

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, held in the Town Office, Wednesday, July 17, 1929 at 2 P. M.

Present:-

Dennis G. Homan, Supervisor.
Milton L. Burns, Town Clerk.
Albert W. Conklin,
George E. Penny,
William L. Miller,
Robert Burnside, Justices of the Peace.

The minutes of a meeting of the Town Board, held June 26, 1929 were read and on motion and vote approved.

A communication was read from the State Department of Health advising of the necessity of the Town Board appointing an Attendance Officer before August 1, 1929

On motion duly made, seconded and carried it was RESOLVED That Lorimer M. Raynor be and he hereby is appointed Attendance Officer for the Town of Riverhead and be it further RESOLVED That the compensation of Lorimer M. Raynor, as Attendance Officer be and the same hereby is fixed at \$5.00 per day and \$.15 per mile expenses, for each mile necessarily traveled in the performance of his duties as Attendance Officer.

The opinion of Attorney Cecil B. Tooker, relative to the powers of the Town Board to zone and regulate building construction within the Town, was read and referred to a committee consisting of Justice Conklin, Justice Miller and Justice Penny to take the matter up further with counsel, to investigate and report to the Town Board.

The opinion of Attorney Edwin M. Lockwood, relative to powers of the Town Board to purchase town dumps was read and referred to a committee, consisting of Justice Conklin, Justice Penny and Justice Miller for investigation and report.

On motion duly made, seconded and carried it was RESOLVED That the Town Clerk be and he hereby is instructed to write the L.I. Railroad Company requesting that the planking at all crossings within the Town, be extended the full width of the road crossing the tracks and requesting the railroad to keep railroad cars clear of the road crossings.

It was suggested that the east bound traffic on Main Street at the abutment of Roanoke Avenue be allowed

to proceed at all times and that the traffic signal at this point be changed to flash green for east bound traffic at all times. It was decided to try this plan of regulating traffic at this point.

Justice Conklin advised having received requests for a traffic signal light at the intersection of Osborn Avenue and Court Street. No action was taken in this matter.

Ellsworth P. Brown and Percy I. Bergen of Jamesport, were present and suggested that the hours of the traffic officer at Jamesport be changed for the summer season to from 10 A. M. and 8 P.M.

Ellsworth P. Brown and Percy I. Bergen advised the Board that the placing of curbs and gutters, as intended at Jamesport, would carry a great amount of water to the corner of South Jamesport Lane and the Main Road without proper means of draining this section and suggested the placing of a storm sewer down South Jamesport Lane, a distance of about 300 feet to relieve this condition and they were advised to take this matter up with County Engineer A.O. Smith for his recommendation.

Messrs. O'Donnell and Thompson, representatives of the Weig Sales Corporation of 154 Nassau Street, New York City, addressed the Board advising that the check writer belonging to the Town was entirely worn out and beyond repair and offered to take same as part payment for a new check writer, allowing \$7.50 for the old machine, making the net cost to the Town for the new machine \$75.00

On motion duly made, seconded and carried it was Resolved That Supervisor Homan be authorized to purchase a check writing machine from the Weig Sales Corporation, at a net cost of \$75.00

It was decided that the Supervisor and the Justices of the Peace should appoint several Special Constables for duty on Saturday night.

Owing to the recent trouble arising at the Carnival at the Fair Grounds, the Town Clerk was instructed to write the Suffolk County Agricultural Society and request that they prohibit performances of this nature in the future.

A request for one day a week off from duty by the the Special Constables was not acted upon.

There being no further business, on motion and vote, the meeting adjourned.

Milton L. Burns.

Town Clerk.