

Regular meeting, Council Hall,
September 4, 1933; 7:30 P. M.

The regular September meeting of Council was held on the above date with the following present:-

Burgess D. W. Shinham, President W. Earl Gardner, councilmen Stover, Hoachlander, Miller and Leshner. Pres. W. Earl Gardner presided.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved without correction.

Police Chief Ambrose reported 9 arrests for the month. Three were traffic violations and the others of a miscellaneous nature. This report was ordered accepted and filed.

The secretary read a letter from the Underwriters Rating Association stating that because of the installation of the new fire siren the T. F. D. charge applying to insurance within the borough had been reduced from .19 to .18 effective as of August 1st.

Borough Treasurer, Chas. W. Bert, Jr. reported as follows:-

Balance in Borough account, - - - -	\$ 2759.10
Balance in Bond account, - - - - -	\$ 30.24

The secretary reported receipts as follows:-

W. W. McKinnie, fines, -----	\$ 25.00
W. S. Hostetter, fines, - - - - -	\$ 20.00
Chas. W. Bert, water collections,	\$ 307.98
B. H. Daley, Borough tax, - - - -	\$ 262.10
B. H. Daley, Bond tax, - - - - -	\$ 486.76

On motion both of the above reports were approved.

A resolution was proposed and passed requesting that the treasurer compute tax receipts on the following basis:- Borough tax 35% of receipts; Bond tax 65% of receipts from tax collector.

On motion \$ 500.00 was ordered transferred from the bond account to the Borough account; this being part payment of loans made.

An ordinance prepared by Borough attorney Hoke for the ordaining of a portion of S. Washington Street was presented. After some discussion, a resolution in the following form was presented by President Gardner, seconded by Mr. Hoachlander and unanimously passed.

" I introduce an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance laying out, ordaining and extending South Washington Street from Dahlgren Street to the Borough Limits" and move that the said ordinance be held over and presented for adoption at the next regular meeting of Council held October 2nd. 1933, and that the same be published in the Echo-Pilot, a newspaper of the Borough of Green-castle, once a week for three successive weeks, immediately

following this meeting.

I further move that the Council designate Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1933, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. and the Council Hall as the time and place where the Council will hear objections to the passage of said ordinance and that ten days' notice thereof be given by not less than ten hand-bills posted on the line of the proposed improvement, said notice to be in the following form:

"Notice is hereby given that the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Greencastle propose to lay out, ordain and extend South Washington Street as follows:- Beginning at Dahlgren Street thence south 19 degrees 19 minutes west 264 feet 10 inches to an iron pin; thence south 18 degrees 55 minutes west 287 feet to a point; thence south 19 degrees 5 minutes west 560 feet 9 inches to a point; thence south 13 degrees 4 minutes west 43 feet e inches to a point; thence south 19 degrees west 1305 feet 1 inch to a point; thence south 7 degrees 57 minutes east 75.9 feet to the Borough limits; said street to be of a width of 50 feet, of which 30 feet in the center shall be used as roadway and 10 feet on each side as sidewalks.

The burgess and Town Council will sit at Council Hall on Monday October 2nd. 1933, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. to hear objections to said proposed improvement."

THE BURGESS AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE
BOROUGH OF GREENCASTLE, PA.

By



Secretary.

On motion the secretary was instructed to publish above notices and carry out all instructions of Attorney Hoke.

The Chairman of the street department pointed out improper grading of East Madison St. in the square between Carlisle and Washington Sts. and asked authorization to resurface same in a manner to provide proper water drainage; also to remove several crossings. On motion Mr. Gardner, seconded by Mr. Stover, this work was approved. A concrete curb and water table was also suggested as a needed improvement at Council Hall. This was referred to the Public Property Committee.

On motion the Street Committee was authorized to assist in raising of the pavements to a higher grade in front of the Zarger, Grove and Hassler properties on East Baltimore Street. A request from the Misses Strite for a reinforced concrete retaining wall was discussed, but no action taken. President Gardner appointed a committee comprising himself together with Mr. Hoacklander and Mr. Stover for the purpose of making a survey of the various streets of the town ~~and~~ for the purpose of eliminating unnecessary crossings, crossing plates or other hazards or impediments to traffic.

Mr. Hoacklander stated that a street light had been requested to be placed at the intersection of Washington and Grant Sts. near the Greencastle Canning Co. plant. No action was taken.

On motion by Mr. Gardner, seconded by Mr. Hoacklander, the Water committee was authorized to

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construct new fences around the springs at the reservoir. Steel wire fencing with steel posts set in concrete was specified.

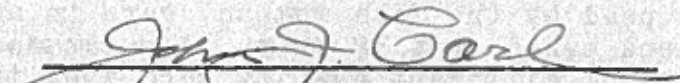
The matter of compensation insurance for relief workers was discussed following receipt of a letter from the U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co. It was stated that such insurance could be secured thru the state for 25 ¢ per man per week, while the standard charge was 40 ¢. The secretary was instructed to make necessary arrangements for taking out this insurance thru the state.

In the matter of tax reduction, it was the concensus of opinion that the Borough tax could be reduced, and on motion of Mr. Stover, seconded by Mr. Hoachlander, the mill rate for Borough tax for the year 1934 was fixed at 1 1/2 mills, representing a reduction of 1 mill from the present rate.

On motion the following drafts were ordered.

Mrs. Catherine Snively	18.00	R. D. Helser,	1.75
J. W. Friedly,	1.50	S. G. Clugston,	1.50
J. O. Kriner,	1.50	Geo. Weagley,	1.25
Fred. Grosh,	1.50	O. C. Ambrose,	50.00
A. Copenhaver,	28.10	Hayes E. Pentz,	4.00
Frank Gossard,	20.70	Scott Meyers,	37.95
O. C. Ambrose,	50.00	Penn'a. R. R.	3.46
D. L. Myers,	4.50	A. Copenhaver,	35.85
Frank Finrock,	4.80	Ed. Clever,	2.35
Central Garage,	11.77	W. S. Hammaker,	425.00
Bester Long Co.	489.60	E. W. Pensinger,	14.01
J. B. Lindsay,	4.10	Wayne Laboratories,	10.00
Chas. W. Bert, Jr.	35.00	Wm. Keller,	8.00
Penn'a. Salt Co.	21.27	Echo-Pilot,	7.45
United Tel. Co.	.55	Greencastle Light Co.	189.87
B. H. Daley,	22.47	Ch'bg. Oil & Gas Co.	36.10
H. T. Goetz,	667.70	G. C. Fox,	5.18
O. C. Ambrose,	33.12		

On motion meeting adjourned.


Secretary.

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