

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22ND, A. D. 1930, 10:00 A.M.

PRESENT: Honorable C. M. Chambers, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

On motion, of Commissioner Wright, duly seconded and carried, the reading of the minutes of the meeting of December 22nd, was dispensed with, and ordered approved.

---MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS---

Bids for Lock for the Ballot Boxes, were opened and referred to the City Purchasing Agent.

Bids for construction of Tile Floor in San Jose Burial Park Chapel, were opened and referred to the Commissioner of Parks and the Architect.

Bid for Sewer pump to be used at Sewer Disposal Plant, was opened and referred to the Commissioner of Streets & Public Impts.

MK-259

The City Purchasing Agent made the following recommendation, which was adopted.

That the bid of Maverick-Clarke Litho Co. to furnish the Assessor's Dept. with 110,000.00 Envelopes for the sum of \$224.40 be accepted. Adopted.

On motion, duly seconded and carried, the following petitions, were read and referred to the Commissioner of Fire and Police.

Texas Outdoor Adv. Corp., for permit to erect Bill Board at 128 San Pedro Ave.

Texas Outdoor Adv. Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign on roof E. Houston & Alamo Sts.

Loyd-Peale-Dittmar Elec. Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 204 Soledad St.

Hillyer-Deutsch-Jarratt Co., for approval of site for Drive-in Gas Sta. N. Alamo & Seventh Sts.

Mrs. Dora Winters, For approval of a location for Drive-in Gas Sta. Wyoming & Hackberry Sts.

Refugio R. Montalvo, for permit to install gas equipment 712 Cameron St.

Frederick G. Oppenheimer, for approval of location for Drive-in Sta. 228 W. Commerce St.

Frank Lightfoot, for permit to erect Electric Sign 1200 Tampico Street.

The Texas Co., for permit to install gas equipment at Robert E. Lee Garage, 306 W. Travis St.

The Texas Co., for permit to install gas equipment for Watts Bros. 1200 So. Presa St.

Frank Lightfoot, for permit to erect Electric Sign 232 Broadway.

Abino Flores, for permit to install gas equipment 1002 So. Flores Street.

The Texas Co., to install gas equipment 219 Broadway.

On motion, duly seconded and carried, the following petition was read and referred to the City Water Board.

Citizens on Valero Street, asking for Water Mains.

Dr. Dorbandt, now addressed the Mayor & Commissioners in regard to placing the Sanitary Dept. under control of the Health Dept. The Mayor stated that the matter would be taken under consideration.

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Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 327 **MK-260** AN ORDINANCE

Transferring \$108,810.00 from Bank to Bank.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that,

The Commissioner of Taxation, as ex-officio City Treasurer and the City Auditor, be and they are hereby directed to transfer or cause to be transferred the hereinafter named Sinking Funds from Bank to Bank, as follows:

From City-Central Bank & Trust Co. to Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas.-

Sinking Fund	- Street Paving Bonds of 1927	- - - - -	\$5,000.00	
"	"	- Bridge Bonds of 1927	- - - - -	1,300.00
"	"	- Flood Prevention Bonds of 1927	- - - - -	4,000.00
"	"	- Improvement District No. 2.	- - - - -	9,000.00

From City-Central Bank & Trust Co. to Frost National Bank of San Antonio, Texas-

Sinking Fund	- St. Paving & Marker Bonds of 1924	- - - - -	6,000.00	
"	"	- Flood Prevention Bonds of 1924	- - - - -	2,000.00
"	"	- St. Opening & Widening Bonds of 1926	- - - - -	6,000.00
"	"	- Storm & Sanitary Sewer Bonds of 1927	- - - - -	4,000.00
"	"	- Park Improvement Bonds of 1927	- - - - -	7,000.00
"	"	- Improvement District No. 3	- - - - -	10,000.00
"	"	- General Sinking Fund	- - - - -	16,000.00
"	"	- Street Paving Bonds of 1928	- - - - -	11,000.00
"	"	- Flood Prev. & Storm Sewer Bonds of 1928.	- - - - -	8,000.00

From Alamo National Bank to Frost National Bank, San Antonio, Texas-

Sinking Fund	- Flood Prevention Bonds of 1924	- - - - -	10,000.00	
"	"	- St. Opening & Widening Bonds of 1927	- - - - -	6,000.00

From Frost National Bank to Alamo National Bank, San Antonio, Texas.

