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Ordinance No. 1

— Streets —

Be it enacted by the Town Council of the Town of Hammond that the streets placed & named on the original plan of Hammond, as surveyed by N. F. Ayer and such additions thereto and alterations as are shown in the plat of said town and adopted by the Town of Hammond and filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court of Tangipahoe Parish are hereby declared and made public thoroughfares.

This Ordinance shall be in force from and after its publication.

Published September 5th 1889
W. E. Libby — City Clerk
H. C. Mooney — Mayor

Amended as above July 6th 1899
Minute book page 128
J. L. Adams — Clerk
J. R. Saunders — Mayor pro tem

Note Plat filed above on August 29. 1900 with Clerk of Court of Tangipahoe Parish

Ordinance No. 2. repealed May 25/1899

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Ordinance No 3. (2)

Trains blocking crossings

Be it enacted by the Town Council of Hammond, that it shall be unlawful and it is hereby declared a misdemenour on the part of the Conductor of any train, except the trains carrying the U. S. mail, to allow his train to stop on, or block any public crossing for a space of time exceeding five (5) minutes.

Any violation of this law shall be punished by a fine of not less than five (5) dollars, nor exceeding twenty five (25) dollars.

This Ordinance shall be in force from and after its publication in the Hammond Leader.

Published September 5th 1889

W. E. Libby
City Clerk.

H. C. Mooney
Mayor

Ordinance No 4

Ordinance No. 5

Relative to duty of Street Commissioner & road labor.

Adopted, November 14th 1889.

W. E. Libby Clerk

H. C. Mooney Mayor

Put in force after adoption of Charter February 1899, and at the time of revision of Ordinances in May 1899 as follows.

Be it enacted that the Street Commissioner shall have general supervision of all the streets, alleys, roads, bridges, drains, culverts and public grounds, and shall cause the same to be kept clean and in good repair, and do such other acts and things in relation to improvements as he shall from time to time be directed by the Town Council

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Ordinance No 11.

Providing for Sidewalks

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Council of the Town of Hammond, that whereas it shall become necessary in the judgement of the Town Council, it shall become necessary to grade any street or Avenue, in said Town or to make or construct, any ditch, drain or passageway for surface water, or any sidewalk or pavement or make any other local improvement, except ordinary repairs; said Council shall pass an ordinance to that effect, which ordinance shall specify the character, locality, and description of such proposed local improvements, and when so ordered, if the estimated cost thereof exceed twenty five dollars, the contract for making the same shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

Section 2. The grade for sidewalks shall be given, in the several wards of the Town, by the Street Commissioner until a permanant grade shall be established by the Town Council. It shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner to superintend the construction of sidewalks, so far as it may be necessary to compel their construction of material and in the manner prescribed in this act.

Section 3. If any person shall build or aid in building any sidewalk, when no grade has been established, without first obtaining a grade therefor from the Street Commissioner, or contrary to any

No 11. grade which may be obtained from the Street Commissioner, or shall build or assist in building contrary to any grade which may hereafter be established by the Town Council, or contrary to any provisions of this act, he shall, in either case, be subject to a penalty of Ten Dollars for every offence, and to a like penalty for every day he shall fail, after being notified by the Street Commissioner, to remove or reconstruct the same.

4 Section 4. Sidewalks hereafter constructed shall be not less than three (3) nor more than ten (10) feet wide on top, unless otherwise ordered by the Town Council; the surface or top covering to be laid with brick, or with good heart pine, or cypress planks at least two inches thick, well spiked to stringers each not less in size than 4 x 4 inches, not farther apart than four feet from centre to centre, sidewalks shall be extended into the street to the street crossing, or cross walk. The street crossing shall be made of 3 inch plank, to be laid upon firmly spiked, heart pine or cypress sleepers cross walks to have wings with a 2" drop

6 Section 6. The cost and expense of making and repairing sidewalks shall be paid by the property owners, under the direction of the Town Council in conformity with Sec: 34 of Legislative Act No 136 of 1898

8 Section 8 That no person shall obstruct any street, sidewalk, alley or other public ground, by placing thereon any building materials, or any article or thing whatever

without first having obtained written permission from the Street Commissioner under a penalty of $5.00 for each day or part of day such incumbrance or obstruction shall continue.

9. Section 9. The Street Commissioner is hereby vested, under the supervision of the Town Council, with the general charge of the streets and public grounds of the Town, and it is made his duty and also that of the Mayor and Marshall to order the immediate removal of any article or thing whatsoever, that may encumber any street, sidewalk or other public ground and if such article or thing shall not be removed within one hour after the notice to the owner thereof to remove the same, or if the owner cannot be found for the purpose of such notice, to cause the same to be removed to some suitable place to be designated by the Mayor, and the owner of any article so removed, shall forfeit a penalty of not less than 5 nor more than Fifty dollars in addition to the cost of such removal.

11 Section 11 The owner of any building, fence, or other obstruction now standing, or which may hereafter be erected or placed upon any street or sidewalk, or other public grounds, within the town, shall remove the same within thirty days after he shall be required to do so by a written notice signed by the Mayor, under a penalty of (25) twenty-five dollars, and one hundred dollars additional for every thirty days the same shall remain.

Whereas, the owner of any building fence or other obstruction upon any street or

sidewalk, or public ground in this town shall refuse or neglect to remove the same, after notice, as provided in the preceeding section, the same shall be declared a nuisance, and it shall be lawful for the Mayor to declare the same, to be removed, or taken down in his discretion, and the expense thereof shall be incurred by the owner, in an action of assumpsit, and every person who shall oppose or resist the execution of the Orders of the Mayor in the premises shall forfeit a penalty of Fifty dollars.

12. Section 12. No person shall throw or deposit any straw, dirt, filth, chips, shells, paper or any other rubbish in any street, or any public ground in this Town, under a penalty of not less than one or more than ten dollars for each offense, and the like penalty for every hour the same shall be suffered to remain after notice to remove the same be given by the Mayor, Marshall or Street Commissioner

13. Section 13. Any person who shall obstruct or aid, or abet any person or persons in obstructing the Street Commissioner in the discharge of his duties, as presented in the foregoing sections, shall forfeit and pay to the Town, not less than five nor more than twenty dollars for each offense

14 Section 14. There shall be reserved a space of 10 feet from the street line of every lot in the city for sidewalk purposes, which shall be kept free from all obstruction, provided it shall be lawful for the owners of any real estate to plant shade or ornamental trees, awning

posts, hitching posts on a 10 ft from the street line of the same

15 Section 15 Any person or persons who shall sell, or attempt to sell, or shall cry at public auction within the Town, any goods, chattell or personal property whatever, to any person upon the sidewalk or streets, so as to collect a crowd of people upon the said sidewalk or street, whereby the free passage of persons is prevented or hindered, shall be deemed guilty of a nuisance, and of obstructing the sidewalk or street and shall be heavily fined in a sum of not less than eight, nor more than Fifty dollars for each offense

16 Section 16. No person shall cross or pass over any sidewalk, with any horse, horses, mules, oxen, wagons, carriages, or other vehicle, whatever, or ride or drive thereon, except it be necessary to cross the same to get into a yard or lot, when no other suitable crossing, or means of access is provided under a penalty of two dollars for each offense.

17 Section 17 It shall be the duty of the Mayor, Marshall, or Street Commissioner to cause any obstruction erected, placed, or continued, contrary to the provisions of this ordinance to be removed in a reasonable time after notice to that effect, by either of the Officers aforesaid, has been served upon the party or parties, erecting, placing or continuing such obstruction, and the owner, agent, or party causing such obstruction shall pay all expenses and costs of such removal in addition to the penalties aforesaid.

No 11.

Date Read and finally passed August 5th 1890, and ordered to be published in the Hammond Leader.
Attest W. E. Libby Clerk O. B. Spish Mayor

Date Amended as above June 13th 1899.
Minute book page 126

J. L. Adams Clerk.

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Relative to Licences - Special -

Ordinance No 12.

Be it enacted, and it is hereby
ordained, by the Town Council of
the Town of Hammond, that
Ordinance No 12 shall read as follows

1 Section 1 No license shall be issued
for selling or giving away, any wine
or spiritous liquors in any quantities
2. Section 2. Any person or firm, who
shall keep or use for remunerative
purposes in any sense, any bowling
alley, billiard table, or other table
or fixtures for games, shall pay
annually the sum of Fifteen dollars
for each table or fixture, or who shall
erect or use any shooting gallery, or
place for practice, for hire or compen-
-sation, shall pay Fifteen dollars per
annum, or five dollars for every day
for a shorter term than one year
3 Section 3. Any person who shall
exhibit for compensation any statuary
painting wax figures or similar articles
or wild animals, shall pay not more than
Twenty dollars, or less than one dollar
for every day such exhibits shall continue
and any exhibition of sleight of hand
rope walking, or tricks of ventriloquism,
or other similar exhibition, shall pay
not more than Ten dollars, nor less
than Three dollars for every day.
Any person who shall exhibit any kind
of show for pay not enumerated (except
for religious or moral purposes) shall pay
not less than Three dollars, nor more than

See Dale license law

See Ord 106 p. 166

One hundred dollars, to be determined or decided by the Mayor or in his absence by the Clerk or Treasurer.

4 Section 4. Any circus or like performance with an admittance fee of more than twenty five cents, shall pay not less than Fifty nor more than One hundred dollars for each day. Any person who shall sell, or expose for sale at Auction, any goods, wares or merchandise, shall pay a license of not more than Ten dollars, or one hundred dollars per year, but no such yearly license shall be granted for less than three months, but no license shall be required of any town or Parish Officer, in the discharge of his official duties, or for the sale by any administration, or execution of any estate, in the sale of such estate, or for the sale of any household goods, or farming implements, or general effects of any resident of the town.

5. Section 5. Every peddlar of any kind of wares, or merchandise, not raised or manufactured within twenty miles of the town, and sold by a citizen of the parish, shall pay a license of not less than one or more than five dollars.

6 Section 6. Every application for license shall be made to the Mayor, and he shall determine the fee to be paid and shall certify the same to the Clerk, who shall collect the fees, and issue the license under the seal of the Town;- The Mayor may determine the place of sale by any auctioneer, or other salesmen named in any of the foregoing sections; any sale or attempt to sell otherwise, shall forfeit the license

Any person not named in the License and who shall attempt to use the same or who shall attempt to evade a license shall be subject to a fine of double the amount of fees, named in said license, and a further liability to pay for a license in his own name, and liable to all costs of collection and stand committed to jail until paid.

Read and finally passed September 5th., and ordered published in the Hammond Leader and enforced thereafter

Attest W. E. Libby
Clerk.

O. B. Irish
Mayor

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Ordinance No 13

Relative to the discharge of Firearms within the town limits.

Be it enacted and it is hereby ordained by the Council of the Town of Hammond.
That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, to discharge any gun, revolver, or fire arm within the limits of the town of Hammond and any person so doing shall be declared guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction he shall be fined or imprisoned or both at the discretion of the Mayor.
The fine not to exceed twenty-five dollars, nor the imprisonment to exceed twenty days, and he or they shall stand committed until all fines and costs are paid
Provided
That any person, may, upon his own premises, use firearms for the destruction of birds or wild animals, for the protection of his fruit or other property but not to the damage or detriment of his neighbour Septr. 2nd 1890
Read, approved and laid over.
October 7th 1890, adopted & ordd. printed
W. E. Libby O.B. Irish
Clerk. Mayor
Amended to read as above May 31st 1899
Minute book page 123
J. Q. Adams W. E. Libby
Clerk Mayor-pro tem

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Ordinance No 15

Relative to claims due tax payers.

Be it enacted and it is hereby ordained by the Council of the Town of Hammond.

That all persons having, and presenting claims against the town, who are indebted for Corporation taxes, shall have such amount of tax deducted from said claim, before voucher for the balance of the claim shall be issued

This ordinance shall go into effect on and after its adoption.

Read, approved & adopted July 14th 1891

D. M. Durkee
Clerk

A. Desouge
Mayor

Ordinance No 16

Relative to jumping on or off moving trains.

Be it enacted and it is hereby ordained by the Council of the Town of Hammond.

That it shall be unlawful and it is hereby declared a misdemenour on the part of any person or persons, to jump on or off railway trains, within the limits of the Corporation, while in motion, and it shall be the duty of the Marshall to arrest any such person or persons, and they shall be fined or imprisoned or both at the discretion of the Mayor; The fine to be not less than One dollar, nor more than Five dollars, and the imprisonment not to exceed Ten days, and he or they shall stand committed until all costs are paid Provided, that any person so arrested and fined, may commute the same by working on the streets at fifty cents per day and board.

This ordinance will not apply to employes of, and passengers on the trains of the Railroad Co.

This ordinance shall go into effect on and after its adoption.

Read, approved & adopted Decr. 1st 1891

D. M. Durkee
Clerk

U. Desouge
Mayor

Ordinance No 17

An Ordinance providing for a school building, the borrowing of money and the issuing of bonds, therefor

Building built & money paid back.

Ordinance No 20

Relative to survey of streets

An act to provide for the survey of doubtful streets, and surveys of contested lines in the town of Hammond.

Be it enacted by the Town Council of the town of Hammond, that whereas they have ordered certain side-walks built in said city, and where there is any contest as to the line upon the part of property owners, and the said property owners require a legal survey of said line established by the Parish Surveyor before he will build sidewalk as required by ordinance No 11, in relation to building sidewalks, that it shall be the duty of the street Commissioner to order a survey of the said lot, or block or property, to be made by the Parish surveyor, and the lines established by said surveyor; that the expense be paid by the party in error in case of all contested lines

Be it further enacted, that whereas the property owner shall become liable to pay the expense of the survey as above provided for, the same shall be collected as provided for in Ordinance No 11

This Ordinance to be in full force and effect after promulgation.

Adopted July 17th 1894

M. Desouge
Mayor

W S Skinner
Clerk

Owner

Ordinance No 22.

An ordinance to prohibit gambling by the game of craps and cards or otherwise, and to provide penalties therefor.

See Ord #102

- Ordinance No 25 -

Relative to Auction of Live stock and their control.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, and Board of town trustees in Council convened, that any auctioneer of horses or cattle, the sale being made in public in the town of Hammond La shall pay a license of not less than $5.00 per day for the privilege of sale.

But the paid privilege does not give the right to lead or drive wild un-broken horses or cattle through the principle business streets to the risk of life or limb, and be it further ordained that no stallion or ridgling shall be hitched in the principle streets on account of the danger arising from leaving that class animals without his master

And be it further enacted that all persons are prohibited from riding or driving wild or unbroken horses or cattle within the radius of the following streets

From Church street North, to Hanson st. South, and from Holly street on East side of R. R. to Pine street on West side of R. R.

And it is further ordained that any person or persons violating this ordinance, shall, upon conviction thereof, pay a fine of not less than $2.50 ¢ nor more than $10.00 or be imprisoned in the town lock up not less than Ten days, or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

On motion the above & foregoing ordinance was adopted & ord^d that the same go into effect from & after its promulgation. Adopted June 5 1895

Jno W Skinner
Clerk

L. Desouge

Ordinance No. 29.

Relative to Electric light franchise

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Hammond La, that the Hammond Ice Co.

Franchise extended.
Corporation extinct.

Ordinance No. 32.

Relative to School trustees for Municipality.

1 Section 1 Be it enacted and it is hereby ordained by the authority invested in this Council by the Charter;- The Council of the town of Hammond shall, on the 1st Tuesday in May 1896, and annually thereafter, appoint three school directors who shall serve for one year or until their successors are appointed

2. Section 2. - Be it further ordained that the school directors shall have entire control of Block No. 69, and the buildings thereon, and be responsible to the town for their good preservation, make rules for their protection during school session, see that they are at all times adequately insured, and make such recommendations to the town Council for improvements as in their judgement the growth of the town or advancement of education may require.

3 Section 3. Be it ordained that it shall be the duty of said school directors to meet with the town Council on the 1st Tuesday of June of each year to present their budget of expenses for the fiscal year next succeeding (or following). After due consideration and such alterations as the Council may deem proper, said budget shall be then agreed upon by said directors and trustees of said town of Hammond, and this shall be the school budget for the fiscal year aforesaid.

4 Section 4. Be it ordained, that the said directors shall have placed to their credit with the town treasurer the amount of fund

as above agreed upon, to be by said directors, drawn by the issuance of vouchers, signed by the President and Secretary of the School Board stating that it is for school purposes, and what those purposes are. An itemized account shall be kept by the Secretary in a suitable bound book, which book may be inspected by the Board of town trustees at any time.

5 Section 5. Be it further ordained that the above mentioned budget, and such other income as is derived from the parish, state and state laws, shall constitute the total income for school purposes. That the said total income is to be expended by the said directors for the preservation of the school buildings, and the promotion of learning, as in their judgement will be to the highest interest of all concerned in the advancement of education

5 The said directors shall decide upon the number and grade of teachers, and the number of months to be taught; the price to be paid the teacher of each grade, and make contracts for the town with paid teacher, approve the rules of government and of branches taught, have power to collect fuel and incidental fees and all such other powers granted to directors of schools under state or parochial laws, but the said directors shall not expend any more in any one fiscal year than the income for that year, and before the close of each fiscal year the secretary of said school board shall make an itemized statement of all receipts and expenditures to the town Council accompanied

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with such recommendations, if any, as said school board may make

6 Section 6. Be it further ordained that any resolution or resolutions heretofore passed not consistant with this Ordinance are hereby repealed

7 Section 7. Be it further ordained that this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication

Adopted July 7th 1896

Jno W Skinner
Clerk.

