

TERM BEGINNING JANUARY 4TH, 1937

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, the City Marshal and the City Clerk and Tax Collector of the City of Picayune, all being duly elected to their respective offices, for the term as provided by law, met in the City Hall in said City, Monday, January 7th, 1937, at the hour of 8:00 O'Clock A. M., at which time the oath of office was administered to each of them, as follows:

MAYOR'S OATH

I, L. O. Crosby, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully support the Constitution of the United States of America, and the Constitution of the State of Mississippi and obey all the laws thereof, that I will faithfully abide by and execute all the laws and ordinances of the City of Picayune, and that I am not in any manner disqualified from holding the office of Mayor and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of which I am about to enter, SO HELP ME GOD.

L. O. Crosby

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 4th day of January, 1937.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

ALDERMENS' OATH

We, V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, do solemnly swear that we will faithfully support the Constitution of the United States of America, and the Constitution of the State of Mississippi, and obey all the laws thereof, and faithfully observe all the laws and ordinances of the City of Picayune, and that we are not disqualified in any manner from holding the office of Aldermen, and that we will each faithfully discharge the duties of the office of which we are about to enter, SO HELP US GOD.

V. B. Martin
H. E. Jordan

G. H. Williams
J. E. DuPont, Jr.
A. M. Martin

MARSHAL'S OATH

I, A. G. Stewart, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully support the Constitution of the United States of America and the Constitution of the State of Miss., and obey all the laws thereof, that I will faithfully abide by and execute all the laws and ordinances of the City of Picayune, that I am not disqualified in any manner from holding the office of City Marshal, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of which I am about to enter, SO HELP ME GOD.

A. G. Stewart

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of January, 1937.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

CITY CLERK & TAX COLLECTOR'S OATH

I, A. J. Read, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully support the Constitution of the United States of America and the Constitution of the State of Mississippi, and obey all the laws thereof, that I will abide by and execute all the laws and ordinances of the City of Picayune, that I am not in any manner disqualified from holding the office of City Clerk and Tax Collector, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of which I am about to enter, SO HELP ME GOD.

A. J. Read

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of January, 1937.

L. O. Crosby
Mayor.

Personally appeared before me, City Clerk of the City of Picayune, V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, who each acknowledged that they signed the oath of office of Alderman as listed further up on this sheet.

Witness my signature and seal of office this 4th day of January, 1937.

A. J. Read

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Tuesday January 5th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 P. M., with the following officials present: L. O. Crosby, Mayor, A. J. Read, Clerk, V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. G. Stewart, Marshal.

The meeting was opened by proclamation and the following proceedings were had and went on record, to wit;

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of all December meetings were read by the Clerk and there being no objection or correction were approved as read.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	80.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Alderman	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- W. A. Kellar	" "	4.50
3- L. N. Formby	" "	4.50
5- Miss. Power Co.	Lights City Hall & Jail	10.10
5- Western Union	Telegrams	.45
6- The Picayune Item	Placards of Proclamation	6.25
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	47.26
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	15.00

II - JUDICIAL:

1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	40.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00
4- The Picayune Item	Gen. Election Ballots	17.50

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2- P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	90.00
2- A. A. Smith	" "	90.00
4- Southern Hotel & Cafe	Feeding Prisoners	3.00
5- Miss. Power Co.	St. Lights, Siren & Signals	404.40
6- Pearl River Valley R. R.	Freight	148.88
8- Standard Supply & Hdw. Co.	Pig Lead & Oakum	45.72
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary Pound Keeper	45.00

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
2- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Material	4.24
3- County Health Dept.	Appropriation	20.00

V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:

2- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
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VI - SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS:

1- Tate Ins. Agency	Bond Premiums & Ins.	85.00
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VIII-- HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

1- A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2- W. C. Reck	88 Hrs. @ 24¢	21.12
3- Miss. Power Co.	Barn Lights	2.09
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Material	20.06

STREET PAVING

Tally Bilbo	104 Hrs. @ .31¢ Less \$1.00 to Fact.	31.50
W. A. Miller	96 " " " " " " "	29.00
E. J. Puyper	140 " " 30¢ " " " "	41.00
Earl Fleming	105 " " 28¢ " " " "	28.40
Ernest Frierson	96 " " 24¢ " " " "	22.04
John Howard	104 " " " " " "	23.96
W. B. Baysinger	16 Days @ \$2.00	32.00
J. Mizell Davis	16 " " "	32.00

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Chas. Thigpen	11 Days @ \$3.00	\$ 33.00
Sam Lamb	120 Hrs. @ 24¢ Less \$1.00 to Fact.	27.80
S. C. Jarrell	86 Hrs. " 30¢ Using Truck	43.00
A. C. Hyde	56 " " " " "	28.00
Geo. Stewart	52 " " " " "	26.00
Cy Emery	40 " " " " "	20.00
Picayune Chamber of Commerce	\$1.00 ea. from Tally Bilbo, Earl Fleming, W. A. Miller, Ernest Frierson, E. J. Puyper, John Howard & Sam Lamb	7.00
L. N. Formby	Salary & Auto Expense	65.85
Tourne's Garage	Gasoline	95.26
A. Lossett	Blacksmith Work	7.60
Thigpen Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Material	4.70
Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline	12.20
Southern Service Station	m Gasoline	39.87
Graeber's Store	Lantern	1.00

APPOINTMENT OF OFFICERS

It is ordered that the election of Mayor Pro-Tempore, City Attorney, Police Justice and Street Commissioner be done by secret ballot, therefore, each member of the Board was furnished with blank slips of paper upon which they each voted separately for the officers, and in the order named below, which ballots, when counted, resulted as follows:

For Mayor Pro-Tempore:

J. E. DuPont, Jr.	4
A. M. Martin	1

For City Attorney:

T. J. Weaver	4
G. E. Keaton	1

For Police Justice:

R. E. Steen	3
J. E. Stockstill	1
Alderman Williams not voting	

For Street Commissioner:

V. B. Martin	3
A. M. Martin	1
Alderman Williams not voting	

Whereupon the Nominees having a majority were thereby declared elected, namely: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney, R. E. Steen, Police Justice and V. B. Martin, Street Commissioner. It is further ordered that the salaries of the above elected officers shall remain the same as fixed by the regular City Budget adopted at the beginning of the fiscal year.

ACTION DEFERRED ON TWO NIGHT MARSHALS AND POUND KEEPER

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that action, as to the appointment and fixing of salaries of the Night Marshals and Pound Keeper, be and the same is hereby deferred until the next regular meeting.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE APPOINTED

It being known that the term of E. H. Stevens as City School Trustee has expired and this being the regular time for the appointment of his successor, the following nominations were made: R. H. Crosby and S. B. Whitfield and when voted upon R. H. Crosby received 3 votes and S. B. Whitfield received 2, whereupon R. H. Crosby was declared elected as Trustee of the Picayune Municipal Separate School District for a five year term - From January 1937 to January 1942.

CEMETARY TRUSTEE APPOINTED

It being known that the term of A. J. Read as Cemetary Trustee has expired, it is ordered that the said A. J. Read be, and he is hereby re-appointed to serve for for a term of five years, beginning in January 1937 and ending in January, 1942.

ORDER TO RECESS

Further business appearing before the next regular meeting a motion was duly made and carried that the Board do now rise in recess until Friday, January 15th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

L. L. Kersey
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall Friday, January 15th, 1936, at 7:00 O'Clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment. The following officials were present: J. E. DuPont, Mayor Pro-Tem, A. J. Read, Clerk, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved and ordered paid:

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

6- Eastman Frierson	15 Hrs. At 24¢	\$ 3.60
6- Rufus Crosby	15 " " "	3.60
6- Tally Bilbo	38 " " 31½¢	11.88
6- W. A. Miller	62 " " "	19.38
6- Earl Fleming	46 " " 28¢	12.88
6- Ernest Frierson	54 " " 24¢	12.96
6- John Howard	63 " " "	15.12

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

2- W. C. Reck	88 Hrs. at 24¢	21.12
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S T R E E T P A V I N G:

Tally Bilbo	57 Hrs. At 31½¢	17.81
W. A. Miller	33 " " "	10.31
E. J. Puyper	140 " " 30¢	42.00
Earl Fleming	50 " " 28¢	14.00
Ernest Frierson	49 " " 24¢	10.76
John Howard	42 " " "	10.28
Sam Lamb	108 " " "	25.92
W. B. Baysinger	15 Days " \$2.00	30.00
J. Mizell Davis	15 " " "	30.00
Chas Thigpen	12 " " \$3.00	36.00
S. C. Jarrell	40 Hrs. " 50¢ Using Truck	20.00
A. C. Hyde	21 " " " " "	10.50
George Stewart	5 " " " " "	2.50
Cy Emery	18 " " " " "	8.00
L. N. Formby	Salary & Car Expense	66.00

CITY DEPOSITORY RE-APPOINTED

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that the Bank of Picayune be and they are hereby designated to continue as the City Depository in which the city funds shall continue to be kept. The said Bank of Picayune to continue to act as such City Depository without liability for interest, provided that said Bank will continue to furnish securities designated by law at an amount not less than 10% in excess of the total balance of all City funds therein deposited and kept.

ASSESSMENT REDUCED

It appearing to the Board that the assessment of Abe Berinstein on his stock of goods is excessive and known to be such, a motion was therefore, made and carried reducing said assessment from \$5100.00 to \$3600.00. This reduction was made after conclusive proof was furnished by Mr. Berinstein that his inventory as of Jan. 1, 1936, was in the sum of \$8000.00 and was not \$3500.00

INCREASE IN SCHOOL BUDGET

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that a special allowance be and the same is hereby granted as an addition to the City School Budget for the current fiscal year. Said special allowance or increase to be in the amount of \$830.00 and represents money used to purchase typewriters, replacing the machines that were stolen

from the high school.

ORDER TO ADJOURN

No further business appearing, a motion was made and carried that the Board do now adjourn until its next regular meeting.

A. Reed
City Clerk

John F. ...
Mayor Pro-Tempore

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall in said City, Tuesday February 2nd, 1936, at 7:30 O'Clock P. M. with the following officials present and participating: L. O. Crosby, Mayor, A. J. Read, Clerk, V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. A. Smith, Night Marshal.

The meeting was opened on proclamation by A. A. Smith and the following proceedings were had and entered of record, to-wit:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of the regular and mid-month meetings held in January were read by the Clerk and a motion was made and carried approving them as read.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

<u>I - ADMINISTRATIVE:</u>		
1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	80.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Alderman	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordon	" "	4.50
5- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Service & Tolls #5	8.00
5- Mississippi Power Co.	Lights City Hall & Jail	12.65
6- Dement Printing Company	Office supplies	11.67
6- A. J. Read	Money paid for postage & Paper	4.28
6- The Picayune Item	Stationery & Priv. Tax Receipt Book	39.31
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	25.00
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	10.00
<u>II - JUDICIAL:</u>		
1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	40.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00
<u>III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:</u>		
1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2- P. I. Greaves	Salary Night Marshal	90.00
2- A. A. Smith	" " "	90.00
4- Viola Woodward	Washing & Scalding Jail & Blankets	6.00
4- W. P. Spiers	Renovating Mattresses	10.00
5- Mississippi Power Company	Electric Current	404.00
6- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone	2.00
6- Tally Bilbo	5 Hrs. at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢	1.56
6- W. A. Miller	12 " " "	3.78
6- Earl Fleming	14 " " 28¢	3.92
6- Ernest Frierson	14 " " 24¢	3.36
6- John Howard	9 " " "	2.16
6- Laird Truck Line	Hauling	3.99
6- A. J. Read	Money paid for express	1.37
6- P. R. V. Railroad	Freight	1.49
6- Standard Supply & Hardware Co.	Pig Lead & Pcs. C. I. Pipe	100.98
6- National Cast Iron Pipe	C. I. Pipe & Fittings	1,472.77
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary & Food Allowance 9 Dogs	49.50
<u>IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:</u>		
1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
2- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies Ant Campaign	8.02
3- County Health Department	Budget Appropriation	20.00
<u>V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:</u>		
3- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
<u>VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:</u>		
1- A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2- Tally Bilbo	59 Hrs. at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ less \$1.00 to Fact.	17.44
2- W. A. Miller	61 " " " Ditto	18.06
2- E. J. Puyper	35 " " 30¢	9.50
2- Earl Fleming	68 " " 28¢	18.04
2- Ernest Frierson	68 " " 24¢	15.32
2- John Howard	56 " " "	12.44

VII - CONTINUED:

2- W. C. Reck	80 Hrs. at 24¢	\$ 19.20
2- Picayune Chamber Commerce	\$1.00 for Tally Bilbo, W. A. Miller E. J. Puyper, Earl Fleming, Ernest Frierson, John Howard	6.00
3- Mississippi Power Co.	Lights for barn	1.04
3- The Texas Company	Motor Oil	25.76
3- N. O. & N. E. Railroad	Rent on lease	1.00
3- E. M. Walker	" " "	1.00
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Material	52.63

STREET PAVING:

Tally Bilbo	39 Hrs. at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢	12.19
W. A. Miller	22 " " "	6.83
E. J. Puyper	90 " " 30¢	27.00
Earl Fleming	22 " " 28¢	6.16
Ernest Frierson	22 " " 24¢	5.28
John Howard	39 " " "	9.36
Sam Lamb	120 " " " Less \$1.00 to Fact.	27.80
Picayune Chamber Commerce	\$1.00 for Sam Lamb	1.00
W. B. Baysinger	16 days at \$2.00	32.00
J. Mizell Davis	15 " " "	32.00
Chas Thigpen	13 " " \$3.00	39.00
S. C. Jarrell	48 Hrs. " 50¢ Using Truck	24.00
A. C. Hyde	70 " " " Ditto	35.00
W. A. Kellar	32 " " " " less repairs	14.75
Cy Emery	64 " " " " "	26.12
Pearson Motor Company	Gasoline	56.28
A. A. Stockstill	Lumber bought	6.32
Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline & Kerosene	20.46
H. E. Smith	Gravel	40.20
Tourne's Garage	Repairs to machines	6.48
Standard Service Station	Gasoline	26.36
American Oil Company	Motor Oil	46.22
H. L. Pearson	Culvert & Tile	10.00
Sam E. Finley	2 Mos. Rent on Roller	250.00
C. H. Quick	Kerosene	89.78
A. Lossett	Blacksmith work	3.75
L. N. Formby	Salary & Car Expense	63.20

NOT BUDGETED:

The Times Picayune Publishing Co. Advertisement in Cent. Edition	100.00
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COMMITTEE APPOINTED

A petition from Residents and electors of Ward Four was presented to the Board requesting some action with reference to some unattractive buildings and outhouses constructed in said Ward in front of their Homes by Mr. H. L. Pearson. Several of the signers of the petition were present, also Mr. Pearson and after the question was discussed, a motion was made that the Mayor appoint a Committee to negotiate with Mr. Pearson and ascertain whether or not said property could be purchased by the City and reserved for a City Park or Flower Garden. Whereupon, the following were appointed: J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin and H. E. Jordon.

ASSESSMENTS REDUCED

It appearing to the Board that the following assessments are excessive and erroneous and known to be such, it is ordered that same be reduced, as shown below:

House assessed to Callie McGovern and located on "Lots 14 & 15 - Block E of Louis Palmore's Addition, reduced from \$300.00 to \$250.00
Automobile of Mrs. Rubye Roberts, assessed as a 1935 model be reduced from \$750.00 to \$400.00. Said car being a 1933, 8 Cyl. Buick.

TRANSFER

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that the sum of \$9,100.00 be transferred, as a loan until all taxes are collected, to the following City Funds:

To Sinking Fund	\$7,000.00
To Interest Fund	100.00
To Street Fund	2,000.00

SALARY OF POUND KEEPER

On a motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that the salary of the City Pound Keeper be and the same is hereby fixed at \$40.00 per Month, beginning with the the first day of February, 1937.

APPOINTMENTS BY MAYOR & BOARD

The following officers were appointed by the Board, with their salaries fixed as shown below:

P. I. Graves	Night Marshal	\$90.00 per Mo.
A. A. Smith	Night Marshal	\$90.00 " "
H. M. Frierson	Pound Keeper	\$40.00 " "
Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Remover	\$100.00 " "

All appointments made by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen were made with the understanding that the term of office will be as fixed by law, with the Board reserving the right, However, to dismiss or change any appointments or salaries thereof, should conditions or services, so warrant.

ORDINANCE NO. 140

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE CLOSING OF THAT PART OF A CERTAIN STREET IN THE CITY OF PICAYUNE KNOWN AS SAINT GEORGE STREET, AND WHICH EXTENDS THROUGH THE H. E. SMITH FIRST ADDITION TO THE CITY OF PICAYUNE AND TO A POINT 126 FEET NORTH OF THE NORTH LINE OF SAID ADDITION, AND DESCRIBED FULLY IN THIS ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, the Goodyear Yellow Pine Company is the owner of the abutting lands upon the street hereinafter described, and

WHEREAS, the said Goodyear Yellow Pine Company has petitioned the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune to vacate and close that part of said street hereinafter described, and has agreed to waive all right to any compensation on account of the closing of said street and has requested the Mayor and Board of Aldermen to vacate and close the same; and the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said City of Picayune have examined into the said matter, finds that the said part of said street petitioned to be closed is used very little by the general public and is not necessary to be used by the general public of said City, and that the vacating and closing of said street will not unnessarily interfere with the rights of the general public of said City, and that therefore, the said part of said street hereinafter described should be vacated and closed,

NOW THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, that:

Section 1. That part of a street extending through the H. E. Smith first addition to the City of Picayune, as shown by the plat of said Addition now of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Pearl River County, Mississippi, and designated on said plat as "Saint George" Street, and extending North 126 feet north of the east and west center line of section 15, township 6 south, range 17 west, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point 126 feet north of the east and west half-section line of section 15, township 6 south, range 17 west, which point is on a street 126 feet north of said half-section line, and being an extension of a certain street located in the H. E. Smith first Addition to the City of Picayune and described on the plat of said Addition as "Saint George Street", and from the said point thence run South to the intersection of said street with the said half-section line of said section 15, and thence South through the said H. E. Smith first addition to the City of Picayune to the intersection of Saint George Street on the South with Bay or Rosa Street, as shown by the plat of said Addition; said road extending along the east side of lots 6 and 7 of block 2 across Howard Street, and along the East side of lots 6 and 7 of Block 3 and across Saint Henry Street, and thence south between blocks 6 and 7 across Royal Street, and thence south between Blocks 10 and 11 to said intersection with said Bay or Rosa Street, as the same now appears on the plat of the H. E. Smith first Addition to the City of Picayune, which plat is recorded in Book of record of Plats in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Pearl River County, Mississippi, be and the same is hereby closed and vacated by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune.

