentative report of the City Planning Commission, it is ordered that such planning commission hold a public hearing thereon on the 28th day of February, 1927 at the Police Court Room in the City Hall in the city of Ottawa, Franklin County, Kansas and to give notice thereof, in the Ottawa Herald and that such hearing may be continued from time to time if and as required.

Copy of notice.

Notice:

Notice is hereby given that the city planning commission of the city of Ottawa, Kansas has made and filed with the clerk of said city, its tentative report recommending the boundaries of the districts within said city and approving regulations to be enforced therein as provided by the laws of the state of Kansas: and that a public hearing, before said City planning Commission, will be had upon such tentative report at the Police Court Room in the city Hall in the City of Ottawa, Franklin

County, Kansas upon the 28th day of February 1927 at 7:30 O'clock P. M. of such day and that such hearing will be continued from time to time if and as required without further notice.

Dated February 17, 1927.

City Planning Commission

By F. M. Harris  
Chairman

Arthur Willis  
Sec.

Agreement with Santa Fe Railroad  
relative to Right of Way for Electric Transmission line.

It being desirable for the city to run its electric transmission line across property owned by the Atchison, Topeka, and Santa Fe Railway Company, request was made of and granted by them for the location of an electric transmission line consisting of poles and 12, three phase, sixty cycle wired, carrying 2500 volts across the property of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, entering said property at a point 207 feet easterly of measured at right angles to the center line of main track of said Railway Company at mile Post 58 plus 275 feet; thence northerly 560 feet to a point 217 feet easterly of measured at right angles to said center line at mile post 57 plus 4995 feet where said transmission line leaves the property of said Railway Company, there being 560 feet of transmission line and 5 poles on the Railway Company's property. Clearance over top of rail 28 feet.

Contracts being prepared and executed in duplicate by their officials, the governing body hereby authorizes and instructs the Mayor to sign these contracts in duplicate for the city and to return a copy to the company.

Claim Filed.

John Thoroman filed a claim for \$38. doctor bill, \$20. per week for nine weeks loss from work, and \$12. taxi bills for returning to and from work while still lame from the injury or a total of \$230. through an injury claimed by him to have been caused from being thrown from his wagon due to the stop signal in the alley at the south side of Third street between Main street and Walnut street. This claim was filed for further consideration.

Resolution- Pave Main Street.  
Twelfth to Fifth street.

Be it resolved by the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas that it is necessary to improve Main street, Ottawa, Kansas, from the south line of Twelfth street to the south line of Fifth street, by guttering, re-guttering, curbing, re-curbing, where necessary, and by repaving the same, using the present brick on such street as far as possible, with asphalt filler, using present base where adequate and using new brick where necessary.

The above resolution was passed by the city Commissioners of the city of Ottawa on this 16 th day of February 1927.

Resolution- Pave Main street.

Fifth street to Tecumseh street.

Be it resolved by the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas that it is necessary to improve main street, Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Fifth street to the north line of Tecumseh street, by paving, re-paving, curbing, re-curbing,

guttering, re-guttering and by re-grading the same.

The above resolution was passed by the city commissioners of the city of Ottawa on this 16th day of February 1927

Appointment of Judges and Clerks of Election.

The following were appointed to serve as judges and clerks for the Primary Election, March 8th, 1927.

First Precinct.

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| <p>Judges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* -W. J. Welch</li> <li>-Hattie W. Porter</li> <li><del>Will Bacon</del> <i>Mrs. Jas. Soulon</i></li> </ul> | <p>Clerks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Mrs. Walter Rodgers</li> <li>-Mrs. Nora Saxon</li> </ul> |
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Second Precinct.

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| <p>Judges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>W.S.</i></li> <li>✓ Will Miller</li> <li>* -J. F. Stokes</li> <li><del>Mrs. Mollie Leese</del></li> <li><i>Mrs. Mah. Gapp</i></li> </ul> | <p>Clerks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Mrs. Harley Gover</li> <li>-Mrs. Rosa Winkler</li> </ul> |
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Third Precinct

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| <p>Judges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* C. E. Peck</li> <li><del>D. H. Mc Cullough</del></li> <li>-Mrs. O. W. Newhouse</li> </ul> | <p>Clerks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Mrs. Margaret Branaman</li> <li>-Maud Ross</li> </ul> |
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Fourth Precinct

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| <p>Judges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* -J. M. McWharf</li> <li>-E. W. Smay</li> <li>-Mrs. K. M. Bucklin</li> </ul> | <p>Clerks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-C. W. Murphy</li> <li>-Mrs. W. O. Myers</li> </ul> |
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Fifth Precinct

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| <p>Judges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* -A. B. Cartzdafner</li> <li><del>C. F. Grain</del> <i>Mrs. Verta Crabb</i></li> <li><del>Mrs. Geo. Weinheimer</del> <i>W. E. Hunt</i></li> </ul> | <p>Clerks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Mrs. Ida Booze</li> <li>-Mary Stiles</li> </ul> |
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Sixth Precinct

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| <p>Judges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* -H. B. F. Keller</li> <li>-Mrs. J. G. Ames</li> <li>-Mrs. Aldyth K. Chase</li> </ul> | <p>Clerks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Mrs. Onie C. Stearns</li> <li>-Mrs. Clarence Moody</li> </ul> |
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Seventh Precinct

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| <p>Judges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* -Edward S. Curby</li> <li>-J. O. Flaherty</li> <li>-Mrs. Roy Fisher</li> </ul> | <p>Clerks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Mrs. W. G. Anderson</i></li> <li><del>Miss Genevieve Shubert</del></li> <li><del>Miss Frances Adler</del></li> <li><i>Mrs. G. F. Downing</i></li> </ul> |
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Eighth Precinct.

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| <p>Judges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-W. H. Wharton</li> <li>* -H. B. Paremora</li> <li>-J. W. Santee</li> </ul> | <p>Clerks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Mrs. J. W. McCracken</li> <li>-Mrs. F. L. Bingaman</li> </ul> |
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Ninth Precinct

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| <p>Judges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Mrs. Harry Latimer</i></li> <li><del>Fred Hess</del></li> <li>* -B. L. Rhinhardt</li> <li>-Mrs. Chas. Cook</li> </ul> | <p>Clerks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Mrs. J. L. Turner</li> <li>-Mrs. Fred A. Bougher</li> </ul> |
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Purchase of Pipe Ordered.

City Engineer, W. O. Myers was authorized to enter an order with the National Cast Iron Company for 10 inch water pipe for building an additional flow line from the river pumping plant to the main plant, their bid being the lowest bid submitted.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet in session at a later date

*W. J. Rogers*  
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 City Clerk.

*J. S. Weather*  
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 Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, February 23, 1927.

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.

Final Estimate- Street Paving.  
West Ninth- East Thirteenth.

Engineer in charge, C. A. Novak presented his final estimate of the cost of paving West Ninth street from Locust street to Willow street and East Thirteenth street from Main to Cedar streets and recommended that this work be accepted.

Acting on the recommendation of Engineer Novak, the commissioners accepted the final estimate as presented.

Ordinance No. 1408.  
Assessment- Paving- Ninth Street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Ninth street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the West end of the pavement at the intersection of Ninth and Locust streets in said city, westward to the pavement at Third Avenue, commonly called Willow street in said city, by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same, 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.

Ordinance No. 1409.  
Assessment- Paving- East Thirteenth St.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving East Thirteenth street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Main street to the west line of Cedar street, by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same 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.

Ordinance No. 1410.  
Providing for Publication of Ordinances.

An Ordinance authorizing and providing for the publication in book form of the revised and compiled 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 vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1411.  
Providing for term of and salaries of certain  
city offices.

An Ordinance providing for the appointment of certain city officers and fixing the time and salary thereof and repealing Ordinance No. 1341 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.

Ordinance No. 1412.  
Amending Ordinance No. 1404- Dogs.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance number 1404, which regulates the keeping of dogs in the city of Ottawa, Kansas and provided for registration and checking same, and repealing sections one and two of said Ordinance 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 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.

#### Election Proclamation.

In accordance with the Primary Election laws, the Mayor was instructed to issue a Proclamation of Election for the Primary Election to be held Tuesday, March 8th, 1927.

Report Filed.  
Trustees of Memorial Auditorium.

Annual report of the Trustees of the Memorial Auditorium was presented, inspected, approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

#### Thoroman Claim Disallowed.

The claim of John Thoroman for \$230 damages on account of injuries received by being thrown from his wagon on running over the stop signal in the alley south of Third street between Main street and Walnut street after being duly considered was disallowed by the Commissioners, they deeming the sign as a guide to traffic and not an alley obstruction.

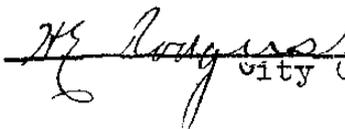
#### Sale of Old Main Street Bridge.

Friday, March 4th at 10 O'clock A. M. was set as the date for receiving sealed bids for the sale of the old Main street Bridge.

#### Street Lights Ordered.

Street lights were ordered at the alley intersection at the back of the Memorial Auditorium and also on East Wilson street near the home of Mrs. Hattie Deming.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, March 2, 1927.

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.

#### Sale of Main Street Bridge Postponed.

The proposed sale of the old Main street bridge, by sealed bids was postponed from Friday, March 4th at 10 A. M. to Monday March 7th at 10:30 A. M. to allow more time to advertise the bridge for sale.

#### Resignation- H. C. Thomas- Asst. Fire Chief.

H. C. Thomas presented his resignation as Assistant Fire Chief effective March 1st. The Governing body accepted this resignation to become effective as of March First.

#### Reports filed

Monthly reports of Police Judge, City Clerk, City Treas, W. & L. Dept, Sexton Hope Cemetery, and semi monthly report of city market were presented, duly inspected and approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

#### Appropriation Ordinance # 442.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$15455.35 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 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.

#### Temporary Permit Granted for Boxing Match as Elks Hall

A temporary permit was issued for a boxing match at Elks hall March Third, 1927.

#### Agreement for Electric Service.

The Mayor were instructed to enter into a written contract with B. D. Bennett for "Off- Peak Electric Service" in accordance with Section 8 of Ordinance No. 1163 in accordance with terms as agreed upon.

The Governing body adjourned to meet in Special session March 4 th at 10 A. M. for opening the bids for the sale of the Old Main street bridge.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, March 4th, 1927.

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

Bids Opened for sale of Old Main Street Bridge.

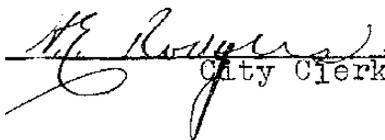
This being the day and date set for receiving bids for the sale of the Old Main street Bridge, sealed bids were presented by John Nelson and Son, Williamson Cash Coal and Junk Company and Kansas Iron and Metal Company.

Their bids were as follows:

John Nelson and Son	\$ 400.00
Williamson C. C. & J. Co.	210.00
Kansas Iron & Metal Co.	321.00

John Nelson and Son's bid being the largest, the bridge was sold to them and their check for \$400. was received and credited to the bridge account. They were given 60 days in which to move the bridge from its present storage on the city market lots.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, March 9th, 1927.

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.

#### Canvas of Primary Election.

According to law, the city clerk canvassed the returns of the Primary Election and reports as follows:

##### For Commissioner of Finance and Revenue:

Ruel W. Mitchell	545 votes
A. H. Slater	424 votes
E. F. Shinn	367 votes
Inez A. Clark	117 votes

##### For Member of Board of Education:

Dr. W. L. Jacobus	1013 votes
Albert C. Carpenter	952 votes
Benjamin F. Bowers	927 votes

##### For Treasurer of Board of Education

F. C. Herr	987 votes
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According to law the following names will appear on the Official Municipal Election Ballot, April 5, 1927.