T. W. Gale
Mayor

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— Ordinance No 34 —

Relative to fire limits

Repealed

Be it enacted and it is hereby ordained by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Town of Hammond La. in council convened.

1 Section 1. That a fire district for the town of Hammond be, and is hereby made to include the following squares; viz:- Squares Nos. 58, 59, 62 & 63 on East side of the Illinois Central right of way, and Squares Nos. 57 & 64 on the West side of said Railroad right-of way.

2 Section 2. And be it further enacted that no building shall be erected on the above and foregoing described & numbered squares 58, 59, 62, 63, and 57 & 64, without a permit from Board of Town Trustees

3 Section 3. Be it further enacted and it is hereby ordained; that any one violating this ordinance, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law

4 Section 4. And be it further enacted that all ordinances or parts of ordinances coming in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Adopted August 4th 1896.

Jno W Skinner
Secty

T. W. Cate
Mayor

Repealed by Ordinance No.

Ordinance No. 35

Relative to width of streets

Be it enacted and it is hereby ordained by the Mayor and Board of town trustees, that on and after the adoption and publication of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful to establish any public street within the incorporated limits of the town of Hammond at a width less than sixty feet.

Read and adopted February 2nd 1897.

Jno. W. Skinner
Sec'y

Thos. W. Cate
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 37.

Relative to right-of-way, for the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co.

Whereas the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co, a corporation operating in Louisiana, Kentucky, Tennessee and other states, proposes to erect and operate a telephone line, between Memphis, Tenn, and New Orleans, La and after the erection of said line, obligates itself to locate a public long distance station in Hammond, also to establish a local telephone system and exchange in the town of Hammond, if the patronage offered will seem to justify said enterprise.

Now be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of town trustees of the said town of Hammond, La, at a special session assembled, that said Telephone Co its successors and assigns for the purpose of carrying out the above designs, shall have the privilege of erecting their said telephone line or lines in and part of the streets of said town of Hammond, La, and maintaining same

Provided that the placing of the poles of said telephone lines in the said streets, shall be in accordance with the directions of the Mayor of Hammond La, to the end that said poles shall be so located as not to obstruct the public use of said streets

Jno W. Skinner Sec'y E. M. Gallup Mayor

Ordinance No 41.

Be it enacted by the City Council of Hammond, La, that
Whereas the streets of the town of Hammond, belong to the municipality it is hereby ordered that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, to remove any dirt, sod, or filling from said streets for private use.

Any one violating the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be fined not less than $3.00 nor more than $50.00, or in default of the amount of fine imposed, same parties shall be imprisoned, not less than five, nor more than fifteen days, at the discretion of the Mayor.

Read & adopted December 6th 1898

Jno W Skinner
Secty.

H. A Rohnke
Mayor

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Ordinance No 44

Relative to Fire Department

Section 1 Be it ordained by the Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Hammond, that we recognize in the Hammond Fire department, a volunteer organization, a valuable and necessary part of our town government

Section 2. Be it further ordained that in case of any fire within the town limits, upon the arrival of said fire department at the fire, the burning building or buildings and such adjacent property as shall be required to control the fire, shall be placed under exclusive control of said fire department, acting under its proper officers.

Section 3. Be it also ordained that in order to preserve order at the fire, and to enforce the foregoing provisions, the Mayor upon the recommendation of the Chief of the Fire department, and the approval of the Board of Aldermen, shall appoint one member of the Fire department to act as Fire Marshall, to have authority during and until the fire is extinguished such Fire Marshall to be appointed and serve for one year from the 1st of May, unless removed for cause by the Mayor.

Section 4. Be it further ordained that any one interfering with the work of the Fire department while engaged in putting out or controlling a fire, shall be subject to arrest by the Fire Marshall

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or the Town Marshall, and upon conviction of such offense in the Mayor's Court, shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars or be imprisoned in the town jail not more than ten days, or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 5 Be it further ordained that the compensation of the Fire Marshall, shall be the same as provided for the town Marshall, in case of arrest and conviction.

Adopted May 4th 1899

J. L. Adams
Clerk.

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 45.

Making the running at large of Hogs a Public nuisance, and providing for abating same.

Be it enacted, and it is hereby ordained by the Mayor & Council of the Town of Hammond in regular session convened; That in accordance with the 3rd and 15th divisions of section 15 of act 136 of 1898, the running at large within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond of hogs, goats, sheep, bulls and stallions is hereby declared a nuisance, and as such it is hereby declared unlawful for the owner of any such animal mentioned above, to allow the same to roam at large within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond.

Be it further ordained, that it shall be the duty of the town Marshall to seize and take up any such animal running at large, and it shall be the duty of the Town Marshall to notify the owner of such animals if he be known, and also to post a notice of the seizure at the post office, on the Bulletion board there placed, and if such animal be not claimed within five days, it shall be sold by the town Marshall at auction, and the proceeds turned over to the town treasurer, and by him held for the benefit of the town for thirty days after the sale, at the expiration of which time it shall become the property of the town and be placed to the credit of the street

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fund.

And be it further ordained, that the owner of any such animal, who shall allow the same to become a nuisance, by allowing such animal to roam at large, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanour and shall upon conviction in the Mayor's Court be fined not more than twenty-five dollars and costs, or imprisonment not more than ten days.

Be it further enacted, that this act shall take effect from and after its passage, and all laws or parts of laws inconsistant or in conflict herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed

Adopted June 6th 1899

J. L. Adams
Clerk

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

Ordinance No 47.

Relative to Vagrancy.

Repealed by Ord 75, p 116

Whereas complaints have been made of the annoyance to the public by persons unauthorized congregating about the R. R. depot;

Be it enacted and it is hereby ordained, by the Council of the town of Hammond, that it shall be unlawful, and it is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor for any person or persons, to congregate, loiter or hang around any Railroad depot, Church, Public Hall, or other place or places, where they are not employed or do not have business requiring their presence.

Be it further ordained, that it shall be the duty of the Night-Watchman and Town Marshall, to disperse any or all loafers; And it shall be the duty of said Officers, ~~to arrest persons refusing to leave~~ any place mentioned above, at the request of either of said Officers, or the persons in charge thereof, and to present him before the Mayor's Court, which, upon conviction shall impose a fine of not more than five or less than one dollar, or labor on the public streets not over five days or both fine & labor at the discretion of the Mayor, this amount of fine to cover the cost of arrest

Adopted October 10th 1899

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

J. L. Adams
Clerk

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Ordinance No 48

An Ordinance against swimming or bathing in the nude state in the Public waters of the town of Hammond.

The town Council of Hammond ordains

That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to bathe or swim in the nude state in any of the creeks, bayous, and public places in the town of Hammond, La, between the rising and the setting of the sun.

Any person or persons violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall, on conviction there of in the Mayor's Court be fined not less than $ 5.0 nor more than $ 25., or in default of payment thereof, shall be imprisoned in the town not exceeding ten days, or until said fine is paid.

This Ordinance shall take effect on and after its passage and publication

Adopted April 3rd 1900

J. D. Adams
Clerk.

N. A. Kohnke
Mayor

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its Cars, shall use and occupy said streets and alleys, so as to interfere as little as possible, with their use by the public, and shall restore such streets and alleys to the same condition they are now in, compatible with the construction of such Railroad and the running of such trains.

Passed 7th day of August 1900.

Approved August 8th 1900

J. D. Adams
Secty of the Council.

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor.

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Ordinance No 50

Relative to nuisances affecting the Public health

Be it enacted and it is hereby ordain-ed by the Mayor and town Council of the town of Hammond:

That it shall be unlawful for any property owner, or any resident of said town of Hammond to permit any cess pool, privy or any other accum-ulation of filth, on their property, or that over which they have control, to become in such a condition as to be injurious to the health of any of the inhabitants of said town.

Be it further ordained that it shall be unlawful for any person to permit or cause to be deposited in the gutters or streets of the town of Hammond, any filth, or slops, or other vegtable or animal matter or refuse from the buildings or premises over which they have control, to the detriment of the health of any of the inhabitants of said town.

Be it further enacted that whoever violates any of the foregoing provisions shall be deemed to have committed a nuisance, and is guilty of a misdemenor and upon conviction in the Mayor's Court shall be subject to a fine of not less than Five or more than Fifty dollars or imprisonment for not more than 25 days.

That after conviction for a violation of this Ordinance, any continuence of the same nuisance shall be a new offence

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Be it further ordained that this Ordinance shall go into effect immediately after its adoption and its first publication

Adopted October 2nd 1900
Approved Octr 3rd 1900

H. A. Rohnke
Mayor

J. L. Adams
Clerk

Ordinance No 52.

Be it ordained and it is hereby enacted by the town Council of the town of Hammond in regular session convened.

That in accordance with the request and plat on file by the Illinois Central Railroad Company permission is hereby granted the Illinois Central Railroad Company to move their turn-table and place the same at a point on West Railroad Avenue twenty feet South of the South East Corner of Coleman Avenue, and for that purpose the East twenty feet of said West Railroad Avenue commencing at a point ten feet South of the South East corner of Coleman Avenue is declared vacant, and not a public thoroughfare for a distance of one hundred and eighty feet South

Provided that this Ordinance is only for the purpose of locating said turn table on said West Railroad Avenue, and does not confer any further grant or privilege; And further Provided - That if for any cause said turntable should be removed from the site herein granted, then the property or Avenue shall be vacated, and returned to the town of Hammond, said R. R. Co. agreeing to fill up any excavation made

Adopted September 4th 1901

J. L. Adams
Clerk

H A Kohnke
Mayor

Ordinance No 53.

Relative to Bicycle riding on sidewalk

Be it ordained by the town Council of the town of Hammond, in regular sessions convened, that on and after the passage of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful and it is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor for any person to ride a bicycle upon any sidewalk within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond.

And further, if any person shall after the passage of this act, ride a bicycle on a sidewalk of the Town of Hammond, he or she shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and subject to a fine of not exceeding Five Dollars and costs or be imprisoned in the jail of the town of Hammond not less than one day, nor more than five days, to be imposed by the Mayor upon conviction for the violation of this Ordinance.

And further it is hereby made the duty of the Town Marshall for the town of Hammond to arrest and take before the Mayor any person violating this Ordinance.

Adopted Nov 5th 1901

J. L. Adams
Clerk

W. E. Libby
Mayor pro tem

Omit

- Ordinance No 54 -

An Ordinance ordering a special election at which shall be submitted to the property tax payers of the town of Hammond, entitled to vote under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the question of levying a special tax in aid of the Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern R. R. of (5) five mills on the dollar per annum, in strict conformity to the petition of more than one-third of the property tax payers of said town, hereto annexed, and made part hereof, and subject to the conditions set forth in the said petition.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the town Council of the town of Hammond (on May 20th 1902) in regular session convened That a special election be held in the Town of Hammond on May 20th 1902 at which election shall be submitted to the property tax payers of the Town of Hammond who are entitled to vote, under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the question of levying a special tax of (5) five mills on the dollar on the assessed value of all the taxable property in said town annually, for the period of (10) ten years to wit:— For the years 1903, 1904 1905, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911 & 1912, in aid of the Baton Rouge Hammond and Eastern Railroad, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana and domiciled in the City of Baton Rouge as hereinbefore described in the petition of the property tax payers of said Town of Hammond.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c

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That the said special election shall be held under and in pursuance of the general election laws of the State of Louisiana, and at the polling places in said town at which the last town election was held, and the ballots shall be printed in accordance with law

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That the Board of Supervisors of Elections of the Parish of Tangipahoe are hereby requested to appoint commissioners and clerks of election at said polling places, to give due notice of said appointments and of the time and places of holding said special election, and to make returns of said election to the Secretary of State and the Mayor of the town of Hammond, who shall announce and promulgate the result of said election according to law.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That the name of each voter shall be endorsed on his or her ballot. The commissioners of election shall receive the ballots of all the property tax payers of the said Town of Hammond who are entitled to vote under the laws of Louisiana and said commissioners shall make returns of the votes and amounts of the assessed value of the property voted for & against the levy of the said special tax

Section 5. Be it further ordained &c That this Ordinance, and the petition of the tax payers, be published in the official journal of the Town of Hammond for full thirty clear days previous to the date of holding said election and that this Ordinance shall take effect from & after its passage —

J. L. Adams
Clerk

N. A. Kohnke
Mayor

Petition
Call for Special election

To the Mayor & Council of the Town of Hammond. La.

Gentlemen,

We the undersigned comprising more than one-third of the property tax payers of the town of Hammond, as appears by assessment roll of said town in view of the great benefits to be derived by said town from the construction and operation of a railroad between the City of Baton Rouge and the towns of Hammond and Covington and eastwardly to and beyond Pearl river, respectfully petition your honorable body to levy a special tax of (5) five mills per annum, for a period of 10 years, upon the taxable property of said town of Hammond, in aid of the Baton Rouge, Hammond and Eastern R. R. a corporation domiciled at Baton Rouge, in the parish of East Baton Rouge, La, and organized under the laws of Louisiana, for the purpose of building & operating a railroad between the city of Baton Rouge in the parish of East Baton Rouge, Hammond in the parish of Tangipahoe, and thence beyond to such points in Pearl River, and in the States of Louisiana and Mississippi and also to such points & places on Mississippi Sound and the Gulf of Mexico, as the Board of directors of such corporation may determine

That said tax be levied for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910 1911 & 1912.

Provided, however, that no part of said tax shall be levied, collected or paid over to said

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railroad, until said railroad be completed and in operation between the City of Baton Rouge and the Town of Hammond, with suitable depots for passenger and freight traffic within such City and town; and that should said railroad be not so constructed and in operation before the first day of September of any year, for which such tax is levied, then the tax levied for that year and all previous years shall be forfeited and no part thereof shall be collected.

We further petition your honorable body to order an election according to law, and to proper Ordinance to submit said tax to a vote of the property tax payers of the Town of Hammond, in accordance with the Constitution & laws of the State of Louisiana

W. E. Libby	L. Thomas	O. J. Muncy
J. H. Bondurant	L. I. Way	J. W. Sentell
W. M. Wright	J. W. Brewer	Wm. Boos Sr.
J. S. Baltzell	R. M. Duke	B. M. Morrison
R. Lillie	J. E. Wilcombe	Joe Goldstein
J. M. Gould	Mrs. M. E. Willis	F. M. Brick
G. J. Goetsch	P. R. Baldwin	A. J. White
J. B. Adams	F. L. Crosby	S. L. Hill
L. E. Levy	J. P. Garig	M. Seib
W. R. Smith	C. G. Baltzell	J. M. Campbell
Wm. Livingstone	Mrs. J. B. Adams	F. Karlton
S. J. McDonald	H. A. Kohnke	E. Herbert
J. D. Arnold	H. C. Smith	A. B. Landphair
F. G. Stewart	L. C. Reed	J. F. Barnard
D. H. Matthews	G. E. Dunn	A. E. Dunker
L. D. Spencer	P. Saal	J. M. Foote
R. E. Carr	J. W. Thomas	C. E. Wood
L. E. Barnard	J. P. Holt	Jane M. Bach
H. A. Gould	C. A. Crowl	C. W. Babcock
Chas Bacon	B. Booth	J. Wolf

J. G. Lawson ✓
G. H. Sisson
G. W. Robinson
Geo Platt ✓
Willis Broy. ✓
G. Zimmerman
L. O. Perdue ✓
E. Boothe ✓
C. E. Cate ✓
Howard Welsh ✓
W R. Watson ✓
Dr. J. L. Robinson ✓
R. W. Smith.
D. W. Wolff
J. C. Albin
J. M. Humphreies

Ordinance No 55

Relative to Orders of Board of Health

Be it enacted and it is hereby ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Hammond, that whoever shall fail to comply with any order of the Municipal Board of Health, issued in accordance with Section 7 of Act 192 of 1898, shall be deemed to be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Be it further ordained, that whoever shall violate the foregoing provisions, shall upon conviction in the Mayor's Court, be subject to a fine of not more than Twenty five Dollars, nor less than Five Dollars or be imprisoned in the Town jail, not more than ten days.

Be it further ordained, that this ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage and first publication.

Adopted May 6th 1902

J. L. Adams
Clerk

F. R. Saunders
Mayor pro tem

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Ordinance No 56.

