

Street Pay Roll for under June 21	95.50
Comptroller	7.80
Street Pay Roll 28	51.74
Comptroller	3.20

Receipts

Abraham Gro to Street Imp	452.09
Western Union Tel to Reunions	10.00
1916 Taxes	104.10
Rent & Fuel for Mules	32.62
G.W. Crawford St Imp.	336.47
J.W. Wulborn Justice Byron only St Imp	369.87
Robt Brooks 1/2 Comptroller, lat	20.00
May Water Rents	406.82
Hauling	24.75

The report of Dr. G. White's team on graded school board read and ordered filed. On motion duly seconded and carried the public road from Attiling's lost house to P. Proctor was ordered closed. Moved seconded and carried that hydrant at Mariane Veenen & Paul Co. be moved at Campory expense. The Committee appointed to inspect books of Town Treasurer reported having examined same and found in proper shape. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered the Public Accountant J.E. Wilcox be employed to audit the Town Treasurer's books. No further business the board adjourned.

North Carolina
Town of Mariane

Mayor's Office
August 5, 1919.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Mariane, held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor L.J. Cutton, Aldermen E.H. Depost, E.B. Baker, B.L. Ashworth and W.C. Smith the following proceedings were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that public accountant J.E. Wilcox of Asheville, N.C., be employed to make a thorough audit of all receipts and disbursements of the Town of Mariane for the period of May 1st 1917 to May 1st 1919, to make a written report of such audit and to advise any changes of method in keeping the Town accounts as may seem fit. On motion duly seconded and carried Aldermen E.H. Depost and W.C. Smith were appointed a committee to investigate the application of the Mariane Telephone Company for a raise in telephone rates and report at next meeting of the Board. The bills for the month of July were read and passed as paid. Moved seconded and carried that George Dupree sexton at the Cemetery be discharged.

On motion duly seconded the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Resolved that the following taxes be and they are hereby levied upon all property, real and personal, and upon each poll within the said town, for the general and special expenses thereof, and the special

and
L. J. Cutton

taxes, for the year from May 1st 1919 to April 30th 1920, for the purposes hereinafter set forth to wit:

1st: A tax of one dollar on each \$100 worth of property, real or personal, within said town, and a tax of one dollar on each fall therein, for the general and current expenses of said town, and for the payment of interest upon its bonded indebtedness!

2nd: A special tax of seventy cents on each \$100 worth of property, real and personal, and a tax of one dollar on each fall for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the graded school of said town.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that the matter of the privilege taxes upon persons firms or corporations subject to such tax be left open until the next regular meeting of the Board.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that the Chief of Police be instructed to collect \$2.00 (Two dollars) street tax from all males who have resided thirty days or more in the town within the taxable ages.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that bills for unpaid sidewalk accounts be made out and presented to owners of the respective properties against which they are due and if not paid within 30 days of such presentation that said bills be given to the town attorney for collection.

No further business. The Board adjourned.

W.C. Smith Clerk.

Rochester, N.Y.
Town of Marietta

Mayor's Office
August 7, 1919.

At an adjourned meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marietta held in the Mayor's office on the above date present Mayor L. J. Cutler Aldermen E. H. Dyson, Eugene Cron, E. B. Baker and B. H. Ashworth the following proceedings were had to wit:

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that the Secretary consult Mr. Jones owner of C. E. Hagan property or Marietta Cotton Mills if they have option on property through which proposed street improvement is discussed to learn what proportion of the cost of such improvement said property owner will be willing to bear. Also that Just. Tate consult Mr. T. F. Lorenson concerning cost of said improvement and conditions under which it should be made.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that a Ford truck be purchased for use of Town.

No further business. The Board adjourned.

W.C. Smith Clerk.

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Sept 23rd/1919

At the regular monthly meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's office on the above date present Mayor L. J. Cutler, Aldermen E. L. Deport, Eugene Cross, E. B. Baker, O. L. Ashworth and W. C. Smith the following business was transacted to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meetings were read and approved. On motion duly seconded W. C. Tate was appointed Town Tax Collector to collect 1919 Town Taxes.

Motion seconded and carried that report of Corporation Tax Commission as read by Mayor L. J. Cutler be turned over to the Town Tax Listers. On motion duly seconded and carried a one inch water line was ordered laid from present end of line by Sheriff Laughridge residence to the Lewis property. The application of Mr. Board for water line to said Board residence was postponed until such time as permanent water main be laid. Motion seconded and carried that application for installing further electric light in Post Office be deferred for further review.

On motion duly seconded and carried that the box or pit type of sanitary privy as required by the State of North Carolina to be constructed at such residence or other places in the Town of Marion where sewer and water connection is not required by the Town, be and hereby is adopted as the type of privy required to be constructed within the Town of Marion under penalty as required by law of the State of North Carolina.

This ordinance to be in effect on and after Oct 1, 1919

W. C. Smith Clerk.

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Sept 25/1919

At a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's office on the above date present Mayor L. J. Cutler, Aldermen B. L. Ashworth, E. L. Deport, Eugene Cross, and W. C. Smith the following proceedings were had to wit:

Motion seconded and carried that application of Gaston O. Tate for permit to erect a store building 42 x 100 feet on Main Street with permission to use not more than one fourth of street for storing building material be granted.

On motion duly seconded and carried the following privilege Taxes were levied to wit:

On each telegraph Company having an office and doing business within the Town of Marion the sum of \$10.00 per annum; On each Gas Company having an office and doing business within said Town a tax of \$20.00 per annum, On every person firm or Corporation selling illuminating oil etc, and having a station or warehouse for the distribution of and sale thereof a tax of 10.00 per annum. That the maximum tax allowed by the revenue act of 1917 for the privilege of doing business or businesses enumerated therein to be levied by cities and towns be and the same is hereby levied.

May
Ordinance

On motion duly seconded and carried the following town ordinance was passed and ordered published in three issues of the Marion Progress.

Whereas it is the desire of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen to make

the license conditions in the Town of Marion
as healthful and sanitary as possible. Now
therefore be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen
of the Town of Marion;

1st: That all existing ordinances relating to the
keeping of hogs in the Town of Marion are hereby
repealed.

2nd: That the ordinance now in effect relating
to the keeping of hogs in the Town of Marion shall
continue in effect until the first day of February,
1920, and no longer.

3rd: That on and after the first day of February,
1920, no hog or hogs shall be allowed to be
kept or maintained within the corporate limits of
the Town of Marion.

4th: That any person or persons, firm or corporation
that shall keep or maintain a hog or hogs within
the corporate limits of the Town of Marion on or
after the first day of February, 1920, shall pay
a fine of Five Dollars per day for each hog
so kept or maintained.

W. C. Smith, Clerk

Hog
Ordinance

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
November 3, 1919.

At the regular monthly meeting of
the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the
Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office
on the above date the following proceedings
were had to wit:

Present Mayor L. J. P. Sutton, Aldermen
B. L. Ashworth, E. B. Baker, Eugene Cross,
D. K. Depert & W. C. Smith.

The minutes of the preceding meeting
were read and approved. Current bills
read and passed. Moved seconded
and carried that all sidewalk accounts
be presented and if not paid within 30
days of presentation be given to attorney
for collection. On motion duly seconded
and carried that the office of Town Attorney
be abolished and the town treasurer instructed
to pay the present City Attorney S. E. Hedges his
salary from May 1st 1919 to Nov 1st 1919. On motion
duly seconded and carried the Town water
superintendent H. S. Tate was ordered
to advise all parties applying for extension
of town water system, that until further
action no extensions other than permanent
4" mains will be constructed by the
Town. On motion duly seconded and carried,
B. L. Ashworth and H. S. Tate were instructed to
exchange the town book accounts as last
terms to be had. On motion duly seconded and
carried W. C. Smith was ordered to pay the
town the sum of \$25.00 for use of Town mixer
and also pay for all repairs to said mixer while
used by W. C. Smith. On motion duly seconded
and carried H. S. Tate was ordered

to rent miler for use in hauling
operations within the town limits only at
a fair price for such use, those renting the
miler to keep said miler in repair at the renters
expense. On motion duly seconded and
carried the salary of W. H. Tate was ordered
to be \$150.00 per month beginning Nov 1st 1919
with instructions that said W. H. Tate devote all
his time to the Town business. On motion
duly seconded and carried Tax Collector W. H. Tate
was ordered to pay all money collected for
taxes to the Town Treasurer and the Town
Treasurer ordered to pay to Treasurer of
School Board their proportion of said Tax
funds. No further business the Board
adjourned

W. Smith, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Mariaville

January 6, 1920
Mayor's Office

At the monthly meeting of the Mayor
and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Mariaville
held in the Mayor's Office on the above date
present Mayor L. P. Clinton, Aldermen
E. B. Baker, B. L. Ashworth, Eugene Cross
and W. C. Smith the following proceedings
were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and an motion duly seconded
and carried the motion therein ordering
the town tax collector to pay all moneys
collected for taxes direct to town treasurer
was amended to read, The town tax collector
shall pay to the treasurer of the School
Board the proportion of taxes levied and
collected for school purposes and to town
treasurer taxes collected for town purposes,
with this amendment the minutes were
ordered approved. The report of the
treasurer and disbursements & collections
since last regular meeting was read and
approved. On report of the Street Committee
it was moved seconded and carried
that the Street Superintendent notify the property
owners on Spring Street that the Town
would construct a sidewalk on the South
side of said street provided each property
owner agree to pay one half the actual
cost of such construction estimated at
presently costs to be approximately 3.00 per square
yard. On motion duly seconded and
carried the bills of W. B. Ruffin for 65.00
for carpentering and listing 1919 taxes
and the bill of J. E. Wilson Auditor for

to rent miter for use in handling
operations within the town limits only at
a fair price for such use, thus renting the
miter to keep said miter in repair at the rental
expense. On motion duly seconded and
carried the salary of D. H. Tate was ordered
to be \$150.00 per month beginning Nov 1st 1919
with instructions that said D. H. Tate devote all
his time to the Town business. On motion
duly seconded and carried Tax Collector W. H. Tate
was ordered to pay all money collected for
taxes to the Town Treasurer and the Town
treasurer ordered to pay to Treasurer of
School Board their proportion of said Tax
funds. No further business the Board
adjourned

W. Smith, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marietta

January 6, 1920
Mayor's Office

At the monthly meeting of the Mayor
and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marietta
held in the Mayor's Office on the above date
present Mayor J. P. Linton, Aldermen
E. B. Baker, B. L. Ashworth, Eugene Cross,
and W. L. Smith the following proceedings
were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and duly seconded and carried
and carried the motion therein ordering
the town tax collector to pay all moneys
collected for taxes direct to town treasurer
was amended to read, The town tax collector
shall pay to the treasurer of the School
Board the proportion of taxes levied and
collected for school purposes and to town
treasurer taxes collected for town purposes,
with this amendment the minutes were
ordered approved. The report of the
treasurer and disbursements & collections
since last regular meeting was read and
approved. On report of the Street Committee
it was moved seconded and carried
that the Street Superintendent notify the property
owners on Spring Street that the Town
wants constructed a sidewalk on the South
side of said street provided each property
owner agree to pay one half the actual
cost of such construction estimated at
present cost to be approximately 2.00 per square
yard. On motion duly seconded and
carried the bills of W. B. Kirby for 65.00
for compensation and listing 1919 taxes
and the bill of J. E. Wilson Auditor for

are delivered, the books and accounts of the
Taxes for the two years May 1st 1917 to May 1st 1919
be approved & paid.

On motion duly seconded and carried
Alderman Est. Depart was appointed
Mayor pro-tem to act as Mayor in absence
of Mayor Cutler.

On motion duly seconded & carried
the Mayor was ordered to have a suitable police
guard house built and placed in the most
suitable location.

On motion duly seconded and carried the
following ordinance was enacted:

It shall be unlawful for any automobile,
truck or wagon to overtake and pass
the town horse cart or fire wagon while said
horse cart or fire wagon is en route to any fire
or fire alarm without permission of the
fire chief under penalty of \$5.00 and costs for
each offense.

On motion duly seconded and carried the
water superintendent was directed to purchase
a diaphragm pump and sewer rods.

It was moved seconded and
carried that the ~~no~~ boundary line on the Town
water shed be trimmed out and burned
in the best judgment of Superintendent Tatro.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Wm. Smith, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor Office
July 2, 1920

At a called meeting of the Mayor and
Board of Aldermen held at the Mayor's
office on the above date present Mayor J. H. Miller,
Aldermen Est. Depart, W. C. Smith, B. H. Smith
and Eugene Cran the following proceedings were
had to wit:

Hog
Ordinance
repealed
Refused

After discussion of petitions relating
to the Hog Ordinance it was moved seconded
and carried that in consideration of the
public health that the Hog ordinance as
passed by the Board of Aldermen in the meeting
of September 2, 1919, do stand unchanged
and the Mayor further directed to publish
such information in the Marion Progress.