##### For Commissioner of Finance and Revenue:

Ruel W. Mitchell  
A. H. Slater

##### For Member of Board of Education

Dr. W. L. Jacobus, Albert C. Carpenter, Benjamin F. Bowers

##### For Treasurer of Board of Education:

F. C. Herr.

#### Ordinance No. 1413- Sewer Lateral #90.

An Ordinance creating Lateral Sewer Dist No. 90, providing for the construction of a Lateral Sewer therein 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 vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

#### New Wage scale- W & L. Dept.

Effective as of March 1st, the following scale of wages has been adopted:

W. O. Myers, Supt. \$200 to \$225. per month		Per Hr.	Per hr.
John Martin	from	75c	to 80¢
Wm. Martin		65	70
J. Shepherd		72½	77½
W. M. Morris		60	65
C. A. Bolton		60	65
Tom Crawford		45	50

Max Johnson from per hr. 40¢ tp per hr. 45¢

Ordinance- First Reading.  
Sewer Lateral No. 93.

An Ordinance creating Lateral Sewer District No. 93, providing for the construction of a Lateral Sewer therein 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.

Protest- Paving  
Main- Fifth to Twelfth Sts.

A remonstrance was filed, protesting the paving and resurfacing of Main street from Fifth Street to Twelfth street. This remonstrance is to be given to the city attorney to check up.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, March 16th, 1927.

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

Petition to Pave.  
So. Hickory- Seventh to Ninth.

A petition to pave south Hickory street from the South line of seventh street to the North line of Ninth street was presented and given to the City Attorney to check up.

Protest Pave Main St.  
Fifth to Tecumseh.

A protest against paving Main street from Fifth street to Tecumseh street was filed and given to the city attorney to check up and report his findings to the governing body.

Ordinance No. 1414-  
Creating Sewer Lateral No. 93.

An Ordinance creating Lateral Sewer District No. 93 providing for the construction of a Lateral Sewer therein and providing for the payment of the costs thereof 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.

Protest- Pave North King Street.  
Insufficient.

After carefully checking over the protest filed against paving North King Street from Powhattan street to Wilson street, the city attorney reported it as insufficient to

defeat paving the street and the city attorney is hereby instructed to draw an ordinance providing for paving this street.

Ordinance No. 1415.

Pave- No. King Street- Powhattan to Wilson streets.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of North King Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Powhattan street to Wilson street 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 readings. 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.

Resolution to pave-  
South Hickory- Seventh to Ninth Streets.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted by the governing body:

Whereas, South Hickory street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the south line of Seventh street to the North line of Ninth street in said city 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 South Hickory street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Seventh street to the North line of Ninth street in said city be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving 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, March 16th, 1927.

Resolution to pave.  
North Locust Street.

Whereas, North Locust street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, is unimproved from Tecumseh street to Wilson street and the Governing Body of said city deems it necessary to improve such portion of said Locust 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 Locust street street from the North line of Tecumseh street to the south line of Wilson street be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering; 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 improvement shall be assessed to the lots, or tracts of ground upon each side of said street for the distance improved in the manner provided by the laws of the State of Kansas, except that part of the cost that may be charged by law to the city at large.

Adopted by the Governing Body, March 16, 1927.

Permit granted Elks to  
hold a series of Boxing Matches

Through their officers, Ottawa Lodge No. 803 B. P. O. Elks made application for a permit to conduct Boxing exhibitions in the city of Ottawa.

There having been presented no objections, and after due consideration, the Commission decided to grant this permit to run concurrent with their present permit from the state. These bouts or exhibitions are not given for profit, but the net proceeds are a contribution to charity by the Elks Lodge.

Agreement-

In re. Exchange of ground adjoining Hope Cemetery.

Agreement was entered into between the City Commissioners and Charles A. Kelley for the exchange of ground on the west side of Hope Cemetery by which the city is to receive 40 feet off of the East side of Kelley's land adjoining Hope Cemetery and the city is to convey to Kelley that part of the present west side of Hope Cemetery which lies west of the the 40 foot line produced and said city is to build a fence of similar type to the fence on the East side of the Cemetery, allowing Mr. Kelley to attach to this fence a fine mesh wire at the bottom to turn chickens and in addition to the above considerations the city is to Pay Mr. Kelley \$150.

Deeds for these exchanges are to be made after R. F. Mason has surveyed and established the new line and the descriptions of the tracts to be conveyed are secured.

Instructions to Supt. W. O. Myers

In re- reply to letter of Ross Mlg. Co.

In their letter of March 12th, the Ross Milling Company asked if the city would permit a power company to furnish competitive power in Ottawa. After giving this question due consideration the Governing Body unanimously concurred in the following decision:

That Ottawa is now being adequately served with Electrical service both for light and for power; that Ottawa's rate compares very favorable with the rates of Private Power companies for Electric power service and that no power company may extend its lines within the city limits of Ottawa, Kansas for the purpose of extending competitive Electric current; and that W. O. Myers Superintendent of the Water and Light Department is hereby instructed to inform the Ross Milling Company to this effect.

Protest to pave Main street  
Fifth to Tecumseh- Sufficient.

The city Attorney checked the Remonstrance to pave Main street from Tecumseh to Fifth street and find that it is sufficient to defeat paving and repairing this street at this time.

Appointment of Clerks and Judges  
for City Election- April 5th.

First Precinct.

Judges	Clerks
* W. J. Welch ✓	Mrs. Walter Rodgers ✓
Hattie W. Porter ✓	Mrs. Nora Saxon ✓
Mrs. Jas Donlon ✓	

Second Precinct

* J. F. Stokes ✓	Mrs. Harley Gover ✓
W. S. Miller ✓	Mrs. Rosa Winkler ✓
Mrs. Mae Capps ✓	

Third Precinct

* C. E. Peck ✓	Mrs Margaret Branaman ✓
D. H. Mc Cullough ✓	Maud Ross ✓
Mrs. O. W. Newhouse ✓	

Fourth Precinct

* J. M. Mc Wharf ✓	C. W. Murphy ✓
E. W. Smay ✓	Mrs. Bertha E. Myers ✓
Mrs. K. M. Bucklin ✓	

Fifth Precinct

* A. B. Cartzdafner ✓	Mrs Ida Booze ✓
Mrs. Vertus Crofts ✓	Miss Mary Stiles ✓
D. E. Hunt ✓	

Sixth Precinct

* H. B. F. Keller ✓	Mrs. Onie C. Stearns ✓
Mrs. J. G. Ames ✓	Mrs. Mrs. Clarence Moody ✓
Mrs. Aldyth K. Chase ✓	

Seventh Precinct

* Edward S. Curby ✓	Mrs. W. A. Anderson ✓
J. O. Flaherty ✓ <i>Mrs. E. E. Lloyd</i>	Mrs. C. F. Downing ✓
Mrs. Roy Fisher ✓	

Eighth Precinct

* H. B. Paremore ✓	Mrs. J. W. McCracken ✓
W. H. Wharton ✓	Mrs. F. L. Bingaman ✓
J. W. Santee ✓	

Ninth Precinct

* Mr. B. L. Rhinhardt ✓	Mrs. J. L. Turner ✓
Mrs. Harry Latimer ✓	Mrs. Fred A. Bougher ✓
Mrs. Chas. Cook ✓	

\* Designated to get ballots and supplies.

Appropriation Ordinance No 443

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$5912.72 was introduced and put 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.

Appointment of Assistant Fire Chief.  
also Fire Driver.

Harry Gilliland was appointed Assistant Fire Chief, to fill the vacancy created through the resignation of Harry. C. Thomas His salary is to be \$115.00 beginning March 1st.

Earl P. Gates is appointed Driver to fill the place of Harry Gilliland. His salary will be \$100. per month beginning March First.

On motion, the Governing Body adjourned to meet at a later date.

*E. C. Rogers*  
City Clerk

*J. S. Weethee*  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, March 23, 1927.

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.

Sewer Contract Authorized-  
Sewer Lateral No. 90.

The following bids were received for the construction of Lateral Sewer in Lateral sewer district No. 90.

Wightman and Seevers	\$319.	with extra for rock	\$2.50
Vick's Plumbing shop	300.	\$3.00 and	8.00
Elder Mer. Co.	260.	2.50	8.00
E. W. Bunyan	238.00	Fill 75¢	cu yd.
C. W. Barnett	365.	2.50 and	5.00
Engineer's Estimate	327.75	Fill 75¢	Cu. yd.

It was decided to award this contract to E. W. Bunyan, as his bid was lower than the other bids, and below the engineer's estimate. The fill is to be made by the city.

The Mayor and city clerk are hereby instructed to enter into contract with E. W. Bunyan in accordance with his bid and the specification submitted.

Sewer Contract filed.

Contract was entered into with E. W. Bunyan for constructing sewer lateral No. 90 and this contract is hereby approved and the bond submitted covering this work is also approved.

Electricians Bond- Charley Moore.

Charley Moore presented his bond from the Detroit Fidelity and Surety Company for Electrician and this bond is hereby approved and the city clerk is ordered to file it away.

Agreement - Division of Paving Tax.  
Byard- Booze.

A written request from Fred Byard and R. D. Booze, owners

of Lots 3 and 4 in DeValleys Subdivision of Block "E" of Southside Addition for a division of their paving tax in the following manner was filed:

South half of Lot 4 to take  $\frac{8}{15}$  of entire tax on Lot 4  
 North half of Lot 4 to take  $\frac{7}{15}$  of entire tax on Lot 4  
 South half of Lot 3 to take  $\frac{1}{2}$  of entire tax on Lot 3  
 North half of Lot 3 to take  $\frac{1}{2}$  of entire tax on Lot 3

The city clerk is instructed to make the division as per the request.

Petition to Pave Park Street.

Geo. W. Davis filed a petition with one name for the paving of Park street from Hickory to Main. This petition was filed for future consideration.

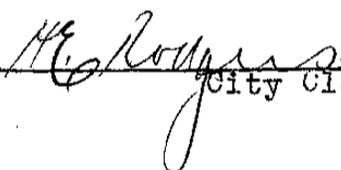
Contract with Gas Co. for gas for  
 W. & L. Dept.

The mayor and city clerk were instructed to enter into contract with the Ottawa Gas & Electric Co. for gas to be used at the Water and Light plant.

Ordinance- First Reading.  
 Bonds for 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 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 session at a later date.

  
 City Clerk

  
 Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, March 30, 1927.

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 # 1416- Bond.

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 put upon its second 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.

Transfer of W & L. Extension fund  
to W. & L. Account.

There being no further need of a Water and Light Extension fund, and the account in reality being a part of the Water and Light account, the city clerk is instructed to make claim on this account for the balance, transferring said balance to the Water and Light account.

Agreement with O. L. Taylor.

An agreement was made between the Governing Body and Mr. O. L. Taylor relative to damages claimed by Mr. Taylor on account of the construction of the new Main street bridge.

Mr. Taylor agreed to accept \$100. in full settlement of any claim to damages. The commissioners had previously agreed to pay Mr. Taylor the amount of the engineers estimate of the cost saved in the construction of a retaining wall by using the wall, constructed by Mr. Taylor as a foundation for a building, as part of the retaining wall. This amount was \$204. The city constructed sidewalks for Mr. Taylor, the cost of which is \$91.44. This amount deducted from the \$204. is \$112.56 and Mr. Taylor accepts the \$100. in full settlement of this and all bridge damage claims.

Protest Paving No. King- Sufficient.

A recheck of the protest against paving North King street was made and this protest was found sufficient on account of the decision that the supreme court ruling seemed to be adverse to the former decision that it was possible to assess the tracts half way to Locust street. to pay the cost of paving King street.

Engineer instructed to make specifications  
In re- approaches and sidewalk- Main st. Bridge.

The city engineer was instructed to make specifications for the construction of the approaches and also the sidewalks leading up to the New Main street Bridge.