Relative of Health and B of H.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Council of Hammond that no person shall bring or cause to be brought into the limits of the Town of Hammond any hides, bones, peltry, rags or other articles whatsoever may tend to produce infection or in any way to injure or endanger health

Section 2. No person shall sell or offer or expose for sale in public or private any blown, stale, decaying, putrid rotten or unwholesome provisions, vegtables or fruits or tainted meats or fish or any impure or unsound food or any drink liable to be injurious to health, or the flesh of any animal that has died of disease, or which was diseased when killed That whosoever shall violate the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not to exceed twenty five dollars or be imprisoned in the town jail for a term not to exceed thirty days in default of the payment of the fine, to be imposed by the Mayor of the Town of Hammond provided that the fine shall not exceed twenty five days for each and every offense nor the imprisonment more than thirty days

Section 3. No person shall sell or offer for sale any unwholesome or watered or adulterated milk, or milk known as swill milk, or milk from cows fed on swill garbage, or other unhealthful matters or any butter or cheese made from any such milk or any unwholesome butter or cheese

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Section 4. All slaughter houses, dairy stables, and other places where animals are kept for any purpose whatever, shall be kept clean and wholesome by removal of all odor, urine, and other offensive matters, and by suitable cleansing as often as necessary. or at least once a week

Section 5. No lot shall be used for building purposes in the Town of Hammond until the same shall have been inspected by the street commissioner who shall give a certificate that such lot is filled above the level of the banquet and grades so as to be effectually drained into the street gutter, and upon such certificate all owners, agents, contractors and builders, are required to obtain permits from the Board of Health before commencing the erection of any buildings.

Section 6. The Board of Health may in its discretion, for the protection of life and health, declare any structure or place unhealthy, and may order such structure or place forthwith to be vacated & closed, and the same shall not be again occupied until it shall appear to have been so cleansed or repaired as to be fit for human habitation, and permission has been granted accordingly by the Board of Health. ✓

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Section 8. Whenever, in the opinion of the proper officers of the Board of Health any privy vault may require disinfecting or deodorizing the same shall be done by the owner, or tenant of the premises upon an order therefor within 36 hours

Section 7. No person shall commit a nuisance in any public street, square, or other place, whereby the purity of the atmosphere is liable to suffer

Section 9. The sexton of the various cemetaries of the Town of Hammond have authority upon proper application of the owners or heirs of tombs, vaults & graves to open the same, but no tombs vaults and graves shall be opened before one year for an adult and six months for a child, where human bodies have been interred, unless by a special permission from the Board of Health Provided, that no tomb, vault or grave shall be opened by any sexton, where death has resulted from any contagious disease, until two years have elapsed from the date of such death & buriel and no human body or remains, shall be disinterred or disentombed or removed or brought within the town limits without permission in writing from the proper officers of the Board of Health

Section 10. All practioners of medicine masters of any hotel, boarding or lodging house keepers, principles or masters of any public or private schools, the chief officers or persons in charge of any public institution of charity or punishment & and heads of families are hereby required to report within 24 hours to the Office of the Board of Health, all cases within their cognizance, presenting symptoms of Asiatic cholera, leprosy, yellow fever, typhus or ship fever, diptheria, scarletina or scarlet fever, small pox, varioloid, trichiniasis, or any other case that may at any other time be specified by the Board of Health

Section 11. That no person or persons shall bring into or within the limits of the town of Hammond, any animal sick with

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glanders. It is made the duty of the Officers of the Police force, and also of all owners or persons in charge of animals including veterinary surgeons to promptly report to the Board of Health any case or cases coming to their knowledge of animals sick with glanders, as also every case which may be regarded as suspicious or exhibiting symptoms of said disease.

It is further ordained that whenever any animal is pronounced glandered by the veterinary surgeon or by any other graduated and reputable veterinary surgeon, the Board of Health shall order the killing of such animal, and the disposition of the carcass, in such a manner as said Board of Health may deem safest. All animals suspected of glanders shall be isolated at owner's expense in such manner as said Board of Health may designate, until the true condition of the animal is established. Any owner of any animal having cause to suspect the same to be glanders or any veterinary surgeon treating any animal so suspected who shall fail to report immediately such suspected animal case to the Board of Health shall for such neglect & failure to thus report, be fined not exceeding twenty-five dollars or imprisoned not exceeding thirty days and any owner not submitting an animal suspected of being glandered, to investigation and proper inspection by the veterinary surgeon of the Board of Health for ascertainment of its condition, or not isolating a suspected animal as the Board of Health, or removing or killing or disposing

of any glandered or suspected animal in a manner contrary to the directions & intentions of Ordinance, shall for each offense be fined not more than twenty five dollars, or be imprisoned not more than Thirty days.

Section 12. The fees for permits issued by the local Board of Health of the Town of Hammond shall be as follows:— Building permits 50 ¢ each Permits for bringing a corpse into town 50 ¢ each.

Section 13. All citizens are hereby authorized to lodge complaints at the Office of the Board of Health, or with the sanitary inspector, of any violation of this Ordinance, and in Order to facilitate such complaints, books of complaint shall be kept at the Offices of the Board of Health and the sanitary inspector, and such books shall be at all times open for entering therein any complaints.

Section 14. No person shall wilfully obstruct hinder or resist any officer or person duly authorized by the Board of Health in the execution or enforcement of any sanitary ordinance or order of said board, or in entering into or upon any premises for the purpose of examining same.

Section 15 The penalty for violation of any section or portion of this ordinance shall be a fine not less than $5. nor exceed $25, recoverable before the Mayor's Court of the Town of Hammond in default of the payment of the fine & costs imprisonment, not exceeding thirty days for each and every offense.

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No child shall be admitted as a pupil in any public school unless he or she has been successfully vacanated.

All Health ordinances formerly in force in the Town of Hammond are hereby repealed and replaced by this Ordinance

Adopted Feby. 3. 1903

J. L. Adams
Clerk.

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

Replaced by Ord #43-CS

Ordinance N°57

Whereas the growth of the electrical business and the occupancy of our streets by persons engaged in telephone telegraph, electric light and power service, render it necessary that the erection of poles and wires be done in such a manner as to serve the public interests, and at the same time protect life & property, and whereas this protection cannot properly be afforded unless the operation of the various company's are subject to proper control, therefore be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond state of La.

Section 1. The wires of electrical purposes shall be divided into two classes as follows:— First class, those for telephone, telegraph, & signalling Second class:- Those for electric light & power

Section 2. Poles carrying wires of the first class, and poles carrying wires of the second class, shall be erected on opposite sides of the streets in all cases except where the physical conditions are such as to make this impossible, but permission to vary from this rule must be made by the proper authorities.

Section 3. Poles shall be of such height that the lowest wire shall not be nearer the ground than 19 feet, and the wires of any company shall not come nearer the wires of any other company than 24 in.

Section 4. Wires of the first class and wires of the second class, must not occupy the same poles, except at crossings, where the conditions may make it advisable

Section 5. Be it further ordained that this ordinance shall go into effect immediately in so far as any new work is concerned, and that any reconstruction of existing lines must be done in such a way in the future as will sever to seperate, according to the terms of this ordinance all existing lines according to their class.

Section 6. Any person firm or corporation erecting or having already located poles and wires not confirming to the rules herein laid down, shall be required to remove same promptly, upon twenty four hours written notice being given by the proper authorities to remove same, and unless so removed the work of removal may be done by the city at the expense of the owner.

Section 7. Any corporation, fiorm or person and any employee of any person firm or corporation, violating the terms of this Ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than $5 or more than $25 for such offense, and by imprisonment in default of payment of the fine of not more than ten days, each day the violation continues to constitute a seperate offense.

Section 8. All laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted April 7th 1903

J. L. Adams
Town Clerk

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

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Ordinance No 58

Relative to Peddling at trains

Repealed by Ord 108

Be it hereby ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Hammond in regular session convened.

That on and after the passage of this Ordinance it shall be unlawful, and it is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor for any person or persons to peddle, or engage in peddling at the trains of the Illinois Central R.R. Co within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond.

Any one violating this ordinance shall on conviction be subject to a fine of not less than one ($1) or more than five ($5) dollars, or imprisonment for not less than one (1) day or more than five (5) days or both at the discretion of the Mayor

Dated 7th day of June 1903

E. Richardson
Clerk

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

Ordinance No 59

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen in Council convened, That the Hammond Mineral Water Co. its successors, or assigns, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana, is hereby accorded & granted the right power and authority to erect and maintain in the Town of Hammond La, and in, over and through all streets highways, public ways and places therein all such wires, conductors, mains, and cables as shall be, or may become necessary to establish and extend as may be required, Electric lights, and a system of lighting by electricity and power in said Town of Hammond, and to supply the demand therefor and for electric lights, as such demand may arise or grow up, and also the right, power & authority in furtherance of the foregoing purposes & objects, to erect all such Poles or Masts, and lay all such wires, cables and mains under the surface of streets highways, public ways & places, and do all such things as may be or become necessary or expedient to carry out the said objects and purposes, in conformity with Ordinances of said Town of Hammond regulating the construction and maintenance of Electric light- Power & other wires.

Be it further ordained that in the event of the Town of Hammond La deciding at any time during the life of this Franchise to install an Electric light plant under municipal ownership, it shall have the right to purchase the Electric light plant installation, and property appurtenant

thereto, from said Hammond Mineral Water Co Ltd, its successors or assigns at the actual cost of it of the construction thereof, or under the appraisement of 3 competent authorities on the subject The Hammond Mineral Water Co Ltd; shall have the right and privilege to trim trees along its various routes, and cut same as the exigency of the service may require, by, and with the consent of the street commissioner of the Town of Hammond. La.

This Franchise and right is granted for the term of twenty years, from the date of acceptance by the Hammond Mineral Water Co Ltd, of the grants rights and franchises under this ordinance

Be it further ordained that the Mayor of the Town of Hammond is authorized to enter into and sign, a Notarial Contract with said Hammond Mineral Water Co Ltd for such rights as may be required by the Town Council of the said Town of Hammond. La,

Adopted July 9th 1902.

E. Richardson
Town Clerk.

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

Ordinance

Ordinance No 60

An ordinance to prohibit and restrain owners of stock from permitting horses, mules and cattle to run at large within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, between the hours of 7 in the evening and 5 in the morning

Ord #90.

Ordinance No 61

An ordinance providing fines & penalties for Keeping or aiding in Keeping disorderly houses.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La. That any person Keeping or aiding in Keeping a disorderly house within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, shall upon conviction be fined not less than $5.00 or more than $50.00 or imprisoned in the Town Jail not less than 5 days or more than 30 days or both, at the discretion of the Mayor

H. A. Kohnke.
Mayor.

Adopted this 1st day of December 1903

E. Richardson.
Clerk.

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Ordinance No. 62.

See Ord 71, p 112

An ordinance providing fines and penalties for committing assault & battery.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen; That any person who shall commit an assault and battery upon any person within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, and not in self defense or otherwise justified, upon conviction shall be fined not less than $1.00 nor more than $50.00, or imprisoned in the town jail not exceeding 30 days, or both, at the discretion of the Mayor.

Adopted 1st day of December 1903.

E. Richardson
Clerk.

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

Ordinance No 63.

An ordinance providing fines and penalties for committing assault

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen that any person who shall commit an assault upon any person within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond, upon conviction shall be fined not more than $10.00, or imprisoned not more than 10 days in the town jail or both at the discretion of the Mayor

Adopted 1st December 1903

E. Richardson
Clerk.

H. R. Kohnke
Mayor

Ordinance No 64

An ordinance to levy, collect, and enforce payment of an annual license tax upon all persons, association of persons, or business firms and corporations, pursuing any trade profession, vocation, calling or business except those who are expressly excepted from such license tax by Article 229 of the Constitution; and prescribing the mode and method in which certain persons, subject to license shall make report of their business.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond La,:- That there is hereby levied an annual license tax for the year A. D. 1904, and for each subsequent year, upon each person, association of persons, or business firms, or corporations, pursuing any trade, profession, vocation, calling or business within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, La.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c that, on the 2nd day of January 1904, and each subsequent year, the town tax collector shall begin to collect, and shall collect as fast as possible from each of the persons or business firms association of persons and corporations pursuing within this town any trade profession, vocation, calling or business a license tax, as hereinafter graduated.

All licenses shall be due & collectable during the first two months of each year and all unpaid licenses shall become delinquent on the first day of March of

each year, and all firms who commence business after that date, shall become delinquent unless the license is paid within ten days.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That the annual license tax shall be based on gross annual receipts, except where otherwise specified in this Ordinance, and the said license tax shall be graduated as follows, to-wit: When gross annual receipts are over 40.000 dollars, and less than $50.000 the annual license shall be $40.00 when paid receipts are over $30.000 and less than $40.000 the annual license shall be 30 dollars. When paid receipts are over $25.000 and less than $30000 the annual license shall be 25 dollars. When the paid receipts are over $20.000 and less than $25.000 the annual license shall be 20 dollars When paid receipts are over 15000 and less than $20000 the annual license shall be 15 dollars;- When paid receipts are over $5000 and less than $15000 dollars the annual license shall be 10 dollars. When paid receipts are 5000 dollars or less the annual license shall be 5 dollars

Wholesale & Retail Merchants

Banks

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That for each business of carrying on a bank, banking company; association corporation or agency, the license shall be placed on the declared or nominal capital and surplus as follows, to-wit: When the paid declared or nominal capital is 50.000 dollars or less the license shall be 30 dollars.

Section 5. Be it further Ordained &c

Physician, Atty-at-Law, Editor, Dentist, Oculist, Photographer

That every individual or individuals carrying on the business or profession of physician, attorney at law, editor dentist, oculist, photographer, jeweler and all other business not herein provided for, shall be graded the same as in section 3, and provided no license shall be issued hereunder for less than five dollars.

"but the license shall be one half of those established in Section 3"

Hotels

Section 6. Be it further ordained &c That for every business of keeping a hotel, where lodging and eating are combined, the license shall be based on the number of furnished lodging rooms for guests, as follows, to wit:

When paid rooms are in number 45 or more, and less than 75 the license shall be 75 dollars.

When paid rooms are in number 30 or more, and less than 45 the license shall be 50 dollars

When paid rooms are in number 15 or more, and less than Thirty, the license shall be twenty-five dollars.

When paid rooms are in number 12 or more, and less than 15, the license shall be fifteen dollars

When paid rooms are in number, nine or more, and less than 12 the license shall be ten dollars

When paid rooms are in number six or more, and less than nine, the license shall be five dollars

Sec 7. Be it further ordained &c. That the business of the previous years, as also the actual condition, and result of business of the currant year, for new firms

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associations or corporations, for the purpose of calculating license, shall be ascertained by the tax collector in the sworn statement of the person or persons in interest, his or their duly authorized agent or officer, made before the tax collector, or his deputy; provided that if the tax collector be not satisfied with the said sworn statement, he shall traverse the same by a rule taken in proper court.

Section 8 Be it further ordained that upon the refusal of any person firm or corporation to pay the license here-in provided for, the tax collector shall proceed to collect the same in accordance with the law.

Section 9. Be it further ordained that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted 30th day December 1903

E. Richardson
Clerk

M. A. Kohnke
Mayor

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Ordinance No 65.

An ordinance to provide for the collection of an annual per capita street tax from all male citizens of the Town of Hammond, La, between the ages of 21 and 55 years, and to provide penalties for the non payment of same.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La; That it shall be the duty of the town tax collector to serve written or printed notice on all male citizens of the Town of Hammond, La between the ages of 21 and 55 years notifying them that they are required to come forward within ten days, from the date of such notice, and pay to the tax collector the ~~sum of~~ equal to the amount which may have been adopted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen as the per capita street tax for any one year, the paid per capita street tax having been levied by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen for the maintenance of the streets and bridges within the corporate limits of Hammond, and

Be it further ordained; That it shall be the duty of the tax collector, to report to the Mayor of the town, any such person or persons, as may refuse or fail to pay such per capita street tax and the Mayor shall forthwith issue his warrant, ordering the arrest of any such person or persons, who upon conviction shall pay a fine of not less than the amount of per capita street tax levied

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together with all costs; and in default of payment of fine & costs, said convicted person or persons to be sentenced to serve a term not to exceed five days in the town jail.

Be it further Ordained, that all ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict with this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Adopted June 7th 1904

E. Richardson
Clerk

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

Ordinance No 67

An ordinance ordering a special election at which shall be submitted to the property tax payers of the Town of Hammond, entitled to vote under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the question of issueing negotiable coupon bonds for the purpose of purchasing or constructing and maintaining a system of water works and drainage, and providing for the levying of a special tax for the purpose of paying the principle and interest on said bonds.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond La, in special session convened, that a special election be held in the town of Hammond on the 7th day of February 1905, at which election shall be submitted to the property tax payers of the said town of Hammond, who are entitled to vote under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the question of issuing negotiable coupon bonds in the amount of Thirty Thousand dollars ($30.000.00) said bonds to be of the denomination of Five hundred dollars each, and bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, and the period that said bonds shall run shall be thirty years, and the interest on said bonds shall be due and payable annually on the first day of January

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Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That the Mayor and Town Clerk be and they are hereby authorized to execute said bonds, and place the same on sale at the Office of the Town Treasurer of said town of Hammond on or before the 1st day of April 1905 and the interest and principle of said bonds shall be paid at the office of the said town Treasurer of the Town of Hammond, or any bank at New Orleans that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen may select

Provided that none of said bonds shall be disposed of at less than their face value.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That for the purpose of liquidating the interest and principle of said bonds, a special annual tax, not to exceed five mills on the dollar of assessed valuation be levied on all redd and personal property of the said town of Hammond subject to a municipal tax.