On motion duly seconded the Mayor
was directed to have an ordinance relating
to the control of the small pox now prevalent
contradicting the infection and diffusion
of said disease, carried. No further
business the Board adjourned.

Wm. Smith, Clerk

North Consolidated
Towns of Marion

Mayor's Office
April 3, 1920

At the regular meeting of the
Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the
Town of Marion held in the Mayor's
office on the above date, present Mayor
H. P. Culler, Aldermen B. P. Ashworth,
Eugene Cross, E. P. Baker, and W. C. Smith, the
following proceedings were had to wit:
The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and approved. Bills for the current
month were reported by treasurer and passed
as paid. An motion duly seconded and
carried the Clerk was ordered to advise with
Superintendent of Sanitation regarding the
excavating of a street across the Hudson
Street Crossing to Cross Hill. It was moved
seconded and carried that Mr. C. C. C. be
permitted to grade across it at the rear of
his lot at his expense. No further business
the Board adjourned.

W. C. Smith, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayors Office
June 8th 1920

At the regular monthly meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, held in the Mayors office on the above date, present Mayor J. P. Sutton Aldermen E. B. Babler, B. L. Ashworth, Eugene Cross, Ed. Dehart and W. C. Smith, the following business was transacted to wit:

Bills paid during the month of May were read and passed as paid. The treasurer reporting a balance of \$278.04 in Town Treasury. On report of Street Committee that the cost of improving Henderson street from the Southern Railway Co. to the end of the paving, would approximate \$2000.00 the said improvement was postponed until more favorable working conditions. Like action was ordered on sidewalk improvements on North side of Henderson St. On motion duly seconded and carried the privilege of grading Logans street from the Methodist Parsonage to end of the street was granted to be continued by Mr. Jones he to have the disposal of the dirt so graded. Provided that the street be left in condition satisfactory to Street Committee. It was moved seconded and carried that the Chief of Police Jacob Arnold be paid an increase of \$10.00 per month beginning with June 1st. No further business the Board adjourned.

W. C. Smith Clerk,

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayors Office
August 12th 20

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayors office on the above date present Mayor J. P. Sutton Aldermen B. L. Ashworth, Eugene Cross, Eugene Cross and W. C. Smith the following transactions were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. After statement of Mr. McCannell of damages claimed by him by reason of flood water overflowing on his lot an motion duly seconded and carried in accordance with agreement of Mr. McCannell to abide by their decision in the case, Mr. McCannell selected Mr. Wm. Sweeney, the Mayor selected Mr. J. D. Blanton a committee to view the claim and assess proper damages. In case the two

committee men were unable to agree on the damage, they are empowered to select a third member. The committee such decision to be final. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that all town water rates be increased $33\frac{1}{3}$ per cent over the rates as now fixed such increase to begin and be in effect September first 1920. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that a charge of fifty cents per month be made for use of sewer on each and every sewer connection said sewer charge to be collected by the water Superintendent with the water rents, said charge to begin on the first of September 1920. An motion duly seconded and carried

Charge water
Rate.

Mayor Cutton was instructed to advise
 the Board of Aldermen
 of Mariav request that no change effective
 before March 20, 1921, be made in automobile
 license law now locally affecting in force in
 the Town of Mariav and adjoining zone. No
 further business the Board adjourned

Wm. Smith, Clerk

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 Town of Mariav

Mayors Office
 Sept 17, 1920

At the regular monthly meeting of the
 Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town
 of Mariav held in the Mayors office on
 the above date present, Mayor J. C. Cutton
 Aldermen E. W. Bryant B. Lashworth Eugene
 Cross and W. C. Smith the following business
 was transacted to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
 read and approved. On motion duly
 seconded and carried, the charge of fifty
 cents per month for sewer connections was
 was suspended until future action.

The report of the Graded School Secretary
 & Treasurer for the year 1919-1920 was
 presented to the Board and ordered filed.

On motion duly seconded the following
 resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved that the following taxes be and
 they are hereby levied upon all property, real
 and personal, and upon each poll within
 the said Town, for the general and special
 purposes thereof, and the special taxes for the
 year from May 1st 1920 to April 30th 1921,
 for the purpose hereinafter set forth to wit:

1st: a tax of forty one cents on each
 \$100.00 worth of property, real or personal,
 within said Town, and a tax of 1.00 on each
 poll therein, for the general and current
 expenses of said Town, and for the payment
 of interest on its bonded indebtedness;

2nd: A special tax of twenty eight
 cents on each \$100.00 worth of property,
 real and personal, within said Town, and
 a tax of 1.00 on each poll for the purpose

of defraying the expenses of the graded school of said town.

2nd; that the aforesaid privilege taxes be levied to wit: On each telegraph Company, working an office and doing business within said town a tax of \$10⁰⁰ per annum; On each Express Company, working an office and doing business within said town a tax of \$20⁰⁰ per annum;

On every person, firm or corporation selling illuminating oils and kerosene and having a station or warehouse for the distribution and sale thereof to tag off 10° per annum

4th: That the maximum tax allowed by the revenue act of the State of North Carolina for the privilege of doing business or businesses enumerated therein, to be levied by cities and towns, be and the same is hereby levied,

It was moved seconded and carried that the selectmen and Mayor of the Town of Marion hold a meeting at the Court House in said Town of on Monday night Sept 29th to discuss the finances and affairs of the said Town and that circulars be printed and circulated inviting the attendance of the citizens of said Town, the committee appeared to settle damages with Mr McCannell having failed to serve, it was moved seconded and carried that Sept 30th settle with McCannell to best advantage.

Moved second and carried that the Police
be required to wear uniform at all times when
on duty. He further advised the Board and

Wm. Smith, Clerk

North Carolina,
Lancaster of Marion

Mayor's Office
November 23/20

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marietta held in the Mayor's office on the above date present Mayor J. P. Cotton Aldermen E. A. Shepard, Eugene Gray, B. L. Ashworth and W. C. Smith the following business was transacted to wit:

On motion duly seconded and carried
The Mayor and Finance Commission were
authorized to borrow five thousand
dollars from the Bank to carry the
indebtedness caused by the street improvement
Bonds of 1889 falling due until such time
as refunding Bonds can be sold to advantage.
on the debt schedule proposed. On Motion

July recorded and carried Tax Collector
Johⁿ was instructed to refund the sum of
\$173.24 to the Blounts Fred Campor said
sum having been collected in error.

Moved recorded and carried that the
reservoir settle with Wm. Dweeney for
Lesting and Campsting lines such settlement
to be made to best advantage. On Motion
July recorded and carried a water line
was ordered laid at end of Logan Street
for such residents outside of the town
limits wishing town water. provided said
residents defer cost of said line and agree
to pay town rates for said water service.
On Motion July recorded and carried it
was ordered that the town pay D. A. Kanipe
County and town taxes for 1920 in return for
all sand and gravel on said D. A. Kanipe
place, said sand & gravel to be hauled off
by December 1st 1921. Moved recorded
and carried that the Mayor instruct the
town police to arrest any person under
16 years of age provided and take them
before the juvenile court judge, whenever
such person under 16 years of age may
be found operating an automobile in
violation of the state automobile laws of
North Carolina. Moved & recorded the
Board adjourn. Carried.

Wm. Smith, Clerk.

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
July 6 1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor
and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion
held in the Mayor's office on the above date
present Mayor L. J. Coston, Aldermen
B. L. Ashworth, Est. Depert, Eugene Crass and
W. C. Smith the following transactions were
had to wit: The minutes of the preceding
meeting were read and approved. Moved
recorded and carried that Superintendent
Johⁿ be instructed to report on cost of
concrete traffic posts at street intersections.
On Motion July recorded and carried
the Mayor was instructed to employ a
night policeman in place of James
Faulk beginning February 1st, said James
Faulk to be discharged Feb 1st 1922. On
Motion July recorded and carried M. L.
Whitener was elected Chief of Fire Dep-
artment. On Motion July recorded and
carried N. H. Tate was appointed Building
Inspector the fees of said Building Inspector
the fees to be \$2.00 for issuing permit for each
building and \$2.00 for issuing certificate.
said fees to be paid by owner of Building.
It was moved recorded and carried
the Mayor in connection with town attorney
prepare bill regulating licenses, charges &
privileges of public service automobiles
and submit said bill to representative from
Marion for passage by the legislature
of North Carolina controlling the operation
of public service automobiles in the town
of Marion and surrounding zone.
It was further moved recorded and
carried that a form of license and

Central for drivers and chauffeurs of
 all automobiles in said Town of Marietta
 and surrounding ~~low~~ zones be ever posted
 in the Hill. An motion duly succeeded
 and carried the mayor was advised to
 instruct the town marshal to order all
 chauffeurs of public service cars at the
 Southern Ry. station to stay within five feet
 of their respective cars and within the line
 of posts fixed ~~at~~ by the railway company
 and forbid any solicitation of business
 outside of said limits under penalty of
 ten dollars for each offense in violation
 of said ordinance. An motion duly
 succeeded and carried the mayor was
 instructed in conference with the town attorney
 to prepare an ordinance controlling the
 transportation of intoxicating liquor within
 the limits of the Town of Marietta. No further
 business. The Board adjourned.
 W. C. Smith, Clerk

North Carolina
 Town of Marietta

Mayor's Office
 Feb 9, 1920

At the regular monthly meeting of the Mayor
 and the aldermen and of the Town of Marietta
 held in the Mayor's office on the above
 date the following proceedings were had
 to wit: The - do next for -

North Carolina
Town of Marietta

Mayor's Office
February 9th 1921

At the regular monthly meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marietta held in the Mayor's Office on the above date present Mayor L. P. Cullen, Aldermen E. H. Dyart, B. L. Ashworth and W. C. Smith the following proceedings were had to wit: The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer made report of disbursements and receipts for month of January. On motion duly seconded and carried that Superintendent Tate was ordered to construct a concrete traffic post in the intersection of Chest and Main Streets. It was moved seconded and carried that Road Supervisor Cordell be allowed a remit of \$200 account of Town Street Tax. On motion duly seconded and carried James Finley was employed as night police from Feb 1st subject to satisfactory performance of the duties of night policeman the hours of duty of said night police to be from nine P.M. to six A.M. Moved seconded and carried that the Town Secretary proceed without delay to collect any and all sidewalk accounts for sidewalk construction owed by property owners to the Town of Marietta and employ such legal aid as may be necessary for said collection.

No further business the Board adjourned

W. C. Smith, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marietta

Mayor's Office
February 23rd 1921

At a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marietta held in the Mayor's Office on the above date present Mayor L. P. Cullen, Aldermen E. B. Baker, B. L. Ashworth, Eugene Cox, E. H. Dyart and W. C. Smith the following proceedings were had to wit:

An motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that James Finley be paid salary as night police until March 1st and discharged. An motion duly seconded and carried O. C. Adams was elected night policeman subject to the satisfactory performance of the duties of night policeman at a salary of \$65.00 per month. Moved seconded and carried that a watchman be purchased and installed for use of night policeman. Moved seconded and carried that three fire light posts be purchased to install at the intersection of Main and Madison Sts, Main and Chest Sts and Main and Church Sts. No further business the Board adjourned.

W. C. Smith, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Clerks Office
March 3rd 1921

At a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Masonic Hall on the above date present Mayor L. P. Platten Aldermen, E. H. Dwyer, Eugene Goss, E. B. Baker, B. L. Ashworth & W. C. Smith, the following business was transacted to wit:

It was moved seconded and carried that the Town of Marion purchase a fire truck and equipment from the Foreman-King Motor Co. of Charlotte N.C. for the sum of \$3750.
No further business the Board adjourned
W. C. Smith, Clerk.

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
March 10th 1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date present Mayor L. P. Platten, Aldermen E. H. Dwyer, B. L. Ashworth, E. B. Baker and W. C. Smith the following proceedings were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meetings were read and approved.
A motion duly seconded and carried the Town Clerk was ordered after consultation with Aldermen Eugene Goss to purchase a watchman's clock for use of night policeman. It was moved seconded and carried that the Mayor be authorized to purchase from J. D. Stanton a lot on ^{corner} between Court & Church Sts for use of Town. A motion duly seconded and carried the Mayor was authorized to equip the night policeman with a suitable revolver. No further business the Board adjourned
W. C. Smith, Clerk.

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor Office
April 14th 1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's office on the above date present Mayor L. J. Burton, Aldermen E. H. Dyer, Eugene Conner, B. F. Ashworth and W. C. Smith, the following proceedings were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. The Mayor reported purchase of lot on Logan St from J. D. Shubert for \$1400 for the purpose of erecting a Municipal Building thereon. On motion duly seconded and carried, a town election was ordered held at the Courthouse on the first Monday in May for the purpose of electing a Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion to serve during the two years from that date. C. B. Nichols was appointed register and W. C. Sweeney and U. C. Crawford judges of said election. It was moved seconded and carried that J. D. Tate be appointed Tax collector to list town taxes for the year 1921. And the Town Clerk was ordered to give notice as required by law both of the town election and to splitting.