Section 2. For good cause shown, this ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law.

The above and foregoing Ordinance, after having been first reduced to writing and read and considered by Sections by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, was duly and legally adopted by the following vote:

Aldermen voting "AYE" V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. E. Williams, E. E. Jordan.

Aldermen voting "NAY" None.

Approved this the 2nd day of February, 1937.

L. C. Crosby, Mayor.

ORDINANCE NO. 141

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CLOSING OF AN ALLEY ABOUT 20 FEET WIDE, EXTENDING IN AN EASTERLY AND WESTERLY DIRECTION ENTIRELY THROUGH BLOCK NO. 1 OF R. J. WILLIAMS' SUB-DIVISION NO. 1 TO THE CITY OF PICAYUNE, AS SHOWN BY THE PLAT OF SAID ADDITION NOW ON FILE AND RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHANCERY CLERK OF PEARL RIVER COUNTY, MISS.

WHEREAS, there is a lane or alley about 20 feet wide North and South and extending entirely through Block No. 1 of R. J. Williams Sub-Division No. 1 to the City of Picayune, as shown by the plat of said sub-division now of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Pearl River County, Mississippi, in Book of record of Plats, and

WHEREAS, all of the abutting land owners on both sides of said lane or alley have filed a petition with the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, requesting the said authority to close and vacate the said alley, and the said abutting land owners on said alley or lane have waived all right to any compensation therefor if they should be damaged by closing this lane or alley, and have requested that the lane or said alley be vacated and closed, and the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune having examined into the said petition, and finding that said alley or lane has never been used by the general public, and that it has never been opened or worked by the City for street purposes, and therefore, no one will suffer damages by closing said alley, and that said alley or lane is not needed by the City for public purposes, and that therefore, the said lane or alley should be vacated and closed,

NOW THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, that:

Section 1. The lane or alley, being approximately 20 feet wide North and South and extending entirely through the Center of Block No. 1 of R. J. Williams' Sub-Division No. 1 to the City of Picayune, as is shown by the plat of said Addition now recorded in Book of records of Plats in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Pearl River County, Mississippi, be, and the same is hereby closed and vacated by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said City.

Section 2. For good cause shown this ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law.

The above Ordinance after having been first reduced to writing, read and considered by Sections by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, was adopted by the following vote:

Aldermen voting "AYE" V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams, H. E. Jordan.

Aldermen voting "NAY" None.

Approved this the 2nd day of February, 1937.

Attest: A. J. Read
Clerk.

L. O. Bernsly
Mayor.

ORDER TO RECESS

Further business appearing before the next regular meeting, motion was made and carried that the Board do now rise in recess until Monday February 15th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'clock, P. M.

A. J. Read
Clerk.

L. O. Bernsly
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Monday February 15th, 1937, pursuant to adjournment. The following officials were present and participating: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-tem. A. J. Read, Clerk, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

<u>IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:</u>		
1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	\$ 50.00
<u>VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:</u>		
2- W. C. Reck	88 Hrs. at 24¢	21.12
<u>STREET PAVING:</u>		
Tally Bilbo	99 Hrs. at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢	30.94
W. A. Miller	111 " " "	34.69
E. J. Puyper	136 " " 30¢	40.80
Earl Fleming	111 " " 28¢	31.08
Ernest Frierson	105 " " 24¢	25.20
John Howard	110 " " "	26.40
Sam Lamb	116 " " "	27.84
W. B. Baysinger	2 Days " 2.00	4.00
J. Mizell Davis	3 " " 2.00	6.00
Chas Thigpen	2 " " 3.00	6.00
S. C. Jarrell	52 Hrs. " 50¢ Using Truck	26.00
A. C. Hyde	44 " " " " "	22.00
W. M. Kellar	54 " " " " "	27.00
Cy Emery	40 " " " " "	20.00
L. N. Formby	Salary & Car Expense	62.80
<u>NOT BUDGETED:</u>		
Knights of Pythias	$\frac{1}{2}$ of a 2 yrs. lease on Building	75.00

ORDER TO ADJOURN

No further business appearing before the next regular meeting, motion was made and carried that the Board do now adjourn.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. E. DuPont, Jr.
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall Tuesday March 2nd, 1937, in regular session with the following officials in attendance: L. O. Crosby, Mayor, A. J. Read, Clerk, V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. G. Stewart, Marshal and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

The meeting was opened by the Marshal and the following proceedings were had and entered of record, to-wit:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of the February meetings were read and approved by a motion.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

V I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	80.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Aldermen	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordon	" "	4.50
4- S. E. Newman	Cleaning Typewriter	6.00
4- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Stove Pipe	1.48
5- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Service & Tolls	8.45
5- Mississippi Power Company	Electric Current	8.82
6- A. J. Read	For Postage	2.00
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	50.40
9- Picayune Supply Company	Janitor Supplies	2.69
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	10.00

II - JUDICIAL:

1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	40.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2- P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	90.00
2- A. A. Smith	" "	90.00
5- Mississippi Power Co.	Electric Current	415.24
6- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Fire Dept.	2.00
6- National Cast Iron Pipe	Balance on C.I. Pipe & Fittings	125.32
6- Standard Supply & Hardware Co.	Pig lead	16.15
6- A. J. Read	Money paid for freight	17.28
6- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Material	3.69
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary & Food Allowance 9 dogs	44.50

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
2- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Material	5.20
3- County Health Department	Budget Appropriation	20.00

V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:

3- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
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VI - SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS:

1- Tate Insurance Agency	Bond Premiums	15.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

1-A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2- W. C. Reok	80 Hrs. at 24¢	19.20
3- Mississippi Power Co.	Barn Lights	1.12

S T R E E T P A V I N G:

Tally Bilbo	24 Hrs. at 31½¢ less \$1.00 to Fact.	6.50
W. A. Miller	70 " " " Ditto	20.88
E. J. Fuyper	93 " " 30¢	26.90
Earl Fleming	70 " " 28¢	18.60
Ernest Frierson	70 " " 24¢	15.80
John Howard	70 " " "	15.80
Sam Lamb	72 " " "	16.28
Picayune Chamber Commerce	\$1.00 from each listed above	7.00

S T R E E T P A V I N G :

Johnnie Mitchell	43 Hrs. at 30¢	\$ 12.90
S. C. Jarrell	28 " " 50¢ Using truck	14.00
W. A. Kellar	20 " " " Ditto	10.00
Cy Emery	24 " " " "	12.00
L. N. Fomby	Salary & Auto Expense	63.20
Carey-Reed Company	Oil prime & asphalt	2,602.47
C. H. Quick	Kerosene	31.98
Stevens Motor Company	Gasoline for grader	9.01
Texas Service Station	Tires & Parts for trailer	9.13
Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Company	Supplies & Material	21.74
A. Lossett	Blacksmith work	1.90
Sam E. Finley	Rent on Roller	125.00
Shell Petroleum Corp.	Kerosene	28.00
Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline	90.80
American Oil Company	Kerosene	26.68

PERMIT TO SHOW

A motion was duly made and carried allowing the "Buck-Eye State Shows" to operate within the limits of the City, providing they pay the privilege license as required by law.

PETITION FROM ROSELAND PARK

Two petitions signed by property owners and residence of Roseland Park was presented to the Board, one asking that Roseland Park community be taken into the City and the other protesting against such action. After some discussion a motion was made and carried that action on either of the petitions be deferred until the people in said community could reach a better agreement.

ASSESSMENT TAKEN OFF ROLL

It appearing that the personal assessment against J. I. Richardson on one 1934 Chevrolet Coach in the amount of \$300.00, is erroneous and known to be such, said car having been out of said City and State on the 1st day of January 1936, a motion was made and carried striking said assessment off the 1936 tax roll.

CITY HALL PROJECT

On motion duly made and carried it is ordered that Mr. L. O. Crosby, Mayor, be and he is hereby authorized to notify the proper WPA officials that the City of Pkayune is ready and willing to put up \$6,000.00 on the construction of a new City Hall building under a WPA project already approved, provided said City can have reasonable assurance that said project will not be stopped before its completion.

TRANSFER

A motion was duly made and carried ordering the transfer of \$2,000.00 from the School Fund to the Street Fund as a loan until current tax collections are completed

ORDER TO RECESS

On motion made and carried, it is ordered, that the Board do now rise in recess until Monday March 15th, 1937 at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M.

Al Reed
City Clerk.

L. O. Crosby
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall in said City Monday March 15th, 1937, at 7:00 O'Clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment. The following officials were in attendance: J. E. DuPont, Jr. Mayor Pro-Tem. A. J. Read, Clerk, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordan, Aldermen, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. G. Stewart, Marshal.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

6- B. L. Knost	Tile	\$ 21.60
6- W. A. Miller	49 Hrs. at 31½¢	15.31
6- Earl Fleming	50 " " 28¢	14.00
6- Ernest Frierson	49 " " 24¢	11.76
6- John Howard	29 " " "	6.96
6- Sam Lamb	41 " " "	9.84
6- E. J. Puyper	37 " " 30¢	17.10
6- Tally Bilbo	8 " " 31½¢	2.50

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

2- Tally Bilbo	88 Hrs. at 31½¢	27.50
2- W. C. Reck	48 " " 24¢	11.52
2- John Howard	75 " " "	18.00
2- Harvey T. Parker	16 " " "	3.84
2- Dan Wood	16 " " "	3.84
2- Earl Fleming	56 " " 28¢	15.68
2- Ernest Frierson	56 " " 24¢	13.44
2- Sam Lamb	49 " " "	11.76
2- W. A. Miller	48 " " 31½¢	15.00
2- E. J. Puyper	48 " " 30¢	14.40

S T R E E T P A V I N G:

S. C. Jarrell	40 Hrs. at 50¢ Using Truck	20.00
A. C. Hyde	56 " " " " "	28.00
W. A. Kellar	8 " " " " "	4.00

PERMISSION TO SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE CO.

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is hereby granted to the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company to construct a line for their telephone wires and Electric wires of Mississippi Power Company, over that part of land owned by the City of Picayune and used for a Park, on the easterly side of Highway No. 11, parallel to said highway and not less than forty-five feet from the center line thereof. Said line for erection of telephone wires and Electric wires from Picayune to Roseland Park.

ORDER TO ADJOURN

No further business appearing before the next regular meeting a motion was duly made and carried that the board do now adjourn until its next regular meeting.

A. J. Read
city clerk.

J. E. DuPont, Jr.
Mayor Pro-Tem.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, in above County and State, met in the City Hall in said City, Tuesday April 6, 1937, it being the time and place as provided by ordinance for holding said meeting. The following City officials were in attendance: L. O. Crosby, Mayor, A. J. Read, Clerk, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. G. Stewart, Marshal.

The meeting was opened by the Marshal and the following proceedings were had:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of last month's meetings were read and approved by a motion.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

<u>I - ADMINISTRATIVE:</u>			
1-	L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2-	A. J. Read	" Clerk	80.00
3-	V. E. Martin	" Alderman	4.50
3-	J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3-	A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3-	G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3-	H. E. Jordon	" "	4.50
5-	Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Service & Tolls	8.40
5-	Mississippi Power Co.	Lights City Hall & Jail	6.63
5-	H. R. McIntosh	Wood & Coal	12.00
5-	Western Union	Telegrams	1.30
6-	Eugene-Dietzgen Company	Engineer Supplies	7.65
6-	Dameron-Pierson Company	office supplies	4.41
6-	The Picayune Item	Stationery, Etc.	36.03
7-	The Picayune Item	Publication	25.00
9-	Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	10.00
<u>II- JUDICIAL:</u>			
1-	T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	40.00
2-	R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00
3-	Miss Thurman	Witness Fee	1.00
<u>III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:</u>			
1-	A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2-	P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	90.00
2-	A. A. Smith	" " "	90.00
5-	Mississippi Power Co.	St. Lights, Siren & Signals	399.05
6-	Standard Supply & Hardware Co.	Pig Lead & C.I. Pipe fittings	18.47
6-	R. E. Laird	Freight	.91
6-	Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Fire Dept.	2.00
7-	H. M. Frierson	Salary & Pound Fees	48.00
<u>IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:</u>			
1-	Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
2-	Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies	1.73
3-	County Health Department	Budget Appropriation	20.00
<u>V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:</u>			
3-	Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
<u>VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:</u>			
1-	A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2-	Tally Bilbo	80 Hrs. at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ % less \$1 to Fact.	24.00
2-	W. A. Miller	57 " " " Ditto	18.81
2-	E. J. Puyper	96 " " 30% "	27.80
2-	Earl Fleming	96 " " 28% "	25.68
2-	Ernest Frierson	103 " " 24% "	23.72
2-	John Howard	103 " " " "	23.72
2-	Sam Lamb	80 " " " "	18.20
2-	Pic. Chamber Commerce	\$1.00 for Tally Bilbo, W.A. Miller, E.J. Puyper, E. Fleming, Ernest Frierson, John Howard and Sam Lamb	7.00
3-	A. C. Hyde	30 Yds. dirt at 30%	9.00
3-	Jesse W. Megehee	Repairs to light	1.50
3-	The Selig Company	Paint for streets	35.62
3-	Pearson Motor Co.	Gasoline	3.39

VIII - CONTINUED:

3- Shell Petroleum Corp.	Gear Grease	\$ 9.17
3- American Oil Company	Balance on acct.	3.00
3- Mississippi Power Co.	Lights for barn	1.02
3- A. Lossett	Blacksmith work	1.00
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & material	65.01

STREET PAVING:

Tourne's Garage	Gas & Repairs	82.06
Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline	39.81
S. C. Jarrell	16 Hrs. at 50% Using Truck	8.00
A. C. Hyde	68 " " " Ditto	34.00
Cy Emery	48 " " " " Less 5.63	18.37
Johnnie Mitchell	Help loading roller	1.00

PERMIT TO MOVE HOUSE

On motion duly made and carried it is ordered that permission be, and the same is hereby granted to the Goodyear Yellow Pine Company to move their house, which is now occupied by R. S. Sansing and located about 600 feet South of Hoblochitto Creek bridge on Picoyane-Bogalusa highway, across said highway upon condition that said Company does not completely block the highway and that it save the City harmless from any loss or damage that might occur while said house is being moved across the highway.

ADDITIONAL ALLOWANCE TO SCHOOL BUDGET

A motion was carried allowing an increase in the Current School Budget of \$65.00 to defray the expenses of repairing the high school artesian well.

ALLOWANCE FOR FUNERAL EXPENSE

A motion was made ^{and} carried to pay the funeral expense of Dan Frierson, which was in the sum of \$35.00. It being known that "Uncle" Dan was employed by the City for several years and was faithful to his job until his death.

REQUEST OF BRICE HAYNES

A written petition from Brice Haynes for a gravel street by his property was read by the Clerk and a motion was made and carried ordering the City Engineer to investigate said request and report at the next regular Board meeting.

ALLOWANCE TO W. B. JOHNSTON

W. B. Johnston appeared before the Board with a claim of \$15.00 for personal injuries he received by stumbling and falling on a broken place in the sidewalk on First Street. Whereupon it is ordered that said claim be allowed on condition that Mr. Johnston sign a release saving the City from any further liability.

ALLOWANCE TO PURCHASE ADDITIONAL SCHOOL GROUNDS

An order was passed allowing the sum of \$1500.00 to the City School Board for the particular purpose of buying 20 lots, adjoining the present High School Campus, from R. J. Williams, Estate.

ADDITIONAL GROUND FOR BARN

A motion was made and carried to buy "The North two-thirds of Lot 2, Block No. 28 of J. W. Simmons 2nd addition, for the consideration of \$40.00. It is further ordered that the deed to said land shall be prepared by the City Attorney and shall be signed by the Deacons of the Pilgram Bound Baptist Church.

PERMIT FOR REPAIRS

The American Oil Company submitted specifications for certain repairs to be made to their Service Station in the City known as the Southern Service Station, and the Board after examining said specifications, orders that a permit be and the same is hereby granted unto the American Oil Company for the repairs to said Building as set forth in the specifications presented.

RAISE IN SALARY FOR CITY ATTORNEY

On recommendation of Mayor L. O. Crosby, A. M. Martin moved that the salary of the City Attorney be raised from \$40.00 to \$50.00. Said motion was seconded by J. E. Dupont, Jr., whereupon the Board was polled by the Clerk and the vote was as follows: Voting "Aye" A. M. Martin and J. E. Dupont, Jr.

Voting "Nay" G. H. William

Not Voting H. E. Jordon

In as much as H. E. Jordon refused to vote, his vote was automatically recorded as against the motion, which brought about a tie. Then the Mayor was called upon to break the tie and his vote was "Aye". Whereupon the motion was carried and the salary of the City Attorney is hereby raised from \$40.00 to \$50.00 and is to take effect beginning with April the first.