Provided that for the term of 5 years or until such period of time it shall be deemed proper to retire a portion of the principle of said bonds, the rate of taxation shall be adequate to cover the interest and maintenance, and shall not exceed five mills on the dollar.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That the Town of Hammond reserves the right to redeem all or a portion of said bonds, after a period of 5 years.

Section 5. Be it further Ordained &c That the purpose for which the above mentioned bonds are to be issued is hereby declared to be, the purchase or construction and

maintenance of a system of Water Works and drainage, for the Town of Hammond La.

Section 6. Be it further ordained &c That eighty per cent of the amount derived from the sale of said bonds, or as much thereof as shall be necessary, shall be devoted to the purchase or construction of the water-works part of said system and twenty per cent of the amount derived from the sale of said bonds, or so much thereof as shall be necessary shall be devoted to the construction and maintenance of the drainage part of said system.

Section 7. Be it further ordained &c That the said special election shall be held under and in pursuance of the general election laws of the State of Louisiana, and at the polling place in said town, at which the last general election was held, and the ballots shall be printed according to law.

And upon the ballots to be used at said special election shall be printed the words "For the proposition submitted to the vote of the property tax payers of Hammond, La, by ordinance No 67, " adopted on the 5th day of January 1905" And the words." Against the proposition submitted to the property tax payers of the town of Hammond La, by ordinance No 67, adopted on the 5th day of Janry. 1905"

Section 8. Be it further ordained &c That the name of each voter shall be endorsed on his or her ballot, and the commissioners of election, shall receive the ballots of all the property tax payers of the said town of Hammond, who are

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entitled to vote under the laws of the State of Louisiana, and said commission shall make returns of the votes and amounts of the assessed value of the property voted for and against the issuing of said bonds and the levying of said special tax. Said returns shall be made to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

Section 9. Be it further ordained &c That this Ordinance be published in the Official Journal of the Town of Hammond for full thirty (30) clear days previous to the date of holding said special election, and that this Ordinance shall take effect from & after its adoption.

Adopted this 5th day of January 1905

Jno W Skinner
Clerk

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

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Ordinance No 68

An ordinance amending ordinance No 67, adopted January 5th 1905.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Louisiana, in special session convened, that ordinance No 67 adopted January 5th 1905, be and it is hereby amended by striking out the word January in the 21st line of said ordinance, and inserting the word April, so as to make the coupons for interest mature annually on April 1st, the date of the bonds.

Adopted March 24th 1905.

Jno W Skinner
Clerk.

H. A. Kohnke
Mayor

Ordinance No 69.

An ordinance prescribing the form of the bonds, and interest coupons issued under ordinance No 67 adopted January 5th 1905.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond Louisiana, in special session convened that the form of the bonds to be issued in conformity with Ordinance No 67 adopted January 5th 1905, shall be as follows, to wit:-

United States of America

State of Louisiana

(Emblem of Pelican)

The Town of Hammond

Five per cent water and drainage bond.

Know all men by these presents,- That the Town of Hammond, a municipal corporation of the State of Louisiana, under the provisions of Act No 136, of the general Assembly of Louisiana, of the year Nineteen hundred and ninety-eight Anno Domini, is indebted unto the bearer hereof, in the sum of Five hundred dollars in lawful money of the United States of America, with interest at the rate of five per cent per annum from the date hereof, payable annually on the First day of April of each year hereafter, at the Hibernia Bank and Trust Co of New Orleans, Louisiana. The annual interest

shall be paid, on presentation of coupons hereto attached as they become due and the principle sum shall be due and payable on the First day of April, Nineteen hundred and thirty five, Anno Domini, provided however that said Town of Hammond at its option after five years from date, may pay the principle sum evidenced by this bond, in which event, the coupons not then due shall be void

This Bond is one of a series of sixty Bonds numbered from one to sixty inclusive, aggregating the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars, all of which are issued by authority of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, for the purpose of purchasing or constructing and maintaining a system of Water Works and Drainage under an ordinance adopted at an election in the said Town of Hammond under the provisions of Act No 114 of the General Assembly of Louisiana, of the year 1900 held on the 7th day of February 1905. As amended by Ordinance No C8.

The Form of this Bond and Coupons as well as the recitals therein contained have been fixed and determined by an ordinance duly passed by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said Town of Hammond as provided by law

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of said Town of Hammond do hereby covenant and agree that the faith, credit and resources of said Town, are inviolably and irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principle and the interest hereof.

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It is herebe certified that all the acts conditions and things required to be done and performed, precedent to and in the issuance of this series of bonds have been properly done and performed in regular and due form as required by law, and that the amount of this issue, together with all other indebtness of said Town does not exceed any Statutory or Constitutional limitation thereof.

In witness whereof this Bond is signed by the Mayor and Clerk with their signatures and attested by the corporate seal of the town of Hammond, Louisiana this the First day of April, Nineteen hundred and five Anno Domini.

Jno W Skinner Clerk. H. A. Kohnke Mayor.

Be it further ordained &c, that the form of the Coupons attached to said bonds be as follows to. wit:—

$25.00 On the 1st day of April 19.. $25.00

The town of Hammond, Louisiana will pay to the bearer hereof Twenty five dollars, at the Hibernia Bank and Trust Co of New Orleans, Louisiana, being the installment of interest, due on its five per cent water works and drainage Bond No.

Adopted March 24th 1905

Jno W Skinner Clerk

H A Kohnke Mayor

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Ordinance No 70.

Repealed

An ordinance providing for the disposition of license Taxes collected by the Town of Hammond, La.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, in regular session convened.

That all license taxes hereinafter collected by the Town of Hammond Louisiana, shall be used for public School purposes

Adopted April 4th 1905

Jno W Skinner
Clerk

N. A. Kohnke
Mayor

Ordinance No. 70

An ordinance to provide for the fine and punishment of persons guilty of Disturbing the Peace within the Corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, by using loud, obscene, or profane langauge or fighting.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, duly convened. That on and after the Promulgation of this Ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person or persons within the limits of the Corporation of the Town of Hammond to disturb the peace of the said town, by using loud, obscene, or profane langauge, or engage in a fight.

Section 2. Be it further Ordained, That when any person shall be found guilty by the Mayor, after due charges preferred, and trial of the same, of any of the aforesaid enumerated in this ordinance constituting a disturbance of the peace of the said Town of Hammond, within its corporate limits, and after conviction thereof, he shall be fined in a sum, not less than Five dollars, nor more than One hundred dollars, or be imprisoned not less than one day, nor more than Thirty days, or both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, That all laws and ordinances, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed.

Section 4. Be it further ordained & That this ordinance shall be of full force and effect, on and after its promulgation.

Passed this 6th day of June 1905.

J. B. Adams. Clerk.

S. L. Powlett. Mayor.

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Ordinance No 74.

An ordinance extending the rights privileges, and franchises, granted to the Baton Rouge Hammond and Eastern Railroad.

See Ord # 49, 54, 93 & 99.

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Hammond.

Whereas. by Ordinance No 49 approved August 8th 1900, there was granted to the Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, the right to construct, maintain, and operate its railroad, and run its engines, trains, and cars, over, upon and across the following streets in the Town of Hammond. to wit:- Church Street from the west boundary line to and including the south end of the street, running North between the property of Jordon & Gaude; thence through Robinson Street crossing the Illinois Central right of way and back to the east boundary line of the Town of Hammond; Also three hundred (300) feet North, and three hundred (300) feet South of Robinson Street on West Railroad Avenue, and six hundred and sixty (660) feet North of Robinson Street and six hundred and sixty (660) feet South of Robinson Street on East Railroad Avenue with the right to erect depots, ware houses and buildings and construct terminals thereon and the alleys in the squares included within said streets; Provided that The Baton Rouge, Hammond & Eastern Railroad should commence the construction of said railroad, and carry on the

completion of the line between Baton Rouge and Hammond, within five (5) years from the date of the adoption of the said ordinance, and

Whereas the said grant will expire on the 8th day of August 1905, and the said Baton Rouge Hammond and Eastern railroad Company has applied for an extension of these said grants:

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Hammond, that all of the rights, privileges, and franchises granted to the said Baton Rouge, Hammond & Eastern Railroad under the provisions of Ordinance No 49 of the said Town Council of the said Town of Hammond, approved August 8th 1900, be, and they are hereby extended in favor of said Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern Railroad Co. its successors or assigns, subject to all of the conditions and provisions in said original ordinance contained.

Provided, that the said Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern Railroad Company its successors or assigns, shall complete the construction of the line, between Baton Rouge & Hammond, within two (2) years from the date of the adoption of this Ordinance, otherwise the said grants privileges and franchises, to be null void and inoperative.

Adopted September 5th 1905

J. B. Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

See minute book page 85

Ordinance No 75.

An ordinance to prohibit loitering or congregating around any railroad depot &c, by idle persons, without business, and providing a penalty for violation of this ordinance.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond duly convened That on and after the promulgation of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person within the limits of the Corporation of the Town of Hammond to loiter, or congregate around any railroad depot, church, public hall or other place where they are not employed, or do not have business requiring their presence.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that it shall be the duty of the Town Marshall, or any police officer of the Town of Hammond, to disperse any idlers, or loafers, and it shall be the duty of paid Officers to arrest any person refusing to disperse as before mentioned and bring them before the Mayor's Court where upon conviction they shall be fined not less than one dollar and costs and not more than ten dollars and costs or in default of payment of fine and costs to be confined in the town jail for not less than one day, or more than thirty days or both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor

Section 3. Be it further ordained that all laws or ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby

repealed.

Section 4. Be it ordained, That this ordinance shall be of full force and effect on and after promulgation

Adopted September 11th 1905

J B. Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance N° 34 (Amended)

An ordinance relative to fire limits

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Be it enacted and it is hereby ordained by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Town of Hammond La, in council convened.

Section 1. That a fire district for the Town of Hammond be and is hereby made to include the following squares, viz: Squares No 58. 59. 62 and 63 on east side of the Illinois Central right-of-way

Section 2. And be it further enacted and it is hereby ordained, that no building shall be erected on the above and foregoing described and numbered squares 58, 59. 62, 63, & 57 and 64 without a permit from Board of Town Trustees

Section 3. Be it further enacted and it is hereby ordained; that any person or persons violating this ordinance, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than $50. nor more than $100, or in default of payment of fine & costs, shall be imprisoned, for not less than ten days, nor more than thirty days or both fine & imprisonment at the discretion of the Mayor

Section 4. And be it further enacted, that all ordinances, or parts of ordinances coming in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Adopted as amended in Sec. 3. October 3rd 1905

J B Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Omit

Ordinance No 76

An ordinance ordering a special election at which shall be submitted to the property tax payers of the Town of Hammond entitled to vote under Act 202 of the year 1898, of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, the question of levying a special tax in aid of the Baton Rouge, Hammond & Eastern R. R., which said tax is not to exceed five mills on the dollar per annum for a period of ten years, the amount to be realized in any one year not to exceed the sum of Two Thousand Two hundred Dollars ($2.200.00) in conformity with the petition of more than one third of the property tax payers of the said Town of Hammond of the Parish of Tangipahoe hereto annexed and made a part hereof, and subject to the conditions set forth in said petition

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Hammond in regular session convened; That a special election be held in the said Town of Hammond on the 24th day of October 1905 at which said election shall be submitted to the property tax payers of said town, who are entitled to vote under the laws of the State of Louisiana to wit, Act No 202 of 1898 and Article No 270 of the Constitution of Louisiana, the question of levying on all taxable property in the said Town of Hammond, a tax not to exceed five mills on the dollar per annum for a period of ten years, in aid of the Baton Rouge H. & E. R. R. Co, a corporation organized

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under the laws of the State of Louisiana and having its domicile in the City of Baton Rouge, this State, to said tax to run from the year 1907 to 1916, both inclusive, and to be levied and collected according to law.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, That the said special election shall be held under the general election laws of this State as far as practicable at the polling places established by law in the Town of Hammond, and that the ballots to be used at said election shall be of the following form to wit:

"For a special tax of 5 mills in aid of the Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern Railroad, annually for a period of ten years, the amount to be realized not to exceed Two Thousand Two Hundred dollars ($2.200.00) in any one of said years."

"Against a special tax of five mills on the dollar in aid of the Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern Railroad Co, annually for a period of ten years, the amount to be realized not to exceed the sum of Two Thousand Two hundred dollars ($2.200.00) in any one of said years"

Section 3. Be it further ordained, That the Supervisors of Election of the Parish of Tangipahoe are hereby requested to appoint commissioners and clerks to serve at said election, to give due notice of said appointments, and the time and place of holding said elections and to make their returns of said election held in the said Town of Hammond, to the City Council of the Town of Hammond, who shall announce and promulgate the result of said election according to law

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That the commissioners of election shall receive the ballots of all the property tax payers of said town of Hammond, who are entitled to vote under Act 202 of 1898 and Article 270 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and shall cause the said voter to endorse his name thereon, and shall deposit same in the ballot box, in the presence of the voter, and said Commissioners shall make returns on the number of votes, and the amounts of the assessed value of the property voted for and against the said Tax.

Section 5. Be it further ordained &c, That the said tax shall be payable only when and after the said Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern Railroad, its successors and assigns, shall have constructed and completed the standard gauge railroad from the City of Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, through the parish of Livingstone into and through the town of Hammond, and thence to a junction with some trunk line of railroad of standard gauge, connecting with some Trunk line East of Hammond, and under the express terms and conditions of the petition of the Property tax payers. That the said tax shall first be extended on the assessment roll for the year 1907 but no part thereof shall be paid to the said railroad unless and until all of the above conditions are complied with

Section 6. Be it further ordained &c. That this Ordinance and the petition of the tax payers be published according to law, and for

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full thirty (30) days, previous to the date of holding said election, and that said Ordinance take effect from and after its passage

Adopted September 5th 1905

J B Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No 77.

An ordinance to provide for the fine and punishment of persons guilty of turning in a false alarm.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond in regular session convened: That on and after the promulgation of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, within the limits of the Corporation of the Town of Hammond to turn in a false alarm of fire, or in any way to be the cause of a false alarm being turned in, or in anyway whatsoever to meddle or tamper with the fire alarm system unless in case of fire.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that when any person shall be found guilty by the Mayor, after due charges preferred and trial of the same, and after conviction thereof he shall be fined in a sum not less than ten dollars and the costs, nor more than fifty dollars and the costs, or be imprisoned not less than ten days, nor more than thirty days, or both fine & imprisonment at discretion of Mayor

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that all laws, and ordinances, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed

Section 4. Be it further ordained That this ordinance shall be of full force and effect on and after promulgation.

Adopted November 7th 1905

J B Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No 78

An ordinance prohibiling the erection or consbruction of buildings and sbructures of wood and other material than stone, iron, brick, or other fire proof material, with roofs of any material other than slate, iron, tin or other fire proof roofing, within certain limits, and prohibiting moving into said certain limits from elsewhere, any sbructure or building other than stone brick, iron, or other fireproof material, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that it shall be unlawful for any person to erect construct, or cause to be erected or consbructed, any wooden building, or building composed of any other material other than stone, iron, brick, or other fire proof material, within the following limits to wit:—

That portion of the Town of Hammond within and bounded by the East line of Cherry Sbreet, the South line of Morris Avenue, the West line of Oak Sbreet, and the North line of Charles Sbreet

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That it shall be unlawful to move into the said above limits, from elsewhere, any sbructure or building consbructed of other than fire proof material

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That any person violating the provisions of this ordinance, shall upon conviction be fined, not less than ten dollars or more

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than one hundred dollars, or imprisoned not less than five days, nor more than thirty days, or both at the discretion of the Mayor, and the said structure or building be immediatly removed at the expense of the owner.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c. That all ordinance or parts of ordinance in conflict herewith, will be & the same are hereby repealed.

Section 5. Be it further ordained & That this ordinance, shall become effective on & after its passage.

Adopted March 6. 1906

J B Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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— Ordinance No 79 —

An ordinance prohibiting the discharge of fire works of any character, within that portion of the Town of Hammond bounded by the East line of Cherry Street, and the West line of Oak Street and the North line of Charles Street and the South line of Morris Avenue and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that it shall be unlawful to discharge fireworks of any character whatever in the Town of Hammond in the limits bounded as follows to wit:—

On the East by the East line of Cherry Street, on the South, by the South line of Morris Avenue, on the West by the West line of Oak Street, and on the North by the North line of Charles Street.

Section 2. Be it ordained &c. That any person found guilty of violating this ordinance shall be fined in a sum not less than five dollars, nor more than Fifty dollars or imprisonment not less than five days, nor more than 30 days, or both at discretion of Mayor

Section 3. Be it ordained &c. That all ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c. That this ordinance shall become effective from & after its passage.

Passed March 6th 1906.

J. B. Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No 80.

An ordinance prescribing the duties of the Marshall of the Town of Hammond and fixing the penalty for violation.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that the Marshall shall be Cheif of Police of said Town.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That he shall execute all warrents issued upon affidavits for violation of the Ordinances of the Town, and shall arrest all offenders for violations of ordinances committed in his presence without warrent.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That he shall be jailer, and detain in the town jail all persons arrested until released on bond approved by the Mayor or finally discharged after trial, or upon execution of sentence when convicted.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That he shall collect all fines, imposed by the Mayor, and within twenty four hours after collection shall pay over the same to the Town Clerk.

