

Mayor Smitley explained that the police force was reduced because of lack of funds, as the City is limited to a 15 mill tax levy, and many other possible sources of revenue have been usurped by the state. A general occupational tax, while perhaps favored by a few, he stated, would meet with considerable objections from the majority. The Council has discussed plans for increasing the City's revenues, he advised the petitioners, and still hopes to find a way to solve this problem.

Commissioner Bergersen suggested that the Council request a meeting with the new County Sheriff, Prosecuting Attorney, the Police Judge and any others they wish to have attend for a discussion of plans for enforcement of laws in order that some kind of an understanding may be had with them as to how these questions are to be met. The Clerk was directed by the Council to request the officials mentioned to meet with the Council next week at their convenience for such a discussion.

Upon Motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: Rosemary Martin
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, January 2, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

Mr. M. McElroy, representing the Civic Activities League, submitted a petition for an amendment to the City Charter by the repeal of Article XIV - Civil Service - , which he said was signed by 4,947 registered voters. Mr. McElroy was directed to file the petition with the City Clerk for checking.

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Willard F. Bowman, fireman
W. H. Erick, chief engineer
D. Cephart, fireman
F. P. Gichard, chief engineer
Alfred A. Guenette, asst. engineer

Jos. M. McGovern, donkey engineer
Reese Meredith, asst. engineer
Chas. R. Owen, engineer
A. Sjolander, fireman
Kyle V. Stotler, engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Geo. Gregory, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

The Bridge Clinic, for renewal of license for drug store at 742 Market Street;
Cartier Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 2156 South K Street;

The petition of A. Michela, for renewal of license for Ewen Hotel at 1527 1/2 Broadway, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of M. F. Jacobs, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Pennsylvania Avenue from Maler Road south to Knapp Road, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

Wild West Post No. 91, VFW, requesting the City Council to devise ways and means of permanently employing the policemen who were laid off about a year ago. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending December 22, 1934 in amount of \$1,011,368.78. Placed on file.

C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, submitting, in compliance with the Mayor's request, the estimated cost of a trunk sewer in the South Tacoma District in a total amount of \$216,795.00 or \$9.70 per lot on the basis of a 25 x 120 foot lot; and also submitting report of D W King with reference to this matter. Referred to the Mayor.

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising that they have on hand in the Fire Alarm System an old cable rack that has been discarded as obsolete, for which they have an offer of \$30.00 and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be directed to sell it for the best price obtainable at not less than \$30.00. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

CLAIMS:

J. L. Rynning, for \$350.00 for damages to his property at 8005 Pacific Avenue, resulting when the City of Tacoma through its officers, agents and employees forcibly trespassed and entered his property and tore up and destroyed hedges, cut up and destroyed lawns, cut the roots and branches of fruit trees, etc. on November 2nd and 3rd, 1934. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

J. S. Tyrell (12-31-34) for license for public dance hall at 2811- 6th Avenue;
Berry's Pharmacy (12-31-34) for renewal of license for drug store at 3823 North 34th Street;
Ralph W. Fowler (12-31-34) for renewal of license for drug store at 2901 South 12th Street;
Fred Ludwig (12-31-34) for renewal of license for drug store at 5401 South Tacoma Way.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Welfare and Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of J. J. Kinsella (12-3-34) for license for Home Hotel at 1523 1/2 Broadway, and approved issuance of the license. The Commissioner of Public Safety also reported back on the petition of Ann Peterson (11-13-34) for renewal of license for Sherman Hotel at 1546 1/2 Broadway and the petition of Mrs. S. H. Rodgers (12-5-34) for license for the Brenden Hotel at 204 South 13th Street, which were submitted with his approval and the signature of the Commissioner of Public Welfare. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the above licenses be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and lost on roll call: Yeas 2; Callender, Davisson, Nays 3; Bergersen, Fawcett, Mr. President.

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SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Preventing the fraudulent sale and regulating the sale and advertising for sale of goods, wares and merchandise; providing for the licensing of certain sales and the renewals of said licenses; repealing Ordinances Nos. 10713, 10821 and 10946; and providing penalties for the violation hereof. Brought up for second reading and laid over for a public hearing on January 9th, 1935.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Thursday, January 3rd, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smith
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Thursday, January 3, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Controller, advising that Underwood typewriter #3546493-N is too old to warrant rebuilding and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to trade this machine on a new one at an allowance of not less than \$12.50. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, requesting authority for the Light Division to purchase one truck with a closed body large enough to carry two electric ranges and one water heater and to turn in as part payment two Chevrolet trucks bearing City Nos. 191 and 192; also requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to purchase one new Ford or Chevrolet Coupe and dispose of Buick Coupe, City No. 198, at the best price obtainable on a turn-in; and that the Purchasing Agent also be authorized to dispose of Ford Coupe No. 218 and Chevrolet Coupe No. 204 at the best price obtainable on the purchase of two Willys 77 Coupes. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to carry out these requests at the best price obtainable for the old cars. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Council took up for consideration the condition of the L I D Guaranty Fund. City Controller Swayze reported that demand has been made on the fund in excess of the amount in it, and it is now overdrawn by \$14,099.00. He asked that the overdraft be recognized and a loan be made from some other fund to cover it.

The Corporation Counsel, Mr. Carothers, advised that the Act of 1927 covering the L I D Guaranty Fund, provides for the issuance of interest-bearing warrants at not to exceed 3%, and that warrants may be issued up to 5% of the amount of the bonds that have been issued since October, 1921. Commissioner Fawcett stated that this would mean that \$80,000.00 can be issued in warrants, but that, according to the estimates of his officer, there will be a demand of about \$140,000 made on the fund in 1935, as assessments are not being paid in many instances. Mr. Swayze suggested that it might be necessary for the city to foreclose on some of the property, where assessments have become delinquent, in order to protect the L I D Guaranty Fund and the suggestion was also made that notices be sent to property owners, before proceedings are actually started, telling them that it may be necessary to fore-

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close. Commissioner Fawcett asked that action be taken at this time to put the L I D Guaranty Fund on a warrant basis, and the Corporation Counsel stated that there is a general ordinance authorizing the issuance of warrants against this fund. The matter was referred to the Corporation Counsel for further investigation, with the request that he prepare any legislation that may be necessary for action by the Council next Monday.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, January 7th, 1935.

Geo. A. Smith
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, January 7, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following Matter:

This being the date fixed for the hearing of remonstrances on the petition of Irving Thompson, et al (resubmitted to Council December 17, 1934) for establishment of a retail business district on East L Street from East 71st to East 72nd Streets, the Clerk reported the publication of Resolution No. 10418 on December 20th and 21st, 1934, as required, and the post car notices had been mailed to all property owners in the district by the Building Inspector. A remonstrance signed by residents in the district was submitted by the City Clerk. Mr. Keith Goodman, as spokesman for a group of citizens and taxpayers, made a protest against the establishment of a business district, saying these people object because the north boundary line of the area is not definitely defined; if the petition is granted, taxes may be increased; and also because a number of the petitioners are non-residents of the district. In addition he stated that there is no police protection and no graded streets or sidewalks and for these reasons a business district is not advisable. In reply to questions by members of the Council, he said that none of those who are protesting live within the district except two, but they live in the immediate vicinity and feel that their property will be affected if a business district is created. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to refer the petition to the Planning Commission for its recommendation. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the Licensed Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Pete Erickson, for renewal of license to peddle honey;
S. Jones, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts, popcorn and candy;
K. J. Skafidas, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn;

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

156 7) C. Nakayama, for license for massage parlor and bath house at 1354 1/2 Broadway;
143 7) P. B. SOLES, for renewal of license for drug store at 4801 Pacific Avenue;
143 7) HENRY BECKMAN, for renewal of license for cabaret at 5520 Pacific Avenue;
143 7) SWEDISH ORDER OF VALHALLA, for renewal of license for public dance hall at 1216 South K Street;

143 7) Peterson and Cooksie, for renewal of license for ten pool tables at 942 1/2 Pacific Ave.
143 7) ROUSSEAU RECREATION, for renewal of license for 5 pool tables at 945 Commerce Street.

124 7) The Petition of Carrie Miller, for license for Torino Hotel at 1520 1/2 Broadway, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities:

141 7) Fred H. Kohl, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 6, Box 333
147 7) Ted Pierce, et al, requesting extension of light service to premises on Route 3, Canyon Road from South 80th to 86th Streets.

Jefferson Heights Improvement Club, requesting the installation of stop signs at the intersection of North 19th and Stevens Streets, which is a very dangerous intersection. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety;

145 7) Alma Olsen, et al, requesting creation of a polling place on Roosevelt Heights to include that portion of Precincts 53 and 55 lying east of the gulch between East R and East T Streets. Referred to City Clerk.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

145 7) O. H. Brasier, Chairman Public Safety Committee, Kiwanis Club, submitting resolution signed by various Civic organizations, protesting against granting any permission for signal or mechanical service in lieu of a watchman on the Union Pacific 15th Street drawbridge and the Northern Pacific crossings on downtown streets, and requesting that they be notified when a hearing is to be held on this matter. Placed on file.

145 7) Mrs. A. E. Rademaker, expressing her opinion as to the suggestion (that it may be) that it may be necessary for the Council to start foreclosure proceedings to enforce collection of delinquent assessments. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Finance.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

144 7) Commissioner of Public Utilities, report for Light Division for month of November, 1934
144 7) CITY TREASURER (Commissioner of Public Finance, report for month of November, 1934.

144 7) Commissioner of Public Safety, advising that the Fire Department has on hand two used 5.50 x 19 tires, which he recommends the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell for the best price obtainable; also that they have one used typewriter Model 12, Remington #LX 44740, which he recommends that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell or trade in to the best advantage on a used typewriter in better condition. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergerson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitioner, recommending that they be granted:

143 7) The Fridge Clinic (1-2-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 742 Market Street;
137 7) Cartier Drug Co. (1-2-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 2156 South K Street.
It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergerson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of S. R. Metcalfe (12-26-34) for extension of electric light service to premises at the Northeast corner of East 72nd and Vickery Road, and recommended that it be granted and that the petition be connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring in his house by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 5 of Ordinance No. 11040, entitled, "An ordinance relating to false and misleading advertising, defining offenses, prescribing penalties for the violation hereof; repealing Ordinance No. 7474 and all other ordinances and parts of ordinance in conflict herewith, etc." Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Fixing and confirming the salaries and compensation to be paid certain officials and employees of the City of Tacoma; repealing Ordinance No. 11011 and all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith; and declaring that an emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Appropriating from the Light Fund and transferring to the Light Division State Utilities Tax Fund the sum of \$68,162.15, appropriating from the Water Fund and transferring to the Water Division State Utilities Tax Fund the sum of \$23,189.22, and appropriating from the Municipal Street Railway Fund and transferring to the Street Railway Division State Utilities Tax Fund the sum of \$309.07, for the purpose of paying the business and occupational tax owing the State of Washington. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

ORDER OF BUSINESS REVERTED TO

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

144 7) Corporation Counsel, submitting opinion with regard to the L I D Guaranty Fund, in which he advised that the City must issue interest bearing warrants to take care of the present overdraft and to meet current demands upon the funds until warrants issued and outstanding amount to 5% of the outstanding bond obligations guaranteed by said fund; and that, inasmuch as Ordinance No. 8414 authorizes the issuance of such interest bearing warrants, no further ordinance is necessary at this time, but the resolution submitted herewith, approving the issuance of the warrants, should be adopted by the Council. Placed on file.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10420.

BY FAWCETT:

WHEREAS, it appears that the Local Improvement Guaranty Fund is now overdrawn and that the revenues anticipated to be paid in said fund during the coming year will be insufficient to pay said overdraft and to meet the demands expected to be made upon said fund; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to and under the authority granted by Chapter 141 of the 1923 Session Laws, as amended by Chapter 209 of the 1927 Session Laws, and Ordinances Nos. 7567 and 8414 enacted by the City Council, the City of Tacoma is authorized and empowered to issue warrants against said fund drawing interest at the rate of not to exceed six (6%) per cent for the purpose of meeting accruing liabilities, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL that warrants drawing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent be issued against the Local Improvement Guaranty Fund of the City of Tacoma for the purpose of paying the overdraft now existing in said fund and for the purpose of meeting the demands which may be made upon said fund during the current year, provided, however, that the total amount of the warrants issued during the current year shall not exceed five (5%) per cent of the outstanding bond obligations guaranteed by said fund; and the proper officers are hereby directed to issue said warrants for the purposes above designated.

Adopted on roll call January 7, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergerson, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smithley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Lemuel C. Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, January 9, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett. Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the Lieutenant Inspector and Com'r of Public Safety that they be granted:

Doxey D. Katramad, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn;
John Morozzo, for license to peddle cheese;
A. Peter, for license to peddle fruit and vegetables;

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

R. Hachiya, for renewal of license for Rector Hotel at 1541 Broadway;
Mrs. O. Tolomei, for license for Ledo Hotel at 1519 1/2 Broadway.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Mayor Geo. A. Smitley, requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to trade in 1928 Chevrolet Coupe, Motor No. 4257541 on a new 1935 Standard Ford Coupe. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from John Claffey, et ux, granting the City the right to set poles and string wires over certain property in Section 25, T 20, R 3 E, W. M., which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to Form and the Department Engineer as to description and recommending the easement be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording with the County Auditor. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from S. A. Thompson, granting the City the right to set poles and string wires over certain property in Section 35, T 20 N., R 3 E, W. M., which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and the Department Engineer as to description and recommending the easement be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording with the County Auditor. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from Dana Chappell, granting the City the right to set a pole on and string wires over the North 10 feet of Lot 55, Block 1, Hyaga Park, which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and the Department Engineer as to description and recommending the easement be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording with the County Auditor. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted;

Henry Beckman (1-7-35) for renewal of license for cabaret at 5520 Pacific Avenue;
Swedish Order of Valhalla (1-7-35) for renewal of license for public Dance Hall at 1216 South K Street;
P. B. Soles, (1-7-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 4601 Pacific.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10421.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund of the City has been depleted and it is necessary, in order to pay the benefits therein provided, that a further loan be made from the General Fund for such purpose; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant on the General Fund in the sum of \$1800.00, and that the proceeds thereof be transferred into the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund as a temporary loan for the purpose of paying current obligations, as the same accrue, under the Firemen's Relief and Pension System of the City of Tacoma.

Adopted on roll call January 9, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Preventing the fraudulent sale and regulation the sale and advertising for sale of goods, wares and merchandise; providing for the licensing of certain sales and the renewals of said licenses; repealing Ordinance Nos. 10715, 10821 and 10946; and providing penalties for the violation hereof. Brought up for second reading and at the request of the Tacoma Retail Trade Bureau hearing on the ordinance was postponed until Wednesday, January 16, 1935.

FIXING AND CONFIRMING the salaries and compensation to be paid certain officials and employees of the City of Tacoma; repealing Ordinance No. 11011 and all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith; and declaring that an emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that Section 15 be amended as follows: Eliminate the word "laborer" after "Assistant Storekeeper" and "Flusher" and change "troublemen" to "subforemen"; also change salary of Assistant Storekeeper, flushermen, and pitman from \$91.00 to \$115.00; and that Section 14 be amended as follows: raise wages of assistant storekeeper, flushermen, pitman from \$3.55 to \$4.35 and strike word "Laborer" after assistant storekeeper and change "Troublemen" to "Subforemen". Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0. The ordinance was then read by title and passed to third reading.

Appropriating from the Light Fund and transferring to the Light Division State Utilities Tax Fund the sum of \$68,162.15, appropriating from the Water Fund and transferring to the Water Division State Utilities Tax Fund the sum of \$22,189.22, and appropriating from the Municipal Street Railway Fund and transferring to the Street Railway Division State Utilities Tax Fund the sum of \$309.07, for the purpose of paying the business and occupational tax owing the State of Washington. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Section 5 of Ordinance No. 11040, entitled: "An ordinance relating to false and misleading advertising, defining offenses, prescribing penalties for the violation hereof; repealing Ordinance No. 7474 and all other ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, etc." Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11132.

Fixing and confirming the salaries and compensation to be paid certain officials and employees of the City of Tacoma; repealing Ordinance No. 11011 and all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith; and declaring that an emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Read in full and passed as amended.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11133.

Appropriating from the Light Fund and transferring to the Light Division State Utilities Tax Fund the sum of \$68,162.15, appropriating from the Water Fund and transferring to the Water Division State Utilities Tax Fund the sum of \$22,189.22, and appropriating from the Municipal Street Railway Fund and transferring to the Street Railway Division State Utilities Tax Fund the sum of \$309.07, for the purpose of paying the business and occupational tax owing the State of Washington. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

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Ordinance No. 11134.

Amending Section 5 of Ordinance No. 11040, entitled: "An ordinance relating to false and misleading advertising, defining offenses, prescribing penalties for the violation hereof; repealing Ordinance No. 7474 and all other ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith." Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, January 14, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Samuel J. Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, January 14, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted and referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Curran Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 3512 McKinley Avenue;
Lien & Selvig, for renewal of license for drug store at 1026 South Tacoma Avenue;
Pay Less Drug Store, for renewal of license for drug store at 930 Broadway;
Earl J. Shaw, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Earl J. Shaw, for renewal of license for public hack;
Scottish Rite Temple Association, for license for public dance hall at #5 South G Street.

Day's Tailor-d Clothing, Inc., asking for installation of a street light in the alley on the south side of 29th Street between "A" Street and Pacific Avenue. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Tacoma Retail Trade Bureau, recommending that Section 9 of the existing distressed sale ordinance be substituted for Section 10 of the proposed ordinance and approving the proposed ordinance with this exception. Laid over to Wednesday to be considered at the time of hearing on the ordinance.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending December 29, 1934 in amount of \$1,033,152.12;
City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending January 5, 1935, in amount of \$918,104.89.

Jos. Gorman, Sanitary Inspector, submitting copy of notice given the Pierce County Commissioners on January 7, 1935 to remove refuse from premises at 408 East 29th Street as provided by Ordinance No. 8078. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the ordinance be enforced. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from Percy Russell and Frances Russell, granting the City the right to set poles on and string wires over certain described property, which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and by the Department Engineer as to description. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the easement be accepted and sent to the City Controller for recording with the auditor and filing. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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Commissioner of Public Works, submitting easement from Metropolitan Park

District of Tacoma for the right to lay sewers in North 8th Street into Jefferson Park from Mason Avenue to the trunk sewer in North Madison Street; advising that the easement has been approved by the City Engineer and the Corporation Counsel and recommending that it be accepted. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to accept the easement and refer to the City Controller for recording with the County Auditor and filing. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

See Reports of officers below.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10422.

By SMITLEY:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the appointment of FRANK A. MAGILL as Police Judge of the Police Court of the City of Tacoma, by the Mayor, effective January 14, 1935, be and the same is hereby confirmed.

Adopted on roll call January 14, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The City Clerk reported back on the petition of Alma Olsen, et al (1-7-34) requesting creation of a polling place on Roosevelt Heights to include that portion of Precincts 53 and 55 lying east of the gulch between East R and East T Streets, and advised that 316 voters are registered in Precinct 53 and 443 in Precinct 55; that, at the last election 280 voted in Precinct 53 and 380 in Precinct 55; and, if precincts are divided at East T Street, there would be 383 registered voters in the new precinct on Roosevelt Heights, 212 in Precinct 53 and 164 in Precinct 55; also quoted from the law which provides that the division of precincts shall be made between general election and December 31st. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the petition be held over until after the general election, then discussed again and see what can be worked out. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with the R. C. Scott Advertising Co., a California Corporation, providing for the use by said company of advertising space in the street cars and buses of the Municipal Belt Line; and fixing the terms and conditions thereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. M. McElroy stated to the Council that the initiative petitions for repeal of the Civil Service provision in the City Charter which he had filed with the City Clerk for checking had been muddled over and mutilated by members of the Civil Service League and he protested against anyone being allowed to see the petitions until after the clerk had finished checking them and had made her report. He further charged that there was collusion on the part of the clerk and the Civil Service Commission. Mr. John Coffee stated that these petitions are a public record from the time they are filed with the Clerk and, as such, anyone has a right to look them over and copy them if desired, and it would be contrary to the laws of the state to keep them secret or to refuse anyone the right to look them over so long as it does not interfere with the checking. Mr. Claude Hiberly, President of the Civil Service League, told the Council that the petitions had been copied by members of the Civil Service League but they had never been out of the custody of the City Clerk while the copying was being done, and also stated the League can put enough evidence before this Council to throw out the whole petition at any time. After all con-

cerned in the matter had been heard, it was proposed by Commissioner Davisson that the Council assure the clerk that it is satisfied with the way she is handling the petitions, and the Council acquiesced in the suggestion.

Arthur E. Royal of 6408 South Cheyenne Street complained about 7 or 8 large trees on vacant property owned by Rose Brau at 6411 South Gove Street, which have been damaged by recent windstorms and are a menace to life and property and asked the Council to take action to have them removed. The matter was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities and the Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon motion duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smalley
President of City Council

Attest: Commissioner Martin
City Clerk.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Mr. H. Lowney, engineer
Edwin S. Moyer, fireman
Wm. K. Roberts, asst. engineer
W. H. Smith, fireman
Peter Velsvick, fireman

Ernest Carlson, asst. engineer
A. C. Doyle, fireman
S. Gunderson, asst. engineer
Haldor Halderson, fireman
M. Hurley, asst. engineer
Henry Kapler, chief engineer
A. C. Kriegel, donkey engineer
A. McLean, chief engineer
C. H. Noble, fireman
H. C. Powers, chief engineer
A. F. Smith, compressor engineer
C. P. H. Tripp, fireman
W. C. Turner, chief engineer
C. H. Wiemer, fireman

R.
Anthony Slapak, fireman
E. J. Bannister, fireman
Frederick Barnes, fireman
John F. Batschi, fireman
Edward Bro, fireman
Nels Berke, fireman
Frank H. Buchanan, fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Geo. Kostakic, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn;
Fred W. Wheeler, for renewal of license to peddle sandwiches.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Sun Ray Neon Co., et al, requesting the Council to make certain beneficial changes in the existing sign erector's license ordinance, i.e. elimination of the bond; making the fee \$5.00 or not to exceed \$10.00 to be imposed on all who paint, repair or hang signs in the City; appointment of a special board comprised of established sign men to examine and pass on the qualifications of all applicants for license. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

A. B. Comfort, District Administrator, WERA, advising that Commissioner Davisson has asked the WERA to comply with Rule 3 of the regulations of the FEHA providing for payment of light and water services of citizens receiving relief; stating that if the Relief Administration must pay these bills, Tacoma citizens on relief will receive that much less money for food purposes; and suggesting that under the new work program perhaps arrangements can be made for a project on which men can work out their bills for light and water. Referred to the Mayor and Commissioner Davisson to take up with Mr. Comfort for the purpose of reaching an agreement in the matter.

Manitou Improvement Club, expressing thanks for the railing erected along the sidewalk on South 63rd Street and also for the sidewalk, and asking whether or not the sidewalk has been completed, as they understood it was to extend to the City Limits and it has not been put through that far as yet. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending January 12, 1935 in amount of \$930,080.55;
Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of December, 1934;
Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, report for month of December, 1934.

City Controller, submitting figures concerning the operations of the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund for 1934, which show a deficit in the form of General Fund loans in amount of \$20,810.74 as of December 31, 1934; estimating a deficit at the end of 1935 which will bring the total deficit to \$40,000.00; stating that the continued loans from the General Fund are not the legally safe course to follow and requesting that the Council study this matter. Referred to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion as to whether or not these loans can legally be made in view of the existing deficit.

Bartlett Rummel, Assistant Corporation Counsel, advising that the Indemnity Insurance Co. of North America brought suit against the City of Tacoma for \$290.00 for attorneys fees and costs and additional bond premium, etc. originating in the case of the Modern Lumber and Millwork Co. vs. I. G. MacDuff as Building Inspector of the City of Tacoma; stating they are of the opinion that this matter should be settled if possible and the plaintiff now offers to settle for \$185.00 which seems to be a fair settlement, and requesting that the Council authorize them to take such steps as may be necessary to complete the settlement. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the suit be settled as suggested. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Scottish Rite Temple Assn., (1-14-35) for license for public dance hall at #5 South 8 Street;
Curran Drug Co. (1-14-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 3512 McKinley;
Lien & Selvig (1-14-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1026 South Tacoma Avenue;
Pay Less Drug Store (1-4-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 930 Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety also reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Peterson & Cooksie (1-7-35) for renewal of license for ten pool tables at 942 1/2 Pacific Avenue;
Rousseau Recreation (1-7-35) for renewal of license for five pool tables at 945 Commerce Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of J. S. Allen, et al (2-20-34) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 2 and Route 6 in the vicinity of Fife, and recommended the petition be granted for all petitioners save the ones that are marked "excepted", as they were unable to locate these and action in these cases will be taken at a later date, and also recommended that each petitioner be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in the houses inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10423.

By Smitley:

WHEREAS, Lot 3, Block 7822, Tacoma Land Company's First Addition, is covered with refuse, weeds and debris and is a menace to the health of the community and that notice to remove the same within fifteen days was served upon the Pierce County Commissioners, agents for the owner thereof, and such notice contained the estimated cost of removing said debris, weeds and refuse and said notice further contained the statement that the same would be filed with the Council on the 9th day of January, 1935, at which time the Council, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 8878 would hear and decide upon all objections filed against the doing of said work and determine whether or not said work should be done and charged against the property: and

WHEREAS, no objections or remonstrances have been filed with the City Clerk; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the cleaning of the refuse, weeds and debris from Lot 3, Block 7822, Tacoma Land Company's First Addition, shall be done by the Commissioner of Public Welfare of the City of Tacoma and the cost thereof shall be charged against the property pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 8878, and the Commissioner of Public Welfare is hereby ordered and directed to proceed with such work or cause such work to be done.

Adopted on roll call January 16, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

An ordinance to amend Section 20 of Ordinance No. 9147-- an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts; prohibiting the carrying on of certain businesses in the City of Tacoma; providing a penalty for the violation hereof, etc-- and repealing Ordinance No. 10291. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with the R. C. Scott Advertising Co., a California Corporation, providing for the use by said company of advertising space in the street cars and busses of the Municipal Belt Line; and fixing the terms and conditions thereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11135.

Authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with the R. C. Scott Advertising Co., a California Corporation, providing for the use by said company of advertising space in the street cars and busses of the Municipal Belt Line; and fixing the terms and conditions thereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date fixed for the hearing on the proposed ordinance to prevent the fraudulent sale and to regulate the sale and advertising for sale of goods, wares and merchandise and to provide for licensing of certain sales, the Clerk presented the communication of Tacoma Retail Trade Bureau (1-14-35) recommending that Section 9 of the existing distressed sale ordinance be substituted for Section 10 of the proposed ordinance. Mayor Smitley explained that this would defeat the purpose of the new ordinance, as the only change then would be in reducing the term of the license from three months to two months. The new ordinance would protect the public and the other merchants, he stated and, if a department store found it necessary to hold a sale of distressed goods in one department, the Council could pass an emergency ordinance to allow them to hold such a sale. Mr. Robinson of the Outlet Store, objected to the proposed ordinance as it would interfere with his business in preventing him from bringing in bankrupt stocks and selling them in a particular section of the store, but he thought this provision of Section 10 would not stand in court. Mr. Rummel, Assistant Corporation Counsel, agreed that Mr. Robinson could not carry on his business as he has in the past. Commissioner Bergersen was in favor of so wording the ordinance so that it would be possible to issue a license only for a definite sale for the purpose of disposing of distressed goods, and preventing the commingling of other goods as has been done in several sales held in the past.

It was moved by Mr. Callender that the ordinance be laid over for one week for further investigation and discussion. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Davisson reported that his department is planning a project which will furnish work for people who cannot pay their light and water bills and is now ready to proceed with putting wires underground on Commerce Street from South 17th to South 23d Street. The improvement will cost about \$47,000.00, of which \$15,000.00 will be for common labor, he stated, and he asked the Council's permission to go ahead with the work. Council unanimously approved the plan as outlined.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, January 21, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Lawrence Martin*
City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Monday, January 2, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

The regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following:

Mr. M. McElroy reported to the Council that he has filed seventy-one additional initiative petitions and asked that the Clerk be urged to have them checked in sufficient time to place the proposition on the ballot at the spring election. No action taken.

Mr. John K. Coffey asked the Council's consideration to the case of Mr. Lew Florence, living at 7561 East I Street, about 1 1/2 blocks from the business district on McKinley Hill, who has been ordered by the License Inspector to close up his little shop where he has been painting automobiles, etc., in order to keep off the relief roll. He requested that the Council allow Mr. Florence to continue in business until such time as he can get regular work. Mr. Florence was present and explained just what he has been doing and asked that he be permitted to take out a license, if that is necessary, for his business. The matter was referred to Commissioner Callender for investigation and settlement.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS

The petition of Edward S. Cook, for renewal of license for public hack driver, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Mrs. V. R. Smith, for renewal of license for Lansing Hotel at 1137 1/2 Broadway;
Isaiah Wingate, for renewal of license for Broadway Hotel at 1320 1/2 Broadway.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

E. Hough, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4;
Fred Jessen, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Box 175.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Carpenters Union #470, advising that their organization has adopted a policy of placing all members on an equal basis with reference to filling calls for employment instead of giving preference to war veterans as they have done in the past, for the reason that they feel that society as a whole should shoulder the obligation that is owed war veterans, and asking co-operation of the City of Tacoma in this matter. Commissioner Davison reported that the contract of the Water Division with the U. S. Government provides that veterans with dependents be called first and the City cannot comply with the request so far as it concerns that contract. The Council thereupon directed the Clerk to notify the Carpenters Union that, to the extent of the City's obligation to the government, it must provide that veterans with dependents have preference of employment, and that this is not a matter of policy with the City Council but is a matter of state and federal law.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Planning Commission, submitting, for Council's confirmation, rules and regulations adopted by their body. Clerk directed to prepare a copy of the rules for each member of the Council and the matter was laid over until Wednesday, January 23, 1935 for action.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that the Department of Public Utilities has in the Water Division about 19,600 lbs of reclaimed pipe bands which are located in 3 piles along the highway between Buckley and Enumclaw near the White River Crossing, and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell same at the best price obtainable, proceeds to be credited to the Water Fund; also they have on hand approximately 2500 lbs. of scrap brass in the storeroom at 2334 Holgate Street which they request the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell at the best price obtainable at a minimum price of 5 1/2¢ per lb. f.o.b. storeroom; also they have on hand approximately 50 tons of mixed scrap iron in the yard at South 24th and Winthrop Avenue which should be disposed of as junk and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell this as junk at actual weight for the best price obtainable, proceeds to be credited to the Water Division. It was moved by Mr. Davison that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from F. E. Paul, Lena F. Paul, Gus E. Hagen and Josie Hagen, granting the City the right to set poles on and string wires over the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 35, T 20 N., R 3 E., W. M., which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and the Department Engineer as to description, and recommending that it be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from C. E. Rohr, Nellie E. Rohr and Frank H Morris, granting the City the right to set poles on and string wires over the S 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 35, T 20 N., R 3 E., W. M., which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and the Department Engineer as to description, and recommending that it be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from L. H. Wodegard and T. Berni, granting the City the right to set poles on and string wires over the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 35, T 20 N., R 3 E., W. M., which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and the Department Engineer as to description, and recommending that it be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of the Metropolitan Park District (12-31-34) protesting against the present rates charged for light and water in the various parks of the City, and requesting the Council to give consideration to the matter of rate adjustments for the Park District, and advised that the Metropolitan Park District is furnished water under the regular commercial rate, and recommended that the Park Board be advised that the rate adjustment request cannot be granted and that the Clerk be directed to inform them of the Council's action, the rate charged the Board being based upon as near cost as can be computed and that Section 49 of the City Charter requires that service be not rendered at less than actual cost; and with reference to rate for electric service for the parks, advises that the recent adjustments made in connection with electrical services at Pt. Defiance Park have resulted in a considerable savings to the Park District; and that electric service in other parks is being rendered at the commercial lighting rate; and

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that a further study will be made to determine whether or not any reduction in charges for electric service in the other parks is possible. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the communication be filed and the Clerk directed to notify the Park Board of this action. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The City Planning Commission reported back on the petition of Irving Thompson, et al (10-29-34 and re-submitted with additional signers on 12-17-34) for inclusion in a retail district the property on East L Street from East 71st to East 72nd Streets, and recommended that petition be denied until such time as a proper zoning ordinance is completed and definite plans made for the zoning of the entire City. Laid over until Wednesday, January 21, 1935 and Clerk directed to notify Mr. Keith Goodman of this action.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to let a contract for the purchase of one carload of copper wire, appropriating the sum of \$6,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose thereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

NEW BUSINESS:

A request was submitted from the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund Board for a loan to the Firemen's Pension Fund to cover current expenses. Council directed the Corporation Counsel to prepare a resolution transferring to the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund sufficient monies to take care of the current expenses.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smithley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, January 23, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Palo Bros. for renewal of license for two pool tables at 707 South 38th Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending January 19, 1935 in amount of \$880,359.92. Placed on file.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Com'r of Public Utilities to complete an underground electric system on Commerce Street from 17th Street to the Sub-station at 23rd and Holgate Streets, and appropriating the sum of \$50,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to let a contract for the purchase of one carload of copper wire, appropriating the sum of \$6,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose thereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

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Amending Section 20 of Ordinance No. 9147-- an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts; prohibiting the carrying on of certain businesses in the City of Tacoma; providing a penalty for the violation hereof, etc.-- and repealing Ordinance No. 10291. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Preventing the fraudulent sale and regulating the sale and advertising for sale of goods, wares and merchandise; providing for the licensing of certain sales and the renewals of said licenses; repealing Ordinances Nos. 10713, 10821 and 10946; and providing penalties for the violation hereof. Brought up for second reading and it was moved by Mr. Callender to lay the ordinance over for one week to Wednesday, January 30, 1935. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11136.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to let a contract for the purchase of one carload of copper wire, appropriating the sum of \$6,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose thereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11137.

Amending Section 20 of Ordinance No. 9147--an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential district; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts; prohibiting the carrying on of certain businesses in the City of Tacoma; providing a penalty for the violation hereof, etc-- and repealing Ordinance No. 10291. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The rules and regulations adopted by the City Planning Commission and submitted to the Council for confirmation on January 21, 1935, were taken up for consideration at this time. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett to approve the rules and regulations with the understanding that the Council is not delegating to the City Planning Commission any power vested in it by the Charter. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Irving Thompson, et al (10-29-34 and re-submitted with additional signers on 12-17-34) for establishment of a retail district on East L Street from 71st to 72nd Streets, together with report of the City Planning Commission (1-21-35) thereon was brought up for further consideration. Commissioner Callender inquired of Mr. Thompson his reason for desiring the establishment of a business zone, since his gas station, which has been long established, would not be interfered with. Mr. Thompson explained that he wishes to get a license for a beer parlor and the State will not grant it because of the City's objection. It was moved by Mr. Callender to accept the recommendation of the City Planning Commission and deny the petition. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Callender reported that he has been requested by Cliff E. Johnson to make a refund of license fees paid for four "Magic Beer Barrels" (amusement machines), as the new Prosecuting Attorney has ruled that his amusement device is illegal. The Council directed that the Corporation Counsel draw an ordinance providing for the refund of the fees paid; and the Clerk was directed in the future to notify applicants for amusement machine licenses that they should get the approval of the Prosecuting Attorney as to the legality of the amusement device before applying for license.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Friday, January 25, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smithley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Friday, January 25, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Mitchell Berry, applying for assistant engineer's license at the Pierce County Hospital, was submitted together with recommendation of the Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The City Clerk was asked for a report on the petitions for repeal of Civil Service and stated that she has not been able to complete the check as 500 additional withdrawals had been filed just before closing time last evening and more this morning, which would undoubtedly bring the petition below the required number of signers.

Geo. C. Swasey, representing the Civic Activities League, reported to the Council that they have secured 6100 names on the petition, but in the checking the petition has been cut down below the number required. The League is still getting names, he said, and before February 5th, they will get the required number, but they believe the City Council should put the question on the ballot on the March 12th election because of the added cost of a special election. He also stated that Civil Service employees had used intimidation to some extent to secure withdrawals of names.

C. M. Hiberly, President of the Civil Service League, denied the charges of intimidation and informed the Council that the petitioners are short 808 names granting that all the signatures filed in the last few days are approved, and more withdrawals can be obtained very easily. He also asked consideration of the cost of advertising the charter amendment which, with the expense of a special election, would cause an expenditure of more than \$6000.00.

The Corporation Counsel was asked by the Mayor as to the Council's authority in this matter and Mr. Carothers stated that the only way the question can be put on the ballot is by vote of the Council unless there is a sufficient petition, and that it is now too late to put it on the ballot unless the Council considers it an emergency. He advised further that the repeal of the sections as requested in the petition is not sufficient if Civil Service is to be repealed, as other portions of the Charter referring to Civil Service would thereby be rendered ineffective and these sections must be amended or repealed to accomplish what the petitioners propose to do.

John M. Coffee, attorney for the Civil Service League, agreed with Mr. Carother's opinion and stated further that the petition is insufficient in that it does not set forth the article to be repealed in full. The Council would have to find that an emergency exists in order to put this question on the ballot on March 12th, and there is no emergency, he declared. He urged the Council to allow the petitioners time to get sufficient signatures before submitting to the voters.

Mr. J. G. Fassett stated that Civil Service has not worked out for the good of the City in some respects and he would like to find out how the people really feel on the matter and suggested that the Council investigate to determine how many of the withdrawals are made on City time.

R. E. Robison, 5420 South Warner Street, charged that firemen and policemen on duty had demanded that he withdraw his name from the petition and that the service station at

56th and Birmingham had been boycotted by City employees because the owner signed the petition.

John Sullivan, 3631 Spokane Avenue, stated that prowl car officers were getting withdrawals of names while on duty.

Captain E. N. Powell of the Fire Department asked to clarify the situation with regard to activities of firemen on duty, and explained that Chief Whitaker had issued strict orders against firemen soliciting withdrawals during working hours or while in uniform.

Commissioner Callender expressed the opinion that since the only way this question could go on the ballot is by an emergency ordinance and at a cost of \$7,000.00, he thought it would be time for the Council to act when sufficient signatures are brought in. It was moved by Mr. Callender that we do not consider this at a special election so long as there is not an emergency. The President ruled that no motion is necessary under the circumstances, and no action would be taken unless sufficient signatures are obtained.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, January 28th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Swasey
President of City Council.

Attest: *Sanne Marie Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, January 28, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Pete Bulleri, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables, was submitted, together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays O. Absent 1; Bergersen (temporarily).

The petition of the Tacoma Elks Club, for renewal of license for swimming pool at 535 Broadway was submitted with report of Sanitary Inspector showing that all requirements of the City ordinances have been met by the applicant. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the petition be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays O. Absent 1; Bergersen. (temporarily).

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

A. C. Bottiger, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 170;
Foster Jensen, et al., requesting the installation of a street light on the pole at the corner of South 82nd and G Streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Matt Newell, calling attention to the billion dollar appropriation to be made by the Federal Government toward eliminating railroad crossings; and suggesting that this is an opportunity to construct the contemplated viaduct connecting Broadway and C Street and connecting with the Delin Street Highway, thus relieving the Pacific Avenue traffic jam, eliminating to some degree the danger at the railroad crossing at 17th and Pacific and giving motorists an additional street which will make it much easier for strangers to find their way into the central shopping district. Referred to the City Planning Commission.

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Lyle D. Keith, State Representative, submitting copy of House Bill No. 17 (making the term of office of City, town or district elective officials begin on the eighth day following their election) and asking that the Council take this bill up with the Corporation Counsel and advise him of its views upon this proposed legislation. Referred to the Corporation Counsel for advice.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting request of R. C. A. Communications, Inc. for extension of electric service to their station site in Southern King County, the Company to pay all costs of extension; and recommending that the request be approved and the Department be instructed to make the extension as expeditiously and economically as possible. Moved by Mr. Davisson that the proposition be accepted and the Department authorized to make the extension. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

City Planning Commission, recommending the immediate construction of the following projects: (1) construction of a 100 foot diagonal street from South 13th and Tacoma Avenue to South 25th and Pacific Avenue; (2) extension of South Broadway and the construction of grade separations over the railway tracks so as to connect with the State Highway and Dolin Street; (3) the extension of "A" Street from South 15th Street to Puyallup Avenue; referring these recommendations to the Council for consideration in order that proper ways and means may be adopted to assist their Commission in the preparation of surveys, maps, etc.; and further recommending the rehabilitation of the Tacoma Public Library by adding additional room from funds that may be available from the Federal Public Works Department. The Clerk was directed to prepare a copy of the communication for each member of the Council.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Edward S. Cook (1-21-35) for renewal of license for public hack driver;
ANCHOR INC. (12-21-34) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1352 Pacific Avenue;
Hansen & Larson (12-20-34) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1223 Pacific Avenue;
A. Novak (12-31-34) for renewal of license for one pool table at 3201 Portland Avenue;
C. Yamanaka (1-7-35) for license for massage parlor and bath house at 1354 1/2 Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Day's Tailors Clothing Inc. (1-14-35) for installation of a street light in the alley on the south side of 29th Street between "A" Street and Pacific Avenue, and advised that it has not been the practice heretofore to place street lamps at alley intersections, and also that there was no appropriation made in the budget for 1935 for street lighting extensions, and therefore, recommended that the petition be denied and the City Clerk be instructed to advise the petitioner accordingly. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of H. Simonson et al. (12-12-34) requesting the City to provide for an outlet on the new pipe line for the use of a mutual water company to be formed to serve the district for a distance of 1 1/2 miles north and 1 mile south from the point where said line crosses the Woodland Road, or in the alternative to furnish this district with water service directly, and advised that their plans call for a four inch service outlet at this road intersection and they will be in a po-

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sition to render service when the line is completed providing the petitioners have signed regular application for water service on the second floor of the City Hall. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to accept the report and place it on file. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$8.00 for the purpose of refunding to C. E. Johnson license fees paid by him for the purpose of operating amusement machines and cancelling license No. 33345. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The Commissioner of Public Works presented the assessment and assessment roll for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 4265. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that February 18th, 1935 be fixed as the date for hearing of remonstrances thereon and the City Clerk be directed to give notice of such hearing as required by law. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smithley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, January 30th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 1: Bergersen (excused).

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

N.
Alfred F. Ott, fireman

R.
Joe Eushey, fireman
J.G. Fassett, engineer
E. A. Gibb, fireman
R. E. Graman, fireman
A. E. Harrington, donkey engineer

John Johnson, fireman
R. E. Kendall, donkey engineer
Angus McLean, fireman
L.M. Thompson, asst. engineer
Ray E. Walston, fireman
Albert T. Williams, fireman
C.F. Younker, asst. engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

The petition of K. Urushibata, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

S. Mori, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway;
Market Street Drug Store, renewal of drug store license at 401 South 11th Street.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Lualle E. Sasher, for extension of electric light service to premises on Polk Street between Tacoma Avenue and Spanaway car line:

Kenneth H. Simmons, et al (residents of Milton and Vicinity) requesting the City of Tacoma to assist them in procuring cheaper and more adequate electric light and power service and stating their willingness to take such service upon a reasonable basis;

Dr. Cleve H. Olson, stating that the Department of Public Utilities has recently moved a light pole located in the alley extending between South Yakima and Thompson Avenue from So. 37th to So. 38th Street to a new location where it obstructs the entrance to the garage facing the alley at the southwest corner of South 37th Street and Yakima Avenue, and requesting that the pole be moved to permit unobstructed access to this garage.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending January 26, 1935 in amount of \$9084,115.72. Placed on file.

J. K. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's approval and authorization, vouchers and duplicate vouchers #175, 176 and 177, covering interfund transfers for December 1934. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the inter-fund transfers be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

Commissioner of Public Works, submitting a list of needed and useful projects which was made up in compliance with the request of the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, through the State Engineer. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the projects listed be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Bergersen.

CLAIMS:

Joe E. Mauritz and Jessie Mauritz, for \$5,175.00, for personal injuries and damage to automobile on December 15, 1934, caused by the negligence of Bridge Tender Joe Smith in lowering the traffic gates on the Hyletos Bridge on East 11th Street without any warning. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICES:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of Palo Bros. (1-23-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 707 South 38th Street, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of R. Hachiya (1-3-35) for renewal of license for Rector Hotel at 1541 Broadway, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 1; Davisson: Absent 1, Bergersen.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Mrs. C. Tolomei (1-6-35) for license for Ledo Hotel at 1519 1/2 Broadway, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 1; Fawcett: Absent 1; Bergersen.

Corporation Counsel Howard Carothers reported back on the claim of Olav Olsen and Sarah Olsen (12-12-34) for \$2500.00 for personal injuries and loss of time sustained by Sarah Olsen as a result of a fall November 8 on the defective wooden sidewalk on the southern side of South 17th Street between Market and Broadway in front of the Superior Hotel, and

advised that they have investigated the facts on which this claim is based and it is their opinion that there is no liability on the part of the City and therefore they recommend that the claim be denied. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$8.00 for the purpose of refunding to C. E. Johnson license fees paid by him for the purpose of operating amusement machines and cancelling license No. 53645. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Utilities to complete an underground electric system on Commerce Street from 17th Street to the Sub-station at 23rd and Holgate Streets and appropriating the sum of \$50,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

The ordinance "Preventing the fraudulent sale and regulating the sale and advertising for sale of goods, wares and merchandise; providing for the licensing of certain sales and the renewals of said licenses; repealing Ordinances Nos. 10713, 10821 and 10946; and providing penalties for the violation hereof." was brought up for second reading and laid on the table.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11138.

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Utilities to complete an underground electric system on Commerce Street from 17th Street to the Sub-station at 23rd and Holgate Streets, and appropriating the sum of \$50,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

Ordinance No. 11139.

Appropriating the sum of \$8.00 for the purpose of refunding to C. E. Johnson license fees paid by him for the purpose of operating amusement machines and cancelling license No. 53645. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, February 26, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

J. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Constance M. Martin*
City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, February 4, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr.

President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Bobby Burns Groc. Co. Inc, for renewal of license for Merkle Hotel at 2405 1/2 Pacific
C. L. JUDGE, for renewal of license for Holly Hotel at 811 Pacific Avenue;
H. KIKUCHI, for renewal of license for Vendome Hotel at 1327 Market Street.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Carl M. Carlson, et al, for extension of electric light services on Route 4 (Pennsylvania Avenue from Knapp Road south to pavement);
Benton Brown, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Burnett Street);
Paul Geisler, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Leonard's Crossing);
Sebastian Greco, et al, for installation of a street light on the corner of South 13th and Cushman Avenue;
Arthur Hall, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Central Avenue Road);
L. J. Miller, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Grant Road north).

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

A. F. Comfort, administrator Third District, WERA, stating that a copy of the letter recently sent the City relative to payment of light and water bills of clients on relief was sent to Olympia, and he is submitting copy of a letter received in reply which states that the Federal Government is counting upon the local community and upon the state to go just as far as they can in meeting local needs, and that the total money available to date can do little more than cover food and emergency clothing needs, and such other items as light, water, etc. can be covered only through the cooperation of local departments. Referred to Mayor Smitley.

A. F. Comfort, administrator Third District, WERA, stating that he has been requested by the Pierce County Welfare Board to take up with the City the matter of continuing contributions for rent of offices and payment for light, water and garbage services, and advising that any such contributions made by the City amounts to a direct contribution to food and such other items as are now being furnished by the WERA. Referred to Mayor Smitley.

Martin V. Easterday, State Representative, submitting copy of House Bill No. 42 for Council's consideration and stating that the bill as now drawn does not include Pierce, King or Spokane Counties but he believes Pierce County could profit by this bill. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising they have in the Light Division one Ford Sedan, City #228, which has been expended in the service of the department and that they desire to purchase one Ford or Chevrolet with a pick-up body and turn this car in as part payment on the new purchase; and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to make the purchase and turn in the Ford sedan at a minimum value of \$155.00, as part payment, the net cost of the purchase to be paid from the Light Fund. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, listing the locations where the City has been paying for light and water service furnished the Pierce County Welfare Board offices up to December 31, 1934, and, since no appropriation was made for payment of these services during

1935, recommending that the City Clerk be instructed to officially notify the Pierce County Welfare Board that they will be expected to provide for such expenses from their own funds beginning with the first of 1935. Placed on file since the notice suggested was given on November 8, 1934 in accordance with instructions of the City Council.

Mayor Smitley, requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to trade in one 1928 Ford Coupe, Motor No. A-113389, belonging to the Department of Public Welfare and used by H. F. Smith, on a new 1935 Standard Chevrolet Coupe. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Market Street Drug Store (1-30-35) for renewal of drug store license at 401 South 11th Street;
S. Mori (1-30-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

Howard Carothers, Corporation Counsel, reported back on the communication of E. D. Keith, State Representative, (1-28-35) submitting copy of House Bill No. 17 (making the term of office of elective officials begin on the eighth day following their election) and advised that, if the amendment proposed is enacted, he cannot see how it can become effective without additional amendments of the general election law, because of the provision that the canvass of votes by the election board shall be made on the 10th day after the election and a certificate of election issued following the canvass; and also pointing out that a municipal officer retiring from office should have sufficient time in which to place the affairs of his office in shape to be turned over to the incoming officer, particularly in the larger cities which have important departments. Communication placed on file and Clerk directed to reply and quote the second paragraph of the Corporation Counsel's letter.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Kenneth H. Skowron, et al (residents of Milton and Vicinity) (1-30-35) requesting the City of Tacoma to assist them in procuring cheaper and more adequate electric light and power service, and advised that they do not believe the City should undertake electric distribution service in communities that have a local government and since Milton is an incorporated town, they recommend that the petition be denied in so far as the distribution of electricity is concerned; and stated that should this locality elect to provide its own distribution system and operate same, they would favor entering into a contract with the town of Milton for furnishing them with electricity at wholesale power rates for local distribution. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation and direct the Clerk to so inform the petitioners. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Fred H. Ehl (1-7-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 6, Box 335, and recommended that it be granted and the petitioner be connected with the City lines upon payment of an inside the City Limits connection fee of \$1.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, February 4, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

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191 " H. Kizuchi, for renewal of license for Vendome Hotel at 1327 Market Street.

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The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Fred H. Kohl (1-7-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 6, Box 335, and recommended that it be granted and the petitioner be connected with the City lines upon payment of an inside the City Limits connection fee of \$1.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and premises connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

- 1457 A. C. Bottiger (1-28-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 176;
- 1458 E. Hough, et al (1-21-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4;
- 1459 Fred Jessen (1-21-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Box 175B;
- 1459A Louis Reichl, et al (3-12-34) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4 in the Midland School District;
- 1459B Ludlle E. Sasher (1-30-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Polk Street between Tacoma Avenue and Spanaway car line.

It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10424.

By THE COUNCIL:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers in the 1934 budget:

From Maintenance and Operation, Elections	\$458.00	
From Maintenance and Operation, Legal Department	804.04	
To Maintenance and Operation, Department of Public Welfare		\$361.22
To Maintenance and Operation, Department of Public Safety		71.52
To Maintenance and Operation, Department of Public Works		829.30
From Salaries and Wages, Dept. of Public Works, General Shops		
To Salaries and Wages, Municipal Shops		1,219.16
From Maintenance and Operation, Dept. of Public Works, General Shops		
To Maintenance and Operation, Municipal Shops		222.01

Adopted on roll call February 4, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Mayor Smitley submitted a Resolution "Requesting Congress to immediately change the airmail act so that the present experienced operator, United Air Lines, can operate the Pacific Coast Route from Seattle to San Diego permanently, subject to all regulations governing airmail lines." The resolution was read in full and at the request of Commissioner Callender for time to investigate the matter, it was moved by Mr. Smitley to defer action on the resolution until Wednesday, February 7th, 1935. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Frank C. Ross, offering to convey to the City of Tacoma for the consideration of \$1.00, a strip of land 60 feet wide and 1,800 feet long, fronting on East 11th Street opposite the property of the Tacoma Port Commission, upon condition that the name of the street between "A" Street and the bluff near the confluence of Marine View Drive, McKurray Road and Julia Gulch Road be changed to "Marine Way" and that East 11th Street from Milwaukee Way east to the bluff be widened to a uniform width of 200 feet. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Clerk submitted three notes in the amount of \$150.00 each, accepted in part payment of cabaret license fees by instruction of the Council, and reported that the notes are overdue and the License Inspector has been unable to collect the balances remaining unpaid. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that they be referred to the Corporation Counsel with instructions to start suit to collect. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Attest: *Garrison Martin*
City Clerk

Gen. A. Smitley
President of City Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:30 A. M.,

Wednesday, February 6, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of S. Tamamoto, for renewal of license for the Avenue Hotel at 1209 1/2 Pacific Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

- 1459C Sterling E. McDonald, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
- 1459D Daniel Ulrich, for license for one pool table at 1702 Jefferson Avenue;
- 1459E Augusta Gehri, for renewal of license for public dance hall at Fraternity Hall, 1117 1/2 South Tacoma Avenue;
- 1459F Andrew Ellostad, for renewal of license for drug store at 25 North Tacoma Avenue.

Port of Tacoma, requesting the Council to consider a proposition to eliminate the standby charge of \$135.00 per month for water service which they pay in addition to the cost of water actually consumed, and to enter into a contract with the Port of Tacoma on the basis of a minimum monthly actual consumption. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

East Bremerton Improvement Club, requesting the City Council to adopt a resolution similar to one submitted herewith, in which our representatives in the State Legislature shall be urged to use their efforts to secure an appropriation for the purchase of the private toll bridge across Washington Narrows between East Bremerton and the City of Bremerton and make it a part of the highway system of the State of Washington. Referred to the Association of Washington Cities for report and recommendation.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, submitting report of bank balances for week ending February 2, 1935 in amount of \$973,360.12. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising that the Police Department has a 1928 model Dodge Touring Car, Motor No. 62778, which should be sold or traded in, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell or trade in this car to the best advantage on a new automobile. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, stating that the best offer he can obtain from dealers in connection with the purchase of a new car and the turn-in of City car #228 is less than the recommended turn-in value for said car, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to purchase one new Ford or Chevrolet with a pick-up body and turn in on said purchase as part payment city car No. 228 at a minimum value of \$150.00. It was moved by Mr. Davison that the recommendation be concurred in. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

CLAIMS:

Leonard Fleischmann, for \$21.10, for damages to his automobile on January 25, 1935 incurred in a collision with Public Works truck #13 driven by Floyd Harbin, which accident occurred on 23rd Street between Holgate Street and Jefferson Avenue. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Louis Eurtett, et al (10-1-34) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4, and recommended that it be granted and each petitioner be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in the houses inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10425.

By SMITLEY:

WHEREAS the present airmail act contains a provision that an operator of a primary airmail route cannot operate another primary airmail route, and

WHEREAS for eight years United Air Lines and its predecessor companies have operated the airmail route from Seattle to San Diego on the Pacific Coast, serving Tacoma to the entire satisfaction of its citizens, and at the same time have operated the New York to San Francisco route, both of which are primary airmail routes, and

WHEREAS under the provisions of the present airmail act United Air Lines will be compelled, on or before March 1, 1935, to discontinue operating the Seattle-San Diego route, and

WHEREAS this company has an investment of millions of dollars in this route, and more important still, has years of experience in operating this route, and

WHEREAS there would be no advantage to the Post Office Department in substituting a new, inexperienced operator on the Seattle-San Diego route in lieu of the United Air Lines and

WHEREAS the sentiment of the newspapers, business men's organizations and the public generally has been repeatedly expressed as opposed to the restriction against the operator of one primary route operating a second primary airmail route, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That Congress be requested by the Council to immediately change the airmail act so that the present experienced operator, United Air Lines, can operate the Pacific Coast line, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be sent to each member of the Washington Congressional delegation, to the Postmaster General, to the Chairman of the Federal Aviation Commission, and to each member of the committees on Post Offices and Post Roads of the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress.

Adopted on roll call: February 6, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10425.

By THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund of the City has been depleted and it is necessary, in order to pay the benefits therein provided, that a further loan be made from the General Fund for such purposes; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant on the General Fund in the sum of \$1650.00, and that the proceeds thereof be transferred into the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund as a temporary loan for the purpose of paying current obligations, as the same accrue, under the Firemen's Relief and Pension System of the City of Tacoma.

Adopted on roll call February 6, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon. Read by title and it was moved by Mr. Davisson that the ordinance be laid over for third reading until February 20, 1935. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley suggested that action be taken by the Council paying respect to the memory of Mayor Funk of Spokane who passed away yesterday. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the City Clerk be authorized to write such a letter and forward a copy to the Spokane City Council and a copy to the widow. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried unanimously.

Commissioner Fawcett called attention to Senate Bill No. 103, which, if enacted, would give to cities a larger proportion of taxes from the railroad companies, and said he thought Tacoma would benefit by its passage. He suggested that some of the members of the Council attend a hearing on the measure, to be held in Olympia Friday evening, and it was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Mayor, the Corporation Counsel and the Commissioner of Finance (and any others who can attend) be present at the hearing and do what they can to secure the passage of the bill. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried unanimously.

Mr. Callender said that he would like permission of the Council to be absent from the City for two or three days to confer with officials in Portland and make arrangements for the contemplated Police School, and moved that such permission be granted him. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Thursday, February 7, 1935 at 2:00 P. M.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martine*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 2:00 P. M.

Thursday, February 7, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President.

Absent 1; Callender (excused).

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

The following ordinance was submitted together with the signed request of the Mayor and three Councilmen that it be passed on the date of its introduction:

Appropriating the sum of \$90,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Water Fund of the City of Tacoma for the completion of PWA Project No. 1125, the same being the Green River Gravity Water System; and declaring an emergency, and that this ordinance shall go into effect immediately upon publication. Read by title and passed to second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$90,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Water Fund of the City of Tacoma for the completion of PWA Project No. 1125, the same being the Green River Gravity Water System; and declaring an emergency, and that this ordinance shall go into effect immediately upon publication. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11140.

Appropriating the sum of \$90,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Water Fund of the City of Tacoma for the completion of PWA Project No. 1125, the same being the Green River Gravity Water System; and declaring an emergency, and that this ordinance shall go into effect immediately upon publication. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, February 11, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martine*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, February 11, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The petition of John Marozzo, for renewal of license to peddle cheese, was submitted, together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

- 176 D. J. Berkson, for renewal of license for two pool tables at 911 Commerce Street;
- 177 Frederick Dean Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 2612-6th Avenue;
- 178 Economy Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 1114 South K Street.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

- 177 A. Gasperetti, for license for the 24th Street Apartments at 2406 1/2 Pacific Avenue;
- 178 K. A. Maruyama, for renewal of license for St Louis Hotel at 1315 Market Street;
- 179 S. Hagan, for renewal of license for Ace Hotel at 1340 1/2 Pacific Avenue;
- 180 May Roscoe, for renewal of license for Illington Hotel at 911 1/2 Broadway;
- 181 Joel L. Skiles, for license for Skiles Hotel at 722 1/2 Commerce Street;

The petition of John Peterson, et al. for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (on Vickery Road from Moler Road to Knapp Road), was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

W. W. Stratton, President Association of Washington Cities, advising, in response to request of Council for report on communication of East Bremerton Improvement Club (2-6-35) relative to urging the State Legislature to secure an appropriation for the purchase of the private toll bridge across Washington Narrows, that he is not familiar with the bridge problem in that locality and is in no position to recommend, and that Tacoma's approval must be based upon its willingness to cooperate with some other community in securing a purely local favor. Placed on file.

Association of Washington Cities, advising that the Association's bill, requesting 25% of the motor vehicle fund be returned to cities and towns, was introduced in the legislature as Senate Bill No. 138 and was referred to the Senate Road and Bridge Committee; urging Tacoma to communicate immediately with the members of this committee and representatives and senators from this district, urging favorable consideration of this bill and protesting against the unfair discrimination against cities and towns in the proposed Highway Code (Senate Bill No. 55) and submitting a suggested sample resolution on Senate Bill No. 138 for Council's information. Laid over to Wednesday, February 14, 1935.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:
City Controller, report for month of December, 1934;
Commissioner of Public Finance (City Treasurer) report for month of December, 1934;
the Municipal Belt Line Division for the month of December, 1934;
and Municipal Belt Line Division for the year 1934.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that the Water Division has a Ford Coupe, City No. 54, which has been expended in the service and asking that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to purchase a new Ford Coupe and turn in the old car at the best price obtainable, the balance of the purchase price to be paid from the Water Fund. It was moved

by Mr. Davisson that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Mayor Smitley submitted a communication which he had sent to Mr. Firmin, Chairman of Pierce County Welfare Board, asking that the Welfare Board join with the City in presenting to the state legislature the situation existing under which privately owned utilities are receiving pay from relief funds for furnishing light and water to citizens on relief while demand is being made that publicly owned utilities furnish these services without cost, to the end that the public utilities may be accorded the same consideration for reimbursement for the expense for light, water and garbage services as is accorded private companies furnishing like services.

This communication was accompanied by a letter from Mr. Firmin, stating his position in the matter wherein he said that he does not see how the City of Tacoma can justify the position of being a beggar and asking the U S to contribute funds to pay for services which the city is able to furnish at little or no cost to themselves and which would greatly alleviate the discomfort and ills of its unfortunate citizens who are unable to obtain employment. The Clerk was directed to acknowledge Mr. Firmin's letter and inform him that the Council does not accept his letter as an answer to the Mayor's communication of February 7, 1935, and would like an answer on the subject matter of that letter.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Andrew Ellestad, (2-6-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 25 North Tacoma Avenue;
- Augusta Gohri (2-6-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at Fraternity Hall, 1117 1/2 South Tacoma Avenue;
- Sterling B. McDonald (2-6-35) for renewal of license for public hack driver.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

City Planning Commission reported back on communication of Commissioner of Public Works, (1-30-35) submitting a list of needed and useful projects, which was made up in compliance with request of Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, and advised that the list of projects was approved by their commission at their meeting of February 6, 1935. Placed on file.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Ted Pierce, et al (1-7-35) requesting extension of light service to premises on Route 3, Canyon Road from South 80th Street to South 96th Street, and recommended this petition be granted and each petitioner's premises be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in their houses inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Commissioner Davisson reported that because of the amount of the appropriation made by Ordinance No. 11140, passed February 7, 1935, it is the opinion of the Corporation Counsel that the ordinance should not have been passed on the date of its introduction. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Council rescind its action of February 7th in passing Ordinance No. 11140 and that the ordinance be referred to the Corporation Counsel for amending. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, February 13, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

The regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following matters:

Mr. Beecher A. McKenzie, speaking for Mr. Fred Marvin, President of the Port Commission, asked the Council to take action with regard to a bill now pending in the State Senate, known as the pilotage bill, which, he stated will cause the costs of pilotage to greatly exceed such costs in the past and vessels coming to Tacoma will have a higher pilotage cost than those that go to Seattle, which will militate against shipping in this harbor. He asked the Council to send telegrams to Pierce County Senators in the State Legislature, urging them to insist that this bill be amended so that Tacoma will be on a parity with Seattle, explaining that an additional pilotage charge would mean that the cargo would be lightered from Seattle to Tacoma and would affect longshoremen and docks as well as the Port and transportation business generally. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the Council authorize a telegram to be sent to each of our senators as follows: "Tacoma City Council has directed me send you this message asking that you convey contents to other members Pierce County senatorial delegation. quote We urge you to see that proposed pilot bill if passed be passed with sufficient amendments so as to place Tacoma on position of absolute equality with Seattle as to pilotage costs. Our Harbor is so important to our industrial development that we must see that we bear no greater charges for any shipping service than does Seattle." Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ralph Hanson, Manager of the Better Business Bureau, and others were present to be heard on the proposed ordinance amending the ordinance to prevent the fraudulent sale and advertising for sale of goods, wares and merchandise. Mr. Hanson told the Council that he was personally much in favor of the amendment as proposed but the department stores are opposed to it because it would prevent them from closing out one line or department in the store without taking out a license. although so far there has not been a department store affected by the ordinance, and he believes the new ordinance will prevent the public from suffering as they have in the past from questionable sales. Mr. Homer King asked the Council to consider this ordinance carefully before passing it so that all the merchants would not be hurt in case they find it necessary to conduct a sale of damaged goods. Mr. L.H. Burnett spoke in favor of the ordinance and asked the Council to pass it in its present form. The ordinance was withdrawn from the table and placed in order of second reading this date.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Charles E. Rowley, Asst. engineer

R.

A. P. Ames, chief engineer
J. O. Davis, fireman
E. J. Donley, engineer
W. P. Dowle, fireman
A. E. Duclor, fireman
P. W. Ford, donkey engineer
Paul Gierke, chief engineer

R. W. Habein, fireman
John Hanssen, fireman
E. W. Hopkins, fireman
Charley Krieger, fireman
John B. Pace, fireman
Nels Porson, donkey engineer
Geo. S. Pray, chief engineer
H. A. Sarff, fireman
Geo. H. Thompson, fireman
Ben S. Thrapp, fireman
Morley Witheridge, fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of H. C. Peck, for license to peddle Stromberg ignition, an auto accessory, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and the Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Walter H. Shuster, for renewal of license for drug store at 1302 South 56th Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

E. Ratcliffe, et al, for installation of street lights on East 61st Street between E and F Streets and on East 60th Street between F Street and McKinley Avenue. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

Manitou Improvement Club, asking if it would be possible to have Stevens Street vacated from American Lake Boulevard to South Reade Street as it is not in use and would make an ideal place for tennis courts; and submitting copy of a letter sent to the T. R. & F. Co., protesting against the bus service beginning at 6 A. M. instead of at the same time as the street car service commences at the present time. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

American Concrete Pipe Co., requesting that the completion date on their contract for 1934 Reconstruction of Green River Gravity Pipe Line, Federal Docket No. 1125 be extended until March 28th, 1935 and submitting approval of bondsmen to this extension. It was moved by Mr. Davison that the request be granted upon approval by Mr. Hoffman, government engineer at Olympia. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

The communication of the Association of Washington Cities, (2-11-35) with regard to the Associations bill, requesting that 25% of the motor vehicle fund be returned to cities and towns, was brought up for consideration and discussed. In this connection, Commissioner Bergersen submitted a circular letter from L. V. Murrow, Director of Highways, with copy of a letter from J. D. LeCron, Assistant to the Secretary of Agriculture (Washington, D. C.) stating that a change in the State Law to take from the control of the state 25% of the receipts from the State Motor vehicle and gasoline taxes would be regarded as tantamount to a diversion of such taxes to that extent and any diversion of such funds would result in the State being deprived of one-third of the amount of federal aid to which the State would be entitled under any apportionment made by the Secretary of Agriculture. The matter was laid over until Monday, February 18, 1935.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending February 9, 1935 in amount of \$907,364.76. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions recommending that they be granted:

Frederick Dean Drug Co. (2-11-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 2612-6th Ave.
Economy Drug Co. (2-11-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1114 South K Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one two-yard dump truck to be used by the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, and to exchange in part payment therefor one Chevrolet Lump Truck, City No. 208, Engine No. T-4982877; appropriating the sum of \$1200.00, from the Light Fund for purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$90,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Water Fund of the City of Tacoma for the completion of PWA Project No. 1135, the same being the Green River Gravity Water System; and declaring an emergency, and that this ordinance shall go into effect immediately upon publication. Ordinance submitted with amendment of Section 2 by Corporation Counsel eliminating the words "and its final passage on the date of its introduction is requested in writing by the Mayor and two councilmen" and also eliminating the signed request for passage. Moved by Mr. Davisson that the ordinance be amended as submitted by the Corporation Counsel. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0. The ordinance was then read by title and passed to third reading.

Preventing the fraudulent sale and regulating the sale and advertising for sale of goods, wares and merchandise; to provide for the licensing of certain sales and the renewals of said licenses; repealing Ordinance Nos. 10713, 10821 and 10946; and providing penalties for the violation hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11140.

Appropriating the sum of \$90,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Water Fund of the City of Tacoma for the completion of PWA Project No. 1135, the same being the Green River Gravity Water System; and declaring an emergency, and that this ordinance shall go into effect immediately upon publication. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

ORDINANCE No. 11141.

Preventing the fraudulent sale and regulating the sale and advertising for sale of goods, wares and merchandise; to provide for the licensing of certain sales and the renewals of said licenses; repealing Ordinance Nos. 10713, 10821 and 10946; and providing penalties for the violation hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley submitted a telegram from the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, asking that he endorse the general idea of five-year development program for Seattle and State of Washington as initiated by the Seattle Chamber, including improvements at Fort Lewis and Puget Sound Navy Yard involving expenditure of \$21,500,000 and construction of high dam at Grand Coulee and other expansion. The request was discussed and it was moved by Mr. Callender that a telegram be sent joining with them on the three projects mentioned, as follows: "Tacoma always glad to join other Washington cities in support Federal developments at Fort Lewis and Brewerton Navy Yard. Count upon our cooperation." The motion was seconded and carried unanimously. (Telegram returned to Mayor's office.)

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, February 18, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Le. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Le. A. Smitley*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, February 18, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted:

J. Spido, for renewal of license to peddle fish, submitted with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted;
Harry H. King, for fireman's license at Roosevelt School, submitted with recommendation of the Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen that it be granted.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Albert Felchlin, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1904 Jefferson Avenue;
Normanna Hall Assn., for renewal of license for public dance hall at 1502 South K St.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Anna A. Bell, for renewal of license for the Stohart Hotel at 757 1/2 Broadway;
Bretten Lumber and Manufacturing Co., for renewal of license for boarding house on the Tidewater.

I. K. Werwinski, South Bend, Indiana, requesting that the City Council adopt a resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to approve General Pulaski's Memorial Day Resolution, which is now pending and enclosing a suggested form of resolution. Laid over for investigation.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Coast Neon Displays Inc., stating, with reference to request made to the Council for reduction in the sign hangers' license fee and elimination of liability bond, that they are the only firm in the City which has secured a 1935 sign hanger's license and, in their opinion, if a firm does not have the necessary \$25.00 to secure a new license and bond, they should not be in the sign business; and calling attention to violations of the ordinance in other respects by sign hangers. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, submitting report for month of January, 1935. Placed on file.

John M. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's approval and authorization, vouchers and duplicate vouchers Nos. 178 and 179, covering inter-fund transfers for January, 1935. Moved by Mr. Fawcett that the transfers be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that during the storm of October 21, 1934, a small frame waiting station belonging to the Belt Line Division was partially demolished by the force of the wind and there is apparently no advantage in replacing it at the present time, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to dispose of this waiting station at a minimum value of \$10.00 to be placed to the credit of the Municipal Street Railway Fund. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting the following easements, granting the City of Tacoma the right to set poles on and string wires over certain property: Alice F. Fromader covering the north 10 feet of Lot 51; Mrs. R. L. Setzer, covering the north 10 feet of Lot 53; R. L. Setzer, covering the north 10 feet of Lot 42, all in Block 1, Hyada Park, which have been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form; and recommending that they be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording in the office of the County Auditor and for filing. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of Walter H. Shuster, (2-17-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1302 South 56th Street, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Hilton B. Gardner reported back on the following claims recommending that they be rejected:

Jennie F. Kenworthy and Charles Kenworthy (10-31-34) for \$500.00 for medical expenses and for personal injuries to Jennie F. Kenworthy on September 1, 1934 as a result of tripping and falling on a defective sidewalk on the east side of Market Street between 13th and 15th Streets;

Glen D. McLeod and Johanna McLeod (10-31-34) for \$50,400.00 for personal injuries and damage to automobile on October 2, 1934 sustained in a collision with a tractor or piece of road equipment belonging to the City of Tacoma, on Fuyallup Avenue at a point opposite the street car barns;

Jeanne G. Martin (12-17-34) for \$300.00 for personal injuries on October 17th, caused when she stepped into an open meter box in the parking strip in front of 8423 South G Street as she was crossing from the east to the west side of the street.

It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Works reported back on the petition of Manitou Improvement Club (2-17-35) asking if it would be possible to have Stevens Street vacated from American Lake Boulevard to South Rende Street for use as tennis courts; and submitting copy of a letter to the T. R. & P. Co., protesting against the bus service beginning at 6 a.m. instead of at the same time as the present street car service, and advised that if this street is vacated the property will revert to the owners of the adjoining property, and also that they have been informed by Mr. Lamb, Superintendent of the T. R. & P. Co., that even though the bus does not start at the same time that the street car did, it arrives in the City at the same time. Petition was placed on file and the Clerk directed to notify petitioners of this report.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10427-

BY THE COUNCIL:

"WHEREAS, the Tacoma Philatelic Society is about to hold its Fourth International Stamp Exhibit in Tacoma, Washington, which will be attended by collectors and members of the various Philatelic Societies throughout the world on April 27th and 28th, 1935; and

"WHEREAS, it has been the custom for the Post Office Department to issue stamps of commemorative design, and widening the scope of these exhibits; and

"WHEREAS, it is deemed a worth event for the issuance of a small imperforate sheet of six stamps, preferably the two cent Grand Canyon National Park stamp, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That James P. Farley as Post Master General of the United States is respectfully urged to authorize the issuance of a small imperforate sheet of six stamps, preferably the two cent Grand Canyon National Park stamp, and that upon said stamp the name of the City of Tacoma be given prominence, together with the date of said event.

Adopted on roll call February 18, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Ordinance No. 7460 entitled: "An ordinance to provide for licensing and regulating hotels, rooming houses and lodging houses in the City of Tacoma; and for the revocation of license issued; providing a penalty for violation hereof; and repealing Ordinance No. 7357." adding thereto sections to be known as Sections 1-a and 1-b. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

The following ordinance was submitted together with the signed request of the Mayor and four Councilmen that it be passed on the date of its introduction:

Providing for and authorizing issuance of General Fund warrants for the purpose of paying current running expenses to an amount not exceeding 80 per cent of the uncollected revenues anticipated in the budget adopted for the fiscal year 1935; discontinuing the issuance of warrants under Ordinances Nos. 10931 and 10967; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Providing for and authorizing issuance of General Fund Warrants for the purpose of paying current running expenses to an amount not exceeding 80 per cent of the uncollected revenues anticipated in the budget adopted for the fiscal year 1935; discontinuing the issuance of warrants under Ordinances Nos. 10931 and 10967; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11142.