## Zoning Ordinance

An Ordinance dividing the city of Ottawa into zones or districts for the purpose of regulating and restricting the location of trades, industries and commercial enterprises, and the location, erection, alteration and repair of buildings and other structures designed for specified uses; and regulating the area of the front, rear, and side yards and other open spaces about buildings, limiting height of buildings and other structures hereafter constructed, limiting the density of population, prescribing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance and repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith was introduced and put upon its first reading and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

## Fire Limits Ordinance- First Reading.

An Ordinance relating to fire limits in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, amending Sections 1 and 2 of Ordinance number 1153 and repealing original sections 1 and 2 of Ordinance number 1153 was introduced and placed upon its first reading and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

## Building Permit- Ordinance First Reading.

An Ordinance requiring Building Permits and providing penalty for the violation 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.

Building Inspector- Ordinance  
First Reading.

An Ordinance creating the office of a Building Inspector was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time, and according to rules the ordinance was laid over until its second and final reading.

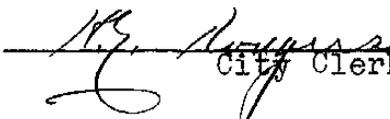
Ordinance- First Reading.  
Fixing Rates- Water Service.

An Ordinance fixing rates for water service furnished by the Water and Light Department of the city of Ottawa, Kansas; providing rules and regulations for the management thereof and repealing Ordinances #140,259,655,752,799, 1009, and 1238 was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- First Reading.  
Fixing rates for Electric service.

An Ordinance fixing rates for electric service furnished by the Water and Light Department of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, providing rules and regulations for the management thereof and repealing Ordinances number 1163 and 1266 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 session at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 6, 1927.

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.

Appropriation Ordinance.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$45,039.19 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 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.

Approval of Monthly reports.

Monthly reports of City Clerk, City Treasurer, W. & L. Dept. Police Judge, Sexton Hope Cemetery, Sexton Highland Cemetery, and semi, monthly report of City market were presented, approved and filed with the city clerk.

Depository Bonds Approved.

Bonds filed by the Peoples National Bank, First National Bank, State Bank of Ottawa, Kansas State Bank, and Security State Bank, securing city funds on deposit therein were approved and the city clerk instructed to file them.

On motion the Governing Body adjourned to meet in adjourned session Thursday April 6th

  
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City Clerk

  
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Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas April 7th, 1927.

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

Ordinance No. 1417- Zoning.

An Ordinance dividing the city of Ottawa into zones or districts for the purpose of regulating and restricting the location of trades, industries, and commercial enterprises, and the location, erection, alteration and repair of buildings and other structures designed for specified uses, and regulating the area of the front, rear, and side yards and other open spaces about buildings, limiting height of buildings and other structures hereafter constructed, limiting the density of population, prescribing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance and repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith was put upon its second 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.

Ordinance No. 1418- In Re. Fire limits.

An Ordinance relating to fire limits in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, amending Sections 1 and 2 of Ordinance Number 1153 and repealing original sections 1 and 2 of Ordinance number 1153, 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.

Ordinance No. 1419- Building Permits

An Ordinance requiring Building Permits and providing penalty for the 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, three, Nays, none.

Ordinance No. 1420- Building Inspector.

An Ordinance creating the office of a Building Inspector was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final reading. 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. 1421- Rates  
Water Service.

An Ordinance fixing rates for water service furnished by the Water and Light Department of the City of Ottawa, Kansas; providing rules and regulations for the management thereof and repealing Ordinances No. 140, 259, 655, 752, 799, 1009, and 1238 was put upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final reading. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being

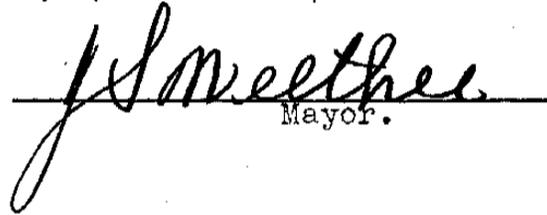
unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1422- Final Reading.  
Fixing Electric rates

An Ordinance fixing rates for electric service furnished by the Water and Light Department of the city of Ottawa, Kansas providing rules and regulations for the management thereof and repealing Ordinances No. 1163 and 1266 was put upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final reading. 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 adjourned session, Friday April 8th,

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 8, 1927.

The City Governing Body met in adjourned session for the purpose of canvassing the votes cast at the Municipal Election held April 5th, 1927 and for the transaction of any other business that might come up at that time, with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Porter and Johnson present.

Official Canvass of Votes

Official canvass of all votes cast at the Municipal election held April 5th showed the following results:

For Commissioner of Finance and Revenue.

Ruel W. Mitchell received 1237 votes  
A. H. Slater received 865 votes

Ruel W. Mitchell having received the majority of all votes cast was declared electer Commissioner of Finance for the new term.

For Member of Board of Education.

Benjamin F. Bowers received 1422 votes  
Albert C. Carpenter " 1439 "  
W. L. Jacobus " 1516 "

This election being for three new members and there being no opposition the three named above were declared elected.

For Treasurer of Board of Education.

F. C. Herr received 1405 votes.

F. C. Herr having received 1405 votes and there being no other candidate, he was declared elected.

Void and blank ballots cast 18  
Total number voting 2156  
Total registration according to the city clerks count 3173

Contract to Furnish and Install Fixtures  
in the Toilet Rooms- Forest Park.

The following bids were received to Furnish and Install Toilet fixtures in the Toilets at Forest Park.

Morrison and Jackson, Fixtures and Equipment, their specification	\$1399.75
Elder Mercantile Company do	\$1550.
Vicks Plumbing Shop	\$1467.04
R E. White	\$1519.55

( See their proposals on file for their specification of fixtures and material, which they propose to install also for with or without Steel Veneer Partitions )

The Engineer's estimate is \$1275., which does not include the steel partitions.

After giving these various bids careful consideration, it was decided to award the contract to the Elder Mercantile Company as their bid, with the steel partition deducted was \$1270. which is below the estimate of the Engineer and, considering the quality of the fixtures that they propose to install, the lowest bid submitted.

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

*H. E. Rogers*  
City Clerk

*J. W. Matthews*  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 13, 1927.

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 meetings of April 7th and 8th read and approved.

Electricians Bond.- Vermillion.

Raymond S. Vermillion filed a Fidelity and Deposit Company Bond covering his work as an electrician in the city of Ottawa for the year beginning April 7th. This Bond is approved and the city clerk is ordered to file it.

Extension of Scavenger Bond.

A letter from the Carey M. and Chas T. Porter Insurance agcy states that they have renewed the A. A. Peterson Bond as City Scavenger.

Agreement for Hope Cemetery Fence.

An Order was entered with the Warner Steel Products Co. for a fence to be erected along the west boundary of Hope Cemetery. This fence to be built in accordance with specifications and samples of material on file.

Final Estimate- Storm sewer- Powhattan.

Engineer in Charge Novak filed his final estimate of the cost of constructing the storm sewer in Powhattan street in connection with the paving of that street.

On Motion, the Governing Body adjourned to meet in session at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 14, 1927.

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

**Final Estimate- Sewer Lateral #90.**

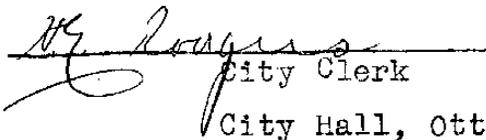
Engineer in charge Novak presented his final estimate of the cost of constructing Lateral Sewer in Lateral Sewer Dist #90. He recommended that this work be accepted as satisfactorily completed. On his recommendation the work was accepted.

**Special Appropriation Ordinance**

#1115

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$238. was introduced and put 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 put upon its final reading. 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, April 15, 1927.

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

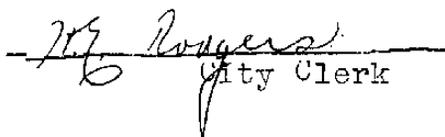
**Bond Filed- Finance Commr. Elect.-Mitchell**

R. W. Mitchell presented a Detroit Fidelity and Surety Company Bond in the amount of \$5000. duly approved by the Judge of the District Court covering his term as Commissioner of Finance and Revenue for the three year term beginning April 15, 1927. This bond is hereby approved by the Governing Body.

**Oath of Office- R. W. Mitchell  
Commissioner of Finance and Revenue.**

The Oath of office was administered to R. W. Mitchell as Commissioner of Finance and Revenue, by H. E. Rodgers, City Clerk and he entered upon his duties at once.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 21, 1927.

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

The minutes of of the Regular meeting of April 13th and of Special meetings of April 14th and April 15th were read and approved.

#### Awnings Ordered

An agreement was made with R. G. Burk for the construction and installation of eleven new awnings for the city Hall. Bids were submitted by R. G. Burk and by H. W. Shubert and after due consideration, the order was given to Mr. Burk, his bid being considered lower, considering the material used and the construction of the awnings.

#### Proposition of K. C. Power and Light Co. In re Electric Current.

The Kansas City Power and Light Company submitted a proposition for furnishing the city Electric Current through a transmission line for any current needed beyond the capacity of our present plant. This proposition was submitted at this time because of the fact that the city is now considering the enlargement of the plant by the addition of new equipment to take care of the natural growth of the plant and anticipated future needs.

W. O. Myers, W. & L. Supt. is authorized and instructed to refer this proposition to Prof. Shaad for analization and recommendation.

#### Ap ropriation Ordinance No. 446

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$10798.99 was introduced and put upon its first reading Read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended and the Ordinance put 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.

#### Attorney's report on Remonstrance Pave- South Hickory- Seventh to Ninth.

The Attorney reports the Remonstrance filed against paving South Hickory Street from Seventh street to Ninth street as insufficient.

#### Petition Filed- In re Paving South Hickory street.

A petition presented by G. H. Crain, Geo. Mc Curdy and Chas Jacobus asking the Governing Body to defer paving south Hickory until one year from this Spring, agreeing that if this paving is deferred a year that they will not protest the paving at that time, was filed.

This proposition was taken under consideration by the commission.

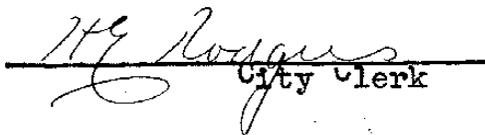
Electricians Bond Filed  
White Electric Co. of Parsons.

A Fidelity and Deposit Company Bond for the White Electric Company for an Electrician in the city of Ottawa was presented, approved and filed with the city clerk.

In re- Exchange of ground-  
Hope Cemetery.

In accordance with an agreement entered into with C. A. Kelley for the exchange of ground along the west side of Hope Cemetery, The Mayor and the City Clerk are hereby instructed and ordered to execute a warranty deed to C. A. Kelley conveying to him ground as per agreement and to receive his deed for the land to be conveyed to the city.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 22, 1927.

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

In re- Adjustment of Interest on Bonds  
Series "E" and Series "F" 1927.

R. W. Mitchell, Commr. of Finance and Revenue, J. S. Weethee, Mayor and J. L. Sheldon, City Attorney were appointed a Committee to meet with the Representatives of the State School Fund Commission for the adjustment of the interest on Bonds Series "E" and "F" 1927 occasioned by the dating of these issues of Bonds, April 4th instead of January 1st, 1927 as the interest was computed. Any two or all of these appointees are authorized to act as representatives of the City Governing Body of Ottawa, Kansas in the adjustment of this interest.

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

H. E. Rogers  
City Clerk

J. S. Weethee  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 27, 1927.

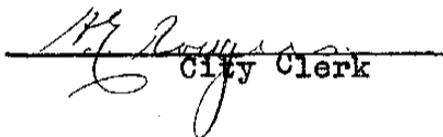
The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Mitchell and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of adjourned meeting of April 22 were read and approved.