Section 5. Be it further ordained &c That he shall remain in the Town in the discharge of his duties every day unless excused by the Mayor in writing for good cause, and when so excused, he shall furnish at his own expense a satisfactory substitute to be approved by the Mayor.

Section 6. Be it further ordained &c That upon conviction for the first violation of this ordinance, he shall be

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punished by a fine, not less than $10
nor more than $100.00 or imprisonment
of not less than one day nor more than
thirty days, or both at the discretion
of the Mayor; and upon a second
violation of this ordinance, he may be
fined or imprisonment as per first
offense, or he may be removed from off

Section 7. Be it further ordained
That all ordinances or parts of ordinan
in conflict herewith are hereby repealed

Section 8. Be it further ordained th
That this ordinance shall take effect
from and after its passage.

Passed April 3. 1906.

J. B. Adams
Clerk.

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No 81.

An ordinance ordering a special election at which shall be submitted to the Property tax payers of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana entitled to vote under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the question of issuing negotiable coupon bonds for the purpose of redeeming the issue of coupon bonds of date April 1st 1905, and for the purpose of purchasing or constructing a system of water works and drainage and providing for the levying of a special tax for the purpose of paying the principle and interest on the said coupon bonds.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Louisiana, in regular session convened, that a special election be held in the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, on the 26 day of June 1906, at which election, shall be submitted to the property tax payers of the said Town of Hammodd, who are entitled to vote, under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the question of issuing negotiable coupon bonds, in the amount of Forty Thousand ($40.000) dollars, said bonds to be of the denomination of Five hundred dollars each, and bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum and the period that said bonds shall run, shall be thirty years, and the interest on said bonds shall be due & payable annually on the first day of July

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That the Mayor & Town Clerk be and they are hereby authorized to execute said bonds

and place the same on sale at the Office of the Town Treasurer of said Town of Hammond, Louisiana, on or before the first day of August 1906, and the principle and interest of principle of said bonds, shall be paid at the Office of said Town Treasurer of the Town of Hammond, or at any bank in New Orleans, La. that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen may select. Provided that none of said bonds shall be disposed of at less than their face value.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That for the purpose of liquidating the interest and principle of said bonds a special annual tax of five mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation be levied on all real and personal property of the said Town of Hammond, Louisiana subject to municipal tax.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That the Town of Hammond reserves the right to redeem all or a portion of said bonds after a period of 15 years.

Section 5. Be it further ordained &c That the purpose for which the above mentioned bonds are to be issued, are hereby declared to be the purchase or construction of a system of waterworks & drainage for the Town of Hammond, La. and the proceeds of sale of said bonds shall be used for said purpose in the following manner:-

Thirty Thousand ($30.000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary of the amount derived for sale of said bonds, shall be devoted to the retirement & redemption of the issue of bonds of date of April 1st 190[illegible] and the remaining Ten Thousand ($ 10.00[illegible]

Dollars, derived from the sale of said bonds, shall be an addition to the Drainage fund of Six Thousand ($6000) Dollars, resulting the issue of bonds of date April 1st 1905.

Provided, the holders of issue of bonds of date April 1st 1905, consent to their redemption, and the adoption of this ordinance by vote of the qualified property owners with the consent of the holders of said bonds, shall repeal the tax voted to meet the paid issue of bonds of date April 1st 1905.

Section 6. Be it further ordained &c That the said special election shall be held under and in pursuance of the general election laws of the State of Louisiana, and under the provisions of Act 145 of the General Assembly of Louisiana for the year 1902, and at the polling place in said town at which the last general election was held, and the ballots shall be printed in accordance with the law. And upon the ballots to be used in said special election shall be printed the words.- "For the proposition submitted to the vote of the property tax payers of Hammond, Louisiana, by Ordinance No. 81 adopted on the 10th day of May 1906." And the words. "Against the proposition submitted to the property tax payers of Hammond, Louisiana by Ordinance No. 81 adopted on the 10th day of May 1906."

Section 7. Be it further ordained &c That the name of each voter shall be endorsed on his or her ballot and the commissioners of election, shall receive ballots of all the property tax payers of said Town of Hammond, Louisiana, who are entitled to vote under the laws of the

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State of Louisiana, and said commissioners shall make returns of the votes, and the amounts of the assessed value of the property voted for and against the issuing of said bonds, and the levying of said special tax, said returns shall be made to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

Section 8. Be it further ordained that this Ordinance be published in the Official Journal of the Town of Hammond, for full Thirty (30) days previous to the date of holding said special election, and that this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted 10th day of May 1906.

J. B. Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 82.

An ordinance to regulate and provide for the taxing of owners and harborers of dogs, and to destroy dogs running at large; to provide for the erection of all needful Pounds, within or without the limits of the Town, and to appoint and confirm Keepers thereof, and to establish and enforce rules governing the same

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond La, that it shall be unlawful for any person to own or harbor any male or female dog in the limits of the Town of Hammond without first having obtained a license tag therefor

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That the tax required shall be the sum of one dollar per annum for each dog, and the sum of two dollars per annum for each female dog so owned or harbored.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That failure to obtain the license tag named in Section 1, is hereby declared a violation of this ordinance and the penalty therefor, shall be the impounding of any male or female dog so owned or harbored, running at large, at an expense to the owner or harborer of Fifty cents, in addition to the tax of one dollar on each dog, and two dollars on each female dog, and in default of payment of the tax so named, and the penalty of fifty cents for impounding the said dog or female dog, the said impounded

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animal shall be killed by the Marshall after keeping paid animal in pound 1 day.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That the Marshall of the Town of Hammond is the impounding officer and it shall be his duty to establish a pound within or without the limits of the Town, and to carry out the provisions of this ordinance

Section 5. Be it further ordained &c That the penalty of Fifty cents per animal so impounded shall go to the Marshall, as remuneration for keeping the Pound, and for carrying out the provisions of this Ordinance

Section 6. Be it further ordained &c That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect on & after June 15th 1906

Passed June 5th 1906

J. B. Adams
Clerk.

S. L. Powlett
Mayor.

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Ordinance No 83.

An ordinance levying a tax in favor of the Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern Railroad, in accordance with the election held on petition of the property tax payers.

Whereas at a regular meeting of the Council of the Town of Hammond on the 5th day of September 1905, a petition was presented to said Council signed by more than one-third of the property tax payers in number and amount of the said Town of Hammond praying that a special election be held in said town, at which should be submitted to the property tax payers of said town entitled to vote thereon, a proposition to levy a special tax of five mills on the dollar on the assessed and assessable property in said town, in aid of the Batos Rouge, Hammond & Eastern Railroad Company annually for a period of ten years, from the year 1907 to 1916, both inclusive, the amount to be realized from said tax not to exceed the sum of $2.200.00 in any one of said years, and.

Whereas at said meeting an Ordinance was adopted ordering said election to be held on the 24th day of October 1905, which said election was accordingly held on said date, and resulted in a Constitutional majority both in number and amount, in favor of said proposition, the returns of which said election were duly promulgated by publication in the "Hammond Vindicator" November 3rd 1905

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Section 1. Be it ordained by the Council of the Town of Hammond in regular Session convened:

That in accordance with said petition and election and subject to all the conditions set forth in said petition, there be and is hereby levied a special tax of five mills on the dollar on the assessed and assessable property in the Town of Hammond Parish of Tangipahoe, annually and for each of the years, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915 & 1916 in aid of the Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern Railroad Company its successors or assigns, and payable to said Company its order or assigns

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That if upon the completion of the listing of the property of the Town of Hammond for taxation by the assessor in any one of said years, and upon the submission and approval of the tax lists to the Police Jury of the Parish of Tangipahoe, it shall appear from said list that said special tax of five mills will produce for such a year a sum in excess of $2.200.00, then, and in that event the Council shall reduce the rate of special tax for such year, to such a rate as will realize $2200.00 for such year, for the benefit of said Railroad Company and the tax shall thereupon be extended at said reduced rate on the assessment rolls of said Town of Hammond.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That the payment of this subsidy shall depend and be conditioned upon the construction of said Railroad, and no part of said tax shall

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be paid over to said railroad until the same is in operation, as provided by the petition of tax payers aforesaid. Section 4. Be it further ordained &c. That this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage

Adopted July 3rd 1906

J. B. Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No 89.

An ordinance to establish a pound for the impounding of animals running at large in violation of Ordinances of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, that the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to select a suitable place for a pound where animals running at large in violation of the Ordinances of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, can be placed and to suitably fence and provide the same with gates, fastenings, and necessary equipment.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That this Ordinance take effect from and after its passage.

Passed October 2nd 1906

J. B. Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No 90.

An Ordinance to prevent the running at large of horses, mules, asses and neat cattle, within the limits of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the impounding of all such animals found running at large and fixing the costs of impounding keeping and selling the same

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, that it shall hereafter be unlawful for any horses, mules, asses, and neat cattle to run at large within the limits of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That it shall be the duty of the Marshall of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, to capture, and impound in a pound to be provided, all such animals mentioned in Section One of this Ordinance, which may be running at large, and to give written notice of its impounding to the owner, by delivering to him in person, or leaving the said notice at his home, if he be absent therefrom, if he be a resident of the Town of Hammond, La, and if he be a non-resident of said town by registering said written notice to his Post Office address, and if the name and address of the owner cannot be ascertained notice shall be given by posting at the principle front door of Mayors Office for ten days.

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Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That there shall be imposed on each & every animal mentioned in section one found running at large in said limits a penalty of One dollar, and the Marshal shall be entitled to charge a fee of Fifty cents for each day such animal shall remain impounded, to be paid by the owner of such animal, before such animal is released from the pound and for each sale made under this Ordinance, the Marshall shall receive One dollar, to be taken from proceeds of sale

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That if the animals, so impounded, be not claimed by their owners within forty-eight hours after notice, and should the charges for impounding & keeping and feeding the said animals be not paid within forty-eight hours after giving of notice, by delivery, mail or otherwise, as herein provided, by the owner thereof, and such animals be permitted to remain in the pound longer than forty-eight hours after such notice then it shall be the duty of the Marshall to advertise in two issues of the official Journal of the Town of Hammond, La. the impounding of such animals, with such description of marks and appearance as may lead to said animals identification and to sell such animals to pay the costs of penalty, impounding, keeping and selling and advertising; unless the owner thereof comes forward, and making due proof of the ownership, shall pay all costs accrued. All sales to be at Public auction, at the front door of the pound on Saturday of each week and between legal

sale hours;- All monies received from such sales in excess of the penalties costs, charges, and advertising, as herein provided, shall be paid into the Town Treasury, to be held for account of the owner.

Section 5. Be it further ordained &c. That all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance, are hereby repealed.

Section 6. Be it further ordained &c. That this Ordinance shall take effect on and after January 1st 1907.

Passed October 4th 1906

J B. Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No 91.

An Ordinance to provide for the proper disposition of paper, trash, garbage, and other inflammable material, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La. That it shall be unlawful to burn any paper, trash garbage, or any other inflammable material, in any street, square, or public place in the fire limits of the Town of Hammond, nor to burn paper, trash, garbage, or any other inflammable material in any yard or lot within fifty feet of any house or inhabited place; and it shall be the duty of all persons to cause all such inflammable material to be removed out of said fire limits, within a delay of not more than twenty-four hours, and to cause to be burned without the limits one hundred feet, all such material within a delay of not more than twenty-four hours.

Section 2. Be it enacted &c. That all persons violating the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be fined not less than Five dollars, nor more than $25.00.

Section 3. Be it enacted &c. That this Ordinance shall take effect upon its promulgation, and that all ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistant herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed February 5th 1907.

J. B Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No 92.

An ordinance relative to preventing fires, by proper construction of flues and chimneys in the fire limit of the Town of Hammond, La, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond; That flues in all buildings in the fire limits established in said town, shall have walls and eight inch jambs; flues larger than two hundred & fifty square inches, and less than five hundred square inches, shall be constructed with walls not less than 8 inches thick; and all flues shall extend at least eight feet above the roof. Flues with more than Five hundred square inches shall have walls not less than twelve inches thick, and all walls containing flues shall be plastered on the brick, or shall be covered with metallic lath or wire cloth before plastering.

Section 2. Be it enacted &c. That any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined not more than Fifty dollars ($50) or imprisoned not more than thirty (30) days, or both fine & imprisonment at the discretion of the Mayor

Section 3. Be it enacted &c. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistant herewith are hereby repealed and this ordinance shall take effect from & after its promulgation.

Adopted Feby. 5th 1907

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

J B Adams
Clerk

Ordinance No 93.

An ordinance to prohibit the keeping of grog or tippling shops, and to prohibit the retailing of spirituous or intoxicating liquors with the corporate limits of the town of Hammond, La. And fixing fines & penalties for the same

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Section 1.— Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond. That whoever shall keep a grog or tippling shop, or retail spirituous or intoxicating liquors without previously obtaining a license from the Town of Hammond, on conviction shall be fined not less than $25.00 nor more than $100.00, or shall be imprisoned, not less than five days, nor more than thirty days, or shall suffer fine and imprisonment as the Court may deem proper; and in default of paying fine & costs, shall be imprisoned for a term within the discretion of the Court, but not to exceed thirty days.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That all Ordinances, or parts of Ordinances inconsistant or in conflict with this Ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this Ordinance shall take effect on & after its passage

Passed March 27th 1907.

J B. Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 94.

An ordinance requiring the Illinois Central Railroad to have a flagman stationed at the intersection of the tracks of said Railroad Company and Thomas Street, prohibiting the engineer or conductor of any passenger, freight-work or other train from crossing said Thomas Street when flagman is not stationed at its intersection with said tracks, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that hereafter the Illinois Central Railroad Company is required to have a flagman stationed at the intersection of Thomas Street and the tracks of the said Railroad Company when-ever any passenger, freight, work or other train is crossing said Thomas Street.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c. That the engineer and conductor in charge of any passenger, freight, work or other train, are hereby prohibited from run-ning such train, across Thomas Street when a flagman is not stationed as herein provided.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That for each and every violation of this Ordinance, the conductor and engineer in charge of any train, crossing Thomas Street, without a flagman stationed as herein provided for, shall each be fined not less than Ten Dollars, nor more than Fifty Dollars, and in default of payment of fine and costs, shall be

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imprisoned not less than One day, nor more than Thirty days.

Section 4. Be it further ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond: That the public good requiring it, this ordinance shall go into effect Ten days after its passage, and after it shall be notified to the Station Agent of the said Illinois Central Railroad Company at Hammond.

Passed April 12th 1907

J. B. Adams
Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No 95.

An ordinance authorizing the Mayor to sign and accept a lease of a certain lot of ground lying West of the Illinois Central Railroad track, and fronting on the South side of Thomas Street in the Town of Hammond, from the Illinois Central Railroad Company to be used as a site for the erection of a building in which to store hose cart and other fire apparatus, and fixing the terms, conditions and considerations of said lease.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond;- That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to sign and accept a lease of a certain lot of ground, lying West of Illinois Central Railroad Co's track, and fronting on South side of Thomas Street, in the Town of Hammond from the Illinois Central Railroad Company, to be used as a site for the erection of a building in which to store hose cart, and other fire apparatus, on the terms and conditions, and for the considerations set out in a lease heretofore submitted to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen by said Railroad Company.

Passed March 5th 1907.

J. B. Adams
Clerk.

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No 96

An ordinance granting to the Hammond Lumber Company, Limited, its successors or assigns, permission to construct maintain, and operate for a period of Thirty years, a railroad track for switching purposes or the carrying of passengers and freight for hire, from a point Fifty-five feet South of Robert Street, and on West side of East Railroad Avenue, to the property belonging to the said Hammond Lumber Co. Ltd, and fixing the penalty for failure to comply with the terms of this Ordinance.

Section 1. - Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond; That the Hammond Lumber Co Ltd its successors or assigns, be and they are hereby granted permission, to construct, maintain and operate a railroad track for switching purposes, or the carrying of passengers or freight for hire, said track to be constructed down East Railroad Avenue, the centre of track ~~being~~ 15 feet from the West side of said Avenue, and beginning at a point fifty five feet South of the South line of Robert Street, and running in a Northerly direction down said East Railroad Avenue to said Hammond Lumber Company Limited, its successors or assigns property which is North of Dakato Street.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That this permit is granted for a term of thirty years.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That said Hammond Lumber Co its successor or assigns, shall so construct maintain and use, said track so as not to interfere with the use of the said street by the public.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That a failure to so construct, maintain and use said track, shall ipso facto revoke this permit.

Section 5. Be it further ordained &c - That all ordinances and parts of ordinances, so far as they conflict with this permit, and to that extent only, be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this Ordinance shall take effect on and after its promulgation.

Passed April 12th 1907.

J B. Adams
Clerk.

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No 97

An ordinance providing for the working of the streets of the town of Hammond by the municipal prisoners there of.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond. That hereafter all prisoners sentenced to jail, or who are sentenced to jail in default of the payment of fine, for the violation of any municipal ordinance of the Town of Hammond, shall be worked on the streets of said town for the term of their sentance under the supervision of the Marshall.