ORDER TO RECESS

A motion was made and carried that the Board do now rise in recess until Friday April 16th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'clock P. M.

A. J. Read
Clerk.

L. O. Crosby
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
PEARL RIVER COUNTY.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall on Friday April 16th, 1937 at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P.M. with the following officials present; L. O. Crosby, Mayor, A. J. Read, Clerk, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin and H. E. Jordon , Aldermen, and T. J. Weaver, City Atty.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved and ordered paid:

I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

5- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Service & Tohls #5	\$ 9.30
6- Dement Printing Co.	Files	13.03
6- A. J. Read	Money paid for stamps	3.00
9- Fred Young	Mowing Lawn	3.50

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

6- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Fire Dept.	2.00
7- H. M. Frierson	Pound Fees	10.50

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
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V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:

1- Picayune Public Library	Budget appropriation	1,500.00
4- Picayune Chapter Red Cross	" "	150.00

VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

2- E. J. Puyper	114 Hrs. at 35¢	39.90
2- Sam Lamb	104 " " 24¢	24.96
2- Tally Bilbo	81 " " 31½¢	19.06
2- W. A. Miller	77 " " "	24.06
2- Ernest Frierson	96 " " 24¢	23.04
2- John Howard	88 " " "	21.12
2- W. C. Reek	40 " " "	9.60
2- Earl Fleming	112 " " 28¢	31.36
3- H. E. Smith	4 Yds. Sand at 80¢	3.20
3- A. A. Stockstill	Parts for tractor	19.92
3- S. G. Adams	Street Signs	37.85
3- A. J. Read	Money paid for freight on signs	1.56

STREET PAVING:

L. N. Formby	Salary	25.00
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ACTING STREET COMMISSIONER

It being known that Dr. V. B. Martin, Street Commissioner, is at the present time, sick and unable to attend to his duties as Street Commissioner, a motion was made and duly carried that A. M. Martin be and he is hereby appointed to act in his place until the said V. B. Martin shall be able to resume the duties of said office.

ORDER TO RECESS

Further business appearing before the next regular meeting, a motion was made and carried that the Board do now recess until Friday April 23, 1937.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

L. N. Formby
Mayor

MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Miss., met in the City Hall in said City on Monday April 26th, 1937 at the hour of 8 O'Clock A. M., in answer to a written call for said meeting, as follows:

To A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Pearl River County, Mississippi:

You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune is called to meet at the City Hall in said City at 8 O'Clock A. M., on the 26th day of April, 1937. The object of said meeting is as follows:

- 1st- To decide the question, "Whether or not a building permit shall be granted for the construction of a new Picture show building, in the fire zone of the City of Picayune".

The City Marshal will execute and return the above notice instanter.

Attest:

A. J. Read
Clerk.

L. P. Hervey
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

Received the above call at 2 O'Clock P. M., on this the 24th day of April, 1937.

(Signed) A. G. Stewart, Marshal.

We, the undersigned Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Miss., hereby acknowledge service of the above call upon us personally at least three hours before the time of meeting and waive copy of the call.

(Signed) A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon.

Notice was served on the above Aldermen at least three hours before the time of meeting.

There were present at the time and place, all of the above named officials, together with the City Attorney. The meeting was opened and the call was read and after reading and analyzing the ordinance regulating building constructions within the fire zone of the City, a motion was made and carried ^{providing that} a permit shall be given for the construction of a New Picture Show Building, within said fire zone, providing that said building shall be constructed of brick or concrete.

There being no further business set forth in the above call, the Board adjourned.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

L. P. Hervey
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Tuesday May 4th, 1937, at the hour of 7:30 O'Clock P. M., it being the time and place for holding said meeting as provided by Ordinance. The following officials were present and participating: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, A. J. Read, Clerk, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. G. Stewart, Marshal.

The meeting was opened by the Marshal and the following proceedings were had:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of all meetings held during April were read and approved.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	80.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Alderman	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordon	" "	4.50
5- Mississippi Power Co.	Lights City Hall & Jail	5.55
6- Western Union	Telegram	.60
6- Dement Printing Company	Office Supplies	4.09
6- Interstate Printers Inc.	" "	2.35
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	30.60
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	10.00
9- Roosevelt Carter	Mowing Lawn	3.00
9- C. C. Smith Company	Lawn Mower	9.95
9- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Material for flag pole	3.84

II - JUDICIAL:

1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	50.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2- P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	90.00
2- A. A. Smith	" " "	90.00
6- Mississippi Power Co.	St. Lights, Siren & Signals	398.98
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary & Fees	42.50

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
2- Gulf Refining Company	Kerosene	6.16
3- County Health Department	Budget Appropriation	20.00

V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:

3- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Lawn Mower, Files, Etc.	20.67

VI - SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS:

1- Tate Insurance Agency, Inc.,	Bond Premium	5.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

1-A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2- Tally Bilbo	102 Hrs. at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ % less \$1.00 to Fact.	30.88
2- W. A. Miller	76 " " " Ditto	22.75
2- W. C. Reck	100 " " 24%	24.00
2- E. J. Puyper	120 " " 35% less \$1.00 to Fact.	41.00
2- Ernest Frierson	95 " " 24% Ditto	21.80
2- John Howard	95 " " " "	21.80
2- Sam Lamb	109 " " " "	25.16
2- Earl Fleming	104 " " 28% " "	28.12
2- Picayune Chamber Commerce	\$1.00 from Tally Bilbo, W.A. Miller, E.J. Puyper, E. Fleming, J. Howard, Sam Lamb & Ernest Frierson	7.00
3-Mississippi Power Co.	Barn Lights	1.31
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Material	39.51
3- A. A. Stockstill	Bolts purchased	3.44
3- A. A. Stockstill	Cement purchased	3.89

VIII - CONTINUED:

3- The Joseph Lay Co., Inc.	2 doz. street brooms	\$ 18.80
3- A. Lossett	Blacksmith work	3.70

STREET PAVING:

L. N. Formby	Salary	50.00
S. C. Jarrell	77 Hrs. at 50¢ using truck	38.50
A. C. Hyde	51 " " " Ditto	25.50
Cy Emery	144 " " " " Less Repairs	3.95
H. L. Pearson	30 Yds. Sand at 10¢	3.00
H. E. Smith	24 " " and 6 Yds. Road Gravel	24.60
Tourne's Garage	Repairs to truck & tractor	70.57
Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline	67.63
Carey-Reed Company	10,130 Gals. Asphalt	1,006.92
Thigpen-Whitfield Edw. Co.	Old Account	.65
A. B. Aikens	4 days use of road roller	20.00

ORDINANCE NO. 142

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE PRODUCTION AND SALE OF MILK AND CERTAIN MILK PRODUCTS IN THE CITY OF PICAYUNE, MISSISSIPPI.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, that the regulations of the State Board of Health entitled the "Production and sale of milk and certain milk products" as now promulgated and in force, or as may hereafter be amended, shall be and constitute the milk code of the City of Picayune.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of the Health Officer, his agents or assistants, to carry out and enforce the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 3. All milk sold or distributed in the City of Picayune shall be graded as provided for in the regulations of the Mississippi State Board of Health.

SECTION 4. If any section, provision, clause or part of this ordinance shall be declared to be unconstitutional or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole, nor any part or section thereof other than the particular section or clause so decided to be unconstitutional or invalid, as the remaining portions of this ordinance would have been passed by the Board of Aldermen of said City, if the unconstitutional or invalid section, sections, clauses or parts thereof had been elided by the said Board of Aldermen before the passage of this ordinance.

SECTION 5. That any person engaged in the production, preparation, sale, offer for sale, storage or distribution of milk, or certain milk products, as defined in the regulations of the Mississippi State Board of Health, or any person handling or having control of, or using any milk, milk product, milk container or receptacle, as described in said regulations, who shall violate any provision of this ordinance or any lawful rule or regulation of the Department of Health of the City of Picayune duly promulgated shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$50.00; provided, however, that the infliction of any fine or penalty upon the person so violating any provision of this ordinance shall not be held to abrogate, nullify, limit, or take away from the Department of Health, or the Health Officer the right to revoke any permit issued under the provisions of this ordinance. Each day's violation of any provision of this ordinance shall be a separate offense.

SECTION 6. That this ordinance shall be and constitute all the ordinances of the City of Picayune pertaining to the regulation, handling, and sale of milk in the City of Picayune and all ordinances and parts of ordinance in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 7. That this ordinance take effect, from and after its passage and publication, the matter being one of urgency and necessity and the public welfare requiring it.

The above ordinance was first reduced to writing, was read and considered by sections at a public meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, on the 4th day of May, 1937 and vote on its passage was as follows: ALDERMEN VOTING "AYE" A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams & H. E. Jordan.
ALDERMEN VOTING "NAY" None

Approved this the 4th day of May, 1937. (Signed) J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor
Pro-Tempore
Attest: A. J. Read, Clerk.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, have heretofore adopted a general ordinance providing that such new enterprises as enumerated in Section 3109 of the Code of Mississippi of 1930 may be exempted from

municipal advalorem taxation for a period of not exceeding five years when the provisions of said ordinance and the laws of the State of Mississippi, governing and controlling same, have been complied with; and

WHEREAS, Harry Krakauer, in compliance with said general ordinance and said laws has at the February, 1937, meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, filed with said Board his petition to be granted said exemption from municipal advalorem taxation on the property hereinafter described, and WHEREAS, said Board has found that said property comes within the provisions of said ordinance and the laws of the state of Mississippi governing said exemptions and has further found that said exemptions should begin as of December 31st, 1936;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, that Harry Krakauer, his successors and assigns be, and are hereby exempted from advalorem taxation by said City of Picayune for a period of five years from December 31st, 1936 to December 31st, 1941, on the following described property, provided said property is used during said period for the purposes enumerated in said general ordinance and the laws of the State of Mississippi governing said exemptions:

(1)

Blocks 66 and 67 of the Williams Goodyear Addition to the City of Picayune, Pearl River County, Mississippi, according to the plat of said addition now of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Pearl River County, Mississippi; and, also that portion of "J" Street between the aforesaid two blocks which was closed by ordinance adopted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, the same being the factory and grounds on which is now being erected a building by the inhabitants of Pearl River County, Miss., for the purpose of said petitioner and his associates operating a garment factory in said building and grounds.

(2)

Also any and all buildings and improvements placed upon said lands, which buildings and improvements are to be used as factories for the manufacture of clothing, or parts thereof, and particularly for the manufacture of shirts and other wearing apparel and garments such as pants and overalls.

(3)

Any and all ways, machinery, apparatus and appliances which may hereafter be installed in said building on said property and upon said land for the manufacturing purposes to be engaged in by said petitioner and his associates, and his successors and assigns; the manufacturing purposes to be engaged in by said petitioner after said building has been constructed and brought to the point where same is suitable for installation of machinery and for operation, to be the making of garments, particularly shirts, overalls, pants and similar articles of wear. The said building or factory will make clothing out of cotton goods and make parts of clothing.

Be it further ordered that the Clerk of this Board record this order in the Minute

Book, there being no other book kept for said purpose, and file a copy of same with the chairman of the Mississippi State Tax Commission and the State Auditor of Public Accounts, together with certified copies of the petition for said exemption.

Ordered this the 4th day of May, 1937, at a regular meeting of said Board.

The above and foregoing order was adopted by the following vote:

For the Resolution: G. H. Williams & H. E. Jordan.

Against the Resolution: A. M. Martin.

ORDER TO RECESS

Further business appearing before the next regular meeting, a motion was made and carried that the Board do now rise in recess until Monday, May 17th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock, P. M.

A. J. Lead
Clerk

H. E. Jordan
Mayor Pro-Tempore

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Monday May 17th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment. The following were present and participating: L. C. Crosby, Mayor, J. E. Dupont, Jr., A. L. Martin, G. H. Williams and E. E. Jordan, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved and ordered paid:

<u>I - ADMINISTRATIVE:</u>		
5- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Service & Tolls #5	\$ 9.05
9- Roosevelt Carter	Mowing Lawn	1.50
<u>III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:</u>		
6- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Fire Dept. Telephone	2.00
<u>IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:</u>		
1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
<u>VI - SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS:</u>		
1- Tate Insurance Agency	Insurance on vault	8.91
<u>VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:</u>		
2- Tally Bilbo	80 Hrs. at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢	25.00
2- W. A. Miller	80 " " "	25.00
2- E. J. Puyper	80 " " 35¢	28.00
2- Earl Fleming	96 " " 28¢	26.88
2- Ernest Frierson	80 " " 24¢	19.20
2- John Howard	80 " " "	19.20
2- W. C. Reck	80 " " "	19.20
2- Sam Lamb	8 " " "	1.92
2- A. C. Hyde	5 " " 50¢ Using Truck	2.50
3- Woodward-Tight & Co.	1 Dozen Shovels	17.50

ORDER TO RELIEVE TAX COLLECTOR AND ASSESSMENT ROLLS OF OBSOLETE TAXES

The City Clerk & Tax Collector presented a list of "Un-collectable" taxes for the taxable years 1932, 1933, 1934 and 1935; giving the reasons why said taxes were un-collectable and asked that he be relieved of the charges thereof and that said taxes be struck off the tax rolls. Whereupon the list as presented was examined by the Board after which a motion was duly made and carried ordering that the following taxes be and they are hereby struck off the assessment rolls, for the years and in the amounts as shown; and the City Clerk & Tax Collector is hereby relieved of the collection of same:

For Taxable Year 1932

<u>Receipt No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Personal</u>	<u>Real Estate</u>	<u>Reason charged off</u>
209	F. D. Robertson	\$.84		Gone
297	Sam Waters	.70		Erroneous
302	E. B. Wilkes	1.05		"
318	Alfred York	1.05		"
333	B. R. Crocket	3.01		Gone
407	Mrs. D. E. Sanderson	1.05		Paid in Union District
503	Mrs. R. H. Splers	1.40		Double assessed
656	King Emanuel	.20		Erroneous
757	W. M. Moss	1.05		Gone
876	O. L. Barrett	.35		Erroneous
911	John T. Covington	1.05		Gone
964	J. Z. Henley	1.40		Unknown
984	Jones Credit Jeweler	7.00		Dissolved - Gone
991	Will Kalin	1.05		Deceased
992	G. W. Kandrick	.14		Outside
997	Slaydon Lumpkin	1.40		Erroneous
1005	Bryant Lindsey	.35		Unknown
1021	J. Moody	.70		"
1039	J. W. Odom	.35		Gone
1050	Mrs. C. A. Pridgen	1.40		"
1072	Mrs. H. Randolph	1.05		"
1077	H. O. Reeves	4.20		"

For Taxable Year 1932, Continued

Receipt No.	Name	Personal	Real Estate	Reason Charged off
1102	C. E. Smith	\$ 1.05		Erroneous
1105	F. S. Smith	.70		"
1143	Sidney Sknard	.35		Unknown
1155	C. A. Varnado	.35		Erroneous
1156	L. N. Varnado	.35		Gone
1158	E. Vaught	.14		Unknown
1161	Lawrence White	.35		Gone
1166	John E. Watkins	.35		Erroneous
1177	Melvin Wheat	2.10		"
1179	Belton Watts	.14		"
1181	Mrs. J. E. Williams	2.10		Gone
1319	J. W. York, Jr.	2.10		"
1320	York Mercantile Company	1.05		Dissolved
564	Harry Hill		\$ 3.71	Double Assessed
572	Audith Davis		2.87	" "
583	Hence Brown		13.86	Erroneous
605	H. B. Boyd		4.20	"
635	Mrs. W. M. Stockstill		3.92	"
641	W. N. Adcox		1.52	"
652	S. G. Thigpen		.08	"

For Taxable Year 1933

2107	Am. Tung Oil Products Co.	\$ 3.50		Unknown
2114	J. C. Bannister	1.30		Gone
2125	J. C. Boatner	.50		Erroneous
2126	J. N. Bramlett	.50		Unknown
2132	J. C. Barney	.80		Gone
2133	M. E. Brumfield	1.30		Unknown
2134	Ellis A. Brown	2.00		Gone
2135	Lena Bolden	.50		Unknown
2137	Bill Boyd	1.50		"
2138	B. R. Crockett	4.00		Gone
2152	Oscar Ciraker	.50		Unknown
2158	Mrs. G. A. Colburn	.50		Gone
2159	E. D. Courtney	.50		Erroneous
2172	Armen O. Dabshon	4.50		Unknown
2174	W. A. Entrekin	.40		Erroneous
2175	Otis Evans	.50		"
2180	R. A. Fowler	3.00		"
2185	Mrs. Ethel Fagan	.50		Double Assessed
2185	R. H. Frierson	.80		Erroneous
2190	Farmers Supply Co.	10.00		Dissolved
2195	J. M. Fleniken	.50		Erroneous
2199	Mrs. Geo. M. Goings	1.00		Double Assessed
2200	W. H. Goodwin	2.00		Erroneous
2202	E. G. Griffin	2.00		Gone
2216	R. H. Harris	.50		Unknown
2227	R. O. Johnston	.50		Erroneous
2229	O. L. Johnson	.50		Unknown
2235	Guy E. Jones	3.50		Gone
2236	E. J. Jones	1.50		Erroneous
2241	Sally Kennedy	.50		"
2246	Mrs. J. H. Livingston	1.30		"
2247	Bryant Lindsey	.50		Unknown
2248	A. C. Lynd	.80		Gone
2252	Joe Miller	1.80		Erroneous
2253	W. M. Moss	1.30		Gone
2258	J. M. Martin, Jr.	2.00		Double Assessed
2263	W. L. Murray	.80		Erroneous
2264	Chas B. Manberg	1.30		Double Assessed
2267	C. G. Miller	.50		Unknown
2268	Mrs. W. L. Murphy	.50		"
2269	Mrs. C. L. Moody	2.00		"
2270	Ottis Mitchell	.50		Erroneous
2274	Murray Manning	.50		"
2275	E. Moore	.50		"
2279	C. M. Newton	2.00		Unknown
2280	P. P. Odom	.50		Double Assessed
2284	Joe Penton	.20		Erroneous
2297	Mrs. T. E. Pittman	3.50		"
2298	Dr. R. S. Plunkett	1.50		"
2303	Arthur Penton	1.30		"
2304	M. B. Parker	5.00		Gone
2307	A. C. Runnels	.50		Erroneous
2322	Z. E. Renfro	2.00		Unknown
2323	N. Rasmussen	3.50		Gone
2324	Jim Reeves	.50		Erroneous
2328	Dan Smith	3.50		Unknown
2329	John Smith	1.20		"
2330	Hugo Smith	.50		Erroneous