Providing for and authorizing issuance of General Fund warrants for the purpose of paying current running expenses to an amount not exceeding 80 per cent of the uncollected revenues anticipated in the budget adopted for the fiscal year 1935; discontinuing the issuance of warrants under Ordinances Nos. 10931 and 10967; and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date fixed for the hearing of remonstrances on the assessment and assessment roll for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 4265, the Clerk reported the publication of the notice required by law and the filing of an affidavit of publication. Also reported the mailing of postcard notices, as required by law, to all property owners in the District on January 31st, 1935. Also reported that no remonstrances had been filed against the assessment roll. No remonstrators appearing, it was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the assessment and assessment roll be approved and confirmed and the Corporation Counsel instructed to prepare the necessary ordinance. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The communication of the Association of Washington Cities (2-11-35) with reference to the Association's bill (Senate Bill No. 135) providing for allocation of 25% of the motor vehicle fund to cities and towns, was brought up for further consideration at this time and ordered laid on the table.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

FEB 19 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 12:00 Noon.
Tuesday, February 19, 1935.

SPECIAL SESSION:

Council met in special legislative session, pursuant to call of the president (upon request of Commissioner Davisson) for the purpose of taking action upon a resolution requesting the State Senate to give the City of Tacoma a hearing on House Joint Resolution No. 10 before it is acted upon by the Senate Rules Committee or the Senate.

Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10428.

By DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, the Federal government is now recommending, through the Governor of the State of Washington, power legislation incorporated in eight bills drawn by the Federal government and now in the mail, directed to the Governor and State Legislature; and

WHEREAS, House Joint Resolution No. 10 is now pending before the Senate Committee; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma is vitally interested in this question of the generation and distribution of power; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That we respectfully request that no action be taken by the Rules Committee of the Senate and the Senate of the State of Washington until the City of Tacoma has had an opportunity to be heard and to present its case and all facts in connection therewith before said Committee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of the foregoing be sent as a telegram directed to the Rules Committee of the Senate at Olympia, Washington, immediately following the passage of this resolution.

Adopted on roll call February 19, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, the Special Meeting was adjourned.

Geo. A. Smith
President of City Council

Attest: *Lawrence Martin*
City Clerk.

FEB 20 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, February 20, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 2; Fawcett.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Steve Burke, for renewal of license to peddle fish;
Geo. Kostakis, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Emilie Hoppe, for license for rooming house at 601 South G Street;
J. S. Hoshiwara, for renewal of license for the Travelers Hotel at 1506 1/2 Pacific Avenue.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

J. S. Knowles, et al, requesting the installation of street lights on South 72nd Street between Portland Avenue and Waller Road;
K. L. Larson, requesting installation of a street light at South 17th and Durango Streets;
S. A. Munsey, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3 Puyallup (on Canyon Road between South 72nd and 80th Streets).

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Robert T. McDonald, State Representative, advising that there will be a meeting of the committee on Cities of the First Class, Thursday, February 21, at 7:00 P. M. in room 11. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:
Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of January, 1935;
City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending February 16, 1935 in amount of \$1,042,643.12.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting request of Birchfield Boiler Co. for an extension of time from February 15th to April 15th on their contract for pipe line installation for 1934 Reconstruction of Green River Gravity Pipe Line, on account of changes in specifications, relocation of part of the line, weather conditions, etc.; with written consent of the bondsmen; and recommending that the extension of time be granted as requested, and the new completion date fixed as of April 15, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Commissioner of Public Works, advising that his department has a considerable amount of scrap iron which has been accumulating for some time and for which it has no use, and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell this material for the best price available. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Normanna Hall Assn. (2-18-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at 1502 South K Street;

D. J. Berkson (2-11-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 911 Commerce St. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Anna A. Bell (2-18-35) for renewal of license for Stohart Hotel at 757 1/2 Broadway; Buffalo Lumber and Manufacturing Co. (2-18-35) for renewal of license for boarding house on the TIGELIATS.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of John Peterson et al (2-11-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (on Vickery Road from Moler to Knapp Road), and recommended the petition be granted and that each petitioner's premises be connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring in the house by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10429.

By THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, The Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund of the City has been depleted and it is necessary, in order to pay the benefits therein provided, that a further loan be made from the General Fund for such purpose; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant on the General Fund in the sum of \$1,500.00, and that the proceeds thereof be transferred into the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund as a temporary loan for the purpose of paying current obligations, as the same accrue, under the Firemen's Relief and Pension System of the City of Tacoma.

Adopted on roll call February 20, 1935.

Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Resolution No. 10430.

By BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City Council of the City of Tacoma to name that intersection of streets formed by the junction of South 9th Street, Broadway and St. Helens Avenue and such naming has been requested by many citizens of the City of Tacoma; and

WHEREAS, it seems appropriate and fitting that the said intersection be known and designated by the name of "Broadway Square"; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the intersection of South 9th Street, Broadway and St. Helens Avenue be and the same is hereby designated as "Broadway Square".

Adopted on roll call February 20, 1935.

Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 11135-- an ordinance authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with the R. C. Scott Advertising Co., providing for the use by said company of advertising space in the street cars and busses of the Municipal Belt Line; and fixing the terms and conditions thereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the lease from the City of Tacoma to the Tacoma Sash and Door Co. of certain real property near South 15th and Dock Streets in the City of Tacoma; and fixing the terms and conditions of such lease. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Approving and confirming assessment and assessment roll for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 4265. Read by title and passed to second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Approving and confirming assessment and assessment roll for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 4265. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one two-yard dump truck to be used by the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, and to exchange in part payment therefor one Chevrolet Dump truck, City No. 208, Engine No. T-4952677; appropriating the sum of \$1200.00 from the Light Fund for purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Ordinance No. 7460 entitled: "An ordinance to provide for licensing and regulating hotels, rooming houses and lodging houses in the City of Tacoma; and for the revocation of licenses issued; providing a penalty for violation hereof; and repealing Ordinance No. 7337," adding thereto sections to be known as Sections 1-a and 1-b. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon. Brought up for third reading and laid over for two weeks until March 6th, 1935.

Ordinance No. 11143.

Approving and confirming assessment and assessment roll for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 4265. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11144.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one two-yard dump truck to be used by the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, and to exchange in part payment therefor one Chevrolet Dump truck, City No. 208, Engine No. T-4952677; appropriating the sum of \$1200.00 from the Light Fund for purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11145.

Amending Ordinance No. 7460 entitled: "An ordinance to provide for licensing and regulating hotels, rooming houses and lodging house in the City of Tacoma; and for the revocation of licenses issued; providing a penalty for violation hereof; and repealing Ordinance No. 7337," adding thereto sections to be known as Sections 1-a and 1-b. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, February 25th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Guinevere Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, February 25, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with the recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted.

H. C. Peck, for license to peddle Stromberg ignition- auto accessory;
Fred T. Wheeler, for renewal of license to peddle sandwiches.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

United Slavonian Societies, for renewal of license for public dance hall at 5143
J. E. Bloomberg, for renewal of license for drug store at 957 South Tacoma Avenue.

The petition of Rose B. Running, for license for rooming house at 423 East 30th Street was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The petition of the Annie Wright Seminary, for renewal of license for swimming pool at 827 North Tacoma Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Ingeberg Edman, for extension of electric light service to premises at 248 East 106th Street;
E. J. Groseclose, for extension of electric light service to premises in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 11, Township 19, R 4 E., W. M.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Washington Branch, Public Ownership League of America, submitting copies of eight bills prepared by the Federal Administration which embody all that the Federal Government deems necessary in carrying out its power program in this state, which have been forwarded to Governor Martin by the Public Works Administration of Washington, D. C. with the request that he urge their passage by the State Legislature. Moved by Mr. Davisson that these bills be referred to the Corporation Counsel with the request that he examine them and advise the Council if they contain anything which requires any action by the Council. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Civil Service Commission, asking the City Council to set a tentative date for a joint session composed of the Council, the Corporation Counsel, the City Controller and the Civil Service Commission to consider necessary changes and improvements in the Civil Service rules as they affect the efficient and economical management of City affairs; and that the Council prepare any information or material deemed beneficial in the operation of Civil Service for consideration at this meeting. The Council fixed Tuesday, March 12th, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the Council chamber as the time and place for the meeting, which was approved by Mr. Booth, President of the Civil Service Commission.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of the Port of Tacoma (2-6-35) requesting the Council to consider a proposition to eliminate the stand-by charge of \$135.00 per month for water service and to enter into a contract on the basis of a minimum monthly actual consumption, and advised that the basis of rates for both commercial

and industrial uses is a specific rate for each one hundred cubic feet of water consumed, plus a standby or ready-to-serve charge based on the capacity of the service requested by the consumer and that the standby charge is not a charge in addition to the actual cost of the commodity sold, but is a part of the cost of rendering the service; that, if the Port of Tacoma requires a 10 inch water connection in order that they might have proper protection, the standby charge as mentioned must be continued since it is an integral part of the rate for water service; that the Department's contract with the government in connection with the P W A loan specifically provides that the rates charged by the Water Division must be at all times sufficient to take care of all operating and maintenance charges as well as interest, redemption, depreciation, etc. and at this time the earnings of the department do not warrant a reduction of water rates and the department could not justify a special water rate for the Port of Tacoma; and recommended that the City Clerk advise the Port of the Council's action in this matter. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Council concur in this finding and that the Clerk so notify the Port Commission. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$225.00 from the General Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the claim of Henry Schultz against the City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the proper officers of the City to execute and deliver a contract between the City and Independent Paper Stock Co.; for the sale of paper collected by the Garbage and Refuse Department; and fixing the terms and conditions of such contract. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mrs. H. Friedman requested the Council to grant her husband the privilege of paying the license fee for pawnbroker in two installments, \$50.00 at the present time and the balance in six months. The request was denied for the reason that the Council had previously taken the stand that no more installment payments of license fees would be permitted.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Samuel W. Martin*
City Clerk.

FEB 28 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, February 27th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

THE REGULAR ORDER of business was suspended for consideration of the following matters:

Mr. John Corliss, speaking for a group of people, called attention to the vice conditions existing on Fawcett Avenue, Market Street and lower Broadway, which have given this section of the City a bad reputation; stated that he had given notice to the operators of a number of these houses of ill fame that they must move, and made this demand upon the Council: That the Council collectively shall do one of two things and that is: That the Council shall drive every prostitute out of Tacoma in the next thirty days and keep them out, which he believes is impossible, or that it shall designate a place in the City not attached to a residential district where these women can congregate and live; that no person can enter that district as a resident without registering with the Health Department of the City each week and the fees charged them shall go into the coffers of the City; and that no girl less than twenty-one years of age shall live in that district. The demand was taken under advisement.

Corporation Counsel Carothers stated, with reference to the eight proposed power bills referred to him, that it will take considerable study to determine how these will affect the City of Tacoma, but it is understood at Olympia that only two or three of these bills are going to be introduced, and in his opinion the Council should try to find out which bills are to be introduced and then attempt to analyze them. Council concurred in this recommendation.

Corporation Counsel Carothers submitted a letter in which he advised that his office is in receipt of a letter from A. C. Van Soelen, Corporation Counsel of the City of Seattle, enclosing a proposed bill authorizing cities of the first class to borrow money for corporate purposes on promissory notes; and stated that this bill was acted upon favorably by the Council of Seattle and Mr. Van Soelen is urging the City of Tacoma to support the bill, which it appears to him has considerable merit. The matter was laid over until Monday March 4th, 1935.

Mr. Lloyd P. Coen requested the Council, in the interest of the Tacoma Better Housing Committee, to give permission to erect a model house on the plot of ground back of the Totem Pole, explaining that the lumber and furniture for the house will be donated and later the house will be given away, the idea being to stimulate interest in the Federal Housing movement here. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the City give permission to build the house, with the understanding that the City is not going to be held liable for anything that happens and that the petitioners make arrangements with the Park Board to take care of the lawn. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved as read.

FEB 28 1935

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

<p>N.</p> <p>W. J. Burgess, fireman C. L. E. Hoffman, fireman Mel E. Hooker, fireman William Kelly, fireman Carl Larson, fireman</p> <p>R.</p> <p>J. G. Anderson, fireman Nels Berke, fireman J. A. Clark, asst. engineer D. K. Davison, Asst. engineer G. W. Freeman, Chief engineer</p>	<p>O. R. Gates, fireman R. Hachiya, fireman Frank E. Hill, engineer T. Johnson, fireman C. Leighton, chief engineer W. B. Maltby, asst. engineer Charles Mulderig, donkey engineer Robert Mullen, fireman Thomas A. St. Clair, engineer Chas. Stewart, engineer W. G. Tobiason, fireman W. H. Wright, asst. engineer W. Wuerch, donkey engineer</p>
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It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

O. J. Nerheim, for renewal of license for public dance hall at Fellowship Hall, South 2nd and St. Helens Avenue;
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James I. Christian, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
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The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

A. P. Johnson, et al, for installation of a street light on the corner of 55th and Portland Avenue;
Neal E. Thorsen, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Canyon Road south of pavement).

H. R. Franke, stating that he has been granted a beer license at 8402 Pacific Avenue by the State Liquor Control Board with the stipulation that the cabaret at this location be eliminated, and requesting a refund of the unused portion of his cabaret license, dating from January 31, 1935. Referred to the Corporation Counsel with the suggestion that he have the Washington State Liquor Board send its files in this case for his information.

Tacoma Oil Fuel Dealers Association, requesting that all taxpayers demand of their senators and representatives in the State Legislature that Senate Bill No. 240, proposing a tax of 42¢ a barrel on fuel oil and 1¢ per gallon on Diesel Oil, be killed. Laid on the table.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Russell Barthell, Executive Secretary, Association of Washington Cities, submitting copy of a telegram from the American Municipal Associations, urging that the Cities of the state urge their United States Senators to see that the four billion dollar work relief bill is passed by Congress. Referred to Commissioner Callender.

Washington Protective Association of the Blind, submitting suggestions for a proclamation to be issued by the Mayor, setting aside the week of March 4th, 1935 as "White Cane Week". The Mayor was authorized to issue such a proclamation.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:
City Controller, report for month of January, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Finance (City Treasurer) report for month of January, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Finance (City Treasurer) report of bank balances for week ending February 23, 1935 amounting to \$1,055,889.70.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
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Frank E. Hill, engineer
T. Johnson, fireman
C. Leighton, chief engineer
W. B. Maltby, asst. engineer
Charles Mulderig, donkey engineer
Robert Mullen, fireman
Thomas A. St. Clair, engineer
Chas. Stewart, engineer
W. G. Tobiason, fireman
W. H. Wright, asst. engineer
W. Wuerch, donkey engineer

R.

J. G. Anderson, fireman
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D. K. Davisson, Asst. engineer
G. W. Freeman, Chief engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

O. J. Nerheim, for renewal of license for public dance hall at Fellowship Hall, South 2nd and St. Helena Avenue;
Michael Bros. Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 1502 Pacific Avenue;
James I. Christian, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
James I. Christian, for renewal of license for public hack.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

A. P. Johnson, et al, for installation of a street light on the corner of 55th and Portland Avenue;
Neal E. Thorsen, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Canyon Road south of pavement).

H. R. Franke, stating that he has been granted a beer license at 8402 Pacific Avenue by the State Liquor Control Board with the stipulation that the cabaret at this location be eliminated, and requesting a refund of the unused portion of his cabaret license, dating from January 31, 1935. Referred to the Corporation Counsel with the suggestion that he have the Washington State Liquor Board send its files in this case for his information.

Tacoma Oil Fuel Dealers Association, requesting that all taxpayers demand of their senators and representatives in the State Legislature that Senate Bill No. 240, proposing a tax of 42¢ a barrel on fuel oil and 2¢ per gallon on Diesel Oil, be killed. Laid on the table.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Russell Barthell, Executive Secretary, Association of Washington Cities, submitting copy of a telegram from the American Municipal Associations, urging that the Cities of the state urge their United States Senators to see that the four billion dollar work relief bill is passed by Congress. Referred to Commissioner Callender.

Washington Protective Association of the Blind, submitting suggestions for a proclamation to be issued by the Mayor, setting aside the week of March 4th, 1935 as "White Cane Week". The Mayor was authorized to issue such a proclamation.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:
City Controller, report for month of January, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Finance (City Treasurer) report for month of January, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Finance (City Treasurer) report of bank balances for week ending February 23, 1935 amounting to \$1,055,889.70.

City Planning Commission, requesting that the Council refer back to their Commission for further study and possible revision, the Proposed Zoning Ordinance and map which was submitted to the City Council in September, 1930. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the request be granted. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

United Slavonian Societies, (2-25-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at 5143 North Baltimore Street;
J. E. Bloomberg (2-25-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 957 South Tacoma Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smiley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$21.10 from the General Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the claim of Leonard Fleischmann against the City of Tacoma for damages to an automobile; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$155.00 from General Fund for purpose of compromising and settling the suit of the Indemnity Insurance Company of North America, a corporation, against the City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County, under the right of Eminent Domain, for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land for purpose of widening Pacific Avenue between South 80th Street and South 82nd Street; and providing for payment thereof from the Secondary Highway Fund. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the proper officers of the City to execute and deliver a contract between the City and Independent Paper Stock Company, for the sale of paper collected by the Garbage and Refuse Department; and fixing the terms and conditions of such contract. Brought up for second reading and laid over to Monday, March 4th, 1935.

Amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 11135-- an ordinance authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with the R. C. Scott Advertising Co., providing for the use by said company of advertising space in the street cars and busses of the Municipal Belt Line; and fixing the terms and conditions thereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the lease from the City of Tacoma to the Tacoma Sash and Door Company of certain real property near South 15th and Dock Streets in the City of Tacoma; and fixing the terms and conditions of such lease. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11146.

Amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 11135-- an ordinance authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with the R. C. Scott Advertising Company, providing for the use by said company of advertising space in the street cars and busses of the Municipal Belt Line; and fixing the terms and conditions thereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11147

Authorizing the lease from the City of Tacoma to the Tacoma Sash and Door Company of certain real property near South 15th and Dock Streets in the City of Tacoma; and fixing the terms and conditions of such lease. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The petition of I. K. Werwinski, South Bend, Indiana (2-19-34) requesting that the City Council adopt a resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to approve General Pulaski's Memorial Day Resolution, was brought up for further consideration. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the petition be placed on file. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, March 4th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest: Genevieve Martin
City Clerk

Gen. A. Smiley
President of City Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.

Monday, March 4, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

M. J. Merrick, for renewal of license for public dance hall at 1102 1/2 North 3rd Street;
C. A. Scurry, for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1326 Broadway;
Cloyde T. Winslow, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Mojean and Winslow, for renewal of license for public hack;
Mrs. Mary Smith, for renewal of license for drug store at 2501 - 6th Avenue.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

W. A. Bouffleur, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Central Avenue north to Moler Road);
Leroy H. Bush, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Central Avenue north to Moler Road);
C. J. Hekkema, for extension of electric light service to premises at south end of Van Buren Avenue;
Arnold Nelson, for extension of electric light service to premises at 8014 South Sherman Avenue.

American Veterans' League, requesting the City Council to pass a resolution endorsing House Bill #604, which covers the appropriation of \$150,000 for a new heating plant and barracks building for the Soldiers' Home at Ortn, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to each member of the Pierce County delegation at Olympia. Moved by Mr. Fawcett that such a resolution be prepared. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Municipal Civil Service League Inc., stating that they have been advised that automobiles sold or traded by the City have been delivered to the purchaser with signs denoting City ownership intact and in some cases with City license plates; that these cars have been seen operating inside the City after hours and outside the City, and parked in the vicinity of roadhouses; and, since this causes undeserved criticism of City employees and the City administration, requesting the Council to take the necessary action to remove from cars all insignia connecting them with City business before they are delivered to the purchasers. The Clerk was directed to acknowledge receipt of the communication and inform the League that it has been the intention of the departments over a period of years to have signs denoting City ownership and City license plates removed, but recently, through inadvertence, the signs were not removed from several cars which were traded in; in the future the request of the League will be complied with.

DEMONSTRANCES:

Horace V. X. Wright, protesting against the action of the Council in granting permission for the erection of a Model House on the small park space at the end of South 10th and A Streets near the Totem Pole, as it will be detrimental to the operation of the Fairmont Hotel, which building he owns, since the entrance and lobby of the hotel are facing 10th Street, and requesting that the Council reconsider its action in granting this permission. The Clerk was directed to notify Mr. Wright that the Council sees no reason for rescinding its former action and to refer him to Mr. Lloyd Coen who has charge of erecting the Model House.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

R. W. Beck, Secretary, Washington Branch Public Ownership League of America, submitting report of Power Bills which have been introduced in the State Legislature. Placed on file.

J. C. Manning, President, Moving Picture Operators Local 175, submitting the names of G. R. Cameron and A. E. Bradshaw to act on the Board of Examiners for Motion Picture Operators as provided in Ordinance No. 5828, which requires that there be two licensed operators on the board, and recommending that these men be appointed. Moved by Mr. Callender that the recommendation be concurred in. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Pierce County Welfare Board, advising that there is no objection on the part of the Board to additions to fire stations #2 and 5, outlined in Commissioner Bergersen's letter of February 14th, but the Board feels that the installation of a 4" plug at Station 5 should now cost more than \$275.00, whereas the proposal of the City Water Department is \$425.00; calling attention to an error in the measurement of the plans for Station #2, for which the contractors will unquestionably demand extra compensation; and stating that the whole question of extras should be carefully considered so that the entire cost will not exceed \$40,000.00, which is the total amount which can be paid from State Bond Issue money and any excess must be raised by the City of Tacoma. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works and Commissioner of Public Safety.

Washington State Roadside Council, asking the Council to support House Bill No. 428, providing for improving roadsides in the state, and to communicate with state senators and representatives urging them to support the measure. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Controller, submitting facts relative to the City's financial operations for 1934 and previous years, with several recommendations which he believes are in order. The Communication was referred to Committee of the Whole for discussion and the clerk directed to express to Mr. Swayze the Council's appreciation for the information contained in his report and his interest in the City's affairs.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

O. J. Norheim (2-27-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at Fellowship Hall, South 2nd and St. Helens Avenue;
Michael Bros. Drug Co. (2-27-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1502 Pacific Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Emilie Hoppe (2-2-35) for license for rooming house at 601 South G Street, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of J. S. Hoshizawa (2-2-35) for renewal of license for the Travelers Hotel at 1506 1/2 Pacific Avenue, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Rose B. Running (2-25-35) for license for rooming house at 423 East 30th Street, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Hilton B. Gardner reported back on the claim of Henry Schultz (10-29-34) for \$400.00 for damages to house owned by him at 158 South 40th Street when the house settled due to the City of Tacoma allowing a trench to remain open thereby removing the lateral support to the premises, and advised that they have carefully investigated the facts and recommend that the claim be settled for \$225.00, which amount they have been assured will be acceptable to Mr. Schultz, and the ordinance to appropriate this amount from the General Fund was introduced on February 25th, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and that each petitioners premises be connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

B. F. Beardsley (9-19-34) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4;
Ingeberg Edman (2-25-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at 248 East 106th Street;
M. F. Jacobs, et al (1-2-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Pennsylvania Avenue from Maler Road south to Knapp Road:

It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of E. J. Grose (2-25-35) for extension of electric light service to premises in SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 11, Twp. 19, R 4 E., W. M., and advised that this connection is outside of the district served by the City and recommended that the petition be denied and that the City Clerk so advise the petitioner. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of lightning arresters; appropriating the sum of \$2500.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the proper officers of the City to execute and deliver a contract between the City and Independent Paper Stock Co., for the sale of paper collected by the Garbage and Refuse Department; and fixing the terms and conditions of such contract. Read by title and placed in order of third reading on Wednesday, March 6th, 1935.

Appropriating the sum of \$225.00 from the General Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the claim of Henry Schultz against the City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11148.

Appropriating the sum of \$225.00 from the General Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the claim of Henry Schultz against the City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The communication of the Corporation Counsel (2-27-35) regarding request of A. C. Van Soelen, Corporation Counsel of Seattle, that the Council support a proposed bill authorizing cities of the first class to borrow money for corporate purposes on promissory notes, was brought up for further consideration and ordered placed on file.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. J. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, March 6, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr.

President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Doxey Katramad, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Broadway Bowling Co., for renewal of license for 6 bowling alleys at 739 $\frac{1}{2}$ Broadway;
CRAB DRUG CO., for renewal of license for drug store at 5243 South Tacoma Way;
FISCHER DRUG CO., for renewal of license for drug store at 202 North K Street;
The FISHER CO., for renewal of license for drug store at 11th and Broadway.

The petition of the Y. M. C. A. for renewal of license for swimming pool at 714 Market Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

Commissioner of Public Safety, report of Fire Department for year 1934;
Commissioner of Public Safety, report of Police Department for year 1934.

Commissioner of Public Finance, advising that the Department of Finance has on hand a quantity of unused Beer Revenue Stamps which are without value for the purpose for which they were issued, and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be allowed to dispose of them at the best price obtainable. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from S. L. Graham, covering the right to string wires over Lot 4, Garden Valley Acre Tracts, 2nd Division, in Section 7, Twp. 19 N., R 4 E., which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and their engineer as to description, and recommending it be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from F. C. Hofstetter, covering the right to set a pole on and string wires over the North 5' of Lot 25, Block 4, Olympic Heights Addition in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 16, Twp. 21 N., R 3 E., which has been approved

by the Corporation Counsel as to form and their engineer as to description, and recommending it be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that the Water Division has on hand one second-hand boiler shell located at Pump Station "C" which has not been used for a number of years, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell this piece of equipment to the best interests of the City at a minimum value of \$5.00, the proceeds to be placed to the credit of the Water Fund. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Refuse Collection Division, submitting data covering the operation of the paper route operated by the department under its contract with the Independent Paper Stock Co., which shows a net profit of \$487.86 per month. Placed on file.

CLAIMS:

E. T. Gorenson, for \$22.05, for damages to her automobile on January 6th, 1935 when she drove into an open manhole at 17th and Broadway. Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions recommending that they be granted:

M. J. Merrick, (3-4-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at 1102 $\frac{1}{2}$ North 3rd Street;
Mrs. Mary Smith (3-4-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 2501 - 6th Ave.
Albert Feichlin (2-18-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 1004 Jefferson Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Bobby Burns Grocery Co., Inc. (2-4-35) for renewal of license for Merkle Hotel at 2405 $\frac{1}{2}$ Pacific Avenue;
A. Gasparetti (2-11-35) for license for the Twenty-fourth Street Apartments at 2405 $\frac{1}{2}$ Pacific Avenue;
S. Nagai (2-11-35) for renewal of license for Ace Hotel at 1340 $\frac{1}{2}$ Pacific Avenue;
May Roscoe (2-11-35) for renewal of license for Illington Hotel at 911 $\frac{1}{2}$ Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Safety Welfare reported back on the petition of the Annle Wright Seminary (2-25-35) for renewal of license for swimming pool at 827 North Tacoma Avenue, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10431.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund of the City has been depleted and it is necessary, in order to pay the benefits therein provided, that a further loan be made from the General Fund for such purpose; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant on the General Fund in the sum of \$2000.00, and that the proceeds thereof be transferred into the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund as a temporary loan for the purpose of paying current obligations, as the same accrue, under the Firemen's Relief and Pension System of the City of Tacoma.

Adopted on roll call March 6, 1935.
Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Resolution No. 10432.

By the COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, a Bill known as House Bill No. 604 has been introduced in the legislature authorizing the appropriation of \$150,000.00 for replacement of buildings and equipment at the Orting Soldiers' Home located in Pierce County, Washington; and

WHEREAS, the Orting Soldiers' Home has for many years been operated and maintained as a Soldiers' Home and is recognized by the people of Tacoma and Pierce County as one of our permanent institutions; and

WHEREAS, it is highly necessary and desirable that an adequate building program be carried out at said institution in order to insure its permanency and in order to adequately serve the needs and purposes for which said institution was founded; and

WHEREAS, the people of the City of Tacoma are sincerely and deeply interested in the maintenance and preservation of said institution, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

That we heartily endorse House Bill No. 604, appropriating moneys for building program at the Orting Soldiers' Home.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Governor of the State of Washington, and to each of the Pierce County Senators and Representatives.

Adopted on roll call March 6, 1935.

Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Resolution No. 10433.

By THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, for the past two years the Department of Public Service of the State of Washington has conducted investigations as to rates of various privately owned utilities in the State of Washington; and

WHEREAS, much has already been accomplished as a result of said investigations in the matter of bringing about and insuring to the people of the State of Washington just, fair and reasonable rates; and

WHEREAS, said investigations have not yet been completed and much of the time, effort and money expended in connection therewith may go for naught unless the Department of Public Service is enabled to carry said investigations to final conclusion; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that an additional appropriation be authorized by the Legislature now in session in order to enable said Department to continue and conclude its investigations; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That they heartily endorse the investigation program carried on by the Department of Public Service during the past two years, that they believe it is for the best interests of the great mass of people of the State of Washington that the Department of Public Service be enabled to continue and conclude its investigations and that to that end the Legislature now in session should make an additional appropriation for said purpose.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to all Pierce County senators and representatives.

Adopted on roll call March 6, 1935.

Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of lightning arresters; appropriating the sum of \$3500.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$155.00 from the General Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the suit of the Indemnity Insurance Company of North America, a corporation, against the City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$21.10 from the General Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the claim of Leonard Fleischmann against the City of Tacoma for damages to an automobile; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County, under the right of Eminent Domain, for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land for purpose of widening Pacific Avenue between South 80th Street and South 82nd Street; and providing for payment thereof from Secondary Highway Fund. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11149.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of lightning arresters; appropriating the sum of \$3500.00 from the Light Fund, for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11150.

Appropriating the sum of \$155.00 from the General Fund for purpose of compromising and settling the suit of the Indemnity Insurance Company of North America, a corporation, against the City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11151.

Appropriating the sum of \$21.10 from the General Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the claim of Leonard Fleischmann against the City of Tacoma for damages to an automobile; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11152.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County, under the right of Eminent Domain, for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land for purpose of widening Pacific Avenue between South 80th Street and South 82nd Street; and providing for payment thereof from Secondary Highway Fund. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11153.

Authorizing the proper officers of the City to execute and deliver a contract between the City and Independent Paper Stock Co., for the sale of paper collected by the Garbage and Refuse Department; and fixing the terms and conditions of such contract. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The ordinance entitled: "An ordinance providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon." was brought up for third reading. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the ordinance be indefinitely postponed. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President; Nays 0; Absent 1; Fawcett.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the order of business be reverted to first reading of ordinances. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

By DAVISSON, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC UTILITIES:

An ordinance providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon. Read by title.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the ordinance be placed in order of second reading. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen. The question being put upon placing the ordinance in order of second reading, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett. The President declared the motion carried.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, March 11, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. J. Smith
President of City Council

Attest: *J. Mervin Martin*
City Clerk.

MAR 11 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Monday, March 11, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

The petition of John Morozzo, for renewal of license to peddle cheese, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Theo A. Cram, for renewal of license for drug store at 8410 South Park Avenue;
S. B. MacDonald, for renewal of license for public hack.

The petition of U. Tomita, for renewal of license for Superior Hotel at 1701 Market Street was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Fanny Ducott, for extension of electric light service to premises on Baumgardner Road east of Summit;
Mr. S. Fletcher, for extension of electric light service to premises at 96th and Sheridan.

Federal Meat Co., requesting the creation of a seven foot "No Parking" space in front of their place of business at 1114 Market Street for use of their wholesale deliver truck. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

A. C. Nichols, et al, requesting installation of an automatic signal light at the corner of South 66th and South Tacoma Way. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

State Senator G. E. Kerstetter, acknowledging receipt of resolutions passed by the Tacoma City Council urging appropriation of \$150,000.00 for replacement of buildings and equipment at Orting Soldiers' Home and endorsing continuation of the investigation by the Public Service Department, and stating that he is in accord with these resolutions. Placed on file.

Tacoma Central Labor Council, inviting Mayor and members of Council to attend a meeting of the Central Labor Council on March 13th at 9 P. M. in the City Hall Annex, at which time the merits of the Pilotage Bill will be discussed, and requesting the Council to present its objections to the Bill at this time. Clerk directed to advise the Labor Council that it will be impossible for the members of the City Council to attend this meeting.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Works, advising that the Department of Public Works has some steel mesh fencing material in various sizes and lengths for which it has no practical use, and requesting that the Purchasing Department be authorized to sell this material at the best price available. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Purchasing Department be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Y. M. C. A. (7-6-35) for renewal of license for swimming pool at 714 Market Street, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

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The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Crabb Drug Co. (3-6-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 5243 South Tacoma Way;
Fischer Drug Co., (3-6-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 202 North K Street;
The Fisher Co. (3-6-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 11th and Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

Corporation Counsel Howard Carothers reported back on the petition of H. K. Franke (2-27-35) for refund of the unused portion of his cabaret license at 8402 Pacific Avenue dating from January 31, 1935, and advised that Section 34 of Ordinance No. 11075 expressly provides that no portion of the unearned license fee of cabarets shall be refunded by the City and it is their opinion that Mr. Franke's request cannot be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that Council concur in the report and notify petitioner that his request cannot be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

C. L. Judge (2-4-35) for renewal of license for Holly Hotel at 811 Pacific Avenue;
R. Kikuchi (2-4-35) for renewal of license for Vendome Hotel at 1327 Market Street;
R. A. Maruyama (2-11-35) for renewal of license for St. Louis Hotel at 1315 Market St.;
Isabel Wingate (1-21-35) for renewal of license for Broadway Hotel at 1320 1/2 Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays O; Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and the petitioners' premises connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

W. A. Bouffleur, et al (3-4-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3;
C. J. Heikema (3-4-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at south end of Van Buren Avenue;
Arnold Nelson (3-4-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at 8032 South Sheridan Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10434.

BY DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, on August 6, 1910, the Northern Pacific Railway Company granted the City of Tacoma a permit (Permit No. 23179) to occupy certain portions of its right of way with a pipe line with appurtenances, which includes the operation of a telephone line, which permit is still in full force and effect; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma desires to relocate its telephone line for a short distance in Section 34, Township 20 North, Range 6 East, W. M. near Buckley, by attaching the wires to the Railway Company's Buckley Line Eridge No. 11-3; and

WHEREAS, the Northern Pacific Railway Company is willing to grant a supplemental permit authorizing and permitting said change and has prepared and submitted to the City of Tacoma a proposed form of supplemental permit, which appears to be in proper form; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute said supplemental permit in duplicate, as submitted by the Northern Pacific Railway Company.

Adopted on roll call March 11, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Davison, Callender, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays O. Absent O.

MAR 11 1935

Resolution No. 10488.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, under date of May 7, 1933, the Secretary of War of the United States executed an order requiring the City of Tacoma to make alterations in the construction of the bridge across the Hylebos Waterway at East 11th Street within a period of one year from the date of service of the notice, which service was made on or about June 7, 1933; and

WHEREAS, upon application of the City of Tacoma the Secretary of War of the United States extended the time for altering said bridge to June 7, 1935, upon the understanding that pending the completion of such alterations suitable piers for the bridge would be constructed by said City of Tacoma to facilitate the passage of vessels; and

WHEREAS, the said City of Tacoma has constructed suitable piers for said bridge which permit the passage of vessels without difficulty; and

WHEREAS, the alterations required by the said Secretary of War will require an expenditure in excess of \$600,000.00 by the City of Tacoma; and

WHEREAS, it is absolutely impossible for the City of Tacoma to obtain the funds necessary to comply with the order of the Secretary of War, and that under present conditions the City of Tacoma cannot make such alterations on or before June 7, 1935, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he hereby is authorized and directed to communicate with the proper officials of the United States Government requesting that the time for making such alterations be extended from June 7, 1935, until June 7, 1936; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City will undertake the construction of a new bridge to comply with the order of the Secretary of War as soon as the financial condition of the City will permit.

Adopted on roll call March 11, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Repealing Ordinance No. 6830, entitled: "An ordinance defining vagrants and providing for their punishment." Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Amending Section 17 of Ordinance No. 11075 entitled: "An ordinance relating to intoxicating liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, possession, sale or other disposition thereof in the City of Tacoma except in certain cases; providing for the licensing of cabarets and the revocation of licenses; providing penalties for the violation thereof, etc." Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *George W. Justice*
City Clerk.

MAR 13 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A.M.
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Walter G. Knott, Assistant Engineer

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George Bustrick, Fireman
C. C. Cabage, Fireman
V. A. Chapman, Fireman
Herbert W. Crooks, Fireman
Ed. S. Dolan, Fireman
D. C. Gannon, Fireman

R. A. Grisham, Fireman
Paul H. Harmer, Engineer
Paul Holmes, Fireman
H. J. Jenkins, Chief Engineer
A. O. Kennedy, Engineer
Henry Lee, Fireman
Geo. McAlvey, Fireman
W. D. Norris, Chief Engineer
I. H. Robinson, Fireman
Peter B. Sands, Fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Thos. Bearns, for renewal of license to peddle wood, was submitted with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion was seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Wm. C. Rast, for license for Oakland Drug Store at 3852 Center Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and report.

The petition of Eather Leonard, for renewal of license for Madison Hotel at 1523 Market Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and report.

Petition of Roberta M. Foster, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3 at the corner of Sales Road and the car line, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation.

Petition of Manitou Improvement Club, asking that the hazard at 66th Street and South Tacoma Way be eliminated by widening the approaches to South Tacoma Way at this point, installing an automatic stop signal and that 66th Street be widened by leveling and surfacing the space formerly used for street car tracks. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works and Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and report.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS:

Building Inspector, submitting request of National Housing Engineers, Inc., for a permit to build a residence using 6" masonry exterior walls, and stating that our code is a copy of the National Board of Fire Underwriters Code, released in 1920, which requires a minimum of 8" for all masonry exterior walls, but that the 1930 edition of the uniform code permits the use of 6" masonry walls in construction of one story residences and private garages, which, in his opinion, falls within the boundaries of good construction and should be allowed in our Building Code. Moved by Mr. Smitley that the Building Inspector be allowed to issue a permit for the residence in accordance with the plan as above described. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

John M. Roberts, Asst. City Controller, submitting for Council's approval and authorization vouchers and duplicate vouchers #180 and 181, covering interfund transfers for February, 1935. Moved by Mr. Fawcett that the transfers be approved. Motion seconded by Mr.

Smitley and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Dr. S. M. Creswell, Director of Health, advising that he has conferred with Police Chief Bird on the matter of more efficiently controlling venereal disease among prostitutes in Tacoma, and it has been agreed that the responsibility of this control be placed completely in the hands of the Health Department, which will relieve the Moral Squad from their responsibility in the matter, and proposing that a member of the Health Department staff be detailed to police the health of these women and bring them in for examination when it is considered necessary. Moved by Mr. Smitley that the recommendation be adopted by the Council. Seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Works, submitting seven easements, granting the city the necessary right-of-way for construction of storm sewer and making a fill on south 37th street between Pacific Avenue and A Street, from the following:

Joe Virgilio and Ellen Virgilio;
Thos. H. Martin and Etta Martin;
Mrs. Ada Whisner;
E. J. Sibley and Nettie E. Sibley;
Mrs. B. Loughheed;
Teddy Tetslaff and Elsa V. Tetslaff;
J. L. Jones and Ora Jones;

and advising that these easements have been checked as to description by the City Engineer and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the easements be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

City Treasurer, reporting bank balances for the week ending March 9, 1935, in the amount of \$1,063,775.85. Placed on file.

The following reports were submitted and placed on file:

Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare for month of February, 1935;

Commissioner of Public Safety for month of February, 1935.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on petition of Theo A. Cram, 3-11-35, for renewal of license for drug store at 8410 Park Avenue, recommending that petition be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on petition of Joel L. Skiles, 2-11-35, for license for Skiles Hotel at 723 1/2 Commerce Street, recommending that the petition be granted. Moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10436

By Davisson;

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Utilities has requisitioned \$250,000.00 on PWA Docket 1135; and

WHEREAS, it appears that the requisition may be delayed for a few days; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Commissioner of Public Utilities be and he hereby is directed to make a temporary loan of \$50,000.00 from the Water Construction Fund of 1931 to the Water Construction Fund of 1934, for the purpose of having sufficient funds in the latter fund to pay current obligations pending receipt of the funds requisitioned as above set forth.

Adopted on roll call March 13, 1935
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Repealing Ordinance No. 6830, entitled: "An ordinance defining vagrants and providing for their punishment." (Letter of Corporation Counsel re this ordinance read and filed.)
Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Section 17 of Ordinance No. 11075, entitled: "An ordinance relating to intoxicating liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, possession, sale or other disposition thereof in the City of Tacoma except in certain cases; providing for the licensing of cabarets and the revocation of licenses; providing penalties for the violation thereof; repealing Ordinances Nos. 10948, 10981, 10999 and 11001; declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon publication." Read by title and passed to third reading.

The following ordinance entitled: "An ordinance providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon." Introduced by Commissioner Davisson at the regular meeting of the Council held Wednesday, March 6, 1935, was brought up for second reading. Read by title.

Commissioner Davisson moved that said ordinance be now placed upon its final passage. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett.

The question being put upon the placing of said ordinance upon its final passage, the roll was called with the following result: yeas 5; Nays 0. The President declared the motion carried. Thereupon said ordinance was given No. 11156.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11154.

Repealing Ordinance No. 6830, entitled: "An ordinance defining vagrants and providing for their punishment." Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11155.

Amending Section 17 of Ordinance No. 11075, entitled: "An ordinance relating to intoxicating liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, possession, sale or other disposition thereof in the City of Tacoma except in certain cases; providing for the licensing of cabarets and the revocation of licenses; providing penalties for the violation thereof; repealing Ordinances Nos. 10948, 10981, 10999 and 11001; declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication." Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Thereupon said Ordinance No. 11156 entitled: "An ordinance providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon." was read in full by the Clerk and considered by the Council:

ORDINANCE No. 11156.

BY DAVISSON:

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That the public interests require the making of certain additions, betterments and extensions to the existing water plant and system owned and operated by the City of Tacoma, Washington, for the purpose of furnishing its inhabitants and other persons with an ample supply of water for all public uses and purposes.

Section 2. That the City of Tacoma hereby specifies and betterments to and extensions hereinafter set forth for the making of said additions and betterments to and extensions of said existing water plant and system, to-wit:

(a) Acquisition of certain parcels of land within the City limits for right of way for a new pipe line between South 35th and "J" Streets and the "J" Street Standpipe.

(b) Acquisition, reconstruction and replacing of approximately 15,200 feet of 40-inch to 54-inch diameter untreated wood stave pipe of the City's Green River Gravity System with steel or concrete pipe of equal or greater carrying capacity.

(c) Acquisition and construction of approximately 5700 feet of 48-inch diameter steel or concrete pipe from South 35th and "J" Streets to the "J" Street Standpipe.

Smitley and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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Seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

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and advising that these easements have been checked as to description by the City Engineer and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the easements be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

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The following reports were submitted and placed on file:

- Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare for month of February, 1935;
- Commissioner of Public Safety for month of February, 1935.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on petition of Theo A. Gram, 3-11-35, for renewal of license for drug store at 8410 Park Avenue, recommending that petition be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on petition of Joel L. Skiles, 2-11-35, for license for Skiles Hotel at 723 1/2 Commerce Street, recommending that the petition be granted. Moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10436

By Davisson;

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WHEREAS, it appears that the requisition may be delayed for a few days; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Commissioner of Public Utilities be and he hereby is directed to make a temporary loan of \$50,000.00 from the Water Construction Fund of 1934 to the Water Construction Fund of 1935, for the purpose of having sufficient funds in the latter fund to pay current obligations pending receipt of the funds requisitioned as above set forth.

Adopted on roll call March 13, 1935
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Repealing Ordinance No. 6830, entitled: "An ordinance defining vagrants and providing for their punishment." (Letter of Corporation Counsel re this ordinance read and filed.)
Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Section 17 of Ordinance No. 11075, entitled: "An ordinance relating to intoxicating liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, possession, sale or other disposition thereof in the City of Tacoma except in certain cases; providing for the licensing of cabarets and the revocation of licenses; providing penalties for the violation thereof; repealing Ordinances Nos. 10948, 10981, 10999 and 11001; declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon publication." Read by title and passed to third reading.

The following ordinance entitled: "An ordinance providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon." introduced by Commissioner Davisson at the regular meeting of the Council held Wednesday, March 6, 1935, was brought up for second reading. Read by title.

Commissioner Davisson moved that said ordinance be now placed upon its final passage. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett.

The question being put upon the placing of said ordinance upon its final passage, the roll was called with the following result: yeas 5; Nays 0. The President declared the motion carried. Thereupon said ordinance was given No. 11156.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11154.

Repealing Ordinance No. 6830, entitled: "An ordinance defining vagrants and providing for their punishment." Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11155

Amending Section 17 of Ordinance No. 11075, entitled: "An ordinance relating to intoxicating liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, possession, sale or other disposition thereof in the City of Tacoma except in certain cases; providing for the licensing of cabarets and the revocation of licenses; providing penalties for the violation thereof; repealing Ordinances Nos. 10948, 10981, 10999 and 11001; declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication." Read in full and passed.

Roll call: yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Thereupon said Ordinance No. 11156 entitled: "An ordinance providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon." was read in full by the Clerk and considered by the Council:

ORDINANCE NO. 11156.

BY DAVISSON:

An ordinance providing for the making of certain additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor; providing for the acquisition and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$210,000.00 to pay a part of the cost thereof; and creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That the public interests require the making of certain additions, betterments and extensions to the existing water plant and system owned and operated by the City of Tacoma, Washington, for the purpose of furnishing its inhabitants and other persons with an ample supply of water for all public uses and purposes.

Section 2. That the City of Tacoma hereby specifies and adopts the plan and system hereinafter set forth for the making of said additions and betterments to and extensions of said existing water plant and system, to-wit:

- (a) Acquisition of certain parcels of land within the City limits for right of way for a new pipe line between South 35th and "J" Streets and the "J" Street Standpipe.
- (b) Acquisition, reconstruction and replacing of approximately 15,200 feet of 46-inch to 54-inch diameter untreated wood stave pipe of the City's Green River Gravity System with steel or concrete pipe of equal or greater carrying capacity.
- (c) Acquisition and construction of approximately 5700 feet of 48-inch diameter steel or concrete pipe from South 35th and "J" Streets to the "J" Street Standpipe.

(d) Acquisition and construction of control works and building at the "J" Street Standpipe.

Said additions, extensions and betterments shall be owned, operated and controlled by the City of Tacoma.

Section 3. That the total estimated cost of said additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system owned and operated by the City of Tacoma, declared as near as may be, is \$476,000.00.

That a part of such estimated cost shall be paid from the proceeds of the bonds herein authorized, and the balance from other available funds of the City of Tacoma and by grant from the United States of America, in accordance with the terms of a certain Loan Agreement between the City of Tacoma and the United States of America dated the 15th day of October, 1934.

Section 4. That the gross revenues of the water plant and system of the City of Tacoma now owned and operated by it, or which may be hereafter acquired and operated at the current rates charged and to be charged for the water furnished thereby will be sufficient to meet all expenses of operation and maintenance, including the operation and maintenance of the proposed additions and extensions of and betterments thereto, and of all charges heretofore created against said revenues, including the charges thereon heretofore created by

- Ordinance No. 4520 of the City of Tacoma, passed March 29, 1911,
Ordinance No. 8694 of the City of Tacoma passed December 28, 1925,
Ordinance No. 9488 of the City of Tacoma passed December 15, 1927,
Ordinance No. 10327 of the City of Tacoma passed December 26, 1929,
Ordinance No. 10639 of the City of Tacoma passed March 4, 1931, and
Ordinance No. 11045 of the City of Tacoma passed April 23, 1934.

and to permit the setting aside of a fixed amount of said revenues without regard to any fixed proportion thereof sufficient to pay the interest on the bonds to be issued as herein provided, and to pay and redeem the principal thereof at maturity.

Section 5. That in order to carry out the plan and system as specified and adopted herein for the construction and acquisition by purchase or condemnation of said additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma and to pay the cost of the construction and acquisition thereof, the City of Tacoma shall issue and sell in the manner provided by law its bonds in the amount of \$210,000.00, which bonds shall be dated February 1, 1935, shall be in the denomination of \$1,000.00 each, shall be numbered from 1 to 210, both inclusive, shall have interest coupons attached to and made a part thereof, shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum (4%) per annum, payable semi-annually, on February 1 and August 1 in each year, shall be obligations only against the special fund created and established in and by Section 6 of this ordinance, shall be payable at the office of the City Treasurer of the City of Tacoma or, at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency for the State of Washington in the City and State of New York, and shall become due and payable as follows:

On August 1 in each of the years 1937 to 1948, both inclusive, the sum of \$10,000.00; on August 1 in each of the years 1949 to 1951, both inclusive, the sum of \$20,000.00 and on August 1 in the year 1952, the sum of \$30,000.00.

Section 6. That there is hereby created and established in the Treasury of the City of Tacoma a special fund to be called "City of Tacoma Water Fund of 1935", into which shall be set aside and paid from the gross revenues derived from the water plant and system now owned by the City or which may be hereafter acquired, amounts sufficient at all times to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as they respectively become due, plus a surplus of twenty per centum (20%) of such sum; provided that when the amount so paid in as surplus shall be equal to the interest and principal requirements of said bonds for the next ensuing two years no further payments of surplus need be made, and provided further that when the total of the funds in said special fund shall be equal to the total amount of principal and interest on all of the outstanding bonds to the last maturity thereof, then no further payments need be made into said special fund.

The amount required to be paid into the special fund each year shall be paid substantially in equal monthly payments. If the gross revenues are insufficient in any month to make the required payment into the special fund then the amount of any deficiency in the payment shall be added to the amount otherwise required to be paid into the said special fund in the next month. It is the intent of this provision that the sums paid into the special fund shall be in excess of the immediate requirements for payment of interest on and principal of the bonds until there has been accumulated in the special fund as a reserve for contingency, an amount sufficient to service the bonds for two years. The monies paid into the special fund shall be used solely for the purpose of paying interest on and principal of the bonds until all of the bonds have been retired. The payments into said special fund shall constitute a charge on said gross revenues superior to all other charges except the payment of principal and interest on utility bonds authorized by and issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 4520 of said City passed March 29, 1911, Ordinance No. 8694 passed December 28, 1925, Ordinance No. 9488 of said City passed December 15, 1927, Ordinance No. 10327 of said City passed December 26, 1929, Ordinance No. 10639 of said City passed March 4, 1931 and Ordinance No. 11045 of said City passed April 23, 1934.

The corporate authorities of said City hereby declare that, in creating the special fund in this ordinance provided, they have exercised due regard to the cost of the operation and maintenance of said Water Plant and System and to any part of the revenues previously pledged for the payment of bonds and other indebtedness, and that the gross revenues to be derived from the operation of said Water Plant and System, in their judgment, will be sufficient to meet all expenses of operation and maintenance and the amount of part of the revenue so previously pledged, and to set aside in the said special fund the amounts herein provided.

The City of Tacoma further irrevocably binds itself to establish rates or charges for water so that the amount of the revenues therefrom, after payment of all costs of operation and maintenance and the sums payable pursuant to said Ordinances Nos. 4520, 8694, 9488, 10327, 10639 and 11045 shall amount to not less than the full amount herein pledged to be set aside monthly and to be applied to the payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds issued hereunder, until such obligations shall be paid in full.

Section 7. That the said bonds hereby authorized, together with the coupons to be attached thereto and provisions for registration, shall be substantially in the following form:

No. _____ \$1,000.00

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF WASHINGTON
COUNTY OF PIERCE
City of Tacoma
WATER BOND OF 1935

The City of Tacoma, a municipal corporation in the State of Washington, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the bearer or, if this bond be registered, to the registered holder hereof, on the _____ day of _____, 19____, the sum of

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000.00), and to pay interest thereon at the rate of four per cent (4%) per annum, payable on February 1 and August 1 in each year until maturity, upon surrender of the annexed coupons as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Tacoma, Tacoma, Washington, or, at the option of the holder, at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Washington in the City and State of New York, in any coin or currency which on the respective dates of payment of the principal of and interest on this bond is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. Both principal and interest are payable solely out of a special fund of the City of Tacoma known as "City of Tacoma Water Fund of 1935", created by Ordinance No. 11156, which fund is to be drawn upon and used for the sole purpose of paying the principal of and interest on this issue of bonds.

This bond is one of an issue of Water Bonds authorized by Ordinance No. 11156 of the City of Tacoma for the purpose of providing funds to pay for certain additions and betterments to the existing Water Plant and System.

The City of Tacoma hereby covenants with the holder of this bond that it will keep and perform all the covenants and promises in said Ordinance No. 11156 creating such special fund to be by it kept and performed, and said City does hereby irrevocably obligate and bind itself to set aside and pay into said fund from the gross revenues of said Water Plant and System the various amounts in said ordinance provided, which amounts so pledged are hereby declared to be a charge upon the gross revenues of said Water Plant and System and all additions now or hereafter made superior to all other charges, except as in said ordinance provided.

The City of Tacoma further binds itself to establish and maintain rates for water service which shall provide sufficient revenues to permit the payment into such special fund of the said sums which the City has pledged to be set aside for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds until the same have been paid in full.

This bond may be registered as to principal by the holder in his name on the bond registration books of the Controller of the City of Tacoma, Tacoma, Washington, and such registration shall be noted on the back of this bond, after which no valid transfer of this bond shall be made except on said books until after registered transfer to bearer. At the request of the holder this bond may be registered as to both principal and interest, and in that event the interest hereon shall be remitted to the registered holder of this bond in New York exchange mailed to his address.

This bond and the issue of which it forms a part, is issued under, pursuant to and in strict compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Washington, and the Charter and ordinances of the City of Tacoma, Washington, and it is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, to have happened and to have been performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, exist, have happened and have been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by law, and that this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City of Tacoma, is within every debt and other limitation imposed by the Constitution and laws of the State of Washington and the Charter of said City of Tacoma, Washington.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Tacoma has caused this bond to be signed in its name by the Mayor and countersigned by the Controller under the corporate seal of said City, and has caused the coupons hereto attached to be signed and countersigned by the lithographed signatures of said Mayor and Controller, respectively, and this bond to be dated the first day of February, 1935.

Signature of Mayor

(SEAL)

COUNTERSIGNED:

Controller

(FORM OF COUPON)

No. _____ \$20.00

On the _____ day of _____, 19____, the City of Tacoma, Washington, will pay to bearer at the office of the Treasurer of said City of Tacoma or, at the option of the holder, at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Washington in the City and State of New York, the sum of Twenty Dollars in any coin or currency which is then legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, from the special fund known as "City of Tacoma Water Fund of 1935", said sum being the semi-annual interest due that date of its Water Bond dated February 1, 1935, numbered _____.

Signature of Mayor

COUNTERSIGNED:

Controller

(CONVERSION CERTIFICATE)
(Registered as to both principal and interest).

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this date out from the within bond coupons attached thereto, numbered from _____ to _____ inclusive, of the amount and value of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) each, amounting in the aggregate to _____ Dollars (\$ _____), and that the within bond is hereby converted into a registered bond with the principal thereof and semi-annual interest thereon payable to _____ assignee or legal representative, by check or draft drawn on the place of payment herein specified in New York exchange mailed to the address of such registered owner.

Dated _____, 19____.

Controller of the City of Tacoma

DATE OF REGISTRY	NAME OF REGISTERED HOLDER	SIGNATURE OF CONTROLLER
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

(REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE)
(Registered as to principal only)

The principal of the within bond is registered in the office of the Controller of the City of Tacoma, at Tacoma, Washington, in the name of the owner named below, and shall be payable to such owner only, unless the last registration shall be to bearer, and subject to the express provision appearing on the fact of this bond.

DATE	BORNER	ADDRESS	CONTROLLER'S SIGNATURE
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Section 8. All of said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Controller under the seal of the City of Tacoma, and each of said interest coupons shall be signed by the facsimile signatures of said officers, and all of said bonds shall at the option of the holder be subject to registration as to principal or as to both principal and interest in accordance with the provisions of Sections 5494 to 5496 inclusive, Remington's Revised Statutes.

Section 9. Said bonds shall be registerable at the option of the owner as to principal, or as to principal and interest, upon presentation of any such bond by the owner thereof to the Controller of the City of Tacoma at his office in the City of Tacoma, Washington, accompanied by written requests for such registration signed by the owner and designating the name and address for registry. Thereupon, said Controller shall record in the book of registry kept for the purpose the number of each bond so presented, its principal amount, the name and address of the owner and the change of registration, and shall attest such registration by his official signature. If such bond is to be registered as to principal and interest on such bond and the principal thereof at maturity shall be payable to the registered owner by check or draft drawn upon a place of payment specified in the bond in New York exchange and mailed to the address of the registered owner. The said Controller shall also note on each bond, in the blank prepared for that purpose, the name and address of the owner and the date of registration and shall attest such entry by his official signature. No transfer of any such bond and appurtenant coupons shall be valid or recognized for any purpose unless made

The Controller of the City of Tacoma, upon presentation, to him as aforesaid or any bonds so registered and upon delivery to him of a written request for transfer, duly signed and acknowledged by both parties thereto, or by the transferor, if the bond is to be transferred to bearer, specifying the name and address of the transferee if other than bearer, shall in like manner and detail record any such transfer in said book of registry and upon the blank provided on such bond and shall attest such entries by his official signature. Any bond, after registered transfer to bearer, shall be transferable as if unregistered until again made payable to the registered owner, as above provided.

The said Controller may also note on said book of registry any change of address of the registered owner upon request thereof satisfactory to him.

Section 10. The City of Tacoma shall not issue any additional bonds payable from the revenues of its water plant and system while any of the bonds are outstanding and unpaid, unless the pledge of revenues to such bonds is made junior and subordinate in all respects to the pledge of revenues to the bonds authorized in this ordinance. In no event, while the water plant and system or any part thereof, or sell, lease or otherwise encumber substantial portion thereof. These provisions shall inure to the benefit of and be enforceable by any holder of any of the bonds.

Section 11. The City of Tacoma shall maintain the water plant and system in good condition and operate the same in an efficient manner. So long as any of the bonds are outstanding the said City shall maintain insurance on the water plant and system for the benefit of the holder or holders of the bonds of the kind and in the amount customarily carried by private companies engage in a similar business. Nothing contained in this ordinance shall be

construed as requiring the City of Tacoma to expend the funds which are derived from sources other than the operation of the water plant and system, but nothing herein contained shall be construed as preventing the City from so doing.

Section 12. The City of Tacoma shall keep proper books of the records and accounts (separate from all other records and accounts) in which complete and correct entries shall be made of all transactions relating to the water plant and system and to the operation thereof. The City shall furnish to the original purchaser and to any holder or holders of any of the bonds, at the written request of such holder or holders, not more than thirty days after the close of each six months fiscal period, complete operating and income statements in reasonable detail covering such six months period, and not more than sixty days after the close of such fiscal year complete financial statements in reasonable detail covering the operating of the water plant and system for such fiscal year, certified by independent auditors.

Section 13. Any purchaser of twenty-five (25%) per centum in principal amount of the bonds at the time then outstanding, or any holder or holders of twenty-five (25%) per centum of outstanding bonds shall have the right at all reasonable times to inspect the water plant and system and all records, accounts and data of the City relating thereto.

Section 14. During the construction of the project the City shall furnish to any purchaser of twenty-five (25%) per centum of the bonds such financial statements and other information and data relating to the project and/or water plant and system as any such purchaser from time to time may reasonably require.

Section 15. Upon request the City shall furnish any purchaser of twenty-five (25%) per centum of the bonds information for the preparation of a bond circular in customary form signed by the proper officials of the City of Tacoma, containing such data as such purchaser or purchasers may reasonably request concerning the City, the project and the water plant and system and the operation thereof.

Section 16. None of the facilities afforded by the water plant and system shall be furnished free. In the event that the City of Tacoma or any department, agency or instrumentality thereof shall avail itself of the facilities afforded by the water plant and system a reasonable charge for the services shall be made against the City, agency or instrumentality, and shall be paid as the services accrue. The revenues so received shall be deemed to be revenues derived from the operation of the water plant and system and shall be used and accounted for in the same manner as any other revenues derived therefrom.

Section 17. All of said bonds are hereby awarded to the United States of America at par and accrued interest from the February 1 or August 1 next preceding the payment of the purchase price to such date of payment, and the Mayor and Controller of the City of Tacoma are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds on behalf of said City of Tacoma and to deliver the same to the Controller, who is hereby authorized and directed to deliver the same to the United States of America in accordance with the terms of that certain loan agreement dated the 11th day of October, 1934, entered into between the City of Tacoma, Washington and the United States of America, authorized by Ordinance No. 11099 of said City, giving and granting to said officers full authority to carry out all of the terms of said loan agreement.

It was moved by Mr. Davison t at the said Ordinance be finally passed and adopted as read. Motion Seconded by Mr. Fawcett.

The question being put upon the final passage and adoption of said Ordinance the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

The President thereupon declared said motion carried and the ordinance finally passed and adopted.

The Mayor thereupon signed said Ordinance in approval thereof and same was attested by the Clerk.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, March 18th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Davison
President of City Council

Attest: *George W. Fawcett*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A.
Monday, March 18th, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

- 272 P. C. R. Burkepile, for renewal of license for one pool table at 801 Pacific Ave.
- 272 P. Hansen & Larson, for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1223 Pacific
- 272 P. S. KOFI, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway;
- 272 P. A. NOVAK, for renewal of license for one pool table at 3201 Portland Avenue.

The petition of Mrs. Fred Dowd, for renewal of license for Colonial Hotel at 7th and Commerce Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

- 276 P. Howard W. Cady, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Box 328 and Box 330;
- 276 P. Jessie Dyslin Boys Ranch, Inc., for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 608;
- 277 P. O. K. Pipkin, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 6, Box 360;
- 277 P. Mary E. Riedl, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 7, Box 503;
- 278 P. Fletcher Heights Improvement Club, requesting installation of an arc light at South 8th and Verde Streets.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Water Division and Municipal Bell Line Division for month of January, 1935. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from Wayne R. Parker and Elvira M. Parker, granting the City the right to string wires over certain property in Lot 7, Section 6, Twp. 19 N., Range 4 East, at the intersection of McLarty Road and the Lakeview-Puyallup Highway, which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and by their engineer as to description, and recommending that it be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from Frank T. Spencer, granting the City the right to set poles on and string wires over certain property on Mulvey Road in Sec. 25, Twp. 20 N., Range 3 E., W. M. which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and by their engineer as to description, and recommending that it be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising they have on hand in the mess house at Camp B., one lot of kitchen and dining room equipment consisting of dishes, pots and pans used in connection with the construction of the Cushman Second Installation, for which they have no further use, and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to dispose of this equipment at a minimum value of \$150.00 cash, proceeds of the sale to be placed to the credit of the Light Fund. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

CLAIMS:

Minnie C. Wessberg, for \$7.31 for reimbursement for plumber's bills which she incurred through the flooding of her basement on January 20th, when the City's sewer or water pipes broke near North 9th Street between Cedar and Junett Streets. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Wm. C. Rast, (3-13-35) for license for Oakland Drug Store at 3852 Center Street;
- Daniel Ullrich (2-6-35) for license for one pool table at 1702 Jefferson Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Roberta M. Foster (3-13-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3 at the corner of Sales Road and the car line, and recommended it be granted and the premises connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10437.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, John S. Strickland has faithfully served more than twenty-five years in the Police Department of the City of Tacoma and has been retired from active service; and

WHEREAS, his work has always been of the highest caliber and a credit to said Police Department and has resulted in the reputation of the Police Department being favorably known in distant cities; and

WHEREAS, it is greatly regretted that he is severing his connection as Captain of Detectives, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That this Council cause this resolution to be spread upon its minutes in recognition of the faithful service of John S. Strickland; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Council extend its wishes for his greatest success and prosperity in any future endeavors.

Adopted on roll call March 18, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the sale of Lots 3 and 4, Block 4, Ferry's Second Addition to the City of New Tacoma, for the sum of \$600.00 on terms; and authorizing and directing the proper officers of the City of Tacoma to execute a contract for sale thereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Callender reported that the Dash Point Community Club has requested a schedule of fees for fire protection from the Tacoma Fire Department. In looking up the practice in other communities he found that a deposit of \$300.00 is required and, if the Fire Department goes to a fire, it is paid from this deposit at a rate varying from \$60.00 to \$125.00 per hour. It cost the Fire Department last year about \$90.00 a call, he said. Mr. Callender raised the question as to whether a citizen of Tacoma would have a claim against the City in case his property were damaged by fire when the equipment was away on an outside call. Council directed that he take up the questions involved with the Corporation Counsel.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried. Council then recessed to 7:00 P. M. this date.

Geo. A. Smith
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

MAR 18 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 13:00 P. M.,
Monday, March 18th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Corporation Counsel, transmitting proposed ordinance authorizing compromise and settlement for \$11,000.00 of the City's claim against D. J. Young, as receiver for the Cascade Paper Co., the amount of the City's claim being \$24,900.00, and giving reasons for recommending settlement on this basis. Placed on file.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing compromise and settlement for \$11,000.00 of claim against D. J. Young, Receiver for Cascade Paper Company; and authorizing waiver of the City's right to refuse to furnish electrical energy to the Everett Pulp & Paper Company on account of said claim not being paid in full. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

J. A. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *G. W. Martin*
City Clerk

MAR 20 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, March 20th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

The regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following:

PETITIONS:

S. F. McAnally, submitting request of the Free Methodist Church for extension of water main along South Sprague Street from South 64th Street to South 72nd Street. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Sam Rowvas, for license to peddle peanuts, popcorn and hot tamales;
Gec. KOSTAKIS, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Lyle Ashton, for renewal of license for Brant Hotel at 755 1/2 St Helens Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Emmanuel Petrakis, for license for cabaret, Class 1- music and entertainment only at 1303 Broadway;
L. C. Hughes, for renewal of license for drug store at 3123 North 26th Street;
J. F. ROHR, for renewal of license for two pool tables at 734 Pacific Avenue.

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The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

M. H. Eldred, for extension of electric light service to premises at South 66th and Custer Road;
W. A. Harvey, et al, requesting installation of street lights at the corner of 48th and East C Street and the corner of 50th and East C Streets;
Mrs. Jos. Le Gault, for extension of street lights to her property at 5328 Marine View Drive;
P. S. McDermott, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3, Puyallup, on 84th Street from Canyon Road east to Woodland Avenue.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Belt Line Division for month of February, 1935;
City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending March 16, 1935 in amount of \$1,008,100.80.

S. M. Creswell, Director of Health, calling attention to the constantly increasing number of cases in the City Clinic, which makes it almost impossible for one nurse to handle the work; comparing the number of cases for the first two months of 1935 with the same period in 1934; and requesting the City Council to provide an additional nurse for the Clinic. The Mayor proposed that an emergency ordinance covering the necessary appropriation be presented on Monday for Council's consideration, which was concurred in.

B. R. Nichols, Purchasing Agent, advising that on June 16th, 1934, he was instructed to dispose of several hose carts belonging to the Fire Department, which he has found were loaned to the Western State Hospital at Steilacoom on November 5, 1929; attaching copies of all correspondence in connection with this matter; stating that on February 11th of this year he, together with ex-Fire Chief Carlson and Fire Chief Whitaker, called at the hospital and talked with Dr. Keller, who feels that the hose carts should be donated to the hospital; and requesting that he be advised what action to take on this matter. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that application for a franchise over certain county roads to provide electric service for several hundred petitioners in and about Five District was filed with the Board of County Commissioners and the hearing has been set over for thirty days to give the commissioners time to determine what charges and conditions would be imposed upon the City as a condition to granting of the franchise; stating that the City would not be justified in making these extensions if increased charges are to be taxed against the service; and recommending that, in the event any such charges are made as a condition to the granting of the franchise, the Corporation Counsel be directed to then and there withdraw the request for a franchise, and report to the Council. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Mrs. Fred Dowd (3-18-35) for renewal of license for Colonial Hotel at 7th and Commerce Street;
Mrs. V. R. Smith, (1-21-35) for renewal of license for Lansing Hotel at 1137 1/2 Broadway;
U. Tomita (3-11-35) for renewal of license for Superior Hotel at 1701 Market Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of C. A. Scourry, (2-4-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1326 Broadway, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and premises connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

Benton Brown, et al (2-4-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Barnett Street);
 Carl M. Carlson, et al (2-4-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Pennsylvania Avenue from Knapp Road south to pavement);
 Wm. S. Fletcher (3-11-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at 96th and Sheridan;
 Mary E. Riecl (3-18-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 7, Box 587.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10438.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund of the City has been depleted and it is necessary, in order to pay the benefits therein provided, that a further loan be made from the General Fund for such purpose; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant on the General Fund in the sum of \$850.00, and that the proceeds thereof be transferred into the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund as a temporary loan for the purpose of paying current obligations, as the same accrue, under the Firemen's Relief and Pension System of the City of Tacoma.

Adopted on roll call March 20, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0. Nays 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the sale of Lots 3 and 4, Block 4, Ferry's Second Addition to the City of New Tacoma, for the sum of \$600.00 on terms; and authorizing and directing the proper officers of the City of Tacoma to execute a contract for the sale thereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing compromise and settlement for \$11,000.00 of claim against D. J. Young, Receiver for Cascade Paper Company; and authorizing waiver of City's right to refuse to furnish electrical energy to the Everett Pulp and Paper Company on account of said claim not being paid in full. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11157.

Authorizing the sale of Lots 3 and 4, Block 4, Ferry's Second Addition to the City of New Tacoma, for the sum of \$600.00 on terms; and authorizing and directing the proper officers of the City of Tacoma to execute a contract for the sale thereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11158.

Authorizing compromise and settlement for \$11,000.00 of claim against D. J. Young, Receiver for Cascade Paper Company; and authorizing waiver of City's right to refuse to furnish electrical energy to the Everett Pulp and Paper Company on account of said claim not being paid in full. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mr. E. R. Franke, operator of a beer parlor at South 84th and Pacific Avenue, asked the Council to reconsider its action in refusing to allow him a refund on the unearned portion of his cabaret license fee, saying that it was not through any fault of his that he could not operate the cabaret, but because there was not police protection in that district.

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He claimed that the Council is on record that it would refund the license fees for cabarets if anyone was stopped from operating by the State Liquor Board. This statement was questioned by Mr. Callender, who stated that the Council had told Mr. Guy S. Rowe that if the State Legislature passed a law to prohibit dancing in beer parlors, it would refund fees paid for cabarets, but such a law was not passed, and the Council is without authority under the existing ordinance to make any refunds. The matter was taken under advisement, and later, after discussion of Mr. Franke's request, the Clerk was directed to notify Mr. Franke that the Council will have to act in accordance with the Corporation Counsel's advice.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, March 25th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

F. A. Smitley
 President of City Council.

Attest: *Lawrence J. Hartman*
 City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, March 25th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

REPORTS:

Sixth Avenue Business Men's Club and Titlow Beach Improvement Club, requesting the Council to take up for consideration the matter of transportation to Titlow Beach and Day Island; stating that this district is entitled to a ten-cent fare with transfer privileges and suggesting that a bus to connect with the Sixth Avenue Street Car at Proctor Street should be provided, or, in the alternative, that a franchise be granted to a bus company with the right to pick up and discharge passengers all along Sixth Avenue to South 17th and Broadway; and submitting petitions from interested persons requesting that such a service be given. Mr. G. J. Lemm, Mr. H. E. Reynolds, Mr. C. E. Hogberg and others spoke in support of the request, and submitted a letter from Mr. Curtiss Hill, Manager of the Tacoma Railway and Power Company, taking the position that bus service would not pay. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the Mayor authorize the City Clerk to arrange a meeting with the representatives of the people involved, the railway company and the stage line. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

G. J. Lemm, et al, for installation of street lights on Wilton Road at Titlow Beach, north from the 6th Avenue Extension to the entrance of the Titlow Beach Park picnic grounds on the western side of the railroad tracks; and from 6th Avenue Extension south to South 17th Street on the Waterfront Road. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Sarah Cohen, for renewal of license for public dance hall at 2712 1/2 - 6th Avenue;
Virges Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 958 Pacific Avenue;
Virges Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 914 Pacific Avenue;
Dwight H. Gourley, for renewal of license for public hack driver.

School District No. 124, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 512. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

S. M. Peterson, et al, for installation of street lights on East 48th Street between McKinley Avenue and Portland Avenue. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

American Legion Auxiliary, Edward B. Rhodes Post No. 2, requesting permission to sell poppies on the streets of the City of Tacoma on May 24th, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Dr. W. E. Keller, Superintendent Western State Hospital, advising, with reference to the five hose carts loaned the hospital in 1928, that they are not in a position to buy the carts at the present time, but would like to continue their use for a time longer, as with the completion of the new building, it is quite probable that they will provide an entirely new equipment for fire protection, and stating that since the City cannot give away any of its property, if it will accept a small sum in order to close up the transaction, he will take the matter up with the Director and see if he will approve such an arrangement. Clerk directed to reply to the letter, requesting Dr. Keller to take this matter up with the Director and see what he will be willing to pay for the carts, and inform him that the Council believes it can get \$50.00 apiece for these carts on a trade-in.

Executive Board of South Tacoma Local, National Unemployment Council, condemning action of police officers at the demonstration on March 20th at 407 South 13th Street (WERA Headquarters) in preventing them from entering a public building on a peaceful errand and demanding an investigation of their action. Commissioner Callender stated that Mr. Comfort, WERA Administrator, had notified these people that he would be glad to meet with a committee of three or four from each Unemployed Council but there were 800 or 900 in the parade and they all tried to go into the building, and Mr. Comfort then appealed to the police. The Clerk was directed to reply to the communication, stating that, according to Mr. Comfort, he would be glad to meet with a committee from each Council, and if they will comply with his request, they will have no trouble either with City officials or with Mr. Comfort; and that the Police Department gave them protection in their parade and also gave Mr. Comfort the protection he requested.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Controller, report for month of February, 1935. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising they have on hand in the Water Division some reclaimed 6 and 8 inch hub gate valves, which are of no further use and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell these at a minimum price of \$11.17 for the 6 inch valves and \$19.85 for the 8 inch valves, proceeds to be placed to the credit of the Water Fund. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation and that the matter be referred to the Purchasing Agent. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

2-2 Emanuel Petrakis (7-20-35) for license for cabaret, Class 1- music and entertainment only- at 1008 Broadway;
2-2 I. C. Hughes, (7-20-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 3123 North 26th Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

2-2 The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Howard W. Cady, et al (7-18-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 6, Box 328 and Box 330, and advised that the cost of serving these petitioners is such that it does

not make it appear to be wise to extend lines and give them service at this time, and recommending that the petition be denied and that the City Clerk notify the petitioners accordingly. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on petition of Arthur Hall, et al (2-4-35) for extension of electric light service to premise on Route 4 (Central Avenue Road) and recommended it be granted and each petitioners' premises be connected to the City line upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring in the houses by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on petition of O. K. Pipkin (2-18-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route C, Box 360, and recommended that the petition be granted and premises be connected to the City Lines when an inside connection fee of \$1.00 has been paid and the wiring in his house inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities submitted a supplement report on the petition of A. P. Johnson (10-17-34) for extension of electric light service to premises at 55th and East Q Streets, which was denied by the City Council under date of November 5, 1934, and advised that Mr. Johnson now requests service with the understanding that he will furnish the poles and dig the holes for the poles and anchors that will be necessary to extend the present electric lines to his property, and recommended that it be granted under these conditions upon payment of the usual \$1.00 service connection fee for customers within the City Limits and that the petitioner's premises be connected to the City lines when the above mentioned work has been done and the wiring inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10489.