Section 2. Be it further ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond That this ordinance shall go into effect from and after its publication

Passed July 2nd 1907.

John A Ross
Clerk

R E Jones
Mayor.

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Ordinance No 98.

An ordinance granting an extension of twelve months to the Baton Rouge Hammond & Eastern Railroad on their franchises &c.

See Ord. #9, p. 4, #14, p. 3

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Hammond.

Whereas by ordinance No 49 approved August 6th 1900, there was granted to the Baton Rouge, Hammond and Eastern Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, the right to construct, maintain and operate its railroads, and run its engines, trains and cars over, upon and across the following streets in the Town of Hammond to wit:—

Church St. from the West boundary line to and including the South end of the Street, running North between the property of Jordon and Gaude, thence through Robinson Street, crossing the Illinois Central right of way and back to the East Boundary line of the Town of Hammond. Also Three hundred (300) feet North and Three hundred (300) feet South of Robinson St. on West Railroad Avenue, and Six hundred and sixty (660) feet North of Robinson Street, and Six hundred and sixty (660) South of Robinson Street on East Railroad Avenue, with the right to erect depots, warehouses and buildings and construct terminals thereon, and the alley in the squares included within said streets: Provided That the Baton Rouge, Hammond & Eastern Railroad

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shall commence the construction of said road, and carry on the completion of the line between Baton Rouge and Hammond within five (5) years from the adoption of said Ordinance and

Whereas by Ordinance No 74, adopted on the 6th day of September 1905 these said grants were extended for a period of two years from the date of the adoption of the said Ordinance and the Baton Rouge Hammond and Eastern Railroad Company has now applied for an extension of these grants

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Hammond

That all the rights, privileges and franchises, granted to the Baton Rouge Hammond and Eastern Railroad Company under the provisions of Ordinance No 49 of the said Town Council of the said Town of Hammond approved August 8th 1900, and under the provisions of Ordinance No 74, of the said Town Council of the said Town of Hammond adopted September 6th 1905 be and they are hereby extended in favor of the said Baton Rouge, Hammond & Eastern Railroad Company its successors and assigns, subject to all of the conditions and provisions in said original ordinance contained; provided that the said Baton Rouge, Hammond & Eastern Railroad Company its successors and assigns, shall complete the construction of the line between Baton Rouge and Hammond, within twelve months from the date of the adoption of this Ordinance, otherwise, the said grants privileges and franchises to be null, void and inoperative

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Provided. That nothing herein shall in any manner conflict with Ordinance No 96, granted to Hammond Lumber Co on April 12th 1907.

And, Provided also; That this Ordinance does not grant the right as to erecting depots and other buildings on East and West Railroad Avenues, as granted in Ordinances No's 49 and 74.

Adopted September 3d 1907.

John A. Ross
Clerk

R E June
Mayor

Ordinance No 99

An ordinance declaring certain persons vagrants, and fixing a penalty for vagrancy.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that all persons who, not having visible means to maintain themselves, live without employment; all persons wandering abroad, and living in taverns, beer houses, bar rooms, market places, stables, barns, out-houses, uninhabited buildings or cars, steamboats or water craft, public buildings or the open air; and persons wandering about and begging who go about from door to door, or place themselves in the streets, highways, passages, alleys or other places to beg or receive alms, all tramps, all female street walkers, all habitual drunkards, or persons able to work who do not, but who live on the wages or personal earnings of their wives minor children, or other females; all persons who live by begging, gambling or trading in stolen goods within the limits of the Town of Hammond are hereby declared to be vagrants.

Section 2. Be it further ordained That any person or persons charged with vagrancy shall be tried by the ordinary process before the Municipal Court, and upon conviction under the said charge of vagrancy shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars, or more than twenty-five dollars, or by

imprisonment of not less than ten days or more than Thirty days, or both at the discretion of the Court.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict or inconsistant herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this Ordinance shall go into effect immediately on and after its passage.

Adopted December 10th 1907.

John A. Ross
Clerk.

R E Jarvis
Mayor

Ordinance No 100.

An ordinance making it a mis- / demeanor to interfere with any Officer of the Town of Hammond La, in the execution of his duties and affixing the penalty for same

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La, that on and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful and is hereby declared to be a misdeamor to interfere in any manner, with any Officer of the Town of Hammond La, in the execution of his duties.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That any person found interfering &c as in Section One shall be subject to arrest and upon conviction of such offense in the Mayor's Court, shall be fined not less than $5.00, nor more than $25.00 - or be imprisoned in the Town jail not more than 20 days

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That all ordinances or parts of ordinance in whatsoever manner they may conflict with this Ordinance, are hereby repealed and made null and void

Adopted December 10th 1907

John A. Ross, Clerk.

R. E. Jane, Mayor.

Ordinance No 101.

See Ord 93, p 144

An ordinance making the possession of United States licenses or of appliances prima facie proof of guilt.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, that the fact that any person in said town has in his or her possession, or has posted in or about his or her place of business, a receipt, license or stamp showing payment of the special tax levied under the laws of the United States upon the business of retailing intoxicating liquors, or the fact that any such person shall have paid such special tax for the retailing of intoxicating liquors, or shall be found in possession of appliances adapted to the retailing of intoxicating liquors shall be prima facie proof that the person owning or controlling such receipt, license, stamp or appliances or having paid such special tax is engaged in the retailing of intoxicating liquors in the Town of Hammond, Louisiana.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c. That the public good requiring it, this Ordinance takes effect on and after its passage.

Adopted March 9th 1908

John A. Ross
Clerk

R E Jane
Mayor

Ordinance No 102.

An ordinance to prohibit gambling for money, or any representative of money and providing a punishment therefor: and to prohibit any owner, lessee or proprietor of any building to permit any gambling for money or any representative of money from being held in such building

Section 1. Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana;- That whoever shall engage in any gambling for money, or for any representative of money in the limits of the said Town of Hammond shall, upon conviction thereof be fined in a sum of not less than Ten dollars, nor more than One hundred dollars or imprisoned for not less than Five days nor more than Thirty days, or both at the discretion of the Court

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That any owner, lessee or proprietor of any building who shall permit in or about the same, or on the premises connected therewith, the playing of any gambling game for money or representative of money shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than Fifty dollars, nor more than One hundred dollars, or be imprisoned not less than Five days, nor more than Thirty days, or both at the discretion of the Court.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That all Ordinances, or parts of Ordinances, in conflict with, or inconsistant with, the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed, and the public good

requiring the same, this Ordinance shall take effect on and after its passage.

Approved March 9th 1908
John. A. Ross.
Clerk.

R E June
Mayor.

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Ordinance No 103.

An ordinance dividing the town of Hammond, Louisiana, into four wards and describing the dividing lines and the limits of said wards.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, that the said town of Hammond, be and the same is hereby divided into four wards the dividing lines to run as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the South side of Thomas Street at its intersection with the corporate limits of said town on the East; thence, running West on said South line of Thomas Street, to the North-east corner of Fire and Hose house No. 2, situated West of the South bound main line of the Illinois Central track, thence, South, 30 feet; thence, West, 8 feet; thence, North 30 feet; to the North-west corner of Fire and Hose house No. 2; thence, on the South line of Thomas Street, to where the same intersects with the corporate limits on the West; and the territory lying North of said line shall be Wards One and Three, and lying South of said line shall be Wards Two and Four. Wards One and Two shall be seperated by a line beginning Fifty feet West of the West track of the Illinois Central Railroad, Thirty feet South of the South line of the South line of Thomas Street and running thence Northerly parallel to the West track of the Illinois Central Railroad, till said line intersects the Northern line of corporate limits; and the line dividing Wards, Three and Four shall begin at the same starting

point, and run in a Southerly direction parallel to the said West track of the Illinois Central Railroad to where the said line will intersect with the Southern boundary line of said corporate limits: Ward One being the North-east ward of said town; Ward Two being the south east ward of said town; Ward Three being the North west Ward of said town and Ward Four being the South-west Ward of said town.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved March 31st 1908.

John A. Ross
Clerk.

R E Jones
Mayor

Ordinance No 104.

See Ord 110, p 173

An ordinance to provide for the polling place and the manner of holding municipal elections in the town of Hammond, Louisiana, and to provide for the election of the Mayor, and Marshall, and one Alderman at large and one Alderman from each of said four wards of the said town of Hammond

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana; That the municipal elections shall be held under the general election laws of the State of Louisiana; and the polling place thereof is hereby declared to be Fire Hose House No 2 on Thomas Street and West Railroad Avenue.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That there shall be provided Four ballot boxes, one for each ward of the municipal-ity, which said Ballot boxes, shall be arranged to receive the ballots from qualified voters from each ward seperately.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That there shall be one set of Election Commissioners, Clerk and other Election Officers as provided by the general election laws, who shall have control of and canvass the returns according to law of each of aforesaid ballot boxes.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That one Alderman shall be elected in each Ward by ballot deposited in the box arranged for his ward; and there shall be elected the Mayor and Marshall and the remaining one Alderman at large.

Section 5. Be it further ordained &c That this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved March 31st 1908

John A. Ross
Clerk

R E Jarvis
Mayor

Ordinance No 105.

An ordinance prohibiting the deposit and discharge into the street and gutters of the town of Hammond, of all offal, contents of cess pools where same is offensive, and other offensive matter and providing a penalty for the violation there of.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, that it shall be unlawful to deposit or throw any offal, or discharge any cess pool over flow pipe, where same is offensive, or other offensive matter into the streets or gutters of the town of Hammond.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c. That any person or persons or corporations violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall, upon conviction therefor, suffer fine not less than $5.00 nor more than $100.00 and the person or persons, and the officer responsible therefor of any Corporation, may be imprisoned for not less than one day nor more than Thirty days, or both fine and imprisonment at the discretion of Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c. That where upon trial and conviction of any person under the preceeding sections of this Ordinance for violation there of, it shall appear that the violation was caused by neglect, failure, or refusal of the Owner of the property to provide proper means of disposing of the above described offensive matter, said owner of said property shall be deemed guilty of the same offense, and upon due trial be convicted, shall receive

fine or imprisonment, or both, not to exceed the fine and imprisonment fixed in Section 2. of this Ordinance

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c. That any person or persons not complying with the terms of this Ordinance within Thirty-six hours after notice has been served by the Board of Health, shall be arrested by the Marshall, and brought before the Mayor to answer charge of violation of this Ordinance.

Section 5. Be it further ordained that this ordinance take effect on and after its passage, and that all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistant herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted April 7th 1908.

John A. Ross
Clerk

R. E. Jaques
Mayor

Ordinance No 106.

An ordinance to regulate the running of Pool and Billiard Halls, and providing a penality for the violation thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond, Louisiana. That it shall be unlawful for any minor to go into or frequant any Hall in which the games of Pool and Billiards are played.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c That it shall be unlawful for the proprietor, owner or his employes or any other person or persons to permit the playing of, or engage in, any game of pool or billiards in any pool or billiard hall between the hours of 12. P. M. and 6 A M of every week night and between the hours of 12 P. M Saturday night and 6 A M. Monday morning

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That any person who shall violate the provisions of this ordinance, shall on conviction thereof, be fined in the sum of not less than Ten Dollars, nor more than One hundred dollars, or imprisonment for not less than five days, nor more than Thirty days, or both at the discretion of Court

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That this Ordinance shall be effective on and after its passage.

Adopted April 7th 1908.

John A. Ross
Clerk.

R E Jarre
Mayor

Ordinance No 107.

An ordinance to provide precautions and prescribe rules regulating the running of railway engines and cars and governing the speed thereof within certain limits in the town of Hammond Louisiana, to prevent accidents at the crossings within said limits and on the tracks of the said railway, and fixing a penalty for the violation of the same

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond, Louisiana;- That when any railroad train or engine shall be moving or standing still on either the East or West main line, or the house track, or side track of the Illinois Central Railroad, between North line of Charles Street on the North and South line of Thomas Street on the South, it shall be unlawful for any other railroad train any engine or loose cars to move on the track within said limits, except trains carrying U. S. mail, and then only when preceded by a flagman at a distance of not less than twenty feet, who shall precede said train, engine or cars on foot, and that said train, engine or cars, when moving on any track within said limits when there is already another train either moving or standing, on said tracks in said limits to reduce its speed and to proceed at a speed not exceeding four miles per hour until the said limits are passed, these conditions to be fulfilled whether the train be freight or passenger, and whether it be moving forward or

schedule, or switching, or going into a siding for the purpose of clearing the tracks for other trains.

Section 2. Be it further ordained That all trains, engines and cars operating on the Illinois Central Railroad tracks shall, upon approaching Morris Avenue on the South when moving in a Northerly direction or Robert Street on the North, when moving in a Southerly direction reduce their speed not to exceed four miles an hour, and shall maintain no greater speed within the said limits of Morris Avenue on the South, and Robert Street on the North, and at no time, either in proceeding on schedule or in switching, or in going into a siding for the purpose of clearing the tracks for other trains, to exceed four miles per hour while within said limits.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That in complying with the provisions of this Ordinance in Section 1, the pilot or flag-man who shall precede the moving train, engine or cars, at the distance of not less than twenty feet, shall precede and remain constantly in view of the engine-man, who shall keep his train, engine or cars, under absolute control that an immediate stoppage may be made on signal from the pilot.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c That any engine-men, conductor, break-man, flag-man or other member of the train crew, violating this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined in a sum of not less than five dollars, nor more than One hundred dollars, or imprisonment of not less than ten days, nor more than Thirty days, or both

at the discretion of the Court.

Section 5. In consideration of the large number of serious accidents which have occurred within the aforesaid limits by reason of the moving of trains, this Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage.

Approved April 21st 1908.

John A Ross Clerk A E Jessup Mayor.

108

Ordinance No 108.

An ordinance providing for licensing peddling at the trains in the Town of Hammond, and penalty for violation of the same.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond, - That it shall be unlawful for any person to peddle any fruit, produce, or any article whatsoever at the trains in the town of Hammond without a license.

Section 2. Be it ordained &c. - That all persons peddling at the trains in the town of Hammond shall pay a license fee of $1-50 per annum, which license shall not be transferable.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c. - That any person violating the terms of this ordinance shall be brought before the Mayor's Court for trial, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than $1/50 & costs, and in default of payment of fine & costs, shall be imprisoned in the town jail not less than 5 days, nor more than 20 days.

Section 4. Be it further ordained &c. - That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in whatsoever manner they may conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Approved July 7th 1908

John. A. Ross
Clerk

R E Jones
Mayor

109

Ordinance No 109

An ordinance to muzzle dogs running at large within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor & Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond;- That it shall be unlawful for any person to permit the running at large, unmuzzled, of any dog within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond between the 1st May & the 1st of November.

Section 2. Be it further ordained &c that any dog running at large within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond unmuzzled, shall be killed by the Town Marshall or Deputy.

Section 3. Be it further ordained &c That this ordinance shall take effect ten days from passage the public good requiring the same.

Passed August 11/09.

John A. Ross
Clerk

R E Jarvis
Mayor

This ordinance No. 109 was repealed by the Council on Tuesday June 6th 1911.

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Section 5. Be it further ordained etc. That this ordinance shall take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted March 2nd 1909

John. A. Ross
Clerk.

R E Sund
Mayor

Ordinance No 111

An ordinance dedicating a piece of land at the corner of W. R. R. Avenue and Thomas St. adjacent to I. C. R. R. right-of way, for a memorial site for Stewart monument.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond, La;- That the following certain piece of land, being the corner of the Square formed by the intersection of West Railroad Avenue and Thomas St., adjacent to I. C. R. R. right-of way in said town of Hammond, be and the same is hereby dedicated and set apart as a site for the memorial monument to be erected to the memory of Francis, Gurley Stewart, who sacrificed his life on the 13th day of April 1908 in preventing the death of Gary Bercaw a little child.

Section 2. Be it further ordained etc:- That this dedication shall remain and continue so long as the said site is used for the memorial monument, and in the event of the removal of said monument at any future time the said site shall revert to and become a part of the public thoroughfare and property of the town of Hammond aforesaid.

"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friend."

Section 3. Be it further ordained etc. That this ordinance take effect on & after its passage

Adopted March 2nd 1909

R E Jones
Mayor

John A. Ross
Clerk

Ordinance No. 112.

An Ordinance requiring owners, tenants and occupants, or their agents, of real property, situated within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond to cut and to remove all the grass, weeds and brush therefrom and the sidewalks adjacent thereto, and providing a penalty for failure to do so.

Section I. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, That on and after the passage of this ordinance the owners of unimproved or unoccupied, or owners, tenants and occupants or their agents, of improved or occupied real property situated within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, be and they are hereby required to cut and remove all grass, weeds and brushes growing and being thereupon and the sidewalks adjacent thereto within ten days after receipt of a written notice so to do issued by the Mayor.

Section II. Be it further ordained, That failure to comply with the foregoing Section after the receipt of the said notice shall subject the offender thereof to a fine not less than One Dollar, and not more than Twenty-five Dollars; or imprisonment of not less than One Day and not more than Thirty Days, or both fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section III. Be it further ordained, That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed October 6. 1909.