Sinking Fund	- City Hall Building Bonds of 1927	- - - - -	3,510.00
			<u>\$108,810.00</u>

Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 328 **MK-261** AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$20,072.32 out of 1929 General Fund to pay two notes and interest.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that,

The sum of \$20,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1929 General Fund (Various Dept.) to pay two (2) notes Nos. 70 & 71, \$10,000.00 each, payable to the Alamo National Bank and the Frost National Bank respectively; and the sum of \$72.32, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1929 General Fund (Interest Dept.) to pay interest on the foregoing notes.

Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 329 **MK-262** AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$807.20 to pay Merchants' Bills.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that,

The sum of \$807.20 and the same is hereby appropriated out of the following funds to pay Merchants' Bills as per itemized invoices duly approved and now on file in the office of the City Auditor:

Zoo Fund - - - - -	\$ 390.71
Market House Fund - - - - -	31.49
Sewer Disposal & Sanitary Sewer Fund of 1928 - - - - -	385.00
	<u>\$ 807.20</u>

Commissioner Rubiola, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 330

MK-263

AN ORDINANCE

APPROPRIATING \$300.00 TO PAY KOPPEL INDUSTRIAL CAR AND EQUIPMENT COMPANY FOR THE SALE OF GARBAGE CARS TO THE CITY OF DAYTON, OHIO.

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

1. That the sum of \$300.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund 1930 - Contingencies Account, to pay the Koppel Industrial Car and Equipment Company for the sale of two railroad garbage cars sold to the City of Dayton, Ohio.
2. Upon the completion of the transaction and the receipt of the purchase price by the City of San Antonio, the Auditor is directed to deliver the warrant to the payee.
3. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 22nd, day of December, A. D. 1930.

ATTEST: G. L. Lain.
Asst. City Clerk.

C. M. Chambers.
Mayor.

Commissioner Rubiola, introduced the following ordinance, which, was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

MK-264

AN ORDINANCE

CONFIRMING THE SALE OF TWO GARBAGE CARS TO THE CITY OF DAYTON, OHIO.

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

1. That the sale to the City of Dayton, Ohio, of two railroad garbage cars, rolling side dump, fifty ton capacity, built under specifications of Koppel Industrial Car and Equipment Company, for THREE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY DOLLARS (\$3,330.00), terms net, sight draft with bill of lading attached, f.o.b. Dayton, be and the same is hereby in all things confirmed; and the proper officers of the City are directed to make the disposition of the property specified, and all property records shall be changed to conform to this disposition of this property.
2. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 22nd day of December, A. D. 1930.

ATTEST: G. L. Lain.
Asst. City Clerk.

C. M. Chambers.
Mayor.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

MK-265

AN ORDINANCE

ACCEPTING THE DEED OF ETHEL T. DROUGHT FOR THE EXTENSION OF AUGUSTA STREET.

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

1. That the deed of Ethel T. Drought, a feme sole, dated the 18th day of December, A. D. 1930, conveying to the City certain property described in said deed for use as a public street and for purposes incidental thereto for the extension of AUGUSTA STREET, be and the same is hereby accepted and ordered filed.

2. The City of San Antonio will construct the street pavement and the curb on the part of the land conveyed, used for the roadway of Augusta Street, and will construct the sidewalk pavement five feet wide on the part of the land conveyed not used for the roadway, abutting the remainder of the property of Ethel T. Drought.

3. The City Engineer and the City Tax Assessor are hereby directed to correct their records to correspond with the new street.

4. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 22nd, day of December, A. D. 1930.

ATTEST: G. L. Lain.
Asst. City Clerk.

C. M. Chambers.
Mayor.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

AN ORDINANCE

MK-266

ACCEPTING THE DEED OF CHAMINADE COLLEGE, SOCIETY OF MARY, PROVINCE OF SAINT LOUIS, FOR THE EXTENSION OF AUGUSTA STREET.

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

1. That the deed of Chaminade College, Society of Mary, Province of Saint Louis, dated the 10th of December, A. D. 1930, conveying to the City certain property described in said deed for use as a public street and for purposes incidental thereto for the extension of Augusta Street, be and the same is hereby accepted and ordered filed.

2. The City of San Antonio will construct the street pavement and the curb on the part of the land conveyed, used for the roadway of Augusta Street, and will construct also the sidewalk pavement five feet wide on the parts of Augusta Street, North Saint Mary Street and Dallas Street, which abut on the remainder of the property of Chaminade College, Society of Mary, Province of Saint Louis.

3. The City Engineer and the City Tax Assessor are hereby directed to correct their records to correspond with the new street.

4. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 22nd day of December, A. D. 1930.

ATTEST: G. L. Lain.
Asst. City Clerk.