BY SMITLEY:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the week of April 6th to 12th inclusive, be designated and declared to be Cleanup Week in the City of Tacoma and that all civic clubs and organizations of every kind and nature, all departments of the City of Tacoma and all citizens are urged to co-operate with the Junior Chamber of Commerce in charge of such work.

Adopted on roll call March 25, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$3250.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Secondary Highway Fund for the year 1934, for the purpose of constructing a storm sewer on East 56th Street from East I Street to the west line of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific Railway Right-of-way. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of a road grader; appropriating the sum of \$5000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Secondary Highway Fund for the year 1935 for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

J. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, March 27, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The regular order of business was suspended at this time for consideration of the following:

Mr. John W. Corliss referred to his demand made one month ago that the Council take action to remedy conditions existing on Lower Broadway, Fawcett and Market Streets where houses of prostitution are operating and stated that it appears that nothing has been done about the matter. When our government comes to the point where it pays no attention to the demands of its citizens, the citizens must do something about it, he said, and for that reason he is filing with the Clerk a petition for the recall of Frank T. Callender as Commissioner of Public Safety. Mr. Corliss then filed the petition with the City Clerk for such action as is provided by law in such cases.

A group of owners and operators of machine and welding shops was present, requesting that the Council change the ordinance requiring shops which work on motor vehicles to pay the \$5.00 per year license fee, claiming that the ordinance should apply only to places where the majority of the work is on automotive vehicles. Mr. Dravis of the Hicks-Bull Machinery Co. and Mr. D. H. Watts of Watts Welding Co. stated that they had been notified by the License Inspector to take out a license and they did not believe it was the intent of the ordinance that businesses doing general machine shop work and welding should require a license. Following considerable discussion, Commissioner Callender agreed to take the matter up with the Corporation Counsel and if he can suggest a change which will be satisfactory, will submit it to the group represented here.

In connection with the above a written remonstrance from D. H. Watts, protesting against unfair discrimination in the enforcement of the City ordinance relating to license of garages, welding shops, machine shops, etc., in compelling all small shops to take out the license and permitting certain large shops to operate without it, was presented and ordered placed on file.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to reading the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Dan Bass, donkey engineer
E. W. Breen, fireman
John A. Hall, fireman

R.

J. W. Adams, fireman
Andrew Ambrose, asst. engineer
W. E. Berr, asst. engineer
J. D. Chastain, engineer
John Collier, fireman
A. C. Gaylord, asst. engineer
Fred Gibbons, fireman
A. Hewkin, donkey engineer

John Hunter, fireman
B. M. Jarvis, chief engineer
H. J. Lichty, fireman
Geo. Londas, fireman
Peter G. Lucas, chief engineer
R. McWhorter, fireman
Theodore Manteufel, fireman
J. A. Mitchell, fireman
John Pederson, donkey engineer
L. O. Peterson, fireman
Frank J. Usner, fireman
E. Wescott, engineer
Elmer H. Widener, asst. engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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The petition of Teddy Suekawa, for license to peddle fruit and vegetables, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that petition be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The petition of Earl Donahue, for renewal of license for Lincolnshire Hotel at 903 Pacific Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Westoma Company, for renewal of license for Highlands Golf Course at North 13th and Pearl Streets;
Tacoma School District No. 10, for renewal of license for girls' swimming pool at Lincoln High School;
Tacoma School District No. 10, for renewal of license for boys' swimming pool at Lincoln High School;
Tacoma School District No. 10, for renewal of license for girls' swimming pool at Stadium High School;
Tacoma School District No. 10, for renewal of license for boys' swimming pool at Stadium High School.

The petition of Marel Lange, for renewal of license for public hack driver, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Julius L. Schelin, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 556;
Mrs. A. Schwabel, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 2, Box 872.

REMONSTRANCES:

Pierce County Unemployment Council, protesting against the action of A. E. Comfort, Relief Administrator, and the Tacoma Police Department on March 20th when a committee of twenty-five, representing the 11 locals of the Council attempted to call on Mr. Comfort; and affirming their right to send a committee at any time to the relief administrator and declaring their intention to maintain that right. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending March 24, 1935 in amount of \$34,397.01. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that, from time to time, there are accumulated in the Light and Water Division quantities of obsolete and worn out materials and equipment for which there is no further use in the department, and in order to most fully take advantage of the opportunities for sale of such articles, he recommends that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to dispose of them from time to time for cash when requested to do so by the Commissioner of Public Utilities, proceeds of the sale to be placed to the credit of the division from which the junk had accumulated. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting request of the American Concrete Pipe Co. for an extension of thirty days in which to complete their contract No. 65 under Federal Locket No. 1135, covering certain reconstruction work on the Green River Gravity Pipe Line, and recommending an extension be granted them, making the effective date for the completion of the contract April 28, 1935, subject to the approval of E. R. Hoffman, State Engineer for the Public Works Administration. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Sarah Cohen (C-25-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at 2712-6th Ave.
Virges Drug Co., (C-25-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 958 Pacific Ave.
Virges Drug Co. (C-25-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 914 Pacific Ave.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$2250.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Secondary Highway Fund for the year 1934, for the purpose of constructing a storm sewer on East 56th Street from East I Street to the west line of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific Railway right-of-way. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of a road grader; appropriating the sum of \$5000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Secondary Highway Fund for the year 1935 for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11159.

Appropriating the sum of \$2250.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Secondary Highway Fund for the year 1934, for the purpose of constructing a storm sewer on East 56th Street from East I Street to the west line of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific Railway right-of-way. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11160.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of a road grader; appropriating the sum of \$5,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Secondary Highway Fund for the year 1935 for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Callender requested permission to be absent from the City on Friday and Saturday of this week to attend a "Crime Conference" in Portland. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, April 1, 1935 at 10:30 A. M.

Signature of E. A. Smitley, President of City Council

Attest: City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, April 1, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

- E. Abo, for renewal of license for peddling fruit and vegetables;
Al Greco, for renewal of license for peddling fruit and vegetables.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

- D. H. Bales, for renewal of license for cabaret- Class 2- dancing, music and entertainment- at 1001 Pacific Avenue;
Wendel H. Kutting, for license for cabaret, Class 1- music and entertainment only- at 1130 Commerce Street;
Tacoma Aerie No. 3- F. O. E.- for renewal of license for public dance hall at 1305 Fawcett Avenue;
Mrs. Therese A. Dahlberg, for renewal of license for massage parlor at 401 Fidelity Building;
A. MacKenzie, for renewal of license for drug store at 2401 Pacific Avenue;
Sun Drug Co., Inc., for renewal of license for drug store at 2715- 6th Avenue;
Kole Oliver and Elias Baug, for renewal of license for public hack;
Kole Oliver, for renewal of license for public hack;
Chas. R. Mcjean, for renewal of license for public hack;
Red Top Co. of Tacoma Inc., for renewal of license for 6 public hacks (6 applications filed)

- Hans R. Satre, for renewal of license for public hack;
W. E. Travis, for renewal of license for public hack;
Elias Baug, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
C. R. Bowlin, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
W. Howard Fisher, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Ralph Goodrich, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Herbert R. Gorrell, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Chas. R. Mcjean, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Morris Ormsby, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Fred J. Renstrom, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Earl A. Robinson, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Anthony E. Rogers, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Hans R. Satre, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
W. E. Travis, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Arthur F. Vetter, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Arthur H. Westenberg, for renewal of license for public hack driver.

The petition of Fred H. Williams, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 503- on Grant Road, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation.

Hicks-Bull Machine Co, et al, (Machine and welding shops whose work on automobiles does not exceed 10% of their business volume) requesting the City Council to amend Ordinance No. 10994-- garage ordinance-- to exclude machine and welding shops. Laid over for one week to April 8th, 1935.

Automotive Industries Assn., requesting that the ordinance providing for payment of automotive maintenance license be not changed and that a special effort be made to secure strict enforcement; and recommending that the City Council appoint a committee to completely overhaul the city's license system in order that all firms may pay their just proportion for the regulation of their respective businesses. Laid over for one week to April 8th, 1935.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, enclosing an advance copy of Chapter 111, Session Laws of 1935, with reference to Secondary Road Projects for Cities and Towns, for the temporary use of the members of the Council. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

1935; Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Water Division for month of February, Commissioner of Public Finance (City Treasurer) report for month of February, 1935, City Controller, annual report for the year 1934.

CLAIMS:

Geo. A. Shandrow and Flossie Shandrow, for \$2070.00, for personal injuries, doctor's services and damage to clothing on February 20, 1935, resulting when Flossie Shandrow stepped into an excavation hole left unmarked by the contractor and the City of Tacoma on Collins Road. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- G. R. Burkopile (7-18-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 801 Pacific Avenue; J. F. Koch (7-20-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 734 Pacific Avenue; Hansen and Larson (7-18-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1227 Pacific Avenue; S. Mori (7-18-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway; A. Kovak (3-18-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 3201 Portland Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Welfare to employ one additional nurse in the Clinic; declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication; and appropriating the sum of \$800.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the General Fund, for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Attest: Genevieve Sparten City Clerk

Ed. J. Smith President of City Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, April 3, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergeron, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, President. Absent 0.

The regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following matter:

PETITIONS:

John R. Thompson Camp No. 1, United Spanish War Veterans, requesting permission to hold a carnival on the City show grounds at 11th and L Streets from April 22nd to 27th inc., assuring the Council that they will take every precaution necessary to see that the entertainment furnished is clean wholesome. Mr. Callender reported that there was no complaint the last time a show was held on these grounds, and Mr. Nix, representing the committee stated that there would be no steam calliope, which was the principal objection to past shows. Moved by Mr. Callender that the petition be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergeron and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

- Peterson & Cooks, Inc., for renewal of license for 10 pool tables at 942 1/2 Pacific; Rousseau Recreation, for renewal of license for 5 pool tables at 945 Commerce Street; Ed Innocenti, for renewal of license for cabaret - Class 1 - entertainment and music only - at 1302 1/2 Broadway; Mrs. Madge Stegins, for closing out sale of stock of Stegins Apparel at 777 Broadway; Louis J. Paulson, for renewal of license for public hack driver; Sybill Schreyer, for license for public hack driver; Harold Wartenba, for license for public hack driver; David C. Winslow, for license for public hack driver.

G. E. Wood, for extension of electric light service to premises at Lots 1 to 5, Block 1, National City. Referred to Com'r of Public Utilities.

Gerald G. Dixon, State Representative 28th District, stating that there is in the House of Representatives in Washington D. C., hold in the Ways and Means Committee, H. R. 2827, The Workers, Unemployment, Old Age and Social Insurance Act, and requesting the Council to forward to our representatives in Washington a resolution asking that the bill be brought out of committee and acted upon. Laid over to April 8th, 1935.

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following:

A delegation from the 91st Division Assn., composed of Mr. Bear, President of the Association, Mr. McKay, Mr. Silvers, Mr. Coyle and Mr. Newman, members of a committee constructing a memorial at Fort Lewis, informed the Council that they are attempting to have a plaque put on the side of the memorial containing the names and organizations of those men who were killed in action. They have secured a grant of \$3,000.00 in labor from the WERA and have received a donation from the City of Seattle of 2,000 pounds of brass, they stated, and are now requesting the City of Tacoma to make an appropriation of \$250.00 for the architect's fees, in order to get the work done before July 4th. The Council informed them that there are no funds budgeted which could be used for this purpose, and the Committee stated that if the Council could assure the architect that funds would be available in 1936 it would be satisfactory. The committee was requested to submit a written statement to that effect and Council agreed to see what can be done about providing the amount requested.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to
COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

E. E. Patten, Des Moines, Wn., offering to act as a specialist to check on reported radio interference in the City of Tacoma and in addition service the short wave receivers in police cars; advising that he would also have available efficient public address equipment for use by the City schools and the Park Board; listing his qualifications and experience along this line of work, and stating that, if consideration is given this proposal, he would be glad to elaborate in person. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending March 30th, 1935 in amount of \$1,261,715.19. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, requesting the City Council to vacate the northernly 10 feet of South 20th Street, lying between the easterly and westerly lot lines (produced of the lots south of and parallel to Lot 12, Block 1919 as shown on the attached blue print, so that they can make certain improvements and erect a small control house adjacent to the J Street Standpipe at South 20th and J Streets in connection with the improvements to the Green River Water Supply line. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of the Westoma Co. (4-27-35) for renewal of license for Highland Golf Course at North 13th and Pearl Streets, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smiley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Wendel H. Kutting, for license for cabaret, Class 1--music and entertainment only-- at 1179 Commerce Street; (4-1-35)
- Tacoma Aerie #8, F. O. E. (4-1-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at 1305 Fawcett Avenue;
- A. MacKenzie (4-1-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 2401 Pacific Avenue;
- SUN DRUG CO., Inc., (4-1-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 2715 - 6th Avenue;
- Mrs. Theresa A. Dahlberg (4-1-35) for renewal of license for massage parlor at 401 Fidelity Building.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smiley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions for renewal of public hack driver's licenses: J. W. Baldwinson (12-31-34); Elias Baug (4-1-35); C. R. Bowlin (4-1-35); James I. Christian (2-27-35); W. Howard Fisher (1-1-35); Ralph Goodrich (4-1-35); Herbert R. Gorrell (4-1-35); Murel Lange (3-27-35); Chas. R. Mojean (4-1-35); Norris Ormsby (4-1-35); Fred J. Renstrom (4-1-35); Earl A. Robinson (4-1-35); Anthony E. Rogers (4-1-35); Hans R. Satre (4-1-35); Earl J. Shaw (1-14-35); W. E. Travis (4-1-35); Arthur T. Vetter (4-1-35); Arthur E. Westenberg (4-1-35) and Cloyde T. Winslow (3-4-35), and recommended that they be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety also reported back on the following applications for licenses for public hacks: J. W. Baldwinson (12-31-34); James I. Christian (2-27-35); S. E. MacDonald (7-11-35); Chas R. Mojean (4-1-35); Mojean and Winslow (3-4-35); Kolo Oliver (4-1-35); Kolo Oliver and Elias Baug (4-1-35); Red Top Co. of Tacoma, Inc. (4-1-35) for six public hacks; Hans R. Satre (4-1-35); Earl J. Shaw (1-14-35); & W. E. Travis (4-1-35), and submitted report of Examining Officer and recommended that they be granted. It was moved

by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of M. H. Eldred (3-20-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at South 66th and Custer Road, and recommended that this petition be denied on account of the cost to serve the petitioner being excessive and because they have no franchise serving that district. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and the premises connected to the City Lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

- Paul Geisler, et al (2-4-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Leonard's Crossing);
- School District No. 124 (3-25-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 812.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10440.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund of the City has been depleted and it is necessary, in order to pay the benefits therein provided, that a further loan be made from the General Fund for such purpose; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant on the General Fund in the sum of \$2,000.00, and that the proceeds thereof be transferred into the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund as a temporary loan for the purpose of paying current obligations, as the same accrue, under the Firemen's Relief and Pension System of the City of Tacoma.

Adopted on roll call April 3, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

BY DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, under date of March 4, 1935, Puget Sound Machinery Depot entered into a contract with the City of Tacoma to furnish work, labor and materials for the installation of steel pipe on the Green River Gravity System P. W. A. Project 1135, which contract and specifications covering same provided that no part of the work thereunder can be sublet except with the written consent of the City of Tacoma; and

THEREAS, said Puget Sound Machinery Depot desires and has contracted to sublet a portion of the work to be performed under said contract to Joe Coluccio, it appearing that said party is a competent and reliable contractor and capable of performing said sub-contract; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That consent be granted to the Puget Sound Machinery Depot to sub-let to Joe Coluccio a portion of said work to be performed under its contract with the City of Tacoma, as above referred to, which said sub-contract has already been executed as of March 7, 1935, in the form as approved by the Commissioner of Public Utilities and by the Corporation Council; and the Commissioner of Public Utilities is hereby authorized on behalf of the City of Tacoma to consent in writing to the letting of said sub-contract.

Adopted on roll call: April 3, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one 3 phase 105,000/11,000 volt transformer for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; appropriating the sum of \$8,500.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Welfare to employ one additional nurse in the Clinic; declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication; and appropriating the sum of \$800.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the General Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of third reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, April 8th, 1935.

E. A. Smiley
President of City Council

Attest: *Constance Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, April 8th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The petition of the Frank Sussman Steel Co., for renewal or license for 1st Class Junk Dealer at 2148 Pacific Avenue, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

- 216 Custie Flemish, for license for Cabaret, Class 2- dancing and entertainment - at 2225 South Tacoma Way;
- 217 M. L. Griggs, for license for drug store at 3519 McKinley Avenue;
- 218 McMillan Bros., Inc., for renewal of license for drug store at 955 Broadway;
- 219 Joseph Fisher, for renewal of license for public hack;
- 220 Joseph Fisher, for renewal of license for public hack;
- 221 Teedy L. Bryant, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
- 222 Joseph Fisher, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
- 223 The Anchor Inc., for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1352 Pacific Ave.
- 224 C. R. Burkepile, for renewal of license for one pool table at 801 Pacific Ave.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

- 225 C. G. Jespersen, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 5, Box 152;
- 226 Roy E. Perkins, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 194;
- 227 Frank Walls, for extension of electric light service to premises at McCormick Place on High Line to Lath Point.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Hever Sales & Engineering Co., suggesting that, in order to make the new street signs readable when the street lights are on, the top of the signs be inclined back about 15 degrees, thereby permitting the street light to light up the face of the sign. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

L. V. Morrow, State Director of Highways, submitting a blue print copy of a map on which has been indicated the streets that are designated as forming a part of the route of such primary roads as are within the corporate limits of the City of Tacoma, and calling attention to the fact that the maintenance of such streets becomes entirely an obligation of the City on and after April 1, 1935. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

San Diego Union, submitting an offer for advertising the attractions of the City of Tacoma through their Exposition Issue, at a rate of \$375.00 per page or \$195 for a half

page. Referred to the Mayor to take up with the Chamber of Commerce.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

- Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report of Light Division for year 1934;
- Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report of Light Division for month of December, 1934;
- Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report of Light Division for month of January, 1935.

CLAIMS:

Genevieve Johnson, for \$15.00 for damage to clothing resulting when she fell on a broken walk at 13th and Broadway on March 30th, 1935. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Ido Innocenti (4-3-35) for renewal of license for cabaret-class 1- entertainment and music only- at 1302-04 Broadway;
- Syrill Schreyer (4-3-35) for license for public hack driver;
- Harold Wartenbe (4-3-35) for license for public hack driver;
- Louis J. Paulson (4-3-35) for renewal of license for public hack driver.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

RESOLUTION No. 10442.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, heretofore the City of Tacoma, a defendant in the cases of Robert F. Eown, Sr. vs. City of Tacoma, et al, and Robert F. Eown, Sr., as guardian vs. City of Tacoma, et al, recovered judgments for costs in said cases; and

WHEREAS, the United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company, surety on the appeal bonds of said Robert F. Eown, has paid to the City of Tacoma the amount of said judgments with costs; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City of Tacoma be and they hereby are authorized to execute assignments of the judgments hereinbefore mentioned to the United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company.

Adopted on roll call April 8, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11161.

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Welfare to employ one additional nurse in the Clinic; declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication; and appropriating the sum of \$800.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the General Fund, for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The petition of Gerald G. Dixon, State Representative 26th District, (4-3-35) request- ing the Council to forward to our representative in Washington a resolution asking that E. R. 2827, the Workers, Unemployment, Old Age and Social Insurance Act, be brought out of committee and acted upon, was brought up for further consideration at this time. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Clerk be directed to write to our representative for a copy of the bill. Motion seconded by Mr. Smiley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The petition of Hicks Bull Machine Co., et al (4-1-35) requesting the City Council to amend Ordinance No. 10994-- garage ordinance-- to exclude machine and welding shops, and the petition of Automotive Industries Assn (4-1-35) requesting that the ordinance providing for pa- yment of automotive maintenance be not changed and that a special effort be made to secure strict enforcement, which were laid over to this date, were brought up for further considera-

tion. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Garage Ordinance be referred to the Corporation Counsel for an interpretation as to what is covered by the license. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Sweeney
President of City Council.

Attest: *Reverend Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, April 10th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett. Absent 1; Mr. President. In the absence of the President, Mr. Davisson, Vice-President of the City Council presided.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

M.

Richard Goodwin, fireman

R.

J. Anderson, chief engineer
C. R. Bondheimer, donkey engineer
Mr. Douglas, Jr., fireman
John Durica, asst. engineer
David S. Duthie, fireman
Newton E. Edwards, asst. engineer

E. L. Erickson, fireman
H. E. Guest, asst engineer
Bernard Hamill, fireman
D. H. Hoskins, donkey engineer
J. R. McConnell, asst. engineer
R. J. McIntosh, chief engineer
T. H. McMakin, asst. engineer
R. A. McWhirter, engineer
Geo. Raborn, asst. engineer
Wm. J. Smith, asst. engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Mr. President.

Wild West Post No. 91, Veterans of Foreign Wars, requesting permission to hold their Annual Buddy Poppy selling drive on May 24th and 25th, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the permission be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Mr. President.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

John M. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's authorization and approval, vouchers and duplicate vouchers No. 182, 183 and 184, covering inter-fund transfers for March, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the transfers be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Mr. President.

CLAIMS:

Frederick M. Howe, for \$275.00, for damage to his 1929 Hupmobile Eight Sedan automobile, arising from its being struck by a street car of the Municipal Belt Line. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Way: Custie Flemish (4-8-35) for license for cabaret Class 2- dancing- at 5225 South Tacoma Way;
M. L. Griggs (4-8-35) for license for drug store at 3519 McKinley Avenue;
McMillan BPOs, Inc (4-7-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 655 Broadway;
The Anchor Inc (4-8-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1352 Pacific Avenue;
C. R. Burkepile (4-8-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 801 Pacific Avenue;
Joseph Fisher (4-8-35) for renewal of license for public hack;
Joseph Fisher (4-8-35) for renewal of license for public hack;
Teddy L. Bryant (4-8-35) for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Joseph Fisher (4-8-35) for renewal of license for public hack driver.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1. Mr. President.

The Commissioner of Public Safety also reported back on the petition of David C. Winslow (4-3-35) for license for public hack driver, and submitted favorable report of examining officer and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Mr. President.

The Commissioner of Public Safety also reported back on the communication of E. E. Patten (4-2-35) offering to act as a specialist to check on reported radio interference in Tacoma and to service the short wave receivers in police cars, and advised that radio interference work is handled by Mr. Evans of the Public Utilities Department; that the radio equipment of police cars is serviced by Mr. Pickens, radio engineer in his department, and no additional help is needed at this time; and that he does not believe the City of Tacoma has any use for the public address system but he suggest that Mr. Patten contact the Chamber of Commerce and Civic Clubs informing them of this equipment. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Clerk be instructed to write a letter to Mr. Patten along the line suggested in his report. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Mr. President.

The Commissioner of Public Works reported back on the communication of Commissioner of Public Utilities (4-3-35) requesting the City Council to vacate the northerly 10 feet of South 20th Street, adjacent to the J Street Standpipe, and recommended that this strip of land be vacated providing the Department of Public Works is paid the amount of \$42.50 for making the necessary changes in maps, charts and records. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Mr. President.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the execution and delivery of an agreement between the City of Tacoma and the Port of Tacoma for the operation and maintenance of street lights upon Port Property; and fixing the terms and conditions of said agreement. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one 3 phase 105,000/11,000 volt transformer for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; appropriating the sum of \$8,500.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11162.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one 3 phase 105,000/11,000 volt transformer for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; appropriating the sum of \$8,500.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett. Nays 0. Absent 1; Mr. President.

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NEXT BUSINESS:

Mr. Ernest Wallace and two other men were present and asked the Council to explain why the City was getting men from the Shelters to do work on the streets during "Cleanup Week" paying them at the rate of \$1.00 per week when men with families have no work. Commissioner Bergersen explained that all the arrangements for "Cleanup Week" were made by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the City is furnishing the trucks and drivers only. All other men are employed by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, April 15th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Eva S. Davison
Vice President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

APR 15 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, April 15th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

227 P E. Nelson, for license for one pool table at 114 Fuyallup Avenue;
227 H ARTHUR Kite, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
227 H Harold Nelson, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
227 H Russell McKinney, for license for public hack driver.

223 H The petition of Mrs. Eva Kalista, for renewal of license for rooming house at 2022 North 70th Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

227 L Box 356; James Rafter, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 6,
227 L 311; D. Spencer, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box
227 L Box 474; Mrs. M. F. Swen, for extension of electric light services to premises at Route 4
light at South 15th and Rosmer, as boys break the globes.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending April 6th, 1935 in amount of \$1,294,385.70;
City Controller, report for month of March, 1935;
Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, report for month of March, 1935.

City Planning Commission, requesting the Council to refer to them for study purposes maps and drawings which constitute the "Bogue Plan" which was prepared for the City of Tacoma by Virgil G. Bogue about the year 1909 or 1910 and which is believed to be in the vault of the Public Works Department. Council directed that the Commission be requested to take this matter up with the Commissioner of Public Works.

227 C Bartlett Rummel, Assistant Corporation Counsel, advising, in response to Council's request of April 8th, that it is their opinion that it was not the intention of the garage ordinance to include those machine shops and welding shops which do only referred work for regular garages and which do not hold themselves out as doing automobile work for the general public, but that should a machine or welding shop take in automobile repair work from the general public, it is their opinion that such shops must have a license. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

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Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting request of the Birchfield Boiler Co. for extension of time on their contract for furnishing and installing steel pipe on Green River Gravity Pipe Line, Federal Docket 1125, from April 15th to May 1st, accompanied by consent of the surety company to the extension; and recommending that the request be granted subject to consent of E. R. Hoffman, State Engineer for P.W.A. It was moved by Mr. Davison that the recommendation be concurred in and the time for completion of the contract fixed at May 1st. Seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Broadway Bowling Co. (2-6-35) for renewal of license for 6 bowling alleys at 739 1/2 Broadway;
Peterson and Cooks Inc. (4-3-35) for renewal of license for 10 pool tables at 942 1/2 Pacific Avenue;
Rousseau Recreation (4-3-35) for renewal of license for 5 pool tables at 645 Commerce Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender that the petitions be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Tacoma School District No. 10 (2-27-35) for renewal of license for Boys' Swimming Pool at Stadium High School;
Tacoma School District No. 10 (2-27-35) for renewal of license for Girls' Swimming Pool at Stadium High School;
Tacoma School District No. 10 (2-27-35) for renewal of license for Boys' Swimming Pool at Lincoln High School;
Tacoma School District No. 10 (2-27-35) for renewal of license for Girls' Swimming pool at Lincoln High School;

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions recommending that they be granted:

Lyle Ashton (2-20-35) for renewal of license for Brant Hotel at 755 1/2 St Helens Avenue;
Earl Donahue (2-27-35) for renewal of license for Lincolnshire Hotel at 903 Pacific Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of C. G. Jesserson (4-6-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 5, Box 852, and advised that the cost to serve this party with electric service is such that it is not advisable for the City to undertake this service, and recommended that the petition be denied and the City Clerk so notify the petitioner. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of G. E. Wood (4-3-35) for extension of electric light services to premises at Lots 1 to 5, Block 14, National City, and recommended that the petition be granted and the premises connected to the City Lines upon payment of an outside connection fee in amount of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

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Eva A. Davison
Vice President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

APR 5 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, April 15th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

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- 227 E. Spencer, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 311;
- 227 Mrs. M. F. Swam, for extension of electric light services to premises at Route 4, Box 474;
- 227 Chas. Vercillo, et al, requesting the City to put wire screen over the pole light at South 15th and Hosmer, at boys break the globes.

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REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Broadway Bowling Co. (3-6-35) for renewal of license for 6 bowling alleys at 739 Broadway;
- Peterson and Cooks Inc. (4-3-35) for renewal of license for 10 pool tables at 922 Pacific Avenue;
- Rousseau Recreation (4-3-35) for renewal of license for 5 pool tables at 645 Commerce Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender that the petitions be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Tacoma School District No. 10 (3-27-35) for renewal of license for Boys' Swimming Pool at Stadium High School;
- Tacoma School District No. 10 (3-27-35) for renewal of license for Girls' Swimming Pool at Stadium High School;
- Tacoma School District No. 10 (3-27-35) for renewal of license for Boys' Swimming Pool at Lincoln High School;
- Tacoma School District No. 10 (3-27-35) for renewal of license for Girls' Swimming pool at Lincoln High School;

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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- Earl Donahue (3-27-35) for renewal of license for Lincolnshire Hotel at 903 Pacific Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of C. C. Jeunperron (4-3-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 5, Box 852, and advised that the cost to serve this party with electric service is such that it is not advisable for the City to undertake this service, and recommended that the petition be denied and the City Clerk so notify the petitioner. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of G. E. Wood (4-3-35) for extension of electric light services to premises at Lots 1 to 5, Block 14, National City, and recommended that the petition be granted and the premises connected to the City Lines upon payment of an outside connection fee in amount of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

APR 15 1935

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$530.00, from the Light Fund, for the purpose of acquiring certain property for a water supply system at LaGrande. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of assorted sizes of solid and stranded waterproof copper wire; and appropriating the sum of \$8,500.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley submitted a communication from Capt. N. H. Goss of the U. S. Navy, asking information as to facilities available to the U. S. Fleet during its visit to Tacoma this summer, and suggested that the City provide the same facilities as formerly, namely, stores landings for ships' boats and liberty party landings. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the City take care of these two items. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner Callender reported that the Spanish American War Veterans, who were granted permission to hold a carnival at South 11th and L Streets, wish to change the date to week from May 3th to 13th, and the location to South Tacoma on the grounds adjoining the furniture factory. Moved by Mr. Callender that the Council grant permission for the carnival as requested. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Mr. Callender asked whether it is the desire of the Council that his department continue the ambulance service as it has been doing, saying that they give much free service of this kind which costs a considerable amount of money. One of the companies which operates an ambulance here wants to try out answering all calls for a couple of weeks, without cost to the City, charging people who are able to pay, he stated. The proposition of the company was discussed, but Council was of the opinion that the City should not discontinue this service and Mr. Callender was requested to reject the offer.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

G. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

APR 17 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, April 17th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Fred T. Wheeler, for renewal of license to peddle sandwiches, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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Carl Samson, for renewal of license for Vasa Hotel at 1770 1/2 Pacific Avenue.

The petition of Frank Betchard, et al, for improvement of A Street between South 46th and South 48th Streets by grading and installation of sidewalks, was submitted together with report of the Engineer that it represents 56.14% of the area and 67.21% of the frontage, and recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the petition be granted with the understanding that it go to a hearing. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

91st Division Association of Washington, requesting the City of Tacoma to appropriate \$250.00 to complete the work on the bronze plaque on the 91st Division Memorial at Fort Lewis, and suggesting that should there be no means of furnishing this money now, provisions for the amount be made in the budget for 1936. Referred to Commissioner Bergersen to see if some means of raising the money can be worked out.

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The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

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Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of March, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Light Division for month of February, 1935.

CLAIMS:

Erick Agner Lofgren, for \$2500.00, for personal injuries and damage to automobile on February 16th, 1934 at East 36th and E Streets, when his car slid into the gulch due to the ground giving away as he was trying to turn his car around when he discovered that East 36th Street is not open to traffic west of East E Street, there being no barrier or danger signal at this point. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Mrs. Eva Kalista (4-15-35) for renewal of license for rooming house at 2022 North 70th Street, recommending it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Mrs. Eva Kalista (4-15-35) for renewal of license for rooming house at 2022 North 30th Street, recommending it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, submitting approval of the License Inspector and statement of the Mayor that they are not approved by his department:

A. Michela (1-2-35) for renewal of license for Ewen Hotel at 1537 1/2 Broadway;
Carrie Miller (1-7-35) for license for Torino Hotel at 1520 1/2 Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the petition be denied. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and petitioners' premises be connected to the City line upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring in the houses by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

Neal E. Thorsen, et al (2-27-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 1 (Canyon Road-South of pavement);
Frank Walls (1-2-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at McCormick Place on Highline to Dash Point.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10447.

By DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma, Department of Public Utilities, has made application to the Board of Commissioners of King County for a franchise for a certain transmission and distributing line for electric energy, which said application was heard on the 25th day of March, 1935, and said franchise application was granted and Franchise No. 149 issued pursuant thereto; and

WHEREAS, on the 15th day of April, 1935, a resolution was passed by said Board of County Commissioners pursuant to a further petition on the part of the City of Tacoma, the same being Resolution No. 5527, which was resolution amended said franchise by striking therefrom Section 10 and Section 14 and added a proviso; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That said Franchise No. 149 be and the same is hereby accepted by the City of Tacoma, as amended by said Resolution No. 5527, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Board of County Commissioners of King County, Washington.

Adopted on roll call April 17, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTION No. 10444

By THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund of the City has been depleted and it is necessary, in order to pay the benefits therein provided, that a further loan be made from the General Fund for such purposes; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant on the General Fund in the sum of \$1600.00, and that the proceeds thereof be transferred into the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund as a temporary loan for the purpose of paying current obligations, as the same accrue, under the Firemen's Relief and Pension System of the City of Tacoma.

Adopted on roll call April 17, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10445.

By DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, the owner of all of the property abutting upon the following portion of South 20th Street:

The northerly ten (10) feet of South 20th Street, lying between the easterly and westerly lot lines (produced) of the lots in Block 1919, New Tacoma, and south of Lot 12, Block 1919, New Tacoma.

did, on the 1st day of April, 1935, petition for the vacation of said strip of land; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

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That Wednesday, the 8th day of May, 1935, at ten o'clock A. M. is hereby fixed as the time, and the Council chamber in the City Hall in the City of Tacoma as the place, when and where said petition will be heard and determined.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Clerk give proper notice of the time and place of said hearing.

Adopted on roll call April 17, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the execution and delivery of an agreement between the City of Tacoma and the Port of Tacoma for the operation and maintenance of street lights upon Port property; and fixing the terms and conditions of said agreement. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$530.00, from the Light Fund, for the purpose of acquiring certain property for a water supply system at Lagrande. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of assorted sizes of solid and stranded weatherproof copper wire; and appropriating the sum of \$8500.00, from the Light Fund, for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11163.

Authorizing the execution and delivery of an agreement between the City of Tacoma and the Port of Tacoma for the operation and maintenance of street lights upon Port property; and fixing the terms and conditions of said agreement. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11164.

Appropriating the sum of \$530.00, from the Light Fund, for the purpose of acquiring certain property for a water supply system at Lagrande. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

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Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of assorted sizes of solid and stranded weatherproof copper wire; and appropriating the sum of \$8500.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Callender presented petition signed by 1,000 people, requesting the City Council to rescind the ordinance requiring parking parallel with the curb on South Tacoma Way and restore diagonal parking, and reminded the Council that the State Highway Department asked the City to do something to relieve traffic congestion out there before they re-sur-face the street. Before taking any action on the petition, he moved that the Clerk be instructed to write a letter to the Highway Department, --- quoting this petition, telling them there are 1,000 signers, informing them that the street car tracks have been eliminated there and also calling attention to the fact that in other towns where state highways go through diagonal parking is permitted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, April 22, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Ed. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Monday, April 22, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

Al. G. Barnes Circus, making application for a license for a circus on the O. W. Show Grounds on May 31, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the license be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Joe Buchner, for renewal of license for pawnbroker at 1145 Commerce Street; Joe Manarifo and Jim Aquino, for license to peddle fruit and vegetables.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The petition of the Slavonian-American Benevolent Assn., for renewal of license for public dance hall at 2506 1/2 North 30th Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of I. Kabayashi, for renewal of license for Central Hotel at 1211 1/2 Pacific Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Victor E. Anderson, for extension of electric light services to premises at 84th Alaska Streets; Mildred E. Howard, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 6, Box 388.

Warren Perry, Librarian, College of Puget Sound, asking the City Council to present the College Library with a copy of the Compiled Ordinances of the City of Tacoma for reference use. Moved by Mr. Fawcett to grant the request. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Association of Washington Cities, inviting the officials of Tacoma to attend and participate in the 1935 annual convention of Washington Cities and towns to be held at Centralia on Thursday and Friday, May 9th and 10th and enclosing a return postcard, which it is requested be filled out and returned to the Association office as soon as possible, indicating the number of delegates from Tacoma who plan to attend. Commissioner Bergersen and Mayor Smitley were delegated to represent the City of Tacoma.

Town of Fircrest, suggesting that South 12th Street and Orchard Street (the most direct route to Fircrest, etc.) be designated as secondary highways in order that they could be improved under the Motor Vehicle Fund; and that the half of South 19th Street in Tacoma be improved at certain places specifically mentioned herein to make it safer for motor traffic. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

Homer King, Inc. suggesting that the ordinance covering sale of distressed merchandise be changed so it will not interfere with the regular conduct of legitimate business. Placed on file.

G. B. Pillsbury, Brigadier General, War Department, stating that the Department is unable to further extend the time for altering the East 11th Street Bridge over Hylebos Waterway to June 7, 1936, as requested by the City Council in the resolution adopted March 11, 1935, and counselling the City to proceed with compliance with the order of alteration prior to the expiration of the time fixed. Laid over until Wednesday, April 24th.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Municipal Belt Line Division for month of March, 1935. Placed on file.

City Planning Commission, submitting a resolution passed by their commission on April 17, 1935, urging that immediate ways and means be provided by the Governmental agencies to allocate the necessary funds for the control of flood waters of the Puyallup River. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Corporation Council be instructed to draw up a similar resolution. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent O.

CLAIMS:

The following claims were referred to the Corporation Council for investigation and report:

Geo. W. Piper, for \$8.00, for damage to his 1934 Chrysler Sedan on March 31, 1935 at the intersection of 13th and Commerce Streets, when Light Department Truck No. 241 was backed out from the curb and smashed into his fender;

Geo. A. Shandrow and Flossie Shandrow, amended claim for \$7,500.00 for personal injuries, doctor's services and damage to clothing on February 20, 1935, resulting when Flossie Shandrow stepped into an excavation hole left unmarked by the contractor and the City of Tacoma on Collins Road.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Wm. C. Euhre (4-17-35) for license for public hack driver;
- Russell McKinney (4-15-35) for license for public hack driver;
- Arthur Kite (4-15-35) for renewal of license for public hack driver;
- Harold Nelson (4-15-35) for renewal of license for public hack driver;
- H. Nelson (4-15-35) for license for one pool table at 114 Puyallup Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and the premises connected to the City Lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

- S. A. Munsey, et al (2-20-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 5, Puyallup on Canyon Road between South 72nd and 80th Streets;
- James Rafter (4-15-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 7, Box 758;
- Julius L. Schelin (4-27-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 1, Box 556;
- D. Spencer (4-15-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 311;
- Mrs. N. F. Swam (4-15-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 2, Box 474.

It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to install an emergency power line at the Hood Street Pump Station; authorizing said work to be done by force account or day labor; declaring said installation to be for the benefit of the Water Division and appropriating the sum of \$2000.00 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

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The following ordinance was submitted together with the signed request of the Mayor and four Councilmen that it be given final consideration on the date of its introduction:

"Providing for and authorizing the issuance of General Fund warrants for the purpose of paying current running expenses to an amount not exceeding 80 per cent of the uncollected revenues anticipated in the budget adopted for the fiscal year 1935; discontinuing the issuance of warrants under Ordinances Nos. 10931, 10967 and 11142; and declaring an emergency." Read by title and passed to second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

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THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11195.

Providing for and authorizing the issuance of General Fund warrants for the purpose of paying current running expenses to an amount not exceeding 80 per cent of the uncollected revenues anticipated in the budget adopted for the fiscal year 1935; discontinuing the issuance of warrants under Ordinances Nos. 10931, 10967 and 11142; and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Request was made by the City Clerk for a leave of absence for one month beginning May 6th. It was moved by Mr. Davison that the request for leave be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

A meeting of Committee of the Whole was called at 9:00 A. M. Tuesday, April 23rd, upon request of Commissioner Davison.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, April 24th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following application for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

R.	Thos Martoya, fireman
W. G. Abernethy, donkey engineer	Adolph E. Miller, fireman
I. Anderson, engineer	Emil Ritz, fireman
Albert Christkautz, crane engineer	L. A. Presler, fireman
Alex L. Clark, asst. engineer	P. E. Sande, fireman
D. Danielson, fireman	Paul Scott, fireman
Wm. C. Gordon, asst. engineer	

Mike Yotsko, asst. engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of M. P. Shan, for license to peddle sandwiches, coffee, etc. was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

H. R. Finley, for license for massage parlor and bath house at 1007 "A" Street;
Bruno Domenickini, for renewal of license for cabaret- Class 2- Dancing at
1312 1/2 Broadway;
Palo Bros. for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 707 South 38th Street;
Arturo Semi, for license for 1 pool table at 1521 Broadway.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Minnie Hanson, for renewal of license for rooming house at 1314 South 14th St.;
Katherine Sounish, for license for Argo Hotel at 1127 1/2 Broadway.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

H. Enzo Loop, Superintendent of Shelton Public Schools, stating that Raymond Dillon, a student attending their junior High and living at MacStewart's Resort just above the City's upper dam, has informed him that Tacoma's school bus, running from the dam down to Hoodspoint, refuses to transport him, and asking that the matter be investigated as the boy must be in school and other steps will necessarily have to be taken if Tacoma will not take care of him. Commissioner Davison stated that the Department is bonded to carry children of employes from the Cushman Plant to school and he is not certain whether the bond would cover this particular boy. The matter was referred to the Corporation Counsel for advice as to whether or not it is within the Department's right to transport this boy.

L. V. Kurrow, State Director of Highways, advising, in reply to Council's letter of April 18th relative to diagonal parking on South Tacoma Way, that he can see quite serious and well founded objections to diagonal parking and feels that the Council should weigh carefully every consideration before taking any action that would result in going back to the method of diagonal parking which has lately been abandoned, and stating that he shall be

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SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

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THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11163.

Providing for and authorizing the issuance of General Fund warrants for the purpose of paying current running expenses to an amount not exceeding 80 per cent of the uncollected revenues anticipated in the budget adopted for the fiscal year 1935; discontinuing the issuance of warrants under Ordinances Nos. 10931, 10937 and 11142; and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Request was made by the City Clerk for a leave of absence for one month beginning May 6th. It was moved by Mr. Davison that the request for leave be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

A meeting of Committee of the Whole was called at 9:00 A. M. Tuesday, April 23rd, upon request of Commissioner Davison.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *George W. Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, April 24th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following application for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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W. G. Abernethy, donkey engineer	Thos Martoya, fireman
I. Anderson, engineer	Adolph E. Miller, fireman
Albert Christkautz, crane engineer	Earl Ritz, fireman
Alex L. Clark, asst. engineer	L. A. Preiler, fireman
D. Danielson, fireman	R. E. Sande, fireman
Wm. O. Gordon, asst. engineer	Paul Scott, fireman

Mike Yotsko, asst. engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners.

Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of K. P. Shea, for license to peddle sandwiches, coffee, etc. was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

E. R. Finley, for license for massage parlor and bath house at 1007 "A" Street;
Bruno Domenickini, for renewal of license for cabaret- Glass 2- Dancing at 1012 1/2 Broadway;
Palo Bros. for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 707 South 38th Street;
Arturo Somi, for license for 1 pool table at 1521 Broadway.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Minnie Hanson, for renewal of license for rooming house at 1314 South 14th St.
Marguerite Sounish, for license for Argo Hotel at 1127 1/2 Broadway.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

H. Enzo Loop, Superintendent of Shelton Public Schools, stating that Raymond Lilor, a student attending their Junior High and living at MacStewart's Resort just above the City's upper dam, has informed him that Tacoma's school bus, running from the dam down to Hoodspoint, refuses to transport him, and asking that the matter be investigated as the boy must be in school and other steps will necessarily have to be taken if Tacoma will not take care of him. Commissioner Davison stated that the Department is bonded to carry children of employes from the Cushman Plant to school and he is not certain whether the bond would cover this particular boy. The matter was referred to the Corporation Counsel for advice as to whether or not it is within the Department's right to transport this boy.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising, in reply to Council's letter of April 13th relative to diagonal parking on South Tacoma Way, that he can see quite serious and well founded objections to diagonal parking and feels that the Council should weigh carefully every consideration before taking any action that would result in going back to the method of diagonal parking which has lately been abandoned, and stating that he shall be

very glad to discuss this matter with the Council at the first convenient opportunity. Commissioner Bergersen was directed to take this up with the State Director of Highways.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending April 20, 1935, in amount of \$1,505,433.32. Placed on file.

Committee of the Whole, submitting report of meeting held on April 23, 1935 for discussion of damage case involving death of two persons along City's power line last October; question of refinancing outstanding light and water bonds at a lower rate of interest; and order of War Department to remove or replace Hylebos Bridge on East 11th Street. It was moved by Mr. Davison that the report be approved. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting, for information of Council, opinion of the Corporation Counsel that the City may not legally issue refunding bonds for purpose of refunding any of its serially numbered revenue bonds now outstanding and thereby take advantage of the provisions of Chapter 81, Laws of 1935, until on or after the maturity dates of the outstanding bonds, unless the outstanding bonds are subject to call or redemption prior to maturity. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that the Light Division has a Buick touring car, City No. 184 and a Reo Sedan, City No. 210, that are badly in need of repairs, and, since it will be more economical to replace than to repair them, recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to replace these cars with Chevrolets or Fords or similarly priced cars, at a minimum turn-in value of \$150.00 on the Reo and \$100 on the Buick, balance to be paid from the Light Fund. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The following petitions were reported back by the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare without recommendation:

Mrs. Ida Kline (12-11-34) for renewal of license for Camp Hotel at 1205 1/2 Pacific
HATTIE PETERSON (12-12-34) for renewal of license for hotel at 1339 Market St.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the petitions be denied. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of the Slavonian American Benevolent Association (4-22-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at 2106 1/2 North 30th Street, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the claim of Geo. W. Fitch for \$8.00 for damage to his 1934 Chrysler Sedan on March 31, 1935 at the intersection of 13th and Commerce Streets, when Light Department Truck No. 241 was backed out from the curb and smashed into his fender, and recommended that it be allowed and that he be notified by this department. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution by the Council, directing the Commissioner of Public Works to prepare an estimate of the cost of removing the East Eleventh Street Bridge over Hylebos Waterway and to proceed with due speed to remove said bridge by June 7, 1935 in compliance with

order of the War Department, was read in full and remarks called for. Mr. W. D. Edgerton requested that action on the resolution be deferred for a week or ten days as the people living east of the tideflats wish to see if they cannot get someone to build a toll bridge there that will comply with specifications, or to work out the problem in some other way. Council granted the request and laid the matter over until Monday, May 6, 1935.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to install an emergency power line at the Hood Street Pump Station; authorizing said work to be done by force account or day labor; declaring said installation to be for the benefit of the Water Division; and appropriating the sum of \$2,000.00 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11167.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to install an emergency power line at the Hood Street Pump Station; authorizing said work to be done by force account or day labor; declaring said installation to be for the benefit of the Water Division; and appropriating the sum of \$2,000.00 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

A committee representing the Pierce County Federation for Unemployment and Social Insurance, submitted a petition requesting Council for immediate, formal endorsement of the Workers Unemployment & Social Insurance Bill, known in Congress as the "Lundeen Bill" or H. R. 2227, a copy of which is attached; and urging the Council to write each of the Washington representatives in the House and Senate, insisting that they immediately begin fighting for passage of this bill at this session of Congress. Laid over to Monday, April 29th.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, April 29th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Lawrence Martin*
City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Monday, April 29th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent C.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Thos. Bearn, for renewal of license to peddle wood;
Geo. Kostakis, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of S. Nakao, for renewal of license for Union Hotel at 1354 1/2 Market Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of S. Mori, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Mac Furseth, for extension of electric light service to premises near water tank for Brown Point;
C. G. Hanser, for extension of electric light service to premises in NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 Section 16, Twp. 19, R. 4;
Tom Hayes, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 5, Box 257;
Mrs. Annie Anderson, et al, for installation of street lights at South 16th and Proctor Streets and in front of 1334 South Madison Street.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Firecrest Golf Club Inc., endorsing the petition of the Town of Firecrest for the improvement of South 12th Street and Orchard Street for the purpose of opening up a satisfactory short route to Firecrest, and requesting that these two streets be designated as secondary highways for the purpose of securing funds for their improvement from the Motor Vehicle Fund. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

L. V. Morrow, State Director of Highways, advising that the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads is recommending that State Road #1, South Tacoma Way in City Limits, be approved and enclosing a resolution form, covering agreement as to maintenance, etc., which it is requested be adopted by the City Council to supersede Resolution No. 10326, adopted on November 6, 1933. Referred to Corporation Counsel for approval of the Resolution.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

Civil Service Commission, report for year 1934;
Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Water Division for month of March, 1935.

Mayor Smitley, requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to dispose of one Plymouth car owned by the Garbage Department and one 1929 Ford Coupe belonging to the Health Department, as part payment on two new cars. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that the Department of Public Utilities - Water Division, has approximately 320 tons of junked steel pipe bands which have been reclaimed from the recent replacement on the Gravity Pipe Line, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell the same to the best advantage possible at a minimum

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price of \$4.00 per ton at the places mentioned in this letter, credit to be passed to the Water Fund. Moved by Mr. Davison that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell these bands to the best possible advantage. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Works, advising that the Public Works Department has an old air compressor which has been of no use for some time and which the Department wishes to sell and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be given permission to sell or trade in this equipment for a sum not less than \$250.00. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to so authorize the Purchasing Agent. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Bruno Domenickini, (4-24-35) for renewal of license for cabaret-Class 2- dancing at 1012 1/2 Broadway;
H. R. Finley (4-24-35) for license for massage parlor and bath house at 1007 "A" Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

I. Kabayashi (4-22-35) for renewal of license for Central Hotel at 1211 1/2 Pacific Ave.;
G. Kubo (4-23-34) for renewal of license for Palmer Apartments at 108 1/2 So. 14th St.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of S. F. McAnally (4-20-35) submitting request of the Free Methodist Church for extension of water main along South Sprague Street from South 6th to 72nd Street, and advised that before this extension can be provided, it will be necessary for the City Engineer to make a survey of the district and establish the grades of the street; that if the water mains are extended as requested, it will be necessary to have a 12 inch main approximately one-half of which would be assessed against the property and the balance borne by the Water Division, which roughly would amount to \$2,552.35 to be paid by the property; that it will be necessary for the owners of the abutting property to sign a petition requesting the improvement and signify their willingness to pay the assessment; and recommending that the City Clerk mail the enclosed tracing and a blank petition to the petitioners, and advise them what is necessary to secure the extension. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating sum of \$320.85 from the General Fund for purpose of satisfying the judgment in the case of Emily Woods vs. City of Tacoma, Cause No. 74060; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$100.00 from the Water Fund for purpose of compromising and settling the claim of E. J. Martin and Jeane G. Martin against the City of Tacoma for personal injuries to said Jeane G. Martin; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The resolution introduced April 24th, petitioning the proper governmental agencies to allocate funds for control of the flood waters of the Puyallup River, was brought up for discussion. Commissioner Davison reported that his engineers had been unable to ascertain whether the plan to be submitted contains any provision for moving the City's pipe lines and power line crossing the river, and unless he knows what is contemplated with regard to such necessary changes, he cannot support the resolution. Commissioner Bergersen suggested that

a conference be held with Mr. Frank Walsh, Chamber of Commerce Engineer, Mr. C. E. Putnam, WSPA District Engineer, and representatives of the railroad companies which will be affected by the project, to determine, if possible, just what is covered by the plan to be submitted with the petition to the governmental agencies. This suggestion was adopted and the Clerk directed to invite those mentioned to a meeting in the Council Chamber at 10 A. M. next Thursday for a discussion of the matter. The Commissioner of Public Works and the Commissioner of Public Utilities were requested to have ready for the meeting an outline of the problems with which they will be confronted if the project goes through.

The petition of the Pierce County Federation for Unemployment and Social Insurance, (A-24-25) requesting Council for immediate, formal endorsement of the Workers Unemployment and Social Insurance Bill, known in Congress as the "Lundeen Bill" or H. R. 2227, was brought up for further consideration at this time. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Council endorse this bill. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0. Petitioners who were present requested the Council to memorialize Congress and to send a copy of the memorial to W. H. Holloway, 1525 South Tacoma Avenue. Council granted the request and directed that a resolution be drafted by the Corporation Counsel containing such a memorial.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

J. A. Sundry
President of City Council

Attest: *J. J. Martin*
City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, May 1, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following matters:

The petition of J. E. Hadley, operator of Park Hotel at Cth and A Streets, requesting the City Council by special ordinance to grant him the privilege of retaining his hotel sign extending over the sidewalk, which may be read by those on either "A" Street of South 8th Street, and giving as reasons for this request that he depends to a large extent on transient business which would not be attracted to that end of the street unless the sign were there, and that without this transient business it would be difficult if not impossible to operate his hotel successfully-- was presented for consideration of the Council. Mr. Gershom C. Rowland, representing Mr. Hadley, urged the Council to allow the sign to remain, emphasizing the fact that such a privilege had been given the Olympus Hotel, his nearest competitor, or, if this request is not granted, that an extension of time be given for the removal or alteration of the sign. Mr. Fred Brecken, representing the Downtown Association, opposed the granting of any special privilege, saying that 173 of the 186 signs affected by the ordinance have been removed, and that, since the cost of changing the location of the sign would be a very small amount, an extension of time should not be necessary. The Council decided that no special concession should be made, inasmuch as the time for removal of these signs has been ex-

tended twice previously, and denied the petition. The Commissioner of Public Works was also instructed to notify the Olympus Hotel to remove its sign which is not in conformity with the ordinance not later than May 13th.

Mr. E. J. Fitzharris, representing the South Tacoma Business and Professional Men's Association, asked consideration at this time of their petition, advising that their organization is planning on holding a Jubilee Sale on May 17th and 18th, celebrating the re-paving and re-opening of South Tacoma Way from South 54th Street to South 74th Street; requesting permission to hang a large cloth banner across the street from 5419 to 5420 South Tacoma Way to advertise this Jubilee Sale and also requesting permission to hold a parade on Thursday, afternoon, May 16th, at 3 P. M. along the line of march described herein. Commissioner Bergersen informed him that the Council does not have authority to grant the request for permission to hang the banner across the street and that part of the petition will necessarily be denied. The request for permission to hold a parade was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety with power to act.

Mr. Arthur Rowe, on behalf of the Hylebos Bridge Association, requested the City Council to wire the War Department asking for a public hearing before the City goes forward with plans to remove the bridge, saying that the removal of the Hylebos Bridge will work a considerable hardship on some 3,000 residents of Brown's Point, Dash Point, Caledonia Beach, Northeast Tacoma, etc., and before any further action is taken by the City, the War Department should know all the facts in connection with the matter. The Council suggested that the Association contact the War Department directly, since the City's request for an extension of time for removal or replacement of the bridge has already been denied, and asked that the Association defer consideration of this matter until the resolution is again brought up for action. As Mayor Smitley will be absent from the City on May 6th, action on the resolution was postponed until Wednesday, May 8th, and the clerk directed to notify all parties interested that this meeting has been postponed.

A committee of the unemployed Council called attention to a case where the Water Department has cut off water service at the home of a man who has failed to pay his water bills, and demanded that something be done to prevent the cutting off of water where people are unable to pay for the service. The case was referred to Commissioner Davison for investigation and adjustment.

Mr. L. H. Eurnett extended an invitation to the Council to participate in the dedication of Broadway Square at 7:30 P. M. on Saturday, May 11th, and to attend the ball at the Winthrop Hotel for the remainder of the evening as guests of the association. The invitation was accepted by the Council.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved as read.

RESOLUTIONS:

The petition of Tom Mix Circus, for license to hold a circus on the O. W. R. N. Show Grounds on May 23rd, 1935, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Virges Drug Co. Inc. for renewal of license for drug store at 785 Broadway;
O. M. Lund & Verne McGee, for license for cabaret, Class 2- Dancing at the Crescent Ballroom-- 1502 -08 Fawcett Avenue.

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COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Lt. Col. H. J. Wild, District Engineer, U. S. War Department, requesting that his office be advised of the date on which removal of the Eleventh Street Bridge over the Hylebos Waterway will be started, in order that they may be prepared to inspect the work to insure the provision of an adequate channel. Referred back to Commissioner Bergerson.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending April 27, 1935 in amount of \$1,488.496.31. Placed on file.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10446.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the Federation for Unemployment and Social Insurance, be and through its Committee appearing before the Council of the City of Tacoma, has requested formal endorsement of H. R. 2827 - a bill providing for the establishment of unemployment, old age and social insurance - now pending before Congress; and

WHEREAS, the Council is in sympathy with the purpose of the bill and believes that it should be passed; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Council does endorse H. R. 2827 and petitions the Congress to enact the same.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be forwarded to Senators Bone and Schwollenbach and to Representative Lloyd.

Adopted on roll call May 1, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergerson, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10447.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the Department of Highways of the State of Washington is desirous of constructing State Road No. 1 through the City of Tacoma, and is desirous of routing the traffic on said State Road through said City of Tacoma over Union Avenue from south corporate limits to South 48th St.; thence northerly and easterly over South Tacoma Way to South "M" St.; thence northerly and easterly over the Delin Cutoff to Pacific Avenue; thence easterly over East 26th Street to East "G" St.; thence northerly over East "G" Street to Puyallup Avenue; thence easterly over Puyallup Ave. to the east corporate limits and crossing other certain intersecting streets and public thoroughfares, and

WHEREAS, the Department of Highways of the State of Washington is desirous of receiving National Recovery Act funds for the improvement of said highway, and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Public Roads of the Department of Agriculture of the United States of America will not participate in the construction of said highway until and unless the City of Tacoma will agree to refrain from permitting encroachments upon the right of way of said above mentioned streets and until and unless the City of Tacoma will agree to refrain from passing ordinances or laws fixing a speed limit of under twenty-five miles per hour on said above mentioned streets, and until and unless the City of Tacoma will agree to refrain from erecting signs, semaphores, and signals that will give preference to local routes, or that will hinder or delay traffic on said above mentioned streets, and until and unless the City of Tacoma will agree, by suitable ordinance, to adopt the grades of the highway as the grades of the City streets that are involved and agree to protect the State of Washington and the United States of America against any and all claims for damages account any changes of grades and the construction of this improvement, and until and unless the City of Tacoma will agree to maintain said highway within the corporate limits of the City of Tacoma after the improvement has been completed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Tacoma that for and in consideration of the Department of Highways of the State of Washington and the Bureau of Public Roads of the Department of Agriculture of the United States of America constructing said State Road and routing traffic on the same through the City of Tacoma over Union Ave. from South corporate limits to South 48th Street; thence northerly and easterly over South Tacoma Way to South "M" St.; thence northerly and easterly over the Delin Cutoff to Pacific Ave.; thence easterly over East 26th St. to East "G" St.; thence northerly over East "G" Street to Puyallup Ave.; thence easterly over Puyallup Ave. to the east corporate limits and crossing other certain intersecting streets and public thoroughfares, it hereby agrees with the Department of Highways of the State of Washington and the Bureau of Public Roads of the Department of Agriculture of the United States of America that it will not, in the future, permit encroachments on the right of way of the said above mentioned streets, nor will it pass any ordinances or laws fixing a speed limit on the above mentioned streets, nor will it give preference to local routes which intersect with said above mentioned streets or that will slow up, hinder or delay traffic on said above mentioned streets or that will give preference to local routes which intersect with said above mentioned streets; and that it will, by suitable ordinance, adopt the grades of the highway as the grades of the City streets that are involved, and hereby agrees to protect the State of Washington and the United States of America against any and all claims for damages account changes of grades and the construction of

this improvement, and hereby further agrees to maintain said highway within the corporate limits of the City of Tacoma after this improvement has been completed.

Passed the City Council of the City of Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington, this 1st day of May, A. D., 1935.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergerson, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

RECORD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating sum of \$330.95 from the General Fund for purpose of satisfying the judgment in the case of Emily Woods vs. City of Tacoma, Cause No. 74060; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and placed in order of third reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$100.00 from the Water Fund for purpose of compromising and settling the claim of E. J. Martin and Jeane G. Martin against the City of Tacoma for personal injuries to said Jeane G. Martin; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11168.

Appropriating the sum of \$100.00 from the Water Fund for purpose of compromising and settling the claim of E. J. Martin and Jeane G. Martin against the City of Tacoma for personal injuries to said Jeane G. Martin; and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergerson, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Commissioner Davison reported that he had discussed with the Corporation Counsel the communication of the Shelton School Superintendent (4-24-35) regarding transportation for the boy from MacStewart's Resort at Lake Cushman on the City's school bus, and the attorney informed him that the bond is very broad and covers any school children, and that under the present circumstances, they will give the boy transportation.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Callender suggested that the City try to have Lake Kapowsin cleaned of logs and stumps as a WERA project, saying that it could be made very attractive to fishermen and visitors in this vicinity if it were cleaned out, and at the same time work would be provided for a number of unemployed, and in addition, the County Commissioners might make similar projects of other lakes in Pierce County. Mr. Davison reported that Mr. Comfort, WERA Administrator for this district, is investigating at the present time to determine whether he wants to go to the expense of establishing a camp at Lake Kapowsin for this purpose.

Commissioner Callender reported to the Council that a second hand dealer (J. F. Thomas) who has been paying for a license for the past two years is unable to pay his license for this year in full and has tendered the license fee for six months, and he believes the amount should be accepted. Council directed that Mr. Callender handle the matter as he sees fit.

Upon motion duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Thursday, May 2, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smithley
President of City Council

Attest: *Lucretia J. Martin*
City Clerk.

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Council CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Thursday, May 2, 1935.

Council reconvened for discussion of proposed plan of Puyallup River Flood Control as a WERA project. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The following, representing various interested parties, were also present: City Engineer Forsbeck; Superintendent of Municipal Street Railway, C. H. McEachron; A. F. Stottler, Assistant Chief Engineer, N. P. Railway; W. W. Judson, Assistant to the General Manager, N. P. Railway; Sam Murray, Chief Engineer, Union Pacific Railway; C. H. Buford, General Manager and E. B. Crane, Principal Assistant Engineer, Milwaukee Railway; E. E. Adams, District Engineer, Great Northern Railway; L. A. Nederlee, District Exchange Engineer, Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., and C. E. Putnam, WERA District Engineer.

At the request of Mayor Smitley, the plan was explained by Mr. Putnam, as follows:

The project has been set up by the WERA for flood control within the City Limits and 1300 feet outside to connect with the intercounty improvement. The plans and recommendations of the government engineers were used and include the widening of the channel to 350 feet and in some cases changing the course of the river slightly, to increase the flow to 58,000 second feet. The design has been altered to use concrete piling instead of steel in order to increase the amount of labor. The total cost is approximately \$2,700,000 which includes \$979,000 for materials and contemplates donations of \$195,000 from the City and the railroad companies to cover cost of materials used in making necessary changes in water and power lines and bridges crossing the river. The carrying out of the plan is dependent upon the furnishing of this amount by the City and the railroads, but it might be possible to obtain an order from Washington, D. C. for the government to assume these costs.

Mr. Putnam stated that the application for this project has been filed at Olympia with the PWA engineer as a WERA project, but it will be transferred to the new government agency as soon as the set-up is completed, and that there will be no difficulty about getting sufficient money to complete the job after it is begun.

Replying to questions of the engineers and the City Commissioners, Mr. Putnam said that he had taken the federal costs on the bridges and added 25%, but that details of the construction have not been worked out.

The railroad officials stated that they have no funds to cover the donation they are asked to make and would have to borrow the money, and urged that some government agency be asked to furnish the money for materials to lengthen the bridges, after which the railroads would be willing to take over the additional maintenance of the longer bridges.

At the request of the railroad companies, Mr. Putnam agreed to forward to each of them a copy of the sheets showing costs and the plan submitted with the application.

No action was taken by the Council on the Resolution approving the plan.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, May 6, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Conrad W. Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, May 6th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 3; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson. Absent 2, Fawcett and Mr. President. In the absence of the President, Mr. Davisson, Vice-President of the City Council, presided.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

M. Ishioka, for renewal of license for Standard Hotel at 110 $\frac{1}{2}$ South 14th Street;
D. Iwaki, for renewal of license for St. Francis Hotel at 307 $\frac{1}{2}$ South 17th Street;
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The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

R. E. Conrad, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Box 609;
Ed. S. Olson, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4, (first road north of Baumgardner going east from Summit Road);
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COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

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E. R. Hoffman, State Engineer, Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, advising that he is authorized to accept applications for loans and/or grants for non-federal public works projects in accordance with instructions contained in Federal Administration of Public Works circular #2 (copy enclosed) with the understanding that such applications are made subject to changes in the present PWA rules and regulations, and outlining briefly the information required before such projects may be approved. (Copy of application for grant attached). Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

Metropolitan Park District of Tacoma, enclosing copy of a resolution passed by their Board, in which the City of Tacoma is requested to transfer to the Metropolitan Park District a triangular strip of land adjoining the old Flume Line right of way now owned by the Park District and lying north of South 47th Street; and agreeing to reconvey to the City any and all portions thereof as may be desired for street purposes at any time the City requests the same. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, calling attention to the fact that in adopting the budget for 1935 the item to provide a fund from which the cost of extensions to the street lighting system could be paid, was eliminated by Council action in the interests of economy; advising that at the present time eight petitions for additional street lights have been submitted to the Council, but inasmuch as no provision has been made in the budget for additional lights, the department is not in a position to make the required installations; and recommending that an emergency appropriation be made to cover the estimated cost represented by the eight petitions in the sum of \$648.37 and that these petitions which they are

returning be granted and the cost of the construction charged to the emergency appropriation to be made available. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the communication be laid over to Wednesday, May 8th, 1935. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Smitley.

CLAIMS:

Washington Hardware Co. for \$336.34, against the bond taken from Birchfield Boiler Co., Garret and Shafer Engineering Works and Puget Sound Machinery Co., contractors, and Maryland Casualty Co., surety, for goods furnished said contractors on the Pipe Line Job for the City of Tacoma. Placed on file against the bond.

The following claims were referred to the Corporation Counsel for investigation and report:

Walter M. Osborne and Ollie Vivian Osborne, for \$500.00 for damage to their property abutting Collins Road by reason of construction work on Collins Road;

John B. Pace and Signa A. Pace, for \$1020, for personal injuries to Signa A. Pace sustained on April 15th when she was struck by the rear over-hang of a Municipal Belt Line Street car as she was boarding the cable car at 11th and Pacific Avenue, which accident was due to the negligence of the operator of the Municipal Car in turning the corner without giving any signal or warning.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

O. M. Lund & Verne McGee (5-1-35) for license for cabaret, Class 2--Dancing -- at the Crescent Ballroom--1302-08 Fawcett Avenue;
Virges Drug Co., Inc (5-1-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 785 Broadway;
S. Mori (4-29-35) for renewal of license for 1 pool table at 1344 Broadway;
FELC Bros. (4-24-35) for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 707 South 38th Street;
Arturo Semi (4-24-35) for license for 1 pool table at 1521 Broadway.

It was moved by Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Smitley.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Victor E. Anderson (4-22-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at 84th and Alaska, and recommended the petition be granted subject to the usual inspection rules upon payment of the \$1.00 connection fee provided in the ordinance, for new services. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Smitley.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of Mrs. Jos. Le Gault (3-20-35) for extension of street lights to her property at 5328 Marine View Drive, and advised that the light requested is two poles beyond the last light which was recently installed on Marine View Drive, and it is their recommendation that the lighting on this highway at the present time is sufficient for all practical purposes, and therefore recommended that the petition be denied. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Smitley.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of G. J. Lemm, et al (3-25-35) for installation of street lights on Wilton Road at Titlow Beach, north from the 6th Avenue Extension to the entrance of the Titlow Beach Park picnic grounds on the western side of the railroad tracks; and from 6th Avenue extension south to South 17th Street on the Waterfront Road, and advised that the lights requested, if installed, would be on private property as there are no dedicated streets in the locations mentioned, and for this reason recommended the petition be denied. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Smitley.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and the premises connected to the City Lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring in their houses by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

Leroy H. Bush, et al (3-4-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Central Avenue north to Moler Road);
L. J. Miller, et al (2-4-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (Grant Road North);
Fred H. Williams (4-1-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 503 on Grant Road.

Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Smitley.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10448.

BY DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, the Division of Forestry of the State of Washington has requested of the City of Tacoma the right and privilege to construct and maintain a road for fire protection purposes along a portion of the City's power transmission line right-of-way in Mason County, Washington; and

WHEREAS, it appears that said road will in no manner interfere with the City's property or the use and operation of its power line and system and will be of mutual benefit to the City and to the Forestry Division; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City of Tacoma grant to the Division of Forestry of the State of Washington the right and privilege to construct and maintain a road for forest protection purposes along a portion of the Cushman power line right-of-way in Mason County, as requested; and the proper officers be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute such permit in favor of the Division of Forestry, same to be in form as approved by the Commissioner of Public Utilities and the Corporation Counsel.

Adopted on roll call May 6, 1935.
 Yeas 3; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson; Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Mr. President.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598-- an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc., repealing Ordinance No. 11069; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11169.

Appropriating the sum of \$330.95 from the General Fund for purpose of satisfying the judgment in the case of Emily Woods vs. City of Tacoma, Cause No. 74080; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 3; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson. Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Mr. President.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Callender advised the Council that he had received word from the Barnes Circus that owing to the Lumber Strike they would like to change the date of their show in Tacoma from May 31st to May 22nd. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Barnes Circus be allowed to show on May 22nd instead of May 31st. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Smitley.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

John A. Davisson
 Vice-President of City Council.

Attest: *Edna Melnes*
 Deputy City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, May 8th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callander, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following matters:

Byron D. Scott, President of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, presented a petition from that organization, requesting permission to place a memorial plaque, commemorating the round the world trip of George Francis Train, in the sidewalk or curb at the point where Train started his trip, which is at 10th and Broadway in front of the old Sherman and Clay Building; and also requesting permission to dedicate the memorial at 1:00 P. M. on May 16th, which is the date and hour in 1890 that Train completed his trip. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the permission requested be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

This being the date set for hearing on the order of the U. S. War Department to remove or rebuild Hylebos Bridge over East 11th Street, the Chairman called for remarks from the large delegation present.

Mr. A. O. Rowe, President of the Brown's Point Improvement Club and Hylebos Bridge Association acted as spokesman for the group. Before starting to speak, he introduced to the Council the representatives of the various other clubs interested in the matter. Mr. Rowe stated that for six or seven years they have been trying to solve the Hylebos Bridge problem and the situation with which they are now faced was brought about when the War department tired of trying to maintain an open waterway and the City of Tacoma took over the Hylebos Creek Waterway, promising and pledging the War Department they would maintain adequate bridge clearance at 11th Street. He called attention to the fact that since this time only one major industry - The Pennsylvania Salt Co. has located on this waterway, and drew comparison between this million dollar investment and the four to seven million dollars represented by property owners using this bridge. He stated there were approximately 700 families using the bridge and spending money in Tacoma, and on week days approximately 1500 cars cross the bridge daily while the traffic on Sundays and Holidays is between two and three thousand cars. He stressed the importance of developing this district as a protection to industry by placing laborers on small tracts of land. They started out to battle to obtain \$600,000 to build the new bridge, he said, and have now found that the figures have come down to a maximum cost of \$350,000 and a minimum of \$300,000 to build a bridge which would meet the War Department's requirements. Of this amount it is highly probable a PWA grant of 30% or \$90,000 can be obtained. They made a trip to Olympia to interview L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, but Mr. Murrow stated it was impossible to consider a plan involving \$600,000 but he might be able to get \$75,000 or \$100,000 from the State for maintaining Marine View Drive. Mr. Rowe suggested that the additional \$1.50 per capita now being received from the State Gas Tax fund or approximately \$50,000 which the City is getting over last year's income from this source be used to help pay for this bridge, which would leave \$60,000 to be obtained from City Funds. He also pointed out that according to the City Controller's annual report \$953,391.23 can be made available without vote of the people, that it will cost approximately \$60,000 to remove the present bridge and construct the road around the waterway according to the Engineer's figures and that there should be some junk value to the old structure. He pointed out that the road around the waterway is not practical on account of floods. In concluding, he stressed the need of the bridge and urged the Council not to treat the matter lightly.

Mayor Smitley advised the audience that every effort was being made to co-operate and read from a letter sent to our representatives in Congress urging them to secure funds from the four billion appropriation to care for this bridge.

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The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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George Ferris, fireman

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Chas. Christofferson, fireman
H. R. Collier, fireman
Arthur W. Erdman, fireman
D. Gephart, fireman
I. M. Hubble, fireman
B. F. Kohler, fireman
U. Kusumoto, fireman
A. Kuzenski, fireman

N. M. Larson, chief engineer
Thomas A. Parker, Chief engineer
R. A. Ross, fireman
R. S. Steere, fireman
L. M. Stewart, fireman
Wm. Van Kleck, asst. engineer
A. C. Visel, fireman
Thomas Walsh, fireman
L. D. Wells, Utility Engineer
E. D. Whitney, fireman
W. C. Wilson, engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of the Hotel Olympus Co., for renewal of license for hotel at 815-17 Pacific Avenue. was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Harold Morris, for extension of electric light service to premises at 98th and Sheridan (Cedarcroft Addition);
E. F. Morrison, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Box 591 (Cedarcroft Addition).