It was moved seconded and carried that the town employ Mr. J. E. Wilcox to audit the town accounts for the year May 1919 to May 1921 and the clerk was directed to make such arrangement with Mr. Wilcox.

On motion duly seconded and carried the Town Clerk was ordered to direct Mr. R. F. Burton to remove an outside closet now on his premises or connect same with sewer.

It was moved seconded and carried that the town pay to Geo. Giles the sum of \$100 for payment of membership fees in the previous association of the state.

On motion duly seconded and carried permit was ordered issued to W. C. Smith for a garage building on corner of Chest and Garden St with gasoline pump on Chest and Garden St and permission to construct storm sewer on Garden St along Garden St front of said building. No further business. The Board adjourned.
W. C. Smith Clerk.

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Office of E. H. Depart
April 11th 1921

At a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the office of Alderman E. H. Depart on the above date, present E. H. Depart Mayor, J. M. Moore, J. S. Cullen, Aldermen E. H. Depart, Eugene Cross and W. C. Smith the following proceedings were held to wit:

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that a four inch water line be laid on Sullivan St a distance of 450 feet from Cambridge with water line on Court Street. It was duly moved seconded and carried that the town accept street running from Court Street corner of property now owned by J. M. Smith to street running parallel with the Landis property on the Sullivan side development and that said street be and hereby is named Sullivan Street.

It was moved seconded and carried that Town buy 450 feet of four inch water pipe and fittings from General Fire Engineering Company @ 42¢ per foot. Moved seconded and carried that Street Improvement 'natis for street paving be collected with simple interest. Moved seconded and carried that swimming pool Company be permitted to install a drinking fountain and flowing fountain water to be furnished only at such time or times as there shall be excess supply from needs of Town. Moved seconded and carried that Town permit use of Town Commons for playground appropriate no liability to the Town however to be incurred through such permit or usage. No further business the Board adjourned
W. C. Smith, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office

At a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion

Report of election of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen
for the Town of Marion, held on May 2-1921.
Town of Marion.

We the undersigned Registrar and Judges of election
for the Town of Marion, McDowell County, North Carolina,
having held the election in the aforesaid Town according
to law, do hereby make and certify to be correct the follow-
ing statement and return of votes cast for candidates for
the offices of Mayor and Aldermen at the election held in
said town on the first Monday in May, it being the
second day thereof in the year of our Lord One thousand
nine hundred and Twenty-one; to-wit:

For Mayor, H. H. Tate received 446 votes

" " Ben Price " 212 "

For Aldermen, C. R. McCall received 652 votes

" " S. A. Neal " 650 "

" " P. D. Sinclair " 632 "

" " J. H. Tate " 607 "

" " C. F. James " 582 "

" " S. E. Snipes " 105 "

" " Ed Landis " 10 "

" " A. C. Cranford " 4 "

" " S. W. Wilson " 2 "

" " A. L. Hilkey " 2 "

" " W. M. Swainey " 1 "

Signed

C. B. Mitchell Registrar

A. C. Cranford Judge

W. M. Swainey "

Marion, N. C.

May 3-1921

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen elect met on above
date at the Mayor's office in the Town of Marion, Present
H. H. Tate, Mayor and Aldermen C. R. McCall, S. A. Neal, P. D.
Sinclair, J. H. Tate and C. F. James.

The oath of office was administered to the above-
named parties by W. H. Hawkins, C. S. C. After being duly
sworn in as Mayor, H. H. Tate called a meeting of the Board of
Aldermen

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
May 3rd 1921

At a ~~regular~~ ^{elect} meeting of the Mayor and Board
of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the
Mayor's office on the above date, present H. H. Tate
Mayor, S. A. Neal, C. F. James, C. R. McCall, J. H. Tate and
P. D. Sinclair, Aldermen, the following proceedings
were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and approved.

On motion duly seconded and carried S. A. Neal
was elected Secretary and Treasurer of the Town of
Marion and Clerk to the Board of Aldermen at a
salary of \$12.50 per month. On motion duly seconded
and carried C. F. James was elected Mayor Pro-Tem.
On motion duly seconded and carried J. H. Winborne
was elected City Attorney for the term of two years
at a salary of \$75.00 per annum. On motion duly
seconded and carried Jacob Smith and C. C. Adams
were retained as policemen, for the present. On
motion duly seconded and carried J. H. Tate and
S. A. Neal were elected as street committee. On motion
duly seconded and carried W. M. Swainey was appointed
to list city taxes, at a salary not to exceed \$75.00
for the year 1921.

It was moved, seconded and carried that Town
purchase a night watchman's clock. No further
business the Board adjourned to convene May 10th 1921
S. A. Neal, Clerk

S. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
May 10th 1921

At a ^{regular monthly} ~~call~~ meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's office on the above date, present H. H. Gate, Mayor, C. F. James, L. A. Neal, P. D. Sinclair, C. R. McCall and J. H. Gate, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

An application in proper form and as provided by law was submitted from the Marion Graded School Board requesting the calling of an election for the purpose of obtaining an expression of the will of the voters of Marion upon the question of issuing bonds for the building of a new high school building at a cost not to exceed sixty-five thousand dollars and levying tax upon the taxable property and polls as provided by law sufficient to pay the interest on said school bonds and providing a sinking fund for payment of bonds, all as provided by law. After discussion the Board being of opinion that the school facilities in the Town of Marion are inadequate and that a new high school building is needed it is therefore resolved that an election be and the same is hereby called to take place on Friday the 17th day of June, 1921 for the purpose of ascertaining the will of the voters of the Town of Marion upon the question of issuing bonds in an amount not to exceed sixty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of providing a new high school building.

It is further resolved that a new registration be had especially for said bond election and the books shall open on Saturday the 28th day of May, 1921 and close on Saturday the 11th day of June, 1921 at sunset. It is further resolved that N. B. Rathbun be and he is hereby appointed registrar, and D. A. Stamps and Thos. Y. Riddle be and they are hereby appointed judges of election.

It is further resolved that the place of polling shall be at the Courthouse in the Town of Marion and all qualified voters wishing to vote in favor of issuing said bonds and levying tax herein provided for shall vote a written or printed ticket with the words "For school bonds" and those wishing to vote against said bonds and the levying of taxes herein provided shall vote a written or printed ticket with the words "Against school bonds."

It is further resolved that an equal number of tickets "For school bonds" and "Against school bonds" be printed sufficient to meet the needs of the voters.

It is further resolved the notice of this election be given for thirty days as provided by law.

A motion duly seconded and carried D. C. Hudgins and L. A. Neal were re-elected members of the Marion Graded School Board.

On motion duly seconded and carried, C. B. Mitchell, A. C. Cranford and H. M. Ramsey were allowed \$6.00 each pay as registrar and judges of Town election held on 2nd day of May 1921. No further business the Board adjourned.

L. A. Neal, Clerk

L. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
May 18-1921

at a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's office on the above date, present J. H. Tate, Mayor, C. F. James, P. D. Sinclair, C. R. McCall, J. H. Tate and R. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly seconded and carried, J. H. Tate, P. D. Sinclair and C. R. McCall were appointed a committee to investigate the "parking" of automobiles on main streets.

On motion duly seconded and carried the following ordinance was enacted:-

Whereas, itinerant theatrical tent shows are deleterious to the public health, morals and welfare of the citizens of the town of Marion:-

Therefore, Be it ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of the town of Marion, North Carolina that all itinerant theatrical shows are prohibited from showing or putting any performance within ~~four~~ ^{five} hundred feet of any residence in the corporate limits of the town of Marion, provided, however, that this ordinance shall not apply to shows in connection with chautauquas and those conducted under the auspices of charitable institutions of the town, and it is further ordained that any person, firm or corporation engaged in the showing or putting on any performance, and any person participating in the showing or putting on any performance in violation of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine of Fifty Dollars for each violation, and on each day a performance is shown or put on or engaged in shall constitute a separate violation of this ordinance.

And it is further ordained that this ordinance shall be in force and effect from its passage.
Carried this the 18th day of May, 1921.

Tent Shows Ordinance
(see page 131)

It is ordered that Court Street and the same is hereby ordered to be widened and straightened by taking additional land on the south side through the front of the property of M. J. Hoover. It is further ordered that the town proceed to provide a hard surface paving on Court Street from the top of hill east of residence of M. J. Hoover to the foot of Court House Hill on west side of Harden Street, then up Harden Street to the north side of New Street and then west with New Street to Main Street of 9 feet width on each side of the State Central Highway pavement of 18 feet, making a pavement of 36 feet and these said streets shall constitute one section and that the cost thereof be taxed pro rata as provided by law against property owners.

It is further ordered that sidewalks be built on Court Street along south side of street where change is herein ordered.

It is further ordered that a commission of three men be selected, one by the Board of Aldermen, one by M. J. Hoover and these two select a third member, to assess the damage, if any, by reason of land taken in change of Court Street.

It is further ordered that Mayor & Treasurer be authorized to cooperate with State Highway Commission and have Culvert built under Court Street near the residence of J. B. White, and that town pay expense of same outside limits of State Central Highway.

It is ordered that the Mayor and Treasurer be and they are authorized to procure a loan from the bank or banks in the amount of not more than \$10,000, at such time or times as same may be necessary, to provide funds to pay for street improvement and execute the town's note or notes therefor and pay interest thereon, funding sale of bonds authorized by legislature of 1921.

No further business the Board adjourned.

R. A. Neal, Clerk

J. H. Tate, Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
June 7 - 21

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen C. F. James, P. D. Sinclair, C. R. McCall, J. H. Tate and R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried the price on lots in cemetery were changed as follows, a whole lot \$60.00, a half lot \$30.00 and a fourth lot \$15.00. These new prices to become effective at once, and that C. R. McCall and P. D. Sinclair be appointed a committee to look after improvements in cemetery. Moved, seconded and carried that salary of night policeman be \$75.00 per month, effective May 1 - 1921. Moved, seconded and carried that offer of Sam Duncan to move Mr. J. Stooover's house for \$75.00 be accepted.

All bills for May were ordered paid. No further business the Board adjourned.

R. A. Neal, Clerk

R. A. Neal, Clerk
Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
July 5 - 1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen C. F. James, P. D. Sinclair, C. R. McCall, H. H. Tate and R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved and the current bills were ordered paid. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that Town Construct sewer and water ways from north side of East Court Street to south side before the Central Highway hard surface was laid, said water and sewer lines to be spaced 150 feet apart, beginning at foot of Sweeney Mill and extending to Charlie Cannon's a distance of about 1800 feet. This work was ordered done so that in the future when the water and sewerage lines were extended out Court Street both sides of street would be served without excavating under the concrete surface of said street.

Among other things the following appears: Affidavit of S. E. Whitten, Editor of the Marion Progress, was submitted showing publication of notice of election for thirty days in said paper was ordered filed with the Secretary. Report of the special school bond election held on the 17th day of June was submitted and ordered entered upon the records of the Board and original filed with the Clerk as follows:

North Carolina
Marion, N. C.
M. Howell County
Town
To The Board of Aldermen of Marion, M. Howell County, N. C.: We the undersigned, Registrar and Judges for the special school bond election of the Town of Marion, M. Howell County, N. C., having held the election on Special School Bonds for said Town of Marion, N. C., said election being held under sections 5684, 5685, 5686, 5688 and 5689, and under the General Municipal Statute as well as under the Charter of the Town of Marion, N. C., and according to the provisions of said laws and statutes, and after due advertisement as required by law, we held said election on the 17th day of June 1921, as provided by law and do make and certify to be correct the following statement of said election:

Number of votes Registered 304; Number of votes Cast For school Bonds 213,
Number of votes Cast Against school Bonds 11. In witness whereof we have hereunto subscribed our names this 17th day of June 1921.

Whereupon upon motion of J. H. Tate, seconded by C. F. James, it is ordered and adjudged that said bond election has been duly and legally carried by a majority of the qualified voters of the Town of Marion, For school Bonds. There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina.
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Aug. 2-1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen, C. F. James, J. H. Tate, P. D. Sinclair, C. R. McCall and R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried bills paid during the month of July were read and passed as paid. No further business the Board adjourned

~~R. A. Neal, Clerk~~

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Aug. 19-1921

At a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen, P. D. Sinclair, J. H. Tate, C. F. James and R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried S. M. Finley's bill of \$1,00.00 against the Town for grading done on Pulliam Street was disallowed. On motion duly seconded and carried, a sidewalk was ordered constructed on north side of Spinderson Street between Main and Logan Streets.

