

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board held in
Town Clerk's Office Monday, April 11th, 1904, at two
o'clock, P. M.

Present:

- Geo. L. Wells, Supervisor,
 - John H. Hagen, Town Clerk,
 - Geo. A. Buckingham,
 - Wm. H. Taft,
 - F. H. Tuthill,
 - John L. Gordon,
- Justices.

The resignation of Harry A. Lane as attendance
officer for the town of Riverhead, was presented, and on
motion was accepted.

On motion of Justice Buckingham, Gilbert A. Lane was
appointed to fill the vacancy.

The following resolutions were presented:

WHEREAS; We believe that the right to the reason-
able use and peaceful enjoyment of the highways of the
town is ours by right of ownership, and we demand that the
public and passing strangers respect these rights and the
laws governing the traffic on the highways of the town and
guaranteeing to the citizens and taxpayers the unmolested

and peaceable use of the same, and, WHEREAS: The Dist. Attorney has reduced the reward offered for the detection and conviction of offenders against the Bailey Automobile Law, from Fifty dollars to ten dollars, thus in no small measure defeating the object and purpose of that law, THEREFORE: BE IT RESOLVED that this Society request the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead to offer a reward of Fifty dollars for every violation of the Bailey Law in this town, and; BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we request the various Justices of the Peace of the town in each and every case to impose the maximum penalty for the violation of any of the laws provisions,

RESOLVED: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Supervisor, Town Clerk, and to each Justice of the Peace of the town.

S. E. Tuthill,
Corresponding Sec't.

Motion of Justice Tuthill that the Town of Riverhead offer a reward of ten (\$10.) for the arrest and conviction of any violation of the Bailey Law, in regard to the speed of automobiles, or motor cycles, in the Town of Riverhead, was carried, and Clerk was instructed to have the notice of reward published in the local papers.

Bill of L. I. R. R. Co. of \$2699.41, amount due said Company by the Town of Riverhead as the town's proportionate share of the cost of abolishing the grade crossings at Raynor Avenue and Jamesport was presented, and on motion of Justice Buckingham the Supervisor was authorized to borrow the sum of \$2699.41 on the credit of the town, upon a note to be signed by the Supervisor and Town Clerk to settle the indebtedness.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned.

John H. Hagen
Clerk.