In re- Paving South Hickory Street.

It was decided by the governing body to deferrpaving south Hickory street from Seventh street to Ninth street until after January 1st, 1928.

On motion, the governing body adjourned to meet in adjourned session April 29th, 1927.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, April 29, 1927.

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

Ordinance #1423- Billboards.

An Ordinance regulating the construction and location of Bill Boards and signs on public streets and on property adjacent thereto 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 by roll call, each Commissioner answering in the affirmative. The vote for this ordinance being unanimous for, the mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

## Petition to pave- South Elm Street.

A petition to pave South Elm street from Seventh street to Ninth street was filed with the city clerk and the city clerk is instructed to give this petition to the city attorney to check up and report, his findings to the governing body.

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

W. H. Rogers  
City Clerk

J. V. Meeker  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, May 4th, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of adjourned of April 29th were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance. # 447

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$16,384.89 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- Elm Street Paving.

A protest was filed with the city clerk against paving South Elm street from Seventh to Ninth street. This protest and also the petition for paving was given to the City Attorney to check up.

Ralston Claim Disallowed.

The claim of W. W. Ralston for \$20.00 damage to his auto tires, caused, he claims through his running into an excavation at Main and Keokuk that was not properly lighted, was not allowed.

Approval of Reports.

Monthly reports of City Clerk, City Treasurer, W. & L. Department, Police Judge, Hope Cemetery, and semi-monthly report of City Market were approved and ordered filed.

Report W. O. Myers,  
Introducing and commenting on Report of  
Prof. Shaad- in-re- purchase of electric current.

W. O. Myers, Supt of the Water and Light Department presented a report by Prof. Geo. C. Shaad on the proposals of the Kansas City Power and Light Company and the Kansas Electric Power Company to furnish electric service to the Ottawa plant.

The Kansas City Power and Light Company proposed to furnish 2200 volt service at rates as follows:

1st 400 K. W. of Demand	at	\$2.50	per	K. W.
2nd 400	do	2.00	do	
3d 400	do	1.75	do	
In excess of 1200		1.50	do	

For Energy

1st	120 hrs use of demand at	$1\frac{1}{4}$ ¢	per K.W.H.
2nd	do	do	1 do
Over 240	do	do	.8 do

Less fuel credit or charge as determined by fluctuating cost at plant.

City to pay a part of the cost of the sub-station at Ottawa.

The report as interpreted by Supt. Myers showed a loss of \$34,309.53 for a years service as for 1929 at the foregoing schedule of rates.

The proposal of the Kansas Electric Power Co. was to furnish stand by service at a cost of \$750. per month and a charge of  $1\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ per K. W. H. for energy purchased by the city and the same for any purchased from the city by the power company.

Prof. Shaad's report showed that acceptance of this proposal would give the Municipal Power Transmission Company the right to cancel their contract to distribute electricity furnished by the Ottawa plant.

#### Petition to Pave Elm Street Insuf.

The petition to pave South Elm street from Seventh to Ninth street was checked by the City Attorney and found to be insufficient.

#### Permit for use of Ball Diamond Forest Park.

On request by members of the Rotary and other organizations sponsering a baseball association for the boys of Ottawa, they were given a permit to use the Ball Diamond in Forest Park on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays of each week beginning May 31st.

#### Rejection of Proposals to furnish Electric Current.

It was moved by Commissioner Johnson, and seconded by Commissioner Mitchell, that the proposals of the Kansas City Electric Light and Power Company and of the Kansas Electric Power Company to furnish the Ottawa Municipal Water and Light Department with electric current, be rejected, and that a vote by Ayes and Nays be taken upon this motion and spread upon the minutes. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, Weethee, Mitchell, and Johnson. Nays, none.

The motion carried unanimously.

#### Authorizing Contract for Purchase of General Electric Turbine Unit.

Commissioner Johnson moved that the Mayor and the City Clerk be instructed to enter into a contract with the General Electric Company for furnishing a 2500 K. W. General Electric Turbine Unit as per their proposal on file and the recommendation of the Consulting Engineer, and that funds out of the Water and Light Department be set aside for the payment of this Turbine, according to contract, and that a vote upon this motion be taken by Ayes and Nays and spread upon the minutes. Motion seconded by Mayor Weethee.

A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, Johnson and Weethee.  
Nays, Mitchell.

The motion carried.

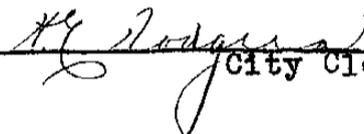
Authorizing Contract for Purchase of Steam  
Condenser from the Worthington Corporation.

It was moved by Commissioner Johnson, that the Mayor and the city clerk be instructed to enter into contract with the Worthington Corporation for furnishing a Steam Condenser and equipment in accordance with their proposal on file and the recommendation of Consulting Engineer and that funds out of the Water and Light Department be set aside for the payment of this Condenser and equipment, according to contract, and that a vote upon this motion be taken by Ayes and Nays and a record of such vote be spread upon the minutes. This motion was seconded by Commissioner Mitchell.

A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, Mitchell, Johnson, and Weethee. Nays, none.

The motion carried.

On motion the Governing Body adjourned to meet in regular session Wednesday, May 11th.

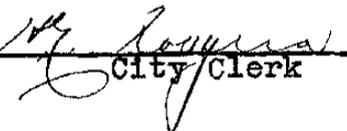
  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, May 11th, 1927.

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

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet in adjourned session Thursday, May 12th.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, May 12th, 1927.

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

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

In re width of paving on North Hickory street- when paved.

Acting on the request of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, to enable them to permanently place their poles on North Hickory street, the governing body hereby instructs the city Engineer to locate the curb line for a twenty four foot pavement on that street, that being the width of pavement ordinarily designated for Secondary streets in Ottawa.

Resolution to Pave.  
Alley- Block 98.

Whereas Fourth street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas and Fifth street in said city being parallel streets, one block apart, and each abutting upon Block 98 in such city, are each graded, paved, guttered, and curbed, and

Whereas, the alley in said Block 98 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 98 in such city be improved by bringing said alley to grade and paving the same.

Adopted by the governing body, May 12th, 1927.

Petition to Pave- North Main Street.  
North Line of Tecumseh to Main Street Bridge.

A petition to Pave north Main Street from the north line of Tecumseh street to the Main street bridge, under the provisions of Senate Bill No. 102, which is now a law, was filed, and on the strength of this petition, the City Attorney is instructed to prepare a resolution to improve this section of Main street.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, May 18th, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Contract -Ross Milling Co.-  
Electric Rates and Service.

The Governing Body authorized and instructed the Mayor and the City Clerk to enter into contract with the Ross Milling Company to furnish them with Electric Service according to a tentative contract submitted.

A copy of this contract has been placed on file in the office of the city clerk.

Resolution- Pave and re-pave  
North Main. North side of Tecumseh- Main Street Bridge.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF OTTAWA, KANSAS, that it deems it necessary, and it hereby declared that it is necessary to improve Main Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, from the north line of Tecumseh Street to the Main street bridge, by paving the approach to Main Street bridge and by widening the improvements on that portion of said street, from the north end of the Main street bridge to Tecumseh street, and by surfacing the said street.

And the governing body of the City of Ottawa finds that it will be fair and just, having consideration for the value of the abutting property and the extent of the traffic, that the cost of such improvement shall be provided for in the following manner:

First: That the cost of repairing the approach to the said Main street bridge be paid out of what is known as the Bridge Fund, set aside for such purpose.

Second: That the remaining cost be provided for under the provisions of the law known as Senate Bill No. 102, under which the city at large will sustain the total expense of the improvement of squares and areas formed by the intersestion of streets and in addition thereto, one-third the remaining cost of such improvements: the balance of the cost to be assessed to adjacent property as provided by the general law relating to street improvements.

The above resolution was duly passed by the governing body of the City of Ottawa on the 18th day of May, 1927.

Ordinance- Pave South Hickory Street.  
Seventh to Ninth Streets.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of South Hickory street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Seventh street to the north line of Ninth 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.

## Request- Ottawa Ministerial Association.

The Ottawa Ministerial Association, made a request of the City Governing Body, that they refuse to grant a permit to a Carnival Company to exhibit in Ottawa the week beginning May 21st and that Carnival Companies in general be refused a permit to exhibit in Ottawa.

## Appropriation Ordinance #448.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$18,943.45 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final reading. 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.

## Semi-monthly Market report.

The Market report of the first half of May was filed by Market Manager, Lambert. This report is hereby approved by the Governing Body and the city clerk is instructed to file it.

## Notice to Construct Sidewalks.

The city clerk was instructed to notify Harry Buckles, Agent for Lot 29, the West 70 feet of 31, and the West 35 feet of Lots 33 and 35 Block 25 B. S. & T. Add., to construct a walk along the East side of Hickory street adjoining these lots, filling in the places where there is no walk now. Notice was also ordered given to John W. Clark owner of Lots 13 and 15 Block 8, B S. & T. Add for a walk in front of these lots on Mulberry street and a notice to W. L. Hull, owner of a tract of ground described by lots and by metes and bounds and situated between Sycamore and cherry streets, north of Wilson street. This walk ordered is to fill in the gaps to a walk already constructed running along the north side of Wilson street between Sycamore and Cherry streets.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, May 25, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance #1424- Final Reading.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of South Hickory street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Seventh street to the north line of Ninth 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 reading. 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.

Final Estimate- Paving.

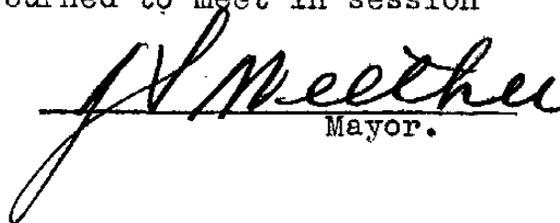
Engineer in charge, C. A. Novak, presented his final estimate of the cost of paving, Powhattan street from Main to Cedar streets, Cherry street, from Logan to Powhattan streets, Beech street from Fifth street to Sixth streets, Repairing a drain on North Cedar street between Red Jacket and Blackhawk st. and repairing a valley gutter at 13th and Main street. He recommended that these projects be accepted. The Governing Body having inspected these projects, they are hereby approved.

Ordinance- First Reading.  
Dog.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance Number 1412 which regulates the keeping of dogs in the City of Ottawa, Kansas and provided for registration and checking same and repealing Section 2 of said ordinance 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 session at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 1st, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance No 1425- Final Reading  
Dogs.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance number 1412 which regulates the keeping of dogs in the city of Ottawa, Kansas and provides for registration and checking same and repealing Section 2 of said ordinance 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 vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Return of Appraisements.

The appraisers appointed for appraising the various properties liable for the payment of paving and sewer lateral assessments returned their appraisements for constructing a sewer lateral in Lateral Sewer District No. 90, paving East Fifteenth Street in the East Fifteenth Street Benefit District, Paving South Hickory street from Seventh to Ninth streets.

Notice of review of appraisalment.

The city clerk was instructed to run a notice in the Ottawa Herald, notifying the various property owners affected by the levying of assessments for the payment of lateral sewer in lateral sewer district No. 90, and for paving South Hickory street from seventh to ninth streets, and for paving East Fifteenth Street, that these various appraisements would be reviewed and adjustments made, if necessary, on Friday, June 10th at 10.00 O'clock A. M.

Street Light Ordered.

The Commissioners instructed the Water and Light Department to install a street light in the alley running north from the Bennett alley, near the Bennett Creamery, to Tecumseh street.

Appropriation Ordinance #449.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$29,726.31 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.

## Final Estimate- Paving East Fifteenth.

County Engineer in charge, E. F. Loveless presented the final estimate of the cost of paving East Fifteenth Street, showing the division of cost for that part that is chargeable to the city at large, the part donated by individual subscription and the part chargeable to the 5/8 mile benefit District.