On motion duly seconded the following resolution was unanimously adopted:-

Resolved that the following taxes be and are hereby levied upon all property, real and personal and upon each poll within the said Town, for the general and special purposes thereof, and the special taxes for the year from May 1st 1921 to April 30th 1922, for the purposes hereinafter set forth to wit:-

1st, a tax of fifty-two cents on each \$1,00.00 worth of property, real and personal within said Town, and a tax of \$1.00 on each poll therein, for the general and current expenses of said Town and for the payment of interest on its bonded indebtedness:-

2nd a special tax of twenty-eight cents on each \$1,00.00 worth of property, real and personal, within said Town and a tax of \$1.00 on each poll for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the graded school of said Town

3rd a special tax of eight cents on each \$1,00.00 worth of property, real and personal, within said Town for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the Fire Department of said Town, two paid Firemen.

4th That the following privilege taxes be levied

Tax Levy 1921

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to wit! - On each telegraph company having an office and doing business within said Town a tax of \$10.00 per annum; On each express company having an office and doing business within said Town a tax of \$20.00 per annum; On every person, firm or corporation selling illuminating oils and so forth and having a station or warehouse for the distribution and sale thereof, a tax of \$10.00 per annum. 5th, That the maximum tax allowed by the revenue act of the state of North Carolina for the privilege of doing business or businesses enumerated therein, to be levied by cities and towns be and the same is hereby levied.

No further business the Board adjourned

~~R. A. Neal, Clerk~~

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Sept. 6 - 1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen, C. F. James, C. D. Sinclair, J. H. Tate, C. R. McCall and R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to wit! -

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that R. D. Greenlee, be employed ^{at a salary of \$15.00 per day and an assistant at \$5.00 per day} as City Engineer to make surveys of and estimates on South Main Street, Logan Street, West Court Street, Fort Street and State Street in view of improving same. On motion duly seconded and carried J. H. S. Miller was allowed to tap water main, from intake to reservoir, at air valve, under the usual contract. On motion duly seconded and carried Wood Finley was employed as day fireman at a salary of \$60.00 per month and Russel Spratt as night fireman at \$7.50 per month. Both men begin work on Oct. 1 - 1921 and one of them be on duty at place where fire truck is kept all the time. On motion duly seconded and carried the City Engineer was instructed to advertise for bids at once for hard surfacing, South Main, West Court, Logan & Fort Streets. No further business the Board adjourned.

~~R. A. Neal, Clerk~~

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

Sat Day 1921

to wit! - On each telegraph Company having an office and doing business within said Town a tax of \$10.00 per annum; On each express Company having an office and doing business within said Town a tax of \$20.00 per annum; On every person, firm or corporation selling illuminating oils and so forth and having a station or warehouse for the distribution and sale thereof, a tax of \$10.00 per annum. 5th, That the maximum tax allowed by the revenue act of the state of North Carolina for the privilege of doing business or businesses enumerated therein, to be levied by cities and towns be and the same is hereby levied.

No further business the Board adjourned

~~R. A. Neal, Clerk~~

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Sept. 6 - 1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen, C. E. James, P. D. Sinclair, J. H. Tate, C. R. McCall and R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that P. D. Greenlee, be employed ^{at a salary of \$15.00 per day and an assistant at \$5.00 per day} as City Engineer, to make surveys of and estimates on South Main Street, Logan Street, West Court Street, Fort Street and State Street in view of improving same. On motion duly seconded and carried J. H. S. Miller was allowed to tap water main, from intake to reservoir, at air valve, under the usual contract. On motion duly seconded and carried Wood Finley was employed as day fireman at a salary of \$60.00 per month and Russel Spratt as night fireman at \$7.50 per month. Both men begin work on Oct. 1 - 1921 and one of them be on duty at place where fire truck is kept all the time. On motion duly seconded and carried the City Engineer was instructed to advertise for bids at once for hard surfacing, South Main, West Court, Logan & Fort Streets. No further business the Board adjourned.

~~R. A. Neal, Clerk~~

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Sept. 8th 1921

At a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the office of the Mayor, on this the 8th day of September, 1921. Present: St. St. Tate, Mayor and all the members of the Board of Aldermen, to-wit: C. F. James, P. D. Sinclair, R. U. Neal, C. R. McCall and J. St. Tate, when and where the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

The following resolution was offered by C. F. James and seconded by J. St. Tate and upon vote of each of the said Aldermen registering an affirmative vote to-wit: yea R. U. Neal, yea J. St. Tate, yea C. R. McCall yea C. F. James, yea P. D. Sinclair:

Resolved: Section 1, That the improvement of the streets of the Town of Marion, is necessary to the welfare of the Town and a public benefit to the citizens thereof by reason of which and under and by virtue and authority of an act entitled "an act to authorize the Town of Marion to issue Bonds to improve its streets and water and sewer system" enacted 1921 session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, the issuance of the said bonds, as shown in the next preceding paragraph, is a public necessity.

Section 2. That bonds in the aggregate amount of \$50,000 shall be issued and the issuance thereof is hereby ordered for the purpose of improving the streets of the Town of Marion. Said bonds shall be in denominations of \$500.00 each, dated October 1st, 1921 and maturing thirty years after date, to-wit: October 1st 1951, bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum, evidenced by coupons attached, payable semi-annually at the First National Bank of Marion, N. C. or at some agreed New York Bank on presentation of coupons. The bonds shall be payable and redeemable thirty years after date at the

First National Bank of Marion, N. C. or at some New York Bank agreed upon.

Section 3 That the said bonds shall be negotiable by the Mayor of the Town of Marion and sold to the highest bidder after proper advertisement for thirty days in the Marion Progress and News and Observer, published in Raleigh, N. C. at not less than five and subject to consent and order of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion.

The following form of notice fixing the time and place of sale is made a part of this resolution, to-wit:-

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, N. C. at the office of the Mayor in the Strutman Building on Main Street in Marion, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Monday, the 10th day of October, 1921 for the purchase of bonds in the aggregate amount of \$50,000 to be issued for street improvement under authority of the General Assembly of North Carolina of 1921; said bonds will be dated October 1st 1921, and issued in denominations of \$500, bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum, payable semi-annually, the bonds to mature thirty years after date. The principal and interest to be payable at the First National Bank of Marion, or at some agreed New York Bank. All bids must be accompanied by certified check or cash deposit of 2% of the face value of the bonds, bid payable to the order of R. U. Neal, Clerk to the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, N. C. No bid for less than face and accrued interest can be accepted. The right is reserved to reject or accept any and all bids.

This the 4th day of September 1921
Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion
By H. H. Tate, Mayor

attest:

D. A. Neal, Clerk

There being no further business the
meeting adjourned until the 10th day of October 1921
at 11 o'clock A.M., when bids shall be received

Mayor

D. A. Neal, Secretary

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
October 5-1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board
of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's
Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate
Aldermen, C. F. James, J. B. Tate, P. D. Sinclair, C. R. McCall
and D. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to-wit:
The minutes of the preceding meeting were read
and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried, bills
paid during the month of Sept. were read and passed as paid.
On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered
that a sidewalk be laid on the south side of Spring
street between Garden street and the creek. On motion
duly seconded and carried it was ordered that a
new street be opened through the property of W. B. Mahan,
W. B. Mahan, C. F. James and others, from Bonderson
street to Court st. said street to be 36 ft. wide and be
named Academy street. It was agreed that the Town would
bear half of expense of buying enough 24 inch sewer
pipe and total cost of laying same length ways
of said street if the property owners adjoining said
street would pay half of cost of said pipe. No further
business the Board adjourned.

D. A. Neal, Clerk

North Carolina,
Town of Marion,

Mayor's Office,
October 10th 1921

Pursuant to adjournment the Board of
Aldermen met in the Office of the Mayor
on the above date at 11 o'clock A.M. to
receive bids for the said \$50,000 street
improvement bonds bearing interest at
the rate of 6%, payable semi-annually
April 1st and October 1st of each year,
bonds to be dated October 1st, 1921 and
due thirty years after date.

Present, H. H. Tate, Mayor, J. B. Tate,
D. A. Neal, P. D. Sinclair, C. R. McCall and
C. F. James, Aldermen, when and where the
following proceedings were had to-wit:

The notice of sale published in the
Marion Progress and in the News and
Observer was read and copy ordered to
be filed by the Clerk.

No satisfactory bid having been sub-
mitted the sale was continued and the
meeting adjourned. The sale was continued
and the Board took recess to meet again
on the 17th day of October, 1921, at the Office
of the Mayor at 10 o'clock A.M.

Mayor
D. A. Neal, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Oct. 14 - 1921

At a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. S. Tate, Aldermen C. F. James, P. N. Sinclair, J. S. Tate, C. R. McCall and S. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to-wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried T. J. Stalborton was elected Chief of Police effective at once. It was ordered that Jacob Smith, the discharged Chief of Police, be paid a full month's salary to Nov. 1st. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that the police station house at head of Court House Hill be removed to Cemetery for use of Cemetery Committee. On motion duly seconded and carried H. S. Tate was given authority to install a pump near intake of water main to increase water supply.

Whereupon bids were opened and received for the street improvement work. Five bids were received and the bid of the Wilson Construction Co. was found to be the lowest and best bid for approximately \$52,000 worth of grading and road surfacing. Whereupon the contract was awarded the Wilson Construction Co. upon their making satisfactory surety bond for the sum of \$26,000, which they did with the Maryland Casualty Co.

Mayor

S. A. Neal, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Oct. 17 - 1921

Pursuant to adjournment the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion met in the office of the Mayor of said Town on the 17th day of October 1921 at 10 o'clock A.M., to receive bids for the said \$50,000 street improvement bonds as described in the notice of sale.

Present H. S. Tate, Mayor, S. A. Neal, P. N. Sinclair, J. S. Tate, C. R. McCall and C. F. James, Aldermen, when and where the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

Whereupon bids were opened and received and the following was found to be the highest and best bid, to-wit:

Marion, N.C.
Oct. 17th 1921

To: The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of
the Town of Marion, N.C.

Dear Sirs:-

For the \$50,000 street improvement bonds as described in the notice of sale published in the Marion Progress, a copy of which is hereto attached, we offer this the full face value of said bonds and accrued interest, with both principal and interest payable at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York.

You are to furnish us with a full and accurate record of the proceedings duly certified leading up to the culmination and issuance and delivery of said bonds with opinion of any reputable bond attorney of the City of New York.

We hereto attach certified check for \$1,000 as evidence of our good faith in carrying out the terms of this offer if same shall be accepted by you. Otherwise the check is to be returned to us upon demand.

First National Bank of Marion, N.C.

(Signed) By J. F. Neal
Cashier

Whereupon the following resolution was offered and adopted:
Resolution.

Whereas the First National Bank of Marion, N.C., is the highest and best bidder for the \$50,000 street improvement bonds to be issued by the Town of Marion, N.C., dated October 1, 1931, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent, payable semi-annually, April 1st and October 1st of each year, the bonds to mature as specified in its bid bearing date of October 1st, 1931, with both principal and interest payable at the Chase National Bank in the City of New York and State of New York.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that said bonds are hereby awarded to the First National Bank of Marion, N.C., and the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds and when executed to deliver the same to the First National Bank of Marion, N.C., with accurate record of proceedings, duly certified leading up to and culminating the issuance and delivery of said bonds, with opinion of bond attorney, on compliance with the terms of its bid on file in the office of the Town Clerk.

On motion of C. F. James, seconded by J. H. Tate, the above resolution was adopted by the affirmative vote of the following members, to-wit: Geo. C. F. James, Geo. J. H. Tate, Geo. R. H. Neal, Geo. C. R. McCall, Geo. R. D. Sinclair.

It was further ordered on motion of J. H. Tate and seconded by C. F. James that the said bonds shall be issued in the Town of Marion, N.C., and signed by the Mayor and Clerk with the corporate seal of the said Town affixed to the said bonds and that the coupons shall bear the printed or lithographed fac-simile of the signatures of the Mayor and Clerk, and said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form, to-wit:

United States of America.

State of North Carolina.

Town of Marion.

No. —

\$500.00

Town of Marion, North Carolina, Street Improvement Bonds

Know All Men By These Presents: That the Town of Marion, State of North Carolina, for value received, acknowledges itself to be legally indebted and thereby promises to pay to the Bearer on the First day of October, 1951 at the Chase National Bank, in the City of New York and State of New York, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars

in lawful money of the United States of America, together with the interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York on the first day of April and October of each year, until the principal sum becomes due, upon presentation and surrender of the proper coupons therefor hereto annexed as they become due.

This bond is one of a series of one hundred (100) bonds of like amount, numbered consecutively from one to one hundred, both inclusive, issued by the Town of Marion, in the State of North Carolina, for the purpose of improving the streets of said Town and is issued under authority of an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, for the year 1931, entitled; "An act to authorize the Town of Marion to issue Bonds to improve its streets and water and sewerage system," which purpose is a necessary expense of the said Town of Marion. Said bonds issued and all proceedings in relation thereto have been had in strict compliance with and conformity to the constitution and laws of the State of North Carolina, and no limitation of indebtedness has been exceeded in issuing the same.