Approved October 6. 1909.

Attest: J. B. Adams.
Town Clerk.

S. L. Rossetti
Mayor.

Copy

Ordinance No. 113.

An Ordinance to prohibit the erection of any building within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, without first having obtained a permit so to do, from the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, and providing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, That on and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person to erect, or attempt to erect any building within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, without having first obtained a permit so to do from the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained, That whenever any person desires to begin the erection of any building within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond he shall present plans and specifications thereof, together with a description of the site upon which proposed building is to be erected, in writing, to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, at any regular or special meeting, with the request that he be permitted to erect a building in conformity with the plans and specifications, and upon the site submitted to them. That when the Mayor and Board of Aldermen have considered the said plans, specifications and building site, and the request for permission to erect the proposed building, they shall forthwith issue a permit therefor to the petitioner, if the question is favorably voted upon.

Sec. 3. Be it further ordained, That whoever shall violate this ordinance shall be subjected, upon conviction, to a fine of not less than Ten Dollars, nor more than Fifty Dollars, or of imprisonment of not less than one day, nor more than Thirty Days, or both fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the Mayor.

Sec. 4. Be it further ordained, That all laws or parts of laws, in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Passed March 1, 1910.
Approved March 1, 1910.
Attest: J. B. Adams Town Clerk.

J. L. Powell Mayor.

Ordinance No. 101, ssion Series

An Ordinance fixing the cost of and requiring advance payment for official inspection of all buildings hereafter erected; and for the inspection of all electric wiring; plumbing and sewerage connections; making the violation of this Ordinance a misdemeanor and providing a penalty therefor:

Be It Ordained By the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, as follows:

SECTION 1: Any person, whether as owner, agent or employee, desiring to erect a building or structure; or to install, connect or extend plumbing for water or sewerage connections, or electric wiring for light, power or heating, shall first apply, in writing, to the City of Hammond, through its Commissioner of Public Health and Safety, for permission agreeing to do so in accordance with the existing Ordinances and laws governing such work; the applicant for such permit depositing with the City of Hammond such sum as is provided by the schedule of fees hereinafter provided.

When cost of structure is:

Not less than	$ 100.00	nor more
Not less than	1,500.00	nor more
Not less than	3,000.00	nor more
Not less than	5,000.00	nor more
Not less than	8,000.00	nor more
Not less than	12,000.00	nor more
Not less than	18,000.00	nor more
$25,000 and over		

When the application is only for installation, connection or extension of plumbing, for water or sewerage, or electrical work, and therefore not covered by the above schedule, the application shall be accompanied by the following schedule of fees:

Sewerage work	$1.50
Electric Wiring, first circuit	$1.50
Each additional circuit	$0.50
Connecting water works with one fixture	$2.00
For each additional fixture	$0.25

SECTION 3: Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be punished by a fine or not less than Ten Dollars ($10.00) nor more than Fifty Dollars ($50.00), or imprisoned for a period of not less than ten (10) days, nor more than thirty (30) days, or both, such fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 2: The person applying for the permit to erect a building or structure under Section One hereof, shall pay to the Commissioner of Public Health and Safety, according to the estimated cost of the building or structure proposed to be erected, the following schedule of fees, covering all inspection charges for the building, and all plumbing for water or sewerage, and electric wiring:

		Cost of Inspection
than	$ 1,500.00	$ 5.00
than	3,000.00	7.50
than	5,000.00	10.00
than	8,000.00	12.50
than	12,000.00	15.00
than	18,000.00	17.50
than	25,000.00	20.00
		25.00

SECTION 4: The existing Ordinances of the City of Hammond, especially Ordinance No. 29, Commission Series, Ordinance No. 30, Commission Series and Ordinance No. 34, Commission Series, shall not be repealed or in any manner affected except in so far as they are in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Adopted November 18th, 1924.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary. C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

Repealed by Ord No. 46 C5

Ordinance No. 114.

An ordinance regulating the running of automobiles, motor cars, motor cycles and motor vehicles of any description, within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond; and making the violation thereof an offence and providing a penalty therefor.

Section I. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, That on and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person to run or propel any automobile, motor car, motor-cycle or motor vehicle of any description upon the streets or roads within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, unless a permit has been issued by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen for the operation thereof.

Sec. II. Be it further ordained, that the owner of any automobile, motor car, motor-cycle, or motor vehicle of any description shall, before he can lawfully run or propel such machine upon the streets or roads within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, obtain a permit so to do from the Mayor and Board of Aldermen that the said permit shall contain the name of the owner of the machine, a description of the machine, the number of passengers it is to carry and the number it is to be

Sec. III. Be it further ordained, that the first applicant for a permit to run or propel any automobile, motor-cycle, motor car, or motor vehicle of any description under this ordinance shall have his machine numbered One; and each succeeding applicant shall have his machine numbered with the succeeding numerals in the order applied for. That the said number shall be placed upon a metal plate six inches wide by eight inches long, and shall be exhibited in a conspicuous place at the rear of the owners machine.

Sec. IV. Be it further ordained, that it shall be unlawful for any person to run or propel any automobile, motor car, motor-cycle or motor vehicle of any description upon the streets or roads of the Town of Hammond at a greater rate of speed than ten miles per

Sec. V. Be it further ordained, that it shall be unlawful for any person to run or propel any automobile, motor car, motor-cycle or motor vhicle of any desciption upon the streets or roads of the Town of Hammond between the hours of sunset and dawn, without having two white lights on the front of the machine and one red light on the rear of the machine, all of which must be conspicuously displayed.

Sec. VI. Be it further ordained, that it shall be unlawful for any person to run or propel any automobile motor car, motor-cycle or motor vhicle of any description upon the streets or roads of the Town of Hammond, unless the said machine is equipped with a horn, gong or bell of sufficient penetration to carry its sound two hundred feet. That it shall be the duty of the operator of such machine to sound the alarm at every street or road crossing on approaching them.

Sec. VII. Be it further ordained, that it shall be unlawful for any person under the age of sixteen years to run or propel any automobile, motor car, motor-cycle or motor vehicle of any description, upon the streets or roads of the Town of Hammond.

Sec. VIII. Be it further ordained, that a fee of Five Dollars shall be charged for each permit issued by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen under this ordinance; and out of this sum they shall provide for the manufacture of the metal plate bearing the number which the machine is to carry as provided by Section 2, and shall supply it to the person receiving the permit for attachment to the machine described therein.

Sec. IX. Be it further ordained, that whosoever shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of an offense, and shall be subject to a fine of not less than One Dollar nor more than Twenty-five Dollars, or imprisonment of not less than One day nor more than Ten days; or both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor.

Sec. X. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, be, and (one)

the same are hereby repealed.
Passed April 5, 1910.
Approved April 5, 1910.
Attest:
J. B. Adams.
Town Clerk.

S. L. Bartlett
Mayor.

Copy

Ordinance No. 115.

An ordinance making it an offense for the owner of any dead animal or fowl to allow it to remain exposed anywhere within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, and providing a penalty therefor.

Sec. I. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that on and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person who is the owner, or in possession of, any animal or fowl which has died, to allow the same to be exposed anywhere within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond.

Sec. II. Be it further ordained, that whosoever shall violate the provisions of Section 1, of this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of an offense, and upon conviction shall be subject to a fine of not less than One Dollar, nor more than Ten Dollars; or imprisonment of not less than one day, nor more than Ten Days; or both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor.

Sec. III. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed May 3, 1910.

Approved May 3, 1910.

Attest:

J. B. Adams,
Town Clerk.

S. L. Powell
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 116.

An ordinance to amend and re-enact Ordinance N
78, of the Town of Hammond, adopted March 6th, 190
ving an ordinance to prohibit the erection or con
struction of buildings and structures of wood and
other material than stone, iron, brick or other fir
proof material, with roofs of no material other th
slate, iron, tin, or other fire proof roofing, within
certain limits, and prohibiting the moving into s
certain limits, from elsewhere, any structure or bu
ing other than stone, brick, iron, or other fire proo
material; and providing a penalty for the violatio
thereof.

Sec. I. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board
Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that it shall he
after be unlawful for any person to erect, construc
or cause to be erected or constructed, any wooden
building or building compared of any material oth
than stone, iron, brick or other fire proof materia
within the following limits, to-wit: That portion of th
Town of Hammond within and bounded by the Eas
line of Cherry Street; the South line of Morris Avenu
the West line of Oak Street; the North line of Charles Stre
and also in addition to the above the following Squa
are included; Square Forty-nine and Seventy-two
and the South one-half of Square Sixty; and the Nor
one-half of Square Sixty-one; and the West one-hal
of Square Seventy-three, of the original Ayer Survey.

Sec. II. Be it further ordained, that it shall b
unlawful to move into the said above limits, fro
elsewhere, any structure or building constructed o
other than fire proof material,-

Sec. III. Be it further ordained, that any perso
violating the provisions of this ordinance shall, upo
conviction, be fined not less than Ten Dollars, n
more than One Hundred Dollars; or imprisonmen
of not less than Five Days, nor more than Thirty
Days; or both fine and imprisonment at the di
cretion of the Mayor; and the said structure or

building so erected shall be immediately removed at the expense of the owner thereof.

Sec. IV. Be it further ordained, That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed August 2, 1910.

Approved August 2, 1910.

Attest:

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

S. L. Powlett
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 117.

An ordinance providing for the levy of an annual license tax for the year 1911, and for each subsequent year thereafter upon each and every Life, Accident, Burglary, Fire, Marine, Guaranty, Indemnity, Employers' Liability, Bonding and Surety Company doing business within the Town of Hammond, and providing for the levy of an annual license tax upon any and all agents representing any of the said companies.

Section I. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that each and every Life, Accident, Burglary, Fire, Marine, Guaranty, Indemnity, Employers', Liability, Bonding and Surety Company doing business within the Town of Hammond during the year 1911 and for each subsequent year thereafter, shall pay an annual license tax based upon the gross amount of premiums on all risks as follows:

When said premiums are Five Thousand Dollars or more per annum, the license tax shall be Twenty Dollars.

When said premiums are less than Five Thousand Dollars and more than Twenty-five Hundred Dollars per annum, the license tax shall be Fifteen Dollars.

When said premiums are less than Twenty-five Hundred Dollars and more than One Thousand Dollars per annum, the license tax shall be Ten Dollars.

When said premiums are One Thousand Dollars or less per annum, the license tax shall be Five Dollars.

Section II. Be it further ordained that an annual license tax is hereby levied for the year 1911, and for each subsequent year thereafter, upon any and all agents representing any of the said companies named under Section I of this ordinance and doing business in the Town of Hammond, based upon the gross amount of the premiums they may collect within any year as follows:

When the premiums collected are Five Thousand Dollars, or more, per annum, the license tax shall be Twenty Dollars.

When the premiums collected are less than Five Thousand Dollars, and more than Twenty-Five Hundred Dollars per annum, the license tax shall be Fifteen Dollars.

When the premiums collected are less than Twenty-Five Hundred Dollars, and more than One Thousand Dollars the license tax shall be Ten Dollars.

When the premiums collected are less than One Thousand Dollars, the license tax shall be Five Dollars.

Section III. Be it further ordained, that all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed Sept. 6. 1910.

Approved Sept. 6. 1910.

Attest:

J. B. Adams.
Clerk.

Mayor.

by the Mayor and Board of Aldeman: that all buckets to be used in said closets or privies shall be furnished by the Board of Health, and each owner shall pay the sum of One Dollar per year, single hole, in advance, for the use of such buckets.

Sect. 3. Be it further ordained etc., That the following charge shall be made be made upon the occupants of each premises wherein a closet or privet is maintained and used, which charge or assessment shall cover the expence of said department for said work, and all such charges shall be paid quarterly in advance, after five days notice, to-wit:

Private Families

For cleaning single hole closet, $.25 per single hole per month.

For cleaning two hole closets $.45 per two holes per month.

For cleaning three hole closets $.65 per three holes per month.

Hotels, Boarding Houses, and Business Houses

For cleaning single hole closets $.50 per single hole per month.

For cleaning two hole closets $.90 per two holes per month.

For cleaning three hole closets $ 130 per three holes closets per month.

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Ordinance No. 118

An Ordinance to levy, collect and enforce payment of an annual license tax upon every business of keeping a theatre, opera house, amphitheatre, academy of music, exhibition of moving pictures, theatorium, nickel-odion, or other similar places of amusement and for every business of keeping exhibitions of a museum, menagerie, circus or other traveling show; and for every business of peddler or hawker.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Hammond, that there is hereby levied an annual license tax for the year 1911, and for each subsequent year, upon each person, association of persons, firm, or corporation pursuing the business or occupations hereinafter set forth.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, that for every business of keeping a theatre, opera house, amphitheatre, academy of music, exhibition of moving pictures, theatorium, nickelodion, or other similar places of amusement, the license shall be $10. for each 1000 inhabitants within the town of Hammond, according to the latest U.S. Census, to be paid by the person, corporation, firm or association, owning or controlling, for rent or hire, the buildings or places in which said exhibitions are held.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that for every business of keeping or conducting exhibitions known as a

museum, menagerie, circus or other traveling shows, the license shall be based on the number of attaches, whether proprietors, performers, or other employees, as follows:

First Class - When the number of such persons is 100 or more, the license shall be $300.

Second Class - When the number of such persons is 75 or more, & less than 100, the license shall

Third Class - When the number of such persons is 50 more, and less than 75, the license shall be $100.00

Fourth Class - When the number of such persons is 30 or more and less than 50, the license shall

Fifth Class - When the number of such persons is 20 or more and less than 30, the license shall be $50.

Sixth Class - When the number of such persons is 1 or more, and less than 20, the license shall be $30.

Seventh Class - When the number of such persons 5 or more and less than 10, the license shall be $25.

Eighth Class - When the number of such persons is 4 the license shall be $20.

Ninth Class - When the number of such persons is 3 the license shall be $15.

Tenth Class - When the number of such persons is 2. the license shall be $10.

Eleventh Class - When the number of such persons is 1, the license shall be $5.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, that for every hall where balls and entertainments not above provided for, are given, the classification for license shall be as in Section 3 of this Ordinance; but their license shall only be one-fourth of those provided in said Section, provided, this shall not apply to balls or entertainments by private parties or for charitable purposes.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, that

each and every peddler or hawker other than vendors of ice pay an annual license tax graded as follows:

When traveling on foot $20.
When traveling on horseback $30.
When traveling in a one-horse vehicle $35.
When traveling in a two-horse vehicle $50.
When traveling by any other mode than above mentioned $50.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, that all licenses under this ordinance shall become due and payable on the first day of January of each year and shall become delinquent on the first day of March of each year, except for the year 1911, in which year they shall become due on and after the passage of this ordinance and shall become delinquent on the first day of April. That all unpaid licenses shall bear interest at the rate of 2 per cent per month from the day they become delinquent. The town tax collector shall make report at the first regular meeting of the Town Council after the time for the payment of the licenses herein enumerated shall have expired, of every person, firm, corporation or association of persons liable for license under this ordinance who shall have become delinquent.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be

and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed and approved Feb. 7, 19

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

S. L. Powlett.
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 119

An Ordinance to levy an annual tax upon all persons, associations of persons, firms and corporations pursuing the profession or business of contractors, master-builders, and mechanics, who employ assistants; and for the profession or business of draying, trucking, keeping cabs, carriages, hacks or horses for hire, automobiles for hire, undertakers or funeral directors, owners or lessees of toll bridges or ferries, and bill posting or tacking; and for the business or profession of physician, attorney at law, editor, dentist, oculist, photographer and jeweler.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor, Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that there shall be levied for the year 1911, and subsequent years, an annual license tax upon all persons, associations of persons, firms or corporations pursuing any of the kinds of business or professions hereafter named, and said license tax shall be based on the annual gross receipts of said business and graduated into classes as follows, namely:

Section 2 Be it further ordained, that for every individual, firm, company, or corporation carrying on the business or profession of contractor, master-builder, and mechanic, who employ assistants, the license on said profession or occupation shall be as follows;

First Class - When said gross annual receipts are $100,000.00 or more and less than $300,000.00 the license tax shall be $50.

Second Class - When said gross annual receipts are $50,000.00 or more and less than $100,000.00 the license shall be $40.00.

Third Class - When said gross annual receipts are $25,000.00 or more and less than $50,000.00, the license shall be $30.00

Fourth Class - When said gross annual receipts are $10,000.00 or more and less than $25,000.00, the license shall be $20.00.

Fifth Class - When said gross annual receipts are less than $10,000.00, the license shall be $10.00.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that every individual, firm, company or corporation carrying on the business or profession or agency for steamboats, dray, trucking, keeping cabs, carriages, hacks or horses for hire, automobiles for hire, undertakers or funeral directors, owners or lessees of toll bridges or ferries, and bill posting or tacking, the license for such profession or occupation shall be as follows:

First Class - When gross annual receipts are $20,000.00 or more, the license shall be $120.00.

Second Class - When gross annual receipts are $16,000.00 or more and less than $20,000.00, the license shall be $100.00.