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, submitting report of bank balances for week ending May 4, 1935 in amount of \$1,360,087.63. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easements from the following persons: Oliver H and Ruth Heath, J. W. and Geneva W. Fordred, Marie Singer, Mrs. Anna Johnson and

Leroy H. and Irene V. Bush, granting the City the right to set poles on and string wires over certain property, which are necessary in order to serve petitioners in the Waller Road and Midland-Summit Districts with electric service; advising they have been approved by W. L. Gray, Engineer, as to description and Corporation Counsel as to form, and recommending they be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

CLAIMS:

Minnie B. Clarke, for \$1500.00, for personal injuries sustained on April 8th, 1935 as a result of tripping and falling over a broken piece in the stone pavement at the intersection of 11th and Broadway. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare-- reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

R. Hachiya (4-17-35) for license for rooming house at the Ferndale Apartments- 1726 Market Street;
Minnie Hanson, (4-24-35) for renewal of license for rooming house at 1314 South 14th Street;
Mrs. Millie R. Lee (4-17-35) for renewal of license for rooming house at 1112 Fawcett Avenue;
S. Nakao (4-29-35) for renewal of license for Union Hotel at 1354 1/2 Market Street;
Carl Samson, (4-17-35) for renewal of license for Vasa Hotel at 1330 1/2 Pacific Avenue.
Marguerite Sounish (4-24-35) for license for Argo Hotel at 1127 1/2 Broadway
It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598-- an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc.--repealing Ordinance No. 11069; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11170.
Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598-- an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc.--repealing Ordinance No. 11069; and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed. Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date fixed by Resolution No. 10445 for hearing on the petition of Commissioner of Public Utilities (4-3-35) for the vacation of the northerly ten feet of South 20th Street lying between the easterly and westerly lots lines (produced) of the lots in Block 1919, New Tacoma, and South of Lot 12, Block 1919, New Tacoma (adjacent to J. Street Standpipe), the Clerk reported the posting of the notices required by law, together with the filing of an affidavit of such posting. Also reported that the fee in the sum of \$42.50 required for vacation of property had been taken care of and that no remonstrances against the vacation had been filed. No remonstrators appearing, it was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the petition be granted and the Corporation Counsel instructed to prepare the necessary ordinance. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Communication of the Board of County Commissioners (5-6-35) asking that the City of Tacoma select two representatives to act on a committee to formulate rules and regulations and to prescribe fees for services rendered at the County Hospital, was brought up for further consideration. It was moved by Mr. Davison that Dr. Creswell and Mayor Smitley be appointed to represent the City on this Committee. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The communication of Commissioner of Public Utilities (5-6-35) recommending that an emergency appropriation be made to cover the estimated cost represented by seven petitions for street light extensions in the sum of \$648.37 and that the petitions which they are returning be granted and the cost of the construction charged to the emergency appropriation to be made available, was brought up for further consideration. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the communication and petitions be referred to the 1936 Budget Committee. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

In accordance with this recommendation the following petitions were referred to the 1936 Budget Committee:

- Fletcher Heights Improvement Club (3-18-35) requesting installation of an arc light at South 8th and Verde Street;
Sebastian Greco, et al, (2-4-35) for installation of street light at South 13th and Cushman Avenue;
W. A. Harvey, et al (3-20-35) for street lights at 48th and East C and 50th and East C;
A. P. Johnson, et al (2-27-35) for installation of street light at 55th and Portland;
T. S. Knowles, et al (2-20-35) for installation of street lights on South 72nd between Portland Avenue and Waller Road;
K. L. Larson, (2-29-35) for installation of street light at South 17th and Durango;
B. Hatcliffe, et al (2-13-35) for installation of street lights on East 61st Street between D and F Streets and on East 60th Street between F Street and McKinley Avenue.

NEW BUSINESS:

A friend of Mrs. Logan, 3616 South Sprague, reported to the Council that her lights had been shut off and asked that something be done about the matter as there a number of small children in the family and also illness. The Mayor agreed to send some member of the Health Department out to investigate.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, May 13th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest: Edna Melones Deputy Clerk Clerk.
E. A. Sanchez President of City Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Monday, May 13th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following matter:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mr. A. O. Rowe told the Council that he and a small committee were present to hear the reading of the resolution asking the War Department for an extension of time on the order to remove Hylebos Bridge. Commissioner Bergersen advised the group that the Council was not ready to adopt such a resolution until they can give a definite program for building and financing a new bridge, as otherwise the resolution would receive no attention in Washington, D. C. He also stated that he had discussed the matter with L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, who told him that the funds for the bridge could not be obtained from the State, but must come from Federal Monies; however the paving of the road around the waterway could be financed by the State. Commissioner Bergersen said that Mr. Murrow was attending a conference in San Francisco with reference to allotment of Federal Funds and Mr. Rowe suggested the whole matter be held in abeyance until Mr. Murrow returns and is contacted to ascertain what chances there are of getting either State or Federal Aid. He further suggested that the Council telegraph Senator Bone and Congressman Lloyd, telling them the City is waiting the return of Mr. Murrow to see what funds are available and asking them to intercede with General Pillsbury and acquaint him with what steps the City is taking. It was agreed to lay the matter over until a week from to-day (Monday, May 20th) and action on the resolution presented April 24, 1935, in which the Commissioner of Public Works was directed to proceed to remove the bridge, was laid over to this time.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to reading of the minutes of the previous meeting and, there being no corrections, these were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with the recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Louis Frasco, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables;
K. Yano, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

U. Kusumoto, for renewal of license for Baker Hotel at 1355 1/2 Market Street;
Florence Miller, for license for Savoy Hotel at 1535 Pacific Avenue;
John Xidos, for renewal of license for Merchants Hotel at 1303 Broadway.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

James Maruca, for renewal of license for one pool table at 2212 "A" Street;
Paul A. Plewa, for renewal of license for public hack driver.

The petition of O. K. Pipkin, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 6, Box 360, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation.

Mrs. Vina Bowen, et al, requesting the City to oil, at the City's expense, East 64th Street from L Street to N Street and N Street at the intersection of East 64th Street

a short distance back from the corner both ways. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

South Tacoma Business and Professional Men's Association, advising that it is the consensus of their membership that a concerted effort should be made toward beautifying South Tacoma Way between South Tacoma Park and the entrance to Wakefield Park at South M Street by removing the unsightly conditions and urging establishments along the highway to beautify their premises; stating that they have also written the City Planning Commission on this matter, suggesting that the Commission and their Club cooperate in a united effort on this objective at a designated period to be set by the City Council, perhaps upon the completion of resurfacing that portion of the highway, should the project be realized; and urging the Council to take some action on this matter. The Clerk was directed to notify the Club that the Commissioner of Public Works has this project in mind and is working on it and upon the completion of the paving the City will see what can be done to beautify this road.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

John M. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's authorization and approval vouchers and duplicate vouchers Nos. 185, 186 and 187, covering interfund transfers for April, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the transfers be approved. Motion seconded by Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising they have on hand in the Fire Department 100 feet 1" hose with couplings and 180 feet 1" hose without couplings which has been condemned, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell this hose at the highest prices obtainable. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising they have one A. B. Dick Co. No. 78 Model A Mimeograph which has been expended in the service and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to dispose of this machine to the best advantage possible, placing the proceeds of the sale to the credit of the Light Division. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

CLAIMS:

Harnischfeger Sales Corporation for \$210.00, against bond taken from Birchfield Boiler Co., contractors, and Maryland Casualty Co., surety, for rental on Electric Arc Welder. Placed on file against the bond.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and the premises connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring in the houses by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

R. E. Conrad, (5-6-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Box 609;
Mae Furseth (4-29-35) for extension of electric light service to premises near water tank for Brown's Point.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

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RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10449.

By BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, heretofore, R. J. and Beulah Fay Olinger granted to the City of Tacoma the perpetual right and privilege to construct and maintain a concrete retaining wall or walls, together with the necessary fills, on the property hereinafter described, for the purpose of improving a public alley between Yakima Avenue and North I Street from North 6th Street to North 8th Street; and

WHEREAS, an easement is not necessary for said purpose across the property hereinafter described and it is the intention and purpose of the City of Tacoma to relinquish its said easement; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City of Tacoma be and they hereby are authorized to execute a quitclaim deed or a relinquishment of easement and all right, title and interest of the City of Tacoma in and to the following described property situate in Pierce County, Washington:

The southerly eight (8) feet of Lots 11 and 12, Block 3716, Map of New Tacoma, W. T., also the southerly eight (8) feet of the westerly one-half of vacated North 7th Street attached to said Block 3716,

to T. A. Peterman and Lida Peterman, as grantees, the present owners of said property.

Adopted on roll call May 13, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Vacating the following described property: the northerly ten (10) feet of South 20th Street, lying between the easterly and westerly lot lines (produced) of the lots in Block 1919, New Tacoma and south of Lot 12, Block 1919, New Tacoma.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Attest: Edna Melanes
Deputy City Clerk.

E. A. Smithley
President of City Council.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.

Wednesday, May 15th, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of the Virges Drug Co., for renewal of license for Thrifty Drug Store at 947 Broadway, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

REMONSTRANCES:

Monday Civic Club, protesting against the removal of the bridge over Hylebos Waterway until such time as the City is able to build one to conform to the requirements of the War Department. Placed on file with the other communications with reference to this matter.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending May 1, 1935 in amount of \$1,452,620.91;

Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of April, 1935.

Commissioner of Public Works, submitting request of H. R. Olsen, contractor in charge of reconstruction of Fire Station No. 2, for extension of time to July 1st, 1935 for completion of his contract, together with consent of bonding company to such extension, and recommending the request be granted. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call; Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted upon payment of an outside connection fee and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

Harold Morris (5-8-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at 98th and Sheridan Avenue (Cedarcroft Addition);

E. F. Morrison (5-8-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Box 591 (Cedarcroft Addition).

It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call; Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Vacating the following described property: the northerly ten (10) feet of South 20th Street, lying between the easterly and westerly lot lines (produced) of the lots in Block 1919, New Tacoma and south of Lot 12, Block 1919, New Tacoma. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11171.

Vacating the following described property: the northerly ten (10) feet of South 20th Street, lying between the easterly and westerly lot lines (produced) of the lots in Block 1919, New Tacoma and south of Lot 12, Block 1919, New Tacoma. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, May 20th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest: Edna Melanes
Deputy City Clerk.

E. A. Smithley
President of City Council.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Monday, May 20th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with the recommendation of the License Inspector and Com'r of Public Safety that they be granted:

H. M. Alexander, for renewal of license for pawnbroker at 922 Pacific Avenue;
M. Nakamura, for renewal of license for fruit and vegetable peddler.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smithey and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Frank H. and Anna M. Carlson, for cabaret license- Class 1, entertainment and music only- at 501 South Tacoma Avenue;
McGinley's Tavern Inc., for license for cabaret- Class 1- entertainment and music only- at 5226 South Tacoma Way;
D. J. Berkson, for renewal of license for two pool tables at 911 Commerce St.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Larry Manning, for renewal of license for Ritz Hotel at 1113 1/2 Broadway;
Hotel Winthrop Corp., for renewal of license for Winthrop Hotel at 9th and Broadway.

Northeast Tacoma Improvement Club, requesting the City to allow the present bridge over Hylebos Waterway to remain until some provision is made for financing a new bridge. Placed on file with other communications pertaining to this matter.

Park Avenue Improvement Club, again requesting that a light be installed on Park Avenue between 67th and 68th Streets. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Gange Lumber Co., stating that, owing to the fact that their plant is closed down due to circumstances beyond their control and there seems to be no prospects of starting up for some time to come, they feel their minimum charge should be cancelled or at least materially reduced. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

L. V. Kurrow, State Director of Highways, advising his department has advertised for bids on the widening and repaving of South Tacoma Way between 50th Street and 38th Street and plans have been made for the continuation of this widening improvement from 38th Street to K Street in the event that federal funds become available and can be applied on this section: that the plans provide for some readjustments in right of way as well as readjustments in the power facilities of the City of Tacoma; suggesting that it might be desirable to eliminate the various pole lines entirely from this street at this time and requesting that the City give consideration to the matter of completely removing the pole lines on this section since it will result in a more attractive arterial at a slightly increased cost over that which would be required to take care of the readjustment. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Controller, report for month of April, 1935;
Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, report for month of April, 1935.

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising that the Police Department has in use two 1931 Harley Davidson motorcycles which are in such condition that they should be replaced immediately; that it is desired to trade one in on a new Indian Motorcycle and one in on a

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new Harley Davidson; requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to make this trade-in and stating that since the department has no funds for outlay, these machines must be purchased from funds appropriated for maintenance and operation, which he believes to be entirely proper. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Commissioner of Public Safety be allowed to purchase these machines from maintenance and operation funds and the Purchasing Agent be authorized to proceed with the trade-in. Motion was seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

CLAIMS:

Home Electric Co., for \$8.62, against the bond taken from the Birchfield Boiler Co., contractors, and the Maryland Casualty Co., surety, for merchandise furnished said contractor. Placed on file against the bond.

Mrs. Andrew Monroe, for \$10.00 for personal injuries and damage to clothing sustained on May 14th, 1935 as a result of tripping and falling over a raised place in the cement sidewalk in front of 608 North Adams Street. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions recommending that they be granted:

Paul A. Plewa, (5-13-35) for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Virtes Drug Co., (5-16-35) for renewal of license for Thrifty Drug Store at 947 Broadway;
James Maruca, (5-13-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 2212 A Street;

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Hotel Olympus Co., (5-8-35) for renewal of license for hotel at 815-17 Pacific Avenue;
H. Ishioaka, (5-6-35) for renewal of license for Standard Hotel at 110 1/2 South 14th Street;
D. Iwaki, (5-6-35) for renewal of license for St Francis Hotel at 307 1/2 South 17th Street;
A. W. Kintz, (5-6-35) for renewal of license for rooming house at Modern Apartments at 1904 Market Street;
H. Tevis, (5-6-35) for renewal of license for Ridpath Hotel at 1146 1/2 Pacific Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smithey and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of G. G. Hansen (4-29-35) for extension of electric light service to premises in NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 19, Range 4, and advised that on account of the distance this party lives from the nearest existing electric service of the City, which would cause the cost of reading the meter and servicing this property to be excessive, they recommend the petition be denied. Moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of Mildred M. Howard (4-22-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 6, Box 388, and recommended the petition be granted and that the premises be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in the house inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the proper officers of the City of Tacoma to execute and deliver a contract between the City of Tacoma, first party, Tacoma Railway and Power Company, second party, and the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, third party, for the joint construction, ownership, use, maintenance and repair of certain poles in the City of Tacoma. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

NEW BUSINESS:

A communication from the License Department of Washington State Liquor Control Board, addressed to Mr. H. R. Franke, Fern Hill Tavern, 8402 Pacific Avenue, advising Mr. Franke that his licenses for sale of beer to be consumed on and off the premises have been issued although they have had reports to the effect that his premises have been conducted in a noisy manner, due to dancing being carried on, and warning him that, if they find this condition still exists, he will be unable to retain his licenses, was read by the Clerk. Mr. Franke, being present, advised the Council that he had stopped dancing in his place of business on February 1st and felt that he should have a refund on his cabaret license as it was through no fault of his that he was compelled to discontinue the cabaret. Mr. Callender gave his opinion that no refund was coming as the Council had taken the stand that refunds would be made only when new laws were passed at Olympia, which made dancing in beer parlors unlawful, and Mr. Franke's case did not come under this. The matter was referred to the Corporation Counsel to see if this letter would cause him to reverse his opinion which he previously gave the Council on March 11, 1935, ie that no refund could be made.

Commissioner Bergersen advised the Council that the Association for the Protection of the Blind had asked him to present to the Council for their endorsement H. R. 7122- providing for granting of pensions by the Federal Government to certain blind persons. The bill was referred to the Corporation Counsel with instructions to prepare a resolution of endorsement.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The matter of the removal of the Hylebos Bridge over East 11th Street, which was laid over to this date, was brought up for consideration at this time.

Mr. A. O. Rowe again acted as spokesman for the interested parties and stated that a committee had paid a visit to Col. Wilde and questioned him as to what the penalty would be if the bridge were not removed by June 7th. They had been told by Col. Wilde that there would be no penalty except that the War Department would stop spending money on the waterway until the agreement to remove or rebuild the bridge is lived up to, but that he did not wish to be quoted on this. Commissioner Bergersen said that Col. Wilde had never made this statement to him. Mr. Rowe read a resolution, urging the War Department to extend the time granted to the City of Tacoma for the removal of the bridge and stated that this or a similar resolution is being adopted by the various improvement clubs and by the Pierce and King County Commissioners. He urged the City Council to pass a resolution that will enlighten the War Department as to what steps are being taken to secure a new bridge and ask for a continuance of the order to remove the bridge until not later than January 1, 1936 to allow an opportunity to obtain funds for a new bridge from the State Highway Department or other sources.

Mr. John Binns read a letter from Senator Bone instructing the City to make application for P W A funds to Mr. Hoffman, engineer on the State Planning Board and Commissioner Bergersen reported that Mr. Hoffman had been ordered not to send any further applications to Washington but to hold them in Olympia until further instructions are received.

Mr. Rowe expressed the opinion that the City Council had not been working in close e-

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enough contact with Col. Wilde in this matter, which he felt was a grave mistake. He stated that if they had held a public hearing with Col. Robbins and Col. Wilde in attendance, they would have obtained the extension.

Commissioner Callender stated that he felt the retaining of this bridge was an emergency much more than the removal of it was. He stated that during the flood two years ago the transportation company with which he was connected used this route to carry all mail, goods, etc. to Seattle and other points to the north as the main highway was flooded and unpassable. Due to this emergency, he said, a new bridge might possibly be obtained through the State at the next legislature.

The Resolution-- directing the Commissioner of Public Works to proceed with the removal of the East 11th Street Bridge over Hylebos Waterway, presented on April 24th, was brought up at this time and read in full by the Clerk.

Mr. Callender stated he felt the proper procedure was to call a meeting with the War Department and Commissioner Bergersen was instructed to contact Col. Wilde and request this hearing. Council recessed while Commissioner Bergersen contacted Col. Wilde.

Council reconvened to hear the outcome of Commissioner Bergersen's conversation with Col. Wilde. Commissioner Bergersen informed the Council and the audience that Col. Wilde had said he was not authorized to give a hearing and instructions for this must come from Washington D. C. but that he was willing to attend any meeting but he would not talk on the matter. Mr. Rowe stated that he felt this type of meeting would not get them anywhere and the Council should go direct to General Pillsbury and ask him to instruct Col. Wilde to hold a hearing.

Acting on the Resolution--directing the Commissioner of Public Works to proceed with the removal of the East 11th Street Bridge over Hylebos Waterway, it was moved by Mr. Callender that the Resolution be laid on the table for one week to Monday, May 27th. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the City Council wire General Pillsbury requesting a public hearing to reconsider the date fixed by the War Department for the removal of the Hylebos Bridge, as there has been considerable objection to this order from outlying communities and residents who use the bridge. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Edwin J. Melrose*
Deputy City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, May 22, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 1; Bergersen (excused).

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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| | Rollin Van Amburgh, donkey engineer | Andrew Karpach, fireman |
| | Noah Weeks, donkey engineer | Nick Klovborg, chief engineer |
| | | H. A. McMann, chief engineer |
| R. | | L.H. McCorkle, donkey engineer |
| | O. E. Daughtry, fireman | J. A. Plaus, donkey engineer |
| | Chas Drake, asst. engineer | B. Ratcliffe, asst. engineer |
| | S. T. Eileross, fireman | S. Rood, donkey engineer |
| | Chas. W. Gillen, fireman | John Scholly, chief engineer |
| | Edw. A. Hansen, chief engineer | H. R. Sipe, fireman |
| | Fred H. Jensen, engineer | W. A. Smith, donkey engineer |
| | | H. A. Weeks, engineer |

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

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| B. J. Constantino, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables; |
| Doxey Katramad, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn; |
| Sam Howvas, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts, popcorn and tamales. |

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Bergersen.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

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| Broadway Bowling Co., for renewal of license for six bowling alleys at 739 1/2 Broadway; |
| Oliver & Frye's Cafe, for cabaret license- Class 1- entertainment and music only- at 205 South 15th Street. |

The following petition were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

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| M. Nakamura, for renewal of license for Oxford Hotel at 204 South 15th Street; |
| John Winterhouse, for renewal of license for Stratford Hotel at 1316 Market Street. |

The petition of Leslie L. Welmer, for extension of electric light service to Premises on Section 2, T. 19, R 3, E.- Midland Garden Annex, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and report.

Fisk Flag and Decorating Co., requesting permission to decorate certain streets of the City listed herein for the Grand Lodge Sessions of the I.O.O.F., decorations to be put up June 1st and taken down on or before June 7th. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the permission be granted with the proviso that the decorating be done under the supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works and Commissioner of Public Safety. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

Rev. A. W. Rasmussen, requesting permission to erect a well constructed tent with a seating capacity of 1000 on the corner of 11th and L Streets for the purpose of holding Gospel meetings beginning July 1st, 1935. Clerk instructed to advise Rev. Rasmussen that

a remonstrance has been filed by residents in the vicinity, protesting against the use of this property for such purpose and unless he can obtain the consent of the remonstrators, his petition will be denied by the City Council.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending May 18, 1935 in amount of \$1,481,449.78. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

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| Frank H and Anna M. Carlson, (5-20-35) for cabaret license- Class 1- entertainment and music only- at 901 South Tacoma Avenue; |
| McGinley's Tavern Inc. (5-20-35) for cabaret license- Class 1- entertainment and music only- at 522 1/2 South Tacoma Way. |

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

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| U. Kusumoto (5-13-35) for renewal of license for Baker Hotel at 1355 1/2 Market Street; |
| John Xidos (5-13-35) for renewal of license for Merchants Hotel at 1303 Broadway. |

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the proper officers of the City of Tacoma to execute and deliver a contract between the City of Tacoma, first party, Tacoma Railway and Power Company, second party, and the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, third party, for the joint construction, ownership, use, maintenance and repair of certain poles in the City of Tacoma. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11172.

Authorizing the proper officers of the City of Tacoma to execute and deliver a contract between the City of Tacoma, first party, Tacoma Railway and Power Company, second party, and the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, third party, for the joint construction, ownership, use, maintenance and repair of certain poles in the City of Tacoma. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Fawcett advised the Council that he would like to have a six weeks' leave of absence beginning the end of this week. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that Commissioner Fawcett be granted the leave of absence requested. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Bergersen, who previously indicated that he would vote favorably on the request.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, May 27th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Edna Melones*
Deputy City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, May 27, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President,
Absent 1; Fawcett.

PETITIONS:

The petition of J. Spido, for renewal of license to peddle fish, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Albert Felchlin, for renewal of license for Swiss Hotel at 1904 Jefferson Avenue;
Charlotte W. Marsh, for license for Allyn Hotel at 725 Market Street;
D. Romani, for license for the Victoria Hotel at 1316 1/2 Broadway.

The petition of Albert Felchlin, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1904 Jefferson Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of Mr. & Mrs. E. A. Bichsel, for renewal of license for auto tourist camp at 4532 South Tacoma Way, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

A. W. Forbes, et al, requesting installation of a street light on Eye Street between South 28th Street and Center Street;
John Hansen, et al, requesting that a screen wire be placed on the pole light at South 15th and Fruiton Streets;
Florence L. Sieg, et al, for installation of street light on "A" Street between 84th and 96th Streets;
Mrs. M. J. Smith, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4;

Young Men's Business Club of Puyallup, requesting permission to make a park at Maplewood Springs by cleaning out underbrush, building tables, benches, a brick stove, etc., and advising that the City Police Department, City Fire Department, the Engineer's Office and the Boy Scouts will cooperate with them in the project.

N. S. Nelson, requesting that the date for completion of his contract on Fire Station No. 5 at South 12th and Cushman, be extended from May 21st to June 1st, 1935 and submitting consent of bondsmen to such extension. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Water Division for month of April, 1935. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of Oliver and Frye's Cafe (5-22-35) for cabaret license-class 1- entertainment and music only- at 205 South 13th Street, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the communication of L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways (5-20-35) relative to removing or changing the electric light and power lines on South Tacoma Way before the highway is widened between South 38th and South 50th Streets, and advised that it will cost approximately \$2900.00 to move the poles

and wires to two feet inside the new curb line and \$7,500.00 to entirely remove the pole line from the highway, not including the purchase of any private right of way; that from their investigation of the locality, the department's engineers are unable to find a suitable location for the pole line and feel as though the removal cannot well be made as this is a public thoroughfare carrying pole lines and other wires necessary for carrying on the public business; stating that the responsibility of eliminating the lighting along this street cannot be assumed by the Department of Public Utilities and the matter must be decided by the City Council and the Department given a direct order to remove this street lighting circuit in order that the responsibility rest with the City and not with the Department and stating further that it is rumored that the Highway Department has made payment to the telephone company and the private power company for the expense necessary to remove their poles and wires and it would seem that, if this is correct, the Light Division should be reimbursed for the expense made necessary in connection with the improvement of the Pacific Highway. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the report be accepted and the Commissioner of Public Utilities directed to move the pole line two feet beyond the edge of the curb on South Tacoma Way between South 50th and South 38th Streets. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10450.

By THE COUNCIL:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That F. T. Callender, Commissioner of Public Safety, be and he is hereby designated as a member of the Board of Contracts and Awards, to act as such during the absence from office of C. V. Fawcett, Commissioner of Finance.

Accepted on roll call: May 27, 1935
Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of the annual supply of incandescent lamps for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; and appropriating the sum of \$20,000 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County, under the right of Eminent Domain, for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land for the purpose of widening and straightening South Tacoma Way between South 38th Street and South 50th Street; and providing for payment thereof from the Secondary Highway Fund of 1935. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The matter of the removal of Hylebos Bridge over East 11th Street, as ordered by the War Department, was brought up for consideration at this time and the matter was laid over until after the Public Hearing is held.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

F. T. Callender
President of City Council

Attest: *E. M. Nelson*
Deputy City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, May 29th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr. President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Geo. Kostakis, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn;
David Speck, for license to peddle peanuts and popcorn.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

E. R. French, for renewal of license for Community Drug Store at 4638 South Yakima Avenue;
J. F. Koch, for renewal of license for two pool tables at 734 Pacific Avenue.

The petition of E. B. Avery, for renewal of license for Avery Hotel at 407½ South 11th Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of A. H. Field, for license for auto tourist camp at South 80th and South Tacoma Way, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

G. D. Bentley, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Puyallup;
Virginia Boyd Pearce, for extension of electric light service to premises at intersection of Knapp Road and Vickery Road.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Pierce County Chapter, American Red Cross, announcing the annual Membership Campaign of their Chapter of the Red Cross in the City of Tacoma between May 30th and June 10th; stating that the various civic groups are cooperating to assure the success of this drive; and asking that the City Council authorize the various City department heads to assist in this campaign by being responsible for securing memberships from the employees of their departments and that their organization be advised as to the action taken in this matter and the persons appointed as official workers in each department. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the matter be referred to Dr. Creswell with authority to delegate someone in each department to solicit for memberships in the department. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

H. J. Wild, District Engineer, U. S. War Department, giving notice that a public hearing will be held in the Council Chamber of the City Hall at 10:00 A. M. Monday, June 3, 1935 in connection with the request of the City for a reconsideration of the time for alterations to the Hylebos Bridge over East 11th Street. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending May 25, 1935 in amount of \$1,483,196.02;
City Treasurer, report for month of March, 1935;
City Treasurer, report for month of April, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Light Division for month of March, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Municipal Belt Line Division for month of April, 1935.

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising the Fire Department has on hand a Gorham Seagrave Pumper, Multi-stage turbine, 1000 gallon capacity, purchased June 9th, 1917 which is obsolete as there is no provision for carrying hose, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell this pumper for the highest price obtainable. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

CLAIMS:

George M. Harvey, for \$2500.00 for personal injuries, doctor's bills and loss of time resulting when he was thrown into a drainage ditch at South 23rd and Ash Streets on April 10, when the loose gravel slid from under his feet as he was attempting to pass along the side of his parked car to read a street sign. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

D. J. Berkson (5-20-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 911 Commerce Street;
Broadway Bowling Co. (5-2-35) for renewal of license for six bowling alleys at 739½ Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions recommending that they be granted:

Hotel Winthrop Corp. (5-20-35) for renewal of license for Winthrop Hotel at 6th and Broadway;
Larry Manning (5-20-35) for renewal of license for Ritz Hotel at 1113½ Broadway;
M. Nakamura (5-22-35) for renewal of license for Oxford Hotel at 204 South 15th Street;
John Winterhouse, for renewal of license for Stratford Hotel at 1316 Market Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one 1½ to 2 yard steel body dump truck for use at Cushman Power Plant No. 2, and to exchange in part payment therefor one Ford dump truck, City No. 217; appropriating the sum of \$1200.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$653.00, from the General Fund for the purpose of the payment of additional maintenance and operation and salaries and wages for the Police Court of the City of Tacoma, such purpose not having been sufficiently provided for in the annual budget or tax levy for 1935, declaring an emergency making necessary such appropriation, authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants, and declaring an emergency as to publication. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of the annual supply of incandescent lamps for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; and appropriating the sum of \$20,000 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

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Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County, under the right of Eminent Domain, for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land for the purpose of widening and straightening South Tacoma Way between South 38th Street and South 50th Street; and providing for payment thereof from the Secondary Highway Fund of 1935. Read by title and laid over to Monday, June 3, 1935 for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11173.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of the annual supply of incandescent lamps for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; and appropriating the sum of \$20,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, June 3, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest:

Edna Milnes
Deputy City Clerk.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, June 3, 1935.

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Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President.

Absent 1; Fawcett.

As this was the time set by the United States War Department for a public hearing on the matter of the removal of Hylebos Bridge to comply with the War Department's order, Council recessed until 2:00 P. M. this date to attend this hearing and all matters to be brought before the Council were laid over to this time.

Attest:

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President of City Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 2:00 P. M.

Monday, June 3, 1935.

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Council reconvened. Present 3; Bergersen, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 2,

Callender, taking his seating during consideration of "Reports of Officers" and Fawcett.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

163 P. C. A. Scurry, for renewal of license for three pool tables at 1327 Broadway;
167 D. W. Sigafoos, for license for public dance hall at K.P. Hall- 5050 South Tacoma
168 D. Way;

169 D. Sound Realty Co., for license for public dance hall at 945 South Tacoma Avenue.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

172 " J. K. Hadley, for renewal of license for Park Hotel at 802 "A" Street;
173 " K. Suyama, for renewal of license for New Washington Hotel at 1354 1/2 Broadway;
174 " Tacoma Hotel Inc., for renewal of license for Tacoma Hotel at 9th and "A" Street

175 " Atlas Foundry and Machine Co., et al, for vacation of Ash Street between South
176 " Tacoma Way and the railway tracks, i.e. abutting Lots 1 to 8 inc. Blocks 21 and 22, Plat of

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Carroll and Hannah Addition. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Downtown Association, advising that their organization voted unanimously to instruct the Mayor and City Commissioners to use their influence to remove any and all obstructions such as the Hylebos Waterway Bridge at once, thus causing no further delay in this necessary improvement and keeping faith with all interested parties. Referred to Col. Wild, U. S. District Engineer.

League of California Municipalities, inviting the Mayor and City Commissioners of Tacoma to attend the California Pacific Exposition on "Municipalities Day", Saturday, June 15th, and requesting that they be notified as to how many of Tacoma's officials plan to attend. Clerk directed to acknowledge the invitation and advise the League that the City will be represented if it is at all possible.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report of Light Division for month of April, 1935. Placed on file.

CLAIMS:

R. L. M. Martin, for \$26.50 for damages to his automobile on May 31, 1935 when he drove into a metal pipe or air vent protruding several inches above the ground on a City street near South 64th and Sheridan Avenue. Referred to Com'r. of Public Utilities.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of E. R. French, (5-29-35) for renewal of license for Community Drug store at 4638 South Yakima Avenue, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bichsel (5-27-35) for renewal of license for auto tourist camp at 4632 South Tacoma Way, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Albert Felchlin (5-27-35) for renewal of license for Swiss Hotel at 1004 Jefferson Avenue;
Charlotte W. Marsh, (5-27-35) for license for Allyn Hotel at 725 Market Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of the Young Men's Business Club of Puyallup (5-27-35) for permission to make a park at Maplewood Springs, and advised that the Maplewood Springs is one of the Water Department's reserve water supply sources, that since the building of the City's new gravity pipe line by way of 64th Street, this water can be sent to town at a rather reasonable cost, making this water available for dependable use in augmenting the flow of water into the City of Tacoma, and under the circumstances, they do not advise permitting the ground to be used for park purposes as any settlement upon this property would tend to pollute the waters of the Springs, and requested the City Clerk to inform the petitioners. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the report. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

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Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, June 3, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest:

Edna Melnes
Deputy City Clerk.

E. A. Scurry
President of City Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

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Monday, June 3, 1935.

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PETITIONS:

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THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11174.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County, under the right of Eminent Domain, for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land for the purpose of widening and straightening South Tacoma Way between South 38th Street and South 50th Street; providing for payment thereof from the Secondary Highway Fund of 1935.

It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the ordinance be amended by adding "appropriating the sum of \$20,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from said Fund for the purpose thereof; and declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication" to the title of the ordinance; by changing Section 3 to conform to the change in the title of the ordinance; and by adding Section 5 and Section 6, declaring an emergency as to payment and publication. It was seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett. Ordinance was then read in full as amended. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the ordinance be passed as amended. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Ed. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: Edwin Melson
Deputy City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.

Wednesday, June 5, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

N.

Henry B. Hart, Chief Engineer

R.

Walter J. Bennett, fireman
Geo. Calvert, fireman

Andrew Christenson, fireman
J. L. Galbraith, engineer
Lee C. Mattox, asst. engineer
J. B. Snyder, fireman
Frank Volk, fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Western Amusement Co., requesting a refund of the unused portion of their license fee for a game of skill (Fascination) in amount of \$150.00 granted under Ordinance No. 11130 and advising that they operated only three weeks and two days instead of the three months for which the license was issued, due to the fact that they were closed up by the Prosecuting Attorney and Superior Court on the ground that the game was one of chance and not of skill. It was moved by Mr. Callender to refer the petition to the Corporation Counsel. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

CLAIMS:

Hannah Knutsen Hague, for \$1000.00 for personal injuries sustained when she fell on a defective sidewalk on the easterly side of South Tacoma Avenue between South 7th and 9th Streets near the Earl Apartments. Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

William Gilbert and Eva Gilbert, for \$1500.00 for personal injuries sustained by their minor son William Gilbert Jr. when he was thrown from his bicycle on May 14th, while

riding across a path on East 48th Street near the intersection of East D Street, which accident was due to the negligence of the City. Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Wm. Sigafos (6-3-35) for license for public dance hall at K. P. Hall- 5050 South Tacoma Way;
Sound Realty Co., Inc. (6-3-35) for license for public dance hall at 945 South Tacoma Avenue;
Albert Felchlin (5-27-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 1904 Jefferson Avenue;
J. F. Koch (5-29-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 734 Pacific Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of E. B. Avery (5-29-35) for renewal of license for Avery Hotel at 407 1/2 South 11th Street, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10451.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of April, 1935, The City of Tacoma agreed to sell and W. J. Holmes and Janett Holmes, his wife, agreed to buy the following described real estate situated in the County of Pierce, State of Washington, more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lots 3 and 4 in Block 4 of C. P. Ferry's Second Addition to the City of New Tacoma, according to plat thereof filed for record in the office of the Auditor of Pierce County, Washington, on March 3, 1883, and recorded in Book 1 of Plats, page 60,

for the sum and upon the terms and conditions contained in that certain real estate contract between said parties, dated the 11th day of April, 1935; and

WHEREAS, said contract provides that no assignment of said contract or the subject matter thereof, or contract to assign or convey the subject matter thereof shall be valid unless the same be in writing and approved by the City of Tacoma; and

WHEREAS, the said buyers are desirous of assigning said contract to Jaresh and Slater; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That W. J. Holmes and Janett Holmes, his wife, be and they hereby are permitted to assign all their right, title and interest in and to the contract hereinbefore referred to, to Jaresh and Slater; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that nothing herein shall be construed to in any way release the said W. J. Holmes and Janett Holmes, his wife, from the obligations imposed upon them by said contract.

Adopted on roll call June 5, 1935. Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Resolution, submitted on April 24, 1935, directing the Commissioner of Public Works to prepare an estimate of the cost of removing the East Eleventh Street Bridge over Hylebos Waterway and to proceed with due speed to remove said bridge by June 7, 1935, in compliance with the order of the War Department, was brought up for consideration at this time. The Resolution was discussed by the Council and it was the opinion of Mr. Bergersen that it should be indefinitely postponed in view of the fact that no findings had been submitted as yet on the hearing held by the War Department on June 3, 1935. Commissioner Callender agreed with this viewpoint. Commissioner Davisson and Mayor Smitley took the stand that the Resolution should be adopted with possibly an amendment as to the date by which the bridge should be removed as it is a physical impossibility to complete the removal by June 7th. It was then moved by Mr. Bergersen that the above resolution be indefinitely postponed. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and lost on roll call: Yeas 2; Bergersen, Callender. Nays 2; Davisson, Smitley. Action on the matter of the Hylebos Bridge was discussed further and Assistant Corporation

Counsel Gardner was requested to submit another resolution to take the place of the one submitted on April 24th, setting forth that it is a physical impossibility to comply with the order of the War Department by June 7th and directing the Commissioner of Public Works to defer action on the removal of the bridge until such time as the findings of the War Department, based upon the testimony heard on June 3, 1935, shall have been handed down.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one 1½ to 2 yard steel body dump truck for use at Cushman Power Plant No. 2, and to exchange in part payment therefor one Ford dump truck, City No. 217; appropriating the sum of \$1200.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Appropriating sum of \$653.00, from the General Fund for purpose of payment of additional maintenance and operation and salaries and wages for the Police Court of the City of Tacoma; declaring an emergency making necessary such appropriation, authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants and declaring an emergency as to publication. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11175.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one 1½ to 2 yard steel body dump truck for use at Cushman Power Plant No. 2, and to exchange in part payment therefor one Ford Dump truck, City No. 217; appropriating the sum of \$1200.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11176.

Appropriating sum of \$653.00, from the General Fund for purpose of payment of additional maintenance and operation and salaries and wages for the Police Court of the City of Tacoma; declaring an emergency making necessary such appropriation, authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants and declaring an emergency as to publication. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

RESOLUTIONS:

The Resolution on the removal of the Hylebos Bridge, prepared by Mr. Gardner in accordance with Council's instructions, was submitted and read in full by the Mayor. Before acting on this Resolution, it was the consensus of opinion that the Resolution submitted on April 24th should be disposed of. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that resolution directing the Commissioner of Public Works to prepare an estimate of the cost thereof and to proceed with due speed to remove said bridge by June 7, 1935, in compliance with the order of the War Department, be indefinitely postponed. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Following resolution was then submitted for action of the Council:

Resolution No. 10452.

BY BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, the Secretary of War on May 13, 1935, on a finding that the bridge across Hylebos Waterway was an unreasonable obstruction to navigation, ordered its alteration or removal by June 7, 1934, which date was later extended to June 7, 1935; and

WHEREAS, it is a physical impossibility to comply with the order of the War Department by June 7, 1935; and

WHEREAS, the War Department held a public hearing on the matter on June 3, 1935, and its decision and findings have not yet been made known to the City of Tacoma; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he hereby is directed to defer the removal of the bridge across Hylebos Waterway until such time as the findings and decisions of the War Department, based upon the testimony heard by it on June 3, 1935, shall have been handed down.

Adopted on roll call June 5, 1935.

Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley requested that he be granted a leave of absence for the last two days of this week, June 7th and 8th. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, June 10, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest: Edna Melnes
Deputy City Clerk.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, June 10, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The regular order of business was suspended to give a hearing to the residents and business men from South Tacoma who filled the Council chamber. Mr. Fitzharris, President of the South Tacoma Business Men's Association, stated that they want to make the Council understand their opinion on the parallel parking regulation in South Tacoma. They are unanimously opposed to it, he said, and think the Council should repeal the ordinance and restore the old system of diagonal parking. He read a letter from the State Highway Department, listing its objections to diagonal parking along a state highway, but also stating that the regulation of parking was within the jurisdiction of the City Council and suggesting that they appeal to the Council if not satisfied with the parking rules. This statement would release the City from any promise to install parallel parking if the State Highway Department improved the street, Mr. Fitzharris stated. Mr. Vane and Mr. Metz told of the damage to business men caused by parallel parking and Mr. Mayor said that the car owners would like to see diagonal parking restored so that there will be sufficient space to park their cars closer to the stores where they do their trading, and all these speakers were of the opinion that the danger from diagonal parking was exaggerated.

Commissioner Bergersen told the people that he wishes to have the improvement of South Tacoma Way finished to M Street, and is uncertain as to what the effect will be in getting the balance of the money required if this request is complied with. If diagonal parking is permitted, he said he thought no trucks should be allowed to park on the highway. Mayor Smitley asked for support of the district in case it should become necessary in order to secure the appropriation from the state to complete South Tacoma Way to M Street, and the group unanimously pledged their assistance.

Commissioner Callender stated that the State Highway Department directed the City to put in parallel parking in South Tacoma Way before starting the improvement of the highway and that, in his opinion, diagonal parking is dangerous. If the request is granted, he stated that no trucks should be allowed to park diagonally, all deliveries should be made from the rear and a time limit should be placed on parking. He condemned the leaders of the Committee from South Tacoma which was responsible in painting diagonal parking signs on the street.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the Corporation Counsel be authorized to draw up an ordinance repealing the existing ordinance and providing for diagonal parking with restrictions as to time. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett. Mr. Fitzharris asked that the time limit be fixed at two hours, which would give customers at the stores sufficient time to make all their purchases, and this re-

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this request was taken under advisement.

Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the changes suggested be put into effect at once. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Mr. A. O. Rowe requested the City Council to make some definite plans on replacing of the Eleventh Street Bridge across Hylebos Waterway, saying it will be necessary to have at least preliminary plans to submit with the application for P. W. A. funds. Commissioner Bergersen said that a complete set of plans will cost \$10,000.00, but that he would have preliminary plans ready to submit with the application by the 16th of this month.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The petition of B. J. Constantino, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables, was submitted with the recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

H. W. Croft, for renewal of license for Croft Hotel at 1519 Pacific Avenue;
Gacoma McIse, for renewal of license for Tripoli Hotel at 1552 1/2 Broadway.

The petition of Daniel August Sigerist, for renewal of license for auto tourist camp at 7834 South Tacoma Way, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

Dr. John H. Alley, Superintendent of Cushman Hospital, advising that Mr. John R. Hunt of the U. S. Indian Service has partly made a survey of the Tacoma Hospital Grounds and he is anxious to complete the plans; stating that other cities are giving him aid so that the work may be expedited, and requesting that the City of Tacoma lend engineering aid so that the project plans may be completed. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Commissioner of Public Works be allowed to send the necessary engineering crew to do the work that Dr. Alley requests. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Tacoma Real Estate Board, requesting the Commissioner of Public Works to apply to the Public Works Administration of the U. S. Government for funds to provide proper and adequate communication to and from points which will be incommoded by the removal of the 11th Street Bridge over Hylebos Waterway. The Clerk was directed to notify the petitioners that the Council will make every effort possible to raise sufficient funds to build the Bridge in co-operation with the Federal Government.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

H. W. Payne, Chief of Fire Department of Spokane, announcing the Northwest Fire College will be held in Spokane on June 19th to 22nd and inviting the Fire Chief and members of the Fire Department of the City of Tacoma to attend this college. Clerk directed to inform the Fire Chief that the City of Tacoma will have the proper representation.

Pierce County Assessor, enclosing for Council's information excerpts from the law governing the proceedings of the County Board of Equalization which meets for at least three days beginning July 1, 1935 and requesting that members of the Board arrange their affairs so that meetings may be held on schedule. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that Commissioners Callender and Fawcett and Mayor Smitley be appointed to act on the Board of Equalization. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 1; Callender, Absent 1; Fawcett.

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OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Safety, submitting report for month of May, 1935. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement by Mildred M. Howard, granting the City the right to set poles on and string wires over her property located in Lot 2, Section 28, Township 21 N., R. 3 E., W. M., in King County, for the purpose of extending electric service to Mrs. Howard's home, and recommending that the easement be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller with instructions to have same placed upon the records of King County and afterwards returned to his office for filing. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of C. A. Scurry (5-2-35) for renewal of license for three pool tables at 1327 Broadway, and recommended the petition be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of A. H. Field (5-26-35) for license for auto tourist camp at South 80th and South Tacoma Way, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the claim of R. L. M. Martin (5-3-35) for \$26.50 for damages to his automobile on May 31st when he drove into a metal pipe or air vent near 64th and Sheridan, and advised that in his opinion no part of the responsibility for the accident is chargeable to his department or to the City and recommended that the claim be referred to the Corporation Counsel for investigation. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of C. E. Shearer (5-6-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 236, and advised that the cost of making this extension does not justify making same at this time, but if other signers can be obtained along this same extension, the petition would then be in order for reconsideration. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the petition be denied. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Leslie L. Weimar (5-22-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Section 2, T 19, R. 3, E.- Midland Garden Annex, and recommended the petition be granted and the premises be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

RESOLUTIONS:

By BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That South 34th Street and East 34th Street from Pacific Avenue to McKinley Avenue, for the purpose of renewing the present bridge; East 34th Street from Portland Avenue to Roosevelt Avenue, Roosevelt Avenue from East 34th Street to Wright Avenue, Wright Avenue from Roosevelt Avenue to Grandview Avenue, Grandview Avenue from Wright Avenue to State Road No. 5; Stevens Street from South 12th Street to North 26th Street; Winthrop Avenue from South 21st Street to Puyallup Avenue; South C Street from South 25th Street to State Road

No. 1; South 38th Street from Pacific Avenue to South Tacoma Way; Puyallup Avenue from Pacific Avenue to East G Street, be and the same are hereby declared to be Secondary Highways in the City of Tacoma.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that East 34th Street from Portland Avenue to Roosevelt Avenue, Roosevelt Avenue from East 34th Street to Wright Avenue, Wright Avenue from Roosevelt Avenue to Grandview Avenue and Grandview Avenue from Wright Avenue to East 32nd Street, be improved by laying down on said streets a Portland Cement concrete pavement, excepting that portion between East R Street and East T Street now occupied by a bridge.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THAT portion of Stevens Street between Sixth Avenue and North 26th Street, be improved by laying down on said street a Portland Cement concrete pavement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Winthrop Avenue from South 21st Street to Puyallup Avenue be improved by laying down on said street a Portland Cement concrete pavement, excepting that portion to be improved by the Northern Pacific Railway Company under its franchise.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that South C Street from South 25th Street to State Road No. 1 be improved by laying down on said street a Portland Cement Concrete pavement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that that portion of South 38th Street from a point 128 feet east of the center line of South Cedar Street to a point 742 feet west of the east line of Section 18, Township 20 North, Range 3 East, W. M. a distance of 2510 feet, be improved by grading to the established grade a roadway thirty (30) feet in width with parking spaces on each side thereof.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Puyallup Avenue from Pacific Avenue to East G Street be improved by resurfacing the present pavement with an asphaltic concrete wearing surface, excepting that portion to be improved by the Tacoma Railway and Power Company under its franchise.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the cost and expense of making these improvements be paid from the Secondary Highway Fund and in the manner provided by Chapter 41, Session Laws of 1933, as amended by Chapter 111, Session Laws of 1935, and such funds as may be granted by the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works of Washington.

Adopted on roll call June 10, 1935.

Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Resolution No. 10454.

By THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the 41st Division of the National Guard, under the command of Major-General George A. White, is to come to Camp Murray for summer encampment; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the welcome and hospitality of the City of Tacoma, of this community and of its citizens be extended to Major-General George A. White and to his officers and to the men of the 41st Division of the National Guard.

Adopted on roll call June 10, 1935.

Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Utilities to install an underground net work system to be located on Court "A" between South 7th and South 15th Streets; and appropriating the sum of \$50,000.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Relating to the organization of the Police Department and amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 5197, as amended by Ordinance No. 10329; and repealing Ordinance No. 10329. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract between the City of Tacoma, for and on behalf of its Department of Public Works, and John Kossuth; providing for the sale and removal of a building from property belonging to the City of Tacoma by said John Kossuth. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Amending Section 5 of Ordinance No. 10005 entitled: "An ordinance relating to health and sanitation; providing for and regulating the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and refuse and dead animals in the City of Tacoma; providing for the handling thereof exclusively by the City through its Garbage and Refuse Department; etc." Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Attest: Ed. A. Smitley
City Clerk.

Ed. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, June 12, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr.

President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following:

PETITIONS:

Junior Chamber of Commerce, requesting that the City decorate the streets for the Fourth of July. Mr. Byron D. Scott, President of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, was present and spoke in support of the petition and requested that he be notified of the Council's action. The petition was taken under advisement.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, and there being no corrections, they were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of I. Yashiki, for renewal of license for Majestic Hotel at 1336 1/2 Pacific Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

Leonard D. Geor, et al., for extension of electric light service to premises in Block 21 and 22, 1st Division University Place, referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation.

C. E. Stevens Co., Inc., requesting that they be permitted to continue paying their annual license fee of \$400.00 for advertising, in quarter installments of \$100.00 each payable June 3, Sept. 3, December 3, 1935 and March 3, 1936, and stating that a check for \$100.00 in payment of the installment for June 3rd is already in the hands of the City Clerk. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Broadway Association, commending the members of the Hylebos Bridge Association and the City Council for their untiring efforts to solve the problem of a new bridge over Hylebos Waterway that would accommodate ocean going vessels, and promising the full and complete cooperation of their association. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending June 1, 1935 in amount of \$1,523,179.98;
City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending June 8, 1935 in amount of \$1,014,381.82.

John M. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's authorization and approval, vouchers and duplicate vouchers Nos. 188, 189 and 190, covering interfund transfers for May, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the transfers be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that the Department of Public Utilities has in the Water Division a number of obsolete small hydrants for which they have no further use, and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell 7-4" second hand, old style water hydrants at a minimum price of \$25.00 per hydrant, proceeds of said to be credited to the Water Fund. It was moved by Mr. Davison that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Florence Miller (5-13-35) for license for Savoy Hotel at 1535 Pacific Avenue and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of D. H. Bales (4-1-35) for renewal of license for cabaret- Class 2- dancing, music and entertainment- at 1001 Pacific Avenue. and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of G. D. Bentley et al (5-29-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Puyallup and advised that the petitioners are scattered over a large territory some distance beyond any of their present extensions, and that they have no franchise in the portion of the County affected, and recommended that petition be denied and the City Clerk so advise the petitioners. It was moved by Mr. Lavisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of Virginia Boyd Pearce (5-29-35) for extension of electric light service to her premises at intersection of Knapp Road and Vickery Road, and advised that the cost of reaching these premises is such that under present circumstances they do not deem it advisable to make connections to this party and recommended that the petition be denied and the City Clerk so advise the petitioner. It was moved by Mr. Lavisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Utilities to install an underground net work system to be located on Court "A" between South 7th and South 15th Streets; and appropriating the sum of \$50,000.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Relating to the organization of the Police Department and amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 5197, as amended by Ordinance No. 10329; and repealing Ordinance No. 10329. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract between the City of Tacoma, for and on behalf of its Department of Public Works, and John Kossuth; providing for the sale and removal of a building from property belonging to the City of Tacoma by said John Kossuth. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Section 5 of Ordinance No. 10005 entitled: "An ordinance relating to health and sanitation; providing for and regulating the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and refuse and dead animals in the City of Tacoma; providing for the handling thereof exclusively by the City through its Garbage and Refuse Department; etc." Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11177.

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Utilities to install an underground net work system to be located on Court "A" between South 7th and South 15th Streets; and appropriating the sum of \$50,000.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11178.

Relating to the organization of the Police Department and amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 5197, as amended by Ordinance No. 10329; and repealing Ordinance No. 10329. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11179.

Authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract between the City of Tacoma, for and on behalf of its Department of Public Works, and John Kossuth; providing for the sale and removal of a building from property belonging to the City of Tacoma by said John Kossuth. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11180.

Amending Section 5 of Ordinance No. 10005 entitled: "An ordinance relating to health and sanitation; providing for and regulating the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and refuse and dead animals in the City of Tacoma; providing for the handling thereof exclusively by the City through its Garbage and Refuse Department; etc." Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Bergersen asked for leave of absence on Friday and Saturday of this week. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Lavisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1, Fawcett.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, June 17, 1935.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Lemuel Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, June 17, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President.

Absent 1; Fawcett.

PETITIONS:

The petition of W. D. Meier, for renewal of license for pawnbroker at 1216 Pacific Avenue, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Fawcett.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Point Defiance Amusement Co., for renewal of license for amusement resort (Fun Land) at Point Defiance Park;
Catherine Bade, for renewal of license for cabaret- Class 2- Dancing, entertainment and music- at 1119 South K Street.

J. F. Hickey, Manager Tacoma Hotel, asking the Council to see what steps can be taken to abolish the howling, screeching siren and bell on the 11th Street Bridge every time this bridge is open, as traffic seems to be through the channel mostly at night and this hideous noise is particularly objectionable to visitors and guests temporarily stopping in Tacoma. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

East Side Commercial Club of Portland, inviting the mayor of Tacoma, and as many others as would be interested, to attend an anniversary reception and dinner on Thursday, June 27th at 6:30 P. M. in honor of the Chief Executive of the City of Portland, Mayor Carson. Referred to the Mayor for reply.

Gerald G. McGeer, Mayor of Vancouver, B. C., stating that in connection with Dominion Day, the City of Vancouver is staging a 1st of July Celebration suitably commemorating this

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this historic event, and that they would appreciate and welcome any contribution Tacoma could make to the success of this occasion by way of entering a float, or joining with them in some other way in this Celebration. Clerk directed to notify them that the City cannot do anything, but the letter is being referred to the Chamber of Commerce with the request that they have some representation at the celebration, if possible.

Major General George A. White, expressing, on behalf of the Officers and men of the 41st Division, appreciation of the splendid spirit of friendliness toward the command conveyed in the Resolution adopted by the City Council on June 10th. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Controller, report for May, 1935. Placed on file.

Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, report for month of May, 1935. Placed on file.

CLAIMS:

Pacific Iron and Steel Works, for \$277.04, against the bond taken from the Birchfield Boiler Co., Contractor, and the Maryland Casualty Co., surety, for material furnished said contractor on P. W. Docket 1135B. Placed on file against the bond.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions recommending that they be granted:

H. W. Croft (6-10-35) for renewal of license for Croft Hotel at 1519 Pacific Avenue;
 J. M. HAGLEY (6-2-35) for renewal of license for Park Hotel at 802 "A" Street;
 T. ROMANI (6-27-35) for license for the Victoria Hotel at 1316 1/2 Broadway;
 T. SUTHERS (6-3-35) for renewal of license for New Washington Hotel at 1354 1/2 Broadway;
 Tacoma Hotel Inc (6-3-35) for renewal of license for Tacoma Hotel at 9th and "A" Streets

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Fawcett.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10485.

By BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to make application, on behalf of the City of Tacoma, to the U. S. District Engineer of the U. S. Army for the approval of Federal flood control works as a federal project under the Emergency Relief Appropriation of 1935 on the Puyallup River, within the City limits of the City of Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington, according to plans prepared by the U. S. District Engineer.

Adopted on roll call June 17th, 1935.
 Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr. President. Nays 0; Absent 1; Fawcett.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to make certain improvements in and about the McMillin Reservoir; and appropriating the sum of \$4000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division to construct a truck road along a portion of the Cushman transmission line in Mason County; and appropriating the sum of \$7500.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Light Fund, for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Amending Section 68 of Ordinance No. 10598, entitled: "An ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof: etc." repealing Ordinance No. 11170, and declaring an emergency. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

ORDER OF BUSINESS REPORTED TO

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

South Tacoma Merchants and Business Men, expressing appreciation to the City Council

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for its action in restoring diagonal parking in the business district of South Tacoma and pledging co-operation with the Council and the Police Department in the proper enforcement of a two-hour parking limit, in stopping double parking, and in insisting upon back-door deliveries from all trucks carrying goods into South Tacoma. Placed on file.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then

E. A. Smitley
 President of City Council.

Attest: *G. A. Martin*
 CITY CLERK.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10 A. M.
 WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr.

President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, they were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

N.
 C. H. Funk, Fireman
 Paul Holmes, Asst. Engineer
 Harold Neas, Fireman
 Wm. Sitton, Engineer
 Eric C. Young, Chief Engineer

Otto Hellar, Fireman
 E. R. Kennedy, Fireman
 J. Kirby, Fireman
 E. Meshishnek, Chief Engineer
 Thomas Nowsham, Fireman
 Carl S. Nilson, Asst. Engineer
 F. G. Preston, Asst. Engineer
 W. A. Shaw, Chief Engineer

R.
 Raymond D. Coodledge, Fireman
 E. T. Curry, Fireman
 John Froh, Engineer
 H. T. Hamilton, Fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion was seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

The petition of Junior Chamber of Commerce (6-12-35), requesting the City of Tacoma to decorate the streets for the Fourth of July Celebration, taken under advisement at the meeting of June 12th, was brought up for discussion. As there were no funds budgeted for this purpose, it was moved by Mr. Callender to deny the request because of lack of funds. Seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

Westoma Company, for renewal of license for Highland Golf Course at No. 13th and Pearl Streets. Referred to Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Geo. Ablan, license for cabaret, Class 1, at 915 So. Tacoma Avenue;
 L.F. CLARA Navario, license for cabaret, Class 1, at 5820 Pacific Avenue;
 HICKS DRUG CO., renewal of license for drug store at 602 South K Street;
 HANSEN & LARSON, renewal of license for two pool tables at 1223 Pacific Avenue;
 S. KORT, renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway;
 LAVON LAPalette, renewal of license for Tourist Hotel at 258 So. 11th St.

Petition of L. B. Larson, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises at University Place. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

Chas. E. Emigh, et al, requesting the immediate removal of the sign board now being put up at South 12th and Trafton Streets and giving reasons for making this request. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

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OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, submitting report of bank balances for week ending June 15, 1935 in amount of \$1,061,736.63. Placed on file.

City Controller, calling attention to receipts under the heading of "Licenses and Permits" and suggesting that a study of the detail of these items would permit of increasing revenues from this source for the balance of this year. Commissioner Callender suggested that a study be made of the entire license system with the idea of revising it before a new budget is adopted. The Council concurred in the suggestion and next Monday at 2 P. M. was fixed as the time of the first meeting to discuss this subject.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that the Light Division has one Model 400 P & H gasoline-operated shovel, which is not in good repair and is too heavy for the kind of work desired, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell this shovel for the best price obtainable at a minimum value of \$2,000.00 cash, the proceeds of the sale to be credited to the Light Division. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

CLAIMS:

M. M. Whiteside, for \$228.00, against the bond taken from Birchfield Boiler Co., Contractor, and the Maryland Casualty Co., surety, for wood furnished said contractor during the months of January, February and March, 1935. Placed on file against the bond.

Law F. Wood, for \$168.50 for wages from April 8 to May 13th at rate of \$142.50 per month as Labor Foreman, Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to which position he was entitled as a Civil Service Eligible. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Catherine Eude (5-17-35) for renewal of license for cabaret-Class 2- dancing, entertainment and music - at 1119 South K Street;
Point Defiance Amusement Co. (5-17-35) for renewal of license for amusement resort (Fun Land) at Point Defiance Park.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Gucomina Noise (5-10-35) for renewal of license for Hotel Tripoli at 1552 1/2 Broadway;
F. Yosniki (5-12-35) for renewal of license for Majestic Hotel at 1336 1/2 Pacific Ave.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Daniel August Sigerist (5-10-35) for renewal of license for auto tourist camp at 7834 South Tacoma Way, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Mrs. E. J. Smith, et al (5-27-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, and advised that the cost of making the extension desired is such as to make it unwise to extend their lines to these petitioners unless and until such time as additional petitioners in the territory should indicate their desire to obtain city electric service, and recommended the petition be denied and the petitioners be notified relative to same. It was moved by Mr.

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Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of Ed. E. Olson, et al (5-6-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4, (first road north of Baumgardner going east from Summit Road), and recommended it be granted and that each petitioner's premises be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10. has been paid the wiring has been inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to make certain improvements in and about the McMillin Reservoir; and appropriating the sum of \$4000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to construct a truck road along a portion of the Gushman transmission line in Mason County; and appropriating the sum of \$7500.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Light Fund, for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598, entitled: "An ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc." repealing Ordinance No. 11170, and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11181.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to make certain improvements in and about the McMillin Reservoir; and appropriating the sum of \$4000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11182.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to construct a truck road along a portion of the Gushman transmission line in Mason County; and appropriating the sum of \$7500.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Light Fund, for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Ordinance No. 11183.

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598, entitled: "An ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc." repealing Ordinance No. 11170, and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Ole Lund asked Council's permission to transfer their dances, without payment of an additional license fee, to the Coliseum during Fleet Week and while the Swiss Society is using their licensed dance hall- Crescent Ballroom- for a convention. It was moved by Mr. Callender that this permission be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Mr. Callender asked for a leave of absence from the City on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week to attend the "Fire College" at Spokane. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the request be granted. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, June 24, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *R. A. Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 11:00 A. M.
Thursday, June 20th, 1935.

SPECIAL SESSION:

Council met in special legislative session, pursuant to call of the President, for the purpose of taking action upon an ordinance authorizing the settlement of damages arising out of a collision between a street car and a City fire truck on January 20, 1935.

Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Bartlett Rummel, Assistant Corporation Counsel, advising that the Tacoma Railway & Power Co. has made an offer of settlement for the damage done to the City's fire truck on January 20, 1935 when it was struck by a street car at North 34th and Stevens Street; stating that this settlement is that the Railway Company will purchase from the National Bank of Tacoma a seven hundred fifty gallon a minute pumper which is held by the Bank, turning same over to the City with a free title; and asking the Council to authorize them to complete this settlement. Placed on file.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

The following ordinance was submitted with the signed request of the Mayor and two Councilmen that it be passed on the date of its introduction:

"Authorizing a settlement with the Tacoma Railway & Power Company for damages to a fire truck of the City of Tacoma, arising out of a collision which took place on January 20, 1935, in said City of Tacoma; and declaring an emergency." Read by title and passed to second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing a settlement with the Tacoma Railway & Power Company for damages to a fire truck of the City of Tacoma, arising out of a collision which took place on January 20, 1935, in said City of Tacoma; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11184.

Authorizing a settlement with the Tacoma Railway & Power Company for damages to a fire truck of the City of Tacoma, arising out of a collision which took place on January 20, 1935, in said City of Tacoma; and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.
upon motion, duly seconded and carried, the Special Meeting was adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Cornelius Ruppstein*
City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, June 24, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

J. O. Holmes, for license for cabaret, Class 1, music and entertainment, at 5431 South Tacoma Way;
K. Hoshida, for renewal of license for drug store at 1354 Broadway;
The Anchor Inc., for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1752 Pacific Avenue;
A. Novak, for renewal of license for one pool table at 3201 Portland Avenue;
W. H. Pfitts, for renewal of license for massage parlor at 1823 East Morton Street.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

C. Bauer, for renewal of license for Butler Hotel at 824 "A" Street;
S. Kosai, for renewal of license for Grand Hotel at 1514 1/2 Pacific Avenue;
F. C. Schlenz, for renewal of license for Van Noyes Hotel at 219 St Helens Avenue.

The petition of F. D. Jeter, for renewal of license for auto tourist camp at Camp Tahoma, 2836 South Tacoma Way, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Mrs. M. Gural, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (35th Street between Portland Avenue and Golden Given Road);
Metropolitan Park District, for extension of electric light service to premises at Napato Park;
Edwin Tomlinson, for extension of electric light service to premises on R F D 40.

Tacoma Day Nursery Association, advising they have a number of flags left over from their Flag Day Sale and requesting permission to sell them on the morning of July 4th. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the permission be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that he will request the State Treasurer to set aside, from any monies in the Motor Vehicle Fund credited to the City of Tacoma, the sum of \$200.00 for location engineering and preparing of plans for paving South Tacoma Way from South 50th Street to M Street as provided in Section 17, Chapter 111, Laws of 1935, and asking that the City Council confirm this transaction by a suitable resolution or otherwise. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

Rev. A. W. Rasmussen, submitting written consent (in accordance with Council's action on May 22nd) to erection of Gospel tent at corner of South 11th and L Streets by Bethel Pentecostal Assembly for purpose of holding meetings beginning July 7, 1935. Referred to Health Department for report on Wednesday, June 26th, with regard to sanitation.

Chas. L. Smith, Mayor of Seattle, inviting the City of Tacoma to participate in the Seattle Potlatch and Fleet Week Celebration- July 29th to August 4th- by entering a float in the parade or otherwise. Referred to Chamber of Commerce with request that they do anything possible to give the City representation at the celebration.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report of Water Division for month of May, 1935. Placed on file.

CLAIMS:

P. S. Washburn, for \$24.15 for damages to his automobile on May 16th, 1935 when a City car operated by John Doe Ellison backed into his car on Division Avenue. Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

The following claims against the bond taken from the Birchfield Boiler Co., contractor and the Maryland Casualty Co., surety, were submitted and ordered placed on file against the bond:

- American Machinery and Electric Co., for \$82.98 for merchandise and labor; Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, for \$257.35 for light and power bills; Griffin Fuel Co. for \$79.50 for coal furnished contractor; Hammerschmidt Lumber Co. for \$41.86, for lumber supplied contractor; McLean The Hoyer, for \$63.40 for drayage on materials to Palmer Junction; Geo. Scofield Co., for \$17.00 for rental of a truck.

The Clerk submitted a claim from Crane Co. for \$29.65 against the Birchfield Boiler Co., for material purchased for the Green River Pipe Line, and reported that this claim was filed in her office on June 21st, two days after the last date for filing of claims against this contract. The Clerk was directed to acknowledge the claim and advise the company that the time for filing claims against the bond of the Birchfield Boiler Company has expired.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Fanny Ducott, (7-11-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Baumgardner Road east of Summit, and recommended it be granted and each petitioner's premises connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in their houses inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

RESOLUTIONS:

INITIAL RESOLUTION No. 10456.

By BERGERSEN:

FOR GRADING AND SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENT:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That having granted the petition of Frank Betchard, et al,

That it is the intention of said Council to order the local improvement hereinafter set forth, and to levy and collect special assessments to pay the cost and expense of such improvement, upon the real property which is hereafter described, to the extent that such property shall be benefited thereby.

That said improvement shall consist of grading to the established grade "A" Street from 46th Street to 48th Street with a gravel roadway thirty (30) feet in width with parking spaces twenty five (25) feet in width on each side thereof, and laying down on said parking spaces Portland Cement concrete sidewalks five (5) feet in width, all in accordance with the plans and specifications to be prepared by the City Engineer therefor.

That the real property to be benefited by said improvement and which will constitute Local Improvement District No. 1402, is described as follows, to wit:

- The west one-half (1/2) of Block 69, The east one-half (1/2) of Block 77, Amended Map of First School Land Addition to the City of Tacoma.

The assessments levied against said lots and property to become due and payable at the option of the property owners in five (5) equal annual installments, with interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum on deferred payments.

That the work of said improvement be done and said special assessments be levied and collected in the manner provided by Chapter 98 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Washington of 1911 and amendments thereto and Ordinance No. 4611 of said City.

That all persons who may desire to object to the making of said improvement in the manner above set forth, shall do so in writing and file said remonstrance with the City Clerk at or prior to 3:30 A. M. on the date set for hearing before this Council to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall on the 15th day of July, 1935, at 10 O'clock A. M.

That the Commissioner of Public Works submit to this Council at a date prior to said 15th day of July, 1935, the estimated cost of said improvement, a statement of the proportions

amount thereof which should be borne by the property within the proposed assessment district, a statement of the aggregate assessed value of the real estate, exclusive of improvements, within said district according to the valuation last placed upon it for the purpose of general taxation, together with a diagram or print showing thereon the lots, tracts and parcels of land and other property which will be specially benefited by said improvement, and the estimated amount of the cost and expense of the improvement to be borne by each lot, tract or parcel of land or other property; and

That the City Clerk publish this resolution in two consecutive issues of the official newspaper, as required by law.

Adopted on roll call June 24, 1935. Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

In view of the fact that the L. I. D. Guaranty Fund is exhausted, the Corporation Counsel was requested for an opinion as to whether it is mandatory upon the Council to create a local improvement district whenever a majority petition for the improvement is filed and the financial condition of the district to be created conforms to the requirements of the statute.

Resolution No. 10457.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a loan and grant to aid in financing the construction of bridge and approaches on East 11th Street over the Hylebos Waterway in the City of Tacoma and designating C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma to the United States of America for a loan and grant to aid in financing the construction of a bridge and approaches on East 11th Street in the City of Tacoma over the Hylebos Waterway (No. F-4) according to the requirements of the War Department.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call June 24, 1935. Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$175.00 from the Street Railway Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the claim of Dr. Frederick M. Howe against the City of Tacoma for damages to an automobile and declaring an emergency. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Callender asked to be excused from the Council meeting next Wednesday. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

[Signature] President of City Council

Attest: [Signature] City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Wednesday, June 26, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr. President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

Regular order of business was suspended for the following:

Mr. L. J. Muscek asked if it would be possible to have a joint meeting of the Council and the City Planning Commission at an early date, saying the Commission is very anxious to know its status and also the desire of the Council regarding its future operations. The Council agreed to meet with the Commission on Tuesday evening, July 2nd.

ORDER OF BUSINESS REVERTED TO

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Highway Drug Co. (H.C. Beauchamp) for renewal of license for drug store at 5441 South Tacoma Way;
Arturo Semi, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1521 Broadway;
Speedway Royale Inc., for license to conduct motorcycle races at Athletic Ball Park- South 15th and Ferry Streets.

Griffin Wheel Co., requesting installation of two drop lights on the poles already in place on South Proctor Street between South 56th and 54th Streets. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

Lumber and Sawmill Workers Local 2560, requesting permission to sell tags on the streets of Tacoma on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week for the purpose of raising funds for their Local; enclosing a sample of the tags and a letter of endorsement from the Central Labor Council; and agreeing, if the permission is granted, that they will not have more than 30 persons selling and that these workers will be spread all over the City so they will not be a nuisance to the public. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the permission be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending June 22, 1935 in amount of \$1,069,657.36. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Works, advising that the Department of Public Works has a Buick Sedan which it wishes to dispose of, and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be directed to trade or sell this car for a value of not less than \$400.00. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

J. O. Holmes (6-24-35) for license for cabaret, Class 1, music and entertainment at 5451 South Tacoma Way;
M. Hoshida (6-24-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1354 Broadway;
T. H. Fritts (6-24-35) for renewal of license for massage parlor at 1823 East Morton Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Dr. S. M. Creswell, Director of Health, submitted a report on the communication of Rev. A. W. Rasmussen (6-24-35) submitting written consent to erection of Gospel tent at corner of South 11th and L Street by Bethel Pentecostal Assembly, and recommended that the petition be denied unless public toilet rooms be provided for the use of the congregation. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the petition be denied and that the petitioner be notified that, if he wants to comply with the requirements of the Director of Health, the Council will reconsider its action, but will not permit toilet rooms to be placed in the parking. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Bartlett Rummel reported back on the claim of Lew F. Wood (6-16-35) for wages from April 8 to May 18th amounting to \$166.50 as Labor Foreman, Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, and advised that he has talked with the Supt. of Light and finds that, in Mr. Kent's opinion, the Civil Service Commission acted unwarrantedly in finding that a labor foreman was required on this work, and recommended that the claim be denied. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$175.00 from the Street Railway Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the claim of Dr. Frederick K. Howe against the City of Tacoma for damages to an automobile and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11185.

Appropriating the sum of \$175.00 from the Street Railway Fund for the purpose of compromising and settling the claim of Dr. Frederick K. Howe against the City of Tacoma for damages to an automobile and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. R. J. Pearsall, 2106 North Oakes Street, chairman of the central section of Technocracy, as spokesman for a committee, protested against any interference with a meeting which has been called for to-day of the Unemployed Council, Communist Party, I. L. A. Shingle Weavers Union and other labor groups in Firemen's Park, saying they understand the authorities have refused to allow the group to use the park and they consider this an interference with their freedom of speech and assemblage.

Mr. L. C. Clark, of the Shingle Weavers' Union, stated that the Park Board has refused to give them permission to use the park and they would like the Council to give them permission to mobilize the group at the park and march from there to a vacant lot at South 15th and Commerce Streets where the meeting would be held. Commissioner Callender informed him that there could be no outdoor gathering of any kind during the strike, according to orders of the general commanding the National Guard.

Mr. Clark also announced that the Shingle Weavers' Union is giving a dance tomorrow night in the Crescent Ball Room for the benefit of their organization and are receiving support from the business men of the City and would like the City Council to take a block of their tickets. He was requested to interview the Commissioners separately with regard to purchase of the tickets.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, July 1st at 1:30 P. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Y. H. Fritts*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 1:30 P. M.

Monday, July 1, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr.

President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

Pierce County unemployment Council, calling upon the City Council to exert as much influence to have the National Guards and the State Police withdrawn from "Strike Duty" as they did in having them sent here. Upon the suggestion of Mr. Callender, no action was taken owing to the fact that the Council had nothing to do with bringing the Guard here.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Frank H. Brown, for renewal of license for drug store at 2617 North 21st Street;
Fred A. Grote, for renewal of license for drug store at 6323 McKinley.