In Witness Whereof, the said Town of Marion, North Carolina has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and this bond to be signed by the

Mayor of the said Town and
attested by the Clerk of the Board of
Aldermen of the said Town and
the coupons hereto attached to bear
the printed or lithographed fac-
simile of the signatures of the
said Mayor and of the Clerk.

Dated this the 1st day of October, A.D. 1921

Town of Marion

By

Mayor

attest:

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Coupon

\$15.00

No —

On the first day of — 19 — the
Town of Marion, State of North Carolina, will pay
to the Bearer \$15.00 at the Chase National Bank
in the City of New York and State of New York,
being six months interest then due on its six
per cent street improvement bond.

No. —

Dated October — 1921

Mayor

R. A. Neal, Clerk

On motion duly seconded and carried the resignation of O. C. Adams,
night policeman, was accepted and G. S. Arrowood was elected to suc-
ceed him, at the salary of \$25.00 per month.

No further business the Board adjourned.

R. A. Neal, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Nov. 8 - 1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of
Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office
on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Bate, Aldermen
C. F. James, P. D. Lincham, C. R. McCall, J. H. Bate and
R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read
and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried
bills laid during the month of October were read
and passed as laid. On motion duly seconded and
carried by unanimous vote Representative R. H. Neal of
the General Assembly was instructed to introduce a
bill in the Special Session of Legislature, to be
held in December, authorizing the Town of Marion
to issue \$50,000 street improvement bonds. On
motion duly seconded and carried, the following
sewer lines were ordered laid; from the present
sewer line on State Street, along said street to
the top of Park Hill. From a point on Academy
Street to Henderson Street, thence southwest
with Henderson Street to the branch, thence
down said branch to an intersection with the
present sewer line and any lateral lines
that might be necessary to serve that
section of the Town. The sewer line on East
Court Street, out said street to the top of
the hill. It was also ordered that the six inch
water line be extended out East Court Street
to the top of the hill. On motion duly seconded
and carried, C. R. McCall was appointed a committee
of one to confer with the Health Officer and notify
the Southern Ry. Co. to have the pond of stagnant
water drained, on right-of-way of said Ry. Co.
back of J. M. Clay's and H. H. Bate's homes.
On motion duly seconded and carried the Sec-Treas
salary was increased to \$25.00 per month, beginning

November 1st 1921 and continuing until all the street work is finished. Mr. J. R. Tefley came before the Board and asked for an outlet for a drain from his house, on Henderson Street. On motion duly seconded and carried, J. M. Bate and C. F. James were appointed a committee to handle the situation. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that the street from Henderson Street to Southern Ry. Depot be known as Blanton Place, in honor of Ab. Blanton. On motion duly seconded and carried Henderson Street, from Academy Street to Southern Ry. Crossing, be widened to a width of 35 ft. between curbs with a six foot sidewalk on each side. On motion duly seconded and carried the following ordinances were enacted:-

Whereas, concrete pavement is being laid on the streets of Marion under which there is now sewer lines; and Whereas, the streets upon which such pavement is being laid pass by vacant lots and by lots which have no connection with said sewer line; and Whereas, the cost of making such connections after the paving is completed would be greatly increased and the pavement impaired in strength and durability;

Now, Therefore, Be It Ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion that lateral lines be connected with the sewer lines on streets where paving is being done or is to be done in the future and extended to edge or margin of street in front of each such vacant lot and each such lot occupied without sewer connection and the cost thereof be assessed against the abutting property and collected as is provided for collection of assessments for street paving.

It is Further Ordained that the control of actually built upon abutting lots shall be and remain exclusively in the Town of Marion.

And It is Further Ordained that this ordinance shall be in force and effective from its ratification. Ratified by unanimous vote of the Board of Aldermen in Regular Session held on the above date.

It is Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to drive or ride any vehicle, by whatever power propelled, or to ride or drive any horse or mule upon any street in the Town of Marion while closed for construction of any kind whatsoever.

And It is Further Ordained, that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to ride or drive any vehicle, by whatever power propelled, or to ride or drive any horse or mule upon any pavement or sidewalk of any kind upon any part of any street in the Town of Marion while same is closed to public travel.

It is Further Ordained that any person, firm or corporation violating any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of \$10.00 for each and every offense.

It is Further Ordained that this ordinance shall be in force and effective from its ratification.

Ratified by unanimous vote of the Board of Aldermen in Regular Session held on the above date.

No further business the Board adjourned

E. A. Neal, Clerk

E. A. Neal, Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Dec. 6 - 1921

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen, C. F. James, J. H. Tate, P. D. Sinclair and R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried all bills paid during the month of November were read and passed as paid.

On motion duly seconded and carried Spinderson Street from Academy Street to the Southern Ry. Crossing was ordered graded to a width of 35 ft. between curbs, with a 6 ft. sidewalk on each side. It was also ordered that the said street be given the same width from said Ry. Crossing to branch at Mc Dowell Furniture Co's Plant.

No further business the Board adjourned.

R. A. Neal, Clerk

~~R. A. Neal, Clerk~~
Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Jan. 3 - 1922

At the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen, C. F. James, J. H. Tate and R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried all bills paid during the month of December were read and passed as paid.

A. P. Buffalo came before the Board and requested that in as much as he had laid and paid for the sidewalk in front of his house on Court Street, the bill against him for paving sidewalks on Madison Ave. be charged off. On motion duly seconded and carried the City Engineer was instructed to measure the yardage in the sidewalk on both Court and Madison Ave. and the difference, if any, be either credited to or charged to Mr. A. P. Buffalo and that Engineer and Treasurer settle with Mr. Buffalo on this basis. On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to defer the question of widening Spinderson Street from Southern Ry. Crossing to Mc Dowell Furniture Co's Plant on account of objection of some of the abutting property owners. On motion duly seconded and carried the City Engineer, Mayor and Treasurer were appointed a Committee to investigate the question of extending the water line to Greasy Corner. On motion duly seconded and carried, C. F. James was appointed to serve with a representative to be appointed by Mr. P. D. Sinclair, to adjust the taxation valuation on Mr. M. C. Sinclair's property, part of it being outside of the corporation. No further business the Board adjourned.

R. A. Neal, Clerk

~~Mayor H. H. Tate, Clerk~~

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Jan. 16th 1922

At a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, held in the office of the Mayor, on this the 16th day of January, 1922, present St. St. Tate, Mayor, and all of the members of the Board of Aldermen, to-wit: C. F. James, P. D. Sinclair, S. A. Neal, C. R. McCall, and J. H. Tate, when and where the following proceedings were had.

The following resolution was offered by C. F. James, and seconded by P. D. Sinclair, and upon vote each of the said Aldermen registering an affirmative vote, to-wit: Yea, S. A. Neal; Yea, J. H. Tate; Yea, P. D. Sinclair; Yea, C. F. James; Yea, C. R. McCall.

Resolved: Section 1. That the improvement of the streets of the Town of Marion is necessary to the welfare of the Town and a public benefit to the citizens thereof by reason of which and under and by virtue and authority of an act entitled "An Act to authorize the Town of Marion to issue bonds to improve its streets," enacted at the 1921 extra session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, the issuance of the said bonds is shown in the next succeeding paragraph, is a public necessity.

Section 2. That bonds in the aggregate amount of \$35,000.00 shall be issued and the issuance thereof is hereby ordered for the purpose of improving the streets of the Town of Marion. Said bonds shall be in denominations of \$500.00 each dated March 1st 1922 and maturing thirty years after date, to-wit: March 1st 1952, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, evidenced by coupons attached payable semi-annually in lawful money of the United States of America, at the Chase National Bank, of the City of New York and of the State of New York on presentation of coupons. The coupons shall be payable and redeemable thirty years after date in lawful money of the

United States of America at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York, State of New York.

Section 3. That the said bonds shall be issued in the name of the Town of Marion, N.C. and signed by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk with the Corporate seal of the said Town affixed to said bonds and that the coupons shall bear the printed or lithographed fac-simile of the signature of the Mayor and Clerk and said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form, to-wit: -

United States of America
State of North Carolina
Town of Marion

No —

\$500.00

Town of Marion, North Carolina, Street Improvement Bonds
Know all Men By These Presents: That the Town of Marion, State of North Carolina, for value received, acknowledges itself to be legally indebted and thereby promises to pay to the Bearer on the 1st day of March, 1952, at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars

in lawful money of the United States of America, together with the interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York on the first day of September and March of each year, until the principal sum becomes due, upon presentation and surrender of the proper coupons therefor hereto annexed as they become due.

This bond is one of the series of twenty (20) bonds of like amount, numbered consecutively from one to twenty, both inclusive, issued by the Town of Marion, in the State of North Carolina, for the purpose of improving the streets of said Town and is issued under authority of an act of the extra session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, for the year 1921, entitled: "An Act to authorize the Town of Marion, to issue bonds to improve its streets," which purpose is a necessary expense of the said Town of Marion. Said bonds issued and all proceedings in relation thereto have been had in strict compliance with and conformity to the constitution and laws of the State of North Carolina,

and no limitation of indebtedness has been excluded in issuing the same

In Witness Whereof, the said Town of Marion, North Carolina, has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and this bond to be signed by the Mayor of the said Town and attested by the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen of the said Town and the coupons hereto attached to bear the printed or lithographed fac simile of the signatures of the said Mayor and of the Clerk

Dated this 1st day of March, 1922.
Town of Marion
(Signed) By St. St. Tate, Mayor

attest
L. A. Neal, Clerk

Coupon

No. —

\$15.00

On the first day of — 19— the Town of Marion, State of North Carolina, will pay to the Bearer \$15.00 at the Chase National Bank in the City of New York and State of New York, being six months interest then due on its six per cent street improvement bond.

No. —

Dated March 1st 1922

L. A. Neal, Clerk

(Signed) St. St. Tate, Mayor

Section 4. That the improvement and extension of water and sewerage system of the Town of Marion, North Carolina, is necessary to the public welfare of the Town and to the health of the citizens thereof, by reason of which and under and by virtue and authority of an act entitled, "An Act to authorize the Town of Marion to issue Bonds to improve its streets and water and sewerage system" enacted by the 1921 session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, the issuance of said bonds, as shown in

the next succeeding paragraph, is a public necessity.

Section 5. That bonds in the aggregate amount of \$20,000 shall be issued and the issuance thereof is hereby ordered for the purpose of improving and extending the water and sewerage system of the Town of Marion, N.C. said bonds shall be in denominations of \$500.00 each, and dated March 1st, 1922, and maturing thirty years after date, to-wit: March 1st 1952, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, evidenced by coupons attached, payable semi-annually, September 1st and March 1st of each year, at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York, and State of New York in lawful money of the United States of America, on presentation of coupons. The bonds shall be payable and redeemable thirty years after date at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York in lawful money of the United States of America.

Section 6. That the said bonds authorized in the last preceding paragraph shall be issued in the name of the Town of Marion, N.C., and signed by the Mayor, attested by the Clerk, with the corporate seal of the said Town affixed to said bonds, and that the coupons shall bear the printed or lithographed fac simile of the signature of the Mayor and Clerk, and said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form, to-wit:

United States of America
State of North Carolina,
Town of Marion.

\$500.00

No. —

Town of Marion, North Carolina, Water Works and Sewerage Bonds.
I, now All Men By These Presents: that the Town of Marion, State of North Carolina, for value received, acknowledges itself to be legally indebted and thereby promises to pay to the Bearer on the first day of March, 1952, at the Chase National Bank, in the City of New York and State of New York, the sum of

Five Hundred Dollars
in lawful money of the United States of America, together with the interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York, and State of New York, on the first day of September and March of each year, until the principal sum becomes due, upon

presentation and surrender of the proper coupons therefor hereto annexed as they become due.

This bond is one of the series of forty bonds of like amount, numbered consecutively from one to forty, both inclusive, issued by the Town of Marion, in the State of North Carolina, for the purpose of improving and extending the water works and sewerage system of said Town and is issued under authority of an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, for the year 1921, entitled, "an act to authorize the Town of Marion to issue Bonds to Improve its Streets and Water and Sewerage System", which purpose is a necessary expense of the said Town of Marion. Said bonds and all proceedings in relation thereto have been had in strict compliance with and in conformity to the constitution and laws of the State of North Carolina, and no limitation of indebtedness has been exceeded in issuing the same.

In Witness Whereof, the said Town of Marion, North Carolina, has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and this bond to be signed by the Mayor of the said Town and attested by the Clerk, of the Board of Aldermen of the said Town and the coupons hereto attached to bear the printed or lithographed fac simile of the signatures of the said Mayor and Clerk.

