Regular meeting of the City Council: Austin, Texas, Feby 26th 1914.

The Council was called to order by the Mayor : Roll called:

Present Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4 Absent Councilman Powell 1

The minutes of the last regular and subsequent recessed meetings were read and adopted:

Unfinished business :

The Mayor laid bef ore the Council an ordinance Regulating the storage and handling of Gasoline and other volatilesand inflamable liquids, within the City of Austin, and providing penalties.

Mayor Wooldridge offered the following amondment: Amond the ordinance, by adding after Sec 10, the following:

" Section 11 . The provisions of this ordinance shall not be held to apply to cases where individuals, firms or corporations receive and store gasoline, naptha, or other volatile and inflamable liquids in steel tanks mounted upon steel framesor brick supportslocated under authorization of the City Council ; nor shall this ordinanceapply to private Garages."

The amendment was adoopted by the following vote : Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

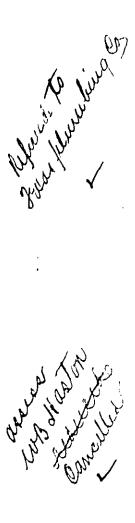
Absent Councilman Powell 1

Mayor Wooldridge moved to amend the ordinance further by atriking out in Sec 11, of the old ordinance, the following, "Section 12", which resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4 Absent Councilman Powell 1

The ordinance as amended was then passed by the following vote: Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4 Absent Councilman Powell 1 The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution : Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

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That five (\$5.00) dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the Sanitary

Sewer Earnings fund as a refund to the Texas Plumbing Co for an overpayment made by said Company into the Sanitary Sewer Earnings fund on Feby 23rd 1914.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmon Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4 Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution : Whereas, it appears from the attached affidavit of W B Haston, that the improvements on Lots 6 & 7, in block "A" , of Outlot 39 Div "O", Driving Park Addition to the City of Austin, Texas, were in ignorance assessed by his Brother-in-law.one J W Freeman, who is a joint owner of said property, at more than twice their valueand more than twice their actual cost, which does not, if at all exceed § 500.00 in value, as this Council is informed and believes. Now, therefore, Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the rendition and assessment of the value of the improvements on the above described property at one thousand and one hundred (\ddagger 1,100.00) dollars is nereby changed and reduced '

to the sum of five hundred (\$ 500.00) dollars , and the former assessment against said improvements of the value of one thousand one hundred (\$1,100.00) dollars is hereby cancelled and annulled.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote: Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4 Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution : Whereas, it appears from the attached affidavit of C E Spurlin that two thousand one hundred (\$ 21100.00) dollars of credits , appraised at one thousand six hundred and eighty (1,680.00) dollars , were assessed against him for the year 1913,; and

Whereas, it appears in suid oath that said credits ,which were in the nature of a mechanics lien against one Hugh H Gullen, were by him, the said Spurlin, trans -ferred to the Calcusieu Lumber Commediately super their execution, and prior to the lst day of January 1913.

Now, therefore, resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin: That said assessment of credits against said C E Spurlinin the amount of one thou--sand six hundred and eighty (\$1,680.00) dollars be and the same is hereby cancella and annulled.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote : Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4 Absent Councilman Powell 1

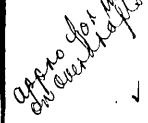
Co uncilman Bartholomew offered the following resolution : Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the sum of \$ 22,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be appropriated out of the Earnings fund of the Wter, Light & Power Department to purchase 14 inch cast iron pipe and other material to lay a water main through the eastern portion of the City, from 19th street to connect with the 20 inch water main near the State Lunatic Asylum.

The resolution was adopted by the following voto : Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4 Absent Councilman Powell 1

March 3rd 1914.

The Council was called to order by the Mayor with all members present:



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Councilman Haynes presented the following resolution ;

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the sum of three dollars and forty six cents (# 3.46) he and the same is

hereby appropriated out of the Sanitary Sewer Earnings fund in payment of interset on overdraft in said fund for the month of February 1914.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell 5 Nays none.

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

Councilman Haynes offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the sum of eighty two dollars and mixty six cents (\$ 82.66) be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the General contingent fund of the City of Austin

for the year 1914, in payment of interest on overdraft in the general fund for the month of February1914.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote: Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell 5 Nays none.

