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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the City Commissioners of Farmington held June 5, 1933.

Called to order by Mayor Warner at 7:55 p. m.

Commissioners present: Hatton, Hamlin, Stamann, Oldenburg, Osmus and Gildemeister.

George Irving of the State Dairy department addressed the commission in regard to the proper treatment of milk sold to our citizens and the law relating to the subject. He will make a report to the commission.

George Hovepian of Detroit spoke in regard to the cleaning of clothes and called upon the people of our city to patronize their own shops who owners pay taxes and help support the city.

The clerk reported the receipt of \$60.12 by his office during the month of May.

The following bills were read and approved by the Auditing Committee.

- Olh Russell, Inc., labor and material \$62.64
Doubleday-Hunt-Dolan Co. legal blanks 6.35
Farmington Lumber and Coal Co., coal, etc. 81.11
Earl Vivier, gas 16.93
Pioneer Chemical Co., fireman supplies 1.25
Dr. Aschenbrenner, welfare call 2.00
Detroit Edison, April pumping bill 84.46
Detroit Edison, street lights April 178.00
Bell Telephone Co., police booth 6.65
Bell Telephone Co., fire hall 4.15
Ralph Lapey, labor on city truck 11.00
Detroit Edison, pumping bill, May 74.29
Detroit Edison, street lights, May 178.00
Fred Paulini, kerosene, welfare 9.98
Dr. Noton, health officer, welfare 65.00
Sinclair Refining Co., gas 3.75
Farmington Hardware 1.15
Archie Leonard, legal advice 10.00
Homer Eisenlord, garbage deficit, April 7.00
Standard Oil Co., gas 4.16
Burns and Broberg, gas 20.44
Manning and Lotchin, gravel 1.50
Gregory Mayer and Thom. tax rolls 14.25
Detroit and Regal Stamp Co., stamps 10.00
Michigan Mutual Liability Co., insurance 129.74
L. Feandt, gravel 15.00
Turner and Clark, coal for welfare and fire hall 154.90
R. J. Adam, blacksmith labor 2.50
Farmington Market, welfare groceries 93.00
Kroger Co., groceries, welfare 8.00
William Chamberlain, kerosene, welfare 5.00
Farmington Enterprise, printing 19.20
L. C. Thayer, car upkeep 6.00
Dr. Norton, professional services, welfare 43.00
Delos Hamlin, groceries, welfare 139.67
Salaries Paid
William C. Maas 40.00
Harvey Blough 27.50
L. C. Thayer 40.00
Lee Doyle 30.00
Tom Armstrong 25.00
Eugens Edwards 17.50
Fred Stamann 15.00
Motion made by Osmus, sec-

onded by Gildemeister that bills be paid as read. Carried.

Motion made by Gildemeister, seconded by Oldenburg that city equipment be used for city purposes only. Carried.

Motion made by Osmus, seconded by Hatton that communication from Woman's Club be placed on file. Carried.

Petition received asking for extension of sewer on Thomas street to Farmington Road. Referred to sewer committee.

Moved by Gildemeister, seconded by Osmus that the following resolution be adopted. Resolved: that the account of Delos Hamlin against the City of Farmington amounting to \$366.37 for merchandise for welfare relief for the months of February, April and May be submitted to the receiver of the Peoples State Bank of Farmington for payment by an offset of \$732.74 of city funds in the Peoples State Bank of Farmington. By vote of the city commission this resolution was adopted unanimously.

In reply to a letter sent to the Attorney General, Lansing, Michigan, asking when a Justice of the Peace should take office. He says that "this office holds that the general law of the State of Michigan applies and the Justice should assume office on the 4th of July next succeeding his election."

Motion made by Hatton, seconded by Osmus that the street commissioner buy a car of road oil. No. Oldenburg, Gildemeister and Hamlin. Yeas. Osmus, Stamann, Hatton and Mayor Warner. Carried.

Commissioner Stamann made a

report on welfare. Small decrease in the number of those given aid. Moved by Hatton, seconded by Gildemeister that the sum of \$2,000.00 be included in the 1933 budget for a sinking fund to retire water bonds due in 1933. Carried.

The 1933 budget was read item by item and discussed and the following amounts were named for the various funds.

- Annual City of Farmington Budget July 1, 1933 to June 30, 1934
Bond Maturing \$5,000.00
Interest on bonds \$5,642.25
Detroit Edison, Co. light 2,000.00
Detroit Edison Co., power 1,200.00
Sidewalks 300.00
Streets 1,000.00
Sewers 500.00
Library Books 100.00
Fire Department and Upkeep 400.00
Cemeteries 100.00
Audit of Books 100.00
City Bldg's lights and fuel 300.00
General Fund 4,000.00
Assessors Plats and Survey by agreement 10/10/32
McAlpin 750.00
Salaries

- Commissioners and Mayor None
Supt. of Public Works 1,080.00
Assist. Supt. of Public Works house rent and fuel 720.00
Police Dept., watchman 720.00
Police Booth Expense 60.00
Watchman relief 100.00
Police for Safety School Street and Farmington Road and Grand River, 9 months 270.00
City Clerk 300.00
City Assessor 350.00
City Treasurer 480.00
Town Hall janitor 130.00
Librarian 120.00
Welfare 2,500.00

TOTAL \$26,226.25
Estimated Amount of Revenue Other Than Tax Levy
Water collection \$4,000.00
Licenses 25.00
TOTAL \$4,025.00

June 5, 1933 amended to include \$2,000 for Sinking Fund to retire City Bonds due 1933.

