

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

THURSDAY, JUNE 28TH, A.D. 1917. 4 P.M.

PRESENT: Honorable Sam C. Bell, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Garland, Lambert, Heuermann and Lowther.

----MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS----

Petition of colored citizens for use of San Pedro Park was read and referred to Commissioner of Sanitation, Parks and Public Property.

Petition for watermañns on Courtland Place was read and referred to Commissioner of Sanitation, Parks and Public Property.

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Taxation:
 Sam Friedman, for correction of assessment.
 Sam Friedman, for refund of taxes.
 J.W.Ruwe, for refund of taxes.

A hearing was given property holders interested in the improvement of Durango Street from Flores Street to Laredo Street.

(See Record of Hearings, page 22)

Commissioner Garland recommended that petition of Aug. Muegge, for refund of taxes be granted. Adopted.

Commissioner Garland introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Garland, Lambert, Heuermann and Lowther.

No. 34 **MB-683** AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$90,412.50 to pay notes of the City.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Ninety Thousand four hundred and twelve and 50/100 (\$90,412.50) be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1916 General Fund to pay notes #26 and #27 with interest thereon as follows, to-wit:

Note No. 26 held by Alamo National Bank	\$45,000.00
Note No. 27 " " State National Bank	45,000.00
Interest on same	412.50
	<u>\$90,412.50</u>

This ordinance is hereby declared to be of urgent importance for reasons of public welfare apparent herefrom, and the same shall take effect at once.

Commissioner Garland introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Garland, Lambert, Heuermann and Lowther.

No. 35 **-684** AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$3317.46 to pay interest on bonds and exchange charges on same to New York, as follows, to-wit:

General Sinking Fund	\$2587.50
Improvement Dist. No. 2	625.00
" " " 7	100.00
1917 General Fund, for exchange	4.96
	<u>\$3317.46</u>

This ordinance is hereby declared to be of urgent importance for reasons of pub-

lic welfare apparent herefrom, and the same shall take effect at once.

Commissioner Garland introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Garland, Lambert, Heuermann and Lowther.

No. 36. *MB-685* AN ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1917 General Fund to pay Merchants Bills for the month of June 1917, to-wit:

City Hall Expenditures	\$1,510.50
Police	1,894.70
Health	682.30
Fire	2,793.40
Fire Alarm	227.10
Engineering	783.60
Parks and Plazas	1,997.20
Street Maintenance	1,912.50
Street Cleaning and Sanitation	980.20
Market and Market House	48.00
Lights	4,975.70
Water	5,102.90
Rivers and Ditches	145.20
Plumbing and Sewer Inspection	135.10
Police and Fire Station	329.40
Sewer Construction	420.80
Repair shop	561.40
Contingencies	110.00
Cemetery	10.00
Making total of 1917 General Fund	<u>\$24,800.00</u>

This ordinance is hereby declared to be of urgent importance for reasons of public welfare apparent herefrom and the same shall take effect at once.

Commissioner Garland introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Garland, Lambert, Heuermann and Lowther.

No. 37. *-686* AN ORDINANCE

Directing the payment of salaries and wages for services rendered by officers and employes of the City for the month of June 1917, and appropriating money therefor.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby ~~appropriated~~ appropriated for the payment of officers and employes for the several accounts and departments as specified in the attached schedule as salaries or wages for services rendered to the City during the month of June 1917 as per pay rolls:

General Fund 1917	\$66,435.65
Cemetery Fund	<u>\$66,435.65</u>

for which respective amounts City warrants shall at once be issued and delivered to said respective payees: provided that all persons performing services for the City for uncertain periods, may be paid on pay rolls certified to be correct by the Commissioner of the department or the Chief of the division in which they are engaged, and each person so paid shall thereupon receipt said pay roll, all as provided by City Charter.

Commissioner Garland introduced the following ordinances, which were read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Garland, Lambert, Heuermann and Lowther.

City of San Antonio.
County of Bexar
The State of Texas.

-687 An Ordinance

Providing for borrowing Fifty Thousand Dollars from the Alamo National Bank of San

Antonio, Texas for the use of the City.