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor. The Mayor laid before the Council, the following resolution :

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the Supt of Streets and Public Improvements be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to have West Sth street from Congress Avenue to Colorado street paved with Bitulithic pavement, with a readway of 40 feet, and upon a 9 g per cent grade. The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Haynes & Powell 1 Nay Councilman Bartholomew 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution : Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

Portered At ordered That the Supt of Streets and Public Improvements be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to have West 8th street from Colorado to Lavacca street spaved with Bitu--lithic pavement, with a roadway of 40 feet, and upon such practicable grade as the City Engineer may direct.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

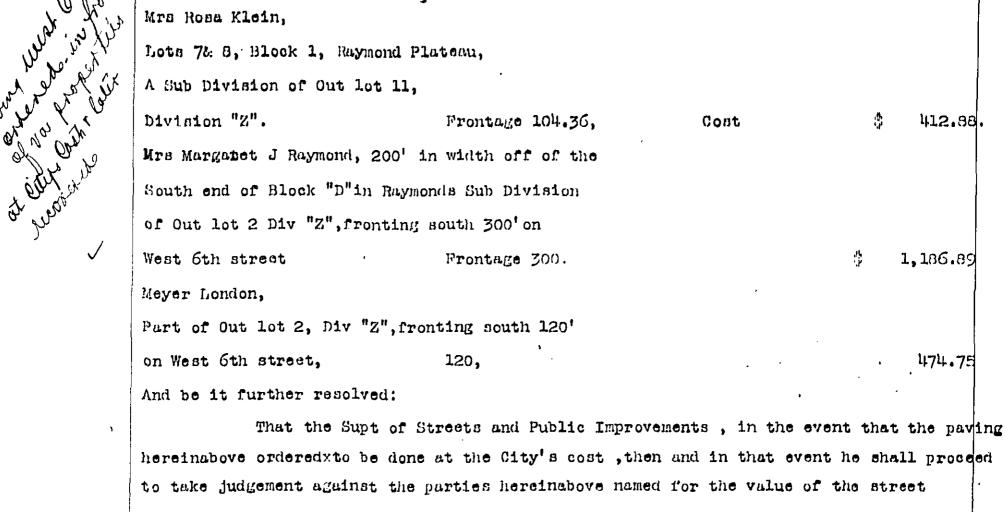
Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell 5 Nays none.

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution:

("111 no ca's 3,1914) Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the Supt of Streets and Public Improvements be and he is hereby authorized and ibstructed to have paved with Bitulithic pave ont and, if necessary, at the City's cost in front of the following described properties on West Oth street in this City , to-wit:



paveing hereinabove ordered to be done, and record said judgementagainst the several parties hereinabove named .

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Haynes & Powell Nay Councilman Battholomew 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor. Mayor Wooldridge offered the following resolution :

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

apple for an publication That thirty five (\$35.00) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of b the general contingent fund of the City of austin for the year 1914, in payment of the City's part per agreement, of charge for services rendered to the Austin Public Free Schools by Mra H H Criswell as Nurse to the Public Free Schoolsfor three ansd one-half months , beginning November 15th 1913, and ending March 1st 1914. The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

> Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell Nays none.

> > Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

Mne Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Whereas, it appears from the opinion of the City Attorney, Mr J Bouldin Rector, attached to this resolution and by reference made a part of it, that, in his judgement, the securities of the Scottish American Mortguge Company ,LTD, at times temporarily in this City, where said secarities are from time to time sent for collection as the same mature, are not credits permanently in this City, and therefore, nort properly , for this and other reasons, the subject of local municipal taxation. Now, Therefore;

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin : That the credits of the Scottish American Mortgage Company ,LTD, for the year 1912 in the amount of seventy seven thousand four hundred and eighty two dollars \$ 77,482.00) , assessed at eighty cents on the dollar, and thereby amounting to sixty one thousand nine hundred and eighty five dollars (\$ 61,985.00), and credits Assessed against the Scottish American Mortgage Company LTD, , for the year 1913, in the amount of minety mine thousand six hundred and twolve dollars(\$99,612.00), essessed at eighty cents on the dollar , and at said assessment amounting to seventy nine thousand six hundred and eighty nine dollars (\$ 79.689.00), be and the same are hereby cancelled and annulled and ordered struck from the assessment rolls of the City of Austin for the years 1912 and 1913, respectively. The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

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Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell 5 llays none,

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

Councilman Haynes offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That forty dollars (\$40.00) be and is hereby appropriated out of the general

contingent fund of the City of Austin for the year 1914, to pay the bill of O P Bonner for furnishing the City of Austin two copied of the Poll tax lists of the (ity of Austin for the year 1914.

In the year 1913, 4,703 poll tax receipts and exemption certificates were issued for votors inside of the corporate limits of this City. For the year 1914,

7,888, poll tax receipts and examption certificates were issued for voters within the corporate

limits of the City of Austin . The increase in qualified votors for 1914 over 1913 is 3.145

Theresolution was adopted by the following vote ":

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell 5 Nays none.

Approved , A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Council then adjourned.

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