After making an inspection, the commissioners accepted this work as completed and the final estimate of the engineer.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 8th, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Reports approved.

Mayo reports of City Clerk, W. & L. Dept., Police Judge, City Treas, Hope Cemetery, Highland Cemetery, for April and May, and City Market for the last half of May were checked, approved and ordered filed in the office of the city clerk.

Petition for street sweeper.

A committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce presented a petition to the Mayor and City Commissioners, signed by many of the business men of the city, petitioning the commissioners to purchase a motor street sweeper for use on the paved streets of the city.

This petition was taken under advisement, by the governing body.

Contract authorized-  
Pave South Hickory - Seventh to Ninth.

The governing body hereby authorize and instruct the Mayor and the City Clerk to enter into contract with Cook and Stucker for paving South Hickory street from seventh to ninth in accordance with specifications and prices now in file.

Date set for reviewing costs of  
Paving- East Fifteenth Street Benefit District.

Monday, June 27th at 10.00oclock A. M. was set as the date for reviewing and adjusting the costs apportioned to the various properties affected by the paving of East Fifteenth Street within the East Fifteenth Street Benefit District.

This meeting is to be a joint meeting with the County Commissioners and is to be held in the County Commissioners office in the Courthouse.

The city clerk is instructed to notify the property owners affected by the amount assessed to the city Benefit District, of the amount assessed and the date for reviewing assessments.

Ordinance- First Reading.  
Cigarettes.

An Ordinance relating to cigarettes and other Forms of Tobacco and providing penalties for the violation 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.  
Rates for Electric Service.

An Ordinance fixing rates for electric service furnished by the Water and Light Department of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, providing rules and regulations for the management thereof and repealing Ordinances number 1163 and 1266 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  
Tecumseh street- Main to Hickory.

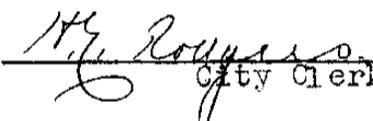
Whereas, Tecumseh street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, is unimproved from the East line of Main street to the west line of Hickory street, and the governing body of said city deem it necessary to improve such portion of said street by curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

Be it resolved, by the governing body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas that Tecumseh street in the city of Ottawa from the east line of Main street to the west line of Hickory street be improved by curbing and guttering the same. That said curb and 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 curbing guttering.

Adopted by the governing body, June 8th, 1927.

Approved June 8th, 1927.

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

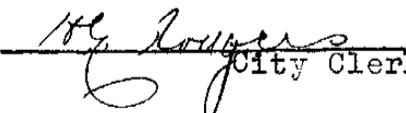
  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 10, 1927.

The City Governing Body with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Mitchell and Johnson present, met in Special session for the purpose of reviewing appraisements on the properties liable for the payment of the cost of constructing a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District Number 90 also for paving on south Hickory street from seventh street to Ninth street.

No objections were offered and the commissioners deeming the appraisements made as fair and just, the reports of the Appraisers were accepted.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 15th, 1927.

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

Appropriation Ordinance #450.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$38,393.10 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 wastaken 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 adjourned session, Thursday, June 16th.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 16th, 1927.

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

The minutes of the regular meetings of June 8th and June 16th were read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1426- Final Reading.  
Cigarettes.

An Ordinance relating to cigarettes and other forms of Tobacco and providing penalties for the 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, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ordinance No. 1427- Final Reading.  
Electric service.

An Ordinance fixing rates for electric service furnished by the Water and Light Department of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, providing rules and regulations for the management thereof and repealing Ordinances number 1163 and 1266 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.  
Paving- Alley Block 98.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of the alley in Block 98 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas by grading and paving same 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.

Division of cost- Paving Powhattan.

Engineer in charge, C. A. Novak filed his statement of the division of cost for paving Powhattan street from Main street to Cedar Street. On the basis of this statement the city clerk was instructed to prorate that part of the cost chargeable to the property owners, to the various tracts appraised for this improvement in accordance with the valuations and the city attorney is instructed to prepare assessment ordinances in accordance therewith.

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

W. Rogers  
City Clerk

J. S. Weethee  
Mayor.



City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 22, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

**Ordinance #1428- Final Reading.  
Pave Alley- Block 98.**

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of the alley in Block 98 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas by grading and paving same and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was 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.

Market Report approved.

W. G. Lambert submitted his report of the operations of city market for the first half of June. This report was inspected and approved and the city clerk instructed to file it with previous market reports in his office.

Bond Approved-Electrician.

The Municipal Power Transmission Company filed a Maryland Casualty Company Bond covering their work as Electricians in the City of Ottawa for One year. This bond was approved and filed with the city clerk.

**Ordinance- First Reading.  
Assessment- Sewer Lateral 90.**

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments to pay the cost of installing a Lateral Sewer in Lateral Sewer District Number 90 was introduced and put 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- Powhattan.**

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Powhattan street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Main street to the west line of Cedar 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.

**Ordinance- First Reading.  
Assessment- Beech street.**

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Beech street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Fifth street to the North line of Sixth street by grading, paving, and guttering 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 No. Main- Tecumseh to Bridge.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Main street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Tecumseh street to the Main street bridge and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Electricians Bond Filed.

The Municipal Power Transmission Company presented a Maryland Casualty Company bond, covering their work as electricians in the city of Ottawa. This bond was approved.

Market Report.

W. G. Lambert presented his report of the operations of city market for the first half of June. This report was inspected and approved.

Increase in Commissioners Salary.

Senate Bill No. 404, An act relating to the oath and salary of mayor and commissioners in cities of the second class, amending Section 14-1303 R. S. 1923, provides, "That the mayor and commissioners in cities owning and operating a public utility and having a population of from 9500 to 15,000 shall receive as compensation for their services the sum of \$1200. per annum, payable in equal monthly installments." This law became effective June 1st, 1927 on the publication of the Session Laws of 1927.

The population of the city of Ottawa shows 9775 population as disclosed by the official enumeration of March 1927 and acting in harmony with the above law, the salaries of the mayor and commissioners are increased to \$1200. per annum from and after June 1st, 1927.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, June 29th, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance #1429- Final Reading.  
Assessment Sewer Lateral #90

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments to pay the cost of installing a Lateral Sewer in Lateral Sewer District Number 90 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.

Purchase of land.  
Tract Adj. Water & Light Plant.

A tract of ground adjoining the Water and Light Plant grounds on the east and consisting of all of Block 1 in the J. J. Jones Addition to the city of Ottawa, was purchased by the Water and Light Department for the sum of Seven hundred and fifty dollars. This addition gives the Water and Light Plant additional storage and building space.

Ordinance No. 1430. - Assessment Beech St.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Beech Street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Fifth street to the north line of Sixth street by grading, paving and guttering the same was put upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final reading. 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. 1431- Assessment- Powhattan.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Powhattan street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Main street to the west line of Cedar 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.

Special Appropriation Ordinance No. 451

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$750. 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 ordinance was declared duly passed.

## Citation from State Board of Health

A citation, for the Board of City Commissioners to appear before a meeting of the members of the state board of health on June 30th, to show reason, if any why the city should not receive an order to construct a sewage disposal plant, was received. Mayor Weethee, Commissioner Mitchell, and Attorney Sheldon were designated to appear before this commission, in an endeavor to delay the date of the installation of this disposal plant. The reason for the delay requested is because of the recent issue of bonds for Main street bridge and the building of Hawthorne and the Junior High school.

## Sidewalks Ordered.

The city clerk was instructed to notify the following property owners or agents of owners to construct sidewalks along their premises within 30 days.

J. G. Hunter Lots 19,21, 23 Block 2 B. S. & T. Add *7-26-14 v 7*  
 C. L. Howard Lots 25,27,29 Block 2 B. S. & T. Add.  
 Jennie S. Baker South half of Lot C. Block 124.  
 Wm. Henthorne South half of 9 and all of 11 Block 8, B. S. & T.

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

*W. G. Rogers*  
 City Clerk

*J. S. Weethee*  
 Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 6th, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Meeting with State Board of Health.  
In-re Sewage Disposal Plant.

Order to construct Plant.

At the annual meeting of the Kansas State Board of Health, attended by a committee representing the Governing Body of the City, an order was given by the State Board of Health to the officials of the city of Ottawa, "to construct such sewage treatment works as may be necessary to abate the conditions of stream pollution created by the discharge of untreated sewage; the plans and specifications for this work to be submitted to the Board of Health for approval on or before July 1, 1928, and that the treatment works be completed and in operation by July 1, 1929." *(Letter in contract file)*

Appropriation Ordinance #452

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$16,366.23 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 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.

Ordinance #1432- Final Reading.  
Pave No. Main- Tecumseh to Bridge.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Main street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Tecumseh street to the Main street bridge and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, 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.

Monthly reports approved.

Monthly reports of City Clerk, City Treasurer, W. & L. Dept, Police Judge, Sexton- Hope Cemetery, Sexton Highland Cemetery, were inspected, approved and filed with the city clerk. Semi-monthly report of City Market was also approved.

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

*H. E. Rogers*

*J. M. Weethee*

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 13, 1927

The city Governing body met in regular session with Mayor Weethee presiding. Commissioner Mitchell present. Commissioner Johnson absent.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance #453 - Special

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$1050. was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final reading. 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- First Reading.

Improve Tecumseh Street- Main to Hickory Streets.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Tecumseh street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the east line of Main street to the west line of Hickory 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.

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

W. H. Rogers  
City Clerk

J. H. Weethee  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 20th, 1927.

The City governing body met in regular session with Mayor Weethes presiding, Commissioner Johnson present, Commissioner Mitchell absent.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance No 1433- Final Reading.  
Improve Tecumseh- Main to Hickory.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of Tecumseh street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the East line of Main street to the west line of Hickory street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was placed upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final reading. 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 # 454

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$17,876.34 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 put upon its final reading. 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.

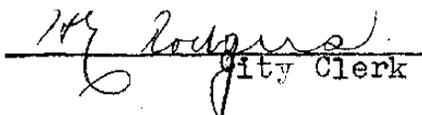
Approval- City Market report.

W. G. Lambert presented his semi monthly report of the operation of city market for the first half of July. This report was inspected and approved and filed with the city clerk.

Continuation Bond filed-  
H. H. Cowell- Plumber.

H. H. Cowell filed a continuation certificate covering his bond as plumber for another year. This certificate was approved and the city clerk was instructed to file it with the bond.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, July 27th, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

There being no business to come before the meeting, the Commissioners adjourned to meet in session at a later date.

*H. E. Royer*  
City Clerk.

*J. V. Weethee*  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Aug. 3, 1927.

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

Reports filed.

Monthly reports of City Clerk, City Treasurer, W. G. Lambert, Mgr. Market, Police Judge, Sexton, Hope Cemetery, W. & Light Dept., were inspected and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance. #455

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$12,118.74 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final passage.

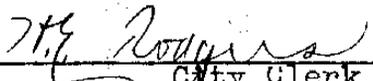
The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote was taken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none.

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

Ordinance- First Reading.  
City Milk Inspector.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance Number 1141, being an ordinance creating the office of City Milk Inspector in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, providing for the appointment of City Milk Inspector and prescribing his duties and regulating the handling and sale of dairy products in the city of Ottawa and providing for further sanitation and repealing Section 5 of Ordinance Number 1141, was introduced and put 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 session at a later date.

  
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City Clerk

  
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Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 10, 1927.

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

The minutes of regular meetings of July 27th and of August 3, were read and approved.

Paving Contract- North Main St.  
Tecumseh to Main Street Bridge.

A contract was entered into with Cook and Stucker, Contractors, for paving North Main street from the north line of Tecumseh to Main street Bridge and the Mayor and City Clerk were instructed to execute such contract. The bond, submitted by said contractors is hereby approved.