For Taxable Year 1933, Continued

Receipt No.	Name	Personal	Real Estate	Reason Charged Off
2332	S. F. Smith	\$.50		Erroneous
2343	Fine Sones	.50		"
2352	K. S. Smith	.40		Gone
2364	Julius Smiley	.50		Deceased
2365	Julius Sarpree	.80		Unknown
2366	J. S. Stewart	1.30		Erroneous
2368	L. A. Sweet	.50		Unknown
2370	C. R. Strickland	3.50		Gone
2371	Heber Smith	.80		"
2373	Mrs. L. M. Smith	.50		Unknown
2374	F. J. Thompson	.40		"
2375	Tozey Thigpen	.80		Erroneous
2378	L. Teddlie	2.00		Double assessed
2385	Elsie Taylor	.80		Erroneous
2387	Robert Trotter	.50		"
2390	L. N. Varnado	.60		Gone
2393	James Vandergriff	.50		Unknown
2394	H. B. White	1.50		Gone
2401	C. E. Walters	4.50		Deceased
2402	Mrs. J. E. Williams	3.50		Gone
2395	Melvin Wheat	1.80		Erroneous
2406	T. W. Wood	.50		"
2407	Archie Wheat	.50		"
2410	Thelma Walker	.50		Gone
2411	R. H. Walley	.50		Unknown
2412	Leo Willis	.50		Gone
2413	Sam Watkins	.50		Unknown
2417	Charley Williams	.20		"
2418	Alfred York	.80		Erroneous
2449	J. W. York, Jr.	8.50		Gone
2457	Phillip's Petroleum Corp.	.25		Erroneous
2461	W. K. Warren	.11		Unknown
2559	Hart Keys	.35		"
2582	O. W. Smith	.91		Double assessed
2563	Leo Whitfield	1.40		" "
2565	Belton Watts	.14		Erroneous
1619	Harry Hill		\$ 5.30~	Double Assessed
1330	Audith Davis		4.10~	" "
1653	Hence Brown		19.80~	Erroneous
1680	H. B. Boyd		6.00	Double Assessed
2530	Mrs. J. I. McGehee Brown		2.10~	" "
2533	Mrs. Wilmer M. Stockstill		6.86~	" "
2539	W. N. Adcox		2.66~	" "
2568	S. G. Thigpen		.14~	Erroneous

For 1934 Taxable Year

3019	Mrs. Edward Rowlands	\$ 4.37		Erroneous
3372	Cecil Davis	1.00		"
3614	J. C. Bannister	10.00		Gone
3616	J. L. Boatner	1.00		Erroneous
3621	A. L. Berry	1.88		Double Assessed
3653	D. Crane	.37		Erroneous
3663	D. T. Davis	1.00		"
3673	A. P. Fagan	1.25		"
3685	Picayune Dry Cleaners	6.25		Dissolved
3690	E. G. Griffin	1.87		Gone
3693	H. J. Hill	.62		Erroneous
3701	O. N. Herrington	.62		Gone
3709	General Electric Co.	.13		Erroneous
3710	G. E. Jopes	1.62		"
3720	Curtis Jones	.37		Unknown
3725	W. W. Janney	8.75		Gone
3729	S. Knard	1.00		Unknown
3743	S. Mellender	.63		Double Assessed
3744	W. L. Moss	1.00		Gone
3752	M. Mitchell	1.83		Erroneous
3753	C. G. Mitchell	2.50		Gone
3761	Joe Miller	1.88		"
3772	Picayune Auto Wrecking Co.	5.00		Dissolved
3777	T. E. Pittman	1.25		Erroneous
3790	James Rosenblum	8.75		Gone
3791	Mrs. James Rosenblum	1.75		"
3795	S. Rutherford	.63		Outside
3809	John P. Simmons	4.37		Gone
3810	S. Kendrick Smith	.50		"
3813	C. L. Smith	1.88		"
3817	J. D. Stockstill	.25		Erroneous
3818	Kiah Stockstill	.62		"
3824	Walter Stockstill	.87		"
3847	H. B. White	2.25		Gone

For Taxable Year 1934, Continued

Receipt No.	Name	Personal	Real Estate	Reason Charged Off
3849	Frank Williams	\$16.00		Gone
3850	Mrs. J. E. Williams	2.50		"
3855	A. D. McIntosh	2.50		"
3929	James Cameron	1.38		Erroneous
3933	B. G. Whitfield	2.50		Gone
3939	J. W. York Store	15.62		Dissolved
4038	B. C. Miles	.47		Outside
4039	Alfred Shaw	2.19		" "
4040	Arthur J. Wells	1.90		" "
4041	Leo Whitfield	1.90		" "
3195	H. B. Boyd		\$ 7.50 ✓	Erroneous

For Taxable Year 1935

4518	Mrs. Edward Rowlands	2.95		Erroneous
4857	E. H. Stevens, Jr.	2.95		"
5107	A. E. Bass	1.48		"
5122	L. L. Burns	8.85		Paid in Salem
5125	R. Bolden	.74		Unknown
5133	S. B. Casanova	.30		Erroneous
5153	H. C. Davis	.44		Unknown
5154	Cecil Davis	.74		Erroneous
5164	Harry Ellis	.74		Unknown
5173	J. E. Gardner	9.29		Gone
5174	R. E. Giles	8.85		Erroneous
5178	Harold Graves	7.38		Gone
5191	R. C. Hemphill	.44		Erroneous
5192	Dr. N. W. Hickman	7.38		Gone
5195	Jesse Hill	.74		Outside
5205	L. Hart	11.80		Unknown
5227	Hollis Lee	.44		Outside
5238	James Megehee	1.48		Double Assessed
5240	L. M. Miller	.59		Erroneous
5250	M. M. Moye	.44		Gone
5254	Marvin Mitchell	5.90		Erroneous
5274	Picayune Hotel	14.75		"
5276	Picayune Dry Cleaners	7.38		Dissolved
5305	H. Smith	.74		Outside
5311	S. Kendrick Smith	.59		Erroneous
5324	Walter Stockstill	1.18		"
5331	J. L. Summers	.74		"
5334	E. Sherman	1.48		Gone
5335	E. Swain	.44		Erroneous
5362	Mrs. J. E. Williams	2.95		Gone
5541	H. B. Algood	.20		Outside
5542	Burt Mitchell	.49		" "
4689	H. B. Boyd		\$ 8.85 ✓	Double Assessed

ALLOWANCE TO W. P. A.

At the written request of Mr. W. W. Sanders, Area Supervisor of Area #16 of the Works Progress Administration, a motion was duly made and carried ordering the allowance of \$25.00 to help defray expenses of the WPA office of said Area #16; And it is further ordered that said money shall be made payable to the said W. W. Sanders as WPA Area Supervisor, and shall be payable out of the General fund of the City of Picayune.

ORDER TO ADJOURN

No further business appearing before the next regular meeting it is ordered that the Board do now adjourn.

A. J. Read
Clerk.

Le Leroy
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it known that the Mayor and Board fo Aldemen of the City of Picayune, in the above County and State, met in the City Hall in said City Tuesday June 1st, 1937 at the hour of 7:30 O'Clock P. M., with the following officials present; J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, A. G. Stewart, Marshal and T. J. Weaver, City A.

The meeting was opened by the marshal and the following proceedings were had:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of all May meetings were read by the Clerk and there being no objections or corrections were declared approved as read.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

1- L. O. Grosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	80.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Alderman	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordon	" "	4.50
5- Mississippi Power Co.	Lights City Hall & Jail	6.01
6- The Picayune Item	5000 Warrants & Typewriter Ribbon	58.06
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	36.96
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	10.00
9- Roosevelt Carter	Mowing Lawn	3.00

II - JUDICIAL:

1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	50.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2- P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	90.00
2- A. A. Smith	" "	90.00
4- Southern Hotel & Cafe	Feeding Prisoners	3.00
5- Mississippi Power Co.	St.Lights, Siren & Signals	397.80
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary & Fees	41.00
4- Gulf Refining Company	Mosquito Dope	6.37

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Salary Garbage Removal	50.00
3- County Health Department	Budget Appropriation	20.00

V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:

3- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

1- A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2- Tally Bilbo	88 Hrs. at 31 1/2 less \$1000 To Fact.	26.50
2- W. A. Miller	88 " " " Ditto	26.50
2- E. J. Puyper	96 " " 35¢ "	32.60
2- Earl Fleming	96 " " 28¢ "	25.88
2- Ernest Frierson	88 " " 24¢ "	20.12
2- John Howard	88 " " " "	20.12
2- W. C. Reck	56 " " " "	13.44
2- Sam Lamb	32 " " " less \$1.00 To Fact.	6.88
3- McQueen's Service Station	Gasoline	8.75
3- A. A. Stockstill	Money paid for Machine Blade	2.00
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Material	170.65
3- Mississippi Power Co.	Barn Lights	1.21
3- A. Lossett	Blacksmith work	1.25
2- Picayune Chamber of Commerce	\$1.00 for T.Bilbo, W.A.Miller, E.J. Puyper, E.Fleming, E.Frierson, John Howard & Sam Lamb	7.00

STREET PAVING:

L. N. Formby	Balance Salary	25.00
S. C. Jarrell	56 Hrs. at 50¢ Using truck	28.00
V. B. McNabb	104 " " " " Less 85¢	51.15
Henry Smith	116 Yds. Sand at 20¢	23.20
Bert Wilkes	48 Hrs. at 50¢ Using truck	24.00
Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline	47.17
Standard Oil Company	Kerosene	109.09

ASSESSMENT REDUCED

Mr. R. D. Stockstill appeared before the Board registering a complaint on his assessment of two trucks and one passenger car, explaining that he only owned one truck and one passenger car. Whereupon, this fact being ascertained by the Board, a motion was made and carried to take one truck off the assessment of the said R. D. Stockstill which will make his personal assessment \$1000.00 instead of \$1700.00.

ORDER FOR MAYOR & CLERK TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS ON TRUCK

On motion duly made and carried it is ordered that the Mayor and City Clerk advertise for one 1½ ton truck equiped with cab and dump body, as follows:

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Public notice is hereby given that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Piquette, Mississippi, will receive sealed bids, up to 7:30 O'Clock P. M. on Tuesday July 6th, 1937, for purchase price of one truck described as follows:

New one&one-half ton truck, equiped with dual wheels, cab and 2½ cubic yard steel dump body. Body to hold 2½ cubic yards without any boards fastened at the top. Price wanted on gravity dump and also on hydraulic dump. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Witness our signatures this the 1st day of June, 1937.

A. J. Head
City Clerk.

J. J. Pro-Tempore
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

(SEAL)

STREET PAINT

On motion duly made and carried it is ordered that the City Clerk make inquiries as the price and quality of a better grade of street paint, or a street paint that will give better service and remain on the streets longer than the kind the City has used heretofore.

ORDER TO RECESS

Further business appearing before the next regular meeting, a motion was made and carried that the Board do now recess until Monday June 14th, 1937 at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M.

A. J. Head
City Clerk.

J. J. Pro-Tempore
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall in said City on Monday, June 14th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M., with the following officials present and participating: L. O. Crosby, Mayor, V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, A. M. Martin and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, City Clerk, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. G. Stewart, Marshal.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	\$ 50.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

2- Tally Bilbo	77 Hrs. at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢	24.06
2- W. A. Miller	77 " " "	24.06
2- E. J. Puyper	40 " " 35¢	14.00
2- Earl Fleming	88 " " 28¢	24.64
2- John Howard	72 " " 24¢	17.28
2- Ernest Frierson	77 " " "	18.48
2- Sam Lamb	40 " " "	9.60
2- E. B. Wilkes	45 " " "	10.80
SP- V. B. McNabb	56 " " 50¢ Using Truck	28.00
	ORDER TO ADJOURN	

There being no further business, a motion was made and carried that the Board do now adjourn.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

L. O. Crosby
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, in the above County and State, met in the City Hall in said City Tuesday, July 6th, 1937, at the hour of 7:30 O'Clock P. M., with the following members and officials in attendance: L. O. Crosby, Mayor, V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, A. G. Stewart, Marshal and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

The meeting was opened by the Marshal and the following proceedings were had:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of the meetings held in June were read by the Clerk and there being no objections or corrections, were declared approved as read.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

<u>I - ADMINISTRATIVE:</u>		
1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	80.00
3- V. B. Martin	2 Alderman	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordon	" "	4.50
4- Underwood Elliott Fisher Co.	Typewriter	89.56
5- Mississippi Power Company	Lights City Hall & Jail	5.71
5- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Service & Tolls #5	6.55
6- A. J. Read	Money paid for postage	5.00
6- A. J. Read	Money paid for C. O. D.- Office Supplies	6.98
6- H. K. Rouse	Recording deeds	4.45
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	30.86
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	10.00
9- Jake Woodward	Mowing Lawn	10.00
<u>II - JUDICIAL:</u>		
1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	50.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00
<u>III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:</u>		
1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2- P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	90.00
2- A. A. Smith	" " "	90.00
5- Mississippi Power Company	St. Lights, Siren & Signals	404.13
6- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Fire Department	2.00
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary, Fees & Food Allowance 4 dogs	44.10
<u>IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:</u>		
1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
3- County Health Department	Budget Appropriation	20.00
<u>V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:</u>		
2- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
<u>VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:</u>		
1- A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2- Tally Bilbo	83 Hrs. at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ Less \$1.00 to Factory	24.94
2- W. A. Miller	80 " " " Ditto	24.00
2- E. J. Puyper	96 " " 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	32.60
2- Earl Fleming	96 " " 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	25.88
2- John Howard	88 " " 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	20.12
2- Ernest Frierson	88 " " " "	20.12
2- Sam Lamb	42 " " " "	10.08
2- Charlie Miller	Salary Park Overseer	35.00
2- Picayune Chamber Commerce	\$1.00 for T. Bilbo, W. A. Miller, E. J. Puyper, E. Fleming, E. Frierson, John Howard	6.00
3- Mississippi Power Company	Lights for barn	1.13
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Materials	159.95
3- A. A. Stockstill	Supplies & Materials	163.85
3- A. Lossett	Blacksmith Work	14.10
3- T. S. Ross	Lumber	10.93
3- Davis Paint Company	7 Gallons street paint	15.50
3- Standard Supply & Hardware Co.	100 pounds pig lead	8.20
3- Hauck Mfg., Company	Flame Gun	15.60
2- A. J. Read	Freight paid	1.38
2- Fish-Am Service Station	Gasoline	7.88

STREET PAVING:

Bert Wilkes	80 Hrs. at 50¢ Using Truck	\$ 40.00
V. B. McNabb	72 " " " Ditto	36.00
S. C. Jarrell	32 " " " "	16.00
H. E. Smith	146 Yds. Sand at 20¢ per yard	29.20
Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline & Kerosene	45.37

ORDER TO COVER TILE

Mr. H. K. McKee appeared before the Board requesting that the City furnish and haul sufficient dirt to fill in a ditch in which he had placed tile, whereby he will have an outlet and inlet to his Garage. After a lengthy discussion a motion was made and carried that said request be complied with and the tile be covered with dirt as requested.

CEMENT FOR CONCRETING DITCH BOTTOM

On motion duly made and carried it is ordered that the City Shall furnish the cement on reworking the ditch that runs through the railroad park, in such a quantity that will be necessary for concreting the bottom of said ditch. This is granted in connection and in support of a W. P. A. project for reworking said ditch, which shall be done under the supervision of the State Board of Health.

BIDS ON TRUCK

This being the day and hour to receive sealed bids on purchase price of one truck, as per advertisement these minutes, page 115, the Board proceeded to open three bids that were on hand; one from each of the following concerns: Stevens Motor Company, Pearson Motor Company and Auto Sales Co., which said bids are now on file in the office of the City Clerk. However, after taking into consideration the price of either of the bids and ascertaining the balance of the Street fund of the City, it was decided that the financial condition of the City was such that would not warrant a purchase in that large sum, at this time. Therefore, a motion was made and carried that all of said bids be and they are hereby rejected.

COMMITTEE ON CLAIM OF DR. FOUNTAIN

A bill of \$54.31 having been submitted to the Board by Dr. N. W. Fountain claiming that damage in that amount was done to his garage by the City street crew digging a ditch so close to his garage that it was caused to fall in, a motion was made and carried that the Mayor appoint a committee to investigate said claim. Whereupon the following were appointed; G. H. Williams, H. E. Jordon and A. M. Martin.

ORDINANCE NO. 143

AN ORDINANCE CLOSING AND VACATING A CERTAIN PORTION OF FOURTH AVENUE OF THE WILLIAMS' GOODYEAR ADDITION TO THE CITY OF PICAYUNE, MISSISSIPPI.