The petition of H. Makayama, for renewal of license for Elgin Hotel at 1502 1/2 Broadway, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

H. R. Olsen, requesting that the time for completion of his contract to reconstruct Fire House No. 2 be extended to July 15, 1935 and submitting consent of bondsmen to such extension. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the extension be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

A. W. Rasmussen, Pastor, advising that the Bethel Pentecostal Assembly is willing to meet the requirements of the Health Department with regards to sanitation in erecting a Gospel Tent on the corner of 11th and L Streets and requesting Council to grant them permission to put up this tent in time for services July 7th. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Bethel Pentecostal Assembly be given permission to erect a tent at 11th and L Street as requested, upon compliance with regulations of the Health Department. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Coast Neon Displays Inc., calling attention to their communication of February 15th, 1935, regarding signhanger's license and liability bond; stating that up to the present they are the only firm in the City that has complied with the present ordinance and since there is no attempt to enforce the ordinance, requesting the return of the \$25.00 fee or the enforcement of the ordinance. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

The following communications were submitted and ordered placed on file:

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that paving of East 34th Street from Portland Avenue to Roosevelt Avenue, Roosevelt Avenue from East 34th to Wright Avenue, Wright Avenue from Roosevelt Avenue to Grandview Avenue, and Grandview Avenue from Wright Avenue to East 2nd Street except that portion between East R and East T now occupied by a bridge, as set forth in Resolution No. 10453, has been approved by the State and that this project will be known as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 1.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that paving of Stevens Street between 6th Avenue and North 20th Street, as set forth in Resolution No. 10453, has been approved by the State and that this project will be known as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 2.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that paving of Winthrop Avenue from South 21st Street to Puyallup Avenue excepting the portion to be improved by the N. P. Railway Co. under its franchise, as set forth in Resolution No. 10453, has been approved by the State and that this project will be known as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 3.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that paving of South C Street from South 25th Street to State Road No. 1, as set forth in Resolution No. 10453, has been approved by the State and that this project will be known as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 4.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that grading South 38th Street from a point 128 feet east of center line of South Cedar to a point 742 feet west of the east line of Section 18, Twp. 20 N., R 3 E., T. M., a distance of 2510 feet, as set forth in Resolution No. 10453, has been approved by the State and that this project will be known as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 5.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that resurfacing of Puyallup Avenue from Pacific Avenue to East C Street except that portion to be improved by the Tacoma Railway and Power Co. under its franchise, as set forth in Resolution No. 10453, has been approved by the State and that this project will be known as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 6.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Municipal Belt Line Division for month of May, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Light Division for month of May, 1935.

CLAIMS:

Ruth Rundle, for \$5.00, for loss of time on June 25th as a result of being rendered incapable of performing her duties because of tear gas released at 11th and A Streets by the State Highway Patrol. Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of the Highway Drug Co. E. C. Beauchamp- (6-26-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 5441 South Tacoma Way, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

C. Bauer (6-24-35) for renewal of license for Eutler Hotel at 824 "A" Street;
S. Rossi (6-24-35) for renewal of license for Grand Hotel at 1514 1/2 Pacific Avenue;
F. C. Schlenz, (6-24-35) for renewal of license for Van Noy Hotel at 219 St Helens Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and that the premises of each petitioner be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

Leonard D. Gear, et al (6-12-35) for extension of electric light service to premises in Block 21 and 22, 1st Division, University Place;
Mrs. M. Gurul, et al (6-24-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4 (85th Street between Portland Avenue and Golden Given Road);
L. B. Larsor, et al (6-19-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at University Place;
Edwin Tomlinson, et al (6-24-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on R. F. D. No. 6.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of the Metro-politan Park District (6-24-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at "Apato Park, and recommended that the petition be granted on the condition that the Park Board take the service at 72nd Street and construct and maintain their own line on the Park Board's private property and that the service be connected on payment of the usual \$1.00 connection fee. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10458.

By BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That pursuant to Paragraph 3, Section 7, Chapter 111, Laws of 1935, the setting aside by the Treasurer of the State of Washington of the sum of \$200.00 from the moneys in the Motor Vehicle Fund credited to the City of Tacoma to defray engineering expenses in connection with the paving of South Tacoma Way from South 50th Street to K Street in the City of Tacoma, is hereby consented to and approved.

Adopted on roll call July 1, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10459.

By BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That that portion of Resolution No. 10453, adopted June 10, 1935, reading:

"Be it further resolved that Puyallup Avenue from Pacific Avenue to East G Street be improved by resurfacing the present pavement with an asphaltic concrete wearing surface, excepting that portion to be improved by the Tacoma Railway and Power Company under its franchise."

be amended to read:

"That Puyallup Avenue from Pacific Avenue to East G Street be improved as follows: From Pacific Avenue to "A" Street by removing the present wood block wearing surface and laying down a Portland Cement concrete wearing surface; from "A" Street to East "C" Street by removing the present broken pavement and replacing the same with a new Portland cement concrete pavement; from East "C" Street to East "G" Street by resurfacing the present pavement with an asphaltic concrete wearing surface, excepting that portion of Puyallup Avenue to be improved by the Tacoma Railway and Power Company under its franchise."

Adopted on roll call July 1, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 10460.

By BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the steel portion of that certain bridge or viaduct located on State Highway No. 1 in the City of Tacoma between Bay Street and the city limits be cleaned, repaired and painted.

Adopted on roll call July 1, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 10461.

By BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That that certain bridge located between Pacific Avenue and East B Street on East 74th Street in the City of Tacoma, which said street was by Resolution No. 10453, passed June 10, 1935, declared to be a Secondary Highway, be and said bridge is hereby directed to be replaced with a new structure.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the cost and expense of making these improvements be paid from the Secondary Highway Fund and in the manner provided by Chapter 41, Session Laws of 1935, as amended by Chapter 111, Session Laws of 1935, and such funds as may be granted by the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works of Washington.

Adopted on roll call July 1, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 19 of Ordinance No. 11132 -- an ordinance to fix and confirm the salaries and compensation to be paid certain officials and employes of the City of Tacoma, etc. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the construction of concrete sidewalks, aprons, driveways and drains on the east side of Pacific Avenue from South 48th Street to near South 52nd Street; and appropriating the sum of \$1250 from the 1934 Secondary Highway Fund for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action in Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County, under the right of Eminent Domain, for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land for the purpose of widening and straightening South Tacoma Way between South 33th Street and South M Street; providing for payment thereof from the Secondary Highway Fund of 1935; appropriating the sum of \$25,000.00, from said Fund for the purpose thereof; and declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *Louise Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, July 3, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Wm. E. Henry, fireman
Jesse McCash, asst. engineer
John Q. McKnight, Asst. engineer
James J. Pike, chief engineer

H. O. Harpat, donkey engineer
A. Haug, chief engineer
J. Jazek, asst. engineer
Fred G. Lewis, asst. engineer
Wm. F. Maingault, asst. engineer
A. Messmer, asst. engineer
Fred J. Parsons, asst. engineer
Earl Peck, fireman
Philip M. Ryan, chief engineer
E. E. Selvig, chief engineer
D. W. Simmons, asst. engineer
C. J. Westledge, donkey engineer

R.

Frederick Allen, chief engineer
John Andrews, fireman
H. E. Bogue, asst. engineer
C. L. Callender, chief engineer
Wm. Croell, asst. engineer
Fred R. Grimm, fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners.

Motion seconded by Mr. Switley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of J. Wakamatsu, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Com'r of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation.

Motion seconded by Mr. Switley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Wm. T. Hoveland, for renewal of license for drug store at 3844 - 6th Avenue;
Peterson and Cooksle, for renewal of license for ten pool tables at 941 Commerce St.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending June 29, 1935 in amount of \$731,230.63;
Planning Commission, report for period from January to July, 1935.

Corporation Counsel, submitting opinion (requested by Council on June 24th) as to the powers and duties of the City Council in the matter of creating Local Improvement Districts, particularly in the face of the present distressed financial condition of the L I D Guaranty Fund, and advising that the Council may refuse to create any such district unless in its judgment it will prove to be self-liquidating. Placed on file.

CLAIMS:

Llaude J. Petersen, for \$100.00 for loss of wages, headaches and general nausea as a result of being gassed by State Highway Patrol officers and National Guardsmen at 11th and "A" Streets while on his way to work on June 24th and 25th, 1935. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Frank H. Brown (7-1-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 2617 North 21st Street;

Fred A. Grote (7-1-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 6323 McKinley Ave.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety also reported back on the petition of the Speedway Royale Inc. (6-26-35) for license to conduct motorcycle races at Athletic Ball Park-South 15th and Ferry Streets, and recommended it be granted. Mr. Callender reported that the applicant will pay quarterly throughout the year, but expects to hold only two or three races a week during the summer, but he does not think they would pay more than \$25.00 a quarter for a license. Under these circumstances, the Council was of the opinion that the ordinance would not need to be amended but that the races could be classified in Class 10, Shows and Amusements of the General License Ordinance- No. 7545. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the license be granted and the fee fixed in accordance with Class 10, of Ordinance No. 7545- General License Ordinance- Shows and amusements. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Bartlett Rummel reported back on the petition of Chas. K. Emigh, et al (6-19-35) requesting the immediate removal of the sign board now being put up at South 12th and Trafton Streets, and advised that the location is a retail business district, that billboard advertising is permitted in such districts under the Zoning Ordinance and there is nothing under the present ordinances that the City can do about stopping the erection of this signboard. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the petitioners be notified of the Corporation Counsel's opinion. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the construction of concrete sidewalks, aprons, driveways and drains on the east side of Pacific Avenue from South 48th Street to near South 52nd Street; and appropriating the sum of \$1250.00 from the 1934 Secondary Highway Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Section 19 of Ordinance No. 11132-- an ordinance to fix and confirm the salaries and compensation to be paid certain officials and employes of the City of Tacoma, etc. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County, under the right of Eminent Domain, for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land for the purpose of widening and straightening South Tacoma Way between South 38th Street and South M Street; providing for payment thereof from the Secondary Highway Fund of 1935; appropriating the sum of \$25,000.00, from said fund for the purpose thereof; and declaring an emergency as to publication. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11136

Authorizing the construction of concrete sidewalks, aprons, driveways and drains on the east side of Pacific Avenue from South 48th Street to near South 52nd Street; and appropriating the sum of \$1250.00 from the 1934 Secondary Highway Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11137.

Amending Section 19 of Ordinance No. 11132--an ordinance to fix and confirm the salaries and compensation to be paid certain officials and employes of the City of Tacoma, etc. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11138.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County, under the right of Eminent Domain, for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land for the purpose of widening and straightening South Tacoma Way between South 38th Street and South M Street; providing for payment thereof from the Secondary Highway Fund of 1935; appropriating the sum of \$25,000.00, from said Fund for the purpose thereof; and declaring an emergency as to publication. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to 1:45 P. M. this date.

Attest: E. A. Smitley
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 1:45 P. M.

Wednesday, July 3rd, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley submitted a letter from the War Department notifying the Council that its request for a further extension of time in which to remove or alter the Hylebos Bridge on East 11th Street had been denied, and suggested that the Council adopt a resolution authorizing the Commissioner of Public Works to request the War Department to make application to the Federal Employment Council for removal of the bridge as a Works Federal Relief project. The suggestion and the form of resolution necessary to put the plan into effect were discussed, but it was decided to defer action until Friday, July 5th, in order that residents of the district east of the bridge might be informed of the contemplated action. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Commissioner of Public Works be instructed to confer with Col. Wilde, District Engineer of the War Department in Seattle, with regard to the proposed resolution. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Friday, July 5th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest: E. A. Smitley
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Friday, July 5, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 3; Bergersen, Davissan, Mr. President. Absent 2; Callender, Fawcett.

Mayor Smitley reported that Commissioner Callender had been called for Jury duty in Federal Court and Commissioner Fawcett was ill, and he moved that they be excused. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2, Callender, Fawcett. (Mr. Callender took his seat later in the session.)

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following:

Mr. A. O. Rowe, representing the Hylebos Bridge Assn., was present and asked the Council to defer action on the proposed resolution authorizing removal of the Hylebos Bridge until after the application for PWA funds to replace the bridge has been filed. He urged that this application be filed at the earliest possible time and argued that, if the War Department knows that some action is being taken towards the reconstruction of the bridge, it will not hurry the removal of the one now in use. Commissioner Bergersen informed him that the application will be filed just as soon as the new federal agency dealing with work relief projects will accept. The Council considered it inadvisable to postpone action on the War Department's demand any longer and the following resolution was submitted:

Resolution No. 10462.

By BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, the War Department heretofore directed the City of Tacoma to remove the Hylebos Bridge on East 11th Street in the City of Tacoma on or before the 7th day of June, 1935; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma heretofore applied to the War Department for an extension of time within which to remove or replace said bridge; and

WHEREAS, on June 3, 1935, a public hearing was held in the City of Tacoma, at which hearing the matter of granting a further extension of time was presented and considered; and

WHEREAS, the War Department has notified the Mayor that a further extension of time within which to remove or replace said bridge is denied, and has directed the City of Tacoma to proceed promptly to comply with the War Department's decision; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City of Tacoma proceed to remove said Hylebos Bridge in compliance with the directions of the War Department and that steps be taken immediately to that end.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Tacoma request the War Department to remove said bridge and widen the Hylebos channel at East 11th Street, across which channel said bridge extends, through the E. R. A. as a Work Federal Relief Project under the War Department, or through such other means as may be available under the War Department.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to make application to, and carry on all negotiations with, the War Department for the removal of said bridge and the widening of said channel.

Adopted on roll call July 5, 1935.

Yeas 3; Bergersen, Davissan, Mr. President. Nays 1; Callender, Absent 1; Fawcett.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, July 8, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest: Comptroller
City Clerk.

E. A. Davissan
President of City Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, July 8, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davissan, Fawcett, Mr. President.

Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The petition of K. Urushibata, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

A. J. Cluckey, for license for Dewey Hotel at 1308 Market Street;
O. Okawa, for renewal of license for Columbus Hotel at 1554 Market Street.

The petition of C. R. Burkebile, for renewal of license for one pool table at 801 Pacific Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Charles Arnold, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4, Box 499 (on Knapp Road east of Canyon Road);

Frank Berg, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3, Fuyallup;

W. B. Jones, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 5;

William D. Melville, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 6, Box 140B;

Otto Rickert, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3, Fuyallup.

Risk Flag & Decorating Co., requesting permission to decorate the streets of Tacoma for Fleet Week, from July 13th to 19th inclusive and listing the streets to be decorated. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Risk Flag & Decorating Co., requesting permission to decorate the streets of Tacoma for the American Legion, Department of Washington, Convention to be held on August 14th to 17th inclusive, and listing the streets to be decorated. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Western Washington Fair Association, requesting permission to distribute pamphlets advertising the Fair in the envelopes sent by the City of Tacoma to Light and water patrons, and agreeing to bear the expense in connection with placing the advertising matter in the envelopes. It was moved by Mr. Davissan that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

John H. Bluns, Director Works Progress Administration, District No. 5, inviting the City Council to attend a meeting in the County Commissioner's room at the Court House at 7:30 P. M. on Tuesday, July 8th, for the purpose of discussing the works program with Mr. Geo. P. Gannon, State Works Progress Administrator. The invitation was accepted and all members of the Council agreed to attend the meeting.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Controller, notifying the Council that budget estimates for the year 1936 must be filed with the City Controller not later than August 12, 1935, submitting information as to the financial status of the City and urging that greater economies than heretofore be anticipated in preparing the 1936 budget. Clerk directed to convey to the Controller thanks of the Council for this report and the information contained therein and tell him that the Council will

be glad to meet with him and try to work out his suggestions and recommendations.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement granted by the Crews Auto Parts Inc., giving the City permission to string wires over and across their property in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 1 $\frac{1}{2}$, Township 20 N, R 2 East W. M.; advising that easement has been approved as to form and description; and recommending that it be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller with instructions to have it recorded and filed according to the usual practice. Moved by Mr. Davisson that the recommendation be concurred in. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Mr. A. C. Rowe, representing residents east of Hylebos Bridge, submitted a communication to the Hylebos Bridge Association, setting forth a plan for replacing the present Hylebos Bridge with a new bridge that will satisfy the specifications of the War Department and, from a financial standpoint, be thoroughly feasible and within the resources of the City of Tacoma. Mr. Rowe suggested that the City Council arrange a meeting with the Pierce County Commissioners and see if the County cannot give some assistance in the construction of the new bridge. The Council agreed to such a meeting.

ORDER OF BUSINESS REVERTED TO

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

The Anchor Inc., (6-24-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1352 Pacific Avenue;
A. Novak (6-24-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 3201 Portland Avenue;
Arturo Semi (6-26-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 1521 Broadway;
W. T. Hoveland (7-3-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 3844 - 6th Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

F. D. Jeter, (6-24-35) for renewal of license for auto tourist Camp at 3836 South Tacoma Way;
Kestoma Co., for renewal of license for Highland Golf Course at North 13th and Pearl Streets (6-18-35).

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of H. Nakayama (7-1-35) for renewal of license for Elgin Hotel at 1502 $\frac{1}{2}$ Broadway, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10467.

BY DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, has filed its requisition with the Government for an additional \$250,000.00 under P. W. A. Docket No. 1135; and

WHEREAS, it appears that there may be a short delay in obtaining said funds; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to obtain a temporary loan to meet contract obligations becoming due in connection with said project; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Commissioner of Public Utilities be and he is hereby directed to make a temporary loan of \$50,000.00 at 4% interest from the Water Construction Fund of 1931 to the Water Construction Fund of 1934, for the purpose of having sufficient funds in the latter fund

to pay current obligations pending receipt of the funds requisitioned as above set forth.

Adopted on roll call July 8, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10464.

BY DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma has made application to the State of Washington, Department of Highways, for franchises to construct, operate and maintain a water pipe line, and an electrical transmission and distributing line, upon a portion of State Road No. 5, the same being the National Park Highway; and

WHEREAS, a hearing has been had before the Director of Highways, and Franchises Nos. 769 and 770 have been granted to the City of Tacoma for said water pipe line and said electrical line, and it is necessary for the City of Tacoma to accept the same; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City of Tacoma be and they are hereby authorized to execute an acceptance of each of the franchises above described and to transmit the same to the Director of Highways of the State of Washington, in accordance with the provisions of the laws and statutes of the State of Washington.

Adopted on roll call July 8, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Approving the employment by the Commissioner of Public Works of Silas Nelson as architect in connection with the construction of Fire Station No. 2; appropriating the sum of \$398.00 from the General Fund, Department of Public Works, General engineering Salaries and Wages, for said purpose; and declaring that a public emergency exists. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded, Council then adjourned.

G. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *G. A. Smitley*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.

Wednesday, July 10, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

REGULAR ORDER of business was suspended for consideration of the following:

PETITIONS:

Home Housing Club, requesting Council to endorse a petition to the President of the United States to provide adequate relief, including housing, for the unemployed who are facing evictions and foreclosures, and inviting the members of Council to attend a meeting at Liberty Hall, East Division and G Streets, on Thursday evening at 8 P. M. to assist in solving the rent question for the unemployed on relief. Mr. Dan Jones, Chairman of the Club, explained that they are trying to get the support of the City Council, the Chamber of Commerce, County Commissioners and Real Estate Board with the idea of having rent and light and water bills paid from relief funds. Mayor Smitley informed the petitioners that the new Works Administration has this under consideration and recommended that they see Mr. Gannon, State Administrator, and Mr. John H. Birms, District Administrator, to ascertain just what is being planned before taking any further action on their petition, which they agreed to do.

Wild West Post No. 91, V F W, requesting Council to grant them permission to hold a carnival on property between 23rd and "A" and 23rd and Pacific and adjoining vacant lots, for a period of one week beginning July 15, 1935, and stating that the proceeds will be used for the relief of needy veterans, their widows and orphans. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the petition be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0. The petitioners were requested to file written consent or adjoining property owners for use of the location for this purpose.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to reading of the minutes of the previous meeting and, there being no corrections, they were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Sebastian Greco, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Mrs. Floy Miller, for renewal of license for Lawrence Hotel at 1011 "A" Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Carl A. Hague, for renewal of license for auto tourist camp at 1213 Puyallup Ave., N. E. and Mrs. Geo. E. Stafford, for renewal of license for auto tourist camp at 6602 South Tacoma Way.

The petition of S. E. Skoog, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises near 72nd and Canyon Road, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

Mrs. William Watson, requesting that her husband, Wm. Watson, who was a volunteer fireman for seven years from 1887 to 1894, be given the same pension as now exists for firemen, in view of his past services. Referred to the Firemen's Pension Board.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending July 6, 1935 in amount of \$1,054,187.12;
City Treasurer, report for month of May, 1935.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Corporation Counsel reported back on the claim of P. S. Washburn (G-24-35) for \$24.15 for damages to his automobile on May 16th, 1935, when a City car backed into his car, and advised that the claim has been adjusted through the Department of Public Works. Placed on file.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Relating to regulating and licensing the business and occupation of Sign Erection and providing penalties for the violation hereof; and repealing Ordinance No. 10968. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Declaring certain buildings to be public nuisances and directing the institution of legal proceedings to procure the abatement thereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division to paint and repair certain buildings and structures at Cushman Power Plant No. 1 and Cushman Power Plant No. 2; and appropriating the sum of \$3500.00, from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$2750.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the General Fund for the purpose of operating the Contagious Hospital and declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Approving the employment by the Commissioner of Public Works of Silas Nelson as architect in connection with the construction of Fire Station No. 2; appropriating the sum of \$395.00 from the General Fund, Department of Public Works, General Engineering Salaries and Wages, for said purpose; and declaring that a public emergency exists. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11189.

Approving the employment by the Commissioner of Public Works of Silas Nelson as architect in connection with the construction of Fire Station No. 2; appropriating the sum of \$395.00 from the General Fund, Department of Public Works, General Engineering Salaries and Wages, for said purpose; and declaring that a public emergency exists. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The Mayor reported that the Council talked over the Hylebos Bridge Project with the County Commissioners and have arranged a meeting with them at 2 o'clock next Wednesday, the 17th, in the County Commissioners' office; and that Commissioner Bergersen has been requested to contact the King County Commissioners to see if they can give any assistance with the Bridge.

NEW BUSINESS:

It was moved by Mr. Callender that a resolution be prepared appointing Mr. Bergersen as the City's representative to contact the new Works Progress Administration. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Mayor Smitley reported that this action is taken in accordance with request made at the meeting with the State Administrator, Mr. Gannon, at the meeting in the Court House last night.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, July 15th, 1935, at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Weston*
City Clerk.

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SPECIAL SESSION:COUNCIL CHAMBER, 3:15 P. M.
Thursday, July 11, 1935

Council met in special legislative session, pursuant to call of the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Works, for the purpose of taking necessary action with regard to the strike of lumber mill workers.

Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 1; Davisson.

Mr. Callender stated he had requested this meeting for the reason that he believes, if the Council will take action to call the Federal Mediation Board, with Ernest Marsh, Representative of the Department of Labor, for a meeting in Tacoma, the whole difficulty with regard to the strike can be settled. He pointed out that as neither the Labor organizations nor the operators are in a position to ask the Board to come here, it is going to be necessary for some civic body to extend the invitation, and as the City Government is vitally interested, he considers the City Council should take the initiative in this. Mr. Callender then moved that telegrams be sent to Judge Roscoe Smith, Chairman of the Federal Mediation Board, and to Mr. Marsh requesting a meeting of the Board with Mr. Marsh in Tacoma at the earliest possible time. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Davisson.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, the Special Meeting was adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Leopoldo Yartun*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, July 15, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The petition of the Old St. Louis, Inc., for license for cabaret- Class 2- music, entertainment and dancing- at 1110 Commerce Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of John A. O'Laughlin, for license for auto tourist camp at 6409 South Tacoma Way, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Firestone Service Stores, et al, agreeing to support and work with Wild West Post No. 91, V. F. W. in an effort to sponsor the West Coast Shows Carnival near 23rd and Pacific for one week starting July 15th. Placed on file with petition of Wild West Post No. 91 (7-10-35).

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Safety, submitting list of used tires which are of no further use to the Fire Department and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell or trade in these tires to the best advantage. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Geo. Ablan (6-10-35) for license for cabaret, Class 1- music and entertainment at 915 South Tacoma Avenue;
Mrs. Clara Navario (6-10-35) for license for cabaret- Class 1- music and entertainment only- at 5320 Pacific Avenue;
Hicks Drug Co. (6-10-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 602 South K Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

A. J. Cluckey (7-0-35) for license for Dewey Hotel at 1708 Market Street;
O. Okawa (7-0-35) for renewal of license for Columbus Hotel at 1554 Market Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10465.

BY FAWCETT:

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma had a local improvement assessment lien against the property hereinafter describe; and

WHEREAS, the County of Pierce has foreclosed a certificate of delinquency on account of delinquent taxes against the said property, which general tax lien was a superior lien to that of the City of Tacoma; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma did not protect its rights by paying up the delinquent taxes against said property and has therefore been foreclosed of any right, title, lien or interest in and to said property; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City of Tacoma be and they hereby are authorized to execute a quitclaim deed to that certain tract of real property situate in Pierce County, Washington, described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the Easterly line of the Northeast quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of the Northeast quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of the Southeast quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section twenty-one (21) Township 20 North, Range 3 East of Willamette Meridian, one hundred and forty-four (144) feet north of the Southeast corner of the said NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$, thence West three hundred and fifty-seven (357) feet, thence North parallel with said easterly line one hundred (100) feet, thence East three hundred and fifty seven (357) feet to said easterly line, thence South along said easterly line one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning,

to Pierce County.

Adopted on roll call July 15, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTION No. 10466.

BY BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That South Tacoma Way between "H" Street and South 50th Street in the City of Tacoma, Washington, be altered, straightened and widened; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the cost and expense of making this improvement, the cost of obtaining the necessary right of way and of engineering be paid from the Secondary Highway Fund and in the manner provided by Chapter 41, Session Laws of 1927, as amended by Chapter 111, Session Laws of 1935.

Adopted on roll call July 15, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

The following ordinance was submitted with the signed request of the Mayor and two Councilmen that it be passed on the date of its introduction:

Relating to the interference with the use of public streets and sidewalks; providing penalties for violation hereof and declaring an emergency; and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Read by title and passed to second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Relating to the interference with the use of public streets and sidewalks; providing penalties for violation hereof and declaring an emergency; and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11190.

Relating to the interference with the use of public streets and sidewalks; providing penalties for violation hereof and declaring an emergency; and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Following the passage of the above ordinance, the Mayor made the following statement:

"The City Council doesn't propose to prevent strikes or deny to any man the right to strike, but we do propose to prevent disorders and disturbances upon the public streets of the City of Tacoma and the destruction of property, and to see that our citizens may use our streets in safety and without interference. Such disorders and demonstrations as took place last Thursday and Friday are not going to be tolerated. Unless this ordinance is effective in clearing the situation in Tacoma, I shall feel it my duty to ask the Council to request the Governor to declare a state of martial law in Tacoma for the protection of our citizens."

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

In reply to the telegram addressed Roscoe R. Smith, Chairman of the Federal Lumber Mediation Board, requesting the Board to meet in Tacoma on the Strike situation, the following telegram was read by the Clerk: "The Federal Lumber Mediation Board sincerely thanks you for your invitation to interest itself in the lumber situation in Tacoma. We are directing all of our efforts at this time to a most urgent situation and cannot come to Tacoma until that has been relieved. Federal Lumber Mediation Board. Roscoe R. Smith Chairman." Placed on file.

This being the date fixed for hearing of remonstrances on the proposed improvement in Local Improvement District No. 1402, for grading and sidewalks on "A" Street between South 46th Street and South 48th Street, the Clerk reported the publication of Resolution No. 10460 on June 25 and 26, 1935, together with the filing of an affidavit of publication. Also reported the filing in her office by the Commissioner of Public Works of all plans and estimates required by said resolution together with statement showing delinquent assessments in the district amounting to \$291.33 and a certificate from the City Engineer showing that post card notices were mailed to property owners in the district on June 25th, 1935. Also reported that remonstrances amounting to 14.58% of the property in the district had been filed in her office. Mr. Frank Betchard, the petitioner, informed the Council that all the remonstrators are non-residents and that all the people living in the district want the improvement. One of the remonstrators suggested that Mr. Betchard put in the sidewalk by private contract on his side of the street, since the remonstrators live on the opposite side. The question was raised by Commissioner Callender as to whether the district should be created in view of the amount of outstanding and delinquent assessments against the property. A question was also raised as to a discrepancy in the cost of the improvement as reported on the petition and at the present time. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the hearing be continued for one week, until July 22nd. Seconded by Mr. Skitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The order of business was then reversed and the following resolutions submitted:

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10467.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 1 of the City of Tacoma, and designating C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma to the United States of America for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 1, City of Tacoma, by paving East 34th Street from Portland Avenue to Roosevelt Avenue, Roosevelt Avenue from East 34th Street to Wright Avenue, Wright Avenue from Roosevelt Avenue to Grandview Avenue and Grandview Avenue from Wright Avenue to East 32nd Street, excepting that portion between East R Street and East T Street now occupied by a bridge.

Section 2. That C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call July 15, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10468.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 2 of the City of Tacoma and designating C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma to the United States of America for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 2, City of Tacoma, by paving that portion of Stevens Street between Sixth Avenue and North 26th Street with concrete pavement.

Section 2. That C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call July 15, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10469.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 3, City of Tacoma, and designating C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma to the United States of America for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 3, City of Tacoma, by paving Winthrop Avenue from South 21st Street to Puyallup Avenue, excepting that portion to be improved by the Northern Pacific Railway Company under its franchise.

Section 2. That C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call July 15, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10470.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 4, City of Tacoma, and designating C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

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(Res. 10470 cont.)

Section 1. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is hereby authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma, to the United States of America, for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 4, City of Tacoma, by paving South "C" Street from South 25th Street to State Road No. 1.

Section 2. That C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America, through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call July 15, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10471.

By Bergersen:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America, through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 5, City of Tacoma, and designating C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is hereby authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma, to the United States of America, for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 5, City of Tacoma, by grading to the established grade a roadway thirty feet in width, with parking spaces on each side, South 30th Street from a point 128 feet east of the center line of South Cedar Street to a point 742 feet west of the east line of Section 18, Township 20 North, Range 3 East, W. M. a distance of 2510 feet.

Section 2. That C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America, through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call July 15, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10472.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America, through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 6, City of Tacoma, and designating C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is hereby authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma, to the United States of America, for a grant to aid in financing the construction of Secondary Road Project No. 6, City of Tacoma, by paving and resurfacing Fuyallup Avenue from Pacific Avenue to East "C" Street, excepting that portion to be improved by the Tacoma Railway & Power Company under its franchise.

Section 2. That C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America, through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call July 15, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Conrad Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, July 17th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Oliver Smith, for license for fireman at the Northwest Brewery, was submitted with the recommendation of Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen that it be NOT GRANTED as the petitioner had failed to pass the examination. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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J. A. Lacey, engineer
Edward J. Wick, fireman

John Hunter, fireman
George H. Kanouff, fireman
D. A. Kelly, assistant engineer

R.

D. R. Brown, fireman
J. B. Braun, assistant engineer
Edward J. Bryan, fireman
E. S. Buckmaster, fireman
F. E. Carrier, fireman
Clarence Eklund, engineer
George Estabrook, fireman
Myron B. Hayward, assistant engineer

Ed. Wenny, fireman
Albert F. Lee, fireman
F. E. Markland, assistant engineer
R. A. Olson, fireman
F. A. Schemock, fireman
K. Steuby, assistant engineer
Albert Taylor, fireman
Erick Westlund, assistant engineer
W. C. Withrow, engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners.

Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

G. C. Curry, for license to paddle automobile condensers;
E. J. Miller, for license to paddle automobile accessories.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of M. C. Spencer, for license for cabaret. Class 1- music and entertainment only, at 1418 Broadway, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of C. W. Barlow, for license for Fairmont Hotel at 102 East 10th Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Tacoma Cemetery, submitting replat for cemetery purposes of Block P, Section 13 of Tacoma Cemetery for Council's approval. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the replat be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending July 17, 1935 in amount of \$1,041,022.39;
Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of June, 1935;
Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, report for month of June, 1935.

CLAIMS:

Ray F. Clover, for \$7,970.76, for personal injuries sustained by stepping into excavation in parking strip between curb and sidewalk on northerly side of Puyallup Avenue near East D Street on May 22nd, 1935. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of the Old St Louis Inc. (7-15-35) for license for Cabaret - Class 2- music, entertainment and dancing - at 1110 Commerce Street, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Lavon LaFalette (6-19-35) for renewal of license for Tourist Hotel at 258 South 11th Street;

Mrs. Floy Miller (7-10-35) for renewal of license for Lawrence Hotel at 1011 1/2 "A" Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10473.

BY BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That South Tacoma Way between "K" Street and South 50th Street in the City of Tacoma, Washington, be altered, straightened and widened; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the cost of obtaining the necessary right of way and of engineering be paid from the Secondary Highway Fund and in the manner provided by Chapter 41, Session Laws of 1932, as amended by Chapter 111, Session Laws of 1935; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Resolution No. 10466 be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Adopted on roll call July 17, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$2750, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the General Fund for the purpose of operating the Contagious Hospital and declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation. Read by title and laid over until next meeting. The Mayor was directed to have an ordinance prepared giving authority to continue the operation of the Contagious Hospital for the remainder of the year with the understanding that funds shall be transferred from other departments at the end of the year to cover the necessary expenses of operation, if such funds are available; otherwise that an emergency appropriation be authorized at that time.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to paint and repair certain buildings and structures at Cushman Power Plant No. 1 and Cushman Power Plant No. 2; and appropriating the sum of \$2500.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Declaring certain buildings to be public nuisances and directing the institution of legal proceedings to procure the abatement thereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Relating to regulating and licensing the business and occupation of Sign Erection and providing penalties for the violation hereof; and repealing Ordinance No. 10968. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11191

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to paint and repair certain buildings and structures at Cushman Power Plant No. 1 and Cushman Power Plant No. 2; and appropriating the sum of \$2500.00, from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11192.

Declaring certain buildings to be public nuisances and directing the institution of legal proceedings to procure the abatement thereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11193.

Relating to regulating and licensing the business and occupation of Sign Erection and providing penalties for the violation hereof; and repealing Ordinance No. 10968. Read in full. Moved by Mr. Bergersen to strike from the last sentence in Section 6 the words "there shall be returned to the licensee an amount of money equal to the unexpired term of the license and". Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Moved by Mr. Bergersen to change the word "Clerk" to "Controller" in the last sentence of the second paragraph of Section 4. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Moved by Mr. Callender to amend Section 4 by striking the last sentence in the section and to add Section 10 providing the usual penalty for violation of the ordinance. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the ordinance be passed as amended. Seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call:

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Acting on the communication of the Coast Neon Displays Inc. (7-1-35) requesting the return of the \$25.00 fee which they paid for Sign Erector's License or the enforcement of the ordinance, it was moved by Mr. Callender that the Clerk be directed to write them a letter and inform them that the new ordinance has been passed and will be enforced. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

A communication was submitted from Local No. 1, Pierce County Unemployed Council, protesting against the "Emergency Ordinance" passed by the Council on July 15th, which they claim is in direct contradiction to the Constitution of the United States as regards free speech, free press and free assemblage, and demanding that the ordinance be repealed. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the letter be placed on file. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, July 22, 1935 at 10 A.M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *G. A. Martin*
City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10 A.M.
MONDAY, JULY 22, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr.

President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Pete Bulleri, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and report:

W. P. Ragsdale, renewal of drug store license for Proctor Pharmacy at 3818 N. 26th Street;

O. R. Pabst, for creation of a restricted parking zone in front of his place of business at 115 So. 11th St.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Finnish Working Women's Club of Seattle, demanding the immediate withdrawal of all National Guard and police from all strike areas. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Assistant City Controller, John K. Roberts, submitting for Council's approval and authorization vouchers and duplicate vouchers Numbers 191, 192 and 193, covering inter-fund transfers for June, 1935. Moved by Mr. Fawcett that the transfers be approved. Seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

City Controller, submitting report for the month of June, 1935. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report of the Water Division for the month of June, 1935. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on petition of G. W. Barlow, 7-17-35, for license for Fairmont Hotel at 102 East 10th Street, recommending that petition be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender that recommendation be concurred in. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on petition of M. G. Spencer, 7-17-35, for license for cabaret, Class 1, at 1318 Broadway, recommending that petition be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Also reported back on application of Oliver Smith, 7-17-35, for fireman's license, advising that the applicant withdrew his money and recommending that the action of the Board be sustained. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on petition of Mrs. A. Schwabel, 7-27-35, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 2, Box 872, recommending that the petition be granted and petitioner's premises be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in her house inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. Moved by Mr. Davison that the recommendation be concurred in. Seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Works to clean and paint Bridge No. F-16 on State Road No. 1; and appropriating the sum of \$2500.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Secondary Highway Fund of 1935 for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date to which Council continued the hearing on Local Improvement District No. 1402, for grading and sidewalks on "A" Street between South 46th and South 48th Street, the clerk submitted a communication from D. W. King of the City Engineer's office, stating that the true estimated cost of this improvement is \$1080.75 and not \$1780.75 as shown on the petition which was filed with the resolution on June 24, 1935. Mr. J. M. Smith, residing at 4611 "A" Street, spoke in favor of the improvement, stressing the need for the grading of the street because of brush which has overgrown the roadway, creating a traffic hazard and making it very inconvenient during wet weather for residents along the street. He said that he would pay a part of his assessment in cash and would pay off the entire amount as rapidly as possible. Mr. Betchard also agreed to pay his assessment in cash as soon as the levy is made. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the remonstrances be overruled and the Corporation Counsel directed to draft the ordinance providing for the improvement. Motion was seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 1; Callender.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Howard Williams asked the Council to repeal the ordinance which prohibits peddlers from parking on Dock St., saying it has been a considerable hindrance to their business as wholesale produce dealers. Commissioner Bergersen explained that the conditions there have changed since the ordinance was passed as ^{one of the buildings} has been removed and that site can be used as a parking lot for the peddlers, so they can be kept off the street. The matter was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works and the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

Upon motion the Council then adjourned.

E. A. King
President of City Council

Attest: *Lorraine Martin*
City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10 A.M.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

Jack Fietland, applying for license for cabaret, class 1 - music and entertainment only - at 708 1/2 So. 38th St. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

COMMUNICATIONS:

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, approving resolution of the City of Tacoma, consenting to the setting aside by the State Treasurer of \$200 from moneys in the Motor Vehicle Fund credited to the City of Tacoma for engineering expenses connected with paving of South Tacoma Way from So. 50th Street to K Street, and stating that this project will be known in their files as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 7. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for filing.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, approving resolution of the City of Tacoma providing for replacing the bridge located between Pacific Avenue and East B Street on East 34th Street with a new structure, and stating that this project will be known in their files as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 8. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for filing.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, approving resolution of the City of Tacoma providing for the cleaning, repairing and painting of the bridge or viaduct on State Highway No. 1 between Bay Street and the City Limits, and stating that this project will be known in their files as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. SM-1. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for filing.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS:

City Treasurer, reporting bank balances for week ending July 20, 1935, amounting to \$1,053,429.96. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on petition of W. P. Ragsdale, 7-22-35, for renewal of drug store license for Proctor Pharmacy at 3318 N. 26th Street, recommending that petition be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities submitted report on petition of W. B. Jones, et al, 7-C-35, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 5, recommending that petition be granted and that each petitioner's premises be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in their houses inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Works to clean and paint Bridge No. F-16 on State Road No. 1; and appropriating the sum of \$2500.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Secondary Highway Fund of 1935 for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

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THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11194
Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Works to clean and paint Bridge No. F-16 on State Road No. 1; and appropriating the sum of \$2500.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Secondary Highway Fund of 1935 for said purpose. Read in full and passed on roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent O.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, July 29, 1935 at 10:00 A.M.

Attest: Genevieve Martin
City Clerk

W. A. Smitley
President of City Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10 A.M.
MONDAY, July 29, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

Broadway Drug Co., applying for renewal of drug store license at 1701 Broadway. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

G. V. and Dora Kunsey, requesting the Council to vacate the north butt end of East S Street, situated between Blocks 1 and 2 of the London & Liverpool Addition and extending from the alley between East 56th and 57th Streets on the south to the Indian Reservation line on the north; and stating that, in the event the city might want to acquire this property later for its own use, it will be sold back for the cost incurred by petitioners in securing its vacation. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

Tree Oyster Co., advising that the 100 foot strip of oyster land on Henderson Bay owned by the City of Tacoma and used for its transmission line is being used as a public clam digging ground and that the public is trespassing on his oyster grounds abutting this strip; and asking for relief in that the City grant him the right to use this land for oyster grounds and to control the land except wherein such control would conflict with the city's use of the property for transmission line purposes. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Metropolitan Park District, challenging the City Commissioners to the Annual Fishing Contest to be held at Point Defiance on Thursday, August 1st, beginning at 3 P.M.; outlining conditions of the contest; and asking to be advised as to how many of the Council will participate. The clerk was directed to notify the Park Board that the invitation is accepted and all members of the Council will participate; and that rules of the contest will be drawn up and forwarded by a committee of the Council.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS:

Corporation Counsel, reporting back on request of the Council that he prepare an ordinance authorizing operation of the Contagious Hospital for the remainder of the year with the proviso that an emergency appropriation be made at a later date or that funds be transferred from other departments for payment of cost of operation; and advising that, in order for the Controller to pay salaries and wages and maintenance cost, it will be necessary that the appropriation or transfer be made at this time; and, if the Council wishes these costs to be paid through an appropriation, the ordinance already prepared is sufficient, but, if it wishes a transfer of funds made, it will be necessary to revise the ordinance accordingly.

Laid over until next Wednesday.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from Carl Rickert, granting the City the privilege of setting poles on and stringing wires over his property; advising that this easement is necessary for the purpose of making an extension of electric lines to serve petitioners east of Waller Road; and recommending that the easement be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller with instructions to have same placed on the records of the Auditor of Pierce County. Moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting three easements, from A. Carlson, L. J. Berg, and Matilda Walin, granting the city the privilege of setting poles on and stringing wires over their properties for the purpose of making an extension of its electric lines south of Goering Road (East 48th Street) along an unnamed lane to reach the petitioners for city electric service; and recommending that the easements be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller with instructions to have same placed on the records of the Auditor of Pierce County. Moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report of the Municipal Belt Line Division for the month of June, 1935. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

Jack Fjetland, 7-24-35, license for cabaret, Class 1 - music and entertainment only - at 708 1/2 So. 32th St.;

C. R. Burkepile, 7-8-35, renewal of license for one pool table at 801 Pacific Ave.;

Hansen & Larson, 6-18-35, renewal of license for two pool tables at 1223 Pacific Ave.;

S. Mori, 6-19-35, renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway;

Peterson & Cooksie, 7-7-35, renewal of license for ten pool tables at 941 Commerce St.

It was moved by Mr. Callender that the recommendations be concurred in. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, submitting reports of the Building Inspector, the Plumbing Inspector and the Director of Health, and recommending that licenses be granted:

Carl A. Hague, 7-10-35, renewal of license for auto tourist camp at 1213 Puyallup Ave.

John A. O'Laughlin, 7-15-35, renewal of license for auto tourist camp at 6409 So. Tacoma Way;

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Stafford, 7-10-35, renewal of license for auto tourist camp at 6600 So. Tacoma Way.

Moved by Mr. Smitley that recommendations be concurred in. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on petition of S. M. Skoog, et al, 7-10-35, for extension of electric light service to premises near 72nd Street and Canyon Road, and recommended that petition be granted and each petitioner's premises be connected to the city lines when an outside connection of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in their houses has been inspected by the city's Chief Electrical Inspector. Moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract between the United States Geological Survey and the City of Tacoma, for cooperative investigation of the surface water resources of Skokomish, Nisqually, Green and Puyallup drainage basins and of the Nisqually Glacier during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936; fixing the terms and conditions of such contract and appropriating the sum of \$1,710.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Light Fund for the purposes hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Providing for the improvement of "A" Street from 46th Street to 48th Street by grading, graveling and laying down cement sidewalks; creating Local Improvement District No. 1402; providing for a special fund for the payment of the cost of said improvement by special assessment upon property within said district benefited thereby and providing for the issuance of Local Improvement bonds. Read by title and passed to second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Providing for the improvement of "A" Street from 46th Street to 48th Street by grading, graveling and laying down cement sidewalks; creating Local Improvement District No. 1402; providing for a special fund for the payment of the cost of said improvement by special assessment upon property within said district benefited thereby and providing for the issuance of Local Improvement bonds. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11195

Providing for the improvement of "A" Street from 46th Street to 48th Street by grading, graveling and laying down cement sidewalks; creating Local Improvement District No. 1402; providing for a special fund for the payment of the cost of said improvement by special assessment upon property within said district benefited thereby and providing for the issuance of Local Improvement bonds. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett. Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley reported that the meeting with Lacey Murrow, State Director of Highways, at which all the municipalities and counties in Highway District No. 3 were requested to be represented, had been changed from July 30th to July 31st and asked that as many of the councilmen as possible attend the meeting. As the meeting was scheduled for 10 A.M., it was moved by Mr. Callender that the Commissioner of Public Works and the Mayor be excused from the Council meeting next Wednesday so that they can be present when the meeting begins. Seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded, the Council then adjourned.

Attest: Sensuine Martin
City Clerk

E. J. Smitley
President of City Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10 A. M.
WEDNESDAY, July 31, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 3; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett. Absent 2; Bergersen, Mr. President. In the absence of the president, Mr. Davisson, Vice-President of the Council, presided.

The reading of the minutes was waived and Council proceeded with consideration of

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted.

John D. Bechtold, Fireman
Everett F. Miller, Fireman
John L. Murray, Fireman
Harry Sheppard, Fireman
Chas. E. Thorson, Fireman

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A. J. Akin, Fireman
Francis X. Anderson, Fireman
J. R. Chryst, Chief Engineer
H. W. Diseth, Asst. Engineer
Elmer Healy, Fireman

E. A. Johnson, Asst. Engineer
Silas Johnson, Fireman
Wm. Kennan, Fireman
R. T. McCormick, Engineer
J. T. Marzano, Donkey Engineer
Nick Nielsen, Fireman
Gus Olson, Assistant Engineer
T. P. Picard, Fireman
F. E. Russell, Fireman
Chris Schilling, Engineer
W. E. Thompson, Chief Engineer
J. T. Thurston, Fireman
C. Wagner, Fireman
C. E. Wiener, Fireman

It was moved by Mr. Fawcett to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0; Absent 2.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Lt. Col. H. J. Wild, War Dept. Engineer, stating that the city's application for removal of Eleventh Street bridge over Hylebos Waterway with Emergency Relief funds cannot be recommended, as the cost per man-year of labor is too high to comply with the requirements set up for expenditure of those funds, and it does not meet with other requirements for a relief project. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

All other business coming up for consideration on this date was laid over until the next meeting of the Council.

Moved by Mr. Callender to recess until Monday, August 5, 1935 at 10 A.M. Seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0.

Attest: *Constance Martin*
City Clerk

John A. Davisson
Vice President of City Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, August 5, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The regular order of business was suspended for the following:

Mr. A. N. Walstad, as chairman of the committee arranging for the opening of the new Fire Station #2, invited the members of the City Council to attend the opening next Thursday. The invitation was accepted by the Council.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted, together with the recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Doxey Katramad, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn;
Jack Ryan, for license to peddle a gas saver device.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Albert Felchlin, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1904 Jefferson Avenue;
S. Mori, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway;
Paig Bros. for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 707 South 38th Street.

The petition of A. F. Janiszewski, for license for Lewis Hotel at 1522 Pacific Avenue was referred to Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

Tony Francic, et al, requesting speedy investigation of the property at 620 South 21st Street as to methods of disposing of garbage, fire menace and undesirable class of people who are renting these apartments, and stating that the grocery located in the same building was also installed and maintained without any thought of sanitary regulations. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

W. H. Barry, for extension of electric light services to premises at 1502 Olympic Avenue;
G. Monro Ford, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 2, Box 773 on Waller Road;
Mrs. Helen F. Taylor, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4, Midland District;
Haman P. Weise, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 2, Waller Road at 47th.

V. Duckwitz, et al, requesting that the area included between South 69th and South 74th Street and between South Madison and South Tyler Streets be set aside as a district in which the business of manufacturing fire works may be engaged in. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

A. Osadge, et al, for establishment of a retail business district on South 48th Street from K Street to L Street. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for checking.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

J. W. Hamilton, District Engineer, State Department of Highways, asking to be advised as to whether or not the City of Tacoma is definitely intending to put into operation a system of equipment rental in connection with their construction and maintenance operations. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

Commander D. B. Downer, extending thanks of the officers and men of the U. S. S. Breckinridge for the courtesies and kind treatment received while at Tacoma during the Capito- to Capitol cruiser yacht race. Placed on file.

Admiral J. M. Reeves, expressing sincere appreciation of the many courtesies the City extended to the officers and men of the fleet during their stay in the harbor and stating that they are looking forward to returning in the future. Placed on file.

Geo. H. Gannon, State Administrator of W. P. A., advising that the Sponsoring Govern- mental Agency to any project providing work for persons on relief is expected to contribute equipment, materials and supervision to the maximum amount possible, and suggesting that, in making up the 1936 budget, the city provide sufficient funds to make the necessary contribu- tions to the projects which it intends to sponsor. Mf. Bergersen reported that the State has received an allotment of \$6,000,000.00 from the Works Progress Administration, of which one- half is to be used for grade crossings and the remainder for highway construction, and that the government has fixed the number of men which this allotment must take care of. At the conference in Olympia last week with officials of the Highway Department, he stated, it devel- oped that in order to comply with the government's requirements, it will be necessary for the larger cities to provide work for 500 men to be paid from the gas tax fund. Communication taken under advisement.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, reporting bank balances for the week ending July 27, 1935, amounting to \$1,073,308.28;
City Treasurer, report for month of June, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of the Light Division for the month of June, 1935.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of the Broadway Drug Co. (7-29-35) for drug store license at 1301 Broadway, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Corporation Counsel reported back on the claim of R. L. M. Martin (6-3-35) for damages to his automobile on May 31, 1935 amounting to \$26.50, when he drove into a metal pipe protruding several inches above the ground on a City Street near South 64th and Sheridan, and recommended it be denied for the reason that there is no liability on the part of the City of Tacoma and the claim is not in proper form. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Works reported back the communication of Lt. Col. H. J. Wild, War Department Engineer (7-31-35) stating that the City's application for removal of the Hyle- bos Waterway Bridge with Emergency Relief Funds cannot be recommended, and asked for Council's instructions with regard to compliance with the War Department's order to remove the bridge. The matter was discussed and laid over until next Wednesday.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10474.

By DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, has filed its requisition with the Government for an additional \$250,000.00 under P. W. A. Docket No. 1135; and

WHEREAS, it appears that there may be a short delay in obtaining said funds; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to obtain a temporary loan to meet contract obligations be- coming due in connection with said project; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Commissioner of Public Utilities be and he is hereby directed to make a temp- orary loan of \$100,000.00 at 4% interest from the Water Construction Fund of 1931 to the Wat- er Construction Fund of 1934, for the purpose of having sufficient funds in the latter Fund to pay current obligations pending receipt of the funds requisitioned as above set forth.

Adopted on roll call August 5, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10475.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the Corporation Counsel to furnish such legal data and infor- mation and the City Controller to furnish such financial data and information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the City of Tacoma's application for a loan and grant to aid in financing the construction of bridge and approaches on East 11th Street over the Hylebos Wat- erway in the City of Tacoma.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That Howard Garothers, Corporation Counsel, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such legal data as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the City of Tacoma's application for a loan and grant to aid in financing the construction of a bridge and approaches on East 11th Street over the Hylebos Waterway in the City of Tacoma.

Section 2. That T. A. Swayze, City Controller, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such financial data and information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the City of Tacoma's application for a loan and grant to aid in financing the construction of a bridge and approaches on East 11th Street over the Hylebos Waterway in the City of Tacoma.

Adopted on roll call August 5, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10476.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a grant to aid in financing the construction of a bridge on Secondary Road Project No. 8 of the City of Tacoma, and designating C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is author- ized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma to the United States of America for a grant to aid in financing the construction of a bridge located between Pac- ific Avenue and East B Street on East 34th Street in the City of Tacoma, and known as Second- ary Road Project No. 8.

Section 2. That C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the appli- cation which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call August 5, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 20 of Ordinance No. 7545-- an ordinance to create the License Depart- ment in the Department of Public Safety; to prescribe the duties and authority of the License Inspector; to provide for licensing, taxing and regulating certain persons, occupations and amusements in the City of Tacoma, etc.-- and repealing Ordinance No. 10836. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract between the City of Tacoma and the R C A Communications, Inc. for the sale of electric energy for power and lighting purposes by the City to said company; and fixing the terms and conditions of said contract. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract between the United States Geolog- ical Survey and the City of Tacoma, for cooperative investigation of the surface water re- sources of Skokomish, Nisqually, Green and Puyallup drainage basins and of the Nisqually Glacier during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936; fixing terms and conditions of such con- tract and appropriating the sum of \$1,310, from the Light Fund for the purposes hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11196
Authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract between the United States Geolog- ical Survey and the City of Tacoma, for cooperative investigation of the surface water re-

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sources of Skokomish, Nisqually, Green and Puyallup drainage basins and of the Nisqually Glacier during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936; fixing the terms and conditions of such contract and appropriating the sum of \$1,310.00, from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

With regard to the transfer of funds for operation of the Contagious Hospital for the balance of the year, Commissioner Bergersen reported that the City Clerk has \$350.00 which may be transferred from salaries and wages and that he will transfer from his budget a sufficient amount to provide the funds required. The proposed ordinance covering this matter was laid on the table.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to 2:30 P. M. this date.

E. A. Swisher
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 2:30 P. M.
Monday, August 5, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted without recommendation of the License Inspector or Commissioner of Public Safety:

A. Mustafa, for license to peddle tapestry;
M. Mustafa, for license to peddle tapestry.

It was moved by Mr. Callender that the petitions be denied. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then Adjourned.

E. A. Swisher
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, August 7, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

Regular order of business was suspended and the reading of the minutes of the two previous meetings was deferred until the end of the session, and Council proceeded with the consideration of the following:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mr. A. O. Rowe submitted a statement in which he charged that the Council has not cooperated with the citizens trying to solve the Hylebos Bridge situation, particularly because of its failure to secure a meeting with the Board of County Commissioners and claim their assistance, and stated that, if the Council will not carry this emergency to the voters of Tacoma or to the State of Washington and its governor, it does not have the right to remove the present bridge. Mr. Rowe told the Council that the people feel they are entitled to a bridge there and are going to have it, and that the City has two alternatives: to borrow the money from the surplus funds of the Light Department or to secure Government money. Mr. Hy Mandles urged that the 3500 people in the district east of the bridge, who are anxious to spend their money in Tacoma, be not cut off. Mr. J. E. Berkheimer stated that there is no reason for taking out the bridge and nothing to be gained by it, as the industries can get their shipping through there and the boats will not be any more anxious to go up there if the bridge is removed. Removal of the bridge would interfere with children coming to school in the City, another speaker said.

Mr. Carothers, upon request, read the statute imposing a penalty for failure to comply with a government order such as has been received for removal of the bridge, and Mr. Callender stated that under this statute it seems that the City Council is not liable for a fine for refusing to obey the War Department order when the order is disobeyed because of lack of funds, but it may take a week or two for the Corporation Counsel to look up the law and give a definite opinion as to the City's liability. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the matter be referred to the Corporation Counsel for a report back to the Council as soon as possible as to what the penalty might be if the Council fails to comply with the order to remove the bridge. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The people were assured by the Council that it would do everything possible to safeguard their interest and use every effort to provide for a new bridge before the old one is removed.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund Board, requesting the Council to levy a tax in the amount of one-half mill for the operation of the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund for the year 1936. In this connection an opinion was submitted from the Corporation Counsel, advising that any tax levy for the benefit of the Firemen's Pension Fund must be within the 16 mill limitation. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the request for a half mill levy be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending August 3, 1935 in amount of \$1,137,043.12. Placed on file.

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Civil Service Commission, advising the Civil Service Department has one mimeograph machine, Serial No. 9806, which they wish the Council would instruct the Purchasing Agent to sell for not less than \$50.00. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10477.

By Smitley:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers in the 1935 budget;

From Maintenance and Operation, Department of Public Works, to Maintenance and Operation, Department of Public Welfare, Contagious Hospital, the sum of	\$571.50
From Salaries and Wages, Elections, to Salaries and Wages, Department of Public Welfare Contagious Hospital the sum of	\$350.00
From Salaries and Wages, Department of Public Works, to Salaries and Wages, Department of Public Welfare, Contagious Hospital, the sum of	\$1828.50

Adopted on roll call August 7, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 20 of Ordinance No. 7545-- an ordinance to create the License Department in the Department of Public Safety; to prescribe the duties and authority of the License Inspector; to provide for licensing, taxing and regulating certain persons, occupations and amusements in the City of Tacoma, etc.-- and repealing Ordinance No. 10836. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract between the City of Tacoma and the R C A Communications, Inc. for the sale of electric energy for power and lighting purposes by the City to said company; and fixing the terms and conditions of said contract. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11197.

Amending Section 20 of Ordinance No. 7545-- an ordinance to create the License Department in the Department of Public Safety; to prescribe the duties and authority of the License Inspector; to provide for licensing, taxing and regulating certain persons, occupations and amusements in the City of Tacoma, etc.-- and repealing Ordinance No. 10836. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11198.

Authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract between the City of Tacoma and the R. C. A. Communications, Inc. for the sale of electric energy for power and lighting purposes by the City to said company; and fixing the terms and conditions of said contract. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Ordinance "Appropriating the sum of \$2750.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the General Fund for the purpose of operating the Contagious Hospital and declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation." was brought up for further consideration at this time. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the ordinance be indefinitely postponed. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The communication of Geo. H. Gannon, State Administrator, W. P. A., (S-5-35) advising that the Sponsoring Governmental Agency to any project providing work for persons on relief is expected to contribute equipment, materials and supervision to the maximum amount possible, and suggesting that this matter be taken care of in making up the 1936 Budget, was brought up for consideration and referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

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The minutes of the two previous meetings were read, and there being no corrections, were approved as read.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, August 12, 1935.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Guerrino Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, August 12, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

Regular order of business suspended for consideration of the following:

NEW BUSINESS:

A complaint was made with regard to the traffic condition at South 74th and South Tacoma Way where a number of fatal traffic accidents have occurred because of speeding automobiles, and request was made that a stop light be placed on South Tacoma Way to slow down the traffic. It was stated by the complainant that the stop signs along the highway are not being observed. Commissioner Callender said that he did not believe the State Highway Department would permit a stop sign on the highway at the point mentioned, but agreed to have traffic officers out there to enforce the regulations with regard to stopping before entering the traffic on South Tacoma Way.

Resolution No. 10478.

By DAVISSON:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a loan and grant to aid in financing the construction of replacements, betterments and extension of water supply pipe lines, designating Ira S. Davisson, Commissioner of Public Utilities, to furnish such information as the Government may request; and designating the City Controller to furnish such financial information, the Corporation Counsel to furnish such legal information, and the Superintendent of the Water Division to furnish such engineering information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That Ira S. Davisson, Commissioner of Public Utilities, be and he is authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma to the United States of America for a loan and grant to aid in financing the construction of 6063 feet of steel or concrete pipe replacing similar length of wood stave pipe, and 18,215 feet of steel or concrete pipe extending Pipe Line No. 4, all a part of the Green River Gravity Water Supply System of the City of Tacoma.

Section 2. That Ira S. Davisson, Commissioner of Public Utilities, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Section 3. That T. A. Swayze, City Controller, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such financial information, Howard Carothers, Corporation Counsel, to furnish such legal information, and W. A. Kunick, Superintendent of Water Division, to furnish such engineering information, as the United States of America may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call August 12, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The petition of A. Peter, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables, was submitted, together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Bernard F. Christian, for license for public hack driver, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of K. Nakamura, for renewal of license for rooming house at Wilson Apartments- 1533 $\frac{1}{2}$ Broadway, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

D. H. Collins, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on East F Street between East 75th and 80th Streets;
A. E. Johnson, et al, for extension of electric light services to premises on Lidford Road between Vickery Road and Canyon Road (80 rods north of 72nd Street).

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Kathryn E. Malstrom, Supervisor of Women's Projects, W. P. A., submitting copy of plans for a neighborhood house for women and girls on relief rolls, which they hope to establish in different sections of the City, and asking the Council to support these plans at no monetary cost. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the City Council sponsor the plans. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Hugo Metzler, submitting, on behalf of his clients, proposition for the taking over of and handling garbage disposal in the City of Tacoma, and stating that if this proposition receives favorable consideration, his clients will submit their bid. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the communication be answered and the party informed that the City of Tacoma does not care to dispose of the garbage system and will continue its operation under municipal control. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that improvement of South Tacoma Way between M Street and South 50th Street is approved and will be known as Secondary Road Project No. 7. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for filing.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that in order for cities to receive credit on the quota of relief labor they have assumed under the Works Program, it is necessary to comply with the requirements of the W. P. A. and the National Reemployment service, and outlining these requirements. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, submitting explanation of the plan by which the State of Washington hopes to carry out a work relief program through use of the Federal Government's apportionment of \$6,121,202 of WPA Funds. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Co., advising, in confirming telephone conversation with Commissioner Bergersen, that they have gone over their records pertaining to an easement granting the City the right for a road across certain portions of their property (extending around the end of Hylebos Waterway), and the records show that their company has been willing to grant a temporary easement for this roadway, which has been built, and, in all probability, officials of the parent company would still favor such cooperation with the City; and that the investigation further disclosed the fact that most of the property over which the roadway in question passes, is owned by Pierce County. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the Commissioner of Public Works be empowered to negotiate with these people for a permanent easement. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Lt. Col. H. J. Wild, U. S. War Department, advising that Tacoma's application for flood relief project has been disapproved, as the cost per man-year (\$3426) for direct labor is much in excess of the figure established under the Emergency Relief Program, but that if

the City can submit a revised project for any useful portion of the work which can be undertaken within the limiting cost per man-year, the same will be given consideration; and suggesting that there may be a possibility of the City contributing financially to such an extent that the cost may come within the limits prescribed, ie. not in excess of \$1000 per man-year. Moved by Mr. Smitley that a copy of the communication be sent to the Flood Control Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and they be requested to meet with the Council for a discussion of this matter two weeks from to-day at 10:30 A. M. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

John M. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's approval and authorization vouchers and duplicate vouchers Nos. 194, 195, 196 and 197, covering interfund transfers for July, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the inter-fund transfers be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Albert Felchlin (8-5-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 1904 Jefferson Avenue;
S. Mori (8-5-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway;
FALO Bros. (8-5-35) for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 707 South 38th Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and each petitioners' premises connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

Mrs. Helen F. Taylor, et al (8-5-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4, Midland District;
Haman P. Weise, et al (8-5-35) and G. Monro Ford (8-5-35), for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 2, Waller Road.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of Tom Hayes (4-29,-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 5, Box 858B, and recommended it be granted and the petitioner's premises connected to the City line when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in his house inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on petition of P. S. McDermott, et al (3-20-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3, Puyallup, on 84th Street from Canyon Road east to Woodland Avenue, and advised that this petition covers a district east of their franchise and recommended that for this reason it be denied. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on supplement to petition of Mrs. M. J. Smith, et al (5-27-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4, which was denied on June 19, 1935, and recommended that the petition be not granted for the reason that the expected revenue from these additional petitioners does not justify the cost

of the extension, and advised that if sufficient petitioners are obtained to justify this extension, they will reconsider same. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10479.

By DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, the American Concrete Pipe Company of Washington, a corporation, has filed its request to assign to the American Concrete and Steel Pipe Company its rights and obligations under that certain contract entered into on or about the 4th day of March, 1935, between the City of Tacoma and the American Concrete Pipe Company of Washington for the furnishing and installing of steel cylinder lock joint pipe on Section "M" as set forth in Proposition No. 7 of the plans, specifications and contract for pipe line No. 4 and South 64th Street lateral, PWA Project 1135; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Board of Contracts and Awards is hereby directed to give unto the American Concrete Pipe Company of Washington written consent of the City of Tacoma to said assignment, which assignment, before becoming effective, shall be accepted, approved and consented to by the sureties on said contract, by the American Concrete and Steel Pipe Company, a corporation, by the Acting State Director for the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, and approved by the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma:

Adopted on roll call August 12, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Creating a City Planning Commission and prescribing its duties, authority and procedure, and repealing Ordinances Nos. 7208, 11022 and 11129. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for purchase of three cash registers and to exchange in part payment therefor three used cash registers; appropriating the sum of \$700.00 from the Garbage and Refuse Fund, \$1395.00 from the Water Fund and \$2000.00 from the Light Fund for purpose hereof; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Ed. A. Smithley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Ed. A. Smithley*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER. 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, August 14th, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

The Regular Order of Business was suspended to consider the following:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mr. A. O. Rowe requested a report as to what action the City is going to take with regard to the removal of Hylebos Bridge, and was informed that no action would be taken until the Corporation Counsel's opinion is received. Mr. Rowe asked if the Council would be willing to attend a joint meeting of the Pierce County Commissioners and the Hylebos Bridge Association and Council agreed to be present if such a meeting is arranged.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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John Connelly, asst. engineer
Jerry E. Dayton, engineer
Wm. Messmer, fireman
A. L. Morris, fireman
Henry J. Rasmussen, fireman

P. A. Davis, fireman
Cassandra Eberly, fireman
Allen E. Ekland, fireman
J. R. Gillespie, fireman
P. Goodell, fireman
A. C. Hart, Operator engineer
H. Johnson, Donkey engineer
Ernest Lindquist, asst. engineer
E. G. Rasmussen, fireman
Ralph B. Stoddart, fireman
P. W. Toelle, chief engineer
Thomas Watts, fireman
H. G. Wilcox, fireman

R.

Robert F. Beck, fireman
J. B. Braun, asst. engineer
Thos P. Brown, engineer
S. E. Butler, fireman
John F. Coyne, fireman
Robert Ralph, fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners.

Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

H. H. Sprinker, for renewal of license for public bath house at 5424 South Puget Sound;
Glen W. Darling, for renewal of license for drug store at 24 North Tacoma Avenue.

REMONSTRANCES:

Shaffer Brokerage Co., protesting against the demand of the License Department for payment of fee and filing of bond provided for in Ordinance No. 10944 (Wholesale Produce Dealer's Ordinance) for the reason that the business of the company is solely that of a broker selling to the wholesalers. Laid over until amendment to above ordinance is brought up for passage.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

E. W. O'Neal, offering to pay \$500.00 for the 80 acres of timber near Maplewood Springs south of Puyallup, providing they are allowed until December 31, 1936 to take it off with the privilege of two months extension in case of unavoidable delay; stating that they will have to pay for it as they take it off at not to exceed \$20.00 per month; that the F. S. Harmon Furniture Co. agrees, if necessary, to advance as down payment a percentage of the stumpage on the Alder and Maple, estimated at 60000 feet; and that they will burn the brush as they go, if required, but feel that they should pay less if this is done. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the offer be rejected. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending August 10, 1935 in amount of \$1,157,461.76;
 Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of July, 1935;
 Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, report for month of July, 1935.

Commissioner of Public Works, advising that his department wishes to trade in a Remington Typewriter, No. XI42467 on a new Underwood Noiseless and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to make this purchase fixing a minimum value of \$20.00 on the old machine. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of A. F. Janiszewski (8-5-35) for license for Lewis Hotel at 1522 Pacific Avenue, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Works reported back on the petition of A. Osadge, et al, (8-5-35) for establishment of a retail business district on South 48th Street from K Street to L Street, and submitted report of Building Inspector that the petition contains the signatures of 69% of the real property within the district, while Ordinance 9850 requires the signatures of only 66% of the real property owners. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that a date of hearing be fixed on the petition. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 3 of Ordinance No. 10944--an ordinance for the purpose of raising revenue; licensing, taxing and regulating the occupation and business of wholesale produce dealer; fixing the amount of license fees, etc. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for purchase of three cash registers and to exchange in part payment therefor three used cash registers; appropriating the sum of \$700.00 from Garbage and Refuse Fund, \$1395.00 from Water Fund and \$2000.00 from Light Fund for purpose hereof; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Creating a City Planning Commission and prescribing its duties, authority and procedure, and repealing Ordinances Nos. 7208, 11022 and 11129. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11199.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for purchase of three cash registers and to exchange in part payment therefor three used cash registers; appropriating the sum of \$700.00 from Garbage and Refuse Fund, \$1395.00 from Water Fund and \$2000.00 from Light Fund for purpose hereof; and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11200.

Creating a City Planning Commission and prescribing its duties, authority and procedure, and repealing Ordinances Nos. 7208, 11022 and 11129. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, August 19, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest: *[Signature]*
 City Clerk.

[Signature]
 President of City Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, August 19th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following matters:

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Harry H. Johnston asked the Council's consideration of a matter which came to his attention as prosecuting attorney and submitted the facts in the case as follows: On November 6, 1934 Mr. Amadeo Buonomo's stepson was arrested on the complaint of a neighbor woman and confined in the City jail; that Mr. Buonomo came to the jail with a money order for \$50.00 but was told he must put up cash bail and went out to get the money; when he returned he found that during his absence the boy had sustained a cut on the head and was bleeding profusely; that the boy claimed the jailer, Mr. Barber, had struck him over the head, but later, after investigation, the jailer was exonerated. A few days later, after returning to his home, the boy became insane and they applied to the court to have him committed to the asylum; that he notified Judge Hackett that the boy was in no condition to come before him on the day set for his trial and the judge told him it would cost him more money if he was brought down than the bail money, so the boy was not brought down for two reasons:- because of his physical condition and because of the judge's statement. As bail is put up only to insure the appearance of a prisoner in Court, Mr. Johnston held that the forfeiture of this bail was wrong and the City should repay it. He stated that he was not appearing as Mr. Buonomo's lawyer, but simply in the interest of justice. Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

A communication was submitted from Lt. Col. H. J. Wild, U. S. War Department, stating, in reference to his letter of July 27th, in which he informed the City that he was unable to recommend the application for removal of the 11th Street Bridge over Hylebos Waterway, that this action seems to have been concurred in by the Engineer Department, and suggesting that the State Works Progress Administrator might help in this matter, if it were referred to him.

In this connection the Clerk submitted an opinion requested from the Corporation Counsel on August 7th in which he advised that the City of Tacoma is subject to the provisions of the Act of Congress under which the War Department has directed the removal of the bridge and may be proceeded against the same as other persons, associations or corporations, but that the criminal charge should be against the municipality and not the municipal officials, but it has also been held that the officers may be proceeded against in their official or corporate capacity; and also advised that the determination of the Secretary of War that a bridge is an obstruction is conclusive and his decision is not subject to review by the courts; and the question as to whether the penalty provided by law would be imposed upon the City of Tacoma in the event of a criminal prosecution for failure to comply with the order of the War Department must be determined by the courts, but that it appears extremely doubtful that the City could successfully defend a criminal action upon the ground that it did not have and could not obtain funds with which to carry out the order of the War Department.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley that a resolution be brought in forthwith authorizing the Commissioner of Public Works to remove the bridge.

The Corporation Counsel submitted such a resolution as follows:

Resolution No. _____

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, Congress in adopting the project for the improvement of Hylebos Waterway specified as a condition that satisfactory assurances be given by the City of Tacoma that adequate bridge clearances would be provided; and the Council, by resolution adopted April 6, 1931, gave assurance to the effect that the bridge across Hylebos Waterway would be altered when requested by the War Department; and

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WHEREAS, the Secretary of War on May 13, 1933, on a finding that said bridge was an unreasonable obstruction to navigation, ordered its alteration by June 7, 1934, which date was later extended to June 7, 1935; and

WHEREAS, the War Department has refused to further extend the time for altering said bridge and has directed the City to comply with the order of the Secretary of War; and

WHEREAS, the cost of bridging said Hylebos Waterway in the manner to afford reasonably free, easy and unobstructed navigation and in the manner to provide clearances specified by the War Department is prohibitive and far beyond the present financial resources of the City of Tacoma; and

WHEREAS, the City has no alternative in the matter; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City of Tacoma comply with the order of the Secretary of War that adequate bridge clearance be provided at the Hylebos Bridge; that in order to comply therewith it is necessary to remove said bridge; and that the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to proceed with the removal of said bridge.

Moved by Mr. Smitley to adopt the resolution. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson.

Mr. A. E. Rowe was granted permission to speak and stated that in this case the City of Tacoma has not wilfully neglected to try to get funds to replace the bridge and no court could hold that it has been wilfully negligent in trying to secure such funds; and also that there is nothing in the agreement with the War Department that there would be any penalty in case the City failed to provide adequate clearance; and in his opinion the Council should tell the War Department that we are trying to get action on our application for funds and they should be lenient.

Mayor Smitley reported that the County Commissioners will meet with the Council Thursday evening of this week at 8 o'clock at the Court House to discuss this matter.

Moved by Mr. Callender to lay the resolution on the table. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Bergersen, Callender, Fawcett, Nays 2, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 0.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

M. C. Spencer, advising that on July 15th he made application for a cabaret license-Class 1-entertainment- at 1318 Broadway; and that to-day he is submitting an additional \$150 to have this license changed to Class 2 which includes dancing, and asking that the Council approve this change. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Al Greco, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables;
Manerino and Aquino, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petition was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Rhodes Bros. for renewal of license for drug store at 11th and Broadway.

The petition of the Allenmore Golf Club Inc., for renewal of license for golf course at 2125 Cedar Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of J. R. Marecle, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4, Box 504, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation.

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REMONSTRANCES:

Eduarda K. Baltuff, protesting against the Tyee Oyster Co. being given sole control of the 100 foot strip of City of Tacoma right of way on Henderson Bay. Action deferred until Wednesday when Commissioner Davisson will bring in his report on the petition of the Tyee Oyster Co. of July 29, 1935.

Lillian M. Raber, et al., protesting against the establishment of a gas station on North J Street between Division Avenue and North 3rd Street. Commissioner Bergersen reported that this is a retail business district and the Building Inspector has issued the permit for the station, as he has no authority to do otherwise under the existing ordinances; but that Mr. W. R. Flasket wishes to be given a hearing on the protest. It was moved by Mr. Callender to lay on the table until next Wednesday and to notify Mr. Flasket to be present if he desires a hearing. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Senator Homer T. Bone, advising, in reply to the Mayor's telegram regarding the Wilcox bill, that a number of cities have written urging that their respective communities be favored in the selection of Army air defense bases, that the final decision will rest with the War Department but that he will endeavor to be as helpful as possible in securing the location of such a base in the State of Washington. Placed on file (return to the Mayor for his files).