Ordinance #1434- Final Reading.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance Number 1141, being An Ordinance creating the office of City Milk Inspector and prescribing his duties and regulating the handling and sale of dairy products in the city of Ottawa and providing for further sanitation and repealing Section 5 of Ordinance Number 1141, was put upon its second 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.

Report filed- Ottawa Boys Band.

A report of the operations of the Ottawa Boy's Band, together with an inventory of equipment, was filed by the band manager, H. J. Lamb.

Claims Filed.

E. R. Richardson and J. N. Norton presented claims against the city for \$1175 and \$400 respectively, for damage claimed by reason of the construction of storm sewers built in Powhattan street and for raising grade of said street and consequently acclaimed raising of the sidewalk grade. These claims were filed for further consideration.

On motion, the governing body adjourned to meet in adjourned session, Friday, August 12th to consider a tax levy ordinance and other questions that may come up.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 12, 1927.

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

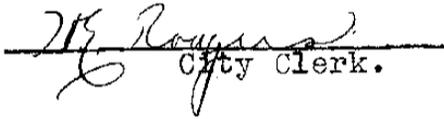
Ordinance No. 1435- Tax Levy.

An Ordinance providing for the levy of taxes in the year 1927 for the city of Ottawa, Kansas was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put 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, Johnson, Weethee, Mitchell. Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Appraisers Appointed.

F. A. Clark, Martin Strafuss, and A. G. Stoffer were appointed to appraise the properties liable for the cost of paving North Cherry street from the north line of Logan street to the north line of Powhattan street, running east of Cherry street and the city clerk was instructed to notify them of their appointment.

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

  
City Clerk.

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 17, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of adjourned meeting of August 12 were read and approved.

City Market report approved.

City market manager, W. G. Lambert presented his report of operations of the city market for the first half of August. This report was inspected and approved, and ordered filed.

Appropriation Ordinance #456.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$15,390.48 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put 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.

Return of Appraisement.

The appraisers appointed for appraising the properties liable for the cost of improving north Cherry street from the north line of Logan street to the north line of that part of Powhattan street running east of Cherry street, returned their appraisements made on the various lots and tracts liable for payment.

Review of Appraisement.

Date set.

Monday, August 29th, 1927 at 10 O'clock A. M. was set as the date for reviewing appraisements made on the various lots and tracts liable for the improvement of North Cherry street from the north line of Logan street to the North line of Powhattan street running east of Cherry street and the city clerk is instructed to give notice of said review of appraisement by publication in the city Official paper.

Request for sidewalk.

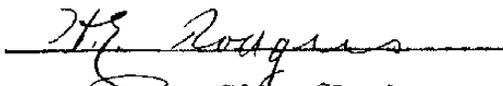
Mrs. Geo. W. Davis filed a request for a sidewalk along the south side of Park street from Main street to Hickory street. This was taken under advisement.

Increase in salary.

The following salary schedule is ordered effective September First.

Elizabeth Bement, Bookkeeper W. & L. Dept from \$120. to \$125 per month.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 24, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance - First Reading.  
Vacating North Street.

An Ordinance providing for the vacation of North Street from the west line of North Sycamore street west to the city limits, was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time, and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- #1436.  
Sewer Bonds.

An Ordinance providing for the issuance of bonds of the city of Ottawa, Kansas to pay for the cost of installing a Lateral Sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 90, was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put 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.

Ordinance-#1437  
Street Improvement Bonds

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 upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put 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- #1438  
Street Improvement Bonds  
Highland Cemetery 5/8 Mile.

An ordinance providing for the issuance of improvement bonds for the city of Ottawa, Kansas, to pay the cost of improving 5/8 the 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, within which said county and city is located, was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance was

put 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 governing body adjourned to meet in session at a later date.

*H. Rogers*  
City Clerk

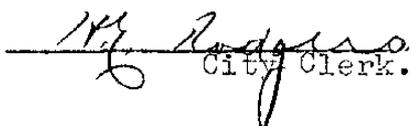
*J. W. Meethers*  
Mayor.

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City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 29th, 1927.

The City Governing Body met in Special session for the purpose of reviewing appraisements made on the lots and tracts liable for the payment of the cost of paving North Cherry Street from Logan street to the north line of Powhattan Street east of Cherry street, with Commissioner Mitchell presiding in the absence of Mayor Weethee. Commissioner Johnson present.

Objection was made by W. H. Ramsey to the appraisements made on his lots, he claiming the appraisement out of proportion owing to his lots being situated partly in a draw. These appraisements were given careful consideration and it was finally decided to lower the appraisements on lots 25, 27, 29, and 31 in Block 3, of Sheldon's Addition belonging to W. H. Ramsey, from \$80 on Lots 25, 27, and 29, to \$55.00 and from \$70. on lot 31 to \$65. The appraisements were allowed to stand as made on all other lots and tracts.

  
City Clerk.

  
Acting Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, August 31, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Resignation of S. T. Cole- Street Foreman.

Street Foreman, S. T. Cole presented his resignation as street foreman to be effective immediately, owing to his moving from the state.

This resignation was accepted by the governing body.

Appointment of Joe Dearing, Street Foreman.

Joe Dearing was appointed street foreman to fill the vacancy created in that office by the resignation of S. T. Cole. Mr. Dearing entered upon his duties at once.

Protest- sewer- in Pecan Street.

A protest was filed, protesting the construction of a sewer in Pecan street from seventh to ninth streets. This was taken under advisement by the Governing Body.

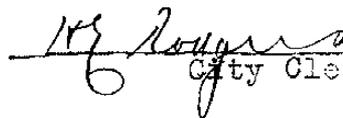
Appointment of City Electrician.

Earl P. Gates was appointed City Electrician to fill the vacancy created through the sickness of D. H. Blaine and his inability to serve. His appointment is to be effective September 1st.

Electrician's Bond Approved.

The Warzel Electric Company presented a Fidelity and Deposit Company bond covering their work as Electricians in the City of Ottawa. This bond was approved and filed with the city clerk.

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

  
City Clerk.

  
Acting Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Sept 7, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Reports approved.

Monthly reports of city clerk, city treasurer, Water and Light Department, Police Judge, and Semi monthly report of city market were inspected and approved and filed with the city clerk.

Appropriation Ordinance #457.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$18,365.25 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put 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 #1439- Final Reading.  
Vacate North Street.

An Ordinance providing for the vacation of North street from the west line of North Sycamore street west to the City Limits, was put 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 Governing Body adjourned to meet in adjourned session Thursday, September 8th to open bids for the construction of a sewer lateral in Lateral Sewer District No. 91 and such other business as may come before the meeting at that time.

W. E. Rogers  
City Clerk.

J. S. Weethee  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, September 8th, 1927.

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

Sewer Contract Awarded.

This being the day set for receiving bids for the construction of a lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No 91, the commissioners proceeded to open the bids presented. Sealed bids as follows were presented.

C. W. Barnett- \$1898.44 with \$2.50 per cu yd extra for loose or shell rock and \$6.00 per cu. yd for solid rock requiring blasting.

M. L. Staneart- \$1670.40 with \$2.50 for loost or shell rock and \$8.00 for solid rock.

Elder Mercantile Co- \$1690. with \$2.50 for loose or shell rock and \$8.00 for solid rock. also deduct one and one half per cent if personal bond will be accepted.

Engineer's Estimate -\$1987. with extras of \$3.50 for loose rock and \$10. for solid rock.

It was determined that the bid of the Elder Mercantile Company was the lowest bid and being below the estimate of the engineer, the contract was awarded to them and the Mayor and the City Clerk were instructed to enter into contract with them.

Motion- in re Gas supply and price data.

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It was moved Commissioner Johnson and seconded by Mayor Weethee, That the Gas Research Committee of the League of Kansas Municipalities be employed to gather the data and prepare for the city a report on the cost of natural gas and gas supplies, as outlined in the attached proposal, for which the city will pay \$60. now in advance, and not to exceed \$60.00 after the report is filed and on the presentation of the proper claim.

The mayor and City Clerk are authorized to enter into a contract with the Gas Research Committee of the League of Kansas Municipalities, in accordance with the provisions of this motion.

The vote on this motion revealed, Ayes, Mitchell, Johnson Weethee, Nays, none. The motion carried.

Ordinance No. 1440-  
Creating Sewer Lateral #91.

An Ordinance creating Lateral Sewer District No. 91, providing for the construction of a Lateral Sewer therein 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 put upon its final reading. 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, September 14, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Resolution to Pave- So. Hickory.  
Twelfth to Thirteenth.

Whereas, South Hickory Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the south line of Twelfth street to the north line of Thirteenth street insaid city and the Governing Body of said city deems it necessary to improve such portion of said street by bringing it grade and by grading, paving, curbing and guttering, now, therefore,

Be It Resolved, by the Governing Body of said city of Ottawa, Kansas that South Hickory street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Twelfth street to the North line of Thirteenth street in said city be improved by bringing said street to grade and by grading, paving 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, this 14th day of September 1927.

Assessment Ordinance- First Reading.  
North Cherry.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving 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 by grading, paving, curbing 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.

Notice of sale of Bonds.

The City clerk was instructed to run an advertisement on the Ottawa Herald advertising the sale of Bonds, Series " G " , " E " , " I " , " J " 1927, in the amount of \$24,105.28. These bonds are to be sold Monday, September 19, 1927 at 10 o'clock A. M. for Par and Accrued Interest.

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

H. E. Rogers  
City Clerk

J. S. McElhee  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, September 17, 1927.

The City Governing Body met in Called Special meeting for the purpose of considering the resignation of Police Judge Parker, and the appointment of a successor, with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Mitchell and Johnson present.

Resignation- Police Judge Parker.

Police Judge R. S. Parker presented his resignation as Police Judge to take effect immediately, owing to ill health and his inability to serve.

It was moved by Commissioner Mitchell and seconded by Commissioner Johnson that his resignation be accepted. This motion carried.

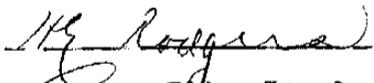
Appointment of Police Judge.

It was moved by Mayor Weethee and seconded by Commissioner Johnson, that Clive H. Owen be appointed to fill the unexpired term of Police Judge Parker, resigned. This motion carried unanimously.

Oath of Office to Clive H. Owen  
Police Judge.

The oath of office was administered by city clerk Rodgers to Clive H. Owen, incoming Police Judge and he entered upon his duties immediately.

On motion the Governing Body adjourned to meet at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, September 21, 1927.

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

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

Appropriation Ordinance No. 458.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$5433.95 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 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.

Assessment Ordinance <sup>444</sup> #458 - Final Reading.  
North Cherry Street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving 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 by grading, paving, curbing and guttering the same, was put upon its second reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final reading. 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.

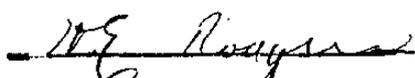
Approval of Reports.

Report of W. G. Lambert for the first half of September for city market was approved by the Governing Body, also Final report of Police Judge Parker for the first half of September and closing his work as Police Judge was filed, approved by the Commission and filed with the city clerk.

Petition filed - Pave South Ash St.,  
Eighth to Ninth Street.

A petition was filed to pave South Ash street from Eighth to Ninth streets. This petition was taken under advisement by the Governing Body.

On motion the Governing Body adjourned to meet in session at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Sept. 28, 1927

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

The minutes of Special Called meeting of September 17 and of regular meeting of September 21, were read and approved.