Dated this the 1st day of March, A. D. 1922

Town of Marion

(Signed) By S. H. Tate, Mayor

Attest: L. A. Neal, Clerk

Coupon

No —

\$15.00

On the first day of — 19 — the Town of Marion, State of North Carolina, will pay to the Bearer \$15.00 at the Chase National Bank in the City of New York and State of New York, being six months interest then due on its six per cent water works and sewerage bonds.

No —

Dated March 1st, 1922

(Signed) S. H. Tate, Mayor

L. A. Neal, Clerk

Section 7. That the bonds hereinbefore authorized for the purpose of improvement of the streets of the Town of Marion, and for the improvement and extension of the water works and

sewerage system shall be the direct obligations of the Town of Marion, and shall be negotiable by the Mayor of the Town of Marion, and sold to the highest bidder after proper advertisement for thirty days in the Marion Progress, a newspaper published in Marion, McDowell County, North Carolina, and in the News Observer, a newspaper published in the City of Raleigh, State of North Carolina, at not less than par and subject to the consent and order of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion.

The following form of notice fixing the time and place of sale of both issues is made a part of this resolution, to-wit:—

Notice of Sale, \$35,000 Street Improvement Bonds and \$20,000 Water Works and Sewerage Bonds of the Town of Marion, North Carolina.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, North Carolina, in the office of the Mayor in the Drenn Building over the Merchants and Farmer's Bank on Main Street, in the Town of Marion, North Carolina, until 11 o'clock A. M. on February 20th, 1922, for the purchase of \$35,000 street improvement bonds to be issued for street improvement under authority of the extra session of the General Assembly of North Carolina for 1921, and for the purchase of \$20,000 bonds to be issued for the improvement and extension of water works and sewerage system under authority of the General Assembly of North Carolina for 1921. Each issue of said bonds will be dated March 1st, 1922, and mature thirty years after date, and will be issued in denominations of \$500.00 bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, September 1st and March 1st of each year. Both principal and interest will be payable at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York.

The Bonds will be accompanied by legal opinion of Storey, Thorndike, Palmer and Dodge of Boston, Mass. All bids for the street improvement bonds must be accompanied by a certified check for \$1,000.00, and all bids for the water works and sewerage bonds must be accompanied by a certified check for \$500.00, payable to the order of L. A. Neal, Treasurer of the Town of Marion, N. C.

No bid for less than par can be accepted.
The right is reserved to reject and accept any
and all bids.

This the 16th day of January, 1922
Town of Marion

(Signed) By S. H. Tate, Mayor
Attest: R. A. Neal, Clerk

There being no further business the meeting
adjourned until the 20th day of February, 1922,
at 11 o'clock A.M. when bids will be received

Mayor

Attest:

R. A. Neal, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
February 7, 1922

At a regular monthly meeting of the Board of
Aldermen of the Town of Marion, held in the office of
the Mayor, on this the 7th day of February, 1922,
Present: S. H. Tate, Mayor, J. S. Tate, C. F. James, C. R.
McCall and R. A. Neal, Aldermen. P. W. Sinclair, Alderman,
being absent, when and where the following proceed-
ings were had.

The following resolution was offered by C. F. James
and seconded by R. A. Neal, and upon vote each of the
said Aldermen registered an affirmative vote, to-wit:
J. S. Tate, yea; C. F. James, yea; C. R. McCall, yea; R. A. Neal, yea.

Resolved: Section 1. That the Board of Aldermen of the
Town of Marion having deemed it necessary to erect addi-
tional buildings for school purposes in the Town of Marion,
submitted the question of the issue of \$65,000.00 bonds therefor
to the vote of the qualified voters of the said Town at an
election held on the 17th day of June, 1921, under and by
virtue of Article 40 of Chapter 95 of the Consolidated
Statutes of North Carolina, at which election a majority of
the qualified voters voted favorably to the issuance of
said bonds for said purposes and said election having
been duly declared carried all as shown by the minutes
of this Board.

Section 2. That bonds in the aggregate amount
of \$65,000.00 shall be issued and the issuance thereof is
hereby ordered for the purpose of building and erecting
additional buildings for school purposes, in the Town of
Marion, N.C. said bonds shall be in denominations of
\$500.00 each, dated April 1st, 1922, and shall mature
serially in the amount of \$2000.00 each year beginning
April 1st, 1923, ending April 1st, 1942, both inclusive, and
\$2500.00 each year beginning April 1st, 1943 and ending
April 1st, 1952, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent
per annum, evidenced by coupons, attached, payable
semi-annually in lawful money of the United States of

America, at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York, and the principal of said bonds shall also be payable in the lawful money of the United States of America, at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York, as same mature as herein provided.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be issued in the name of the Town of Marion, N.C., and signed by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk with the corporate seal of the said Town affixed and that the coupons shall bear the printed or lithographed fac-simile of the signature of the Mayor and Clerk and said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form, to-wit: -

United States of America
State of North Carolina
Town of Marion

No. —

\$500.00

Town of Marion, North Carolina, School Building Bonds.

Know all Men By These Presents: That the Town of Marion, State of North Carolina, for value received, acknowledges itself to be legally indebted and thereby promises to pay to the Bearer on the first day of April 19—, at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York, the sum of
Five Hundred Dollars

in lawful money of the United States of America, together with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York on the 1st day of October and the 1st day of April of each year until the principal sum becomes due, upon presentation and surrender of the proper coupons therefor hereto annexed as they become due.

This bond is one of the series of One Hundred and Thirty (130) bonds of like amount, numbered consecutively from One (1) to One Hundred and Thirty (130), both inclusive, issued by the Town of Marion, State of North Carolina, under date of April 1st, 1922, maturing at the rate of \$2000.00 a year beginning April 1st, 1923, and ending April 1st, 1942, and at the rate of \$2500.00 a year beginning April 1st, 1943, and ending April 1st, 1952, for the purpose

of constructing and erecting additional buildings for school purposes of said Town and is issued under authority of an election duly held on June 17th, 1921, under authority of Article 40 of Chapter 95 of the Consolidated Statutes of North Carolina, and carried by a majority vote of the qualified voters of the said Town. Said bonds issued and all proceedings in relation thereto have been had in strict compliance with and in conformity to the Constitution and laws of the State of North Carolina, and no limitation of indebtedness has been exceeded in issuing the same.

In Witness Whereof, the said Town of Marion, North Carolina, has caused this bond to be signed in its corporate name, and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed by the Mayor of the said Town, and attested by the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen of the said Town, and the coupons hereto attached to bear the printed or lithographed fac-simile of the signatures of the said Mayor and said Clerk.

This the 1st day of April 1922

Town of Marion,

(Signed) By W. H. Tate, Mayor

Attest: D. A. Neal, Clerk,

Coupon

\$15.00

No. —

On the first day of — 19— the Town of Marion, State of North Carolina, will pay to the Bearer, Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York, being six months interest then due on its six per cent school building bonds.

No. —

Dated April 1st, 1922,

(Signed) W. H. Tate, Mayor

D. A. Neal, Clerk,

Section 4. That the bonds hereinbefore authorized for the purpose of building and erecting additional buildings for school purposes shall be direct obligations

of the Town of Marion, North Carolina, and shall be negotiable by the Mayor of the Town of Marion and sold to the highest bidder after proper advertisement for thirty days in the Marion Progress, a newspaper published in Marion, McDowell County, North Carolina, and in the News and Observer, a newspaper and Commercial Journal, published in the City of Raleigh, and State of North Carolina, at not less than par, and subject to the consent and order of the Board of Aldermen of the said Town.

Section 5. The following form of notice fixing the time and place of sale of said bonds is made a part of this resolution, to-wit: Notice of Sale of \$65,000.00 School Building Bonds of The Town of Marion, North Carolina.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, N.C. at the office of the Mayor in the Town Building over the Merchants & Farmers Bank on Main Street in said Town until 11 o'clock A.M., on the 20th day of March, 1922, for the purchase of \$65,000.00 school building bonds to be issued for the constructing and erecting additional buildings for school purposes, to be issued by virtue of an auction held under authority of Article 40 of Chapter 95 of the Consolidated Statutes of North Carolina, which said bonds will be dated April 1st, 1922, and will mature serially, in the amount of \$2000.00 each year beginning April 1st, 1923 to April 1st, 1942, both inclusive, and \$2500.00 each year beginning with April 1st, 1943, and ending April 1st, 1952. Said bonds will be issued in denominations of \$500.00 bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, April 1st and October 1st of each year, both principal and interest payable at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York. Legal opinion of Storey, Thorne & Palmer and Dodge of Boston will be furnished as to the validity of said bonds.

All bids must be accompanied by a deposit evidenced by certified check for 2% of the face of the bonds, which check must be made payable to the order of R. A. Neal, Treasurer of the Town of Marion.

Any bid for less than par cannot be accepted.

The right is reserved to reject and accept any and all bids.

This the 14th day of February, 1922.

Town of Marion.

Attest: R. A. Neal, Clerk.

By W. W. Tate, Mayor

Automobile Parking Ordinance

On motion duly seconded and carried the following ordinance was enacted:

Whereas, Motor vehicle traffic on Main Street in the Town of Marion, N.C. North of the bridge over the Southern Railroad and South of the intersection of Main and Port Streets is congested, and, in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen of said Town, requires regulation;

Therefore, Be it Ordained By The Board of Aldermen of The Town of Marion:

Section 1: That Main Street be and it is hereby divided into the following parking units, to-wit: -

(a) That portion North of the bridge over the Southern Railroad and South of the crossing signal in the centre of the intersection of Main and Court Streets is hereby designated and declared to be Parking Zone No. 1.

(b) That portion North of the crossing signal in the centre of the intersection of Main and Court Streets and South of the crossing signal in the centre of the intersection of Main and Port Streets is hereby designated and declared to be Parking Zone No. 2.

Section 2: That it shall be unlawful, within either of the parking zones designated in section one hereof, for any person, firm or corporation

(a) To park any motor vehicle in position except at an angle of fifty-five (55) degrees to the right hand side of the curb with the right front wheel touching the curb and the vehicle within a painted square shown on the pavement.

(b) To turn around or reverse direction of any motor vehicle.

(c) To drive any motor vehicle from parking position except by backing out from the curb and going forward to the right of the street to the end of the parking zone, before turning.

(d) To wash, clean, remove chains from, or repair any motor vehicle, except such repair as is necessary to protect such vehicle in removing from such zone.

Section 3: That any person, firm or corporation violating any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction, fined the sum of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars for each and every violation.

Section 4: That this ordinance shall be effective from and after its adoption.

Adopted By Unanimous Vote, this the 7th day of February A.D., 1922

On motion duly seconded and carried, H. C. Smith's bill of \$435.00 for ^{the storm sewer constructed} 24 inch sewer pipe, he had laid along Garden and Court streets, was ordered paid. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered the bill of \$19.00 against Tom Finley, for sidewalk on West Court street, be allowed him as compensation for work he had done on Pullam street. Rev. Shurgeon, the colored preacher of the Zion M. E. Church came before the Board with a petition to have the north end of Pogan street made passable and also have a light placed there. On motion duly seconded and carried this petition was ordered granted and work done as soon as possible. On motion duly seconded and carried the Farm Supply Co. was ordered allowed to erect a ^{movable} trestle across the street parallel to Southern Ry. track, known as the Team Track or Back Track, said work to be done under supervision of Street Committee. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that Mrs. M. C. Sinclair's taxation valuation, ^{on her real estate} be reduced by 2000.00, on account of part of said real estate being outside of Corporation. On motion duly seconded and carried the petition of Mr. Boyd Jones for refund on taxes on tithianan property be disallowed. On motion duly seconded and carried, the Mayor, Treasurer and City Engineer were appointed a committee to investigate forces of street sweepers or flushers. On motion duly seconded and carried the City Engineer was instructed to advertise for bids on approximately 15000 sq. yds of concrete paving, said bids to be opened and contract be awarded on March 1st at 2 P. M.

No further business the Board adjourned until 2 P. M. March 1st, 1922, when bids will be received for the street paving.

F. A. Neal, Clerk

~~F. A. Neal, Clerk~~

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Feb. 14 - 1922

at a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen C. F. James, J. B. Tate, C. P. McCall, P. W. Sinclair and F. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to wit;

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. A committee of citizens, composed of J. P. Morgan, J. D. Hilkey, W. H. M. Hilkey, R. E. Stodgins and J. N. Binborne came before the Board with a request that Garden street be paved from New street to Fleming Avenue and Fleming Avenue be paved from Garden street to the Corporation line, a distance of approximately 2000 feet. On motion duly seconded and carried this request was granted and work done under next contract let for paving.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that bills, for paving due by abutting property owners on South Main, West Court and South Pogan streets, as made out by Treasurer on estimate of City Engineer be given to Chief of Police to collect at once.

On motion duly seconded and carried the force account bill of Bolton Const. Co. of \$639.02, as rendered, less the amount for the expansion joints of \$311.73, be paid. Net bill \$327.29

No further business the Board adjourned until 11 A. M. Feb. 20th 1922, when bids will be received for the proposed issue of \$55,000 bonds.

