

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, held in the Town Office, on Thursday, January 19th., 1928 at 2 P. M.

Present:-

Dennis G. Homan, Supervisor.
Milton L. Burns, Town Clerk.
George E. Penny,
Albert W. Conklin,
William L. Miller,
Robert Burnside, Justices of the Peace.
Charles O. Downs, Town Superintendent of Highways was present.

The minutes of the Meeting of the Town Board, held on December 5, 1928 were read and on motion and vote adopted.

The Town Clerk presented the appointment of Byron Rogers, as Deputy Town Clerk, made by the Town Clerk.

A communication received from the Automatic Registering Machine Company, Inc., advising the Board that if additional voting machines will be required for the Election of 1928 that orders for same, should be placed in the near future in order to guarantee delivery.

The continuation certificate of the Bond of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company of Baltimore, Md., continuing in force the Bond in the amount of \$1000.00, bonding Milton L. Burns, as Town Clerk, was presented.

The appointment of John C. Stark, as Deputy Superintendent of Highways, by Charles O. Downs, Superintendent of Highways, was presented and read by the Town Clerk.

A communication from the Board of Assessors, advising of the appointment of Byron Rogers, as Clerk of the Board of Assessors and requesting that the compensation of the Clerk of the Board of Assessors be increased \$200.00, was read.

The opinion of Cecil B. Tooker, regarding the regulating the parking of cars on certain streets in the Town of Riverhead was read by the Town Clerk.

It was decided that a representative of the Automatic Registering Machine Company, Inc., should be invited to appear before the Board at some future meeting, in regard to voting machines.

On motion duly made, seconded and carried, it was Resolved that the continuation certificate, continuing the Bond of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, bonding Milton L. Burns, as Town Clerk be and the same is hereby approved.

It was suggested that the Supervisor appoint a committee to look into the matter of regulating the Parking of automobiles in the business section of Riverhead, and Supervisor Homan appointed Justice Burnside and Justice Conklin to act on such a committee.

Charles O. Downs, Supt. of Highways, addressed the Board, and requested that the compensation of John C. Stark, as Deputy Supt. of Highways be fixed at this time and asked that the compensation be increased from that which has been formerly paid.

Justice Burnside moved that the compensation of John C. Stark, as Deputy Supt. of Highways be fixed at \$4.00 per day for not exceeding two hundred days per year.

Justice Burnside then withdrew the foregoing motion and the following resolution was duly made, seconded and carried. Resolved that the compensation of John C. Stark as Deputy Superintendent of Highways be and the same hereby is fixed at \$3.00 per day for not exceeding three hundred days per year.

A roll call vote on the foregoing resolution was as follows:

Justice Penny,	Yes.
Justice Conklin,	Yes.
Justice Miller,	Yes.
Justice Burnside,	Yes.
Town Clerk Burns,	Yes.
Supervisor Homan,	Yes.

Total Yes 6 - No. 0.

Robert P. Griffing, President of the Board of Education of School District #5, presented a petition containing 470 names, requesting the re-appointment of Elmer Conklin,

as Special Constable.

The matter of an increase in the compensation of Byron Rogers, as Clerk of the Board of Assessors, was next taken up.

It was moved and seconded that the compensation of Byron Rogers as Clerk of the Board of Assessors be increased \$200.00 per year.

A roll call vote on the foregoing resolution was as follows:-

Justice Penny,	--	No.
Justice Conklin,	Yes.	--
Justice Miller,	---	No.
Justice Burnside,	Yes	--
Town Clerk Burns,	Yes	--
Supervisor Homan,	---	No.
Total	Yes 3	No. 3

The above resolution was thereupon declared not carried

Lorimer M. Raynor, Attendance Officer, addressed the Board and requested permission of said Board to purchase the necessary books for use in the performance of his duties as Attendance Officer.

On motion duly made, seconded and carried it was Resolved that the request of Lorimer M. Raynor as Attendance Officer, for permission to purchase the necessary books for use in his duties as Attendance Officer be granted and the same is hereby granted.

The Lighting Committee reported that they would recommend that a street light be installed on Cemetery Avenue, near the entrance to St. Isidor's Church and that the present light near Main Street on Fishel Avenue be moved to the corner of Fishel Avenue and the new town highway leading west therefrom, near the residence of Henry Jeffries, and that a street light be installed at the junction of Fishel Avenue and Main Street.

On motion duly made, seconded and carried it was Resolved that the recommendation of the Lighting Committee be accepted and that the L. I. Lighting Company be instructed to install a street light on Cemetery Avenue, at the entrance of St. Isidor's Church, to move the present light on

Fishel Avenue, near Main Street to the corner of Fishel Avenue and the new road leading west therefrom, near the residence of Henry Jeffries and to install a street light at the junction of Main Street and Fishel Avenue.

Forrest G. Downs, Receiver of Taxes, addressed the Board and requested that an extension of time of one week be allowed his clerk, making the total number of weeks granted this clerk to be three.

On motion and vote, it was Resolved that the request of Forrest G. Downs for an additional week for his clerk be and the same is hereby granted and that the compensation of said clerk be the same as heretofore allowed.

On motion duly made, seconded and carried it was Resolved that the Supervisor be and he is hereby authorized to pay such orders as may be drawn by the Supt. of Highways for the grading of the Griffing Property pursuant to the agreement therefore, to an amount not exceeding \$1389.31 the same being the balance of monies raised for curbing West Main Street and now contained in the General Highway Balance.

Harry Brown addressed the Board and brought the matter of printing the expenditures of the Town in the local papers, before the Board.

It was suggested that the Supervisor appoint a committee consisting of two Justices, who with the Supervisor should look into the matter of printing the expenditures of the Town.

Supervisor Homan appointed Justice Penny and Justice Miller, a committee with the Supervisor as head of same, to look into the matter of printing the Town expenditures.

Charles O. Downs addressed the Board and requested that the Board approve of the purchase of two Fordson Tractors and plows for the use of the Town on the Highways.

On motion duly made, seconded and carried it was Resolved that this Board approve the request of Town Supt. of Highways, Charles O. Downs for the purchase of two Fordson Tractors and plows.

A roll call vote on the foregoing resolution was as follows:-

Supervisor Homan,	Yes.	
Town Clerk Burns,	Yes.	
Justice Burnside,	Yes.	
Justice Penny,	Yes.	
Justice Conklin,	Yes.	
Justice Miller,	Yes.	
Total	<u>Yes 6</u>	<u>No. 0.</u>

On motion and vote, the meeting adjourned to meet on February 1, 1928 at 3 P. M.

Milton L Burns

Milton L. Burns, Town Clerk.