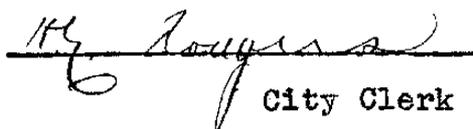
Petition filed- Pave  
West 10th street

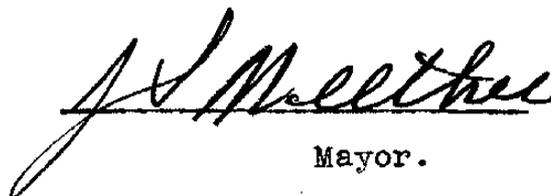
A petition to pave west tenth street from Main street to Locust street was filed. This petition is to be checked up and acted on at a later date.

Bond Filed.  
Police Judge- C. H. Owen.

Police Judge, C. H. Owen presented an American Bonding Company bond for \$1000. to cover his work as Police Judge. This bond was accepted by the Governing Body and filed with the city clerk.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 5, 1927

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

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

Reports Filed.

Monthly reports of Police Judge ( Last half of Sept), City Clerk, City Treasurer, Water and Light Dept, and semi monthly report of City market were presented, approved and filed with the city clerk.

Contract Filed- In re Gas Service and supply.

The contract, authorized between the city and the League of Kansas Municipalities, having been duly signed by the contracting parties, has been represented to the Governing body and is hereby approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

Appropriation Ordinance.  
#459

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$19,525.59 was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended and the Ordinance put upon its second and final reading. Read the secondtime, considered by sections and put 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.

Sewer Contract Approved.  
Lateral # 91.

The contract authorized for the construction of a Lateral Sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 91, was properly executed, and the bond required, has been executed and is hereby approved.

Bushong Electric Rate proposition discussed.

The request of I. C. Bushong of the Municipal Power Transmission Company for an adjustment of electric rates was discussed, but no action taken.

## In re- North Cherr y Street Paving.

A committee consisting of Geo. Hough, J. D. Ross, and L. D. Hammond called on the commission in regard to the paving on North Cherry Street. There was a general discussion in regard to the installation of this paving, the extent, yardage, and cost, they claim that there is a less yardage than that reported in the final estimate of the engineer. The engineer in charge, C. A. Novak, was instructed to recheck this paving and make report to the Governing Body.

On motion the governing body adjourned to meet in session at alater date.

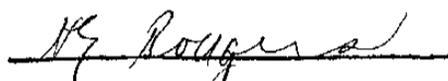
*W. E. Rodgers*  
City Clerk

*P. W. Mitchell*  
Acting Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 12, 1927.

Regular meeting of the City Governing Body with Mayor Weethee present. Commissioners Mitchell and Johnson absent.

On account of the absence of Commissioners Mitchell and Johnson attending the Annual League of Kansas Municipalities convention at Junction City, and a consequent lack of a quorum, the meeting was adjourned to meet in session at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

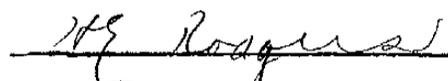
City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 15, 1927.

Special meeting of the City Governing Body for the purpose of passing a Special Appropriation Ordinance, with Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Mitchell and Johnson present.

Special Appropriation Ordinance  
No. 460.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$5269.96 was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final reading. 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 session at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 19, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of special meeting of October 15th were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance # 461

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$24,375.65 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 put upon its final passage. The question being, shall the ordinance pass. A vote wastaken resulting in Ayes, three, Nays, none. The vote being unanimous for, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Reports Filed.

Semi monthly report of City market and June, July, August, September monthly reports of Highland Cemetery were presented, approved and filed with the city clerk.

Resolution-  
Pave - West Tenth Street.

Whereas, West Tenth Street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas is unimproved from the west line of Main street to the west line of Locust street in said city 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 West Tenth street in the city of Ottawa, Kansas from the west line of Main street to the west line of Locust street in said city 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 19, 1927.

Ordinance- First Reading.  
Pave South Hickory- Twelfth to Thirteenth.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of South Hickory street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Twelfth street to the north line of Thirteenth 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- Agreement- with Board of  
County Commissioners- Franklin County, Kansas.  
In re \$250. per mile maintenance of State Roads  
within City limits.

The County Commissioners for Franklin County and the City Commissioners for the City of Ottawa, Kansas, entered into an agreement for the maintenance of state highways running through the city of Ottawa, in accordance with the recent state law providing for a payment, by the county of \$250. per mile or fraction thereof to the city for the maintenance of these highways. This contract was executed by each one of the members of these Commissions signing the agreement and its being attested by the County Clerk and the City Clerk.

In re- Issuance of Bonds for Sewage Disposal  
Plant.

Replying to a letter of the Mayor to the State Board of Health relative to the City Governing Body's authority to issue bonds for a sewage disposal plant in Ottawa, without an election to decide the issuance of bonds- a copy of the Attorney General's letter relative to the same is given below:

October 12, 1927.

Earle G. Brown, M. D.,  
Secretary, State Board of Health,  
Building,

Dear Doctor Brown:

Replying to yours of the 12th inst., will state that it is my opinion that the governing body of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, has authority under R. S. 12-621, to issue bonds not exceeding \$100,000. for sewage disposal works, without an election.

Very Truly yours,

Signed. William A. Smith  
Attorney General.

Curbing and Guttering Contract Authorized.  
Tecumseh Street.

The Mayor and City Clerk were instructed to enter into Contract with Cook and Stucker for Curbing and Guttering Tecumseh Street from Main street to Hickory street.

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

*H. E. Rogers*  
City Clerk.

*J. S. Meethus*  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, October 26, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance #1442- Final Reading.  
Pave South Hickory- Twelfth to Thirteenth.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of South Hickory street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the south line of Twelfth street to the north line of Thirteenth street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, was put upon its second 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.

Contract filed- Curb and Gutter  
Tecumseh street.

The contract, duly authorized by the Governing Body, for curbing and guttering Tecumseh street from the east line of Main street to the West line of Hickory street, was duly executed, presented and is hereby approved by the Governing Body. Bond covering this work has been filed and is approved by the governing body.

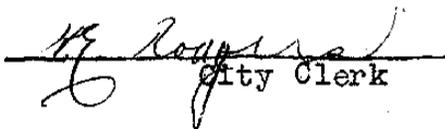
Appointment of Members of Zoning Board.

D. F. Daniel, Arthur Willis, and Ransom Bennett were appointed by the Governing Body to succeed themselves as members of the Zoning Commission. Their term of office is for three years. The City Clerk is instructed to notify them of their appointment.

Letter to Municipal Power Transmission  
Company- In re- change of rates for Electric Current.

The Governing Body authorized H. W. Johnson to write a letter to the Municipal Power Transmission Company, enclosing a copy of the City Attorney's report relative to the Company's request for a reduction in Electric Rates, in which letter the city refuses their request for a rate adjustment at this time, on the grounds of no justification for a reduction.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

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City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Nov. 2, 1927.

The City Governing body met in regular session with Commissioner Mitchell presiding in the absence of Mayor Weethee. Commissioner Johnson present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance #462.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$36,444.09 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the Ordinance put upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final reading. 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.

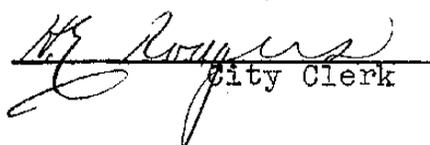
Protest- Paving West Tenth.

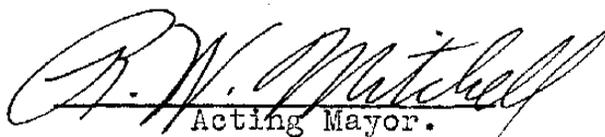
A protest was filed, protesting the paving of West Tenth street from Main street to Locust street. The city clerk was instructed to deliver this protest to the City Attorney to check up, after the period for protest has expired.

Reports filed.

Monthly reports of Police Judge, City Treasurer, Water and Light Department, and semi monthly report of City Market were presented, inspected and approved and ordered filed with the city clerk.

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

  
City Clerk

  
Acting Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Nov. 9, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Special Appropriation Ordinance #463.

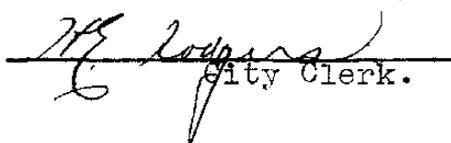
An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$4094.47 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the Ordinance put upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final passage. 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.

Reports Filed.

Monthly reports of City Clerk and reports of the sextons of Highland and of Hope Cemeteries were presented, inspected and approved and filed with the city clerk.

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

  
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Mayor.

  
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City Clerk.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Nov. 16, 1927.

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

Protest- Pave West 10th Street.  
Insufficient.

The protest on the paving of west Tenth street from Main street to Locust street, was checked by the City Attorney and found insufficient to defeat paving.

Ordinance- Amending Zoning Ordinance.  
First Reading.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance Number 1417 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, being an ordinance dividing the city of Ottawa into zones or districts for the purpose of regulating and restricting the locations of trades, industries, and commercial enterprises, and the location, erection, alteration and repair of buildings and other structures designed for specified uses, and regulating the area of the front, rear and side yards and other open spaces about buildings, limiting height of buildings and other structures hereafter constructed, limiting the density of population, prescribing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance and repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith by changing the boundaries on the Used Districts and the lot area per family in a certain case in the Height and Area District of said ordinance changing the zoning map and repealing the portions of said ordinances in conflict with such amendment was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Ordinance- Pave West Tenth- First Reading.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of West Tenth street in the City of Ottawa from the west line of Main street to the west line of Locust street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Agreement for Street Decorations for  
Jubilee Occasions.

On the request of local merchants, the governing body agreed to appropriate \$150. out of the general fund for street decorations for Jubilee occasions in Ottawa. This amount is to be used in conjunction with funds now subscribed for, by various merchants for these decorations.

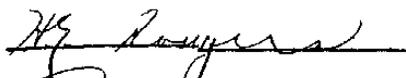
Instructions to Mayor and City Clerk  
to enter into paving Contract.

The Mayor and City Clerk are hereby instructed by the governing body to enter into contract with Cook and Stucker for paving South Hickory street from Twelfth street to Thirteenth street, in accordance with specifications now laid down for paving in Ottawa and on the basis of the cost specified in the last contract awarded under competitive bidding.

Appropriation Ordinance #464

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$9801.31 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and put upon its final reading. 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 session at a later date.

  
City Clerk.

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, Nov 23, 1927.

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

The minutes of November 9th and of November 16, regular meetings were read and approved.

Contract filed- Pave  
South Hickory- 12th to 13th.

The contract, duly authorized by the governing body, for paving South Hickory street from Twelfth to Thirteenth streets, having been properly executed by Cook and Stucker and the Mayor and the City Clerk for the city, is now presented and is hereby approved by the Governing Body. The bond, properly executed, is also approved.

Ordinance #1443- Final Reading.  
Amending Zoning Ordinance.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance Number 1417 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, being an ordinance dividing the city of Ottawa into zones or districts for the purpose of regulating and restricting the locations of trades, industries, and commercial enterprises, and the location, erection, alteration and repair of buildings and other structures designed for specified uses; and regulating the area of the front, rear and side yards and other open spaces about buildings, limiting height of buildings and other structures hereafter constructed, limiting the density of population, prescribing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance and repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith by changing the boundaries on the Used Districts and the lot area per family in a certain case in the Height and Area District of said ordinance changing the zoning map and repealing the portions of said ordinances in conflict with such amendment, was put upon its second 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.

Ordinance #1444- Final Reading.  
Pave West 10th St. Main to Locust.

An Ordinance providing for the improvement of West Tenth street in the city of Ottawa from the west line of Main street to the west line of Locust street and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was placed upon its second 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.

Final Estimate filed.  
Lateral Sewer #91.

C. A. Novak, engineer in charge filed his final estimate of the cost of constructing lateral sewer in Lateral sewer District #91. On his recommendation, that this work has been satisfactorily completed, the commission accepted the work as completed.

Time set to receive bids for the construction of lateral sewer in Sewer Lateral District No. 93. in Ott's Add. Block 3.