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Picayune Municipal Separate School District have petitioned the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune to close and vacate that portion of East Fourth Avenue of the Williams' Goodyear Addition to said City, between the Eastern Boundary line of "M" Street extended, and the Eastern Boundary line of "L" Street extended, and

WHEREAS, the City of Picayune is the sole owner of all land abutting on said portion of East Fourth Avenue proposed to be closed and vacated, and

WHEREAS, said portion of said East Fourth Avenue has never been opened to the public and no one will be damaged by the closing and vacating of said portion of said East Fourth Avenue, and that it is to the best interest of the City, the public and Picayune Separate School District to vacate and close same in order that the land be used for school purposes.

NOW THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, that:-

SECTION 1. East Fourth Avenue lying between the Eastern Boundary of "M" Street extended and the Eastern Boundary of "L" Street extended of the Williams' Goodyear Addition to the City of Picayune, as shown on a plat of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Pearl River County, Mississippi, be, and the same is hereby vacated and closed as a part of a street of said City of Picayune.

SECTION 2. For good cause shown this ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

The foregoing ordinance was first reduced to writing, was read and considered section by section at a public meeting held on the 6th day of July, 1937, by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of said City, and vote on its passage was as follows: Voting "AYE" A. M. Martin, V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, G. H. Williams, H. E. Jordon. - - Voting "NAY" none.

Further business appearing before the next regular a motion was made and carried that the Board do now rise in recess until Friday July 16th, 1937 at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock, P. M. *L. B. Jordon*

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall Friday, July 16th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment. The following officials were present: L. O. Crosby, Mayor, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, City Clerk, A. G. Stewart, Marshal & T. J. Weaver, City Atty.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following allowances were approved and ordered paid:

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell Garbage Removal \$50.00

VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

2- Tally Bilbo	73 Hrs. At 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢	22.81
2- W. A. Miller	97 " " "	30.31
2- E. J. Puyper	102 " " 35¢	35.70
2- Earl Fleming	88 " " 28¢	24.64
2- John Howard	97 " " 24¢	23.28
2- Ernest Frierson	89 " " "	21.36

STREET PAVING:

Claudie Stockstill	28 Hrs. At 24¢	6.72
Bert Wilkes	72 " " 50¢ Using Truck	36.00
V. B. McNabb	72 " " " " "	36.00
H. E. Smith	226 Yds. Sand @ 20¢ & 10 Yds. Gravel @ 50¢	50.20

ORDER TO OPEN STRIP CONNECTING 3RD AVENUE

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that "East Third Avenue" as shown on the R. J. Williams Goodyear Addition to Picayune, be extended and opened from "O" Street of said plat running West to "H" street of said plat. It is further ordered that work on opening said street shall not begin until all deeds for the right-of-way thereof are filed with the City Clerk.

ORDER TO EXTEND "O" STREET

A motion was made and carried that the street designated on the plat of R. J. Williams' Goodyear Addition, as "O" street, be extended in a Northerly direction, for a distance to be specifically set forth in a deed to the City for the right-of-way thereof, and that a bridge over a small branch, which will be necessary to cross in extending said street, shall be constructed out of the trees cut from said right-of-way. It is further ordered that work shall not commence on said street until the deed for the right-of-way is filed with the City Clerk.

ACTING STREET COMMISSIONER

In the absence of Dr. V. B. Martin, Street Commissioner, A. M. Martin was unanimously elected to act in his stead and shall assume all the duties of said office until the said Dr. Martin shall return.

CLAIM OF DR. N. W. FOUNTAIN

The committee appointed to investigate the claim of Dr. N. W. Fountain reported to the Board recommending that 50% of said claim be allowed and stating that in their opinion this amount would fully cover the amount of damage done to the garage of said claimant. Whereupon a motion was made and carried that Dr. N. W. Fountain be and he is hereby allowed 50% of his claim of \$54.31, or a net amount of \$27.16, on condition that he shall sign a release relieving the City of any further liability.

ORDER TO ADJOURN

No further business appearing it is ordered that the Board do now adjourn until it's next regular meeting.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

L. O. Crosby
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall Tuesday August 2nd, 1937 at the hour of 7:30 P. M., with the following officials present: L. O. Crosby, Mayor, J.E. DuPont, Jr., A.M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordan, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, A. G. Stewart, Marshal and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

The meeting was declared open by the marshal and the following proceedings were had:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of meetings held in July were read by the Clerk and there being no objections or corrections, were declared approved as read.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	80.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Alderman	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordan	" "	4.50
4- A. J. Read	Money paid for fixing rope in flag pole	5.00
5- Mississippi Power Company	Lights City Hall & Jail	5.10
5- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Service & Tolls #5	6.25
6- A. J. Read	Money paid for stamps	5.00
6- Dement Printing Company	Supplies	5.36
6- The Multistamp Company	"	7.07
6- The Picayune Item	envelopes	13.88
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	33.12
9- Elvis Frierson	Mowing Lawn	2.00
9- Jake Woodward	" "	8.00
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	10.00

II - JUDICIAL:

1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	50.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00
3- The Picayune Item	Receipt Books	6.50

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

1- A.G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2- P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	90.00
2- A. A. Smith	" " "	90.00
5- Mississippi Power Company	St. Lights, Siren & Signals	399.25
5- Jesse Megehee	Repairing Whiteway	2.00
6- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Fire Department	2.00
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary & Food Allowance	43.20

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
3- County Health Department	appropriation	20.00

V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:

3- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetery Sexton	20.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

1- A.A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2- Tally Bilbo	16 Hrs. @ 40¢ & 7 1/2 Hrs. @ 27 1/2¢ less \$1.00	25.20
2- W. A. Miller	84 Hrs. @ 27 1/2¢ less \$1.00 to Factory	22.80
2- E. J. Puyper	49 Hrs. @ 40¢ & 40 Hrs. @ 27 1/2¢ less \$1.00	29.60
2- Earl Fleming	103 Hrs. @ 27 1/2¢ less \$1.00 to Factory	27.60
2- John Howard	80 " " " Ditto	21.00
2- Ernest Frierson	88 " " " "	23.20
2- Sam Lamb	Salary Watching Barn	10.00
2- Charlie Miller	Salary Park Overseer	35.00
3- A. C. Hyde	3 1/2 Yds. Dirt at 20¢	62.40
3- Jesse wheat	Drayage	5.00
3- Shell Petroleum Corp.	Oil & Grease	42.52
3- Pearson Motor Company	Gasoline	8.63
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Company	Supplies & Material	11.31
3- Mississippi Power Company	Lights for barn	1.00
3- A. Lossett	Blacksmith work	.75
2- Picayune Chamber of Commerce	\$1.00 for T. Bilbo, W. A. Miller, E. J. Puyper, E. Frierson, Earl Fleming & John Howard	6.00

STREET PAVING:

Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline & Kerosene	\$92.21
Tourne's Garage	Labor	2.30
Cornell-Young Company	7 days use of roller	35.00
Bert Wilkes	3 1/2 Hrs. at 50¢ Using truck	16.00
T. J. Lenoir	36 " " " " "	18.00
V. B. McNabb	7 1/2 " " " " "	36.00

REDUCTION IN ASSESSMENT

It appearing to the Board that the personal assessment of Toxie Pigott on two new cars, is erroneous and known to be such, said cars being, one a 1934 model and the other a 1932 model, a motion was therefore made and carried reducing said assessment, making the 1934 model \$300.00 and the 1932 model \$100.00, which in all will reduce said assessment on the tax roll from a total of \$800.00 to a total of \$400.00.

VACATION FOR MARSHALS

A motion was duly made and carried allowing Mr. A. G. Stewart, Marshal, a weeks vacation and it is further ordered that one of the Night Marshals shall relieve him. It is also ordered that after the return of the day marshal, each Night Marshal shall be allowed one week off at different time, one relieving the other.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED ON TRAFFIC AROUND SCHOOLS

A committee from the womans' Club appeared before the Board requesting some action with reference to the traffic situation around the City Schools, more especially West Side Grammar School at noon time when the traffic was congested coming from the factory and the Goodyear mill, whereupon the following committee was appointed to work with the committee from the womans' Club in an effort to devise some effective way of controlling said traffic: J. E. DuPant, Jr., A. M. Martin and H.E. Jordon.

CITY HALL PROJECT

The question of building a new City Hall under a project already submitted to the works Progress Administration, came up at this time and after a lengthy discussion a motion was made and carried approving said project as submitted, and ordering work to commence as soon as possible. It is further ordered that the Board will recommend a superintendent for said project at the mid-month meeting.

ORDER TO TAKE LIGHT OUT AT HOSPITAL

It was brought to the attention of the Board that the light, situated in the center of Canal Street near the hospital and where Martin Street intersects Canal Street, has been out of commission for some time. Therefore, a motion was made and carried that said light be removed.

ORDER TO REPAIR SIDEWALK

A motion was made by H. E. Jordon and duly carried that the sidewalk in front of Graves' 5 and 10¢ Store and Odorless Cleaners, be changed and fixed to where it would have a more general slope than the sudden rise as now appears in said walk.

WHERE THE CITY FURNISHES TILE

On motion made by H. E. Jordon, seconded by G. H. Williams and duly carried, it is ordered that hereafter all tile furnished by the City on a fifty-fifty basis with the property owner, shall have to be approved by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, and that an application for each person desiring tile on this basis, must be filed with the City Clerk, in writing, before it can come up for approval or rejection.

TRANSFER

On motion duly made and carried, it ordered that the sum of \$2,673.44 be transferred from the

General Improvement Fund to the Street Fund, paying back money spent from said fund for General Improvement purposes.

ORDER TO RECESS

Further business appearing before the next regular meeting, it is ordered that the Board do now recess until Friday August 6th, 1937 at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. E. DuPont
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen met in the City Hall according to their recessing order of August 3, 1937, on this the 6th day of August, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M., with the following present: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-tem, A.M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, A. A. Smith, Marshal and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

The Board met for the specific purpose of discussing the City Hall W. P. A. Project, and after taking all angles of the project into question and examining the plans and specifications, it was decided that no action would be taken with reference to changing said plans but that they would be accepted as originally proposed and drawn. It was further decided that the selection of a Superintendent will be postponed until the mid-month meeting.

ORDER TO RECESS

A motion was made and carried that the Board do now rise in recess until Monday August 16th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock, P.M.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. E. DuPont
Mayor Pro-Tem.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall Monday, August 16th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment. The following members of said Board and officers of said City were present: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-tempore, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, A. G. Stewart, Marshal and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following allowances were approved for payment:

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

Gole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	\$50.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

2- Tally Bilbo	39 Hrs. @ 40¢ & 40 Hrs. @ 27½¢	26.60
2- W. A. Miller	79 " " 27½¢	21.73
2- Ernest Frierson	78 " " "	21.45
2- John Howard	78 " " "	21.45
2- Earl Fleming	96 " " "	26.40
2- V. B. McNabb	40 " " 75¢ Using Truck	30.00

PERSONAL ASSESSMENT ROLLS

On motion duly made and carried it is ordered that the personal assessment as copied by the City Clerk & Tax Collector, from the County assessment rolls, for the City of Picayune and the Picayune Municipal Separate School District outside the Municipality, for the taxable year 1937, be and the same are hereby received and ordered filed until the date hereinafter set for the equalization of said Tax Rolls.

ORDER TO EQUALIZE 1937 PERSONAL ASSESSMENT ROLLS

The Personal Assessment Roll for the taxable year 1937, for the City of Picayune, Mississippi, both in the Municipality and in the Separate School District outside the Municipality, having been presented by the City Clerk & Tax Collector, showing that he has made a copy of the County Personal Assessment Roll, as the law requires, covering all personal property in the Municipality of Picayune, and in the Picayune Separate School District outside the Municipality, with the exception of such property of public service corporations, which property is assessed by the Mississippi State Tax Commissioners and other taxing authorities, and said roll appearing to be a true and correct copy of the County Assessment Roll,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Pearl River County, Mississippi, that said assessment for the taxable year 1937, be filed, subject to the revision of all valuations of personal property thereon and such additional property that might have escaped taxation here-to-fore.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that notice be published and posted as required by law, for ten (10) full days, addressed to the Taxpayers of the Municipality and of the Separate School District outside the Municipality, of the intention of the Board to correct and revise the said Assessment Rolls, at a regular meeting of the said Mayor and Board of Aldermen, to be held in the City Hall at 7:30 O'Clock P. M., Tuesday, September 7th, 1937.

Done in regular recess session of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Pearl River County, Mississippi, this the 16th day of August, 1937.

N O T I C E

TO THE TAX PAYERS OF THE CITY OF PICAYUNE AND THE PICAYUNE SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT OUTSIDE THE MUNICIPALITY, REVISION OF 1937 PERSONAL ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR THE CITY OF PICAYUNE AND PICAYUNE SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT OUTSIDE THE MUNICIPALITY

Public Notice is hereby given that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Pearl River County, Mississippi, will at a regular meeting of said Mayor and Board of Aldermen, to be held in the City Hall in said City at 7:30 O'Clock P. M., Tuesday, September 7th, 1937, take up the revision of the 1937 Personal Assessment Rolls of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, and the Picayune Municipal Separate School District outside the Municipality, and that Tax Payers may appear before the Board and make objections to any increase or decrease in valuation of property assessed for taxation.

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said City of Picayune, Mississippi, will sit from day to day until the entire personal roll has been revised.

Witness our signatures this the 16th day of August, 1937.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. G. Long
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

SCHOOL BUDGET ACCEPTED

On motion duly made and carried it is ordered that the School Budget as presented by the Supt., and Trustees of the City Schools, for the fiscal year beginning July 1st, 1937 and ending June 30th, 1938, be, and the same is hereby approved and accepted.

SUPERVISOR OF CITY HALL PROJECT

It being known that Mr. W. W. Sanders, Area Engineer of the Works Progress Administration in this area, has requested that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen recommend a Superintendent for the erection of a new City Hall Building, a motion was duly made and carried naming W. W. Watts of this City as their recommendation, and it is further ordered that the City Clerk notify Mr. Sanders of this recommendation.

ORDER TO RECESS

Further business appearing before the next regular meeting a motion was made and carried that the Board do now rise in recess until Wednesday Evening, August 18th, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. G. Long
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall, Wednesday Evening August 18th, 1937, at the hour of seven O'Clock, with the following officers present and participating: J. I. DuFont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, A. G. Stewart, Marshal, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and H. M. Frierson, City Pound Keeper.

ORDINANCE NO. 144

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING THAT ALL UNMUZZLED DOGS RUNNING AT LARGE IN THE CITY OF PICAYUNE, SHALL BE IMPOUNDED IF NOT TOO WILD TO BE CAUGHT, OR IF TOO WILD TO BE CAUGHT, SHALL BE KILLED.

WHEREAS it is known to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, that a dog has gone mad and rabies now exists among the dogs in said City; that two people have already been bitten and the entire population of said City is endangered by this existing condition, now therefore

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, that;

SECTION 1. All unmuzzled dogs running at large in said City, shall be impounded by the Pound Keeper, if not too wild to be caught, or if too wild to be caught, shall be killed by the Marshal, Police Officer or Pound Keeper of said City.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions hereof are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that for good cause shown, this being a case of emergency, this ordinance shall be in force and effect from and immediately after the date of its passage.

The foregoing ordinance was first reduced to writing, was read and considered section by section at a public meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, held on the 18th day of August, 1937, and vote on its passage was as follows:

Aldermen voting AYE, V. B. Martin, H. E. Jordon, A. M. Martin.

Aldermen voting NAY, None.

Approved this the 18th day of August, 1937.

Attest:

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. I. DuFont, Jr.
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

ORDER TO ADJOURN

No further business appearing before the next regular meeting a motion was made and carried that the Board do now adjourn.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. I. DuFont, Jr.
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN

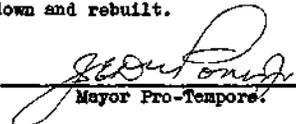
Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Miss., met in the City Hall in said City on Wednesday September 1st, 1937, at the hour of 8:00 O'Clock A. M., in answer to a written call for said meeting, as follows:

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

TO: - H. E. Jordan, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin and G. H. Williams, Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi.

You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune is called to meet at the City Hall in said City at 8:00 O'Clock A. M., on the 1st day of September, 1937. The object of said meeting is as follows:

- 1 - To designate a meeting place of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen during the period of time the City Hall is being torn down and rebuilt.

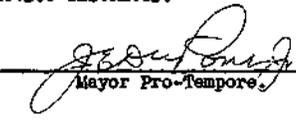


Mayor Pro-Tempore.

The City Marshal will execute and return the above notice instanter.

Attest: 

City Clerk.



Mayor Pro-Tempore.

Received the above Call at Two O'Clock P. M., on this the 31st day of August, 1937.

City Marshal.

We, the undersigned Aldermen of the City of Picayune hereby acknowledge service of the above call upon us personally at least three hours before the time of meeting and waive copy of the call.

(Signed) V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin, H. E. Jordan.

I have served notice on the above Aldermen at least three hours before the time of said meeting.

City Marshal.

There were present at the time and place, all of the above named officials, including J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, A. J. Read, Clerk and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney. The meeting was opened and the call was read, and the following ordinance was adopted, to-wit:

ORDINANCE NO. 145

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR A MEETING PLACE OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PICAYUNE AND DESIGNATING THE "OLD PEARL RIVER COUNTY BANK BUILDING" AS THE OFFICIAL CITY HALL OF SAID CITY.