(For full text of this ordinance see Record Book, Vol. A, page 119.)

City of San Antonio.
County of Bexar.
The State of Texas.

MB-688 AN ORDINANCE

Providing for borrowing Fifty Thousand Dollars from the State National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, for the use of the City.

(For full text of this ordinance see Record Book Vol. A, page 123.)

The State of Texas.
County of Bexar.
The State of Texas.

-689 AN ORDINANCE

Providing for borrowing Forty Five Thousand Dollars from the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, for the use of the City.

(For full text of this ordinance see Record Book Vol. A, page 127.)

City of San Antonio.
County of Bexar.
The State of Texas.

-690 AN ORDINANCE

Providing for borrowing Forty Five Thousand Dollars from the State National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, for the use of the City.

(For full text of this ordinance see Record Book Vol A, pages 131.)

Commissioner Lambert introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Garland, Lambert, Heuermann and Lowther.
No. 38

-691 -----

Appropriating Thirty Six (\$36.00) Dollars for twelve lawn sprinklers to be paid to M. Constance.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Thirty Six (\$36.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary be appropriated to pay for twelve lawn sprinklers purchased from M. Constance.

Commissioner Lambert introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Garland, Lambert, Heuermann and Lowther.

No. 39 **-692** AN-ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

That the sum of eighteen and 50/100 Dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1916 General Fund to pay Fred Fries, City Clerk, for advances made in paying for bedding destroyed by order of the Health Department as follows, to-wit:

B. Jiminez	\$12.50
P. Ybauez	6.00

Commissioner Lambert introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted

RESOLUTION

Recommending the appointments of Adolph Vidal and Harvey Vargas.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

That the appointments of Adolph Vidal as City Sexton and Harvey Vargas as head grave digger be recommended.

Commissioner Lambert introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

RESOLUTION

Asking for bids for the privilege of collecting dead animals within the limits of the City of San Antonio.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the privilege of collecting dead animals within the City limits of the City of San Antonio, such as dead horses, mules, cows, dogs, cats, etc. said successful bidder to be prepared and obligated to collect all dead animals within the limits of the City of San Antonio immediately upon receipt of notice of destination of any dead animal, and said bidder to dispose of said dead animals in any manner satisfactory to the City Health Board and in compliance with any city ordinance now in effect or that may be passed in the future. The successful bidder to have the privilege of using or selling the hides of any parts of said dead animals that may bring him a compensation. Said bids to be filed with the City Clerk not later than 4 o'clock P.M. on July 9, 1917.

Commissioner Lambert recommended that petition for band concerts on Denver Heights be granted. Adopted.

Commissioner Lowther introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

RESOLUTION Asking for bids for the feeding of City prisoners.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the feeding of prisoners in the City Jail, bids to be received at the office of the City Clerk until 4:00 P.M. on Thursday July 5, 1917.

Commissioner Lowther introduced an ordinance amending an ordinance regulating Local Street Transportation, which was read and referred to the City Attorney.

Petition of I.C.Weuff, for permit to erect a tent on Soledad St. was refused on recommendation of Commissioner Lowther.

Petition of Wesley Smith for permit to install advertising machine was granted, on motion of Commissioner Lowther, duly seconded and carried.

Commissioner Lowther submitted the following names for appointment to the Fire Department, which appointments were confirmed by unanimous vote of Commissioners:

E.Mylius	P.C.Roche	L.Rodi	G.C.Cooper
C.C.Noll	J.Olguin	M.Garcia	G.W.Young
R.F.Davis	E.P.Trevino	J.Vidal	A.Castanola
A.G.Campa	J.Poke	G.A.Bartetti	G.C.Thomas

Commissioner Garland introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayea, Bell, Garland, Lambert, Heuermann and Lowther.

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An ordinance granting permit to Simon Yanez to operate Car No. 9638 in Local Street Transportation.

MB-692.1

Commissioner Lowther recommended that petition of L. H. McNally, for permit to operate Car. No. 11849 in Local Street Transportation be granted. Adopted.

On motion, duly seconded and carried, the meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

[Handwritten Signature]
CITY CLERK.

APPROVED:

[Handwritten Signature]
MAYOR