Wednesday morning, November 30th at 10 O'clock was set as the time for receiving and opening bids for constructing a Lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 93.

Notice of change of Boundaries and other changes in re- Zoning Ordinance.

The Mayor and clerk were instructed to give notice of a hearing for changes of boundaries and regulations contained in the Original Zoning Ordinance of the City of Ottawa. The date of this hearing is set for Nine O'clock December 31, 1927. Said notice is to be published in the Ottawa Herald.

Ordinance- First reading.  
Sewer lateral No. 93.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 1414, which is an ordinance creating Lateral Sewer District NO.93 in the city of Ottawa, Kansas and providing for the construction of a lateral sewer therein and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, and repealing Sections 1 and 2 of said ordinance number 1414, was put 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 session at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, November 30, 1927.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance No. 1445- Final Reading.  
Amending Ordinance No. 1414.  
Lateral Sewer #93.

An ordinance amending Ordinance Number 1414, which is an ordinance creating Lateral Sewer District Number 93 in the City of Ottawa, Kansas and providing for the construction of a lateral sewer therein and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, and repealing Sections 1 and 2 of said Ordinance Number 1414, 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.

Bids received- Lateral Sewer #93.

This being the date set for receiving bids for the construction of a lateral sewer in lateral sewer district No. 93, and all bids being in, the commissioners proceeded to open up the bids. Bids were received as follows:

Wightman and Seevers	\$928.	Rock	\$8.00	shale	\$2.50
Vicks Plumbing shop	\$937.66	"	\$8.00	"	\$2.50
E. W. Bunyan	\$899.25	"	\$9.50	"	\$1.50
C. W. Barnett	\$970.45	"	\$5.00	"	\$2.50
Elder Mercantile Co.	\$912.40	"	\$8.00	"	\$2.50
Engineers Estimate	\$967.00	"	\$10.00	"	\$3.00

The bid of E. W. Bunyan being the lowest bid received and below the estimate of the engineer, he was awarded the contract, and the Mayor and the City Clerk were instructed to enter into contract with him for performing this work in accordance with the required specifications and to take from him a satisfactory bond, with approved security for the faithful performance of his contract.

Appraisers Appointed.

F. A. Clark, Martin Strafuss, and A. G. Stoffer were appointed appraisers for appraising the properties liable for the payment of assessments to pay the cost of constructing lateral sewers in sewer lateral districts numbers 91 and 93 and for improving South Hickory street from Twelfth to Thirteenth streets, West Tenth street from Main street to Locust street, North Main street from Tecumseh street to Main street Bridge, Tecumseh street from

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Main street to Hickory street. The city clerk was instructed to notify them of their appointment.

Date set for review of appraisements.

Monday, December 12, 1927 at ten O'clock A. M. was set as the date for reviewing appraisements made on properties liable for the payment of the cost of constructing lateral sewers in lateral sewer districts numbers 91 and 93 and for improving South Hickory street from Twelfth street to Thirteenth street, West Tenth street from Main street to Locust street, North Main street from Tecumseh street to Main street bridge, Tecumseh street from Main street to Hickory street.

The city clerk was instructed to have a notice run in the official paper of the city, giving public notice of the date of the review of these appraisements.

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

*H. E. Rogers*  
City Clerk

*J. M. E. E. E.*  
Mayor.

City, Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 7th, 1927.

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

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

Monthly reports filed.

Monthly reports of city clerk, city treasurer, Water and Light Department, Police Judge, Sexton of Hope Cemetery and semi-monthly report of City Market manager, Lambert were presented, inspected and approved and filed with the city clerk.

Return of Appraisement.

The appraisers appointed for appraising the properties liable for the payment of the cost of constructing lateral sewers in Lateral Sewer districts Nos. 91 and 93 and improving South Hickory street from Thirteenth to Twelfth streets, West Tenth street from Main to Locust streets, Tecumseh street from Main to Hickory streets, Main street from Tecumseh to Main street Bridge, returned their appraisements made.

Ordinance No. 1446.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance Number 1446, which Ordinance amended Ordinance Number 1414, said last numbered Ordinance being an Ordinance creating Lateral Sewer District Number 93 in the City of Ottawa, Kansas and providing for the construction of a Lateral Sewer therein, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof and repealing Section One of said Ordinance number 1445 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put 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.

Sewer contract filed. Lateral Sewer #93.

The contract, duly authorized by the Governing Body for the construction of Lateral Sewer #93, has been presented and is hereby approved. The bond submitted for the faithful execution of the contract is also approved and contract and bond are to be filed with the city clerk.

Final Estimate- Highland Cemetery Driveways.

C. A. Novak, engineer in charge filed a final estimate of the final cost of constructing drives in Highland Cemetery as per agreement with Bert Ross.

This final estimate of cost was accepted by the commission and payment is to be made to Ross as per agreement.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 465.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$35,363.71 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance put upon its second and final reading. Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final reading. 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.

Final estimate- paving.

Tecumseh- Main to Hickory- North Main street- Tecumseh to Main street bridge.

C. A. Novak, engineer in charge, presented his final estimate of the cost of paving North Main street from Tecumseh to Main street Bridge also for the south approach for the Main street Bridge, and for curbing and guttering Tecumseh street from Main street to Hickory street. He recommended that this work has been satisfactorily completed and now recommends final acceptance and payment. On his advice, the Commission hereby accept this work as completed.

Agreement with Board of County Commissioners-  
In re sanding and improving North Main St. road.

An agreement was effected with the Board of County Commissioners for improving North Main street north of Wilson street to the road leading west, north of the Santa Fe crossing at the Coal shutes, in which it was agreed that the county was to bring this road to grade and then the roadway is to be sanded and the city agrees to pay one half the cost of the sanding, an amount estimated at about \$400.

Meeting with Representatives of Kansas Inspection Bureau.

W. C. Hodges and Mr. Stewart of the Kansas Inspection Bureau, met with the Board of City Commissioners for discussing fire prevention and means for preventing the proposed increase in Fire rates in the city of Ottawa. A general discussion relative to the situation in Ottawa followed but no definite action taken.

Contract authorized- Improve West Tenth street  
Main to Locust streets.

The Mayor and the City clerk are hereby authorized to enter into contract with Cook and Stucker for paving, curbing and guttering and otherwise improving West Tenth street from Main street to Locust street, in accordance with recent contracts for paving.

On motion, the Governing Body adjourned to meet in session at a later date.

H. E. Rogers  
City Clerk

J. S. Meehee  
Mayor.

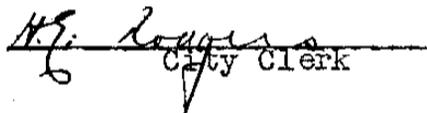
City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 12, 1927.

The City Governing Body met in Special session for the purpose of reviewing appraisments made on the properties liable for the payment of the costs of constructing Lateral sewers in Lateral sewer districts Nos. 91 and 93 and for improving as follows:

Improving South Hickory street from 12th to 13th streets. Improving North Main street from Tecumseh street to Main street Bridge. Improving Tecumseh street from Hickory street to Main street. Improving West Tenth street from Main street to Locust street.

Commissioner Mitchell presided in the absence of Mayor Weethee. Commissioner Johnson present.

The appraisments were carefully reviewed and changes were made as indicated in the Appraisement record.

  
City Clerk

  
Acting Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 14, 1927.

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

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

Petition filed- Close Pool Halls.

A petition, presented by Rev. I. W. Bailey, and signed by citizens of Ottawa, petitioned the repeal of Ordinance No. 1350, an Ordinance providing for the licensing of not over four Pool Halls in Ottawa. This petition was duly filed with the clerk, and taken under consideration by the Governing Body.

Petition filed- Gravel East Wilson 5/8 mile.

A petition was filed by A. P. Elder and L. A. Rupf, asking the Governing Body pass a resolution to gravel the 5/8ths of a mile of road running east from the corner of Cherry and Wilson streets. This petition was filed with the clerk pending further consideration.

Approval of Contract- Improve West Tenth.

The contract, authorized by the governing body, for paving West Tenth street from Main street to Locust street was duly executed, presented and is hereby approved by the Governing Body. The bond covering this work is hereby approved.

On motion, The Governing Body adjourned to meet in session at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 21, 1927.

The City Governing Body met in regular session with Mayor Weetheepresiding, Commissioners Mitchell and Johnson present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of Special meeting of December 12th were read and approved.

Assessment Ordinance- First Reading.  
Lateral Sewer No. 91.

An Ordinance apportioning nad levying Special assessments to pay the cost of installing a Lateral sewer in Lateral Sewer District Number 91 of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and put upon its first reading. Read the first time, and under the rules was laid over until its second and final reading.

Reports approved.

The quarterly repprt of the City Treasurer and semi monthly report of W. G. Lambert, manager of City Market were inspected and approved.

Appropriation Ordinance # 466.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$60,011.25 was introduced and placed upon its first reading. Read the first time and upon motion the rules were suspended and the Ordinance put 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.

Instructions to enter into Scavenger contract.

The Mayor and city clerk were instructed to enter into contract with Albert A. Peterson, for scavenger service for the year terminating with March 1st, 1929 on the basis of the present contract.

Conference with Pool Hall Owners.

A conference with the Pool Hall owners of the city of Ottawa with the Board of City Commissioners pertaining to the management of pool halls and the observance of the Ordinances permitting the licensing of and management of Pool Halls. Especial attention was given to the observance of the age limit

the use of obscene, vulgar, or improper language and the sale of cigarettes to those who may be minors and checking the burden of the responsibility to the owners of the Pool Halls.

Extension of Water Service.

An agreement was made with property owners on East eleventh street, east of College avenue, to extend a six inch line from College Avenue east on Eleventh street to the corner of Sycamore street on a guaranty of \$200. service, which amount has been paid into the Water and Light Department.

The Water and Light Department is hereby ordered to construct this line at their earliest convenience.

Ordinance- First Reading.  
Assessment- North Main Street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Main street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Tecumseh street to the Main street bridge by paving the approach to the Main street bridge and by widening the improvements on that portion of said street from the north end of Main street bridge to Tecumseh street and by surfacing said 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.

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

*W. Rogers*  
City Clerk

*J. M. Keith*  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 28, 1927.

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

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

Ordinance No. 1447- Assessment  
Lateral Sewer No. 91.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments to pay the cost of installing a Lateral sewer in Lateral sewer district No. 91 of the City of Ottawa, Kansas was put upon its second 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.

Ordinance No 1448- Assessment.  
Pave- North Main street.

An Ordinance apportioning and levying special assessments for the cost of improving Main street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas from the north line of Tecumseh street to the Main street bridge by paving the approach to the Main street bridge and by widening the improvements on that portion of said street from the north end of Main street bridge to Tecumseh street and by surfacing said street was placed upon its second 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.

Special Appropriation Ordinance No. 467.

An Ordinance making an appropriation in the amount of \$398.40 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 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.

ORDINANCE- First Reading  
SECOND HAND STORES- JUNK SHOPS

An Ordinance prohibiting the purchase of personal property by junk shop or second hand store dealers or pawn brokers from minors and prohibiting the sale of personal property to said persons by minors and providing a penalty therefor, 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 session at a later date.

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor.

City Hall, Ottawa, Kansas, December 31, 1927.

The City Governing Body met in Special session for the purpose of hearing complaints relative to proposed changes, in the boundaries and regulations contained in the Original Zoning ordinance of the city of Ottawa, Kansas, being Ordinance No. 1417, in accordance with published Notice of this proposed meeting. Mayor Weethee presiding, Commissioners Mitchell and Johnson present.

There being no complaints offered, the city attorney was instructed to draw up an ordinance incorporating the changes as outlined in the notice of this meeting.

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

H. E. Rogers  
City Clerk

J. S. Weethee  
Mayor.