WHEREAS the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Miss., has ordered the present City Hall torn down in order to erect a new City Hall on the same premises, and whereas it is necessary to provide and designate a place of meeting for the Mayor and Board of Aldermen and the transaction of the City's business until such time as the new City Hall Building is ready for occupancy, and

WHEREAS the tax payers of the City of Picayune and the Picayune Separate School District have been officially notified that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen will meet at the City Hall, in said City on Tuesday, September 7th, 1937, for the purpose of equalizing the personal assessment rolls of said City and said Separate School District, therefore,

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Miss., that the building located on land described as "Commencing at the N. W. Cor., of Square 'H' of J. W. Simmons' Sub-Division to the Town of Picayune and run thence Easterly along and parallel with the South line of Canal Street, a distance of 265 feet to a point 193 feet west of the N. E. Cor., of Lot 1 of Square 'H' to a place of beginning; thence in a southerly direction at right angles 91 feet; thence in an easterly direction parallel with the south line of Canal Street 30 feet; thence in a northerly direction at right angles with said Canal Street 91 feet; thence in a westerly direction along and parallel with said Canal Street 30 feet to place of beginning", and known as the "Old Pearl River County Bank

Building", be, and the same is hereby declared to be the official City Hall and meeting place of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen and for the transaction of all official business of the City of Picayune until further orders of this Board.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that for good cause shown, this ordinance be in force from and after its passage.

The foregoing ordinance was first reduced to writing, read and considered section by section and passed at a special meeting of said Board, legally called and held for said purpose at the City Hall in said City of Picayune on September 1st, 1937. The vote on its passage being as follows:

Aldermen voting AYE, V. B. Martin, H. E. Jordan, A. M. Martin

Aldermen voting NAY, None.

Absent and not voting, C. H. Williams.

Approved this the 1st day of September, 1937.

Attest:

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. B. Fong
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

There being no further business set forth in said written call, the Board does therefore adjourn.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. B. Fong
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the "Old Pearl River County Bank Building, it being used as a temporary City Hall, on the 7th day of September, 1937, at the hour of 7:30 O'Clock P. M., it being the time and place designated by law and ordinance for holding said meeting. The following officials were present and participating: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, V. B. Martin, H. E. Jordon and G. H. Williams, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, A. G. Stewart, Marshal and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

The meeting was opened by the Marshal and the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of all meetings held during the month of August was read by the Clerk and there being no objections or corrections, were approved as read.

BILLS ALLOWED

On motion duly made and carried the following bills and allowances were approved and ordered paid:

I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	80.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Aldermen	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordon	" "	4.50
4- H. E. Jordon	Plumbing	1.50
5- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone City Hall	9.20
5- Mississippi Power Company	Lights City Hall & Jail	4.90
6- The Picayune Item	Stationary	2.29
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	36.14
9- Picayune Supply Company	Janitor supplies	.67
9- Viola Woodward	Salary & extra Work	17.00
9- Jake Woodward	Mowing Lawn	10.00
9- A. J. Read	Refunding money paid for window cleaner	1.95
4- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Rope for flag	.87

II - JUDICIAL:

1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	50.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00
3- L. E. Tate	Witness Fee	1.00
3- Hillery Odom	" "	1.00

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2- P. I. Graves	Ditto	90.00
2- A. A. Smith	"	90.00
4- Southern Service Station	Feeding prisoners	6.60
5- Mississippi Power Company	St. Lights, Siren & Signals	398.48
6- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies	4.94
6- M. S. Vaughn	Moving Siren Button	10.00
6- L. W. Neal	Drayage	1.00
6- Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone #16	2.00
7- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies	2.15
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary & fees	41.50

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
3- County Health Department	Budget appropriation	20.00

V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:

2- Hewt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

1- A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2- Tally Bilbo	24 Hrs. at 40¢, 49 hrs. at 27½¢ less Fact. \$1.00-22.08	
2- W. A. Miller	96 Hrs. at 27½¢ Less \$1.00 to Factory	25.40
2- E. J. Puyper	16 Hrs. at 40¢, 80 hrs. @ 27½¢ less Fact \$1.00	27.40
2- Ernest Frierson	96 Hrs. at 27½¢ Less \$1.00 to Factory	25.40
2- John Howard	96 " " " Ditto	25.40
2- Earl Fleming	104 " " " "	27.60
2- Claudie Stockstill	27 " " " "	7.43
2- John P. Russ	19 " " " "	5.23
2- Jim Shaw	16 " " " "	4.40

VIII - CONTINUED:

2- Cal Parker	16 Hrs. at 27 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢	\$ 4.40
2- John Mitchell	16 " " "	4.40
2- Melton Pittman	64 " " 40¢ Using Mule	25.60
2- Robert Jones	5 " " 27 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢	1.38
2- V. B. McNabb	37 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds. gravel @ 75¢, 15 hrs. @ 75¢, 8 hrs. @ 50¢	43.38
2- Shelby Smith	20 Yds. Gravel @ 75¢	15.00
2- Claudie Stockstill	8 " " " "	6.00
2- A. C. Hyde	15 " Dirt " 20¢	3.00
2- Bert Wilkes	19 Hrs. @ 75¢ using truck	14.25
2- Sam Lamb	Salary Watching Barn	10.00
2- Charlie Miller	28 days Park Overseer at \$35.00 per month	24.84
2- J. Mizell Davis	9 " " " " " " " "	10.16
2- Picayune Chamber of Commerce	\$1.00 for T. Bilbo, W. A. Miller, E. J. Puyper E. Fleming, Ernest Frierson, John Howard	6.00
3- H. E. Smith	57 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds. gravel at pit, @ 25¢	14.38
3- R. E. Laird	Hauling	.90
2- Dave Lanier	49 Hrs. @ 24¢	11.76
3- Robert Baylous	Water Rent at barn for 1 year	10.00
3- Canal Street Service Station	Gasoline	6.30
3- A. L. Sprole	Gasoline	12.58
3- Mississippi Power Company	Lights for barn	1.02
3- T. S. Ross	Lumber	12.60
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hdw. Co.	Supplies & Material	43.56
3- A. Lossett	Blacksmith Work	5.10
3- A. A. Stockstill	Money paid for grass blades	3.88
3- Tourne's Garage	Pulling up concrete block	1.02
3- R. B. Tyler Company	577 gallons asphalt	57.06
2- S. C. Jarrell	Issuing Street Tax Summons	51.00

CITY HALL:

A. J. Read	Auto expense, 275 miles @ 5¢ plus 40¢, 1 meal	14.15
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NOT BUDGETED:

City Drug Store	Flowers	10.20
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CHANGE IN SAFETY COMMITTEE

Referring to a Safety Committee as appointed and recorded these minutes, page 121, Mayor Pro-Tem. J. E. DuPont appointed V. B. Martin, Street Commissioner to serve on said committee in his stead, stating that the Street Commissioner was not present when the committee was originally made up and since he is back on duty he feels that this kind of work should be handled under the supervision of the street commissioner.

CITY TO SPONSOR SEWING ROOM PROJECT

Mr. E. H. Stevens, President of the Board of Supervisors of Pearl River County, appeared before the Board with a request that the City of Picayune, jointly with the City of Poplarville, sponsor what is called "A Sewing Room Project". Mr. Stevens explained that the project would require the sponsors to put up only \$250.00, and that in small amounts over a period of six months, but that the Board of Supervisors were unable to appropriate any more money for sponsorship, for the reason that they had already obligated themselves for the maximum amount they were allowed to spend for purposes of this kind. Whereupon, the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, realizing that said project will greatly benefit Picayune and Pearl River County by furnishing employment and also furnishing clothing to the needy, agreed to join with the City of Poplarville as Sponsor, and a motion was made by H. E. Jordan, seconded by V. B. Martin and duly carried, providing that the said City of Picayune shall act as co-sponsor of said project and shall put up their part of the \$250.00, as needed, and as pro-rated according to the number of workers employed in the City of Picayune.

CORRECTION

It appearing to the Board that an error of \$250.00 was made when transferring the totals of the 1936 Real Estate Rolls to the Minute Book, and this fact being known to the Board, a motion was made and carried changing said figures on the Minute Book from \$727,015.00 to \$726,725.00, thereby agreeing with the total of the recapitulation of said Assessment Roll.

DAMAGE TO DR. FOUNTAIN'S GARAGE

With further reference to a claim in the sum of \$54.31 submitted by Dr. N. W. Fountain for damages done to his garage by the City Street Crew, it appearing that Dr. Fountain is willing to settle with the City, compromising the claim for the amount of \$35.80, a motion was therefore made and carried allowing said amount of \$35.80 in full settlement of said claim. It is further ordered that in as much as the property is in the name of Mrs. N. W. Fountain, the City Attorney shall prepare a release to be signed by her and that the warrent shall be made payable in her name.

ORDER TO EQUALIZE THE PERSONAL ASSESSMENT ROLLS FOR 1937

This being the day and hour fixed according to legal notice these minutes, pages 123 & 124, to the Tax Payers of the City of Picayune and the Picayune Municipal Separate School District outside the Municipality, of the revision of the 1937 Personal Assessment Roll for the City of Picayune and the Picayune Municipal Separate School District outside the City, for the taxable year 1937, and there being present at this meeting the aforementioned members of the Board of Aldermen and officers of the said City of Picayune, and the meeting having been opened according to law, and it appearing that the proper notices to the Tax Payers have been published and posted according to law, and that this Board now finds that the Notice, as hereinafter set forth, was posted in five or more public and conspicuous places in the said City of Picayune and the Picayune Separate School District outside the City, one of which was at the front door of the City Hall, all posted by A. G. Stewart, City Marshal in and for the City of Picayune, where they remained posted for more than ten days before this date and until the day and hour, and including the time of this meeting, and the Board further finds that the said Notice was published in the Picayune Item, a weekly newspaper in the City of Picayune and having a general circulation therein, for more than 10 full days prior to the date of this meeting, which notice appeared, as posted and published, in the following form, words, figures and characters, to-wit:

N O T I C E

TO THE TAX PAYERS OF THE CITY OF PICAYUNE AND THE PICAYUNE SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
OUTSIDE THE MUNICIPALITY, REVISION OF 1937 PERSONAL ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR THE CITY
OF PICAYUNE AND PICAYUNE SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT OUTSIDE THE MUNICIPALITY

Public Notice is hereby given that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Pearl River County, Mississippi, will at a regular meeting of said Mayor and Board of Aldermen, to be held in the City Hall in said City at 7:30 O'Clock P. M., Tuesday, September 7th, 1937, take up the revision of the 1937 Personal Assessment Rolls of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, and the Picayune Municipal Separate School District outside the Municipality, and that Tax Payers may appear before the Board and make objections to any increase or decrease in valuation of property assessed for taxation.

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said City of Picayune, Mississippi, will sit from day to day until the entire personal roll has been revised.

Witness our signatures this the 16th day of August, 1937.

(Signed) A. J. Read, City Clerk.

(Signed) J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem.

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
PEARL RIVER COUNTY

Personally appeared before me, May Pearl Thornhill, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, J. R. Furr, Publisher of THE PICAYUNE ITEM, a weekly newspaper published in the City of Picayune, said County and State, who says on that the publication, a true copy of which is hereto attached, as a part hereof, appeared in the issues of said paper as follows:

Volume	Number	Date
21	33	August 19, 1937
21	34	August 26, 1937

Volume 21	Number 35	Date September 2, 1937	(Copy of Notice) ((Pasted Here)
	101 words @ 4 cts.	\$4.04	
	Making affidavit and Proof	\$.50	
	Total	\$4.54	

(Signed) J. R. Furr, Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 3rd day of September, 1937

(Signed) May Pearl Thornhill, Notary Public.
My Commission expires May 29, 1940.

(Notary Seal)

Filed September 3rd, 1937.
(Signed) A. J. Read, City Clerk.

RETURN AND AFFIDAVIT FROM MARSHAL

I, A. G. Stewart, Marshal in and for the City of Picayune have executed the within writ and Notice to Tax Payers by posting five (5) or more, true and correct copies in the said City of Picayune, one of which was posted at the Front Door of the City Hall, and all other copies were posted in public and conspicuous places in the said City of Picayune and in the Picayune Separate School District outside the City.

Witness my signature this the 18th day of August, 1937.

(Signed) A. G. Stewart, Marshal.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER,
CITY OF PICAYUNE.

Personally appeared before me, A. J. Read, Clerk of the City Police Court of the City of Picayune and ex-officio a Notary Public in and for said City, the within named A. G. Stewart, who being sworn by me says on oath that he is the City Marshal of the said City of Picayune, in said County and State, and as such officer he posted five true and correct copies of the aforementioned Notice, in five public and conspicuous places in the City of Picayune and in the Picayune Separate School District outside the City Limits; one of which was posted at the front door of the City Hall.

Affiant further deposes and saith that the said Notices remained posted for more than ten full days, and are as yet posted, up to and including the time and date of this affidavit.

City Marshal.

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the City of Picayune, this the 7th day of September, 1937.

Clerk Police Court.

The above and foregoing Notice to Tax Payers, Proof of Publication and Return and Affidavit from Marshal, being examined by the Board and found to be made, posted, published and recorded in due form, and in accordance with "Order to Equalize 1937 Personal Assessment Roll", these minutes, Page 123, this Board does therefore adjudge that they do now proceed with the fixing of values on Personal Property assessed on said Rolls for taxation.

Ordered and adjudged this the 7th day of September, 1937

The Board proceeded with the fixing of values on the Personal Property of the Assessment Roll, now determines that same is not complete, does now rise in recess until Seven O'Clock Wednesday Evening, September 8th, 1937, to proceed further with said work of revision, correction and equalization. IT IS SO ORDERED.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. E. DuPont, Jr.
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall in said City Wednesday, September 8th, 1937, at the hour of Seven O'Clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, with the following officials present and participating: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem H. E. Jordan, A. M. Martin and G. H. Williams, Aldermen, A. J. Read, City Clerk, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. A. Stockstill, City Engineer.

The Board proceeded with the fixing of values on the 1937 Personal Tax Roll, now determines that same is not complete, does now rise in recess until Thursday Evening, Sept., 9, 1937, at the hour of

Seven O'Clock, to proceed further with said work of revision, correction and equalization.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. E. DuPont, Jr.
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Thursday, September 9, 1937, at the hour of Seven O'Clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, with the following present and participating: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. A. Stockstill City Engineer.

The Board proceeded with the fixing of values on the 1937 Personal Tax Roll, now determines that same is not complete, does now rise in recess until Friday September 10, 1937, at the hour of Eight O'Clock A. M., to proceed further with said work of revision, correction and equalization.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. E. DuPont, Jr.
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Friday, September 10, 1937, at the hour of Eight O'Clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment, with same members of said Board and officers of said City in attendance as on yesterday.

The Board proceeded with the fixing of values on the 1937 Personal Tax Roll, now determines that same is not complete, does now rise in recess until Saturday, September 11, 1937 at the hour of Eleven Forty-Five A. M., to proceed further with said work of revision, correction and equalization.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. E. DuPont, Jr.
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Saturday, September 11, 1937, at 11:45 O'Clock A. M. with the same attendance as that of yesterday.

The Board proceeded with the fixing of values on the 1937 Personal Tax Roll, now determines that same is not complete, does now rise in recess until Monday, September 13, 1937, at the hour of Five O'Clock P. M., to proceed further with said work of revision, correction and equalization.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. E. DuPont, Jr.
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Monday, September 13, 1937, at Five O'Clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, with the following members of said Board and officers of said City present: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, T. J. Weaver City Attorney and A. A. Stockstill City Engineer.

The Board proceeded with the fixing of values on the 1937 Personal Tax Roll, now determines that same is not complete, does now rise in recess until Tuesday, September 14, 1937, at the hour of Seven O'Clock P. M., to proceed with said work of revision, correction and equalization.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Tuesday, September 14, 1937, at 7:00 O'Clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, with same attendance as that of yesterday (ORDER ON FILE: A motion was made and carried ordering that the 15" tile that was removed from St. running S. from Canal St. by the residences of Mrs. I. H. Jenkins & A. Lessatt, be used in drain running from 1st St. through the Railroad Park.

The Board proceeded with the fixing of values on the 1937 Personal Tax Roll, now determines that same is not complete, does now rise in recess until Wednesday, September 15, 1937, at the hour of Seven O'Clock P. M., to proceed further with said work of revision, correction and equalization.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Wednesday, September 15, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment. The same members and officials were present as on yesterday.

The Board proceeded with the fixing of values on the 1937 Personal Tax Roll, now determines that same is not complete, does now rise in recess until Thursday, September 16, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M., to proceed further with said work of revision, correction and equalization.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Thursday, September 17th, 1937, at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M., Pursuant to adjournment. The following members of said Board and officers of said City were present and participating: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. A. Stockstill City Engineer.

The Board proceeded with the fixing of values on the 1937 Personal Assessment Roll, both in the City and in the Separate School District outside the City Limits, now determines that same has been completely gone over, revised, corrected and equalized, and the City Clerk having added up and balanced said Rolls, said addition being inspected and checked by this Board; the following resolution was introduced, considered and duly and legally adopted, to-wit:

WHEREAS the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Pearl River County, Mississippi, having completed the examination and equalization of the Personal Assessment Roll, for the year 1937 of the City of Picayune and the Picayune Municipal Separate School District outside the Municipality, and having equalized said assessment roll, and the said Mayor and Board of Aldermen now finding that said assessment roll, as corrected and equalized, should be approved,

THEREFORE be it resolved by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, that the personal assessment roll for said City and said School District outside the City limits, as corrected and equalized, be, and the same is hereby approved and adopted.