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, advising that specifications for Secondary Road Project SM-1 (Painting Bridge No. F-16, State Road No. 1 between Bay Street and City Limits) are approved and requesting the City to forward a preliminary Estimate of Cost for their files. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

South Tacoma Business & Professional Men's Assn. and South Tacoma Kiwanis Club, inviting members of the City Council to attend a banquet at 6:15 P. M. September 4th in the Masonic Temple, South 56th and South Tacoma Way, honoring Mr. Henry A. Lyddon who has recently been retired after forty-one years of service with the N. P. Ry. Co., the last eighteen of which he has been superintendent of the South Tacoma Shops. Invitation accepted with pleasure and the Clerk directed to so notify the clubs.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Controller, report for month of July, 1935. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Glen W. Darling, (8-14-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 24 North Tacoma Avenue;
H. H. Sprinker (8-14-35) for renewal of license for public bath house at 5424 South Puget Sound Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of K. Nakamura (8-12-35) for renewal of license for rooming house at Wilson Apartments- 1533 1/2 Broadway, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Bartlett Rummel reported back on the claim of Mrs. Andrew Monroe (5-20-35) for \$10.00 for personal injuries and damage to clothing sustained on May 14th, as a result of tripping and falling over a raised place in the cement sidewalk in front of 608 North Adams Street, and recommended the claim be rejected for the reason that in-

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investigation shows the City not to be liable and the claim is not in proper form. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10480.

By BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, the owners of more than two-thirds of the real property situated within the district comprising the real property hereinafter described and bordering on South 48th Street between "K" and "L" Streets in the City of Tacoma, have petitioned for the inclusion of said real property in a retail business district as defined by Ordinance No. 9147; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That Wednesday, the 28th day of August, 1935, at ten o'clock A. M. is hereby fixed as the time and the Council Chamber in the City Hall in the City of Tacoma as the place when and where the City Council will consider and act upon said petition and the proposal to include in a retail district to be created, Lots 14 to 19 inclusive, Block 9424 and Lots 14 to 19 inclusive, Block 9425, Tacoma Land Company's Sixth Addition, Lots 1 to 6 inclusive, Block 4526 and Lots 1 to 6 inclusive, Block 4527, Southside Addition. All persons interested may appear and be heard with reference thereto at said time and place.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Clerk give notice of said hearing by publication of this resolution twice in the official newspaper of the City of Tacoma, the first publication to be not less than five days prior to the date fixed for said hearing as aforesaid; and that the Commissioner of Public Works notify by postal card all interested property owners, cost of such notice to be borne by the petitioners, and be paid on or before date of hearing.

Adopted on roll call August 19, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of lumber for reconstruction work on City Waterway Bridge No. F-1; appropriating the sum of \$3000.00 from the Street Railway Fund for purpose hereof, and declaring an emergency. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Commissioner of Public Works be authorized to have an ordinance prepared making an appropriation for the removal of the Hylebos Bridge. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Bergersen, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 2; Callender, Fawcett. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. J. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Lawrence J. ...*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, August 21, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Fawcett, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The regular order of business was suspended and Council proceeded with consideration of the following matters:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The remonstrance of Lillian M. Raber, et al, (8-19-35) protesting against establishment of a gas station on North J Street between Division Avenue and North 3rd Street, which was laid over until this time, was brought up for further consideration. Mr. W. R. Flasket, representing the Church of Applied Science at North 2nd and J Streets, told the Council that it is going to be a considerable disadvantage to the congregation of this church if a gas station is put in on the opposite corner of the street and also that the Congregational Church objects, and asked if the Council cannot do something to prevent it. Commissioner Bergersen explained that there is nothing the City can do since this is a retail business district, and if a building permit were refused, the property owners could take the matter into court and force the City to issue the permit; and at this time there is nothing the property owners can do to prevent the gas station from going in at this location. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the remonstrance be denied. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of the Tyee Oyster Co. (7-29-35) for control of the City's 100 foot transmission line right of way across the northerly end of Henderson Bay, and remonstrance of Eduarda K. Baltuff (8-19-35) protesting against the granting of such petition, and advised that they have had similar requests in the past to transfer control of various portions of the transmission line right of ways, but they feel it is not to the best interests of the City or the public to release complete control of their transmission line right of ways and that the City should retain full control of this particular right of way. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the report. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

ORDER OF BUSINESS REVERTED to reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, and there being no corrections, they were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Sam Rowvas, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts, popcorn and hot tamales;
W. P. Schuster, for license to peddle Stromberg condensers for automobiles.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Fred A. Grote, for renewal of license for drug store at 6323 McKinley Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, submitting report of bank balances for week ending August 17, 1935 in amount of \$1,104,011.29. Placed on file.

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Commissioner of Public Safety, advising they have on hand in the Fire Department one 22 foot sliding pole three inches in diameter for which they have no further use, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell it to the best bidder. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Rhodes Eros. (8-19-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 11th and Broadway;
Bernard F. Christian (8-12-35) for license for public hack driver.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of M. C. Spencer (8-19-35) asking Council to approve the changing of his cabaret license, applied for on July 15th, from Class 1 to Class 2 to include dancing upon payment of an additional \$150.00, and advised that he approves this change. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the change be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$50.00 from the General Fund for the purpose of paying the claim of Amadeo Buonomo for money deposited as bail in Police Court and forfeited; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of lumber for reconstruction work on City Waterway Bridge No. F-1; and appropriating the sum of \$3000.00 from the Street Railway Fund for purpose hereof, and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

The ordinance "Amending Section 3 of Ordinance No. 10944--an ordinance for the purpose of raising revenue; licensing, taxing and regulating the occupation and business of wholesale produce dealer; fixing the amount of license fees, etc." was brought up for second reading at this time.

In this connection a petition was submitted by Hammond Co., et al. (Wholesale Produce Dealers) stating that, in their opinion, the Shaffer Brokerage Co. has not been and is not a wholesale produce dealer and requesting that this company be exempted from paying a license, and same was ordered placed on file. The remonstrance of the Shaffer Brokerage Co. (8-14-35) protesting against the demand of the License Department for payment of license and filing of bond provided for in Ordinance No. 10944 (Wholesale Produce Dealer's ordinance) was brought up for further consideration and likewise ordered placed on file.

It was moved by Mr. Callender that the proposed ordinance be laid on the table. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11201.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of lumber for reconstruction work on City Waterway Bridge No. F-1; and appropriating the sum of \$3000.00 from the Street Railway Fund for purpose hereof, and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Callender submitted to the Council two applications for licenses to buy old Gold- Second hand licenses--filed by Gaston Fator and Roy Gilkey, and reported that these two men are non-residents and he cannot recommend that they be granted licenses. He then moved that the Council concur in his recommendation. Motion was seconded and carried unanimously on roll call.

Commissioner Bergersen reported that he has been making an investigation of the drainage conditions around Spinning Swamp in the vicinity of 72nd and East F Streets and is of the opinion that something should be done to secure some of the Federal Work Relief funds to re-

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lieve those people whose property is being flooded and damaged from drainage water. The difficulty in the way of securing such funds is that it is going to take from \$10,000 to \$15,000 worth of pipe, he stated, but he thought State Administrator Gannon might be interested in the project as he had made a statement that he would be favorable to beautification and parks and also intimated that drainage projects might be included. The suggestion was made by Mr. Honeywell that the Council adopt a resolution requesting W.P.A. Director Hopkins to change the ruling with regard to W. P. A. projects so that no moneys will be expended for merely desirable improvements until all constructive projects such as drainage and sewers have been provided for. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that Commissioner Bergersen be authorized to have the Corporation Counsel prepare a resolution along those lines. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Council went on record requesting that all flags in the City be flown at half-mast tomorrow during the funerals of Wiley Post and Will Rogers, and the newspapers were asked to give notice of this request.

Mayor Smitley asked for a leave of absence from August 24th to September 3rd; and Commissioner Callender asked for leave of absence for the remainder of this week. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the two requests be granted. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley that Commissioner Bergersen be appointed to serve on the Board of Contracts and Awards during his absence from the City. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, August 26th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *G. M. Martin*
City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Monday, August 26, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett. Absent 1; Mr. President. In the absence of the President, Mr. Davisson, Vice President of the City Council, presided.

PETITIONS:

The petition of J. Spido, for renewal of license to peddle fish, was submitted together with the recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2; Bergersen (temporarily) and Smitley.

Jay W. Carter, asking permission to stand his $\frac{1}{2}$ -ton transfer truck in front of his office at 115 South 14th Street. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

Robert Gropper, for extension of electric light service to premises on Lots 28, 29, and 30, Block 20, University Place. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

John W. Corliss, advising that he believes the Garbage service can be made a free service and at the same time have a greater revenue to the City by salvaging food garbage to be prepared and sold for hog and chicken feed. Referred to the Mayor.

L. V. Murrow, State Director of Highways, submitting three copies of agreement to be entered into between the State of Washington and the City of Tacoma whereby the City agrees to provide employment equivalent to 46 man-years to individuals classified as certified relief cases and in turn the State agrees that it will provide for the construction in Tacoma of a project in value of not less than \$100,000; asking that this agreement be properly executed and all three copies returned for execution on behalf of the State; and outlining provisions with reference to employment of the 46 man-years of relief labor assumed by the City. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

J. L. Pegram, State Electrical Inspector, advising that on September 3 to 5 inc., the International Association of Electric Inspectors are holding their annual convention at the Olympic Hotel, Seattle, Washington, at which meeting the various representatives of the electrical manufacturers will display and discuss the most modern electrical equipment and devices, and suggesting that Tacoma send its inspector to this convention. Commissioner Davisson advised that he has agreed to let Chief Inspector Gleason and one of his men attend this meeting without loss of pay for the time they spend there, if the Council has no objections. No objection was expressed and the communications was placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Light, Water and Municipal Belt Line Divisions for month of July, 1935. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from the Metropolitan Park District of Tacoma, granting the Water Division the right to construct and maintain a water main across certain property owned by the District and recommending that the easement be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller with instructions to have same place on the records of the Auditor of Pierce County. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Smitley.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising they have in the Light Division one Ford truck, City #201 and one Ford Coupe, City #202 that are well nigh expended in service and requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to purchase one Ford or Chevrolet truck and one Ford or Chevrolet Coupe to replace these cars, the old cars to be turned in as part payment at a minimum value of \$75.00 each and the balance to be paid from the Light Fund. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Smitley.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of Fred A. Grote (8-21-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 6323 McKinley Avenue, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Smitley.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of A. E. Johnson, et al (8-12-35) for extension of electric light services to premises on Lidford Road between Vickery Road and Canyon Road, and recommended that it be denied on the grounds that the cost of serving these petitioners is excessive and the revenue in sight from the extension does not warrant the expense. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Smitley.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities made a further report on the petition of Mrs. M. J. Smith, et al (5-27-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, and advised they have received another supplementary petition in addition to the one submitted on August 12, 1935, which adds the name of another party to the petition, and recommended that these petitions be granted and that each petitioner be connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Smitley.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10481.

BY THE COUNCIL:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is hereby designated as a member of the Board of Contracts and Awards, to act as such during the absence from office of Geo. A. Smitley, Mayor.

Adopted on roll call August 26, 1935.
Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Nays 0. Absent 1; Mr. President.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to make certain repairs and improvements for the protection of the Green River Gravity Pipe Line at the Puyallup River Crossing near McMillin, authorizing said work to be done by force account, and appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Water Fund for said purposes. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mr. Frank J. Walsh was present in response to the Council's invitation to the Flood Control Committee of the Chamber of Commerce to meet for a discussion of the communication from Col. Wild, War Department Engineer (8-12-35) giving notice that the City's application for flood relief project had been disapproved. The subject was discussed at length and it was agreed that both the Commissioner of Public Works and the Flood Control Committee should continue their efforts to secure government funds for the project.

Upon motion duly seconded and carried Council then adjourned.

Attest: Benjamin Martin
City Clerk.

John Davisson
Vice President of City Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, August 28, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett. Absent 1; Mr. President. In the absence of the President, Mr. Davisson, Vice President of the City Council, presided.

The reading of the minutes of the previous session was laid over until later in the meeting and Council proceeded with consideration of

PETITIONS:

H. M. Anderson, et al, requesting the City to install sidewalks on North 38th Street between Proctor and Madison Streets to insure the safety of children going to and coming from school. Several of the petitioners were present and urged the Council to put in the sidewalks and Gordon March, owner of some of the vacant property which would be assessed in case the sidewalks were installed, protested against any such action. The petition was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works with the request that he submit all the facts in connection with the situation to the Council.

Standard Stations Inc., submitting consent of the property owners adjacent to their service station, located at No. 24th and Junett Streets. to the proposal to completely reconstruct this station in accordance with the architect's sketch submitted herewith, and asking that the Council authorize and instruct the Building Inspector to issue a permit, subject to his approval of their detailed plans and specifications covering such construction. Moved by Mr. Callender that the Commissioner of Public Works be instructed to direct the Building Inspector to issue the permit. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Smitley.

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Howard W. Freeman, Fireman
C. A. McMickle, Chief Engineer
James Newitt, Fireman
Richard P. Van Doel, Fireman

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Althan Aldrich, Fireman
J. H. Ashworth, Assistant Engineer
John Baer, Donkey Engineer
D. H. Collins, Assistant Engineer
H. P. Creager, Engineer
W. J. Davies, Fireman
W. E. Doyle, Fireman

Ralph Felice, Assistant Engineer
J. M. Haskell, Assistant Engineer
E. D. Jones, Chief Engineer
Geo. Koford, Fireman
E. C. Lindley, Fireman
Homer McLean, Fireman
T. O. Martin, Fireman
George H. Miller, Assistant Engineer
J. Moliter, Chief Engineer
S. A. Moreland, Donkey Engineer
G. E. Smith, Chief Engineer
Wm. S. Smith, Crane Engineer
Joe Vaars, Donkey Engineer
Jas. E. Williams, Fireman
Andrew Williner, Donkey Engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Smitley.

The petition of Amanda L. T. Coyne, for renewal of license for rooming house at the Rex Apartments- 1521 Market Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare and Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Washington State Planning Council, advising that the Division of City and County Planning of the State Planning Council in collaboration with the Association of Washington Cities has been working on the preparation of model ordinance and resolutions for the convenience of City and County officials who may be interested in Local planning; enclosing a copy of a "Model Ordinance Creating a City or Town Planning Commission" and also a "Model Municipal Zoning Ordinance" which are the results of these efforts, and requesting that the two ord-

inances be called to the attention of the City Council and City Attorney. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending August 24, 1935 in amount of \$1,127,528.72. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, requesting Council's approval of three projects in the Water Division to be filed with the Works Progress Administration: (1) Construction of a short tunnel at the Headworks, etc. (2) Additional bank protection at the White River Crossing, etc. (3) Clearing and landscaping grounds at the McMillin Reservoir; stating that the total amount from Federal Funds is \$52,543.60 and the total sponsor's contribution is \$18,642.92, making a grand total of \$71,186.52 and that practically all of the sponsor's contribution may be eliminated if relief labor is furnished from the respective localities. Moved by Mr. Davisson to approve the projects. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Smitley.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of the Allenmore Golf Club Inc. (8-19-35) for renewal of license for golf course at 2125 Cedar Street, and recommended it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Smitley.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10482.

By THE COUNCIL:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfer in the 1935 Budget:

From Maintenance and Operation, Department of Public Works, Steel and Concrete Bridges, to Maintenance and Operation, Department of Public Safety, Fire Division	\$250.00
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Adopted on roll call August 28, 1935.
Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett. Nays 0; Absent 1; Mr. President.

Resolution No. 10483.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a loan and grant to aid in financing the construction of a trunk sewer system, designating A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, to furnish such information as the Government may request; and designating the City Controller to furnish such financial information, the Corporation Counsel to furnish such legal information, and the City Engineer to furnish such engineering information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma to the United States of America for a loan and grant to aid in financing the construction of a trunk sewer system for the City of Tacoma.

Section 2. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Section 3. That T. A. Swayze, City Controller, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such financial information, Howard Crothers, Corporation Counsel, to furnish such legal information and C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such engineering information as the United States of America may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call August 28, 1935.
Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett. Nays 0; Absent 1; Mr. President.

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SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to make certain repairs and improvement for the protection of the Green River Gravity Pipe Line at the Puyallup River Crossing near McMillin, authorizing said work to be done by force account, and appropriating the sum of \$10,000 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$50.00 from the General Fund for the purpose of paying the claim of Amadeo Buonomo for money deposited as bail in Police Court and forfeited; declaring the Emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11202.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to make certain repairs and improvements for the protection of the Green River Gravity Pipe Line at the Puyallup River Crossing near McMillin, authorizing said work to be done by force account, and appropriating the sum of \$10,000 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett; Nays 0. Absent 1; Mr. President.

Ordinance No. 11203.

Appropriating the sum of \$50.00 from the General Fund for the purpose of paying the claim of Amadeo Buonomo for money deposited as bail in Police Court and forfeited; declaring the Emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett; Nays 0; Absent 1; Mr. President.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date fixed for the hearing of remonstrances on the petition of A. Osadge et al (8-5-35) for establishment of a retail business district on South 48th Street from K Street to L Street, the Clerk reported the publication of Resolution No. 10480 on August 20th and 21st, 1935 as required, and that post card notices had been mailed to all property owners in the district by the Building Department, and that the Building Inspector had reported that payment of the fee covering the expense incurred would be made by the petitioner upon receipt of the bill. The Clerk also reported that no remonstrances had been filed. No remonstrators appearing, it was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the petition be granted and the Corporation Counsel instructed to prepare the necessary ordinance. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Smitley.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to reading of the minutes of the previous session, and there being no corrections, they were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

Puget Sound Machinery Depot, requesting fifty days extension of time for completion of their contract covering Pipe Line No. 4 and South 64th Street Lateral of the Green River Gravity Pipe Line, Federal Docket No. 1135, and submitting consent of bondsmen to this extension. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Callender reported that he would like to be excused for the remainder of the week and moved that this leave of absence be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Smitley.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Tuesday, September 3rd, 1935.

J. A. Davison
Vice President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

SEP 3 - 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Tuesday, September 3, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Pacific Coast Fire Chiefs' Association, inviting Fire Chief Whitaker to attend the annual convention of the Association at Sacramento, September 9th, 10th and 11th, 1935. Moved by Mr. Callender that the Chief be allowed to attend if he pays his own expenses. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Tacoma Central Labor Council, stating that a committee from their organization desires to have a meeting with the City Council at its earliest convenience for the purpose of discussing the question of placing City employees on a 40 hour week without reduction of pay. Monday, September 9th at 10:30 A. M. was set as the time for this meeting.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report for month of July, 1935. Placed on file.

City Controller, submitting preliminary budget for year 1936; advising that the appropriations asked for exceed the listed revenues by \$464,534.71 and suggesting that the City make a more determined effort to secure Federal Public Works Funds to finance needed improvements such as bridges, sewers, streets, etc. Placed on file and Clerk directed to supply Commissioners with copies.

Commissioner of Public Works, advising that his department wishes to sell or trade a Studebaker Coupe, Motor No. GE 45344 for a consideration of not less than \$190.00 and asking that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to proceed with such transaction. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the Petition of Puget Sound Machinery Depot (8-28-35) requesting 50 days extension of time for completion of their contract covering Pipe Line No. 4 and South 64th Street Lateral of the Green River Gravity Pipe Line, and recommended the extension be granted and completion date fixed as of October 21st, with the provision that all extra expense to which the department is put be charged against the contractor and that the contractor abandon the use of existing practices and/or machines as soon as same are proven to be incompetent or inefficient, and that this extension be subject to the approval of the State Engineer for the Public Works Administration. Moved by Mr. Davison to adopt the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of Charles Arnold (7-8-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 4, Box 489, and recommended that the petition be granted and the premises connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring in the house by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. Moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10484.

By BERGERSEN:

A resolution authorizing the City of Tacoma to file an application to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a grant to aid in financing the construction of a pile and timber highway trestle with asphaltic concrete roadway deck surface located on Ruston Way between North 33rd and North 34th Streets, and designating C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, to furnish such information as the Government may request.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is hereby authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the City of Tacoma to the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a grant to aid in financing the construction of a pile and timber highway trestle with asphaltic concrete roadway deck surface located on Ruston Way between North 33rd and North 34th Streets.

Section 2. That C. D. Forsbeck, City Engineer, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish such information as the United States of America through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works may reasonably request in connection with the application which is herein authorized to be filed.

Adopted on roll call September 3, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 13 of Ordinance No. 11132-- an ordinance to fix and confirm the salaries and compensation to be paid certain officials and employes of the City of Tacoma etc. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Amending Ordinance No. 9147-- an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts, etc-- by adding thereto Section 15d, creating Retail District No. 17. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mr. A. O. Rowe was given a hearing and informed the Council that, because of the government order that all applications for Federal Works Funds must be filed by September 3d, he has arranged a meeting with Governor Martin this afternoon to discuss the Hylebos Bridge matter, and is now requesting that some member of the Council attend that meeting. Commissioner Rankin will represent the County Commissioners, he said, and representatives of various civic organizations will also be present. He presented a resolution to be submitted to the Governor, urging him to intercede with the Secretary of War and Chief of Army Engineers for the purpose of having them rescind their order to the City of Tacoma to remove the Hylebos Bridge and to allow the City sufficient time to secure aid and complete the financing of a new bridge; and, in the event this effort is unsuccessful, requesting that definite assurances be tendered the War Department that the State of Washington will take over the Marine View Highway and furnish an adequate bridge over the Hylebos Waterway. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Council join in the resolution. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that Commissioner of Public Works, A. R. Bergersen, attend the meeting as a representative of the Council. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, council then adjourned.

J. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *George W. Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, September 4, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

N.	R.
Cecil Gillies, fireman	W. E. Ahrens, fireman
Philip Kavanagh, fireman	J. W. McCurdy, fireman
Frank M. Peterson, fireman	
Frank Porto, fireman	

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Lloyd Culbertson, for license to peddle gas savers for automobiles;
Joe Marzano, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

E. R. Hoffman, Acting State Director, P. W. A., advising, with reference to application for 11th Street Bridge for which the loan is to be secured by General Obligation Bonds that due to the enactment of Initiative Measure No. 94 general obligation bonds of the municipalities of this state are not considered reasonable security by the Public Works Administration, and asking that they be advised by wire as to whether it will be possible for the City to sell the bonds in the open market or otherwise to provide the funds which, in addition to the grant, will be necessary to complete the work. Referred to Commissioner Bergersen for reply.

Municipal Civil Service League, Inc., stating that they feel the proposed amendment to Section 13 of Ordinance 11132, Salary Ordinance, with reference to telephone operators, should not be passed; setting forth in detail the history of this change and requesting that the ordinance be not passed and that the operators of the City Hall switchboard be accorded rightful treatment according to their Civil Service standings. Discussed and placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, submitting report of bank balances for week ending August 31, 1935 in amount of \$1,170,906.45. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of Amanda L. T. Coyne (8-28-35) for renewal of license for rooming house at the Rex Apartments- 1521 Market Street, and submitted recommendation of the License Inspector that the license be denied. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the license be denied. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 13 of Ordinance No. 11132 -- an ordinance to fix and confirm the salaries and compensation to be paid certain officials and employes of the City of Tacoma, etc. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Ordinance No. 9147-- an ordinance dividing the city of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts; prohibiting the carrying on of certain businesses in the City of Tacoma, etc.-- by adding thereto Section 15d, creating Retail District No. 17. Brought up for second reading and laid over to Monday, September 9th, 1935.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 10204.

Amending Section 13 of Ordinance No. 11132-- an ordinance to fix and confirm the salaries and compensation to be paid certain official and employes of the City of Tacoma, etc. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

A. O. Rowe was present and reported the result of the meeting with the state officials yesterday regarding the Hylebos Bridge. He stated that they had arrived at a solution of the problem, but must have the approval of the Council at once if federal funds are to be made available. The plan is for the City to agree to furnish \$120,000 from its Secondary Highway funds, complete the application and then turn the entire project and application over to Pierce County, which has the right to construct and operate a toll bridge. Mr. Rowe stated that there is an average of 1500 cars per day crossing the bridge, and at a 5¢ toll, it will take about two years to retire the bonds if the County furnishes \$50,000.00 or not over four years, if it does not contribute. Corporation Counsel Carothers stated that there is a legal question as to whether the county can build a bridge wholly within the City limits unless the City joins with it, and also as to whether the State will allow highway fund money to be used on a toll bridge. Mr. Rowe reported that these questions had been taken up with the State's attorneys and they said it would be possible. It was decided to have a meeting this afternoon with the County Commissioners and ascertain what they are willing to do in the matter before taking any definite action.

The Clerk reported that the Central Labor Council has requested that its representatives be given a hearing on Friday of this week instead of next Monday, with regard to the 40 hour week for City Employees. The request was granted.

NEW BUSINESS:

A petition was submitted by the Pierce County Unemployment Council, requesting the cooperation of the City Council in filing an application with the W P A for a work relief project proposed by the Tacoma Model Housing Committee, to include \$500,000 for the building of 100 single family dwellings; \$500,000 for an up-to-date hotel apartment; and \$1,000,000 for a cultural and recreational center. Council directed the petitioners to contact the engineers of the W P A and find out how the proposal fits in with their program and if it is a project which they will accept; and, after that it determined, to again submit their request to the Council.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, September 9th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. P. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *George P. Smith*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, September 9, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Y. Yano, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables;
Thos. Bearns, for renewal of license to peddle wood.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were submitted to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Mrs. T. Hari, for renewal of license for New Harold Hotel at 1328 Market Street;
Geo. L. Nelson, for renewal of license for Carlton Hotel at 17th and Jefferson Avenue.

The petition of C. A. Scurry, for renewal of license for three pool tables at 1327 Broadway, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Association of Washington Cities, advising that their executive committee is meeting Saturday, September 14th to make arrangements for the series of eight regional meetings that will be sponsored by the Association throughout the state during the month of October for the purpose of discussing current municipal affairs and problems, and asking Tacoma to suggest subjects for consideration at these meetings before Friday, September 13th. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Mayor be granted permission to attend the meeting. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0. The Mayor requested the Commissioner to submit suggestions for these meetings on Wednesday, September 11th.

Oglethorpe University (Georgia) advising that in order to further their "Peace Memorial" they are establishing a section in memory of the soldiers who died in the World War, and inviting the City of Tacoma to donate some rose bushes to be planted there as a memorial to the men from the City of Tacoma. Referred to the Park Board.

Chester H. Thompson, suggesting that now, while the 34th Street Bridge is being rebuilt, is the proper time to have "A" Street extended from Puyallup Avenue up the gulch and south to beyond the Y on the Mountain Road south of Spanaway. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting correspondence from the Seattle City Light Department with reference to the suggested purchase and absorption of the electrical properties of the Puget Sound Power and Light Co.; calling attention to the fact that the City of Tacoma is expected to take part in this plan by sponsoring all or a large portion of Pierce County, and recommending that the matter be made the subject of a meeting of the Committee of the Whole at as early a date as possible and that the Superintendent of the Light Division be invited to attend this conference. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the City Clerk be directed to notify the Seattle City Light Department that Tacoma is not interested in the purchase of the Puget Sound Power and Light Co. at this time. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, requesting that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to purchase one Ford or Chevrolet Coupe for the Light Division and turn in as part payment thereon 1928 Chevrolet Coupe, Motor #4198322, serial # 6AB21605, at the best price obtainable fixing a minimum value of \$50.00 on the old car. It was moved by Mr. Davison that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Florence L. Sieg, et al (5-27-35) for installation of street lights on "A" Street between 84th and 96th Streets, and advised that the cost of making this extension is not justified and that no provision was made in the 1935 budget for additional street lights, and recommended that it be denied and the City Clerk advise the petitioners of the action of the Council. Moved by Mr. Davison that the petition be denied. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of Mrs. Annie Anderson, et al (4-29-35) for installation of street lights at South 19th and Proctor and in front of 1934 South Madison Street, and advised that the streets at the corner of 19th and Proctor are not improved or cleared and that the property in front of 1934 South Madison Street is not a thoroughfare but the light, if placed, would be on private property, and recommended that the petition be denied for the light at South 19th and Proctor until such time as the undergrowth on these streets has been cut and removed and that the light in front of 1934 South Madison be denied entirely on the grounds that the City is not authorized to place lights on private property. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of Robert Gropper (8-26-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Lots 28, 29 and 30, Block 20, University Place, and recommended the petition be granted and the premises be connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the following petitions, and advised that street lamps are needed at the locations but no money was provided in the 1935 budget for additional lights, and recommended the petitions be approved and referred to the Budget Committee with the request that they provide the necessary funds for the installations in the 1936 Budget:

A. W. Forbes, et al (5-27-35) for installation of a street light on Eye Street between South 28th Street and Center Street;
Griffin Wheel Co. (6-26-35) for installation of two drop lights on the poles already in place on South Proctor Street between South 56th and 54th Streets.

It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of the annual supply of electric meters and instrument transformers for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; and appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

The ordinance amending Ordinance No. 9147-- dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts, etc-- by adding thereto Section 15d, creating Retail District No. 17." was brought up for second reading and laid over until the fee is paid.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

A committee of the Central Labor Council was present to discuss the question of placing city employees on a forty-hour week, composed of W. D. Morris, H. S. McIlvaigh, John Jacobs, L. B. Sulgrove and others. Mr. Sulgrove presented a petition, signed by the Central Labor Council and other labor and fraternal organizations and business men, asking the City Council to put into effect the forty-hour week in the Public Works Department, and requested consideration of this petition before final adoption of the 1936 budget. In response to a question as to why this should apply only to the Public Works Department, Mr. Jacobs made the explanation that the truck drivers in that department belong to the Teamsters & Chauffeurs Union, which has been active in getting the petition signed, and they are primarily interested in their own members, but would like to see the plan adopted for all city employees. What they are asking is that these men be placed on a forty-hour week at the same salaries they now receive, he said. Mr. Callender asked for suggestions as to how the Council can raise the additional funds which this plan would require, and Mr. John Coffee replied that Seattle and Spokane have both increased their revenues by levying an occupational tax, which is a possible source of revenue for the City of Tacoma. The Council was unanimous in the opinion that any such change in working hours should be uniform in all departments and agreed that the change might be considered if the money was available. The petition was laid over for consideration with the budget and Council directed that the Corporation Counsel submit whatever information he has with regard to occupational taxes at a meeting of the Budget Committee this afternoon.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *Clara M. Martin*
City Clerk.

SEP 11 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, September 11, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

N.	Sam L. Montgomery, asst. engineer	Jacob Koski, fireman
	Louis S. Jacques, engineer	H. A. Lackey, fireman
		W. M. Leavens, fireman
R.		I. F. Montgomery, chief engineer
	Philip K. Beal, fireman	John S. Robello, chief engineer
	J. T. Cowell, fireman	George Searcy, donkey engineer
	A. B. Greene, fireman	E. M. Zacha, asst. engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Doxey Katramad, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

V. H. Shields, for license for Cabaret- Class 2- Dancing at 5520 Pacific Avenue;
Broadway Bowling Co., for renewal of license for six bowling alleys at 739 1/2 Broadway;

Nelson Park Furniture Co., for license for closing out sale at 1145 Broadway.
H. A. McKean, Principal Longfellow School, requesting permission to block off

"G" Street along the grounds of Longfellow School at South 25th Street from twelve to one o'clock of each school day as an additional space for play, and stating that, if petition is granted, the school authorities will make the necessary barricades. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the request be granted and the petitioner be so notified. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for the week ending September 7, 1935, amounting to \$1,273,976.20. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, requesting Council's approval of the two additional projects in the Water Division described herein to be filed with the Works Progress Administration, for which the total amount from Federal Funds will be \$33,933.00 and the Sponsor's contribution will be \$9,502.00, making a grand total of \$43,435.00 to be expended for this work. Moved by Mr. Davison that the projects be approved by the Council. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Works reported back on the petition of H. M. Anderson, et al (8-28-35) requesting the City to install sidewalks on North 38th Street between Proctor and Madison Streets, and advised that this section is in need of sidewalks, that the improvement would have to be done by a Local Improvement District and since the petition does not have the signatures of a majority of the property owners who would be assessed, the work would have to be ordered by the Council. Council decided to inspect the district before taking any action.

SEP 11 1935

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 12 of Ordinance No. 9786--an ordinance relating to meat, fish, shell fish, game, poultry, and meat products; regulating the preparation, keeping disposal, and sale thereof; etc. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Amending Section 11 of Ordinance No. 7671--an ordinance to establish and enforce compliance with sanitary regulations in all places in the City of Tacoma where food for human beings is manufactured, kept, prepared or sold; etc. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of the annual supply of electric meters and instrument transformers for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; and appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11205.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of the annual supply of electric meters and instrument transformers for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; and appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

It was moved by Mr. Smitley that a half-holiday be declared on September 18th, for Tacoma Day at the Puyallup Fair and that the City Hall be closed at noon. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, September 16th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. O. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

SEP 10 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, September 16th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following matter:

Mrs. Emily Goldsberry, President of the Tacoma Public Health Nursing Association, petitioned the Council, on behalf of the Association, for the employment of five additional public health nurses, to be paid by the City and put in the Health Department, and to appropriate \$7800 for this purpose. Mrs. Goldsberry explained that the Association budget is between \$8,000 and \$9,000 per year and the City pays only \$1200 per year which is used for tuberculosis work, and stated that the six nurses now employed by the Association have such large fields to cover that they can care only for the most serious cases, and have no time for preventive work. Dr. Creswell submitted comparisons of the amount of health work done in Tacoma with the standard for the upper one-third of the cities in the country and also the amount spent by various agencies with that spent by the City, and stated that the City has not assumed the part of the public health program that it should. Speakers endorsing the petition were Mr. Roy Sharp, Rev. Carl Veazie, Mr. Joe Beckman, Mr. Fred Metzger, Mr. Lyman Hall, Mr. Hooker and Dr. E. G. Willard. In response to a question by Commissioner Callender as to whether this program could not be worked out under the W. P. A., Miss Coffman explained that the W. P. A. is only

temporary, and since the work of the public health nurse is highly specialized, the cost of taking the unemployed nurse, who is often inexperienced, and fitting her into the program does not pay for the expenditure. Mr. Callender urged this organization to back up any health program put on by the State, such as proposed by Dr. Coffey in the last State Legislature, which, if adopted, would have made it mandatory upon every community to support an adequate health program. Mayor Smitley informed the group that the Council would do the best possible under the circumstances to comply with the request, but told them that in the face of a cut of almost half a million dollars from the budget estimates, it appeared almost impossible.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Earl J. Miller, for license to peddle auto accessories;
F. C. HOISTETTER, for renewal of license for 1st class auctioneer at 923 South Tacoma Avenue;
J. Simon, for renewal of license for 1st class junk dealer at 608 Puyallup Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of Jack Gorman, for license to peddle razor blades, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the petition be denied. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of the Anchor Inc., for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1352 Pacific Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

C. L. Apple, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 76. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

Tacoma Chapter No. 1, Disabled American Veterans of the World War, requesting permission to hold its annual Forget-me-not Drive on the streets of Tacoma, Sept 27th and 28th. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Western Washington Fair Association, expressing appreciation for the cooperation which the City Council has given to the Western Washington Fair by proclaiming September 18th (Tacoma Day) as a half holiday. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of August, 1935;
Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, report for month of August, 1935.

John M. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's approval and authorization, vouchers and duplicate vouchers #198, 199 and 200, covering interfund transfers for August, 1935. Moved by Mr. Fawcett that the transfers be approved by Council subject to approval by Mr. Hepp of the Public Utilities Department. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Nelson Bark Furniture Co., (9-11-35) for license for closing out sale at 1145 Broadway;
G. A. Scurry (9-9-35) for renewal of license for 7 pool tables at 1727 Broadway;
Broadway Bowling Co. (9-11-35) for renewal of license for 6 bowling alleys at 739 1/2 Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Frank Berg, et al (7-8-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3, Puyallup, and recommended that it be granted and that each petitioner's premises be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring in the houses inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

An ordinance approving an amendment to Loan and Grant Agreement dated as of October 11, 1934, between the City of Tacoma and the United States of America; authorizing its execution; and declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication.

It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the ordinance be placed on second reading. Seconded by Mr. Smitley. The question being put upon placing the ordinance upon second reading, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0. The President declared the motion carried.

An ordinance creating a special fund; providing for the deposit therein of the proceeds of the sale of City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1935, the grant from the Government under Loan and Grant Agreement, and such other funds as may be appropriated thereto; and appropriating the sum of \$476,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary from said special fund to pay the cost of the additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing Water Plant and System, as specified and adopted by Ordinance No. 11156. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the ordinance be placed on second reading. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen. The question being put upon placing the ordinance upon second reading, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0. The President declared the motion carried.

Authorizing the removal of the Hylebos Bridge; directing that said work be done either by contract or force account; appropriating the sum of \$14,000, from General Fund for said purpose; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Ordinance No. 9147--an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts, etc.-- by adding thereto Section 15d, creating Retail District No. 17. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11206.

Amending Ordinance No. 9147-- an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts, etc.-- by adding thereto Section 15d, creating Retail District No. 17. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

It was moved by Mr. Callender to postpone action on the petition for sidewalks on North 38th Street (petition of H. M. Anderson, et al - 8-28-35) for one week. No second. Mr. Bergersen reported that the people signing the petition would be satisfied if they got sidewalks on the south side of the street along the property owned by Mr. March, and asked if the Council would approve if his department was able to work out a plan to get them in. The Council was agreeable to such an improvement if it was made without cost to the City.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Clerk was directed to write to the Smyser Display Co. and notify them that they should have a permit from the City for decorating the streets before hanging the banners advertising the Puyallup Fair, and inquire as to whether they carry public liability insurance. Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

President of City Council

Attest: City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M., Wednesday, September 18, 1935.

SEP 18 1935 Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

The regular order of business was suspended for the purpose of giving a hearing to Mr. A. H. Barnhisel, President of the Public Library Board, who explained the necessity of including in their 1936 budget a larger appropriation for books than they have received for the last two years, saying that they have been getting only about \$3,000 for this purpose whereas previously they had about \$14,000 a year. If there is any way of restoring a portion of their book buying budget, he asked that it be done. The request was taken under advisement. Order of business reverted at this time to reading of the minutes of previous meeting and it was moved by Mr. Fawcett to waive the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting until Monday. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

PETITIONS

The petition of the Bellarmine High School, for permit for a rifle range at Bellarmine High School- South 23rd and Washington Streets, was submitted together with the recommendation of the Chief of Police and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

- Hansen and Larsen, for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 1223 Pacific Avenue; S. Mori, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1544 Broadway; Rousseau Recreation Inc., for license for 12 pool tables at 945 Commerce Street; O. Tolomei, for license for one pool table at 1521 Broadway; Odd Fellows Temple Assn., for renewal of license for public dance hall at 508 -6th Ave.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

- J. Kumasaka, for renewal of license for Massasoit Hotel at 1706 Broadway; Matt Orse, for renewal of license for Jefferson Hotel at 1911 Market Street.

The petition of H. C. Shireman, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises at Crescent Heights, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

- City Controller, report for month of August, 1935; City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending September 14, 1935 in amount of \$1,270,128.10.

City Controller, requesting the Council to authorize the Purchasing Agent to trade in a Remington Noiseless typewriter, Model No. 6, Serial No. 135719, on a new machine. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Geo. L. Nelson (9-9-35) for renewal of license for Carlton Hotel at 17th and Jefferson Avenue; Mrs. T. Hari, (9-9-35) for renewal of license for New Harold Hotel at 1358 Market St.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O. The Commissioner of Public Works reported back on the communication of Chester E. Thompson (9-9-35) suggesting that now, while the 34th Street Bridge is being rebuilt, is the proper time to have "A" Street extended from Puyallup Avenue up the gulch, and advised that the South 34th Street Arch has been so designed that at any time a highway is constructed in Pacific Avenue Gulch, there will be no obstruction at the bridge. Placed on file.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 11 of Ordinance No. 7671-- an ordinance to establish and enforce compliance with sanitary regulations in all places in the City of Tacoma where food for human beings is manufactured, kept, prepared or sold, etc.-- Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Section 12 of Ordinance No. 9786--an ordinance relating to meat, fish, shell fish, game, poultry, and meat food products; regulating the preparation, keeping, disposal, and sale thereof, etc. Read by title and passed to third reading.

The following ordinance entitled: "An ordinance approving an amendment to Loan and Grant Agreement dated as of October 11, 1934, between the City of Tacoma and the United States of America; authorizing its execution; and declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication" was read by title on second reading.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the ordinance be now placed upon its final passage. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen. The question being put upon the placing of said ordinance upon its final passage, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent O. The President declared the motion carried. Thereupon said Ordinance was given No. 11208.

The following ordinance entitled: "An ordinance creating a special fund; providing for the deposit therein of the proceeds of the sale of City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1935, the grant from the Government under Loan and Grant Agreement, and such other funds as may be appropriated thereto; and appropriating the sum of \$476,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary from said special fund to pay the cost of the additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing Water Plant and System, as specified and adopted by Ordinance No. 11156." was read by title on second reading.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the ordinance be now placed upon its final passage. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen. The question being put upon the placing of said ordinance upon its final passage, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O. The President declared the motion carried. Thereupon said Ordinance was given No. 11209.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 11 of Ordinance No. 7671-- an ordinance to establish and enforce compliance with sanitary regulations in all places in the City of Tacoma where food for human beings is manufactured, kept, prepared or sold, etc.-- Read in full and laid over to Monday, September 23, 1935 for final action. (Refer to Corporation Counsel for an amendment). Ordinance No. 11207.

Amending Section 12 of Ordinance No. 9786 --an ordinance relating to meat, fish, shell fish, game, poultry, and meat food products; regulating the preparation, keeping disposal, and sale thereof, etc. Read in full and passed. Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent O.

Thereupon said Ordinance No. 11208, entitled: "An ordinance approving an amendment to Loan and Grant Agreement dated as of October 11, 1934, between the City of Tacoma and the United States of America; authorizing its execution; and declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication." was read in full by the Clerk and considered by the Council.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the said Ordinance be finally passed and adopted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen. The question being put upon the final passage and adoption of said Ordinance the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent O. The President thereupon declared said motion carried and the ordinance finally passed and adopted. The Mayor thereupon signed said ordinance in approval thereof and same was attested by the Clerk.

Thereupon said Ordinance No. 11209, entitled: "An ordinance creating a special fund; providing for the deposit therein of the proceeds of the sale of City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1935, the grant from the Government under Loan and Grant Agreement, and such other funds as may be appropriated thereto; and appropriating the sum of \$476,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary from said special fund to pay the cost of the additions and betterments to and extensions of the existing Water Plant and System, as specified and adopted by Ordinance No. 11156." was read in full by the Clerk and considered by the Council.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the said Ordinance be finally passed and adopted as read. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen.

The question being put upon the final passage and adoption of said Ordinance the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

The president thereupon declared said motion carried and the ordinance finally passed and adopted.

The Mayor thereupon signed said ordinance in approval thereof and same was attested by the Clerk.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, September 23rd, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, September 23, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

The regular order of business was suspended for the following:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mrs. Emily Goldsbury, representing the Public Health Nursing Association, asked what action the Council had taken on their request for five additional public health nurses, and was advised by the Mayor that they had not been included in the budget because of lack of funds.

Mr. A. O. Rowe requested the Council to defer action on the ordinance providing for removal of the Hylebos Bridge until October 1st for the reason that it appears certain that their application for P. W. A. funds to reconstruct the bridge will receive favorable action by that time. Request taken under advisement.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The petitioner of James Maruca, for renewal of license for one pool table at 2212 "A" Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

The petition of Isabel Wingate, for renewal of license for Merit Hotel at 315 1/2 South 11th Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The petition of Pete Pearson, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 260A, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

CLAIMS:

H. O. Dryden, for \$72.88, for damages to his automobile on July 22, 1935, resulting when he drove it over Hylebos Bridge and struck the west end of the span, which was raised several inches above the approach due to not closing properly after having been lifted for the purpose of allowing a boat to go through. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of the Odd Fellows

Temple Association (9-18-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at 508- 6th Avenue, and recommended that it be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation.

Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Establishing and enforcing compliance with sanitary regulations in public drinking places, and to provide penalties for the violation of this ordinance. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the removal of the Hylebos Bridge; directing that said work be done either by contract or force account; appropriating the sum of \$14,000.00, from the General Fund for said purpose; declaring emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11210.

Authorizing the removal of the Hylebos Bridge; directing that said work be done either by contract or force account; appropriating the sum of \$14,000.00 from General Fund for said purpose; declaring emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11211.

Amending Section 11 of Ordinance No. 7671-- an ordinance to establish and enforce compliance with sanitary regulations in all places in the City of Tacoma where food for human beings is manufactured, kept, or sold, etc. (Reported back by Corporation Counsel without amendment and new ordinance introduced covering sanitary regulations in drinking places--See "First Reading of Ordinances" this date.) Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to 2:00 P. M. this date.

E. A. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 2:00 P. M.,
Monday, September 23, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The 1936 Budget Estimates, which had been discussed by the Council in informal sessions for a number of days, were brought up for consideration. It was moved by Mr. Callender to adopt the preliminary budget in accordance with the figures as revised by the City Council and submitted by the City Controller, as follows:

General Fund	\$1,329,767.31
Secondary Highway	787,000.00
Accounts Receivable	114,004.00
Interest and Redemption	461,201.23
Dock	10,621.00
Light	2,500,687.73
Water	1,209,000.00
Street Railway	80,344.20
Garbage and Refuse	142,891.81

TOTAL -----\$6,245,527.38

Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, September 25, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

Regular order of business was suspended to hear Mr. S. W. Shoemaker, representing the Park-O-Meter Co., who exhibited a model of the Park-O-Meter and explained fully the operation of the machine. He submitted a letter from the Downtown Association recommending a trial of the Park-O-Meter on both sides of Pacific Avenue and Broadway between South 9th and 12th Streets, and stated that he also had the endorsement of directors of the Broadway Association and a number of other business men to such installation. He explained that the company makes the installation and takes its pay out of the receipts, making the contract for the labor and giving the contractor his pay from the first money taken in. The installation must be supervised by the City Engineer and the company would want access to his records, he said. The company also requires that, in the event of a suit to prevent the operation of these machines, their attorney be allowed to appear as associate counsel. The matter was referred to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion as to whether the charter will permit such an installation.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to reading of the minutes and, there being no corrections, they were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

R.	J. C. Hammer, fireman
Paul T. Berg, donkey Engineer	C. F. Henderson, fireman
L. A. Blavman, fireman	W. J. Lisle, fireman
Ed. K. Bothun, fireman	W. B. McMurray, fireman
L. F. Cheney, asst. engineer	Edw. W. Meyer, fireman
Geo. A. Cooley, chief engineer	G. F. Nostrand, engineer
Thomas J. Cowan, chief engineer	P. G. Pearce, fireman
S. F. Dickinson, asst. engineer	Clifford O. Perry, fireman
J. E. Georgeson, asst. engineer	Frank Roberts, chief engineer
H. W. Greengrass, chief engineer	J. Siddall, engineer
Albert Hagadorn, fireman	

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of S. J. Galloway, for license to peddle automobile accessories, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of G. Kubo, for renewal of license for rooming house at Palmer Apartments, 100 1/2 South 14th Street, was referred to Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Sound Realty Co. Inc. and Royce Cafe, for license for cabaret-Class 2- Dancing, etc at 943 1/2 South Tacoma Avenue;
Leonard and Reid, for renewal of license for public dance hall at 3639 South G Street;
A. Novak, for renewal of license for one pool table at 3201 Portland Avenue.

Harry Dixon, et al, calling attention to the condition of the wooden sidewalk on South 45th Street for a distance of 100 feet between Sheridan and Cushman, which was laid in 1916 as a temporary walk with the understanding that concrete would be laid as soon as the fill

had settled and requesting Council to remedy this condition. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

South Tacoma Local of the Unemployment Council, asking that they be advised what provisions the local government has made to carry the relief load when and if the Federal Government cuts off financial aid, as the W. P. A. and P. W. A. will only employ three and one half million persons while there are seventeen million unemployed. Clerk directed to refer petitioners to the County Commissioners and inform them that the providing of relief for the unemployed is the County's responsibility.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending September 21, 1935 in amount of \$1,268,357.61. Placed on file.

City Controller (T. A. Swayze) reporting that the old City of Tacoma fiscal records have been marked, indexed and properly filed by members of his staff in the lower part of the City Hall, formerly the City Jail; advising that he has found very little information in old records relative to officials of past years and is endeavoring to gather up such information from outside sources for the City's permanent files; and suggesting that the Council inaugurate a custom of having official pictures made of all City Councils and City Officials to be placed with necessary accompanying data in the files. Council commended Mr. Swayze for his interest and efforts in getting the old records classified, and agreed to co-operate with him in accordance with his suggestion.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Anchor Inc. (9-18-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1752 Pacific;
Hanson & Larson (9-18-35) for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 1223 Pacific;
S. Mori (9-18-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 1744 Broadway;
Noussou Recreation Inc. (9-18-35) for license for 12 pool tables at 945 Commerce St.
O. Tolomei (9-18-35) for license for one pool table at 1521 Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

J. Kumasaka (9-18-35) for renewal of license for Massasoit Hotel at 1706 Broadway;
Matt Orse (9-18-35) for renewal of license for Jefferson Hotel at 1911 Market Street;
Isabel Wingate (9-22-35) for renewal of license for Merit Hotel at 715 1/2 South 11th St.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of the Park Avenue Improvement Club (5-20-35) again requesting that a light be installed on Park Avenue between 67th and 68th Streets, and advised that at the present time there are street lights on the corners of 67th and 68th and Park Avenue which is in accord with the usual practice for ordinary bracket type street lights; that the light requested would be in front of the Park Avenue School and should be provided for by the School Board for lighting the school's grounds, and recommended that the petitioners be so notified. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Establishing and enforcing compliance with sanitary regulations in public drinking places, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this ordinance. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11212.

Establishing and enforcing compliance with sanitary regulations in public drinking places, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this ordinance. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley submitted a communication from Adabelle G. Putnam, acknowledging receipt of notice to take part of Block 11, Wing's Addition for public purposes, requesting that a sketch of the property which the City proposes to take be sent to her and stating that if the remaining property is destroyed for other purposes by this condemnation, compensation must be given for the true loss. Referred to Assistant Corporation Counsel Gardner for reply.

A representative of the Automobile Club of Washington for this district asked what the attitude of the Council would be since the National P. T. A. has condemned the use of the school boy patrol. He stated that the patrol has been operating here since 1928 and there has been no fatalities and only two minor injuries from traffic accidents among school children in that time. Commissioner of Public Safety Callender stated that he considered the idea of abolishing the patrol so foolish that he did not intend to bring it before the Council and so long as he is commissioner there will be a school boy patrol. Council sustained the Commissioner of Public Safety in the stand he had taken.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, Ira S. Davisson, requested leave of absence from Thursday to Saturday of this week. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried unanimously.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, September 30, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Monday, September 30, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The petition of John W. Faulkner, for renewal of license for drug store at 2616 North Proctor Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

H. T. Munkata, for renewal of license for New Tacoma Hotel at 1217 1/2 Broadway;
Harry H. Sprinker, for renewal of license for Crystal Hotel at 5424 South Puget Sound.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

J. Charles Dennis, U. S. Attorney, enclosing copy of letter from the Attorney General, directing him to immediately institute proceedings against the City of Tacoma to recover the penalties provided for by the River and Harbor Act for failure to comply with the War Department's order to alter or remove Hylcobos Bridge; stating that, under the circumstances, it is necessary for him to institute the action, but that he will hold the matter in abeyance for a few days in order that the City may take the matter up with the authorities in Washington D. C. and unless the order is countermanded, he has no option but to proceed. Laid on the table.

Chas. F. Field, calling attention to the need of a distinctive mark at the City Limits on South Tacoma Way and suggesting an electric sign be erected at this point to cross the street, advertising "Tacoma, Cheapest Power and Light in the World" to mark the entrance to the City on State Highway No. 1. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

G. A. Stone, Secretary, Pierce County Branch of Socialist Party, stating that at the Pierce County Convention of the Socialist Party all movements advocating shorter working hours for the relief of unemployment were endorsed, and asking that the City Council seriously consider all possibilities of reduction in working hours of City employees. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of light, Water and Municipal Belt Line Divisions for month of August, 1935. Placed on file.

Jos. J. Gorman, Sanitary Inspector, submitting copy of notice given to Minnie Gray Bowen on September 11th, 1935 to remove refuse from premises at 601 Borough Road as provided in Ordinance No. 8878. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Commissioner of Public Welfare be authorized to draw the necessary resolution. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Leonard & Reid (9-25-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at 2630 South G Street;
Sound Realty Co. Inc. and Royce Cafe (9-25-35) for license for cabaret-Class 2, Dancing, etc. at 943 1/2 South Tacoma Avenue;
James Maruca (9-23-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 2212 "A" Street;
A. Novak (9-25-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 2201 Portland Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11212.

Establishing and enforcing compliance with sanitary regulations in public drinking places, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this ordinance. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley submitted a communication from Adabelle C. Putnam, acknowledging receipt of notice to take part of Block 11, Wing's Addition for public purposes, requesting that a sketch of the property which the City proposes to take be sent to her and stating that, if the remaining property is destroyed for other purposes by this condemnation, compensation must be given for the true loss. Referred to Assistant Corporation Counsel Gardner for reply.

A representative of the Automobile Club of Washington for this district asked what the attitude of the Council would be since the National P. T. A. has condemned the use of the school boy patrol. He stated that the patrol has been operating here since 1928 and there has been no fatalities and only two minor injuries from traffic accidents among school children in that time. Commissioner of Public Safety Callender stated that he considered the idea of abolishing the patrol so foolish that he did not intend to bring it before the Council and so long as he is commissioner there will be a school boy patrol. Council sustained the Commissioner of Public Safety in the stand he had taken.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, Ira S. Davisson, requested leave of absence from Thursday to Saturday of this week. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried unanimously.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, September 30, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: Genuine Martin
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.
Monday, September 30, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The petition of John W. Faulkner, for renewal of license for drug store at 2616 North Proctor Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

H. T. Munkata, for renewal of license for New Tacoma Hotel at 1217 1/2 Broadway;
Harry H. Sprinker, for renewal of license for Crystal Hotel at 5424 South Puget Sound.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

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OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of light, Water and Municipal Belt Line Divisions for month of August, 1935. Placed on file.

Jos. J. Gorman, Sanitary Inspector, submitting copy of notice given to Minnie Gray Bowen on September 11th, 1935 to remove refuse from premises at 601 Borough Road as provided in Ordinance No. 8878. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Commissioner of Public Welfare be authorized to draw the necessary resolution. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Leonard & Reid (9-25-35) for renewal of license for public dance hall at 2639 South G Street;
Sound Realty Co. Inc. and Royce Cafe (9-25-35) for license for cabaret-Class 2, Dancing, etc. at 943 1/2 South Tacoma Avenue;
James Maruca, (9-25-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 2212 "A" Street;
A. Novak (9-25-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 201 Portland Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of G. Kubo (9-25-35) for renewal of license for rooming house at Palmer Apartments, 108½ South 14th Street, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Corporation Counsel reported back on the Claim of H. O. Dryden (9-23-35) for \$72.88 for damages to his automobile on July 22, 1935 when he struck the west end of the span on Hylebos Bridge, and advised that he has investigated the facts concerning this accident in conjunction with the Commissioner of Public Works and they find that same was caused by the bridge not properly closing after being raised, and stated that it is their opinion that the facts are such that the claim should be paid, and they therefore recommend settlement. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Mr. Carothers, Corporation Counsel, reported back verbally on the question submitted him as to the legality of installing Park-0-Meters on the streets (9-25-35) and advised that he had looked over the only decision on record with reference to the matter and as a general proposition it would appear that this could be done; but also told the Council that the case has not been passed upon by the Supreme Court and there is a question as to whether this might not be construed by the Court as a rental of the streets. In his opinion it could be considered as a reasonable regulation and a charge for the regulation would be legal. Mr. Carothers indicated that he would like to study the question a little further before presenting a written opinion and the matter was laid over until next Monday, October 7th, 1935.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *G. J. ...*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, October 2, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Mrs. Don Sanders, for license for rooming house at the Royal Rooms- 5244½ South Puget Sound Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

J. Peter P. Healy, asking that an ordinance be passed, re-zoning certain lots at the corner of North I and Steel Streets for business purposes so that the property can be used for a gas station, and inquiring whether the Council will pass such an ordinance now based on action taken in October, 1930 on petition filed by the owner, A. A. Campbell, or whether a new petition must be secured. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Finance (City Treasurer) report for month of August, 1935. Placed on file.

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending September 22, 1935 in amount of \$1,310,613.15. Placed on file.

CLAIMS:

Ada F. Todd, for \$600.00, for personal injuries, and damage to her automobile incurred when she lost control of her car as she drove onto a ridge of gravel extending diagonally across North Pearl Street at approximately North 27th Street, which was left there by the grader or scraper when it turned into a vacant lot. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of John W. Faulkner (9-30-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 2616 North Proctor, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and the premises be connected to the City lines when an outside connection fee of \$10.00 has been paid and the wiring inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

C. L. Apple, et al (9-16-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 76;
Pete Pearson (9-23-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 250A.

It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10485.

BY SMITLEY:

WHEREAS, Block 3611, New Tacoma Addition, is covered with weeds, grass and brush and is a menace to the health of the community, and notice to remove the same within fifteen days was served upon Minnie Gray Bowen, the owner thereof, and such notice contained the estimated cost of removing said weeds, grass and brush, and said notice further contained the statement that the same would be filed with the Council on the 26th day of September, 1935, at which time the Council, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 8878, would hear and decide upon all objections filed against the doing of said work and determine whether or not said work should be done and charged against the property; and

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WHEREAS, no objections or remonstrances have been filed with the City Clerk; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the cleaning of the weeds, grass and brush from Block 2611, New Tacoma Addition, shall be done by the Commissioner of Public Welfare of the City of Tacoma and the cost thereof shall be charged against the property pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 8878, and the Commissioner of Public Welfare is hereby ordered and directed to proceed with such work or cause such work to be done.

Adopted on roll call October 2, 1935. Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTION No. 10486.

BY BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, the Highway Department of the State of Washington under the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 has made improvements and purposes to make additional improvements on South Tacoma Way from South M Street to the city limits south, said improvements consisting of widening and paving said street; and

WHEREAS, in connection with obtaining said improvements by the Highway Department it is necessary that the City of Tacoma agree to maintain said street after said improvements have been completed; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That in consideration of the Highway Department of the State of Washington making the above designated improvement, the City of Tacoma will maintain that portion of said South Tacoma Way so improved after said improvement has been completed; and the proper officers of the City of Tacoma are hereby authorized and directed to execute and transmit to the Highway Department of the State of Washington an agreement to that effect, said agreement to be in the form as submitted by the Highway Department.

Adopted on roll call October 2, 1935. Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Davisson.

Resolution No. 10487.

BY FAWCETT:

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma acquired title to the property hereinafter described by purchase at the fifth foreclosure sale, (L. I. D. 1860), under date of March 14, 1931; and

WHEREAS, on September 24, 1935, said property was offered for sale on contract to the highest bidder and the bid of Clyde V. Hutson and Nellie A. Hutson, husband and wife, of \$200.00, was the highest bid therefor; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City of Tacoma be and they hereby are authorized to execute a conditional sale contract, in form to be approved by the Corporation Counsel, for the sale of Lots 1 and 2, Block 12, Midway Addition, in Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington, to Clyde V. Hutson and Nellie A. Hutson, husband and wife, for the sum of \$200.00, payable \$50.00 cash and the balance of \$150.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 6% payable \$8.00 a month and accrued interest on unpaid balance, on the 1st day of November, 1935, and on the 1st day of each month thereafter until paid in full.

Adopted on roll call October 2, 1935. Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one carload of copper wire; and appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, October 7th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. P. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *G. M. Martin*
City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, October 7, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President.

Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

F. W. Gates, for license to peddle Rawleigh spices, flavors and toilet articles;
Sam Offerman, for renewal of 2nd class junk dealer's license at 1103 Center Street.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety:

Carlson's Yakima Drug Co., for renewal of drug store license at 3805 South Yakima;
W. Roberts, for drug store license at 974 Pacific Avenue;
Smith's Pharmacy, for renewal of license for drug store at 454 St. Helens Avenue;
Mike Flannigan, for license for cabaret, Class 1 (entertainment only) at 1106 Puyallup;
D. J. Berkson, for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 911 Commerce Street;
Peterson and Cooksie, for renewal of license for 10 pool tables at 942 1/2 Pacific Avenue.

The petition of W. K. Ollar, for renewal of license for Sands Hotel at 410- 6th Avenue was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare and Commissioner of Public Safety.

Louis J. Muscek, et al, requesting that a residential zone be established on Pacific Avenue from South 52nd to South 5th Street and from South 57th to South 64th Street. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Harry H. Johnston, Prosecuting Attorney, calling attention to a decision of the U. S. Court found in Volume 50 of the Federal Reporter, page 406, which declared the Act of Congress of August 11, 1888, giving the Secretary of War authority to give notice to remove or alter any bridge that is an obstruction to navigation, unconstitutional as it delegates to the Secretary of War powers exclusively vested in Congress; and stating that this is the last word on the subject and relieves the City Commissioners and the City from any personal liability for failure to remove the Hylebos Bridge. Corporation Counsel Carothers was requested for an opinion as to the statement made by Mr. Johnston, and informed the Council that the citation quoted is not the last word on the subject; that the Supreme Court in the case he refers to did not pass on the constitutionality of the act but that it did later, in 1907, when the same judge held that the act is not unconstitutional in conferring upon the Secretary of War the power to compel removal of a bridge. The Corporation Counsel was requested to file his opinion in writing. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Council re-affirm its position (with regard to removal of the Hylebos Bridge). Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Western Washington Fair Association, forwarding check for \$75. which is the prize won by Tacoma in the Tacoma-Seattle Attendance Contest at the 1935 Fair and stating they have no preference as to how this money shall be used. Mayor Smitley reported that the Weather Bureau maintained by the City is in need of a barograph and, if agreeable to the Council, he would like to have the money used to purchase one. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that Mr. Bull (in charge of the Weather Bureau) be notified to buy the barograph. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Yakima Chamber of Commerce, inviting Mayor Smitley to attend a meeting in the afternoon and a banquet in the armory at Yakima in the evening (Oct. 12th) to celebrate the approval of the Reza Irrigation Project by the government and the allocation of funds to start construction. Moved by Mr. Callender that the Mayor be allowed to attend. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Corporation Counsel, submitting opinion requested by Council on September 25th as to the legality of the proposed Park-O-Meter system, and stating that the City Charter contains no provisions which restrict the power of the City Council to regulate and control the use of streets and in the exercise of its right and duty to regulate and control parking and automobile traffic, it would appear that the City has the right to install mechanical devices to aid and assist the Police Department and to make a charge against those sought to be regulated for that purpose. Commissioner Callender stated that he was in favor of the proposition but wanted an expression from merchants in the district and then, if Council wants to make the installation, it will be upon petition of those most interest. Mr. Shoemaker, representing the Park-O-Meter, was instructed to present a petition signed by merchants in the District. The Corporation Counsel's opinion was ordered placed on file with the petition.

City Controller T. A. Swayze, requesting that Underwood typewriter #3-12-56807 be substituted for Remington #135719 which the Council authorized the Purchasing Agent to trade in on a new machine on September 18th. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598-an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc-- repealing Ordinance No. 11183; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$2174.45 from the General Fund for the purpose of payment of additional maintenance and operation costs for the Department of Public Welfare, Health Office and Contagious Hospital; declaring emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date fixed by State Law for public hearing on the preliminary budget adopted by the Council on September 23, 1935, the Clerk reported due publication of the notice of hearing required by law and that no remonstrances had been filed against the budget. An opportunity to be heard was given to anyone wishing to speak with regard to the 1936 budget and no one responded.

The Mayor submitted a communication from the Pierce County Taxation Bureau, calling attention to certain items in the 1936 budget and stating that their purpose in so doing is one of friendly cooperation to the end that the credit of the City may be preserved on a sound basis, which was laid on the table until the final meeting on the budget.

The petition of the Central Labor Council, et al (9-9-35) asking the City Council to put into effect the forty-hour week in the Public Works Department, which had been laid over for consideration with the budget, was brought up for consideration and was moved by Mr. Fawcett that it be placed on file. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following matters which had been referred to the Budget Committee for action were brought up for consideration at this time:

Communication of Commissioner of Public Utilities, (6-6-35) with reference to lack of provision in the 1936 budget for installation of additional street light extensions and recommending that an emergency appropriation be made to cover the estimated cost represented by the eight petitions attached hereto:

Petition of A. W. Forbes, et al (5-27-35) for installation of a street light on Eye Street between South 28th Street and Center Street;

Petition of Griffin Wheel Co. (6-26-35) requesting installation of two drop lights on the poles already in place on South Proctor Street between South 56th and South 54th Streets.

It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the communication and petitions be referred back to the Public Utilities Department. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

It was then moved by Mr. Davison that the hearing on the budget be continued to October 8th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Moved by Mr. Smitley to recess until 10:00 A. M. October 8th, 1935. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

T. A. Swayze
President of City Council.

Attest: *G. A. Martin*
City Clerk

OCT 8 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Tuesday, October 8, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5. Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Harry H. Johnston, Prosecuting Attorney, reporting that Lt. Larry Amundsen and Harry Warren of the City Police Department drew their salaries from the City of Tacoma for the last half of the month of September, 1935 and also received compensation from the Western Washington Fair Association at Puyallup for 12 hours labor per day for 7 days, stating that in his judgment this amounts to obtaining money from the City of Tacoma under false pretenses and that he was advised by the Police Department that this is an established custom of the department and the contention is made that it is perfectly proper. Commissioner of Public Safety Callender stated that it has been the custom to have members of the Police Department out at the Fair to look for lawbreakers who follow the fairs because they know these people and in his opinion it is a good thing. The communication was referred to the Corporation Counsel with the request that he advise the Council as to whether there are grounds for complaint.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Hearing on the 1936 Budget was resumed. No remonstrances against the budget were filed and no one was present desiring to be heard. It was moved, seconded and carried that the hearing on the budget be continued until 10:00 A. M., Wednesday, October 9th, 1935.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

T. A. Swayze
President of City Council.

Attest: *G. A. Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10 A. M.
Wednesday, October 9, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as read.

The regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. J. F. Hickey, as spokesman for a committee of business men operating places of amusement, called attention to a report that there is an old ordinance of the City of Tacoma requiring all amusement places to be closed at twelve o'clock. Instead of allowing them to remain open until one o'clock as provided in the state law regulating such places where beer is sold. The twelve o'clock closing strikes vitally at the business of hotels and beer parlors, he said, at a time when they are trying to keep the business in the city, and if the authorities are going to enforce this twelve o'clock closing ordinance, it will send people outside the city limits where this restriction does not apply. For this reason Mr. Hickey and his group requested the repeal of the ordinance. Commissioner Callender stated that his department has been getting considerable complaint about dancing after twelve o'clock and, since the Steele Bill permits the sale of beer until one o'clock he would consider extending the time for closing to one, but not any later. Mr. Hickey said that they

would be satisfied if the time could be extended to one o'clock, and the members of the Council signified that they would be agreeable to such a change in the ordinance.

Mr. Sam Offerman asked the Council to consider a change in the junk dealers' ordinance, saying that he is in the business of picking up glass bottles and jars, gallon jugs and bags and reselling them, but that this cannot be considered as junk, although it is so classified in the ordinance. He mentioned a decision of the Supreme Court that if used materials are segregated before being resold, they are not junk, and according to this ruling he claimed that he is a second hand dealer and not a junk dealer and is therefore entitled to the lower license rate paid by the second hand dealer. The question was referred to the Corporation Counsel.

The order of business then reverted to

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

N	Ray H. Ellison, Assistant Engineer	H. H. McCabe, Fireman
	Guy F. Merwin, Fireman	C. W. McPherson, Chief Engineer
		F. Novotney, Fireman
		Chas. O'Boyle, Assistant Engineer
R		H. V. Parkins, Fireman
	Joe Ansak, Fireman	Tom Quann, Donkey Engineer
	K. H. Avery, Fireman	A. G. Rostedt, Fireman
	A. Bredeson, Assistant Engineer	W. J. Rouse, Assistant Engineer
	C. E. Burgeson, Donkey Engineer	Chas. Schuffert, Engineer
	L. C. Hosking, Donkey Engineer	George E. Thomas, Assistant Engineer
	Paul Huntsman, Fireman	W. E. Thomas, Fireman

Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board. Seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The petition of Geo. Kostakis, for license to peddle peanuts and popcorn, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

C. R. Burkepile, for renewal of license for one pool table at 801 Pacific Avenue;
Ned E. Nelson, for renewal of license for drug store at 2701 North Proctor Street.

The petition of Josephine McDonald, for license for Joan Hotel at 106½ South 10th Street was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of H. Stratchen, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 76, Box I, was referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

J. A. Sproule, Expressing surprise that Mrs. May Taylor, Food Inspector, has been discharged, stating that he considers her the best pure food inspector that the City ever had, and that most people in business are under the impression that Mrs. Taylor is one of the few efficient people around the City Hall. Referred to Mayor Smitley.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending October 5, 1935 in amount of \$1,388,865.95. Placed on file.

John E. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's approval and authorization, vouchers and duplicate vouchers Nos. 201 and 202 covering inter-fund transfers for month of September, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the transfers be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Mike Flannigan (10-7-35) for license for cabaret, Class 1, (entertainment without dancing) at 1106 Puyallup Avenue;
V. H. Shields (9-11-35) for license for cabaret-Class 2- dancing- at 5520 Pacific Avenue;
Carlson's Yakima Drug Co. (10-7-35) for renewal of drug store license at 3805 South Yakima Avenue;
W. Roberts (10-7-35) for drug store license at 934 Pacific Avenue;
Smitley's Pharmacy (10-7-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 454 St. Helena Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

H. T. Munkata (9-30-35) for renewal of license for New Tacoma Hotel at 1517½ Broadway;
Mrs. Don Sandberg (10-2-35) for license for rooming house at the Royal Rooms- 5244 South Puget Sound Avenue;
Harry H. Sprinker (9-30-35) for renewal of license for Crystal Hotel at 5424 South Puget Sound Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of H. C. Shireman, et al (9-18-35) for extension of electric light service to premises at Crescent Heights, and recommended the petition be granted and that each petitioner's premises be connected to the City lines when an inside connection fee of \$1.00 has been paid and the wiring inspected by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one large transformer and switches for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10596--an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc.-- repealing Ordinance No. 11182; and declaring an emergency. Brought up for second reading and laid over for one week, until October 16, 1935.

Appropriating the sum of \$2174.45 from the General Fund for the purpose of payment of additional maintenance and operation costs for the Department of Public Welfare, Health Office and Contagious Hospital; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one carload of copper wire; and appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$2174.45 from the General Fund for the purpose of payment of additional maintenance and operation costs for the Department of Public Welfare, Health Office and Contagious Hospital; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read in full and laid over to Monday, October 14th for passage (in conformity with provisions of the State Law requiring one week between date of introduction and date of passage of emergency appropriation ordinances).

Ordinance No. 11213.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one carload of copper wire; and appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergerson, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Hearing on the 1936 Budget was resumed. No remonstrances against the budget were filed and no one was present desiring to be heard. It was moved, seconded and carried that

the hearing on the budget be continued until 10:00 A. M., Thursday, October 10th, 1935.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner of Public Works Bergersen reported that the Water Department feels that the General Fund should pay them for removal of water pipes, air vents, etc. made necessary by the widening of South Tacoma Way, and stated that the cost will be about \$5,000.00, which will have to be secured through an emergency appropriation. Commissioner Davisson explained that this water main was on the department's private right of way which was appropriated by the City for a road and the department should not be penalized for this use by the City of its own property. The Commissioners of Public Utilities and Public Works were directed to work out their problem with the understanding that the Council will take whatever action is required.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Thursday, October 10th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *G. J. Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Thursday, October 10, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Hearing on the 1936 Budget was resumed. No remonstrances against the budget were filed and no one was present desiring to be heard.

It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the Budget be amended to include an item of \$15,000 for payment of interest on General Fund Warrants. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Mr. Fawcett stated that the City is getting more from state liquor licenses than was estimated in the 1936 budget, and this item should be increased to the amount which may be reasonably expected from that source. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the amount set up for receipts from liquor licenses be increased to \$74,000 and the item of \$5,350 for miscellaneous receipts be increased to \$10,350. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Moved by Mr. Bergersen to continue the hearing on the budget until tomorrow morning (October 11, 1935) at 10:00 o'clock. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Friday, October 11, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *G. J. Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Friday, October 11, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Hearing on the 1936 Budget was resumed. No remonstrances against the budget were filed and no one was present desiring to be heard.

The communication of the Pierce County Taxation Bureau (10-7-35) calling attention to certain items in the 1936 budget and stating that their purpose in so doing is one of friendly interest to the end that the credit of the City may be preserved on a sound basis, was brought up for consideration and ordered placed on file.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to adopt the budget in the total amount of \$2,716,972.54 for the General Fund Departments; after making amendments authorized on October 10th, and in the total amount of \$3,260,527.38 for all departments of the City. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, October 14th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *G. J. Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, October 14, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 1; Callender (excused).

PETITIONS:

The petition of A. Plotkin, for renewal of license for pawnbroker at 1348 Pacific Avenue, was submitted together with recommendation of License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

The petition of Margaret Gray, for renewal of license for hotel at 1210 1/2 South Tacoma Avenue - Wisconsin-Illinois Apts- was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The petition of F. H. and V. A. McMillan, for renewal of license for drug store at 1102 South K Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Northeast Tacoma Improvement Club, requesting installation of a street light at the corner of 45th Avenue N. E. and 13th Street N. E. on Cedar Heights; Ira West, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 7, Puyallup.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Arlington Parent Teacher Association, endorsing the efforts being made to have a stop light placed at the intersection of South Tacoma Way and 74th Street and urging that this street be more adequately illuminated and the crossings marked. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

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REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

C. R. Burkeyle (10-9-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 801 Pacific Avenue;
 Ned S. Nelson, (10-9-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 2701 North Proctor Street.

It was moved by Mr. Fawcett to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Callender.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Josephine McDonald (10-9-35) for license for Joan Hotel at 106 1/2 South 10th Street;
 W. E. Ollar (10-7-35) for renewal of license for Sands Hotel at 410 - 6th Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Callender.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing and directing the proper officers of the City of Tacoma to enter into a supplemental contract with the Northern Pacific Railway Company for the relocation of a portion of the water pipe line of the Green River Gravity System of the City of Tacoma. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598--an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and repealing Ordinance No. 11183; and declaring an emergency. Brought up for second reading and laid over to Wednesday, October 16th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11214.