~~F. A. Neal, Clerk~~

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Mayor

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On motion duly seconded and carried the petition of Mr. Boyd Jones for refund on taxes on tillman property be disallowed. On motion duly seconded and carried, the Mayor, Treasurer and City Engineer were appointed a committee to investigate prices of street sweepers or flunkers. On motion duly seconded and carried the City Engineer was instructed to advertise for bids on approximately 15000 sq. yds of concrete paving, said bids to be opened and contract be awarded on March 1st at 2 P. M.

No further business the Board adjourned until 2 P. M. March 1st, 1922, when bids will be received for the street paving.

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Feb. 14 - 1922

At a called meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present Mayor H. H. Tate, Aldermen C. F. James, J. H. Tate, C. P. McCall, P. D. Sinclair and R. A. Neal, the following proceedings were had to wit;

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. A committee of citizens, composed of J. L. Morgan, J. D. Gilkey, W. H. M. Gilkey, H. E. Hudgins and J. H. Dinborne came before the Board with a request that Garden Street be paved from New Street to Fleming Avenue and Fleming Avenue be paved from Garden Street to the Corporation line, a distance of approximately 2000 feet. On motion duly seconded and carried this request was granted and work done under next contract let for paving.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that bills, for paving due by abutting property owners on South Main, West Court and South Logan Streets, as made out by Treasurer on estimate of City Engineer be given to Chief of Police to collect at once.

On motion duly seconded and carried the force account bill of Bolton Const. Co. of \$639.02, as rendered, less the amount for the expansion joints of \$311.73, be paid. Net bill \$327.29

No further business the Board adjourned until 11 A. M. Feb. 20th, 1922, when bids will be received for the proposed issue of \$55,000 bonds.

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Feb. 20 - 1922

at an adjourned meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held Feb. 20th, 1922, at 11 A.M. pursuant to adjournment from the called meeting of Feb. 14-1922, present H. H. Tate, Mayor and all of the members of the Board of Aldermen, to-wit: C. F. James, J. H. Tate, C. R. McCall, P. D. Sinclair and E. A. Neal, when and where the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

Proof of publication of notice in the Marion Progress and in News and Observer as ordered was read and ordered filed with the Clerk.

Bids were received for the sale of the \$35,000.00 street improvement bonds and \$20,000.00 water works and sewerage system bonds, there being present and bidding representations from five bonding companies and upon bids being opened, the following was found to be the highest and best bid, to-wit:-

Chicago, Ill.
February 20th 1922

Mr. H. H. Tate,
Marion, N. C.
Dear Sir:-

For your \$55,000.00, City of Marion, 6% 30-year bonds, offered for sale this day, as per your advertisement attached, delivered to us accompanied by the unqualified approving opinion of Messrs. Storey, Thorndike, Palmer and Dodge, we will pay you first, that is \$55,000.00, accrued interest, and a premium of \$405.00 therein first certified check for \$1100.00, as requested, said check to be returned to us promptly in case bonds are not awarded to us, and if this bid is accepted to be retained by the Board and to apply upon the purchase of the bonds. Please send list of bids received.

Yours very truly
The Stanchett Bond Company
By H. B. Craven

Whereupon the following resolution was offered and adopted:

Resolved: Whereas the Stanchett Bond Company of Chicago, Ill. is the best and highest bidder for the \$35,000 street improvement bonds and \$20,000 water works and sewerage system bonds aggregating \$55,000, to be issued by the Town of Marion, dated March 1st, 1922, bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of September and the first day of March of each year, the bonds to mature on the first day of March, 1952, with both principal and interest payable at the Chase National Bank of the City of New York and State of New York, Now, therefore, be it resolved that the said bonds are hereby awarded to the Stanchett Bond Company of Chicago, Ill. and the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds, and when executed to deliver same to the Stanchett Bond Company of Chicago, Ill. with certified transcript of the record of the proceedings leading up to and culminating the issuance and delivery of said bonds with approving opinion of Messrs. Storey, Thorndike, Palmer & Dodge, attorneys, of the City of Boston and State of Mass. on compliance with the terms of its bid on file in the office of the Town Clerk.

On motion of J. H. Tate, seconded by C. F. James, the above resolution was put to vote, and the members voted as follows: yea, J. H. Tate, yea, C. F. James, yea, A. R. McCall, yea, P. D. Sinclair, and yea E. A. Neal. Number voting yea; five and number voting nay; None, Whereupon the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that such sidewalks that are necessary be laid at once and contract for same be awarded F. H. Booz at \$1.55 per square yard of concrete, said sidewalks be laid under the direction and specifications of the City Engineer, and the money to pay for said work to be taken from the street improvement fund. It was ordered that each property owner abutting said proposed sidewalks be given proper notice before work begins.

There being no further business the Board adjourned

E. A. Neal, Clerk

~~E. A. Neal, Clerk~~
Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
March 1st 1922

At a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held March 1st, 1922 at 2 P.M., pursuant to adjournment from the regular February 7th meeting, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, Aldermen P. D. Sinclair, J. H. Tate and R. A. Neal, when and where the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

Bids were received, as advertised, for the laying of approximately 15000 square yards of concrete on the following streets, Depot, from Main to Morgan; Morgan, from Depot to South Main; Henderson, from Blanton Place to Southern Ry. Crossing; West Court, from Logan to Brun's Store; Madison, from Court to New; and New, from Madison to Harder. There were two bids submitted and upon being opened, the following was found to be the lowest and best bid, to-wit:

Nelson Construction Co., for approximately 15000 sq. yds of concrete paving at \$2.58 per yd. and 8000 cubic yards of earth excavation at 20 cents per cu. yd. Upon motion duly seconded and carried the Nelson Construction Co. was awarded the contract.

The Bolton Construction Co. having submitted a bid of \$2.50 per sq. yds for concrete paving and 40 cents per cu. yd. for earth excavation was awarded the contract, at these prices, for paving the following streets: State, from Main to S.C. railroad crossing; South Garden, from Spring to South Main; North Garden, from New to Fleming Ave.; Fleming Ave., from Garden to Corporation Line, approximately 10000 sq. yds of concrete paving.

Upon motion duly seconded and carried, T. J. Halliburton, Chief of Police, salary was raised to \$135.00 per month, effective March 1-1922.

There being no further business the Board adjourned

Mayor

R. A. Neal, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
March 9th 1922

At a regular monthly meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, held on the above date, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, and C. F. James, J. H. Tate, C. R. McCall, P. D. Sinclair and R. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. An motion duly seconded and carried all bills paid during the month of February were read and passed as paid.

A committee from the Fire Dept., composed of Chief Atwell and firemen Stover and Giles came before the Board and requested that Town buy the siren alarm, as installed on the First National Bank. An motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that said siren be purchased at a cost of \$500.00.

A committee of citizens from Park Hill came before Board and requested that four inch water main be extended to top of Park Hill, also that a sidewalk be laid and street be put in passable condition. This request was referred to Street Committee for action. An motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that bill of \$25.00 for sidewalk account on Morgan Street, against S. H. Crawford be cancelled in consideration of his transfer of 40 shares of stock, claimed by him, in the Oak Grove Cemetery, to the Town of Marion.

Mr. Ayers, Cashier of Merchants & Farmers Bank came before the Board with a request that Town divide its account between First National and M. & F. Bank. After due deliberation the Board decided to retain its account with the First National Bank. There being no further business the meeting adjourned until March 20th for the purpose of then receiving bids for the school building bonds.

Mayor

R. A. Neal, Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
March 20th 1922

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, held on March 20th, 1922, at 11 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment from the regular monthly meeting of March 9th, 1922, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, C. F. James, C. R. McCall, J. H. Tate, P. D. Sinclair and R. A. Neal, all the members of the Board of Aldermen, when and where the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

Proof of publication of notice in Marion Progress a newspaper published in Marion, McDowell County, North Carolina, and in the News and Observer, a newspaper and Commercial Journal, published in the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, as ordered, were read and ordered filed with the Clerk.

Bids were received for the sale of the \$65,000.00 school building bonds, there being present and qualified as bidders, and bidding, representatives of twelve bond buyers and upon bids being received the following was found to be the highest and best bid, to-wit:-

Marion, North Carolina.
March 20, 1922

Hon. H. H. Tate, Mayor
Town of Marion, N. C.

For your \$65,000.00 school Building Bonds to be issued for the construction and erection of additional buildings for school purposes, to be issued by virtue of an election held under authority of Article 40 Chapter 90 of Consolidated Statutes of North Carolina, which said Bonds will be dated April 1st, 1922, and will mature serially, in the amount of \$2,000.00 each year, beginning April 1st, 1923, to April 1st, 1942, both inclusive, and \$2,500.00 each year, beginning with April 1st, 1943 and ending April 1st, 1952. Said bonds shall be issued in the denominations of \$500.00, bearing interest at 6% per annum, payable semi-annually, April 1st and October 1st each year, both principal and interest payable at The Chase National Bank of the City of New York, legal opinion of Story, Thorne, Palmer & Dodge.

of Boston to be furnished as to the validity of said Bonds.

We will, pray you for the above described Bonds from and accrued interest from date of the Bonds to the date of delivery and a premium of \$750.00 conditioned upon our being furnished with a certified transcript at the time the Bonds are taken up and paid for at Toledo, Ohio. As an evidence of our good faith we enclose herewith check for \$1,300.00, to be retained by you, provided our bid is accepted, same to be forfeited to you should we not carry out our contract, and should we carry out our contract, same to apply as part payment of said Bonds.

Respectfully submitted
Sidney Spitzer & Company
By Norman A. Lyons

Whereupon the following resolution was offered and adopted:-

Resolved: That whereas Sidney Spitzer & Company of Toledo, Ohio, is the highest and best bidder for the \$65,000.00 school Building Bonds to be issued by the Town of Marion, dated April 1st, 1922, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum payable semi-annually on the first day of April and October of each year, and to mature serially in the amount of \$2,000.00 each year beginning April 1st, 1923, and ending April 1st, 1942, both inclusive, and \$2,500.00 each year beginning April 1st, 1943 and ending April 1st, 1952, with both principal and interest payable at The Chase National Bank of the City of New York.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the said bonds are hereby awarded to the Sidney Spitzer & Company of Toledo, Ohio, and the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to execute said bonds and when executed to deliver to Sidney Spitzer & Company of Toledo, Ohio, with certified transcript of the record leading up to and culminating the issuance and delivery of said bonds with the approving opinion of Messrs. Story, Thorne, Palmer & Dodge, Attorneys of the City of Boston, State of Massachusetts on compliance with the terms of its bid on file in the office of the Town Clerk.

On motion of J. H. Tate, seconded by C. F. James the above resolution was put to vote and the members voted as follows: yea, J. H. Tate; yea, C. F. James; yea, C. R. McCall; yea, P. W. Sinclair, and yea, R. A. Neal. Number voting yea, five, and number voting nay, none. Whereupon the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion of R. A. Neal, seconded by C. F. James the "Gent Show" ordinance enacted on May 18th 1921, as copied on page 94 of this book, was repealed.

On motion of R. A. Neal, seconded by P. W. Sinclair, and carried, the following ordinance was enacted:-

Whereas, itinerant theatrical tent shows are deleterious to the public health, morals and welfare of the citizens of the Town of Marion;

Therefore, Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, North Carolina, that all itinerant theatrical tent shows are prohibited from showing or putting on any performance within the corporate limits of the Town of Marion; Provided, however, that this ordinance shall not apply to shows in connection with chautauques and those conducted under the auspices of charitable institutions of the Town.

And it is further Ordained that any person, firm or corporation engaged in the showing or putting on any performance and any person participating in the showing or putting on any performance in violation of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine of Fifty Dollars for each violation, and on each day a performance is shown or put on or engaged in shall constitute a separate violation of this ordinance.

And it is further Ordained that this ordinance shall be in force and effect from its passage.

Passed this the 20th day of March 1922.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

R. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
April 4 - 1922

At a regular meeting of the ^{Mayor and} Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's office on the above date, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, C. F. James, C. R. McCall, J. H. Tate, P. W. Sinclair and R. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried, bills paid during the month of March were read and passed as paid. An motion duly seconded and carried the City Engineer and Chief of Police were instructed to arrange parking spaces in front of Kiddix Candy Co. and Cameron & Swin's places of business. On motion duly seconded and carried the Ordinance requiring cafes and restaurants to close their places of business at eleven o'clock at night during the week and twelve o'clock Saturday nights was repealed, for the time being.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that the water main on East Court Street be extended to Corporate line near "Greasy Corner". On motion duly seconded and carried the Mayor was instructed to obtain options on the land on the new water shed on Clear Creek and where said land could be bought for a reasonable price to buy same.