ORDER ADOPTING 1937 PERSONAL ASSESSMENT ROLL

WHEREAS the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Pearl River County, Mississippi,

having completed the revision, correction and equalization of the entire personal assessment roll of said City and the Picayune Separate School District outside the City limits, and it now appearing and is judicially determined that lawful notice has been given to all tax payers in said City and in said School District, to appear and be heard on the valuation of their property assessed on said personal tax roll for the taxable year 1937; said notice having been published and posted for the period of time as required by law, and having remained posted up to and including the time of this meeting, and in pursuance thereof, the said Mayor and Board of Aldermen did revise all values and equalize same, making all corrections of property erroneously assessed, and all additions of property left off of said roll, and did hear all persons and corporations who appeared at such meetings; and by the above methods, having placed an equitable and uniform value on all property;

THEREFORE, the said Mayor and Board of Aldermen do hereby order and declare that the said personal tax roll as revised, corrected and equalized, be, and the same is hereby made final, and the said personal assessment roll is hereby approved and adopted, together with the Real Estate Roll as adopted for the year 1936, less later changes including a change made this meeting as hereinafter set forth, as the assessment rolls for the City of Picayune and the Picayune Municipal Separate School District outside the City limits, on which levy of taxes shall be made for the said City and School District for the taxable year 1937.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that Whereas the said Mayor and Board of Aldermen, having completed and adopted the above named assessment rolls and now finds that the total values of all property assessed on said rolls, are as follows:

Personal Property Inside The Municipality	\$ 1,071,090.00
Real Estate Property Inside The Municipality	<u>\$ 727,065.00</u>
Total of Values Inside The Municipality	<u>\$ 1,798,155.00</u>
Personal Property Separate School District	\$ 2,625.00
Real Estate Property Separate School District	<u>\$ 28,865.00</u>
Total of Values Outside The Municipality	<u>\$ 31,490.00</u>
GRAND TOTAL VALUATION	<u>\$ 1,829,645.00</u>

The foregoing figures, together with an approximate valuation of \$120,000.00, to be assessed against Public Service Corporations by the Tax Commissioners of the State of Mississippi and other taxing authorities, is hereby charged to the City Clerk & Tax Collector for the collection of City taxes on same for the taxable year 1937.

REDUCTION IN ASSESSMENT

It being known to the Board that the residence of H. Puyper, included in following description; "NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ East of Railroad, less 9 lots in S. E. Corner - 8 Acres, Section 14, Township 6 South, Range 17 West", burned before the beginning of the 1937 taxable year, a motion was therefore made and carried that the valuation of said house be deducted from the Tax Roll, thereby reducing Mr. Puyper's assessment \$500.00. This change was made before the Real Estate Roll was adopted for 1937.

ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENT

It being known that the residence of C. C. Smith was erected before the beginning of the 1937 taxable year, it is therefore ordered that he be assessed \$1000.00 for a building on "½ Acre between Blocks 14 & 15 of Williams' Goodyear Addition to Picayune". This addition was made before the Real Estate Roll was adopted.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

<u>I - ADMINISTRATIVE:</u>		
4- S. Rose	Painting Signs	\$ 6.75
6- T. R. Pearson, Postmaster	Down Payment on Stamped Envelopes	3.84
<u>III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:</u>		
6- E. J. Puyper	39 Hrs. At 40¢	15.60
6- Tally Bilbo	15 " " 27½¢	4.13
6- W. A. Miller	7 " " "	1.93
6- Ernest Frierson	8 " " "	2.20
6- John Howard	8 " " "	2.20
6- V. B. McNabb	9 " " 75¢ Using Truck	6.75
<u>IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:</u>		
1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
<u>CITY HALL:</u>		
E. J. Puyper	40 Hrs. At 40¢	16.00
V. B. McNabb	9 " " 75¢ Using Truck	6.75
A. J. Read	Trip to Gulfport & Back (104 Miles @ 5¢)	5.20
Mary E. Read	4 days work during August & September	12.00
Donnie Mitchell	10 Hrs. At 75¢ Using Truck	7.50
<u>VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:</u>		
2- Tally Bilbo	31 Hrs. @ 40¢ and 56 Hrs. @ 27½¢	27.80
2- W. A. Miller	72 Hrs. At 27½¢	19.80
2- Ernest Frierson	88 " " "	24.20
2- Earl Fleming	112 " " "	30.80
2- John Howard	88 " " "	24.20
2- Melton Mitchell	72 " " 40¢ Using Mule	28.80
2- E. J. Puyper	29 " " 40¢	11.60
2- V. B. McNabb	4 " " 75¢ Using Truck	3.00
2- Claudie Stockstill	10 Loads Gravel At 50¢	5.00
2- S. C. Jarrell	16 Days At \$3.00	48.00
<u>NOT BUDGETED:</u>		
A. J. Read	Expense to Poplarville Copying Tax Roll	5.00

RENT ON CONCRETE MIXER

It being known to the Board that several individuals have been using the City concrete mixer and that no one person seems to have control over renting or looking after said mixer, a motion was therefore made and carried charging the Street Commissioner with the care of said machine. It is further ordered that the City Attorney shall ascertain who, and to what extent, has used said mixer so that a reasonable rent charge can be collected for the use thereof.

ADJOURNING ORDER

No further business appearing before the next regular meeting, a motion was therefore made and carried that the Board do now adjourn.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

J. E. Thompson
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Tuesday October 5th, 1937, at the hour of 7:30 O'Clock P. M. It being the time and place as provided by City Ordinance for holding said meeting. The following officials were in attendance: L. O. Crosby, Mayor, V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordan, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. G. Stewart, Marshal.

The meeting was opened by the Marshal and the following proceedings were had and entered of record:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of the meetings held during the preceeding Month were read by the Clerk and a motion was made and carried approving them as read.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following Bills and Allowances were approved for payment:

I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	30.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Alderman	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordan	" "	4.50
4- C. C. Smith	Linoleum	1.02
5- Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Service & Tolls #5	14.72
5- Mississippi Power Co.	Lights City Hall & Jail	4.13
6- T. R. Pearson, Postmaster	Balance on 1000 - 2¢ Envelopes	20.00
6- Dement Printing Company	Office Supplies	6.74
6- H. K. Rouse, Chancery Clerk	Recording Deeds	6.50
6- The Picayune Item	Stationery, Etc.	22.15
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	35.44
9- A. Lossett	Blacksmith Labor	2.25
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	10.00
9- Jake Woodward	Mowing	8.00
9- J. E. Mitchell	1 dozen towels	3.00

II - JUDICIAL:

1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	50.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	100.00
2- P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	90.00
2- A. A. Smith	" " "	90.00
4- A. A. Smith	Money paid for mosquito spray	.50
5- Mississippi Power Company	St. Lights, Siren & Signals	395.57
6- Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Fire Department	2.00
6- A. Lossett	Blacksmith Work	6.00
6- Standard Supply & Hardware Co.	Steel Bars	11.28
6- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Supplies & Material	17.10
6- E. J. Puyper	16 Hrs. at 40¢	6.40
6- Tally Bilbo	16 " " 27½¢	4.40
6- Ernest Frierson	16 " " "	4.40
6- John Howard	16 " " "	4.40
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary & Food Allowance	47.50
7- Johnnie K. Mitchell	Hauling off dead dog	.50
7- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Supplies	2.61

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	50.00
3- County Health Department	Appropriation	20.00

V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:

2- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
2- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Supplies	2.22

CH - CITY HALL:

Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Supplies & Material	41.33
A. Lossett	Blacksmith Work	3.00
Donnie Mitchell	8 Hrs. at 75¢ Using truck	6.00
V. B. McNabb	17 " " " " " "	12.75
Bert Wilkes	Hauling shed from Burat Bridge	3.00
A. J. Read	To Hattiesburg & Return (140 Miles @ 5¢)	7.00

VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

1- A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	\$ 110.00
2- E. J. Puyper	24 Hrs. @ 40¢, 48 @ 27½¢, less Fact. \$1.00	21.80
2- Tally Bilbo	8 " " " 64 " " Ditto	19.80
2- W. A. Miller	72 Hrs. At 27½¢	18.80
2- Ernest Frierson	64 " " "	16.60
2- John Howard	72 " " "	18.80
2- Earl Fleming	96 " " "	25.40
2- M. Pittman	88 " " 40¢ with mule	35.20
2- Sam Lamb	Salary as barn watchman	10.00
2- J. Mizell Davis	Salary Park Overseer	35.00
2- Picayune Chamber of Commerce	\$1.00 for E.J.Puyper, T. Bilbo, W.A. Miller, E. Fleming, Ernest Frierson, John Howard	6.00
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Supplies & Material	69.01
3- Mississippi Power Co.	Barn Lights	1.02
3- Harvester Sales & Service	Labor and parts for Mowing Machine	60.35
3- George Graeber	8 Pair rubber boots	24.07
3- American Oil Company	Gasoline	5.18
3- American Oil Company	Kerosene	32.25
3- A. A. Stockstill	Cement & Re-inforcing wire	11.17

REDUCTION IN ASSESSMENT

It appearing to the Board that the assessment of S. G. Thigpen & B. Whitfield, described as "30 Acres in NE¼ of NW¼ E. of N.O. & N.E. Railroad; 3 A. in NW Cor. of SE¼ of NW¼ bordering on R. R., less /11-6-17 3 A. to E. W. Kennedy", is erroneous and known to be such, such description should be 14 acres instead of 30 acres, due to land sold out of said tract and assessed else-where on the tax roll, with 3 acres to Oscar Herrin, 3 acres to G. C. Kendrick and 10 acres to John N. Smith. Therefore a motion was made and carried correcting said double assessment and the assessment on the above described land is hereby changed from \$675.00 to \$350.00.

It also appearing that "1 lot in SW¼ of NW¼ measuring 35 ft. N. & S. by 45 ft. E. & W., in Section 15, Township 6, Range 17" is erroneous and known to be such, said land being assessed to S. G. Thigpen & B. Whitfield and to Homer Dossett, a motion was duly made and carried taking said assessment, which is in the sum of \$325.00, off of S. G. Thigpen & B. Whitfield.

CITY HALL BUILDING COMMITTEE

A motion was duly made and carried ordering that a building committee be appointed to look after the detail affairs of the construction of the New City Hall. Whereupon the Mayor appointed the following to serve on said committee: J. E. DuPont, Jr., H. E. Jordon and G. H. Williams.

ORDER TO RECESS

It appearing to the Board that the Budget of Expenditures for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1937 and ending September 30, 1938, is not ready for adoption, a motion was therefore made and carried that the Board do now recess until Monday October 11, 1937 at the hour of 7:00 O'Clock P. M., at which time the Board will make the Budget for said period and fix the tax rate for the taxable year 1937.

A. Head
City Clerk.

L. H. Crosby
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it known that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall of said City Monday October 11th, 1937, at the hour of Seven O'Clock P. M. in accordance with recessing order of last regular meeting. The following were present and participating: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams & H. E. Jordan, Aldermen, A. J. Read, Clerk, and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

ORDER TO PUBLISH FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The City Clerk presented a statement showing the financial condition of the City together with the receipts and disbursements for the fiscal year beginning October 1st, 1936 and ending September 30th, 1937; and after said statement had been examined by the Board it is ordered that same be published in the Picayune Item, a local newspaper having a general circulation in the City of Picayune. Said Statement to appear as follows:

FINANCIAL CONDITION, CITY OF PICAYUNE, MISSISSIPPI,
SHOWING RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30TH, 1937

Balance Beginning of Fiscal Year (October 1st, 1936)		\$ 47,213.70
Receipts:		
Ad Val. Taxes, Taxable Year 1936	\$57,273.36	
Beck Taxes	2,035.10	
Poll Taxes	444.60	
Privilege Taxes	2,431.60	
Street Taxes	1,598.85	
Advertising Cost Redeemed Taxes	32.40	
Fines Police Court	375.00	
State For Schools	9,211.74	
County For Schools	4,718.54	
County For Streets	6,018.98	
Pound Fees	23.10	
Refunds	1,315.24	
Damage on Street Taxes	2.80	
Damage On Privilege Taxes	20.13	
Interest on Partial Payment & Delinquent Taxes	567.68	
Tuition For Individuals	779.25	
House Rent, Credit to Account of E. A. Wierengo	227.50	
Total Actual Receipts	\$87,073.87	
Add-Credits By Transferring From One Fund To Another	\$32,281.91	
Total Credits For Fiscal Year		\$119,355.78
Grand Total of Credits		\$166,569.48
Disbursements:		
Administrative	\$ 3,296.58	
Judicial	1,049.00	
Protection of Persons & Property	11,003.68	
Conservation of Health	1,465.35	
Charities & Corrections	1,934.59	
Special Appropriations	148.87	
Educational	36,383.13	
Streets & Ditches	5,892.14	
Bonds Retired	8,000.00	
Interest On Bonds	720.00	
Street Paving (Black-Topping)	12,902.75	
Ad in Times-Picayune Centennial Edition	100.00	
Rent For Sewing Room	75.00	
WPA For Office Expense	25.00	
Personal Injury Claim of W. B. Johnston	15.00	
Property Damage Claim of Dr. N. W. Fountain	35.80	
City Hall Project	61.60	
Miscellaneous Expense	55.70	
Total Actual Disbursements	\$83,164.19	
Add-Charges Transferring From One Fund To Another	\$32,281.91	
Total Charges For Fiscal Year		\$115,446.10
Balance On Hand End of Fiscal Year, Sept. 30, 1937		\$ 51,123.38

ORDER TO RECESS

It appearing that the Board is not ready to make the Budget for the Fiscal Year beginning Oct. 1, 1937, or to fix the Tax Levy for the taxable year 1937, a motion was therefore made and carried that said Board does now rise in recess until Monday, October 18th, 1937, at the hour of 7 O'Clock P. M.

A. J. Read

Clerk.

Mayor Pro-Tem.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall in said City, Monday, October 18th, 1937 at the hour of Seven O'Clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, with the following officials in attendance: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore, V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen, A. J. Read, City Clerk and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

BILLS ALLOWED

On motion duly made and carried the following bills and allowances were approved and ordered paid:

I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

5- Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone City Hall	\$ 12.00
6- A. J. Read	Money paid for postage Stamps	5.00

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

3- H. E. Stockstill	Emergency Police	3.00
5- A. Spiers	Electrical Repairs	3.00
6- Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Fire Department	2.00
7- A. J. Read	Money paid for express on Calf Head	.64
7- H. M. Frierson	Pound Fees	6.50

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Garbage Removal	55.00
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VI - SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS:

1- Tate Insurance Agency, Inc.	Bond Premiums	10.00
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CITY HALL:

Standard Supply & Hardware Co.	Nails	13.93
A. J. Read	Freight paid on nails	.80
Henry I. Flynn	1845 Lbs. 5/8" Deformed Iron @ 1.60 CW	29.52
Wilfred S. Lockyer	Part of Architectural Fees	200.00

VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

2- Tally Bilbo	48 Hrs. @ 40¢ & 40 Hrs. @ 27½¢	30.20
2- E. J. Puyper	88 " " 27½¢	24.20
2- W. A. Miller	80 " " "	22.00
2- Ernest Frierson	77 " " "	21.18
2- John Howard	88 " " "	24.20
2- Earl Fleming	40 " " "	11.00
2- M. Pittman	8 " " 40¢ & 48 Hrs. @ 27½¢	16.40
2- George Stewart	8 " " "	3.20
3- Joe Seal	27 " " 75¢ Using Truck	20/25
3- V. B. McNabb	21 " " " "	15.75
3- Harvester Sales & Service	Wheels & Tires for Mower	48.50

ARCHITECTURAL FEES

Mr. Wilfred S. Lockyer, Architect for the New City Hall, being present at this meeting, the question of his fees was brought up and discussed, afterwhich an agreement was made between Mr. Lockyer and the Mayor and Board of Alderman, that his fees for the entire job shall be \$1,200.00 and that said amount is computed from a job estimated to be approximately \$20,000.00 for the cost of construction, allowing Mr. Lockyer 6% for drawing the plans and supervising the construction. It is further ordered that the said \$1,200.00 fee shall be payable as the work progresses, and that \$300.00 previously allowed, \$200.00 of which was allowed at this Board meeting, shall apply on said fee.

PERMISSION TO ERECT SERVICE STATION

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that L. E. & H. W. Alexander be, and they are hereby given permission to erect a Fire-Proof Service Station on Southern Railway Property along Harvey Avenue or Highway No/ 11, just South of property leased from said Southern Railway by the Standard Oil Company. This permit is conditioned that said Service Station shall conform with the City regulations for "Fire-Proof" buildings within the fire zone, and that plans and specification therefor shall be filed with the City Clerk before the construction work is started.