Appropriating the sum of \$2174.45 from the General Fund for the purpose of payment of additional maintenance and operation costs for the Department of Public Welfare, Health Office and Contagious Hospital; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The Commissioner of Public Works presented the assessment and assessment roll for cost of the improvement in Local Improvement District No. 1402. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that November 4th, 1935 be fixed as the date for hearing of remonstrances thereon and the City Clerk be directed to give notice of such hearing as required by law. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Callender.

A. O. Rowe was present for a further discussion of the Hylebos Bridge project. He reported that the City has opposition which is doing everything possible to impede the program of the bridge across Hylebos Waterway. The P. W. A. application has not been turned down, he said, but is held in abeyance because all funds for P. W. A. projects have been allocated, and they wish to have a W. P. A. application on file as well, so that if additional P. W. A. funds are not made available, the bridge may get consideration as a W. P. A. project. The W. P. A. application should be in the hands of Mr. Gannon (State W. P. A. Director) by Wednesday and if he approves it, it will not have to be sent to Washington D. C. but a memorandum urging its acceptance will be forwarded, Mr. Rowe said. In order to submit the application, Mr. Rowe asked the Council to certify the \$120,000 which the City proposes to spend on the bridge, subject to approval of the State Highway Department. Commissioner Bergersen replied that the City has received no official notice that the Council should make this certification and asked that such a notice be presented. Mr. Rowe agreed to secure the notice in

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in writing and bring it in at once.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council recessed to 2:00 P. M. this date.

E. A. Smitley
 President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
 City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER 2:00 P. M.,
 Monday, October 14, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 1; Callender (excused).

Commissioner Bergersen reported that he had received a message from Mr. A. C. Rowe to the effect that he had been unable to secure the official notice relative to the Council's certification of \$120,000 to accompany the W. P. A. application, which Council requested him to secure in writing at this morning's session.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
 President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
 City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
 Wednesday, October 16, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 1; Callender (excused).

Minutes of the previous meeting up to 2:00 P. M. Monday session were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

F. N. Hammermith, for extension of electric light service to premises at Brown's Point;
 N. A. Sandberg, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 509A.

REMONSTRANCES:

Bakers' and Bakery Salesmen's Union, protesting against the charging of \$1.00 for City Health examinations, stating that they feel this service should be derived from the General Fund and asking that their request receive some consideration and the fee be repealed. Mayor Smitley advised that in his opinion there should be no change in the ordinance. Remonstrance was then placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Tacoma Building Trades Council, submitting copy of an ordinance adopted by the City of Seattle, requiring contractors or subcontractors performing improvement work for the City to pay employees performing certain kinds of labor on such contracts the scale of wages therein set forth, and requesting the City of Tacoma to adopt a similar ordinance with the same classifications and wage scale. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities to take up with the Corporation Counsel.

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OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Controller, report for month of September, 1935. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of F. H. and V. A. McMillan, (10-14-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1102 South K Street, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

The Commissioner of Public Works reported back on the petition of Louis J. Muscek, et al (10-7-35) requesting that a residential zone be established on Pacific Avenue from South 52nd to South 55th Street and from South 57th to South 64th Street, and submitted report of Building Inspector that petition contains the signatures of the owners of 81.7% of the real property within the district while Ordinance 9850 requires the signatures of only 66.7%. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that a resolution be brought in setting a date of hearing. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 85 of Ordinance No. 10598-- an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc-- repealing Ordinance No. 11183; and declaring an emergency. Brought up for second reading and it was moved by Mr. Fawcett that it be laid over for one week (to October 23, 1935) Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one large transformer and switches for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing and directing the proper officers of the City of Tacoma to enter into a supplemental contract with the Northern Pacific Railway Company for the relocation of a portion of the water pipe line of the Green River Gravity System of the City of Tacoma. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11215.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one large transformer and switches for the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender. (excused).

Ordinance No. 11216.

Authorizing and directing the proper officers of the City of Tacoma to enter into a supplemental contract with the Northern Pacific Railway Company for the relocation of a portion of the water pipe line of the Green River Gravity System of the City of Tacoma. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender. (excused).

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Bergersen asked for leave of absence for one week beginning next Friday. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the request be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mr. A. O. Rowe appeared and informed the Council that the Hylebos Bridge Association has carried its request for further extension of time in which to remove Hylebos Bridge to Governor Martin and he has taken it up with the Secretary of War. They are anxious to get an extension until March 1st, he said, which will give them time to find out what is done with the P W A application and a chance to put the question of bonds on the ballot. He asked the Council, in behalf of the people he represents, to hold up bids on removal of the bridge

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until they get word from the War Department as to the extension of time, and also asked the City to intervene with Col. Wilde to have him use every influence in their behalf, in view of the danger of flood which will cut off people working in the City from their homes if the bridge is taken out. Mayor Smitley replied that Col. Wilde had already informed him that the matter is out of his hands and has gone to the Secretary of War. He stated further that he has talked with Senator Bone with regard to the Hylebos Bridge and has his assistance and that Mr. Gannon has gone to Washington D. C. with a request that the time be extended. If the City receives word from constituted authority, it will extend the time, the Mayor added. Mr. Rowe then asked assurance that the City will not open bids for removal of the Bridge until an answer is received on his last request, and was advised that the Board of Contracts and Awards has full authority with regard to the opening and awarding of bids. In response to an inquiry from Commissioner Bergersen Mr. Rowe stated that he had not secured the notice from W P A for the City to file a certification of the \$120,000 with its W P A application and that there is nothing to be done regard to this application until Mr. Gannon returns from Washington.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, October 21, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *G. J. Martin*
City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:30 A. M.,

Monday, October 21, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 4; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President.

Absent 1; Bergersen. (excused).

PETITIONS:

The petition of Thos. McShane, for license to peddle push brooms and floor brushes, was submitted together with recommendation of License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

The petition of James Karuca, for renewal of license for one pool table at 2212 "A" Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of N. L. Matson, et al, for installation of street lights on East Grandview Avenue from Sherman Street south, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Chas. H. Field, making the following suggestions to improve traffic conditions and insure safety of travel on South Tacoma Way: (1) installation of a caution light at 66th Street to assist traffic to and from Manitou; (2) lowering of caution light at 74th Street to line of vision; (3) installation of caution light at 80th Street (City Limits) to warn incoming traffic of nearby dangerous cross streets; (4) more illumination on South Tacoma Way. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

Martin Stevenson, Mayor of Longview, Washington, inviting the Mayor and City officials

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ials of Tacoma to be present at the dedication of "Longview Homesteads" on Sunday, October 27, at 2:30 P. M. at which time an opportunity will be given to view this interesting experimental project designed to raise the standard of living of those who are employed in the lower wage brackets in industry. Clerk directed to acknowledge the invitation with thanks and advise Mr. Stevenson that, if it is possible, some of the members will attend.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of September, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Municipal Belt Line Division for month of September, 1935.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that a survey of the property belonging to the Light Division indicates that there is a Christmas tree crop ready for harvesting on certain lands in Mason County described herein; recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to accept written offers for these trees with the understanding that all debris shall be neatly piled and burned by the contractor under supervision of the Chief Operator and further recommending that after these bids have been received by the Purchasing Agent, they be referred to the Public Utilities Department for recommendation. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from Blanche W Stevens, granting the City the right to string wires over the south 60 feet of Lots 10, 11 and 12, Block 22, Baker's First Addition, which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel and recommending it be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. Moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

D. J. Berkson (10-7-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 911 Commerce Street;
Peterson and Cooksie (10-7-35) for renewal of license for 10 pool tables at 942 1/2 Pacific Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Bergersen.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Margaret Gray (10-14-35) for renewal of license for hotel at 1210 1/2 South Tacoma Avenue- Wisconsin Illinois Apartments, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted and the premises connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

F. N. Hammersmith (10-16-35) for extension of electric light services to premises at Brown's Point;
H. Stratchen (10-9-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 76, Box 1.

It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

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RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10488.

By BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, the owners of more than two-thirds of the real property situated within the district comprising the real property hereinafter described and bordering on Pacific Avenue between South 52nd and South 55th Streets, and between South 57th and South 64th Streets in the City of Tacoma, have petitioned for the alteration of the classification of said property from a retail business district to a residential district as defined by Ordinance No. 9147; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That Wednesday, the 6th day of November, 1935, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. is hereby fixed as the time and the Council Chamber in the City Hall in the City of Tacoma, Washington, as the place when and where the City Council will consider and act upon said petition and the proposal to alter the classification of said property from a retail business district to a residential district, said property being described as follows:

Lots 2 to 9, Block 1; Lots 2 to 7, Block 2; Lots 2 to 10, Block 3; Lots 1 to 7, Block 4; Lots 7 to 10, Block 5; all of Block 6; all of Block 7; all of Block 8; Lots 1 to 8, Block 9; and Lots 1 to 13, Block 10, all in McCloskey's Addition;

Beginning on the East line of Pacific Avenue as laid out by the City of Tacoma at a point 18 feet south of its intersection with the North line of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 21, Township 20 North, Range 3 East W. M.; thence on said East line of Pacific Avenue South 915.52 feet; thence parallel to the said North line of subdivision east 250 feet; thence parallel with said line of Pacific Avenue North 915.52 feet; thence parallel with said North line of subdivision west 250 feet to place of beginning; also

Beginning on the East line of Pacific Avenue as laid out by the City of Tacoma at a point 324.11 feet South of its intersection with the North line of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 21, Township 20 North, Range 3 East W. M.; thence on said East line of Pacific Avenue south 1838.22 feet; thence parallel with said North line of subdivision East 250 feet; thence parallel with said line of Pacific Avenue North 1838.22 feet; thence parallel with said North line of subdivision West 250 feet to place of beginning;

all of said property being in the City of Tacoma. All persons interested may appear and be heard with reference thereto at said time and place.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Clerk give notice of said hearing by publication of this resolution twice in the official newspaper of the City of Tacoma, the first publication to be not less than five days prior to the date fixed for said hearing as aforesaid; and that the Commissioner of Public Works notify by postal card all interested property owners, cost of such notice to be borne by the petitioners, and be paid on or before date of hearing.

Adopted on roll call October 21, 1935.

Yeas 4; Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

Resolution No. 10489.

By FAWCETT:

WHEREAS, at a tax sale held by the Pierce County Treasurer on July 26, 1935, the City of Tacoma purchased the hereinafter described property for the protection of certain assessments against property in Local Improvement District No. 1157; and

WHEREAS, on October 14, 1935, said property was sold to George M. Vinton and Olive Vinton for the sum of FORTY (\$40.00) DOLLARS cash, that being the highest and best bid therefor at public sale held on said date, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City of Tacoma be, and they hereby are authorized and directed to execute a deed to the said George M. Vinton and Olive Vinton, his wife, conveying to them all right, title and interest of the City of Tacoma in and to that certain described property situated in Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington, to-wit:

Lots 1 to 12 inclusive, Block 1016, "Park & Boulevard Addition",

which deed shall be given subject to the lien of all unpaid general taxes and subject to all encumbrances except Local Improvement Assessment liens existing thereon at the time the City acquired title thereto.

Adopted on roll call October 21, 1935.

Yeas 4; Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to extend and reinforce the present concrete protection at White River Crossing of the Green River Gravity Pipe Line; providing that said work be done by force account and appropriating the sum of \$2500.00 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

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Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action or actions in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County under the right of Eminent Domain for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land and easements in said county for right-of-way purposes for the construction and maintenance of a new pipe line from the intersection of the Puyallup Indian Reservation boundary line with East 64th Street to a point approximately 160 feet East of the intersection of South 38th and Jay Streets in connection with the Gravity Water System of the City of Tacoma; and providing for the payment thereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *George W. Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, October 23, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 1; Bergersen (excused).

Upon suggestion of Commissioner Fawcett, reading of the minutes was deferred until next Monday, and Council proceeded with

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

N.
Waldo Davison, fireman
Rene Gallant, fireman
James K. Hogle, fireman
D. W. McLaren, engineer
Gerald Shaw, fireman

R.
R. L. Ashton, fireman
R. E. Barnhart, fireman
W. E. Burgett, fireman
A. Davies, fireman
W. P. Dowie, fireman
Louis Estabrook, asst. engineer

Fred Gifford, fireman
Chas. F. Glevey, fireman
Geo. E. Johnson, fireman
Jos. E. Keller, asst. engineer
R. Kruger, fireman
Andrew Palo, asst. engineer
J. P. Peuse, fireman
Peter Peterson, fireman
Bert Smith, fireman
J. Swanson, fireman
W. H. Tackley, fireman
F. H. Thomas, chief engineer
B. C. Veatch, fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

The following petitions were submitted, together with the recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Sam Rouvas, for renewal of license to peddle hot tamales, peanuts and popcorn;
Steve Lurke, for renewal of license to peddle fish.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

J. F. Koch, for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 734 Pacific Avenue;
J. J. Allard, for renewal of license for drug store at 9450 Pacific Avenue;

The petition of Mrs. L. E. Tirrell, for renewal of license for Bonneville Hotel at South 2nd and St Helens Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The petition of Mrs. Eva Galloway, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3 and Route 4, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation.

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COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

New Order of Cincinnati, demanding immediate removal of Howard Carothers as Corporation Counsel on account of his testimony given at the trial of Commissioner Callender. Laid on the table until the entire Council is present.

United States Conference of Mayors, inviting City Council members to attend and participate in their annual conference to be held in Washington, D. C. November 18th to 20th. Placed on file.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending October 12, 1935 in amount of \$1,344,687.38;
City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending October 19, 1935 in amount of \$1,302,081.06;
Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Water Division for the month of September, 1935.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that there has accumulated in the Light Division about five tons of junk copper and about 2 tons of scrap iron, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to dispose of this junk material at the best price obtainable for cash and that the proceeds of the sale be placed to the credit of the Light Fund. Moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

Corporation Counsel Howard Carothers reported back on the communication of Harry P. Johnston, Prosecuting Attorney (10-7-35) calling attention to a decision of the U. S. Court which declared the Act of Congress, giving the Secretary of War authority to give notice to remove or alter any bridge that is an obstruction to navigation, unconstitutional and submitted written opinion requested by Council on October 7, 1935 (opinion given to Council verbally on above date) and reaffirmed conclusions set forth in opinion of August 19th with regard to legal questions surrounding the removal of Hylebos bridge. Placed on file.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Adopting the annual budget of the City of Tacoma for the fiscal year 1936. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Fixing the amount of the tax levies necessary to raise the amount of estimated expenditures, less the estimated revenues from sources other than taxation, for payment of principal and interest upon the general bonded indebtedness for the City of Tacoma, for the L.I. Guaranty Fund, for general municipal purposes of said City, for the fiscal year 1936; levying the annual taxes of the City of Tacoma for the fiscal year 1936; and appropriating the same to certain funds and for certain purposes. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to extend and reinforce the present concrete protection at White River Crossing of the Green River Gravity Pipe Line; providing that said work be done by force account and appropriating the sum of \$2500.00 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10490--an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc.--repealing Ordinance No. 11183; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action or actions in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County under the right of Eminent Domain for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land and easements in said county for right-of-way purposes for the construction and maintenance of a new pipe line from the intersection of the Puyallup Indian Reservation boundary line with East 64th Street to a point approximately 160 feet East of the intersection of South 38th and Jay Streets in connection with the Gravity Water System of the City of Tacoma; and providing for the payment thereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11217.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to extend and reinforce the present concrete protection at White River Crossing of the Green River Gravity Pipe line; providing that said work be done by force account and appropriating the sum of \$3500.00 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 2; Bergersen.

Ordinance No. 11218.

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598--an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc.-- repealing Ordinance No. 11183; and declaring an emergency. It was moved by Mr. Callender to amend Paragraph (d), Section 65 by striking out "No motor trucks shall be parked or left standing in said district" and by changing "two hours" to "one hour". Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call; Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen. The ordinance was then read in full as amended. It was moved by Mr. Callender to pass the ordinance as amended. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried.

Roll call: yeas 4; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

Ordinance No. 11219.

Authorizing and directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Tacoma to purchase and/or institute and prosecute an action or actions in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Pierce County under the right of Eminent Domain for the condemnation and acquisition of certain tracts and parcels of land and easements in said county for right-of-way purposes for the construction and maintenance of a new pipe line from the intersection of the Fuyallup Indian Reservation boundary line with East 64th Street to a point approximately 160 feet East of the intersection of South 35th and Jay Streets in connection with the Gravity Water System of the City of Tacoma; and providing for the payment thereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Bergersen.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, October 28, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Garcia Martin*
City Clerk

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett; Absent 1; Mr. President. In the absence of the President, Mr. Davisson, Vice-President of City Council, president. Mayor Smitley took his seat following "First Reading of Ordinances."

Minutes were read beginning with the meeting of Monday Afternoon, October 14th to Monday, October 21, inc. and, there being no corrections, they were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Hotel Winthrop Corporation, for license for a cabaret- Class 2- Dancing- at 9th and Broadway;
Lynn McCoy, for license for drug store at 5446 South M Street.

Firestone Service Stores Inc., advising that on November 2, 1934 they mailed the City License Bureau a check in amount of \$37.50 for license for seven gas pumps in accordance with notice given by the City; claiming they made an over-payment of \$10.00 on this remittance due to the fact that they only had five pumps in retail operation at that time and asking for a refund of this amount. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety to ascertain if their statement is correct.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Jesse O. Thomas Jr., making complaint with regard to covering of sidewalk in rear of his property, Lots 21 to 24 inc. Block 2104, Tacoma Land Company's 5th Addition, by the Tacoma Junk Co. and stating that if this nuisance is not immediately arrested it will be necessary for him to bring action against the City of Tacoma. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:
Commissioner of Public Finance (City Treasurer) report for month of September, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Utilities, report of Light Division for month of September, 1935.

CLAIMS:

Mary C. Bolton, for \$750.00 for personal injuries sustained on August 28, 1935 when she tripped and fell over a defect in the sidewalk on the southerly side of North 21st Street between Fifth and Oakes Streets and at the end of the bridge there located, which defect consisted of a break in the concrete, leaving a broken edge approximately two inches in height. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

J. J. Allard (10-23-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 9450 Pacific Avenue;
James Maruca (10-21-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 2212 "A" Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call; Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Smitley.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Mrs. L. E. Tirroll (10-23-35) for renewal of license for Bonnevill Hotel at South 2nd and St Helens Avenue, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call; Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Smitley.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating sum of \$4750.00 from General Fund for purpose of payment of additional maintenance and operation costs for the Fire Department in the Department of Public Safety, declaring an emergency making necessary such appropriation and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Northern Pacific Railway Co., confirming agreement that the Railway Company will reimburse the City for the expense of preliminary engineering and design for the new River Street Bridge about to be constructed by the State with Federal Funds. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for filing.

State Department of Highways, advising that two improvements within the Corporate limits of the City of Tacoma have been included in the Works Progress Grade Crossing Program: (1) the Union Avenue overcrossing and (2) reconstruction of the River Street overcrossing; that the cost of the design of these structures and the location of engineering must be paid from the City's portion of the Secondary Highway Funds in accordance with Chapter 111, Laws of 1925, which amounts to \$3800.00 for Union Avenue overcrossing and \$3150.00 for the River Street improvement and requesting that the City of Tacoma forward a resolution to their office authorizing the Director of Highways to set aside these amounts from the Secondary Highway Fund. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for filing.

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RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10490.

BY BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, there has been included in the Works Progress Grade Crossing program of the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works the construction of the Union Avenue overcrossing of the Northern Pacific Railway Company crossing on South Union Avenue near the intersection thereof with South Tacoma Way in the City of Tacoma; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 111, Section 7 of the Laws of 1935, provides that where such improvements are made by the Highway Department of the State of Washington with the aid of federal funds, costs of engineering and supervision incurred by the Highway Department shall be paid from the moneys in the Motor Vehicle Fund credited to any such City; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Treasurer of the State of Washington be and he is hereby authorized to set aside from any moneys in the Motor Vehicle Fund credited to the City of Tacoma the sum of \$3800.00 for the purpose of paying engineering and surveying costs to be incurred by said Highway Department in connection with the above described improvement.

Adopted on roll call October 26, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Resolution No. 10491/

BY BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, there has been included in the Works Progress Grade Crossing program of the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works the reconstruction of the overcrossing of River Street over the Northern Pacific Railway Company tracks in the City of Tacoma; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 111, Section 7 of the Laws of 1935, provides that where such improvements are made by the Highway Department of the State of Washington with the aid of federal funds, costs of engineering and supervision incurred by the Highway Department shall be paid from the moneys in the Motor Vehicle Fund credited to any such City; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Treasurer of the State of Washington be and he is hereby authorized to set aside from any moneys in the Motor Vehicle Fund credited to the City of Tacoma the sum of \$7150.00 for the purpose of paying engineering and surveying costs to be incurred by said Highway Department in connection with the above described improvement.

Adopted on roll call October 28, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Mr. H. E. Walker, representing Hylebos Bridge Association, asked the Council to instruct the Clerk to write a letter to Congressman Wesley Lloyd requesting him to wire the War Department for an extension of time until March 1st in which to remove Hylebos Bridge. Mr. Walker reported that he had talked with Mr. Lloyd and believes he will do this if the request is made by the Council. Mr. Callender said, if such a request is made, the letter should contain a statement that, unless the extension is granted very soon, the City will have to proceed with the removal of the bridge; and the other members of the Council agreed with this opinion. It was moved by Mr. Callender that such a letter be written to Congressman Lloyd, asking for an extension of time until all danger of floods is over next spring. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Clerk was instructed to forward to Mr. Lloyd a copy of Mayor Smitley's letter to Governor Martin, explaining the City's situation in view of the War Department's order to remove the bridge, so that he may be fully advised of the Council's position in the matter. Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *G. J. Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.

Wednesday, October 30, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present L; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

The regular order of business was suspended at this time for consideration of the following matters:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The Clerk reported that, in a telephone conversation, Congressman Wesley Lloyd had suggested that the Council, in asking him to make request for a further extension of time for removal of the Hylebos Bridge, should fix a definite date for the extension. The Council directed the Clerk to notify him that the date of March 1st, as suggested by the Hylebos Bridge Assn., would be satisfactory.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mrs. May A. Taylor, former Food Inspector, expressed her appreciation to members of the City Council and the City Clerk for their co-operation and assistance to her during the years of her employment by the City. Mrs. Taylor stated that she had withdrawn her request for a hearing before the Civil Service Commission for the reason that it would cause considerable embarrassment and possible difficulty in the future to the business men whom she would call upon to testify in her behalf, and she had no desire to cause trouble for the business people with whom she has had friendly relations in the past.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Ray T. Everett, for license for cabaret- Class 1- entertainment only- at 1103-1105 South Tacoma Avenue;
S. Mori, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway.

MEMORANDUMS:

Tsungani Piston Co., protesting against the proposal to meter out parking space to the citizens of Tacoma, stating that it would be a lot better to spend this \$10,000 by increasing the number of policemen, and requesting the City Council to thoroughly investigate the whole matter before it goes on record favoring the installation of this system. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Jefferson Square Improvement Club, requesting information for their next meeting on November 13th as to why the City Council has not submitted a request for government funds to eliminate the dangerous railroad crossing at South 17th and Pacific Avenue and also why this crossing is left without traffic lights and submitting copy of minutes of the last club meeting when these matters were considered. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for reply.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising they have in service in the Police Department a 1931 Indian Motorcycle, Motor No. D06116 which is too old for further service and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell or trade in this machine on another to the best advantage. Moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

Hotel Winthrop Corporation (10-28-35) for license for a cabaret- class 2- dancing-at 9th and Broadway;
Lynn McCoy (10-28-35) for license for drug store at 5446 South M Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays C. Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of Firestone Service Stores Inc., asking for a refund of \$10.00 which was an overpayment on their license for gas pumps (10-28-35) and submitted a copy of a letter which he had sent to the company in which he stated that the over-payment could be taken care of by the company paying \$17.50 for the license on five pumps this year instead of \$27.50. Council concurred in the arrangement and petition was placed on file.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of Mrs. Eva Galloway, et al (10-28-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3 and Route 4, and advised that these petitioners live outside of the district in which the City has a county franchise and recommended the petition be denied and the petitioners be so advised. It was moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of M. A. Sandberg (10-16-75) for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 4, Box 509A, and recommended it be granted and the premises be connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. Moved by Mr. Davison to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$6000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the General Fund for the purpose of purchasing a tractor for the Fire Department in the Department of Public Safety; such purpose not having been sufficiently provided for in the annual budget or tax levy for 1935; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating sum of \$4750.00 from General Fund for purpose of payment of additional maintenance and operation costs for the Fire Department in the Department of Public Safety, declaring an emergency making necessary such appropriation and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and placed in order of third reading.

Adopting the annual budget of the City of Tacoma for the fiscal year 1936. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Fixing the amount of the tax levies necessary to raise the amount of estimated expenditures, less the estimated revenues from sources other than taxation, for payment of principal and interest upon general bonded indebtedness, for L I D Guaranty Fund, for General Municipal purposes of said City, for the fiscal year 1936; levying the annual taxes of the City of Tacoma for the fiscal year of 1936; and appropriating the same to certain funds and for certain purposes. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11220.

Adopting the annual budget of the City of Tacoma for the fiscal year 1936. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergerson, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays O. Absent O.

Ordinance No. 11221.

Fixing the amount of the tax levies necessary to raise the amount of estimated expenditures, less the estimated revenues from sources other than taxation, for payment of principal and interest upon general bonded indebtedness, for L I D Guaranty Fund, for General Municipal purposes of said City, for the fiscal year 1936; levying the annual taxes of the City of Tacoma for the fiscal year of 1936; and appropriating the same to certain funds and for certain purposes. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergerson, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays O. Absent O.

NEW BUSINESS:

The City Clerk submitted copies of the Radio Talks which are to be given by Mr. Paul Newman, County Treasurer, in connection with the Pay Your Taxes Now Campaign, which were placed on file.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried. Council then recessed to Monday, November 4, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Justice*
City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.

Monday, November 4, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergerson, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

- E. Abo, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables;
- F. W. Gates, for renewal of license to peddle Raleigh products.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays O. Absent O.

Fisk Flag and Decorating Co., requesting permission to decorate the streets of Tacoma for the Christmas Holiday Celebration, from November 20th to December 29th; describing the approximate area to be decorated and the type of decorations to be used; and advising that they carry liability and property damage insurance on all men, stock and equipment used in the erection, maintenance and removal of all decorations. Moved by Mr. Bergerson that permission be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley. Commissioner Davison raised the question as to whether or not the company's liability insurance would protect the City from damages should any of the decorations break a City Light wire thus causing a person coming in contact with the broken wire to be electrocuted. Action on the petition was deferred and the Corporation Counsel was requested to check over the company's insurance policies to ascertain whether the City is amply protected.

John Greenman, requesting permission to establish a new stand on the S. W. corner of 11th and Market in order to better care for the increased demand for the Northwest's only working class newspaper, "The Voice of Action". Request denied because of a City Ordinance which prohibits such use of the streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Congressman Wesley Lloyd, advising that he has written to General Markham, Chief of Army Engineers, as requested by Council on October 28th, asking for an extension until March 1st for removal of the Hylebos Bridge, with the distinct understanding that the money for the removal of the bridge has already been appropriated and that a contract will be let requiring the commendement of the removal not later than March 1st and with a further understanding that the waterway will be cleared according to army specifications not later than April 1st, but that the Council should not rely upon this until he is advised further. Placed on file.

Teamsters and Chauffeurs Local 313, advising that they have been successful in forming an association of practically all the reputable fuel dealers in Tacoma and in turn all of the employees of these concerns have become members of organized labor; and stating that it would be appreciated by organized labor, if the City, when buying fuel of any description, such as fuel oil, wood, coal, etc., would give preference to a fuel company hiring union employees and belonging to this association. Clerk directed to acknowledge letter and same was referred to the Purchasing Agent.

ORDER OF BUSINESS was suspended for consideration of

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Fred Henriksen and Dr. O. G. Button of the Metropolitan Park Board were present and Mr. Henriksen informed the Council that pressure is being brought to bear on the Park Board to have it beautify Wakefield Park, or Drive. The Park Board refused to accept title to this property, he said, because it did not have funds for improvement and to pay for the water which would be required. Acting upon requests of civic organizations, the Board has recently agreed to beautify about forty or fifty feet right where Wakefield Drive enters Pacific Avenue and has made an arrangement whereby the Staddard Oil Co. station at that intersection will take care of the watering. The Board has, however, been notified by the Water Department that it will have to install two water meters and, as there are no funds to pay for meters, it is asking that some arrangements be made so that, if the tract is planted, it can be watered, without incurring this additional expense for meters. Commissioner Davisson stated that this matter had not come to his attention and the Council requested him to investigate and see what can be done to co-operate with the Park Board.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, report for month of September, 1935. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising they have on hand in the Fire Department seven oil drums and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell or trade in these to the best advantage. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, advising that they have a number of hard rubber tires which are no longer needed, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to dispose of these to the best advantage possible, placing proceeds of the sale to the credit of the Garbage Department. Moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Ray T. Everett (10-30-35) for license for cabaret- Class 1- entertainment only--
1103-05 South Tacoma Avenue;
J. F. Koch (10-23-35) for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 734 Pacific Avenue;
S. Mori (10-30-35) for renewal of license for one pool table at 1344 Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10506-- an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc-- repealing Ordinance No. 11218; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11222.

Appropriating sum of \$4750 from General Fund for purpose of payment of additional maintenance and operation costs for the Fire Department in the Department of Public Safety, declaring an emergency making necessary such appropriation and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date fixed for the hearing of remonstrances on the assessment and assessment roll for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 1402, the clerk reported the publication of the notice required by law and the filing of an affidavit of publication. Also reported the mailing of postcard notices, as required by law, to all property owners in the district on October 18th, 1935. The Clerk reported that the following remonstrances had been filed: Mrs Ellen Keller, objecting to paying for street improvements as her late husband had spent considerable money and labor in putting the street in good condition for use; Sadie I. Shade, objecting because of the difference in assessments and because she was assessed for extra cement used in driveways; Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson, objecting because they are assessed more than the original estimate. Hearing was continued to November 12th and the remonstrances were referred to the Commissioner of Public Works for investigation.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Callender reported that some of the larger stores object to paying for a second hand license for the privilege of selling used goods, and asked whether the Council thinks some change should be made in the ordinance. Mayor Smitley suggested that, if the Council thinks it advisable, a classification might be made to cover merchants who take in old goods on new. Acting upon a suggestion of Commissioner Fawcett, it was decided to find out what the common practice is in other cities, and the clerk was directed to write to the principal cities of the Northwest for this information.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Lena Marie Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, November 6, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS was suspended for consideration of the following:

NEW BUSINESS:

M. C. Johnson suggested that if the City of Tacoma can secure any more government relief funds something should be done about the sewer system. He mentioned the need of sewers in the district near the Jefferson School; in the Oakland District; and on McKinley Hill and the swamp below the hill. Commissioner Bergersen advised that his department has had an application in for the Tacoma Eastern Gulch sewer for two months; another for Snake Lake drainage and several others, including one for the Wapato District where work has already started- in fact they have filed eight or ten applications for sewer projects altogether- and that the people should inquire of the State W. P. A. director as to why they are not granted.

C.M. McKenney, representing the Jason Lee Producers' Assn., stated that they have a project for government relief work for which they want a sponsor and requested the City Council to sponsor the project which consists of operation of clothing and shoe repair shops, wood fuel production and transportation, farm and garden, food salvage and processing, barber shop, housing and office. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Council sponsor the project through Mr. Bergersen's Department. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Frank C. Ross, stating that he wishes to submit for Council's approval a map covering the improvement of Hylebos Waterway, Marine View Highway, East Eleventh Street, Lincoln Avenue, Taylor Way and an arterial street from Portacoma Way to State Road No. 1. Taken under advisement.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Milford J. Anderson, engineer
P. L. Beckstead, engineer
Elmer Gamer, fireman

Walter S. Davison, fireman
Tony Jessies, asst. engineer
Walter Kessler, engineer

R.

J. D. Blair, fireman
Willard P. Bowman, fireman
Oscar Carlson, asst. engineer
W. A. Carlson, chief engineer

Joseph Konz, donkey engineer
J. J. McGuigan, engineer
Chris Olson, asst. engineer
C. B. Sanford, fireman
C. G. Sutherland, chief engineer
J. Watson, fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of J. Spido, for renewal of license to peddle fish, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Guy S. Rowe, for renewal of license for cabaret- Class 2- Dancing- at 1104 South K Street;
George Nicolai, for license for drug store at 701 South 38th Street.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

New Order of Cincinnatus, requesting an acknowledgment of their communication of October 21st, relative to dismissal of Corporation Counsel Howard Carothers and asking what the intentions of the Council are in this matter. Council directed the Clerk to reply to the communication in accordance with draft of letter submitted, stating that the matters referred to in the letter of complaint are not criticisms of Mr. Carothers' conduct as Corporation Counsel nor of his acts while serving in that office; that the Council has no evidence that he has violated the trust imposed in him or performed any act that has not been in the public interest, and that no cause has been presented which would warrant the action requested.

State Director of Highways, approving Resolution No. 10490 adopted by Council on October 28th, 1935, authorizing the Director of Highways to finance the preliminary State Engineering on Union Avenue Overcrossing and stating that this project will be known as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 10. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for filing.

State Director of Highways, approving Resolution No. 10491 adopted by Council on October 28th, 1935, authorizing the Director of Highways to finance the preliminary State Engineering on the River Street Overcrossing and stating that this project will be known as City of Tacoma Secondary Road Project No. 9. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for filing.

Tacoma Federation of Improvement Clubs, stating that it has been brought to their notice that a great amount of Federal money for needed development of the City of Tacoma has been allowed to be canceled because of the failure of the City Public Works Department to start work on the projects after same were approved and orders given to commence work; submitting facts to substantiate this contention; and stating further that the City of Spokane obtained funds for their trunk sewer project and that upon receipt of this information the Public Works Department was so informed and requested to apply for money to completely install a trunk sewer in Tacoma but the application was not made by the Department; that it seems that the deplorable lack of Federal aid for work received by Tacoma is due to inactivity of the local City Department and that under the conditions stated a public hearing should be immediately instituted by the Mayor and witnesses called. The Clerk was directed to acknowledge the communication and notify the Federation that a public hearing will be held on Monday, November 18th, 1935 at 10 A. M. in the Council Chamber. Commissioner Bergersen was requested to present a report at that time showing what his department has done in an effort to secure Federal Aid funds.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending November 2, 1935 in amount of \$1,359,005.38. Placed on file.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 19 of Ordinance No. 11075-- relating to intoxicating liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, possession, sale or other disposition thereof in the City of Tacoma except in certain cases; providing for the licensing of cabarets and the revocation of licenses; providing penalties for the violation thereof, etc. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Relating to, and providing for, a license or occupation tax upon certain businesses, occupations, pursuits and privileges; defining offenses and providing penalties. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$72.88 from General Fund for purpose of compromising and settling the claim of H. O. Drayden against City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

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SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$6000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from General Fund for purpose of purchasing a tractor for the Fire Department in the Department of Public Safety; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598-- an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc., repealing Ordinance No. 11218; and declaring an emergency. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11223.

Appropriating the sum of \$6000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from General Fund for purpose of purchasing a tractor for the Fire Department in the Department of Public Safety; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11224.

Amending Section 65 of Ordinance No. 10598--an ordinance regulating travel and traffic on the streets of the City of Tacoma, providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc., repealing Ordinance No. 11218; and declaring an emergency. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date fixed for the hearing of remonstrances on the petition of Louis J. Muscek, et al (10-7-35) requesting that a residential zone be established on Pacific Avenue from South 52nd to South 55th Street and from South 57th to South 64th Street, the Clerk reported the publication of Resolution No. 10488 on October 22nd and 23rd, 1935 as required, and that postcard notices had been mailed to all property owners in the district by the Building Department, and that payment of the fee covering expenses had not been made by the petitioners. The Clerk also reported that no remonstrances had been filed. No remonstrators appearing, it was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the petition be granted and the Corporation Counsel instructed to prepare the necessary ordinance. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Referring to communication from the Jefferson Square Improvement Club (10-30-35) Commissioner Bergersen reported that he had interviewed J. A. Sproule, who wrote the letter, and Lee Croft, president of the organization and found that Mr. Sproule is not in favor of either an overhead crossing or an under pass on Pacific Avenue but that Mr. Croft wants one of these improvements, so it is apparent that the members of the club are not in agreement themselves as to what they want done. Mr. Sproule wants the trains kept off altogether, he said. Mr. Bergersen stated further that he has had considerable discussion with the N. P. Railway officials with regard to this question and has learned that most of the heavy trains that cross Pacific Avenue are Great Northern, and the Great Northern does not have a right-of-way there so he thought something might be done to prevent these long trains from blocking traffic. Mr. Bergersen said he had agreed to furnish the club a map on which they could put down their ideas as to an underpass or an overhead crossing, and expects to discuss the subject with the club at its next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Davisson stated that request has been made by the St. Regis Kraft Co. for a revision or modification of their contract with the City for water to be used at their pulp plant, and he would like to have Mr. Griffith, local manager, ask the president of the company to come out here and tell the City what he can do and what he wants the City to do in redrafting the contract, stating that he believes it will be possible to make an agreement that will enable the plant to open up. Moved by Mr. Davisson that a letter to this effect be

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sent to Mr. Griffith. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Tuesday, November 12, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Tuesday, November 12, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 3; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson. Absent 2, Fawcett and Mr. President. In the absence of the President, Mr. Davisson, Vice-President of the City Council, presided.

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of:-

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date to which the hearing on the assessment and assessment roll for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 1402 was continued, Commissioner Bergersen reported that he had checked up the remonstrances and found that it has always been the custom of the department not to include extra cement for driveways in the estimates, and in this case the whole difference is \$12.00 for the three driveways. Two of the remonstrators, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Shade, insisted that the charge for the driveways should have been included in the estimate as the department knew that there would be an extra cost for them and stated that they would not pay more than the estimate. Commissioner Bergersen agreed to take care of the extra charges and the roll was referred back to him for revision and the hearing continued until November 18, 1935.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Dce Brown, for license to peddle gas savers for autos;
Emile Racicot, for license to peddle fish.

Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2, Fawcett, Mr. President.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Sears, Roebuck & Co., for license for drug store at 2312 Pacific Avenue;
T. O. Overland, for renewal of license for pawnbroker at 1139 Broadway;

The petition of S. Tamamoto, for renewal of license for Avenue Hotel at 1209 1/2 Pacific Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

Edith Haskins, for extension of electric light service to premises at Route 3, Box 561B end of Sales Road;
C. O. Lundgren, for extension of electric light service to premises on 84th Street between Waller Road and Vickery Road;
Mrs. H. Ruud, et al, for installation of street lights at No. 11th and Madison Streets and North 11th and Monroe Streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Dish Point Social and Improvement Club, extending appreciation to the Council for its efforts in behalf of saving the Hylebos Bridge and pledging co-operation with the City Council in matters that may need their support. Placed on file.

Retail Food Merchants' Association, stating that they wish to go on record as opposed to the installation of the Park-o-meter system, setting forth reasons for the stand they have taken and requesting that Council do not approve the installation of this system. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

State Director of Highways, advising that the plans and specifications for Secondary Road Project No. 8, Concrete Arch on East 34th Street are approved subject to certain recommendations concerning design check outlined herein. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

J. M. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's approval and authorization vouchers and duplicate vouchers number 203 and 204, covering inter-fund transfers for October, 1935. Laid over until next Wednesday (November 13th).

Commissioner of Public Safety, submitting list of obsolete materials in the Fire Department and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell or trade in these materials to the best advantage. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2, Fawcett, Mr. President.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Guy S. Rowe, (11-6-35) for renewal of license for cabaret- Class 2- Dancing- at 1104 South K Street;

George Nicolai (11-6-35) for license for drug at 701 South 38th Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 3; Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Mr. President.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10492.

By BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, by leasehold agreement executed the 15th day of November, 1930, between the City of Tacoma, a municipal corporation of the State of Washington, as lessor, and Goodrich Silvertown Inc., a New York corporation, as tenant, the lessor let and rented unto the tenant the following described premises in Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington:

The South Five (5) feet of Lot Seven (7) and all of Lots Eight (8), Nine (9) and Ten(10) Block 2003 Map of New Tacoma W. T. being a rectangular plat having a frontage of 80 feet on Pacific Avenue and running back between parallel lines 120 feet to an alley;

WHEREAS, by Article II, Paragraph 1 thereof it is provided that the rental for the period beginning January 1, 1936, and ending December 31, 1940, shall be revalued and adjusted; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the rental for the premises above described be and the same hereby is fixed in the sum of \$150.00 per month for the period beginning January 1, 1936, and ending December 31, 1940, payable in the manner and subject to the terms and conditions of the lease hereinbefore mentioned; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the proper officers of the City of Tacoma be and they hereby are authorized and directed to enter into an agreement with said tenant fixing the rental as herein provided.

Adopted on roll call November 12, 1935.

Yeas 3; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson. Nays 0. Absent 2; Fawcett, Mr. President.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 15 of Ordinance No. 9147-- an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts; prohibiting the carrying on of certain businesses in the City of Tacoma; providing a penalty for the violation hereof, etc-- and repealing Ordinance No. 11109. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Relating to traffic and regulating the use of public streets and highways of the City of Tacoma; providing for the installation, regulation and control of the use of Park-O-Meters; requiring deposit of coins for the use of Park-O-Meters and parking meter zones; defining parking meter zones; providing for the enforcement hereof; providing penalty for violation hereof; and providing that invalidity of part shall not affect validity of remainder. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

John A. Davisson
Vice President of City Council.

Attest: *Henry Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Wednesday, November 13th, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS was suspended for consideration of the following:-

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. A. F. Fugina and three other representatives of different unions were present and requested relief for members of food crafts who are being required to pay the City \$1.00 per year for medical examinations. They asked to have the ordinance changed to allow these people to go to their own doctors, as many of them belong to the Bridge Clinic. They made a special appeal in behalf of the members who work only one or two days a week and have no money to pay for the examination. Mayor Smitley explained that the examination is a requirement of State Law and the City is not in a position at the present time to continue giving free examinations, but is charging only for the actual cost. He assured the petitioners that the City will recognize any certified laboratory test and will issue the health cards upon such certificates, if the people wish to go to their own physicians for examination.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to reading of the minutes of the previous meeting and, there being no corrections, they were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Rousseau Recreation Inc., for renewal of license for 12 pool tables at 945 Commerce Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

REMONSTRANCES:

Pierce County Pomona Grange No. 16, protesting the installation of parking meters on the streets of the City of Tacoma, Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

Tacoma Building Trades Council, opposing installation of parking meters on the streets of the City. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

A. M. Chitty, Manager, Puget Sound Power & Light Co., submitting statement as to the amount of tax paid by the Company in Pierce County and for the benefit of the City of Tacoma, and requesting that, before the Council does anything further with regard to the proposal to

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place a tax of 2% on the gross earnings of the company within the City limits, they be given an opportunity to discuss the matter with the Council. The communication was placed on file and the Clerk directed to notify the company that the Council will give them a hearing on November 25th, prior to the passage of the ordinance.

Mutual Fir Column Co., submitting their views on the proposed occupational tax ordinance which places a 2% tax on the earnings of the Puget Sound Power and Light Co. with whom they have a contract for power service and stating that they are not in sympathy with this legislation. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities for reply.

State Director of Highways, advising that he has recently noted the flashing beacon on South Tacoma Way at Rigney Hill, which indicates "Full Stop then Go", as affecting travel on the through highway; stating that he is of the opinion that a stop sign here is improper as there seems to be no logical reason for slowing down of through traffic and very few vehicles are making this stop probably because motorists are not able to read the small lettering on the sign until too late, and requesting that the situation be looked into and suitable steps taken to correct it. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

Lt. Col. H. J. Wild, U. S. District Engineer, advising that he is about to forward to Washington a report of Tacoma Harbor and, as he wishes to include therein a definite statement in reference to the Hylebos Bridge matter, requesting that he be advised immediately as to whether the City has taken any steps to comply with the requirements of the Secretary of War relative to its removal other than the passage of Ordinance 11210 which appropriated \$14,000.00 for the removal of the bridge. Council directed that a letter be written Col. Wilde to the effect that upon solicitation of the Hylebos Bridge Association, which had assurance from Representative Lloyd that he would take up with the War Department a request for an extension of time, the Council sent Mr. Lloyd a letter requesting him to apply for an extension, and that a copy of the letter to Lloyd and his reply and also copy of minutes of Council with reference thereto be attached.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, submitting report for month of October, 1935. Placed on file.

Hilton B. Gardner, Assistant Corporation Counsel, advising that Commissioner Davisson is introducing an ordinance appropriating \$4250 from the Light Fund for compromise and settlement of the action of Mabel Anderson, Administratrix of estates of Carl Christensen and Hilda Christensen, deceased; of the claim of Mabel E. Anderson as guardian of Betty Mae Christensen; and of the claim of Albert McGruder, all of which arise out of an accident on October 21, 1934 when Carl and Hilda Christensen were electrocuted and Betty Mae Christensen and Albert McGruder were burned and injured, the total amount of the claims for damages being \$36,000; stating that the case and the claims can be compromised and settled by payment of \$4250 and recommending the passage of the ordinance introduced by Commissioner Davisson. Placed on file.

J. M. Roberts, Assistant City Controller (11-12-35) submitting for Council's approval and authorization vouchers and duplicate vouchers number 203 and 204, covering inter-fund transfers for October, 1935. Brought up for further consideration. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the Council approve the transfers. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

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REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

T. O. Overland, (11-12-35) for renewal of license for pawnbroker at 1139 Broadway;
Sears, Roebuck & Co. (11-12-35) for license for drug store at 2312 Pacific Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$4250.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose of a compromise and settlement of the action of Mabel E. Anderson, as administratrix of the Estates of Carl Christensen and Hilda Christensen, deceased, for damages against the City of Tacoma for the death of said decedents, which was an action for the use and benefit of Betty Mae Christensen; for a compromise and settlement of the claim of Mabel E. Anderson, as general guardian of Betty Mae Christensen, a minor, for damages against the City of Tacoma, and for a compromise and settlement of the claim of Albert McGruder for damages against the City of Tacoma; all of said actions and claims arising out of an accident on the 21st day of October, 1934, when the said Carl Christensen and Hilda Christensen were electrocuted and the said Betty Mae Christensen and Albert McGruder were burned and injured; and such appropriation not having been specified in the annual budget, declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to remodel the kitchen house and engineers' cottage into residences; directing that said work be done either by force account or by contract, and appropriating the sum of \$2000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of voltage regulators for the River Street Substation; appropriating the sum of \$6000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Relating to and providing for a license or occupation tax upon the business of selling or furnishing electric light and power within the City of Tacoma; defining offenses and providing penalties for the violation hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading. Monday, November 25th, 1935 was fixed as the date for a public hearing on the ordinance.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Relating to, and providing for, a license or occupation tax upon certain businesses, occupations, pursuits and privileges; defining offenses and providing penalties. Brought up for second reading and it was moved by Mr. Davisson that the ordinance be indefinitely postponed. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0. (See substitute ordinance above introduced this date.)

Amending Section 15 of Ordinance No. 9147-- an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts; prohibiting the carrying on of certain businesses in the City of Tacoma; providing a penalty for the violation hereof, etc.-- and repealing Ordinance No. 11109. Brought up for second reading and laid over to Monday, November 18th, 1935.

Relating to traffic and regulating the use of public streets and highways of the City of Tacoma; providing for the installation, regulation and control of the use of Park-O-Meters; requiring deposit of coins for the use of Park-O-Meters and parking meter zones; defining parking meter zones; providing for the enforcement hereof; providing penalty for violation hereof; and providing that invalidity of part shall not affect validity of remainder. Read by title and Wednesday, November 20th fixed as date for public hearing on this ordinance.

Amending Section 19 of Ordinance No. 11075-- relating to intoxicating liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, possession, sale or other disposition thereof in the City of Tacoma except in certain cases; providing for the licensing of cabarets and the revocation of licenses; providing penalties for the violation thereof, etc. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Appropriating the sum of \$72.88 from General Fund for purpose of compromising and settling the claim of H. O. Dryden against City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11225.

Amending Section 19 of Ordinance No. 11075-- relating to intoxicating liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, possession, sale or other disposition thereof in the City of Tacoma except in certain cases; providing for the licensing of cabarets and the revocation of licenses; providing penalties for the violation thereof, etc. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5: Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

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Ordinance No. 11226.

Appropriating the sum of \$72.88 from General Fund for purpose of compromising and settling the claim of H. O. Dryden against City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, November 18th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Geo. A. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *George W. Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Monday, November 18th, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following matter:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date set by the Council for the hearing requested by the Federation of Improvement Clubs to investigate the alleged failure of the Public Works Department to start work on relief projects and to obtain Federal funds for the trunk sewer project, the report prepared by Commissioner Bergersen was submitted and read in full in which he furnished data and facts to refute the accusations made by Federation of Improvement Clubs in their communication of November 5th, 1935 and submitted a copy of letter from the Works Progress Administration dated November 15th, 1935 in which they stated they have not lost confidence in the Public Works Department of the City of Tacoma and that they will be happy to impartially consider any projects submitted by the Department.

Mr. Sykes, President of the Federation, was present and explained what he had done in investigating the charges and said that the Federation wants either to substantiate or definitely close the charges if they prove to have no foundation. The Sixth Avenue paving project was first discussed and Mr. Bergersen showed to Mr. Sykes' satisfaction that the City was ready to proceed with that improvement in December, 1933, but were then informed by the CWA that the quota of labor for Pierce County was full and there were no men available for that work.

With regard to the trunk sewer project, Mr. Sykes took the position that the Public Works Department would have received favorable consideration on its application if it had covered a trunk sewer system as a whole, including the interceptor to carry the sewage away from the head of the waterway. Mr. Bergersen stated that it was the opinion of his department that they would be more likely to get consideration of their applications for individual trunk sewers rather than a \$4,000,000 trunk sewer project, and that the applications in this form were made to the P. W. A., which rejected them, and were then filed with the W P A, in accordance with instructions from the W. P. A. administrator. Following the discussion of the subject, Mr. Sykes stated that, if the Council is satisfied with the explanations, then he is, and would so report to the Federation.

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NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. A. H. Notter asked for consideration of the Council to the need for a larger drainage sewer on McKinley Hill, saying a drain pipe was put in a number of years ago at about East D Street from 72nd Street north and paid for by the property owners. Since that time other drainage waters have been diverted to that sewer so that it is now inadequate and the water stands in the streets making many of them impassable for several months of the winter. This flooding is a damage to the property and the City is making itself liable for damages, he said, and he urged that action be taken at once to remedy the condition. Mr. Bergersen advised that he has an application filed for W P A funds to relieve this situation and expects to get action on it soon.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

The following ordinance was submitted with the signed request of the mayor and three councilmen that it be passed on the date of its introduction:

Authorizing the construction of the East 34th Street Bridge No. E7; fixing the cost thereof as nearly as may be estimated; providing for the payment of said cost; authorizing the letting of contracts for the construction thereof; appropriating the sum of \$67,650 from the Secondary Highway Fund for said purpose; and declaring an emergency as to publication. Read by title and passed to second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the construction of the East 34th Street Bridge No. E7; fixing the cost thereof as nearly as may be estimated; providing for the payment of said cost; authorizing the letting of contracts for the construction thereof; appropriating the sum of \$67,650 from the Secondary Highway Fund for said purpose; and declaring an emergency as to publication. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11227.

Authorizing the construction of the East 34th Street Bridge No. E7; fixing the cost thereof as nearly as may be estimated; providing for the payment of said cost; authorizing the letting of contracts for the construction thereof; appropriating the sum of \$67,650 from the Secondary Highway Fund for said purpose; and declaring an emergency as to publication. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to 2:00 P. M. this date and all matters scheduled to be considered at the morning session were laid over to that time.

Geo. A. Smith
President of City Council.

Attest: *George W. Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 2:00 P. M.
Monday, November 18, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 1; Callender (excused).

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Braley's Inc., for renewal of license for drug store at 738 St Helens Avenue;
D. J. Berkson, for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 911 Commerce Street;
Ella Huntington, for license for massage parlor at 1106 South J Street;
J. R. Scheideman, for license for cabaret- Class 1- music and entertainment only at 5237 South Tacoma Way.

The petition of G. W. Rainey, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 3- McKinley Avenue north of 98th Street pavement- was referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities.

Dorothy M. Sechler, for concrete sidewalks on North 10th Street from Fife to Oak Street. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

Gilmore Decorating Co., requesting permission to decorate certain streets listed herein for the Christmas Holidays, describing the type of decorations to be used and stating that they are regular steeple jacks and know how to tie and fasten articles so that they stay. The Clerk was directed to notify the petitioner that they must carry public liability insurance before the petition can be granted, and request them to file a copy of their policy with the Corporation Counsel.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

C. E. Dutcher, submitting diagram of proposed Christmas decorations on Kay Street and approaching streets, to be installed and removed for the Kay Street Boosters. Clerk directed to notify him that he will be required to carry liability insurance to protect the City from any claims for damages and request him to file a copy of his insurance policy or bond with the Corporation Counsel.

Frank Houghton, et al, commending Commissioner Bergersen for the improvements made on the streets of McKinley Hill; stating that they have been residents of the East Side for ten years and until the last two years it was impossible to drive in most places or walk across the streets in the winter in this part of the City. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

Tacoma Real Estate Board, urging the City Council to make a thorough test of the Park-O-Meters as promptly as possible. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Controller, report for month of October, 1935;
Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of October, 1935.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of N. L. Matson, et al (10-21-35) for installation of street lights on East Grandview Avenue from Sherman Street south, and recommended it be granted, providing funds are available to pay for the installation. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the petition be placed on file. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the following petitions recommending that they be granted and the premises connected to the City Lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector:

Edith Haskins, (11-12-35) for extension of electric service to premises at Route 4, Box 561B- end of Sales Road;
C. O. Lundgrew (11-12-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on 84th Street between Waller Road and Vickery Road.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

Mr. Carothers, Corporation Counsel, reported verbally on the petition of the Fisk Flag & Decorating Co., (11-4-35) requesting permission to decorate the streets of Tacoma for the Christmas Holiday Celebration, and advised that the company has furnished copies of their insurance policies and he does not think that there would be any liability on the part of the City in case of accident. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Fisk Flag and Decorating Company be granted permission to decorate the streets as requested. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1; Callender.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and to let a contract for the purchase of a year's supply of chlorine gas for the Water Division; and appropriating the sum of \$4,000.00 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of street lighting cable for an underground system, and appropriating the sum of \$5,000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 15 of Ordinance No. 9147-- an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts; prohibiting the carrying on of certain businesses in the City of Tacoma; providing a penalty for the violation hereof, etc-- and repealing Ordinance No. 11109. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11228.

Amending Section 15 of Ordinance No. 9147-- an ordinance dividing the City of Tacoma into manufacturing, retail and residential districts; regulating the use to which real property may be put in said districts; prohibiting the carrying on of certain businesses in the City of Tacoma; providing a penalty for the violation hereof, etc-- and repealing Ordinance No. 11109. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 4; Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date to which the hearing on the assessment and assessment roll for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 1402 was continued, Commissioner Bergersen reported that the revision of the assessment roll had not been completed by his department and the hearing was continued to Wednesday, November 20th, 1935.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, November 20th, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

Erickson Bros. & Co., requesting an extension of sixty days time from December 4, 1935 for completion of their contract for cleaning and painting Bridge No. 6-16 over Puyallup River, State Road No. 1, which extension is made necessary by reason of weather conditions, and submitting consent of their bondsmen to the extension requested. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the extension of time be granted. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

N.

David Clemensen, fireman

R.

R. E. Blackmer, engineer
H. T. Bonnell, fireman
E. B. Bortle, asst. engineer
Walter Bundy, asst. engineer
Wm. Cyr, asst. engineer
C. E. Davis, chief engineer
S. W. Fike, chief engineer
George Gamblin, fireman

Wm. Holzheimer, asst. engineer
Fred H. Johnson, fireman
A. O. Kennedy, engineer
Louis Mickelson, fireman
Peter Olson, fireman
E. C. Ring, fireman
Chris Rubens, fireman
Ben S. Thrapp, fireman
J. T. Turston, fireman
Arthur J. Tutt, fireman
L. Whitney, asst. engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

K. Urushibata, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables;
Fred T. Wheeler, for renewal of license to peddle sandwiches.

Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Gustie Flemish, for transfer of a cabaret license- Class 2- Dancing- from 5225 South Tacoma Way to 1225 South K Street. It was moved by Mr. Callender to grant the petition. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Crown Drug Company, for renewal of license for drug store at 1102 Pacific Avenue. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

A. J. Davis, et al (Patrons of the Tacoma Municipal Belt Line) requesting street car service in place of the busses now being operated. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

Smyser Display Service, requesting, on behalf of the Tacoma Auto Dealers Assn., permission to hang sixteen advertising flag lines on the trolley wires in certain locations listed herein; and stating that these flag lines are to be erected November 23d and removed at the completion of the auto show on November 30th and that their company is fully covered with proper insurance in case of any accident to persons or property. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

I. E. Partner, Examiner of Municipal Corporations, calling attention to the fact that a few employees quite regularly put through private long distance phone calls, cost of which have been collected by the various chief clerks, except one chief clerk whose own private long distance calls date back to December 28, 1934, and suggesting that this matter should be corrected. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

Maj. Gen. E. M. Markham, Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, replying to communication of Representative Wesley Lloyd suggesting that action on order of the Secretary of War requiring alteration of Hylebos Bridge be deferred until March 1, 1936 and stating that the City has had ample time to provide for all contingencies; that public rights of navigation will be infringed as long as the bridge remains in its present condition, and that there is little justification for any further extension of time for compliance with the notices with which the City has been served. Mr. A. O. Rowe was present and informed the Council that the State is now investigating this matter from a new angle, due to the fact that the application for the lower Puyallup River flood control has been rejected, and asked that no action be taken by the Council for at least forty-eight hours, and preferably not before next Monday, in order to give state officials sufficient time to make their investigation. Request granted and the matter was laid on the table until next Monday, November 25th, 1935.

Tacoma Council No. 124, Order of United Commercial Travelers, condemning the proposed use of Park-O-Meters on the streets of Tacoma. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending November 9, 1935 in amount of \$1,328,726.25;
City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending November 16, 1935 in amount of \$1,415,292.33.

Asst. Corporation Counsel Hilton B. Gardner, stating that Commissioner Bergersen is introducing an ordinance for the appropriation of \$125.00 to settle the suit brought by Dora Young against the City for damages alleged to have been sustained by her by falling on the sidewalk near North K Street and Division Avenue; that investigation of the facts indicates this is a suit which should be settled; and recommending the passage of this ordinance. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

J. R. Scheideman (11-18-35) for license for cabaret-Class 1- music and entertainment at 5237 South Tacoma Way;
Braley's Inc. (11-18-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 738 St. Helens Avenue;

Lila Hunnington (11-18-35) for license for massage parlor at 1106 South J Street. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of S. Tamamoto (11-12-35) for renewal of license for Avenue Hotel at 1209 Pacific Avenue, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Works reported back on the petition of C. V. & Dora Munsey (7-29-35) requesting the Council to vacate the north lutt end of East S Street, situated

between Blocks 1 and 2, of the London & Liverpool Addition and extending from the alley between East 56th and 57th Streets on the south to the Indian Reservation line on the north, and advised that this street should not be vacated as the Water Department will need it for their new pipe line. It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the petition be denied. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the communication of State Director of Highways (11-13-35) with reference to the flashing beacon on South Tacoma Way at Rigney Hill, and advised that the light has been changed to a regular traffic light and the signal is being observed better; that he has talked with State Director Murrow about the conditions at this intersection and he is now satisfied with this arrangement. Placed on file.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$125.00 from the General Fund for purpose of compromising and settling action of Dora Young against City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$4250.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose of a compromise and settlement of the action of Mabel E. Anderson, as administratrix of the Estates of Carl Christensen and Hilda Christensen, deceased, for damages against the City of Tacoma for the death of said decedents, which was an action for the use and benefit of Betty Mae Christensen for a compromise and settlement of the claim of Mabel E. Anderson, as general guardian of Betty Mae Christensen, a minor, for damages against the City of Tacoma, and for a compromise and settlement of the claim of Albert Magruder for damages against the City of Tacoma; all of said actions and claims arising out of an accident on the 21st day of October, 1934, when the said Carl Christensen and Hilda Christensen were electrocuted and the said Betty Mae Christensen and Albert Magruder were burned and injured; and such appropriation not having been specified in the annual budget, declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to remodel the kitchen house and engineers' cottage into residences; directing that said work be done either by force account or by contract, and appropriating the sum of \$2000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of voltage regulators for the River Street Substation; appropriating the sum of \$6000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and to let a contract for the purchase of a year's supply of chlorine gas for the Water Division; and appropriating the sum of \$4,000 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of street lighting cable for an underground system, and appropriating the sum of \$5,000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11229.

Appropriating the sum of \$4250.00 from the Light Fund for the purpose of a compromise and settlement of the action of Mabel E. Anderson, as administratrix of the Estates of Carl Christensen and Hilda Christensen, deceased, for damages against the City of Tacoma for the death of said decedents, which was an action for the use and benefit of Betty Mae Christensen for a compromise and settlement of the claim of Mabel E. Anderson, as general guardian of Betty Mae Christensen, a minor, for damages against the City of Tacoma, and for a compromise and settlement of the claim of Albert Magruder for damages against the City of Tacoma; all of said actions and claims arising out of an accident on the 21st day of October, 1934, when the said Carl Christensen and Hilda Christensen were electrocuted and the said Betty Mae Christensen and Albert Magruder were burned and injured; and such appropriation not having been specified in the annual budget, declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of emergency warrants. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11230.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to remodel the kitchen house and engineers' cottage into residences; directing that said work be done either by force account or by contract, and appropriating the sum of \$2000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11231.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of voltage regulators for the River Street Substation; appropriating the sum of \$6000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11232.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and to let a contract for the purchase of a year's supply of chlorine gas for the Water Division; and appropriating the sum of \$4000.00 from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11233.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase of street lighting cable for an underground system, and appropriating the sum of \$5,000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date set for the hearing on the installation of Park-O-Meters, the chairman called for remarks from anyone desiring to be heard on this subject. Mr. I. W. Thomas, representing the W. R. Rust Investment Co. said that this matter is very vital to owners of commercial property and, speaking for building owners and managers of business property, he wanted to endorse a trial of the Park-O-Meters. M. L. Larsen, speaking as a private citizen, whose business makes it necessary for him to call on various offices, said that he is heartily in favor of the installation of the Park-O-Meters.

Commissioner Callender stated that a change in any traffic situation causes complaint from the people who drive automobiles, and if the Park-O-Meters are installed the Council must expect complaints from the motor public until they understand what is being accomplished. He described the situation which exists in the down-town area where 75% of the cars parked in front of business places are not customers' cars, and read endorsements from City officials in Dallas, Texas, where the Park-O-Meters have been put into operation. Attention of the Council was called by Mr. Callender to the objections filed from the Retail Food Merchants, the Building Trades Council and Pomona County Grange No. 16, and he stated that the main objections have come from people who are not advised as to what the park-o-meters really are.

Mayor Smitley raised an objection as to the price which the company is charging for the device, saying that he would protest the payment of a higher price by the City of Tacoma than has been paid in the cities where the installations have been made. Mr. Shoemaker, representing the Park-O-Meter Company, informed the Council that the price charged for the first installations did not cover the cost, and that the fixed price now is \$58.00 per machine.

The ordinance was then brought up for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11234.

Relating to traffic and regulating the use of public streets and highways of the City of Tacoma; providing for the installation, regulation and control of the use of Park-O-Meters requiring deposit of coins for the use of Park-O-Meters and parking meter zones; defining parking meter zones; providing for the enforcement hereof; providing penalty for violation hereof; and providing that invalidity of part shall not affect validity of remainder. Read in full. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett to amend the title by adding after the words "Park-O-Meter" in both instances the words "or any other similar device". Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0. The ordinance was then passed as amended.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Callender, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 2, Bergersen, Davisson. Absent 0.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date to which the hearing on the assessment and assessment roll for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 1402 was continued, the Commissioner of Public Works submitted the revised assessment roll, eliminating the charge made three property owners for extra concrete for driveways and assessing the City of Tacoma therefor. It was moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Council approve the assessment roll as corrected and revised. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10493.

By DAVISSON:

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma, through its Department of Public Utilities, heretofore made application to the Board of County Commissioners for Pierce County for franchise to construct, maintain and operate electric transmission and distribution lines over, upon and along certain streets and highways between the city limits and Fife and in the vicinity of Fife, all of said streets and highways being set forth in said application; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has granted such franchise for a period of twenty-five (25) years and did on the 5th day of November, 1935, deliver a copy of said franchise to the City of Tacoma; Now, THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City of Tacoma does hereby accept said franchise and does hereby authorize the Commissioner of Public Utilities to forthwith file a written acceptance thereof along with a certified copy of this resolution with the Board of County Commissioners of Pierce County.

Adopted on roll call November 20, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, November 25, 1935, at 10:00 A. M.

Attest: L. W. Martin
City Clerk.

Geo. A. Smith
President of City Council

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, November 25, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The regular order of business was suspended and Council proceeded with the hearing set for this date on the proposed ordinance providing for a license or occupation tax upon the business of selling electric light and power within the City of Tacoma.

A communication from the Puget Sound Power & Light Co., supplementing their letter of November 12th regarding amount of tax paid the City, stating that in Pierce County they are paying taxes on a gross valuation of \$6,717,698 on real and personal property and for franchise tax in Pierce County, they are paying on a gross valuation of \$103,000; and calling attention to Section 7 of their franchise in which the City recognized that the rights granted to the City of Tacoma Light Department for the use of Puget Sound Power and Light Co. poles was the equivalent of a higher tax than proposed, was read in full and ordered placed on file.

A communication was also read from the Commissioner of Public Utilities, reporting on communication of Mutual Fir Column Co. (11-13-35) and advising that the only motive behind the proposed ordinance taxing the Puget Sound Power & Light Co. is the desire to be fair with all other public service corporations holding franchise rights in the City, as all other such corporations pay a gross earnings tax to the City. This communication was likewise placed on file.

Mr. Ernest Dolge spoke on behalf of the Puget Sound Power & Light Co., saying that he had started his business before the City had power available and had been a customer of the company from that time to the present, had been assisted by the power company when he needed their help badly and in his opinion any new tax levied at this time when they are being forced out of the City is not fair and in addition the amount involved is not enough to do the City much good and may do the company considerable harm. Earl Clifford representing Mr. Wright, local manager of the P. S. P. & L. Co., said that they want only fair treatment, and not discriminatory treatment, and that the City must consider what they have paid already in entering into the pole line agreement with the City. He also suggested that it would be more fair to tax the other utilities which will be here for a long time rather than this company which has only a limited life here and must necessarily face considerable loss in terminating its business.

Mr. R. J. Lloyd, of the Mutual Fir Column Co., said that he did not know of any argument which can be forwarded in favor of the tax, but suggested that in the interest of fairness, taxes should be reduced on the other utilities instead of increasing them on this one.

Ordinance placed in order of second reading on Wednesday, November 27th, 1935.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Steve Burke, applying for license to peddle fish;
BERT'S MEN'S SHOP, for license for removal sale at 1310 Pacific Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smith and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

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The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Albert Felchlin, for renewal of license for one pool table at 1904 Jefferson Avenue;
Rex Bigelow, for license for cabaret- Class 1- music & entertainment- at 202 St. Helens Avenue;
James B. Garness, for license for cabaret- Class 1- music and entertainment- at 912 Commerce Street;
Greenwich Coliseum Co., Inc., for license for cabaret- Class 2- Dancing- at 402 South 13th Street.

The petition of Mrs. E. L. Aikins, for renewal of license for Keystone Hotel at 720 Pacific Avenue, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare.

John Nilsen, et al, for installation of a "Stop and Go" traffic light at the intersection of South 52nd and South Tacoma Way. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

REMONSTRANCES:

Hub Clothing Co., protesting against the installation of parking meters on Pacific Avenue and Broadway; suggesting that for the \$17,000 required to make the installation, 12 extra men can be added to the police force, which at the present time is small for a City the size of Tacoma; giving reasons for their objection to the parking meters and asking that the Council consider the matter seriously before committing itself. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

International Association of Machinists, Lodge No. 102, protesting against the installation of parking meters on Tacoma streets. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Association of Washington Cities, inviting the City Officials of Tacoma to attend the Puget Sound Regional Meeting of the Association at Auburn on Monday, November 25th at 10:00 A. M. Commissioners Bergersen and Callender agreed to attend this meeting.

Frank C. Ross, submitting a list of additional improvements on the Tidelands to be considered in conjunction with improvements suggested in his communication of November 6, 1935. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising they have in the Police Department a No. 5 Underwood Typewriter (No. 1752161) that is not in condition for further use, and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to trade this machine in on the purchase of a new Royal Typewriter. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Crown Drug Company (11-20-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1102 Pacific Avenue;
Rousseau Recreation Inc. (11-19-35) for renewal of license for 12 pool tables at 945 Commerce Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Approving and confirming the assessment and assessment roll certified to the Council by the Commissioner of Public Works on 10th day of October, 1935, for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 1402 in City of Tacoma, in pursuance of Ordinance No. 11195 in City of Tacoma, passed the 30th day of July, 1935; and providing for the disposition of the moneys collected upon said assessment. Read by title and passed to second reading.

Authorizing the purchase and installation of power cable and electrical equipment in underground ducts and vaults in Court A from South 7th Street to South 15th Street; authorizing the letting of a contract for the purchase of said cable and equipment; authorizing the installation thereof by force account and appropriating the sum of \$38,000 from the Light Fund for said purposes. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

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SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Approving and confirming the assessment and assessment roll certified to the Council by the Commissioner of Public Works on the 10th day of October, 1935, for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 1402 in City of Tacoma, in pursuance of Ordinance No. 11195 in City of Tacoma, passed the 30th day of July, 1935; and providing for the disposition of the moneys collected upon said assessment. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11235.

Approving and confirming the assessment and assessment roll certified to the Council by the Commissioner of Public Works on the 10th day of October, 1935, for cost of improvement in Local Improvement District No. 1402 in City of Tacoma, in pursuance of Ordinance No. 11195 in City of Tacoma, passed the 30th day of July, 1935; and providing for the disposition of the moneys collected upon said assessment. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley submitted summons to the City of Tacoma to appear in the U. S. District Court within twenty days after November 23, 1935 to plead information charging violation of Section 18 of the River and Harbor Act of March 3, 1899 because of failure to remove the Hylebos Bridge. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The subject of removal of the Hylebos Bridge was brought up for discussion, pursuant to Council's action of November 20th, when it was laid on the table until this date pending investigation by state officials, upon request of Mr. A. O. Rowe. As Mr. Rowe did not appear to submit any additional information, it was moved by Mr. Davisson that the Commissioner of Public Works be instructed to proceed with the removal of the bridge. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Constance Martin*
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, November 27, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent O.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The petition of S. J. Farber, for renewal of license for pawnbroker at 1318 Pacific Avenue, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

French Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store in Crystal Palace Market;
Larsen Pharmacy, for renewal of license for drug store at 1105 South K Street.

The petition of G. Kosai, for renewal of license for Berkeley Hotel at 1337 Commerce Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation.

REMONSTRANCES:

J. B. Robinson (Outlet Store) protesting against the installation of Park-O-Meters on the Streets of Tacoma. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

W. E. Hall, submitting an offer of \$2.50 per thousand feet for all merchantable alder timber located on the Maple Springs property near Puyallup, to be purchased by John Buffelen who has agreed to furnish scale of all logs taken out and pay for same at the end of each month or not later than the 10th of the following month, and agreeing to remove all tops and branches left on the ground after logging. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

C. R. McMillen, Vice-President, St. Regis Kraft Co., enclosing a copy of a letter written to Commissioner Davison in which he stated that the St. Regis Kraft Co. has authorized its resident manager, W. W. Griffith, to negotiate with the City of Tacoma for an extension of the present power contract and for a reduced rate on charge for fresh water; and stating that, if the company can be assured of a ten-year extension of the power contract providing for an increased amount of power, and a reduced cost for water, the present cost being prohibitive, they can then make rapid headway towards an early decision regarding resumption of operations in the Tacoma plant. Laid on the table until Commissioner Davison submits reply to the letter he received from Mr. McMillen.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending November 23, 1935 in amount of \$1,648,288.41;
Commissioner of Public Finance (City Treasurer) report for month of October, 1935.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Rex Bigelow (11-25-35) for license for Cabaret-Class 1- music and entertainment- at 202 St Helens Avenue;
James B. Garness (11-25-35) for license for Cabaret- Class 1- music and entertainment at 912 Commerce Street;
Greenwich Coliseum Co. Inc (11-25-35) for license for cabaret- Class 2- Dancing at 409 South 13th Street;
D. J. Berkson (11-18-35) for renewal of license for two pool tables at 911 Commerce Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

Mr. Carothers, Corporation Counsel, reported verbally on the communication of C. E. Dutcher (11-18-35) with reference to proposed Xmas Decorations on K Street and approaching Streets, and advised that Mr. Dutcher has furnished him a copy of his insurance policy, which is the same type of policy as that filed by the Fisk Flag & Decorating Co. and in his opinion it protects the City sufficiently. It was moved by Mr. Davison that Mr. Dutcher be granted permission to decorate K Street and approaching streets according to the diagram submitted. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent O.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10494.

By BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City Controller be and he hereby is directed and authorized to make the following transfer in the Budget of the Department of Public Works for the year 1936:

From Wooden Bridges, Salaries and Wages,
to Comfort Stations, Salaries and Wages,
the sum of..... \$2,000.00

Adopted on roll call November 27, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent O.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Appropriating the sum of \$125.00 from the General Fund for purpose of compromising and settling action of Dora Young against City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read by title and placed in order of third reading.

Authorizing the purchase and installation of power cable and electrical equipment in underground ducts and vaults in Court A from South 7th Street to South 15th Street; authorizing the letting of a contract for the purchase of said cable and equipment; authorizing the installation thereof by force account and appropriating the sum of \$38,000.00 from the Light Fund for said purposes. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Relating to and providing for a license or occupation tax upon the business of selling or furnishing electric light and power within the City of Tacoma; defining offenses and providing penalties for the violation hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11236.