C. M. Chambers.
Mayor.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 331

AN ORDINANCE

MK-267

Appropriating \$6,017.66 to pay Uvalde Rock Asphalt Co., the 2nd & Final Estimate for Paving Broadway from Carnanhan St. to N. City Limits.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that,

The sum of \$6,017.66 is hereby appropriated from the St. Paving Fund of 1928 to pay Uvalde Rock Asphalt Co. the 2nd & Final Estimate for Paving Broadway from Carnahan St. to the N. City Limits Line.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 332

AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$149.40 to pay Rodgers & Stewart for Sidewalk and Curbing on Widening Salinas St. at Santa Rosa Ave.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that,

The sum of \$149.40 is hereby appropriated from the St. Opening & Widening Fund of 1928 to pay Rodgers & Stewart for sidewalk and Curbing on Widening Salinas St. at Santa Rosa Ave.

Commissioner Wright, made the following recommendations, which were read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

Laurel Petroleum Co., for permit to install gas equipment 218 Hedges Street. Granted.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., to install gas equipment for E. S. Pigott at N. Laredo & Martin. Granted.

E. H. Lowes, For approval of a location for drive-in gasoline Station at Leigh and Presa Street. Granted.

P. L. Tscherhart, For approval of location for Drive-in Sta. S. E. Cor. Broadway & 4th St. Granted.

National Outdoor Adv. Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign at 213 N. St. Mary's St. Granted.

Frank Lightfoot, for permit to erect Electric Sign at Houston & St. Mary's St. Granted.

Graham & Collins, Elect. Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign for Morris Plan Bank, 227 W. Commerce Street. Granted.

Frank Lightfoot, for permit to erect Electric Sign on Express Bldg. Ave. E. Granted.

E. G. Lowes, for permit to install gas equipment at Leigh and Presa Street. Granted.

Frank Leyton, for permit to install gas equipment at 501 So. Presa St. Granted.

Pioneer Oil Co., for permit to install gas equipment 501 N. Zarzamora Street. Granted.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., for permit to install gas equipment at West Ave. and Fredericksburg Road. Granted.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., for permit to install gas equipment for Ft. Sam Houston Garage, 1316 Grayson St. Granted.

On motion, of Commissioner Wright. duly seconded and carried, by unanimous vote of the Commissioners, the petition of Juan Guerrero For approval of location for drive-in gas filling Sta. 1211 S. Zarzamora St. Not Granted. C. B. Green, for approval of a location for drive-in gas Sta. 823 N. St. Mary's St. Not Granted.

Pursuant the notice promulgated heretofore Commissioner Phil Wright introduced an ordinance ordering an election for the purpose of amending the Charter of the City of San Antonio, to put the Fire Department, Police Department and Fire Alarm Operators Department under Civil Service, and providing therefor.

Thereupon on motion of Commissioner Phil Wright, seconded by Commissioner Steffler, the requirement that an ordinance of a general character be read at three several meetings before final action thereon was suspended/as to the ordinance ordering an election for the purpose of amending the Charter of the City of San Antonio to put the Fire Department, Police Department and Fire Alarm Operators Department under Civil Service and providing therefor by the following vote:

Ayes:	Nays:
Chambers.	None
Bushick.	
Rubiola.	
Steffler.	
Wright.	

The Assistant City Clerk then read in full an ordinance ordering an election for the purpose of amending the Charter of the City of San Antonio, to put the Fire Department, Police Department and Fire Alarm Operators Department under Civil Service, and providing therefor.

On motion of Commissioner Phil Wright, Seconded by Commissioner Steffler the ordinance ordering an election for the purpose of amending the Charter of the City of San Antonio, to put the Fire Department, Police Department and Fire Alarm Operators Department under Civil Service, and providing therefor was carried by the following vote:

Ayes:	Nays:
Chambers.	None
Bushick.	
Rubiola.	
Steffler.	
Wright.	

(For full text of this ordinance see Ordinance Book "H" page 66).

Mayor Chambers, introduced the following resolution, which was on his motion adopted by the unanimous vote.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Jim Smith, a kind and loving husband and father, and a leading and progressive citizen of San Antonio, has passed away; and

WHEREAS, the entire citizenship of San Antonio is deeply grieved; THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission, that we do hereby stand ajourned in honor of his memory, and that the City Clerk be authorized and requested to send a copy of these resolutions to the family of the deceased, expressing our deep symathy in their great loss.

APPROVED CM Chambers
MAYOR.

ATTEST: Gas Simpson
CITY CLERK.

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