ORDER ADOPTING BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR
BEGINNING OCTOBER 1ST, 1937, AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30TH, 1938

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered, that the following budget be and the same is hereby approved and adopted as the "Official Budget of Expenditures" of the City of Picayune, for the fiscal year beginning October 1st, 1937 and ending September 30th, 1938:

<u>I - ADMINISTRATIVE:</u>	
1- Mayor's Salary	\$ 180.00
2- Clerk's Salary	1,200.00
3- Five Aldermen's Salary	270.00
4- Rent, Repairs & Improvements City Hall & Jail	500.00
5- Telephone, Fuel & Lights, City Hall & Jail	250.00
6- Office Supplies	375.00
7- Printing & Publication	500.00
8- Auditors City Books	300.00
9- Janitor Service & Supplies	250.00
Total Administrative	<u>\$ 3,825.00</u>
<u>II - JUDICIAL:</u>	
1- City Attorney's Salary	\$ 600.00
2- Police Justice Salary	480.00
3- Witness Fees & Court Supplies	25.00
4- City Election Expense	50.00
Total Judicial	<u>\$ 1,155.00</u>
<u>III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:</u>	
1- Marshal's Salary	\$ 1,320.00
2- Two Night Marshals' Salary	2,400.00
3- Emergency Police	100.00
4- Feeding Prisoners & Jail Supplies	100.00
5- Street Lights, Siren & Signals	3,700.00
6- Fire Department	1,000.00
7- Pound Keeper Salary & Pound Pen Expense	550.00
Total Protection of Persons & Property	<u>\$ 9,170.00</u>
<u>IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:</u>	
1- Garbage Removal	\$ 1,320.00
2- Argentine Ant Campaign	100.00
3- Health Department	240.00
Total Conservation of Health	<u>\$ 1,660.00</u>
<u>V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:</u>	
1- Public Library	\$ 1,500.00
2- City Cemetary	350.00
3- American Red Cross	150.00
4- Miscellaneous Corrections	50.00
Total Charities & Corrections	<u>\$ 2,050.00</u>
<u>VI - SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS:</u>	
1- Insurance, Bonds, Etc.	\$ 300.00
2- Circuit Court Costs	100.00
3- Special Improvements	3,800.00
4- City Hall	3,040.00
Total Special Appropriations	<u>\$ 7,240.00</u>
<u>VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:</u>	
1- Supervision	\$ 1,320.00
2- Labor	5,000.00
3- Material Including Whiteway Lighting	3,680.00
Total Highway Construction & Maintenance	<u>\$10,000.00</u>
<u>IX - BONDS:</u>	
1- 1928 School Bonds, Due February 7, 1938	\$ 8,000.00
<u>X - INTEREST:</u>	
1- Interest on School Bonds	<u>\$ 240.00</u>
<u>VII - EDUCATIONAL:</u>	
1- General Control	\$ 2,009.60
2- Instruction	26,043.06
3- Auxiliary Agencies	650.00
4- Operation of Plant	2,981.80
5- Maintenance of Plant	2,560.90
6- Fixed Charges	1,558.25
7- Capital Outlay	5,728.60
Total Educational	<u>\$41,532.21</u>
GRAND TOTAL OF ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	<u>\$85,072.21</u>

The foregoing Budget has been officially adopted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Pearl River County, Mississippi, for the Fiscal Year beginning October 1, 1937 and ending September 30, 1938.

This the 18th day of October, 1937.

A. J. Head
City Clerk.

L. Oberashy
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

LEVY FOR 1937 TAXES

The Assessment having been made for the taxable year 1937, as shown in these Minutes, page 134, and the Budget of Expenditures having been adopted and spread on the minutes, as shown in the next preceding order; therefore, in accordance with said Assessment and Budget of Expenditures, it is ordered and adjudged by this Board, that the Tax Levy for the taxable year 1937, for the City of Picayune, be, and the same is hereby fixed and determined at Thirty-Three (33) Mills on the Dollar, and that said 33 Mills shall be distributed to the various funds as follows:

General	Fund	10	Mills
General Improvement	"	2	"
School	"	15	"
Sinking	"	3.9	"
Interest	"	.1	"
Street	"	2	"

It is further ordered that the Tax Levy for the Taxable Year 1937, for the Picayune Municipal Separate School District outside the Municipality, be, and the same is hereby fixed at Nineteen Mills on the Dollar and that said 19 Mills shall be distributed as follows:

School	Fund	15	Mills
Sinking	"	3.9	"
Interest	"	.1	"

Done in open and public session of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, Mississippi, on this the 18th day of October, 1937.

A. J. Head
City Clerk.

L. Oberashy
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

ORDER TO RECEIPTS

No further business appearing before the next regular meeting, a motion was therefore made and carried that the Board do now adjourn.

A. J. Head
City Clerk.

L. Oberashy
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER,

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall in said City, Tuesday November 2nd, 1937, as provided by Law. The following officials were present: L. O. Crosby, Mayor; V. B. Martin, J. E. DuPont, Jr., A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen; A. J. Read, Clerk; A. G. Stewart, Marshal and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

The meeting was duly opened by the Marshal and the following proceedings were had:

MINUTES APPROVED

The Minutes of the meetings held in the preceding month were read by the Clerk and a motion was made and carried approving same as read.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

<u>I - ADMINISTRATIVE:</u>		
1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	100.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Alderman	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordon	" "	4.50
5- Mississippi Power Company	City Hall Lights	1.58
6- The Picayune Item	Tax Receipts and 2 Requisition Books	45.77
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	50.52
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	12.00
9- Jake Woodward	Mowing	6.00
9- Shell Petroleum Corporation	Insect Spray	5.71
9- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Janitor Supplies	1.90
<u>II - JUDICIAL:</u>		
1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	50.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00
<u>III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:</u>		
1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	110.00
2- P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	100.00
2- A. A. Smith	" " "	100.00
4- Southern Service Station	Gasoline and food for prisoners	2.33
4- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Locks	2.50
5- Mississippi Power Company	St. Lights & Control Signal	293.78
6- A. Splers	51 Hrs. at 50¢	25.50
6- Leroy Howard	25 " " 30¢	7.50
6- Clarence Mitchell	2 " " "	.60
6- Ed Hartfield	Painting Siren & Frame	7.00
6- Lighting Fixture & Electric Supply Co.	Material - less discount	20.18
6- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Material	16.99
6- A. Lossett	Blacksmith Work	17.05
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary & Food Allowance 3 dogs	41.50
<u>IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:</u>		
1- Cole C. Mitchell	Salary	55.00
3- Health Department	Budget Appropriation	20.00
<u>V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:</u>		
2- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetery Sexton	20.00
<u>VI - SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS (CITY HALL):</u>		
4- A. C. Hyde	Hauling 40 Yds. Gravel @ 66¢ & 20 Sand @ 55¢	37.00
4- Frank Mitchell	" 37 " " " " " 27½ " " "	39.18
4- William Kellar	" 27½ " " " " 60¢ " 20 " " "	27.50
4- Weston Sand & Gravel Company	104½ yds. Wash Gravel @ 75¢	78.37
4- H. E. Smith	67½ " " Sand	6.75
4- H. L. Pearson	Lumber, less 2 days rent on Concrete Mixer	162.18
4- Woodward-Wight & Company	Deformed Iron & Cast Iron Ventilators	726.72
4- Standard Supply & Hardware Co.	Nails & Wire	9.23
4- Standard Sanitary Mfg., Co.	Pipe & Fittings less discount & frt.	73.19
4- A. J. Read	Freight paid on ventilators	.50
4- R. E. Laird	Freight	3.13
4- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Material	3.09
4- A. Lossett	Blacksmith Work	2.75
4- Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline & Kerosene	.95
4- Wilfred S. Lockyer	On Architectural Fees	200.00

VIII - STREETS & DITCHES:

1- A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	\$ 110.00
2- Tally Bilbo	37 Hrs. @ 40¢, 28 Hrs. @ 27½¢, Less Fact. \$1.00	21.50
2- E. J. Puyper	72 Hrs. At 27½¢, Less \$1.00 to Factory	18.80
2- W. A. Miller	48 " " " Ditto	12.20
2- Ernest Frierson	65 " " " "	16.88
2- John Howard	65 " " " "	16.88
2- Picayune Chamber of Commerce	\$1.00 for T. Bilbo, E. J. Puyper, W. A. Miller, Ernest Frierson & John Howard	5.00
2- M. Pittman	72 Hrs. At 27½¢	19.80
2- Sam Lamb	Salary Caretaker of Barn	10.00
2- Claudie Stockstill	20 Hrs. At 75¢ Using Truck	15.00
3- Frank Mitchell	6 loads Gravel at \$1.00	6.00
3- Byrd's Service Station	Gasoline	3.81
3- A. Lossett	Blacksmith Work	1.70
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Material	6.50
3- Shell Service Station	Gasoline	17.40
3- Harvester Sales & Service	Mower Parts	25.58
3- Joe Seal	Lumber	2.30
3- T. S. Ross	Lumber	4.03
3- Mississippi Power Company	Whiteway Lights & Barn Lights	98.53

NEW RATES ON STREET LIGHTS

Some officials of Mississippi Power Company appeared before the Board explaining that the said Power Company was making available to Municipalities a new rate for Whiteway and Street Lighting whereby certain Cities, where the street lighting poles were closer together than 500 feet, would be in position to increase the wattage or candle power of their street lights, in accordance to said new rate, without any additional cost. It is also provided in said New Rate that the Mississippi Power Company shall furnish all lamps and glassware renewals of whiteway systems, where the posts and underground cables are furnished and maintained by the City. Whereupon, it being known that the City of Picayune can qualify under this rate, which is titled "MF-4" Rate, and by so doing can greatly increase the lighting efficiency of it's present Street Lights, a motion was therefore made and carried authorizing Mississippi Power Company to put said rate into effect in the City of Picayune, beginning with the November, 1937 billing.

REFUND TO R. H. CROSBY

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that the sum of \$1,116.01, be, and the same is hereby approved for payment as a refund to Mr. R. H. Crosby for expenditures he made in the purchasing of asphalt and black-topping material which was used on a part of the Bogalusa-Columbia Road in the City of Picayune. It is further ordered that said amount shall be paid out of tax collections for the taxable year 1937.

ORDER TO RECESS

Further business appearing before the next regular meeting, a motion was made and carried that the Board do now rise in recess until Monday November 15th, 1937, at Seven O'Clock P. M.

A. J. Read
Clerk.

L. O. Hervey
Mayor.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune met in the City Hall in said City, Monday November 15, 1937, pursuant to adjournment. The following members of said Board and officers of said City were present and participating: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore; V. B. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordon, Aldermen; A. J. Read, Clerk; A. G. Stewart, Marshal; and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

BILLS ALLOWED

On motion duly made and carried the following allowances were approved for payment:

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

6- A. Spiers	17 Hrs. at 50¢	\$ 8.50
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IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Salary	55.00
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

2- Tally Bilbo	16 Hrs. At 27 ³ / ₄ ¢ & 98 Hrs. At 40¢	43.60
2- W. A. Miller	32 " " " & 64 " " "	34.40
2- E. J. Puyper	93 " " "	25.58
2- Ernest Frierson	88 " " "	24.20
2- John Howard	74 " " " & 24 Hrs. At 40¢	29.95
2- M. Pittman	96 " " "	26.40
2- Claudie Stockstill	8 Hrs. using and driving truck	8.20

ORDER TO ADJOURN

No further business appearing before the next regular meeting, it is ordered that the Board do now adjourn until it's next regular meeting.

A. J. Read
Clerk.

L. E. Stewart
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picayune, met in the City Hall in said City, Tuesday December 7th, 1937, at the hour of 7:30 O'Clock, P. M., with the following members and officers present: J. E. DuPont, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tempore; V. B. Martin, A. M. Martin, H. E. Jordon, Aldermen; A. J. Read, Clerk; A. G. Stewart, Marshal and T. J. Weaver, City Attorney.

The meeting was declared opened by the Marshal and the following proceedings were had:

MINUTES APPROVED

The minutes of the meetings held in November were read by the Clerk and there being no objections or corrections, were declared approved as read.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

I - ADMINISTRATIVE:

1- L. O. Crosby	Salary Mayor	\$ 15.00
2- A. J. Read	" Clerk	100.00
3- V. B. Martin	" Alderman	4.50
3- J. E. DuPont, Jr.	" "	4.50
3- A. M. Martin	" "	4.50
3- G. H. Williams	" "	4.50
3- H. E. Jordon	" "	4.50
4- A. J. Read	Money paid for stove	20.00
4- C. C. Smith Co.	Wire, Sockets, Etc.	5.08
5- Pearson Motor Company	Kerosene	1.02
5- Mississippi Power Company	Lights for jail	2.00
5- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Service & Tolls	7.15
6- A. J. Read	Money paid for stamps	3.00
6- The Picayune Item	Pol Tax Receipts and Stationery	19.27
7- The Picayune Item	Publication	25.00
8- R. V. Whittaker & Co.	Audit	300.00
9- A. J. Read	Money paid for brooms and soap	1.25
9- Viola Woodward	Salary Janitress	15.00

II - JUDICIAL:

1- T. J. Weaver	Salary City Attorney	50.00
2- R. E. Steen	" Police Justice	40.00

III - PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

1- A. G. Stewart	Salary Marshal	110.00
2- P. I. Graves	" Night Marshal	100.00
2- A. A. Smith	" Night Marshal	100.00
4- C. C. Smith Co.	Slop Jars for jail	1.73
5- Mississippi Power Co.	St. Lights, Siren & Signals	324.22
6- Sou. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Fire Department	2.00
6- Red Comet, Inc.	2 Firemen's kits complete with extinguishers	31.90
6- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Material for siren	39.62
7- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Shells for Pound Keeper	.87
7- H. M. Frierson	Salary & Food Allowance	42.00

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Salary Garbage Remover	55.00
3- County Health Department	Budget Appropriation	20.00

V - CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS:

2- Newt Mitchell	Salary Cemetary Sexton	20.00
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VI - SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS (CITY HALL):

4- C. C. Smith Company	Hatchets	4.59
4- Pearson Motor Company	Gas & Oil for mixer	3.20
4- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Material	9.04
4- Lighting Fixture & Elec. Sup. Co.	Adjustment	.60
4- Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.	Adjustment	2.05
4- A. Lossett	Blacksmith work	16.70
4- Stevens Motor Company	Gas & Oil for Mixer	3.10
4- Jesse W. Megehee	Electrical Work	2.50
4- A. J. Read	Money paid for freight	1.08
4- Woodward-Wight & Company	3 ventilators & 1 access door	4.65
4- V. B. McNabb	20 Hrs. at 75¢ Using truck	15.00

VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

1- A. A. Stockstill	Salary City Engineer	110.00
2- Tally Bilbo	16 Hrs. @ 40¢ & 68 @ 27½¢ less Fact. \$1.00	24.10
2- W. A. Miller	88 Hrs. @ 27½¢ Less \$1.00 to Factory	23.20

VIII - CONTINUED:

2- E. J. Puyper	88 Hrs. at 27 $\frac{1}{2}$ less \$1.00 to Factory	\$ 23.20
2- Ernest Frierson	88 " " " Ditto	23.20
2- John Howard	88 " " " "	23.20
2- M. Pittman	88 " " " "	24.20
2- Claudie Stockstill	24 " " "	6.60
2- Claudie Stockstill	24 " " 75% Using Truck	18.00
2- Picayune Chamber of Commerce	\$1.00 for Bilbo, Miller, Puyper, Frierson & Howard	5.00
3- S. T. Ross	Lumber	5.22
3- Mississippi Power Co.	Lights for Whiteway & Barn	98.58
3- Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co.	Material	11.51
3- H. M. Harris	Gasoline	33.06
3- Harvester Sales & Service	Parts for tractor	6.12
3- Tourne's Garage	Labor on tractor & Mixer	1.53
3- Shell Petroleum Corporation	Motor Oil	26.78
3- Salcedo Service Station	Tire Repair for tractor	1.00
3- The American Asbestos Pro. Co.	Street Paint	12.50
3- Weems Pipe Company	Balance on School Tile	264.74
3- The Selig Company	Street Garbage Cans	67.07
2- Sam Lamb	Salary as Barn Watchman	10.00

PERMITS FOR NEW BUILDINGS

WHEREAS, attention of the Board has been called to the fact that several buildings, including sheds and lumber yards, have been constructed within the fire zone of the City without permits having been granted therefor, and it being known that most of these buildings would not meet the requirements for fire-proof construction, as provided by City Ordinance, therefore

A motion was duly made and carried, calling the attention of the general public and all Builders to City Ordinance No. 88, wherein it is required that within a certain zone, which embraces the Business District, before a new building is constructed the plans and specifications must be presented to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, and a permit for construction be obtained. A building constructed without this procedure is subject to condemnation by the Board and may be ordered torn down.

ORDER TO RECESS

Further business appearing before the next regular meeting, a motion was made and carried that the Board do now recess until Monday, December 20th, 1937, at the hour of Seven O'Clock P. M.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

L. W. Drury
Mayor Pro-Tempore.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
COUNTY OF PEARL RIVER.

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Picaune, met in the City Hall in said City, Monday December 20, 1937, at the hour of Seven O'Clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment. The following members and officials were present and participating: L. O. Crosby, Mayor; V. B. Martin, J. E. Dupont, A. M. Martin, G. H. Williams and H. E. Jordan, Aldermen; A. J. Read, Clerk; T. J. Weaver, City Attorney and A. G. Stewart, Marshal.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills and allowances were approved for payment:

IV - CONSERVATION OF HEALTH:

1- Cole C. Mitchell	Salary Garbage Removal	\$ 55.00
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VI - SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS (CITY HALL):

4- V. B. McHabb	47 Hrs. at 75¢ Using truck	35.25
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VIII - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

2- Tally Bilbo	104 Hrs. at 27 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ & 8 Hrs. at 40¢	31.80
2- W. A. Miller	104 " " "	28.60
2- E. J. Puyper	104 " " "	28.60
2- Ernest Frierson	112 " " "	30.80
2- John Howard	110 " " "	30.25
2- M. Pittman	112 " " "	30.80
2- Claudie Stockstill	26 " " "	7.15
2- Claudie Stockstill	26 " " 75¢ Using Truck	19.50
2- George Stewart	16 " " 40¢	6.40

BUILDING PERMIT

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that, a permit be, and the same is hereby, granted to the Sinclair Refining Company of Atlanta, Georgia, to erect a Service Station as per plans and specifications submitted by their Contractor, Mr. G. W. Hall, which plans and specifications were left for filing in the office of the City Clerk. Said Service Station to be build at the "Old Southern Hotel" site, Harvey Avenue and Main Street, in the City of Picaune.

ORDER TO ADJOURN

No further business appearing before the next regular meeting, it is ordered that the Board do no adjourn.

A. J. Read
City Clerk.

L. O. Crosby
Mayor.