Howard Warner, Mayor. N. H. Power, City Clerk. Board of Estimates / Howard Warner, Mayor. N. H. Power, City Clerk.

Date, May 1, 1933. I hereby certify that this a true copy of the Farmington City budget for 1933.

N. H. Power, City Clerk

June 7, 1933. Moved by Gildemeister, seconded by Hamlin that the 1933 budget be adopted as read. Carried.

All Yeas. Motion made by Hatton, seconded by Gildemeister that the tax rate for 1933 be \$15.00 per thousand. Yeas. Gildemeister, Hamlin, Stamann and Hatton, Nays, Osmus and Oldenburg.

Moved by Gildemeister, seconded by Hamlin that 2 per cent be deducted from city taxes if paid in July and 2 per cent be added after penalty period. Carried. Adjourned 10:22 p. m.

N. H. POWER, City Clerk

POULTRY PLACE OPENS
Farmington Chickery, Grand River and Maple, has opened again for business under a new management. The establishment will furnish poultry and fresh eggs in both wholesale and retail quantities.

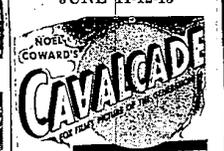
ENJOY COOL COMFORT AT THE GREAT LAKES THEATRE
14830 Grand River, Detroit 2250 Seats
(Only 15 minutes from Farmington)

Thurs., June 8 Last Showing Of



GABRIEL WHITE HOUSE
The Sensation of a Nation!
Fri. & Sat. June 9-10
Lionel Barrymore in 'SWEEPINGS'
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THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY

GENERAL OFFICES
2000 SECOND AVENUE
DETROIT, MICHIGAN
June 5, 1933

TO THE CUSTOMERS OF THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY
in 29 cities, 58 villages and 130 townships

Weekly Letter No. 10

These letters to you which we have published for the past nine weeks, have brought in quite a few letters asking questions:

One question is, what have we to say about the complaint against our rates filed in the spring of last year with the Michigan Public Utilities Commission. It would not be mannerly for us to discuss in advertisements those problems on which a duly constituted Commission has been asked to rule. After the ruling comes down we may have something to say.

Another question is, why all this advertising? The answer is that quite a few of you have been believing things that were not so. A common type of slander was to charge us with the sins or blunders of far-away people, with whom we had nothing to do. It now seems in order to explain that we are just everyday business people doing our day's work honestly; that we are an independent outfit serving just this corner of Michigan; and that we are not controlled by any alien interest.

It may be a pity that the electric industry is not a church, nor even a family, which might discipline unruly members. There has never been anything to prevent a speculator breaking into or buying into the industry, and we who are in it have no way of getting him out of it. We cannot read him out of church nor take him down to the woodshed.

Another question is, how we disposed of profits in years when we did have a good business? Here is the answer. Any profits that we have made, over and above bond interest and regular dividends, have been put right back into the business, to serve you. We have never paid an extra dividend nor a stock dividend.

The tax facts that we have been trying to get over to you in these advertisements are, first, that you are indirectly being taxed about three times as much on your electric light service as you were taxed ten years ago, and that you may presently be taxed still more; and, second, that taxing the Company means taxing the Company's customers. If you absorb these facts, these advertisements will have been justified.

Alex Dow
President

Anderson, Wilcox, Lacy & Lawson, Attorneys for Mortgagee, 1928 Buhl Building, Detroit, Mich.
MORTGAGE SALE - DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by GEORGE KELEL and KATIE KELEL, his wife, of the City of Highland Park, County of Wayne, and State of Michigan, to the HIGHLAND PARK TRUST COMPANY of the City of Highland Park, County of Wayne and State of Michigan, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan and having its principal place of business in the City of Highland Park, dated the Twelfth day of March, A. D. 1926, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Oakland County, Michigan, on the 15th of March, A. D. 1926, in Liber 497 of Mortgages, on Page 211, on which mortgage there is due and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of THREE THOUSAND FORTY HUNDRED FIFTY THREE AND 7/100 (\$3527.53) Dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the State of Michigan, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on Tuesday, the 12th day of September, A. D. 1933, at twelve o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time, at the Easterly or Saginaw Street entrance to the Oakland County Building in the City of Pontiac, County of Oakland, and State of Michigan, the premises described in and subject to the mortgage herein, the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland is held the premises described in and subject to the mortgage, together with seven per cent (7%) interest and all legal costs allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, including Attorney's fees, the following described premises, situated in the Village of Ferndale, County of Oakland, and State of Michigan:
Lot No. One Hundred Sixty-three (163) Adolph Steman's Woodward Boulevard Subdivision, a part of southeast quarter of Section 34, Town 2 North of Range 11 East, Royal Oak Township, Oakland County, Michigan. Plat recorded October 17, 1913, in Liber 2 of Plats, on Page 15, together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereon.
Dated: June 1st, 1933.
HIGHLAND PARK TRUST COMPANY,
ANDERSON, WILCOX, LACY AND LAWSON,
Attorneys for Mortgagee.
June 1 - Aug. 24.