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract for laying certain sidewalks, that had previously been let to T. H. Booy and who failed to do the work, be now let to the Wilson Const. Co. at \$1.65 per sq. yd. There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Mayor

R. A. Neal, Clerk

North Carolina,
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
May 2 - 1922

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, C. F. James, C. R. McCall, J. H. Tate, P. D. Sinclair and L. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to-wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried, bills paid during the month of April were read and passed as paid. Mr. B. S. Cassiter came before Board and stated his property on Fort Street had been damaged on account of the street being cut down for paving. On motion duly seconded and carried the following Committee was appointed to look into the matter, H. H. Tate, C. F. James, J. H. Tate, L. A. Neal and R. T. Greenlee, City Engineer. On motion duly seconded and carried, the people living in the vicinity of Page & Adkins store, be allowed to connect a water line to the City main, under the supervision of the water superintendent. On motion duly seconded and carried R. M. Sweeney was appointed tax lister for the Town, at a salary of \$75.00. On motion duly seconded and carried the offer of the Highway Commission of Marion Township to go fifty-fifty with the Town of Marion, in improving the streets in the Cemetery, was accepted. On motion duly seconded and carried the Secretary was instructed to confer with the Agent of the Sea Ry. and agree that Town would install a drinking fountain at passenger station if said railway would put down crushed rock on street back of said station and from end of sidewalk to row of posts on station grounds. On motion duly seconded and carried the Fire Department was instructed to buy 3 smoke masks at \$15.00 each. On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to assess D. L. Hudgins with one half of the Town's part of cost of paving on north Logan Street. There being no further business the Board adjourned.

L. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
June 6 - 1922

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the Mayor's Office on the above date, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, C. F. James, C. R. McCall, J. H. Tate, P. D. Sinclair and L. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to-wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried, bills paid during the month of May were read and passed as paid. On motion duly seconded and carried the report of the Committee that investigated the damage done to Mr. B. S. Cassiter's property on Fort Street, was read and accepted, said report being that Town pay one half of cost of grading, building concrete wall and laying sidewalk on said Cassiter property, Mr. Cassiter to pay half. On motion duly seconded and carried the petition of Mrs. W. J. Bruce for a sewer line on Lincoln Street, off of south Garden Street, be referred to Street Committee with power to act. The attached letter from the M. C. Howell Furniture Co. was read and relief was promised just as soon as enough money was available. There being no further business the Board adjourned.

L. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
June 17-1922

At a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the above office on the above date, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, C. F. James, H. H. Tate and C. R. McCall, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to wit:-

This meeting was called for the purpose of instructing the Marion Telephone Co. to move their poles from where they now stand in ~~the~~ ^{Spring} street to between Main and Garden streets, to the eighteen inch space left for this purpose on the south side of said Spring street from Main to Garden street. On motion duly seconded and carried the City Engineer was ordered to instruct said Telephone Co. to move said poles at once and do as little damage as possible to fruit trees etc, that might extend over said street, as these poles are now in the way of grading and laying pavement on this section of said street. There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Mayor

C. R. McCall, acting Clerk

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
July 25-1922

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, held in the above office on the above date, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, C. F. James, J. H. Tate, C. R. McCall, P. D. Sinclair and L. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried all bills paid during the month of June were read and passed as paid. On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that Mrs. B. B. Price be allowed credit, on her Spring Street paving account the sum of \$25.00 for damage done her fruit trees by cutting and trimming overhanging branches. On motion duly seconded and carried the Superintendent of Water was instructed to make no charge against the Swimming Pool for water used in same, during the present summer months as long as the Town has a surplus and consumption of said water be under supervision of said Superintendent. On motion duly seconded and carried the claim of \$500.00 damage against to his property on east Court Street and Park Ave. filed by Mr. Edward Carr, was not allowed but was referred to a committee for adjustment. There being no further business the Board adjourned.

L. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Aug. 1 - 1922

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the above office on the above date, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, C. R. McCall, J. H. Tate, C. F. James, P. H. Sinclair and D. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to wit:

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried all bills paid during the month of July were read and passed as paid.

After general discussion of topics pertaining to the welfare of the Town, and there being no business of importance to come before the Board, it adjourned.

On motion of P. H. Sinclair, seconded by D. A. Neal and carried, the following ordinance was enacted:

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, N. C., that

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person to engage in roller-coasting, roller-skating, or the riding of Kiddie-Kars, Skuter Mops, Toyous Wagons, wheelchairs, bicycles, or other means of transportation used by children in their play, between the curbs of any of the paved streets in the Town of Marion, or on either sidewalk on Main Street between State Street and Fort Street and south sidewalk on Henderson Street between Main Street and A. Planton Place, near Lou. Ry. Depot.

Section 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section or the parents of any child, under the age of sixteen years, allowing their said child to violate any of the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine in the sum of five (\$5.00) dollars, or each and every offense. Violation on each day shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in force from and after its adoption.

Adopted by unanimous vote of the Board of Aldermen, Aug. 1 - 1922
There being no further business the Board adjourned.

D. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Sept. 5 - 1922

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the above office on the above date, present, H. H. Tate, Mayor, P. H. Sinclair, J. H. Tate, C. F. James, C. R. McCall and D. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to wit: -

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried all bills paid during the month of August were read and passed as paid.

~~There being no further business the Board adjourned.~~

On motion of D. A. Neal, seconded by J. H. Tate, it was ordered that extension of charter of the Marion Telephone Company, as presented at this meeting, be favorably considered and further action left open for determination at next regular meeting in October 1922.

On motion duly seconded and carried ~~there being no further business the Board adjourned~~
D. A. Neal was appointed Tax Collector and be allowed 2% commission on all taxes collected.

~~As petition for sidewalk, along east Court Street from M. J. Hoover's to Corporate line was referred to street committee.~~

On motion duly seconded and carried the Liberty Bonds held by Town were ordered sold and money apply on Town debt, also lot owned by Town be sold.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

D. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Oct. 3 - 1922

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the above office on the above date, present, H. S. Tate, Mayor, B. A. Sinclair, J. H. Tate, C. F. James and D. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. An motion duly seconded and carried all bills paid during the month of July were read and passed as paid. An motion duly seconded and carried J. H. Winborne was elected a member of the Marion Graded School Board.

An motion duly seconded the following resolution was unanimously adopted:-

Resolved that the following taxes be and are hereby levied upon all property, real and personal and upon each poll within the said Town for the general and special purposes thereof, and the special taxes for the year from May 1 - 1922 to April 30 - 1923, for the purposes hereinafter set forth, to wit:-

1st A tax of eighty-five cents on each \$1.00⁰⁰ worth of property, real and personal within said Town and a tax of \$1.00 on each poll therein, for the general and current expenses of said Town and for the payment of interest on its bonded indebtedness.

2nd A special tax of forty cents on each \$1.00⁰⁰ worth of property, real and personal within said Town and a tax of \$1.00 on each poll within therein, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of Graded School of said Town.

3rd That the following privilege taxes be levied to wit:- On each telegraph company having an office and doing business within said Town, a tax of \$10.00 per annum.

On each express company having an

office and doing business within said Town, a tax of \$20.00 per annum.

On every person, firm or corporation selling illuminating oils and so forth, and having a station or warehouse for the distribution and sale thereof, a tax of \$10.00 per annum.

4th That the maximum tax allowed by the revenue act of the State of North Carolina for the privilege of doing business or businesses enumerated therein, to be levied by Cities and Towns be and the same is hereby levied. ~~There being no further business the Board adjourned.~~

On motion of D. A. Neal, seconded by J. H. Tate, the following resolution and ordinance was regularly enacted, to-wit:-

Whereas, The Marion Telephone Company is now operating a telephone system in Marion, the charter to which is about to expire, and whereas, the said Company desires to extend, enlarge and improve the said system at large expenses, and seeks further franchise, which said Town desires to grant,

Now, Therefore:-

Section 1 - Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, County of McDowell and State of North Carolina, that the Marion Telephone Company, its successors and assigns are hereby empowered and duly authorized to erect and maintain on public streets, alleys and sidewalks, and upon the public grounds of said Town poles or posts of wood or other suitable material to support necessary telephone wires, cables and other appliances necessary and convenient for the operation of the system of telephone and telephone exchange of said Town, with the further right to make excavations on said streets, alleys, and other Town property, after obtaining permission for such excavations from the Street Committee, or the Committee having control of the streets for the laying of underground cables, conduits or other appliances for use in connection with its telephone system; provided, that such poles shall be so placed and the wires upon them be kept at such elevation and so attached and secured up to avoid danger to persons and adjacent property, and the use of streets for other local purposes; and provided further, that the location of the poles upon the streets and alleys hereafter opened shall be at points designated by the Town of Marion through its proper Committee having charge of such purposes.

Section 2 - Said poles shall not be set, or any excavation made so as to interfere with any water, or sewerage, lines or water drains.

Section 3 - The rights and privileges herein granted shall be for a term of twenty-five years from this date.

Section 4 - This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification, this October 3rd 1922.

There being no further business the Board adjourned

D. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

See Entry 1922

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Nov. 15 - 1922

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the above office on the above date, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, C. F. James, J. H. Tate, C. R. McCall and D. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to-wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. An motion duly seconded and carried all bills paid during the month of October were read and passed as paid. An motion duly seconded and carried Hood, Finley's salary, as day and night fireman was increased to \$75.00 per month, effective November 1st 1922. An motion duly seconded and carried the resignation of G. J. Halliburton as Chief of Police, to take effect December 1st, was accepted and a committee of H. H. Tate, J. H. Tate, C. R. McCall and D. A. Neal were appointed to go to Asheville to try to secure a good man to make Chief of Police. An motion duly seconded and carried a night watchman's clock was ordered purchased at once and C. F. James was instructed to order same.

There being no further business the Board adjourned

D. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Dec. 6 - 1922

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion, held in the above office on the above date, present H. H. Tate, Mayor, P. D. Sinclair, C. F. James, J. H. Tate, C. R. McCall and D. A. Neal, Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to-wit:-

The minutes of the ~~following~~ preceding meeting were read and approved. An motion duly seconded and carried all bills paid during the month of November were read and passed as paid.

An motion duly seconded and carried J. M. Morgan was elected Chief of Police, effective Dec. 1st, at a salary of \$115.00 per month and uniform.

A letter from the Superintendent and Trainmaster of the Asheville Division of the Southern Ry., requesting the Board allow a restaurant, near the Southern Ry. Depot, remain open all night to feed the incoming and outgoing train crews, was read and discussed. (An motion duly seconded and carried the ordinance ordering restaurants to close at 11 P. M. and remain closed until 5 A. M. was temporarily suspended.)

An motion duly seconded the following resolution was unanimously adopted:-

Whereas, during the dry season of the summer and fall of 1922 the present water supply of Marion was considerably impaired and was at times insufficient to meet the requirements of the consumers of water in the Town of Marion; that a temporary pump station had to be installed in connecting therewith, from which pumping station the Town was unable to supplement sufficient water and the source of supply from the pumping station proved a failure; and

Whereas, in the opinion of the Board it is necessary that the Town of Marion acquire additional water supply;

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There being no further business the Board adjourned.

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Mayor

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Town of Marion

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Dec. 6 - 1922

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Whereas, in the opinion of the Board it is necessary that the Town of Marion, acquire additional water supply;

It is, therefore, resolved that the Town proceed forthwith to acquire water rights on the water shed of Mackie's Creek, which water shed is hereby officially located upon and declared to be necessary for the public consumption and public health of the Town of Marion.

It is further resolved that the Mayor and Clerk proceed to employ an engineer to survey the boundary and take such steps as may be necessary to acquire rights from the Government.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

L. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor

North Carolina
Town of Marion

Mayor's Office
Jan. 3 - 1923

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Marion held in the above office on the above date, present H. H. Tate Mayor, J. H. Tate, C. F. James, C. R. McCall and R. A. Neal Aldermen, the following proceedings were had to-wit:-

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. On motion duly seconded and carried, all bills paid during the month of December were read and passed as paid.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was ordered that all having bills and notes be given to Wm Sweeney, Tax Collector, for collection and that he be paid a commission of 2% on all money he collects.

On motion duly seconded the following resolution was unanimously adopted:-

Whereas, it is necessary to enlarge the water supply of Marion, and the Board having heretofore located upon water rights of Mackie's Creek water shed thereby necessitating the building of an intake and laying a pipe line from said water shed to connect with the Reservoir at a cost of approximately \$100,000.00

It is, therefore, resolved that the Mayor and Clerk be and they are hereby authorized to have the Town attorney to take such steps as may be necessary to procure the authority for the Board of Aldermen to issue and sell bonds up to said amount for the immediate use of the Town in extending and enlarging the water supply of said Town. In this connection the Mayor and Clerk shall, through the Town attorney, have the authority to employ Bond Attorneys to draw upon and approve said bonds. There being no further business the Board adjourned.

L. A. Neal, Clerk

Mayor