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Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent O.

Ordinance No. 11237.

Relating to and providing for a license or occupation tax upon the business of selling or furnishing electric light and power within the City of Tacoma; defining offenses and providing penalties for the violation hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent O.

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CLAIMS:

W. A. Rowe, for payment of balance of \$34.45 due him as wages for work performed in the Department of Public Utilities, to which he is entitled because the work was temporary employment for which he should have been paid the prevailing scale of wages (as carpenter). Commissioner Davisson stated that Section 23 of the salary ordinance contains a provision that men employed in certain temporary work shall be paid the prevailing rate of wages and the provisions of the salary ordinance shall not apply. At Mr. Davisson's request the claim was referred to the Corporation Counsel for an interpretation of Section 23 as it applies to this case.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Commissioner Bergersen asked what the Council wishes to do about the easements for a roadway around the head of Hylebos Waterway, saying that he had been directed previously to accept nothing except permanent easements and the Tacoma Electro-Chemical Co. refuses to grant anything longer than a ten-year easement and want the right to cross the road with pipes and to string wires. Commissioner Davisson suggested that the Council authorize the Commissioner of Public Works to accept a ten-year easement, as the improvements along the waterway being discussed will undoubtedly be made prior to the expiration of that time, and the roadway will no longer be required. The Council acquiesced in this suggestion and instructed the attorney to secure the best easements they can under the circumstances.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Bergersen submitted a telegram from E. R. Hoffman, Acting State Director P. W. A., stating that the Thirty-fourth Street bridge project has been approved by the Comptroller General. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works for filing.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, December 2, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

E. P. Smalley
President of City Council

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Monday, December 2, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The petition of Palo Bros. for renewal of license for 2 pool tables at 707 South 38th Street, was referred to Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

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COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Columbia Basin Commission, inviting the Mayor and members of Council to attend the celebration of the pouring of concrete for the foundations of the Grand Coulee Dam and Power Plant, to be held at the Grand Coulee Dam site on Friday, December 6, 1935. Clerk directed to acknowledge invitation with thanks and advise the Commission that the officials who find it possible to do so will attend the celebration.

W. E. Hall, submitting supplemental bid for Alder logs on the Maplewood Springs property near Puyallup. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

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by the Fair Association at the conclusion of the Fair and further stating that the Board of Directors hopes that this practice of loaning the services of police officers by the City of Tacoma may be continued during the future years. Placed on file.

In this connection a report was submitted by Howard Carothers, Corporation Counsel, on the communication of Harry H. Johnston, Prosecuting Attorney (10-8-35) relative to two of the City Police officers drawing salaries from the City of Tacoma and also receiving compensation from the Western Washington Fair Association, which he believes amounts to obtaining money from the City under false pretenses, in which Mr. Carothers advised that it appears to him that the Chief of Police and Commissioner of Public Safety may exercise reasonable discretion in detaching policemen to serve outside the City limits where such service is for the protection and welfare of the citizens of this city and that in his opinion the detaching of officers at the Puyallup Fair was a proper exercise of discretion and that their acceptance of regular pay from the City for their services constituted neither larceny nor an irregular act and the fact that the Fair Assn. saw fit to pay these men additional compensation for their traveling expenses, meals and extra long hours' service does not alter the situation in his judgment. Clerk was directed to send a copy of this opinion to Prosecuting attorney Johnston and inform him that the Council concurs in this statement.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report of Municipal Belt Line Division and Water Division for month of October, 1935. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that he has replied to letter of Mr. G. R. McMillen with regard to the possibilities of reopening the St. Regis Paper Plant and is submitting herewith copy of his reply in which he informed Mr. McMillen that he is willing to recommend an extension of the company's power contract for ten years from 1937 covering necessary increase in their electric power requirements and is willing to extend the water contract for ten years from 1937 to provide for increases in quantities of water with a very material reduction in the cost of the water under the rates in the present contract. The Council approved Commissioner Davisson's reply and the communication was placed on file.

CLAIMS:

E. Berg, for \$40.00 for damages to his automobile on November 24th, 1935 when the gates on the draw span over the Puyallup River on East 11th Street swung shut without warning, damaging the left side of the car. Referred to Commissioner of Public Works.

Eikichi Yoshihara, for personal injuries to his minor son, Takeo Yoshihara, on September 29th, 1935, resulting from the dropping of the passenger or tram car in which he was riding at Cushman Power Plant, and stating that the exact amount of damages has not yet been determined. Referred to Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

French Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store in Crystal Palace Market; (11-27-35)
Larsen Pharmacy (11-27-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1105 South K Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

Mrs. E. L. Aikins (11-25-35) for renewal of license for Keystone Hotel at 720 1/2 Pacific Avenue;
G. Kosai, (11-27-35) for renewal of license for Berkeley Hotel at 1337 Commerce Street.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of A. J. Davis et al (patrons of the Tacoma Municipal Belt Line) (11-20-35) requesting that street car service be installed in place of the busses now being operated, and advised that they have had the Superintendent of the Belt line investigate this matter and the service requested has been taken care of in such a way so as to render a satisfactory schedule of transportation for the men. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the action of the department. Motion seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of the North-east Tacoma Improvement Club, (10-14-35) requesting installation of a street light at the corner of 49th Ave. NE and 43rd Street NE on Cedar Heights, and advised that owing to the fact the City Council provided no funds in the budget for street lighting extensions, this petition cannot be considered at this time and recommended same be denied and the City Clerk so notify the petitioners. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back on the petition of G. W. Rainey, et al (11-18-35) for electric light service to premises on Route 3- McKinley Avenue north of 98th Street pavement, and recommended that petition be granted and the petitioners' premises connected to the City lines upon payment of an outside connection fee of \$10.00 and inspection of the wiring by the City's Chief Electrical Inspector. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to install a by-pass on the M Street pipe line at South 19th Street, directing that said work be done by force account, and appropriating the sum of \$3,300.00 from the Water Fund for the payment of the cost of said installation. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one lot of cast iron pipe of assorted sizes and grades for stock in the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division; and appropriating the sum of \$5,800.00 from the Water Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the purchase of certain real property for use and benefit of Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; appropriating the sum of \$10,191.91, from the Light Fund for said purpose; and declaring an emergency as to publication. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11238.

Appropriating the sum of \$125.00 from the General Fund for purpose of compromising and settling action of Dora Young against City of Tacoma; declaring the emergency making necessary such appropriation; and authorizing the issuance of an emergency warrant. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. P. W. Jochimsen, councilman from Puyallup, was present asking for information as to the City's intentions with regard to sale of timber off Maplewood Springs property, and stated that Puyallup has a pumping station located on this tract and would dislike it very much if the timber is sold. Commissioner Davisson explained that an application had been made for the purchase of part of the timber but nothing will be done until he and Superintendent

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Königk of the Water Department have made an investigation as to what the applicant intends to do and they will take into consideration the attitude of the Puyallup City Council in making their decision.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

J. P. Smith
President of City Council

Attest: *L. J. Winters*
City Clerk

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COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, December 4, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following:

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. W. S. Farley, District Administrator W. E. R. A., informed the Council that their district offices here have been receiving light and water from the City since the first of the year and the bills, amounting to \$3,901.47, have not been paid. The relief administration has disbursed in the City of Tacoma during the same period of time about \$1,400,000 and in addition, for several months, has taken care of the dependencies that the County Commissioners formerly provided for, which amount to about \$25,000 per month. About 75% of this amount would have been chargeable to the taxpayers of the City of Tacoma had it been expended by the County Commissioners; and the use of federal relief funds has, therefore, relieved the people of Tacoma of the payment of that money. Other communities in the state have contributed considerably to assist in the operation of the government relief agencies, by furnishing light and water, and office space or paying rent, Mr. Farley said, while Tacoma has given nothing; and it appears only fair to him to ask the City to furnish their district offices with light and water free of charge. The request was taken under advisement until the next meeting of the Council.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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A. C. Adams, asst. engineer	H. C. Eagles, chief engineer
D. G. Baumgardner, chief engineer	Robert Ebersole, asst. engineer
F. N. Bergen, fireman	Chas. Gallagher, fireman
C. O. Buckmaster, fireman	T. H. McMakin, asst. engineer
M. C. Burke, fireman	W. E. Miller, fireman
J. G. Cross, fireman	Olaf Moe, asst. engineer

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of A. Maucchi, for renewal of license for cabaret- Class 2- Dancing was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation. The location for which the license was requested was 1332 Broadway.

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COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Jefferson Square Improvement Club, submitting copy of minutes of special meeting held November 29th, at which time the secretary was instructed to request the Council to install traffic lights at the intersection of Jefferson Avenue and Pacific Avenue. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending November 30, 1935, in amount of \$1,589,079.66. Placed on file.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

The following ordinance was submitted together with the signed request of the Mayor and four Commissioners that it be finally passed on the date of its introduction:

BY DAVISSON, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC UTILITIES:

An ordinance providing for the construction of certain municipal improvements by the City of Tacoma, namely; additions, replacements and betterments to the existing Municipal Water Works System; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of special obligation bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$297,000.00 to pay a part of the costs thereof; creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon; and declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Read by title.

It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the ordinance be placed upon its second reading. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen. The question being put upon the placing of said ordinance upon its second reading, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0. The President declared the motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the purchase of certain real property for use and benefit of Department of Public Utilities, Light Division; appropriating the sum of \$10,191.91 from the Light Fund for said purpose; declaring an emergency as to publication. Brought up for second reading. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that the ordinance be indefinitely postponed. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to install a by-pass on the M Street Pipe Line at South 19th Street, directing that said work be done by force account; and appropriating the sum of \$3,300.00 from the Water Fund for the payment of the cost of said installation. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one lot of cast iron pipe of assorted sizes and grades for stock in the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division; and appropriating the sum of \$5,800 from the Water Fund for the purpose hereof. Read by title and passed to third reading.

The following ordinance entitled: "An ordinance providing for the construction of certain municipal improvements by the City of Tacoma, namely; additions, replacements and betterments to the existing Municipal Water Works System; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of special obligation bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$297,000.00 to pay a part of the costs thereof; creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon; and declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication." was brought up for second reading. Read by title.

Commissioner Davisson moved that said ordinance be now placed upon its final passage. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen.

The question being put upon the placing of said ordinance upon its final passage, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Nays 0; Absent 0. The President declared the motion carried.

Thereupon said ordinance was given No. 11241.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11239.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to install a by-pass on the M Street Pipe Line at South 19th Street, directing that said work be done by force account; and appropriating the sum of \$3,300.00 from the Water Fund for the payment of the cost of said installation. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11240.

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to advertise for bids and let a contract for the purchase of one lot of cast iron pipe of assorted sizes and grades for stock in the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division; and appropriating the sum of \$5,800 from the Water Fund for the purpose hereof. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Thereupon said Ordinance No. 11241, entitled: "An ordinance providing for the construction of certain municipal improvements by the City of Tacoma, namely: additions, replacements and betterments to the existing Municipal Water Works System; specifying and adopting the plan and system proposed therefor and construction thereof; declaring the estimated cost thereof as near as may be; providing for the issuance and sale of special obligation bonds of the City of Tacoma in the amount of \$297,000.00 to pay a part of the costs thereof; creating and establishing a special fund for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon; and declaring that a public emergency exists and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication." was read in full by the Clerk and considered by the Council;

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That the public interests require the construction of the certain water works improvements hereinafter described for the purpose of protecting the health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Tacoma and to furnish them with the services, benefits and advantages of said water works improvements.

Section 2. That the City of Tacoma hereby specifies and adopts the plan and system hereinafter set forth for the construction of said water works improvements, to-wit:

(a) Acquisition of certain parcels of land within the City limits for right-of-way for a new pipe line between East 64th Street and South 35th and "J" Streets.

(b) Acquisition, reconstruction and replacing of approximately 6,043 feet of wood stave pipe of the City's Green River Gravity Water Supply System with steel or concrete pipe of equal or greater carrying capacity.

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Said additions, replacements and betterments shall be owned, operated and controlled by the City of Tacoma.

Section 3. That the total estimated cost as near as may be of said additions, replacements and betterments to the existing water plant and system owned and operated by the City of Tacoma is \$540,000.00.

That a part of such estimated cost shall be paid from the proceeds of bonds hereinafter authorized and the balance from other available funds of the City of Tacoma and by grant from the United States of America.

Section 4. That in order to carry out the plan and system as specified and adopted herein the City of Tacoma shall issue and sell in the manner provided by law its bonds in the principal amount of \$297,000.00, for the purpose of providing funds for the payment of part of the costs of said water works improvements. Said bonds shall be designated "City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1936", which bonds shall be dated November 1, 1935, shall be in denomination of \$1,000.00 each, shall be numbered from 1 to 297, both inclusive, shall have interest coupons attached to and made a part thereof, shall bear interest at the rate of four (4%) per annum, payable semiannually on May 1 and November 1 of each year until maturity.

All of said bonds and the interest thereon shall be obligations only against and shall be paid solely out of the special fund created and established in and by Section 5 of this ordinance, shall be payable in any coin or currency which, on the respective dates of payment, shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Tacoma at Tacoma, Washington or at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Washington in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, at the option of the holder.

Said bonds shall become due and payable as follows: on November 1 in each of the years 1937 to 1949, both inclusive, the sum of \$5,000.00; on November 1 in the year 1950 the sum of \$157,000.00; and on November 1 in the year 1951, the sum of \$75,000.00.

Section 5. That there is hereby created and established in the Treasury of the City of Tacoma a special fund to be called "City of Tacoma Water Fund of 1936", into which shall be set aside and paid out of the gross revenues derived from such water works improvements and the water plant and system owned by the City of Tacoma a fixed amount without regard to any fixed proposition, namely, an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as they respectively become due, plus a surplus of twenty (20) per cent of such sum, provided that when the amount so paid in as surplus shall equal the principal and interest requirements for said bonds for the next ensuing two years, no further payments of surplus need be made, but such surplus shall be maintained in such amount at all times so long as any of said bonds are outstanding, and provided, further, that when the total amount in said special fund shall equal the total amount of principal and interest of all the outstanding bonds to the last maturity thereof, no further payments need be made into said special fund. The amount required to be paid into the special fund each year shall be paid in substantially equal monthly payments. If the gross revenues are insufficient in any month

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to make the required payments, then the amount of any deficiency shall be added to the amount required to be paid into the special fund in the next month. It is the intent of this provision that the sums paid into the special fund shall be in excess of the requirements for payment of interest on and principal of the bonds until there has been accumulated as a reserve for contingency an amount sufficient to service the bonds for two (2) years. The moneys paid into said special fund shall be used solely for the purpose of paying interest on and principal of the bonds until all of the bonds shall have been retired. The payments into said special fund shall constitute a charge on said gross revenues superior to all other charges, except the cost of operation and maintenance, and the payment of sums required for interest on and retirement of bonds or warrants heretofore issued or authorized to be issued by said City, and to the payment of interest on and retirement of which said gross revenues have previously been pledged, as follows: Bonds issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 4520 of said City, passed March 29, 1911; Warrants issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 4520 and pursuant to judgment of Superior Court entered September 30, 1916; Bonds issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 8694 of said City, passed December 28, 1925; Bonds issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 9488 of said City, passed December 15, 1927; Bonds issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 10227 of said City, passed December 28, 1929; Bonds issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 10639 of said City, passed March 4, 1931; Bonds issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 11045 of said City, passed April 23, 1934; and Bonds authorized to be issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 11156, passed March 13, 1935. It is hereby declared that, in the creation of such special fund as in this ordinance provided, due regard has been given to the cost of the operation and maintenance of said Waterworks Plant and System and improvements, and to any proportion or amount of the revenues therefrom previously pledged for the payment of bonded indebtedness, and that the revenues to be derived from the operation of said Waterworks improvements and the system thereof, in the judgment of the Council of said City, will be sufficient to meet all expenses of operation and maintenance and the amount or part of the revenues so previously pledged, and to set aside in said special fund the amounts herein provided.

Section 6. The said City irrevocably binds itself to establish rates or charges for the furnishing of the services of said Waterworks Plant and System so that the amount of the revenue therefrom, after payment of all costs of maintenance and operation and the sums required for interest on and retirement of the bonds and indebtedness having superior claim against such revenues as hereinbefore described, shall amount to not less than the full amount herein pledged to be set aside for the redemption of the bonds authorized to be issued and sold hereunder until such obligations shall be paid in full. In the event the said City or any department or agency thereof shall avail itself of any facilities or services rendered by said system, the reasonable value thereof shall be paid by said City or department or agency thereof monthly as the same accrues, and such payments shall be deemed revenues from the operation of said system.

Section 7. The said City irrevocably binds itself to operate said system and maintain the same in good condition and repair and not to sell, lease or dispose of said system, until all the bonds issued hereunder shall be paid in full, both principal and interest, or unless and until provision shall have been made for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon in full. The said City further binds itself, irrevocably, that

(a) While any of the bonds herein authorized remain outstanding, no additional bonds payable from the revenues of said system shall be issued, unless the pledge or such revenues to such bonds is made junior and subordinate in all respects to the pledge of such revenues to the bonds herein authorized.

(b) While any of the bonds herein authorized remain outstanding, it will maintain insurance, for the benefit of the holders of the bonds herein authorized, of a kind and in an amount which usually would be carried by private companies engaged in a similar type of business, and will pay the cost of such insurance as an expense of maintenance and operation of the system.

(c) While any of the bonds herein authorized remain outstanding, it will keep proper books of accounts and records (separate from all other accounts and records) in which complete and correct entries shall be made of all transactions relating to said system, and it will furnish the original purchaser of said bonds, and any holder or holders thereof at the written request of such holder or holders, not more than thirty days after the close of each six months' fiscal period, complete operating and income statements of the said system in reasonable detail covering such six months' period, and not more than sixty days after the close of each fiscal year, complete financial statements of the said system in reasonable detail covering such fiscal year and certified by the City Controller of the City of Tacoma.

(d) It will grant to any holder or holders of 25 per cent of outstanding bonds herein authorized to be issued, or to any purchaser from the original purchaser of such bonds, the right at all reasonable times to inspect the said system and all records, amounts and data of the said City relating thereto.

Section 8. That the said bonds hereby authorized, together with the coupons to be attached thereto and provisions for registration shall be substantially in the following form:

No. _____ \$1000.00
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF WASHINGTON
COUNTY OF PIERCE
CITY OF TACOMA
WATER BOND OF 1936

The City of Tacoma, a municipal corporation in the State of Washington, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the bearer or, if this bond be registered, to the registered holder hereof, on the first day of November, 19____, the sum of

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

(\$1,000.00), and to pay interest thereon at the rate of four per cent (4%) per annum, payable on May 1 and November 1 in each year until maturity, upon surrender of the annexed coupons as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable at the office

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of the Treasurer of the City of Tacoma, Tacoma, Washington, or, at the option of the holder, at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Washington in the City and State of New York, in any coin or currency which on the respective dates of payment of the principal of and interest on this bond is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. Both principal and interest are payable solely out of a special fund of the City of Tacoma known as "City of Tacoma Water Fund of 1936", created by Ordinance No. 11241, which fund is to be drawn upon and used for the sole purpose of paying the principal of and interest on this issue of bonds.

This bond is one of an issued of Water Bonds authorized by Ordinance No. 11241 of the City of Tacoma for the purpose of providing funds to pay for certain additions and betterments to the existing Water Plant and System.

The City of Tacoma hereby covenants with the holder of this bond that it will keep and perform all the covenants and promises in said Ordinance No. 11241 creating such special fund to be by it kept and performed, and said City does hereby irrevocably obligate and bind itself to set aside and pay into said fund from the gross revenues of said Water Plant and System the various amounts in said ordinance provided, which amounts so pledged are hereby declared to be a charge upon the gross revenues of said Water Plant and System and all additions now or hereafter made superior to all other charges, except as in said ordinance provided.

The City of Tacoma further binds itself to establish and maintain rates for water service which shall provide sufficient revenues to permit the payment into such special fund of the said sums which the City has pledged to be set aside for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds until the same have been paid in full.

This bond may be registered as to principal by the holder in his name on the bond registration books of the Controller of the City of Tacoma, Tacoma, Washington, and such registration shall be noted on the back of this bond, after which no valid transfer of this bond shall be made except on said books until after registered transfer to bearer. At the request of the holder this bond may be registered as to both principal and interest, and in that event the interest hereon shall be remitted to the registered holder of this bond in New York exchange mailed to his address.

This bond and the issue of which it forms a part, is issued under, pursuant to and in strict compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Washington, and the Charter and ordinances of the City of Tacoma, Washington, and it is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, to have happened and to have been performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, exist, have happened and have been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by law, and that this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City of Tacoma, is within every debt and other limitation imposed by the Constitution and laws of the State of Washington and the Charter of said City of Tacoma, Washington.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Tacoma has caused this bond to be signed in its name by the Mayor and countersigned by the Controller under the corporate seal of said City, and has caused the coupons hereto attached to be signed and countersigned by the lithographed signatures of said Mayor and Controller, respectively, and this bond to be dated the first day of November, 1935.

Geo. A. Sissitley
Mayor

(SEAL)

COUNTERSIGNED:

Controller

(FORM OF COUPON)

No. _____

\$20.00

On the _____ day of _____, 19____, the City of Tacoma, Washington, will pay to bearer at the office of the Treasurer of said City of Tacoma or, at the option of the holder, at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Washington in the City and State of New York, the sum of Twenty Dollars in any coin or currency which is then legal tender for the payment of public and private debts; from the special fund known as "City of Tacoma Water Fund of 1936", said sum being the semi-annual interest due that date on its Water Bond of 1936 dated November 1, 1935, numbered _____.

Geo. A. Sissitley
Mayor

COUNTERSIGNED:

Controller

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(CONVERSION CERTIFICATE)
(Registered as to both principal and interest)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this date cut from the within bond _____ coupons attached thereto, numbered from _____ to _____ inclusive, of the amount and value of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) each, amounting in the aggregate to _____ Dollars (\$ _____) and that the within bond is hereby converted into a registered bond with the principal thereof of and semi-annual interest thereon payable to _____, assignee or legal representative, by check or draft drawn on the place of payment herein specified in New York exchange mailed to the address of such registered owner.

Dated _____, 19____.

Controller of the City of Tacoma.

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Date of Registry	Name of Registered Holder	Address	Signature of Controller

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE
(Registered as to principal only)

The principal of the within bond is registered in the office of the Controller of the City of Tacoma, at Tacoma, Washington in the name of the owner named below, and shall be payable to such owner only, unless the last registration shall be to bearer, and subject to the express provision appearing on the face of this bond.

Dated _____, 19____.

Controller of the City of Tacoma

Date	Owner	Address	Controller's Signature

Section 9. All of said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Controller under the seal of the City of Tacoma, and each of said interest coupons shall be signed by the facsimile signatures of said officers, and all of said bonds shall at the option of the holder be subject to registration as to principal or as to both principal and interest in accordance with the provisions of Sections 5494 to 5496 inclusive, Remington's Revised Statutes.

Section 10. Said bonds shall be registerable at the option of the owner as to principal, or as to principal and interest, upon presentation of any such bond by the owner thereof to the Controller of the City of Tacoma at his office in the City of Tacoma, Washington, accompanied by written requests for such registration signed by the owner and designating the name and address for registry. Thereupon, said Controller shall record in the book of registry kept for the purpose the number of each bond so presented, its principal amount, the name and address of the owner and the change of registration, and shall attest such registration by his official signature. If such bond is to be registered as to principal and interest on such bond and the principal thereof at maturity shall be payable to the registered owner by check or draft drawn upon a place of payment specified in the bond in New York exchange and mailed to the address of the registered owner. The said Controller shall also note on each bond, in the blank prepared for that purpose, the name and address of the owner and the date of registration and shall attest such entry by his official signature. No transfer of any such bond and appurtenant coupons shall be valid or recognized for any purpose unless made on said books.

The Controller of the City of Tacoma, upon presentation to him as aforesaid of any bonds so registered and upon delivery to him of a written request for transfer, duly signed and acknowledged by both parties thereto, or by the transferor, if the bond is to be transferred to bearer, specifying the name and address of the transferee if other than bearer, shall in like manner and detail record any such transfer in said book of registry and upon the blank provided on such bond and shall attest such entries by his official signature. Any bond, after registered transfer to bearer, shall be transferable as if unregistered until again made payable to the registered owner, as above provided.

The said Controller may also note on said book of registry any change of address of the registered owner upon request therefor satisfactory to him.

Section 11. That said bonds shall be sold to the United States of America at par and accrued interest from November 1 or May 1, next preceding the payment of the purchase price to such date of payment, and the Mayor and the Controller of the City of Tacoma are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds on behalf of said City of Tacoma and to deliver the same to the Controller, who is hereby authorized and directed to deliver the same to the United States of America, provided, however, that with the consent and approval of the United States of America first obtained said bonds may be sold at private sale, in which event the Sinking Fund Board of the City of Tacoma is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate the sale of said bonds upon such notice and in such manner and upon such terms not inconsistent herewith as it shall deem for the best interests of the City of Tacoma, subject always to the approval of the Council.

Section 12. That this ordinance is necessary in order to obtain funds for the purpose of making certain additions, replacements and betterments to the existing Municipal Water Works System of the City of Tacoma and for the public peace, health and safety of the Citizens of said City, and by reason thereof a public emergency is hereby declared to exist

(11241) and the final passage of this ordinance on the date of its introduction is requested in writing by the Mayor and two Councilmen, and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication.

The final passage of the foregoing ordinance on the date of its introduction is hereby requested by the Mayor and the undersigned Councilmen.

Geo. A. Smitley (sgd)
Mayor

A. R. Bergersen (sgd)
Commissioner of Public Works

Ira S. Davisson (sgd)
Commissioner of Public Utilities

F. T. Callender (sgd)
Commissioner of Public Safety.

C. V. Fawcett (sgd)
Commissioner of Public Finance

It was moved by Mr. Davisson that the said Ordinance be finally passed and adopted as read. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen.

The question being put upon the final passage and adoption of said Ordinance, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

The President thereupon declared said motion carried and the ordinance finally passed and adopted.

The Mayor thereupon signed said Ordinance in approval thereof and same was attested by the Clerk.

NEW BUSINESS:

It was moved by Mr. Callender that the Council go on record in favor of the button sale for raising funds to send the Smith girls to the Olympic Games as representing the City of Tacoma. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, December 9th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

Attest: George A. Smitley
City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10 A.M.
MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1935.

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Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Davisson, Callender, Mr. President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

PETITIONS:

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and the Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

S. A. Andrews Co., for license to conduct a removal sale at 923 Broadway;

F. W. Gates, for renewal of license to peddle Raleigh goods;
Dan Hunt and E. M. Hall, for license to peddle honey and dried fruits;
Joe Wakamatsu, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables.

Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendations. Seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Broadway Bowling Co., renewal of license for six bowling alleys at 739 $\frac{1}{2}$ Broadway;
R. E. Herzman, renewal of license for public hack;
R. E. Herzman, renewal of license for public hack driver.

REMONSTRANCES:

Allied Printing Trades Council, protesting installation of parking meters and demanding that such action as the council may have taken be rescinded. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS & REPORTS:

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting easement from C. Sussman, et ux, granting the City the right to string wires over the South 50 feet of Lots 1 to 4 inc., Block 12, Badgerow Addition, which had been approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel and as to description by W.L. Gray, Department Engineer, and recommending the easement be accepted and forwarded to the City Controller for recording and filing. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report for the Light Division for the month of October, 1935. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions recommending that they be granted:

Albert Felchlin, 11-25-35, renewal of license for one pool table at 1904 Jefferson Avenue;
Palo Bros, 12-2-35, renewal of license for two pool tables at 707 So. 78th Street;
A. Meucci, 12-4-35, renewal of license for cabaret, Class 2 (dancing) at 1332 Broadway.

Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendations. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on petition of T. Tanaka, 12-2-35, for renewal of license for Rainier Hotel at 1512 $\frac{1}{2}$ Broadway, submitting approval of the Commissioner of Public Welfare and recommending that license be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the communication of W. E. Hall, 11-27-35, submitting an offer to purchase all merchantable alder timber located on the Maplewood Springs property near Puyallup, and recommended that Mr. Hall be advised that the City of Tacoma does not intend to sell the alder on this land; and also reported on Mr. Hall's communication of December 2, 1935, offering \$1.00 per cord for such down timber as would make wood, and advised that the City of Tacoma has filed with the WPA a project for clearing this land and it is not advisable to accept this second proposition as the down timber will be required to burn decayed logs, stumps, etc. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation and to direct the clerk to reply to Mr. Hall's communications notifying him of the Council's action. Seconded by Mr. Callender and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

The Commissioner of Public Utilities also reported back the petition of Mrs. H. Ruud, et al, 11-12-35, for installation of street lights at North 11th and Madison Streets and North 11th and Monroe Streets, recommending that the streets lights be installed at such time as money is provided in the general fund's budget to cover the cost of installing same, as the funds for the year 1935 have been exhausted and the amount provided for in the 1936 budget has more than been pledged by the granting of petitions heretofore placed before the Council. Moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in his recommendation to direct that the people be notified that the lights will not be installed. Seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

RESOLUTIONS:

After discussion of the offer of the United States of America to aid by way of grant in financing the construction of the East 34th Street Bridge No. E7, the following resolution, numbered 10495, and entitled "A Resolution Accepting the Offer of the United States to the City of Tacoma to Aid by Way of Grant in Financing the Construction of East 34th Street Bridge No. E7", was proposed by Bergersen and read in full:

RESOLUTION No. 10495

By Bergersen:

A Resolution accepting the offer of the United States to the City of Tacoma to aid by way of grant in financing the construction of East 34th Street Bridge No. E7.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That the offer of the United States of America to the City of Tacoma to aid by way of grant in financing the construction of East 34th Street Bridge No. E7 between Pacific Avenue and A Street in the City of Tacoma, a copy of which offer reads as follows:

"FEDERAL EMERGENCY ADMINISTRATION OF PUBLIC WORKS :

Washington, D. C.
October 19, 1935
State File No. Wash. 1197

City of Tacoma
Pierce County, Washington

Subject to the Rules and Regulations (PWA Form No. 179, July 22, 1935, as amended to date) which are made a part hereof, the United States of America hereby offers to aid in financing the construction of improvement to city streets by replacement of wooden trestle with reinforced concrete bridge, paving approaches and necessary appurtenances (Herein called the "Project") by making a grant to City of Tacoma in the amount of 45 percent of the cost of the Project upon completion, as determined by the Federal Emergency Administrator of Public Works, but not to exceed, in any event, the sum of \$55,350.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Federal Emergency Administrator
of Public Works

By HORATIO B. HACKETT (Sgnd)
Assistant Administrator "

be and the same is hereby in all respects accepted.

Section 2. That said City of Tacoma agrees to abide by all the rules and regulations relating to such grant, a copy of which rules and regulations were annexed to the Government's offer and made a part thereof.

Section 3. That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized and directed forthwith to send to the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works three certified copies of this Resolution and three certified copies of the proceedings of this Council in connection with the adoption of this Resolution, and such further documents or proofs in connection with the acceptance of said offer as may be requested by the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works.

Adopted on roll call December 9, 1935.

Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1, Fawcett.

Attest: _____
City Clerk

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase and installation of parking meters; directing that the purchase price and installation costs thereof be paid solely from the revenues derived from said meters; and creating a special fund into which revenues shall be set aside for the payment of said purchase price and installation costs. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Bergersen called attention to the death of an old and trusted city employee, H. C. Johnson, who has been a broom maker at the city barn for forty-six years. The Council directed the clerk to write a letter to his family expressing appreciation for his many years of service and extending sympathy in their loss.

On motion the Council then adjourned.

Attest: Genevieve Martin
City Clerk

Geo. A. Smiddy
President of City Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,
Wednesday, December 11, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Regular order of business was suspended to give hearing to a number of persons who were present, and the following matters were presented:

Mr. M. K. Snell was present to take up with the City Council two propositions: (1) the overflow of water and sewage in Wright Park and (2) proposed installation of Park-O-Meters. With reference to the first matter, he stated that he had protested to the Park Board about the storm sewer carrying with it sewage, which during a heavy rain overflows the manhole and is very offensive. Commissioner Bergersen said that the Division Avenue sewer is too small and that they have an application in with the W P A for Federal assistance, which looks more favorable now than ever before. Regarding the Park-O-Meters, Mr. Snell argued that the installation of this device was in contradiction to the recent move to beautify Commerce Street and Pacific Avenue and he stated that he considered the installation illegal.

Mr. E. F. Kohl, speaking for the Retail Merchants, stated that his association have been opposed to the parking meters from the start. The parking question, he said, is not a question of space so much as of enforcement. He suggested that the Department of Public Utilities start a down town parking station to take care of this situation.

C. F. Mason said that the people in the rural districts complain that the thirty-minute parking rule does not give them time enough to do their buying, and the harder the City makes it for the people on the outside to come in and make their purchases, the harder it is going to be for the merchants. In his opinion the man who drives down town and leaves his car in one place all day is doing the damage and the greatest menace is double parking, he said.

Geo. Todd suggested that, before the parking meter ordinance is passed, the City make a survey of the business people on Broadway and Pacific Avenue and see what their wish is in the matter, saying he believed they would express considerable resentment against it. He also suggested that no parking be allowed on the downtown streets before nine o'clock in the morning, when the stores open.

F. F. Humeston, Manager of Penney's, said that there is considerable protest among people living outside the City against the parking meters and he thought it would be very harmful to business to have the regulation. Paul Garver, manager of Woolworth's, thought the vacant lots along Court C could be made into parking lots and a small charge made for parking, and said it is going to be a disadvantage to the merchants down town if the parking meters are installed. A. L. Cook of the Tacoma Trunk Co., protested against the parking meters,

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calling it a fanciful, experimental plan, and demanded that the Council be more conservative and wait until at least 10% of the cities in the United States have tried it out.

Mr. F. A. Davidson, Manager of Montgomery Ward Co., said that from their customer reaction, the parking meters should not be put in, and, in order to find out whose automobiles are being left on the streets, he would be willing to send someone out every day to check the numbers on the cars in his block and was sure that others will do the same. He thought a plan could be worked out to get these cars off the street.

Commission Callender said that there seems to be a concentrated effort at this time to keep out the parking meters, although the plan was suggested to him in the first instance by a group of business people in the down town district, and stated that, if the parking of cars can be restricted without the use of parking meters, there will be no need of the meters, but emphasized the fact that this cannot be done unless the merchants cooperate with the Police Department.

Mayor Smitley, speaking for the Council, thanked the merchants for their offers of cooperation in solving the parking problem and told them the Council would be glad to have their assistance.

Mr. T. J. Lillis, a resident at 6th Avenue and Union, called attention to a large signboard erected at the SW corner of this intersection by C. E. Stevens Co., which obstructs the view of the motorist coming down 6th Avenue and asked that the company move it back at least 20 feet. Commissioner Callender advised that he has written C. E. Stevens Co. instructing them to take out the sign or move it back and asked Mr. T. J. Lillis to let him know if it is not out by next Saturday.

The order of business then reverted to reading of minutes, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS:

A petition was submitted from McDonald Shoe Co., for license to conduct a vacant sale at 943 Broadway, with recommendation of the License Inspector and the Commissioner of Public Safety that petition be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Fred Ludwig, renewal of license for So. Tacoma Drug Store at 5401 So. Tacoma Way;

C. A. Scurry, renewal of license for three pool tables at 1327 Broadway.

REMONSTRANCES:

The following remonstrances were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety: Cascade Lodge No. 297, International Assn. of Machinists, protesting against the use of parking meters on the down town streets of Tacoma;

Chas. Haener, protesting against the installation of parking meters on Pacific

Tacoma Auto Supply Co., expressing opposition to the proposed parking meters.

COMMUNICATIONS:

The following communications were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety:

E. B. Busselle, stating that he is opposed to the installation of parking meters on the streets of Tacoma as he does not feel it will be a successful venture and that, after talking with a large number of merchants and Tacoma citizens, he believes that a large majority feel that the meters should not be installed as they will work to the disadvantage of the business interests of the City.

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Chas. S. Lyons, stating that the placing of toll gates on the Pacific Highway at the entrances to the City of Tacoma would be as reasonable as the installation of parking meters on the streets of the city.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS & REPORTS:

City Treasurer, reporting bank balances for the week ending December 7, 1935, amounting to \$1,402,702.91. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising that the mimeograph at present in use in the Police Dept. is too old and worn for the volume of work required and that he desires to turn it over for use of the Fire Dept., and recommending that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell or trade in the old neustyle mimeograph, No. 8F-278, now in use in the Fire Dept., on the purchase price of a new mimeograph for the Police Dept. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0; Absent 1, Fawcett.

Mayor and Commissioner of Public Welfare, report for the month of November, 1935. Placed on file.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10496

By Davison:

A Resolution authorizing the execution of waiver, waiving the necessity of presentation of certain obligations held by the United States of America.

WHEREAS, the United States of America is the holder of a part of the issue of City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1934 which were purchased by the United States of America pursuant to Loan and Grant Agreement entered into with the City as of March 23, 1934; and

WHEREAS, the United States of America proposes to pay to the City of Tacoma a portion of the grant payable under said Loan and Grant Agreement by cancelling \$72,000.00 of said bonds now held by it which become due and payable on January 1, 1936; and

WHEREAS, in connection with the cancellation of said bonds it is necessary that the City of Tacoma execute and transmit to the United States of America a waiver of the necessity of presentation of said bonds for payment, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City of Tacoma does hereby consent to the United States of America's withholding presentation of the above obligations for payment on January 1, 1936, and does hereby authorize and direct the proper officers to execute and cause to be transmitted to the United States of America a waiver, in the form as submitted by the United States of America, waiving said presentation.

Adopted on roll call December 11, 1935
Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Fawcett.

Resolution No. 10497

By The Council:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That A. R. Bergersen, Commissioner of Public Works, be and he is hereby designated as a member of the Board of Contracts and Awards to act as such during the absence from office of C. V. Fawcett, Commissioner of Public Finance, because of illness.

Adopted on roll call December 11, 1935.
Yeas 4; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1, Fawcett.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

The ordinance, authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase and installation of parking meters, was brought up for second reading and laid over until the entire Council is present.

On motion the Council then recessed until 2:30 P.M. to-day.

Attest: *Lorenzine Martin*
City Clerk
Ed A. Smitley
President of City Council

DEC 11 1935

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 2:30 P.M.
Wednesday, December 11, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 3; Callender, Davisson, Mr. President. Absent 2;

Bergersen, Fawcett.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:
By Davisson:

An ordinance creating a special fund; providing for the deposit therein of the proceeds of the sale of City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1936, the grant from the Government and such other funds as may be appropriated thereto; appropriating the sum of \$540,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from said fund to pay the costs of additions, replacements and betterments to the existing water plant and system, as specified and adopted by Ordinance No. 11241; declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Referring to request of W. S. Farley, Dist. Adm. W.E.R.A., that the City furnish their district offices with light and water free of charge, Commissioner Davisson stated that he would like to know whether the City Council is going to pay those bills for the current year, as, if not, he will have to notify the W.E.R.A. that they must make arrangements to get them paid. The subject was discussed briefly, but, in the absence of two members of the Council, it was decided to take no action to-day, and action was deferred until next week.

On motion the Council recessed until Monday, December 16, 1935 at 10 A.M.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council

DEC 14 1935

SPECIAL SESSION:

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 9:30 A.M.
Saturday, December 14, 1935

A special legislative meeting of the City Council was held, pursuant to the call of the Mayor, as follows:

"December 13, 1935

Miss Genevieve Martin
City Clerk
Tacoma, Wash.

Dear Miss Martin:

Will you please call a special legislative session of the City Council at 9:30 A. M. on Saturday, December 14, 1935, for the purpose of acting upon a resolution accepting an offer of the United States of America to aid by way of a loan and grant in financing the construction of additions, replacements and betterments to the Green River Gravity Water Supply System of the City of Tacoma?

Very truly yours,

Geo. A. Smitley (sgd)
Mayor

Pursuant to the above call all members of the Council were duly notified of this meeting by the Clerk and the following members were present: Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President and one member, Mr. Callender, was absent, being out of the City.

After discussion of the offer of the United States of America to aid by way of loan and grant in financing the construction of additions, replacements and betterments to the Green River Gravity Water Supply System of the City of Tacoma, the following Resolution, numbered 10498, and entitled "A Resolution Accepting the Offer of the United States to the City of Tacoma to aid by way of loan and grant in financing the construction of additions, replacements and betterments to the Green River Gravity Water Supply System of the City of Tacoma" was proposed by Davisson and read in full:

RESOLUTION No. 10498.

By DAVISSON:

A Resolution accepting the offer of the United States to the City of Tacoma to aid by way of loan and grant in financing the construction of additions, replacements and betterments to the Green River Gravity Water Supply System of the City of Tacoma.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That the offer of the United States of America to the City of Tacoma to aid by way of loan and grant in financing the construction of additions, replacements and betterments to the Green River Gravity Water Supply System of the City of Tacoma, a copy of which offer reads as follows:

FEDERAL EMERGENCY ADMINISTRATION
OF PUBLIC WORKS

Washington, D. C.
November 27, 1935.

State File No. Wash. 1199.

City of Tacoma,
Pierce County, Washington

Subject to the Rules and Regulations (FWA Form No. 166, July 22, 1935, as amended to date) which are made a part hereof, the United States of America hereby offers to aid in financing the construction of additions to and replacements and betterments of the Green River Gravity Water Supply System of the City of Tacoma, by replacing approximately 6,063 feet of wood pipe with steel or concrete pipe, and by extensions to Pipe Line No. 4 (herein called the "Project") by making a grant to City of Tacoma (herein called the "Applicant") in the amount of 45 percent of the cost of the Project upon completion, as determined by the Federal Emergency Administrator of Public Works, but not to exceed, in any event, the sum of \$243,000, and by purchasing, at the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest thereon, from the Applicant, obligations of the description set forth below (or such other description as shall be mutually satisfactory) in the aggregate principal amount of \$297,000, less such amount of such obligations, if any, as the Applicant may, with the consent of the said Administrator, sell to purchasers other than the United States of America:

- (a) Obligor: City of Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington;
- (b) Type: Negotiable, special obligation, serial coupon water revenue bond;
- (c) Denomination: \$1,000; (d) Date: November 1, 1935;
- (e) Interest rate and interest payment dates: Four per centum per annum payable semi-annually on May 1 and November 1, in each year;
- (f) Place of payment: At the office of the Treasurer of the City of Tacoma, at Tacoma, Washington, or at the option of the holder, at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Washington in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York;
- (g) Registration privileges: Registerable, at the option of the holder, as to principal only, or as to both principal and interest;
- (h) Maturities: Payable on November 1 each year as follows:

1937 to 1949 inclusive	\$5,000
1950	157,000
1951	75,000;
- (i) Payable as to both principal and interest from and secured by a pledge of a fixed amount of the gross revenues of the entire waterworks system, as extended and improved by the Project, said fixed amount to be without regard to any fixed proportion of said revenues and to be sufficient for the payment of the principal or and interest on the bonds.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Federal Emergency Administrator of
Public Works

By HORATIO B. HACKETT (sgd)
Assistant Administrator.

be and the same is hereby in all respects accepted.

Section 2. That said City of Tacoma agrees to abide by all rules and regulations relating to such loan and grant a copy of which rules and regulations were annexed to the Government's offer and made a part thereof.

Section 3. That IRA S. DAVISSON, Commissioner of Public Utilities be and he is hereby authorized and directed forthwith to send to the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works three certified copies of this Resolution and three certified copies of the

proceedings of this Council in connection with the adoption of this Resolution, and such further documents or proofs in connection with the acceptance of said offer as may be requested by the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works.

Adopted on roll call December 14, 1935
Yeas 4; Bergersen, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender.

Attest: G. A. Smitley
City Clerk Mayor

Moved by Mr. Davisson to adjourn. Seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried.

Attest: G. A. Smitley
City Clerk President of City Council

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

PETITIONS:

The petition of G. P. Livingston, for license for first class auctioneer, was submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Com'r. of Public Safety that it be granted. Moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

- 427 D French Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 1101 Broadway;
- 427 E Lien & Selvig, for renewal of license for drug store at 1026 South Tacoma Avenue;
- 427 F S. Mori, for renewal of license for 1 pool table at 1344 Broadway;
- 427 G O. Tolomei, for renewal of license for 1 pool table at 1519 1/2 Broadway;
- 427 H B. F. Christian, for renewal of license for public hack driver.

The petition of Mrs. V. R. Smith, for renewal of license for Lansing Hotel at 1137 1/2 Broadway, was referred to Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The petition of the Y. W. C. A., for renewal of license for swimming pool at 401 Broadway, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Welfare.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Utilities for investigation and recommendation:

- 423 A Irene W. Frye, for extension of electric light service to premises at 8902 South Yakima Avenue;
- 423 B Joe Graiff, et al, for installation of a street light on South State Street midway between South 15th and South 17th Street;
- 423 C R. M. McQuillen, et al, for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 5 (outside Maritow on Road to Steilacoom).

REMONSTRANCES:

The following remonstrances were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety:

- 423 D Lumber & Millworkers Local 2629, protesting the installation of parking meters on the City of Tacoma and submitting a copy of a resolution adopted by the organization with reference thereto;
- 423 E Pierce County Council of the Commonwealth Builders Inc., stating that their members have gone on record as being unanimously opposed to the installation of Park-O-Meters on the Streets of the City;
- 423 F Sawmill and Timber Workers Union, Local 2664, protesting against the installation of Park-O-Meters on the streets of Tacoma.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Lee Croft, submitting minutes of the Jefferson Square Improvement Club, containing suggestions for improvements in the street car service, such as a central starting place for all cars; endorsing the proposition that the City advertise its cheap light and power and stating that the Club is waiting to hear more from Commissioner Bergersen about the Railroad crossing nuisance. The Clerk was directed to request Mr. Curtiss L. Hill, manager of the Tacoma Railway and Power Co., to meet with the Council at the regular meeting on December 30, 1935, for a discussion of several matters pertaining to the street railway company, and to notify the Jefferson Square Improvement Club that this meeting is to be held and invite representatives of the Club to be present.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

The following reports were submitted and ordered placed on file:

- City Controller, report of November, 1935;
- Commissioner of Public Safety, report for month of November, 1935.

CLAIMS:

F. R. News- Alki Service Station for \$100.00 for loss of business at his gas station, rental of facilities and storage of contractor's equipment during the cutting in of water mains and construction of pipe lines at the intersection of South 64th Street and Park Avenue. Referred to Commissioner of Public Utilities.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

- Fred Ludwig, (12-11-35) for renewal of license for South Tacoma Drug store at 5401 South Tacoma Way;
- Broadway Bowling Co. (12-9-35) for renewal of license for 6 bowling alleys at 729 1/2 Broadway.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10499.

BY BERGERSEN:

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma has leased to Western Steel Casting Company, a coproration, the premises described as follows:

Lots 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40, Block 38, according to the unrecorded Northern Pacific Railway Company's Plat "A", Tacoma Tide Lands, in Pierce County, Washington; and

WHEREAS, said lease provides that the monthly rental shall be agreed upon by the respective parties on or before December first of each year during the term of said lease; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the rental for said premises for the year 1936 will be the sum of \$125.00 per month.

Adopted on roll call December 16, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Permitting and authorizing the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation Company to assign and transfer certain franchises, licenses, permits and authorities to the Union Pacific Railroad Company. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to erect, operate and maintain illuminated display signs advertising the municipal light and power facilities of the City of Tacoma; authorizing the leasing or purchasing of such signs and the letting of contracts therefor; and appropriating the sum of \$5,000.00 from the Light Fund for said purposes. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Board of Contracts and Awards to call for bids and let a contract for the purchase and installation of parking meters; directing that the purchase price and installation costs be paid solely from revenues derived from said meters and creating a special fund into which revenues shall be set aside for payment of purchase price and installation. Brought up for second reading. It was moved by Mr. Callender that the ordinance be indefinitely postponed. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Creating a special fund; providing for the deposit therein of the proceeds of the sale of City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1936, the grant from the Government and such other funds as may be appropriated thereto; appropriating the sum of \$540,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from said fund to pay the costs of additions, replacements and betterments to the existing water plant and system, as specified and adopted by Ordinance No. 11241; declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication. Brought up for second reading and laid over to Wednesday, December 18, 1935.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Commissioner of Public Works submitted a detailed report of the applications which his department has filed with the Works Progress Administration at Olympia. The Clerk was directed to prepare copies of the report for the members of the Council.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The Council took up for consideration the request of Mr. W. S. Farley, District Administrator W. E. R. A., (12-4-35) for payment of light and water bills for their district offices, amounting to \$3,901.47. Commissioner Davisson advised that the Light Division has tried at different times through the year to get the W E R A to pay these bills and at one time received a promise from the district office that they would be paid, but payment has since been deferred from time to time for different reasons. Mr. Davisson stated that his department is being penalized because the City of Tacoma in contributing nothing for the relief program, but if these bills are not paid they will have to discontinue the service. As payment of the bills by the City would require the passage of an ordinance making an emergency appropriation, the mayor made a canvass of the Council to determine how many would support such an ordinance and found that the members of the Council were unanimously of the opinion that the General Fund is in such condition that they cannot make any more emergency appropriations except in cases of extreme emergency, and would not vote to pay the bills by this method. In view of the fact that the Welfare Board was notified a year ago that the City would have no funds for payment of its expense for light, water and rental during 1935, and in view of the condition of the General Fund, the Clerk was directed to notify Mr. Farley that the Council cannot make an appropriation to pay this expense.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

J. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: *Louise M. Martin*
City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10 A.M.
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1935

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The regular order of business was suspended for consideration of matters in which persons present were interested, as follows:

Mr. Arthur A. Murphey, Assistant to the President of the Union Pacific Ry. Co., submitted petition of the O.W.R. & N.Co. and the Oregon and Washington R.R.Co. for a transfer to the Union Pacific Railroad Co. of all franchises granted the petitioners by the City of Tacoma. Mr. Murphey explained that the Union Pacific will operate the railroad lines clear through to the coast instead of through its subsidiaries when the transfer is made, and also explained with reference to the franchise on So. 15th Street that in 1927, when the city was desirous of opening a new roadway extending from the waterway near 15th Street past the plant of the American Concrete Pipe Co., a contract was drawn whereby the company granted the city the right to pass over its property and arranged for similar right over the Northern Pacific Railway property, and the city then assumed the entire maintenance of the roadway surface on the bridge. The company has, however, he said, always been willing to pay for maintenance costs of the decking and stringers, where similar maintenance agreements have been made, and he did not believe the Union Pacific would have a different policy with regard to this bridge. This explanation was made at the request of Commissioner Bergersen, who had requested time for an investigation of the franchise on 15th Street before passage of an ordinance authorizing the transfer of the franchises.

Mr. John W. Corliss read to the Council a communication in which he listed the points that the new Council will be expected to act upon when they take office, i.e.:

- (1) Reduction of taxes for city government;
- (2) Elimination of graft from all city governmental affairs;
- (3) An honest effort to salvage and sell from the garbage collections such matter as has value;
- (4) Provide the people with street car transportation within the City limits at a fare not exceeding five cents;
- (5) Seek to serve all of the people with courage, common sense and honest intentions; and stated further that this is going to be discussed before the people during the spring election and an explanation now is better than then. Communication placed on file.

Mr. John Matthews asked for consideration of a communication from Mr. R. E. Emerick, Supt. of Tacoma Commons Mission, referring to a letter sent to Commissioner Davisson in which he asked that some way be found to cancel the balance of \$100.00 remaining due on the old light bill of the Mission, which had accumulated prior to the time he became superintendent, in view of the fact that this is a purely charitable organization. Referred to Commissioner Davisson, with the request that he confer with Mr. Matthews and see if he cannot work out some means of complying with this request.

The order of business then reverted to Reading of Minutes, and the minutes of the meeting last/were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for Engineers and Firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Frank W. Davis, Fireman
Ernest B. Miller, Assistant Engineer
A. L. McNeill, Fireman
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Ernest Carlson, Assistant Engineer
W. J. Cole, Assistant Engineer
George Effelberg, Engineer
W. H. Emerick, Chief Engineer
L. B. Greenlaw, Fireman

Alfred A. Guenette, Assistant Engr.
A. H. Hentze, Fireman
A. Hewkins, Donkey Engineer
Geo. E. Jones, Fireman
J. M. McGovern, Donkey Engineer
C. L. Miller, Fireman
Chas. O'Rourke, Fireman
Kyle V. Stotler, Fireman
H. B. Tullis, Donkey Engineer
Wm. R. Waer, Fireman

It was moved by Mr. Callender that the recommendation of the Board be concurred in. Seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

Doxey Katramad, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts and popcorn;
Chas. Smith, for license to peddle Hot tamales.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davison and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The petition of L. J. Mondau, for license for cabaret, class 1, music and entertainment only, at 315 South 11th Street, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

E. H. Wright, et al (Citizens affected by the removal of Hylebos Bridge) requesting the City to install a lighting system along the detour around the waterway and some sort of guard rail on the edges of the road. Commissioner Bergersen stated that the guard rail will be put in as soon as the lumber for its construction is delivered and Commissioner Davison advised that the lights will be installed as soon as funds are provided. Petition held in abeyance with the understanding that lights would be installed if possible.

REMONSTRANCES:

Elk Plain Grange #782, protesting the placing of Park-O-Meters on the streets of the City of Tacoma. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

City Treasurer, report of bank balances for week ending December 14, 1935 in amount of \$1,102,692.53. Placed on file.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, advising that the Light Division has at Cushman one 1929 Ford, City No. 216, which they desire to turn in on a new low-priced car with a pick-up body; also that they wish to turn in the 1927 Studebaker Coupe, City No. 190 on a low-priced coupe and G. M. C 1928 Model truck, City No. 199, on a one-ton panel delivery car; and asking that the Purchasing Agent be authorized to purchase three new cars, turning in the old cars as part payment and the balances to be paid from the Light Division Funds. Moved by Mr. Davison that the Purchasing Agent be so authorized. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the following petitions, recommending that they be granted:

S. Kori (12-16-35) for renewal of license on 1 pool table at 1344 Broadway;
C. L. Saurry (12-11-35) for renewal of license for 3 pool tables at 1327 Broadway;
C. Tolomei (12-16-35) for renewal of license for 1 pool table at 1519 1/2 Broadway;
French Drug Co. (12-16-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1101 Broadway;
Lian z Selvig (12-16-35) for renewal of license for drug store at 1026 South Tacoma Avenue.

It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of Mrs. V. R. Smith, for renewal of license for Lansing Hotel at 1137 1/2 Broadway (12-16-35) and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The Commissioner of Public Welfare reported back on the petition of the Y. W. C. A. (12-16-35) for renewal of license for swimming pool at 401 Broadway, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing amendment to contract dated March 14, 1932, between the City of Tacoma and Sperry Flour Co., for the supplying of electric energy; and authorizing the sale to said company of service power line for the sum of \$785.55. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Permitting and authorizing the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation Company to assign and transfer certain franchises, licenses, permits and authorities to the Union Pacific Railroad Company. Read by title and placed in order of third reading.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to erect, operate and maintain illuminated display signs advertising the municipal light and power facilities of the City of Tacoma; authorizing the leasing or purchasing of such signs and the letting of contracts therefor; and appropriating the sum of \$5,000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

The following ordinance entitled: "An ordinance creating a special fund; providing for the deposit therein of the proceeds of the sale of City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1936, the grant from the Government and such other funds as may be appropriated thereto; appropriating the sum of \$540,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from said fund to pay the costs of additions, replacements and betterments to the existing water plant and system, as specified and adopted by Ordinance No. 11241; declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication." was brought up for second reading. Read by title.

Commissioner Davison moved that said ordinance be now placed upon its final passage. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen.

The question being put upon the placing of said ordinance upon its final passage, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0. The President declared the motion carried.

Thereupon said ordinance was given No. 11242.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Thereupon said ordinance No. 11242 entitled: "An ordinance creating a special fund; providing for the deposit therein of the proceeds of the sale of City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1936, the grant from the Government and such other funds as may be appropriated thereto; appropriating the sum of \$540,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from said fund to pay the costs of additions, replacements and betterments to the existing water plant and system, as specified and adopted by Ordinance No. 11241; declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication." was read in full by the Clerk and considered by the Council:

ORDINANCE No. 11242.

By DAVISON:

An ordinance creating a special fund; providing for the deposit therein of the proceeds of the sale of City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1936, the grant from the Government and such other funds as may be appropriated thereto; appropriating the sum of \$540,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from said fund to pay the costs of additions, replacements and betterments to the existing water plant and system, as specified and adopted by Ordinance No. 11241; declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That there is hereby created in the Treasury of the City of Tacoma a special fund to be known and designated as "Water Construction Fund of 1936".

Section 2. That all sums of money, except accrued interest, derived from the sale of \$297,000.00 of the City of Tacoma Water Bonds of 1936 authorized to be issued under Ordinance No. 11241, grant to be received from the Government under and pursuant to the terms of the offer of United States of America dated November 27, 1935, to aid in financing construction of improvements to waterworks plant and system of the City of Tacoma authorized under and by Ordinance No. 11241, interest earned on unexpended balances, and such further sums as may be appropriated thereto from time to time shall be deposited in said Water Construction Fund of 1936.

Section 3. That the sum of \$540,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from said Water Construction Fund of 1936 to pay the costs of additions, replacements and betterments to the existing water plant and system of the City of Tacoma, as specified and adopted by said Ordinance No. 11241.

Section 4. That upon the completion of said additions, replacements and betterments and the payment of all costs thereof, all the moneys remaining in said Water Construction Fund of 1936 shall be transferred to and deposited in the City of Tacoma Water Fund of 1936 created by Ordinance No. 11241.

Section 5. That the passage of this ordinance is necessary for the public health and safety and for the support of the City Government, and by reason thereof, a public emergency is hereby declared to exist; and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication.

It was moved by Mr. Davison that the said ordinance be finally passed and adopted as read. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen.

The question being put upon the final passage and adoption of said Ordinance, the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

The President thereupon declared said motion carried and the ordinance finally passed and adopted.

The Mayor thereupon signed said Ordinance in approval thereof and same was attested by the Clerk.

Ordinance No. 11245.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Light Division, to erect, operate and maintain illuminated display signs advertising the municipal light and power facilities of the City of Tacoma; authorizing the leasing or purchasing of such signs and the letting of contracts therefor; and appropriating the sum of \$5000.00 from the Light Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, December 23, 1935, at 10:00 A. M.

E. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

Attest: *Genevieve Martin*
City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.

Monday, December 23, 1935

Council reconvened. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

Regular order of business was suspended for consideration of the following:

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. J. F. Hickey requested the Council for permission to move the marquee from the Old Tacoma Hotel Building across the street to the Tacoma Hotel Annex which he is remodeling. There are two posts supporting the marquee, he said, which he is told conflict with the requirements of the Building Code, and the Building Inspector will not issue the permit for its removal, although he has examined the marquee and has found that it is structurally safe. Mr. Hickey asked the Council to approve the issuance of a permit, if it is possible. Upon the suggestion of Mr. Callender, the matter was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

PETITIONS:

The petition of Sam Rowvas, for renewal of license to peddle peanuts, popcorn and Hot Tamales, was submitted together with the recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Sam Scaffuron, for license for cabaret- Class 1- Music and entertainment only at 1319 Broadway;
Anchor Inc., for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1252 Pacific Avenue;
Hansen & Larson, for renewal of license for two pool tables at 1223 Pacific Avenue;
James Maruca, for renewal of license for one pool table at 2212 "A" Street;
A. Novak, for renewal of license for one pool table at 3201 Portland Avenue.

Manitou Improvement Club, submitting request of residents of that community for installation of a Stop and Go signal at the intersection of South 66th Street and South Tacoma Way. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Community Chest, advising that according to the Constitution and By-laws of the Federation of Social Agencies it is necessary that one member of the City Council should be on the Board of Trustees, which membership is now held by Mr. Frank T. Callender, and stating that the person designated by the Council is to be elected at the annual meeting, held January 15, 1936. It was moved by Mr. Smitley that Mr. Callender be re-appointed. Motion seconded by Mr. Fawcett and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ray W. Thompson, calling attention to what seems to be a needless automobile traffic handicap on South 12th Street between Pacific Avenue and "A" Street, i.e. the provision requiring that cars be backed into the curb in parking; stating that it is very much safer, quicker and easier to nose into the curb with the front of the car and much less disastrous to the fenders of the other parked cars; and requesting that this provision of the traffic rules be changed. Referred to Commissioner of Public Safety.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS:

J. M. Roberts, Assistant City Controller, submitting for Council's authorization and approval vouchers and duplicate vouchers #205, 206, and 207, covering interfund transfers for November, 1935. It was moved by Mr. Fawcett that the transfers be approved. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Safety, advising they have on hand in the Fire Department one lot of discontinued fire hose, which he recommends the Purchasing Agent be authorized to sell for the best prices obtainable. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

Commissioner of Public Utilities, submitting report of Water Division for month of November, 1935. Placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of L. J. Monday, (12-12-35) for license for cabaret, class 1, music and entertainment only, at 515 South 11th Street, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10500.

By DAVISSON:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Water Fund be and it hereby is authorized and directed to make a temporary loan of \$20,000.00 to the Water Construction Fund of 1936 for the purpose of paying for right of way acquired and to be acquired for laying the new pipe line from the intersection of East 64th Street and the Puyallup Indian Reservation line to a point approximately 160 feet east of the intersection of South 35th and J Streets in the City of Tacoma; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said loan be repaid as soon as sufficient moneys have been placed to the credit of the Water Construction Fund of 1936 from moneys to be received from the United States Government under PWA Docket Washington 1199.

Adopted on roll call December 23, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to install an inter-connection on South 35th Street between J and K Streets; directing that said installation be done by force account; and appropriating the sum of \$3500.00 from the Water Fund for said purposes. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Permitting and authorizing the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation Company to assign and transfer certain franchises, licenses, permits and authorities to the Union Pacific Railroad Company. Brought up for third reading. Moved by Mr. Callender to lay over for one week and that the ordinance be referred to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion as to the advisability of making certain changes. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Smitley reported that Mrs. Kalstrom has made a request that the Council sponsor a W P A project for the Women's Division, to include a sewing room at South 54th and South Tacoma Way, where a group of women are employed in making rugs and garments. The Council directed that a resolution be prepared for action at the next meeting.

At the suggestion of Commissioner Davison, Council directed that the City Hall be closed at noon Tuesday, December 24th for the Christmas Holiday.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Attest: Lawrence Martin
City Clerk

W. A. Smitley
President of City Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER, 10:00 A. M.,

Thursday, December 26, 1935.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Safety reported back on the petition of Sam Scafturon, (12-23-35) for license for cabaret-Class 1- music and entertainment only- at 1319 Broadway, and recommended that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

Authorizing amendment to contract dated March 14, 1932, between the City of Tacoma and Sperry Flour Co. for the supplying of electric energy; and authorizing the sale to said company of service power line for the sum of \$785.55. Read by title and passed to third reading.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to install an inter-connection on South 35th Street between J and K Streets; directing that said installation be done by force account; and appropriating the sum of \$3500.00, from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read by title and passed to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 11244.

Authorizing amendment to contract dated March 14, 1932, between the City of Tacoma and Sperry Flour Co. for the supplying of electric energy; and authorizing the sale to said company of service power line for the sum of \$785.55. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Ordinance No. 11245.

Authorizing the Department of Public Utilities, Water Division, to install an inter-connection on South 35th Street between J and K Streets; directing that said installation be done by force account; and appropriating the sum of \$3500.00, from the Water Fund for said purpose. Read in full and passed.

Roll call: Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davison, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then recessed to Monday, December 30th, 1935 at 10:00 A. M.

W. A. Smitley
President of City Council

Attest: Lawrence Martin
City Clerk

COUNCIL CHAMBER 10:00 A. M.

Monday, December 30, 1935.

Council reconvened. Present 4; Bergersen, Callender, Fawcett, Mr. President.

Absent 1: Davisson. taking his seat during consideration of Communications.

PETITIONS:

The petition of D. K. Davisson, for assistant engineer's license, was submitted together with recommendation of the Board of Examiners for Engineers and firmen that it be granted. It was moved by Mr. Callender to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Davisson.

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Wendell H. Kutting, for license for cabaret-Class 2- Dancing at 1139 Commerce Street and for credit for balance on License No. 54543- Class 1 Cabaret;
Berry's Pharmacy, for renewal of license for drug store at 3401 North Proctor St;
RISER DRUG CO., for license for drug store at 2156 South K Street;
WINSLOW and McJannet (Union Tax) for renewal of license for three public hacks (3 applications filed);
C. R. McJannet, for renewal of license for public hack driver.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Northeast Tacoma Improvement Club, recommending that the government be requested to purchase the 840 acres of desirable farm land lying west of the intersection of Lincoln Avenue and Marine View Highway and Hylebos to be platted into not more than five acre tracts for home settlement; asking that the City endorse a survey and construction of a road commencing at Hylebos, running southeasterly to eastern City Limits at Taylor Way and southwesterly to the proposed extension of Marine View Highway at the foot of Julia Gulch; and further recommending that the City approve of the appointment of Frank C. Ross as director and assistant to U. S., State, County and City civil engineers. Moved by Mr. Bergersen that the Council go on record in favor of the above propositions. Motion seconded by Mr. Smitley and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Davisson.

Robert Street, submitting suggestions for improvement of street car service in the City of Tacoma which he should like to see carried out. Laid over for consideration with other matters pertaining to street car service.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

The Commissioner of Public Utilities reported back on the petition of R. E. McQuillen, et al (12-18-35) for extension of electric light service to premises on Route 5, (outside Manitou on road to Steilacoom) and advised that the petition covers a district that is outside of the territory through which the City has a franchise for the use of county roads and recommended the petition be indefinitely postponed and placed on file until such time as the City secures franchise rights in this territory. It was moved by Mr. Davisson to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 5; Nays 0. Absent 0.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10501.

BY BERGERSEN:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers in the budget of the Department of Public Works for 1935, to-wit:

From Salaries and Wages, Lift Bridges	
To Salaries and Wages, Drinking Fountains, the sum of	\$250.00
From Salaries and Wages, City Hall	
To Salaries and Wages, Building Inspection, the sum of	255.00

From Salaries and Wages, Wooden Bridges	
To Salaries and Wages, Sewers, the sum of	\$1,000.00
From Salaries and Wages, Street Maintenance	
To Salaries and Wages, Sewers, the sum of	1,500.00
From Salaries and Wages, Street Maintenance	
To Salaries and Wages, City Barn, the sum of	300.00
From Salaries and Wages, Street Maintenance	
To Salaries and Wages, Street Cleaning, the sum of	4,000.00
From Salaries and Wages, Office Commissioner of Public Works	
To Salaries and Wages, Street Cleaning, the sum of	1,000.00
From Salaries and Wages, City Hall	
To Salaries and Wages, Street Sanding, the sum of	400.00
From Maintenance and Operation, Wooden Bridges	
To Maintenance and Operation, Street Cleaning, the sum of	2,750.00
From Maintenance and Operation, Wooden Bridges	
To Maintenance and Operation, Street Sanding, the sum of	200.00

Adopted on roll call December 30, 1935.

Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 4 of Ordinance No. 7447- providing for licensing and regulating the business of junk dealers in the City of Tacoma, etc-- as amended by Section 2 of Ordinance No. 10612. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

Approving and authorizing payment of obligations incurred by the Commissioner of Public Utilities, in connection with injuries sustained by Japanese children in accident on September 29, 1935 at Cushman Power Plant No. 1, and appropriating the sum of \$4000.00 from the Light Fund for purpose of paying said obligations. Read by title and placed in order of second reading.

NEW BUSINESS:

Representatives of the Tacoma Avenue Improvement Club, with A. N. Walstad as spokesman, demanded that the city give them police protection on Tacoma Avenue, pointing out that there is more business and activity on Tacoma Avenue from South 9th to 12th or 17th Street every night than on Pacific Avenue, and this has attracted a group of youths who break into their cars, have committed several robberies, and have on one occasion beat up their special police officer. They asked for police protection every night from 8 o'clock to 3 o'clock A. M., and told the Council that the Police Chief informs them that there are no men available. Commissioner Callender stated that they have a police officer up there two nights a week, but he is needed as relief man for four prowl cars the other nights, and that this prowl car service cannot be curtailed. The only way to give Tacoma Avenue more protection is to put on more men, Mr. Callender said, and that would take an emergency appropriation. Mr. Walstad suggested that the least the Council can do is to keep the three men who are to be laid off tomorrow night, which would also require an emergency appropriation. The Council took the request under advisement and in the meantime, Mr. Callender stated that he would have a prowl car operating close to Tacoma Avenue.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reverted to

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

This being the date set by the Council for a discussion of matters pertaining to the street railway service, Mr. Curtis Hill, Manager of the T. R. & P. Co. was present and Mr. J. A. Sproule and other members of the Jefferson Square Improvement Club, which had submitted several suggestions for improvement in the service. Mr. Sproule explained that what the Club wants is adoption of a plan to space the street cars and eliminate long waits, and to have the 6th Avenue and Pt. Defiance Cars run down Jefferson Avenue to Pacific Avenue, so that it will not be necessary to walk two blocks when making transfers from one line to the other. Mr. Hill stated that in laying out schedules for the cars, they space them as evenly as possible, and if there is irregularity in the service, he thought it would be an exception

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rather than the rule. Sunday service is not as frequent as it is on week days, he said, because riding is about 40% of what it is on week days. If the street cars were to make the turns on Jefferson Avenue, which would be necessary in routing the cars through to Pacific Avenue, auto traffic would be held up for blocks on Broadway and Pacific, and this is a thing which the street car company could not control, Mr. Hill said; and for the few people that would benefit by having the north and south cars meeting, traffic would be subjected to an unnecessary hazard.

Mr. Sproule contended that he has heard thousands of complaints from people who want to transfer from one line to the other and insisted that the street cars should be run for the convenience of the common people, and auto traffic should not be given first consideration.

Mr. Hill proposed that his company make a study of the problems involved and see if there is anything they can do in the way of improving the plan for making transfers without jeopardizing the other service, and that he discuss the matter later with the Improvement Club. Mr. Sproule wanted the Council to be represented, and suggested that a committee be formed to consist of two members of the Council, two from the Club and two from the Street Car Company. The suggestion was concurred in by the Council and Mr. Hill, and Commissioners Callender and Fawcett were appointed to represent the Council. Mr. Hill was requested to notify the committee when he has accumulated his data and is ready for a meeting, which he agreed to do.

ORDER OF BUSINESS reversed to

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 10502.

BY THE COUNCIL:

WHEREAS, the City of Tacoma through action of this Council has agreed to sponsor a sewing room project under the Women's Division of the W.P.A. designated as W P 718, O P 275; and

WHEREAS, it appears to be required that the City of Tacoma designate the proper agency for the distribution of the product to be produced under said project; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the City of Tacoma does hereby consent that distribution of the product to be produced or manufactured under the above designated project be made under the Women's Division by the regularly appointed governmental agency.

Adopted on roll call December 30, 1935.
Yeas 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Nays 0. Absent 0.

Upon motion, duly seconded and carried, Council then adjourned.

Attest: Genevieve Martin
City Clerk.

Geo. A. Smitley
President of City Council.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER. 10:00 A. M.

Thursday, January 2, 1936.

Council met in regular session. Present 5; Bergersen, Callender, Davisson, Fawcett, Mr. President. Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, there being no corrections, were approved as read.

PETITIONS:

The Board of Examiners for engineers and firemen reported back the following applications for licenses, recommending that they be granted:

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Clyde V. Davidson, fireman	Geo. T. Noblett, chief engineer
S. M. Gaylord, chief engineer	W. E. Rowley, asst. engineer
A. V. Larson, chief engineer	Andrew Van Halteren, asst. engineer
J. W. McReynolds, donkey engineer	

It was moved by Mr. Smitley to concur in the recommendation of the Board of Examiners. Motion seconded by Mr. Bergersen and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1: Callender (temporarily).

The following petitions were submitted together with recommendation of the License Inspector and Commissioner of Public Safety that they be granted:

M. Nakamura, for renewal of license to peddle fruit and vegetables;
Weldon & Peck, for license to peddle Stromberg condensers for automobiles.

It was moved by Mr. Fawcett to concur in the recommendation. Motion seconded by Mr. Davisson and carried on roll call: Yeas 4; Nays 0. Absent 1; Callender (temporarily).

The following petitions were referred to the Commissioner of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation:

Hotel Olympus Co., for license for cabaret-Class 2-Dancing at 815-17 Pacific Ave.;
Cupran Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 3512 McKinley;
Economy Drug Co., for renewal of license for drug store at 1114 South K Street;
Ralph Fowler, for renewal of license for drug store at 2901 South 12th Street;
Pay Less Drug Store, for renewal of license for drug store at 930 Broadway;
J. W. Baldwinson, for renewal of license for public hack;
W. E. Travis, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
J. W. Baldwinson, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
W. E. Travis, for renewal of license for public hack driver;
Whiteley & Chiarovano, for license for one pool table at 5225 South Tacoma Way.
Lyle Groceries, for license for closing out sale at 201 North Eye Street.

The following petitions were referred to Commissioner of Public Safety and Commissioner of Public Welfare for investigation and recommendation:

Buffelen Lumber & Manufacturing Co., for renewal of license for rooming house on the Tidelands;
A. Gasperetti, for renewal of license for Hotel at 24th St. Apartments- 2406 Pacific Avenue;
Raleigh-Hayward Co., for license for Colonial Hotel at 7th and Commerce Streets.

Northeast Tacoma Improvement Club, requesting that a stop sign be installed at the foot of the Julia's Gulch road where it runs into the loop road; that the lights be installed around the loop drive; that the street car service be extended to the Pennsylvania Salt Co.; and that a bus station be placed there which can be used for school children as well as regular passengers. Commissioner Davisson reported that he has already extended the car service to the Pennsylvania Salt Co. plant and has under advisement the request for a bus station. Mr. Callender stated that his department would make a survey of traffic to determine whether a stop light is needed. The Clerk was directed to notify the Club of these reports.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MEMORIALS:

Auburn Chamber of Commerce, submitting resolution adopted by their organization in which it is set forth that the general public good demands the early construction of a new and adequate bridge, acceptable to the War Department, over the Mylobos Waterway at East 11th Street. Placed on file.