Third Class - When gross annual receipts are $12,000.00 or more and less than $16,000.00, the license shall be $90.00.

Fourth Class - When gross annual receipts are $10,000.00 or more and less than $12,000.00, the license shall be $60.00.

Fifth Class - When gross annual receipts are $8,000.00 or more or less than $10,000.00, the license shall be $50.00.

Sixth Class - When gross annual receipts are $6,000.00 or more and less than $8,000.00, the license shall be $40.00.

Seventh Class - When gross annual receipts are $5,000.00 or more and less than $6,000.00, the license shall be $30.00.

Eighth Class - When gross annual receipts are $4,000.00 or more and less than $5,000.00, the license shall be $20.00.

Ninth Class - When gross annual receipts are $3,000.00 or more and less than $4,000.00, the license shall be $20.00.

Tenth Class - When gross annual receipts are $2,000.00 or more and less than $3,000.00 the license shall be $15.00.

Eleventh Class - When gross annual receipts are $1,000.00 or more and less than $2,000.00 the license shall be $12.00.

Twelfth Class - When gross annual receipts are $750.00 or more and less than $1,000.00 the license shall be $10.00.

Thirteenth Class - When gross annual receipts are less than $750.00 the license shall be $5.00.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, that every individual or individuals carrying on the business or profession of physician, attorney at law, editor, dentist, oculist, photographer, or jeweler, shall be graded the same as in Section 3 above set forth, but the license shall be one-half of those established by that Section and, provided, no license shall be issued hereunder for less than $5.00.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed February 7th. 1911.
Approved February 7th. 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 120.

An Ordinance to increase the revenues of the Town of Hammond by levying a license tax on the sale of pistols or pistol cartridges, blank pistols or blank pistol cartridges; and rifles or rifle cartridges, with certain exceptions.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that for every retail dealer in pistols or pistol cartridges, blank pistols or blank pistol cartridges, or any rifles except 22 and 25 calibres, or any rifle cartridges except 22 and 25 calibres, within the Town of Hammond, shall pay an annual license tax on said business graded as follows:

First Class - When the gross sales are $5,000.00 or more, the license shall be $100.00.

Second Class - When the gross sales are under $5,000.00 and more than $2,500.00, the license shall be $50.00

Third Class - When the gross sales are less than $2,500.00 the license shall be $25.00

That said license shall be collected by the Town Tax Collector in the same manner and at the same time as are collected other license taxes.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed February 7, 1911
Approved February 7, 1911
J. B. Adams, Town Clerk S. L. Pruitt, Mayor.

Ordinance No. 121.

An ordinance to levy an annual license tax upon certain classes of corporations doing business within the town of Hammond whose domiciles are in other states, or foreign countries.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that there is hereby levied an annual license tax for the year 1911, and for each subsequent year, upon corporations doing business within the Town of Hammond but domiciled in other states of the union or in foreign countries, as follows:

Section 2. Be it further ordained that all Banks, Banking associations, corporations or companies, who may in their own name or in the name of their representatives or agents engage in the town of Hammond in the business of lending money or dealing in exchange, shall pay a license of one per cent on the gross profits of all money loaned and all exchange bought and all exchange sold, and other business done, provided no license shall issue as provided for in this Section for less than $1.00.00; provided, that the license of $1.00.00 shall not apply on those companies or corporations lending money secured solely by mortgage on real estate.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that all telegraph companies shall pay a license of $1.00 upon each $100.00 of gross receipts from business done wholly within the

town of Hammond.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, that all telephone companies shall pay a license of $2.00 upon each $1,000.00 of gross receipts from all business done within the town of Hammond.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, that for conducting the business of supplying electric lights, or electric power, leading or hiring motors, fans or other electric appliances or machines each company shall pay an annual license of $2.50 upon each $1,000.00 of gross receipts from such business.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, that for the carrying on of what is commonly known as an express business each company shall pay an annual license of $2.00 upon each $1,000.00 of gross earnings from business done wholly within the town of Hammond.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, that all associations or corporations chartered or created by other states, or foreign countries, who may engage in, either our name, or in the name of their representatives or agents, within the town of Hammond, in the sale of coal oil, petroleum, naptha, benzine, turpentine, or other mineral oils, whether crude or refined, shall pay an annual license tax of $3.00 for each $1,000.00 of such sales made within the town of Hammond.

Section 8. Be it further ordained, that all associations corporations or companies domiciled outside of the state of Louisiana, who shall within the town of Hammond, directly or through agents or representatives, deal in fresh meats, cured, salted, smoked or canned meats, shall pay an annual license of $1.00 for each $1,000.00 of proceeds from the business done within the town of Hammond.

Section 9. Be it further ordained, that the license taxes under this ordinance shall be payable at the principle place of business of the corporation, company or association, within the town of Hammond, before the first day of March of each year, and if delinquent shall bear interest at the rate of two per cent per month.

Section 10. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed February 7, 1911.
Approved February 7, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

L. L. Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No. 122.

An Ordinance for the purpose of levying an annual license tax upon the business of keeping an hotel where lodging and eating are combined, and for lodging houses alone; and for every business of coffee house, cafe, hamburger stand, or other places where anything to be drunk or eaten on the premises is sold; and for the business of keeping billiard tables, pigeon hole, penny link, pool or bagatelle tables, and ten pin alleys.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond, that there is hereby levied an annual license tax for the year 1911 and subsequent years, upon every business of keeping an hotel where lodging and eating are combined, a license shall be based upon the number of furnished lodging rooms for guests, as follows:

First Class- When said rooms are in number 300 or more, the license shall be $300.00.

Second Class- When said rooms are 225 or more and less than 300, the license shall be $250.00.

Third Class- When said rooms are 150 or more and less than 225, the license shall be $150.00.

Fourth Class- When said rooms are 75 or more and less than 150, the license shall be $100.00.

Fifth Class- When said rooms are 45 or more and less than 70, the

license shall be $75.00.

Sixth Class- When said rooms are thirty or more and less than 45, the license shall be $50.00.

Seventh Class- When said rooms are 15 or more and less than 30, the license shall be $25.00.

Eighth Class- When said rooms are 12 or more and less than 15, the license shall be $15.00.

Ninth Class- When said rooms are 9 or more and less than 12, the license shall be $10.00.

Tenth Class- When said rooms are 4 or more and less than 9, the license shall be $5.00.

Provided, however, that no license shall be required when the number of said rooms is less than provided for in Class Ten; that for every business of lodging alone the license shall be estimated on the same basis as for an hotel, but graded at one-half rates; provided that boarding houses pay sixty per cent of the rate on hotels.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that for every business of coffee house, cafe, hamburger stand, or other place where anything to be drunk or eaten on the premises is sold, directly or indirectly, the license shall be based on the annual gross receipts of said business, as follows:

First Class- When said gross annual receipts are $10,000.00 or more and less than $15,000.00, the license shall be $100.00.

Second Class- When said gross annual receipts are $7,500.00 or more, and less than $10,000.00, the license shall be $75.00.

Third Class- When said gross annual receipts are $5,000.00 or more and less than $7,500.00, the license shall be $50.00.

Fourth Class- When said gross annual receipts are less than $5,000.00, the license shall be $25.00.

Provided; that no license shall be charged for selling refreshments for charitable or religious purposes.

Section 3. Be it further ordained that for the business of keeping Billiard Tables, Pigeon hole, Penny Pool, Pool or Bagatelle tables, and ten pin alley, from which revenue is derived, a license of $5.00 for each such table or alley shall be paid in addition to any other license due by the establishment in which such tables or alleys may be situated.

Section 4. Be it further ordained that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed- February 7, 1911.
Approved- February 7, 1911.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

S. L. Powlett,
Mayor

Ordinance No. 123.

An Ordinance making it unlawful to keep a grog or tippling shop as defined by the Laws of the State of Louisiana within the limits of the Town of Hammond and providing a penalty therefor.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that on and after the passage of this Ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person or association of persons, corporation, or club to keep a grog or tippling shop as defined by the Statutes of the State of Louisiana, within the limits of the town of Hammond.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, that any person found guilty of violation of this ordinance shall be fined not less than One Dollar, and no more than Fifty Dollars, or be imprisoned for not less than one day and no more than thirty days; or both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed February 7th, 1911.
Approved February 7, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No. 124.

An Ordinance providing for the payment of the side walk of certain Streets of the Town of Hammond, fixing the specification therefor, and ordering the Mayor to call for bids for the work.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that the sidewalks on the following Streets, to-wit:-

North and South side of Thomas St. from west Railroad Avenue to west end of Square, 124 and 119 of Cale's Addition to the Town of Hammond.

North and South sides of Charles Street, from west Railroad Avenue to Hazel Canal.

North side of Robert Street, from west Railroad Avenue to west end of Block 141 of Cale's Addition to town of Hammond, and South side of Robert Street, from west Railroad Avenue to west end of Block 127 of said addition.

North and South sides of Church Street from west Railroad Avenue, to west end of Blocks 140 & 141, Cale's Add.

West Railroad Avenue, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

East and West sides of Oak Street, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

East and west sides of Magnolia Street, from Thomas Street to Colorado Avenue.

East and west sides of Pine Street, from Thomas St. to Michigan Avenue.

North and South sides of Morrow Avenue from East Railroad Avenue to Holly Street.

North and South sides of Hanson Avenue from East Railroad Avenue to Holly Street.

North and South sides of Coleman Avenue from Railroad Avenue to Holly Street.

East and West sides of Cypress Street, from Thomas Street to Coleman Avenue.

East Railroad Avenue from Thomas Street to Coleman Avenue.

East and West sides of Cherry Street, from Thomas Street to Coleman Avenue.

East and West sides of Holly Street from Thomas Street to Coleman Avenue.

North and South sides of Charles Street, from Ponchatoula Creek to Oak Street.

North and South sides of Church Street, from Ponchatoula Creek to Square 14, Cates Add.

East and West sides of Cherry Street, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

North and South sides of Thomas Street, from Cherry Street to Holly Street.

North and South sides of Roberts Street from Ponchatoula Creek to Oak Street.

East and West sides of Holly Street from Morris Avenue to Michigan Avenue.

East and West sides of Cypress Street, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

East Railroad Avenue, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

East and West sides of Chestnut Street, from Thomas Street to Church St.

North and South sides of Morris Avenue between West Railroad Avenue and Magnolia Street.

North side of Hanson Avenue, between West Railroad Avenue and Oak Street.

North and South sides of Hanson Ave, between Oak and Magnolia Street.

South side of Hanson Ave. between Pine and Magnolia Sts. fronting Bretingham property.

North side of Coleman between Oak and Pine Streets.

South side of Thomas Street, between West Railroad Avenue and Oak St.

East and West sides of Pine St. from Thomas St. to Coleman Ave.

East side of Oak St. from Thomas St. to Coleman Ave.

East side of Magnolia St. from Morris Ave. to Coleman Ave.

East side of Magnolia Ave. from Thomas St. to Morris Ave.

West side of Oak St. between Thomas Street and Morris Ave.

be paved; that the payment shall be according to the following specifications, to-wit.

Of concrete, of good material; walk to be four feet wide on all sidewalks, except on the north and South side of Thomas Street, from Cherry St. to Holly St. and on North and South side of Thomas St. between Oak St. and West Railroad Ave, where the sidewalks shall be ten feet wide, the material and construction to be according to specifications prepared by the City Engineer.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc.; that the Mayor call for bids for the said work, and give ten days notice thereof in the official journal of this town, reserving the right

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to reject any and all bids, and requiring the Contractor to keep the side walks in good repair for a period of one year from completion, and to commence work within thirty days from letting the contract, and to complete same within a time to be fixed by the City Engineer that the contract for the work be let to the lowest responsible bidder, who can give satisfactory security.

Section 3. Be it further ordained etc., that this ordinance go into effect from and after its passage.

Passed - June 12, 1911.

Attest.

J. B. Adams
Clerk

M. C. Wilson
Mayor

Ordinance No. 125-

An Ordinance Authorizing the Mayor of the Town of Hammond to Enter into a Contract or Contracts with R. A. Mc Reynolds for the Paving of Sidewalks on Certain Streets of the Town of Hammond at the Cost of the Abutting Properties in Accordance with the Conditions and Specifications set forth or referred to in Ordinance #124, adopted June 12, 1911, and in Accordance with the Bid for said Work, all in Accordance with Act 147 of 1902.

Section 1. Be It Ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that, whereas the paving of sidewalks on certain streets of the Town of Hammond, at the cost of abutting properties, has been duly ordered by Ordinance No. 124, adopted June 12, 1911;

And, whereas, in accordance with said ordinance bids for said paving were duly called for by advertisement as required by Act 147 of 1902;

And, whereas, the bid of said R. A. Mc Reynolds was the lowest and same was duly accepted on Aug. 10, 1911, and said contract was awarded him;

Now, Therefore, the Mayor of the Town of Hammond is hereby fully authorized and empowered to enter into a contract or contracts with said R. A. Mc Reynolds to pave the sidewalks of said certain streets fully set forth in Ordinance No. 124, adopted June 12,

1911, at the cost of the abutting prop-
lies on said streets respectively for the
price and sum bid by said R. A.
McReynolds for said work and in ac-
cordance with the terms and condition
and the plans and specifications for said
paving heretofore recommended and adopte

Section 2. Be It Further Ordained
That the Mayor of the Town of Ham-
mond is hereby authorized to sign
any contract or contracts necessary
in the premises.

Section 3. Be It Further Ordain
etc., That this Ordinance shall go into
effect from and after its passage.

Passed August 29, 1911.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance # 126

An ordinance defining dangerous and suspicious characters and providing for the suppression and punishment of the same.

Section 1 Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that whosoever shall have in his possession any pick lock or other tool, or instrument, which from its nature is intended or fit to be used as a means of effecting a forcible entry into any house or railroad car, and is unable to show that such possession is for a lawful purpose, or who shall be found in any house, railroad car, yard or garden, and unable to account satisfactorily for his presence in such place, or wandering about the streets of the Town of Hammond after midnight and before sunrise, and unable to account satisfactorily for his action, shall be reputed a dangerous and suspicious character, and as such, shall on conviction, be fined not more than $25.00 and not less than $1.00 or imprisoned not more than 30 days, nor less than 1 day or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that this ordinance shall go into effect from and after its promulgation.

Passed September 5, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

Wm. C. Wilson
Mayor

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Ordinance # 127

An ordinance defining Malicious Mischief and providing a penalty therefore.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, That any person who shall unlawfully and mischeviously cut, break or damage, with intent to destroy or render useless any chattle, goods, property, or furniture of any description, belonging to another; or shall enter any house with the intent to destroy or injure any property of another; or shall committ depredations on any building, monument, statue, yard, plants, or trees belonging either to the public or to any other person, shall be deemed guilty of Malicious Mischief, and on conviction shall be imprisoned not more than 30 days and not less than 1 day, or fine not more than $25.00 and not less than $1.00 or both; at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that this ordinance shall go into effect from and after its passage.

Passed September 5, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

Wm. C. Wilson
Mayor.

Ordinance #128

An ordinance providing for the punishment of larceny of goods of a value of less than One Hundred Dollars.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond that it shall be unlawfull for any Person to take, or steal the property of another valued at less than $100.00 within the limits of the Town of Hammond;

Section 2. Be it further ordained etc., That whoever shall violate Section 1 of this ordinance shall on conviction, be imprisoned for not more that 30 days and not less than 1 day, or fined not more than $100.00 and not less than $1.00 or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained etc. The exigencies of the case demanding it, that this ordinance go into effect from and after its passage.

Passed September 5, 1911.

J. B. Adams.
Town Clerk.

M. C. Gibson
Mayor

Ordinance #129.

An ordinance to prohibit the carrying of concealed weapons with in the limits of the Town of Hammond.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, That whosoever shall carry a weapon or weapons concealed on or about his person, such as pistols, bowie knives, daggers, razors, metal knuckles or any other dangerous weapons, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not more than $100.00 nor less than $5.00 or imprisoned not more than 30 days nor less than 5 days.

Section 2. Be it further ordained etc; that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance, be and the same are here by repealed.

Section 3. Be it further ordained that this ordinance go into effect from and after its passage.

Passed September 5, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

W. C. Wilson
Mayor

Ordinance # 130

An Ordinance requiring all persons holding any public gathering at which refreshments are sold or admittance fee charged, to obtain a permit from the Mayor, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Section 1 Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to hold any Public gathering at which refreshments are sold or admittance fee charged with out obtaining a permit from the Mayor.

Section 2. Be it further ordained etc; that any person or persons violating this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of an offence, and upon conviction in the Mayor's Court, shall be fined not less than $5.00 or more than $25.00 or confinement in the Town Jail for not less than 3 days or more than 30 days or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall go into effect on and after its passage

Passed October 3, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

W. C. Wilson
Mayor

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Ordieance No. 142.

An ordinance to amend and re-ordain Ordinance No. 134, entitled "An ordinance providing for the cleaning of closets or privies within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond, and keeping the same in a good and sanitary condition."

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that Ordinance No. 134, entitled "An ordinance providing for the cleaning of closets or privies within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, and keeping the same in a good and sanitary condition," be amended and re-ordained so as to read as follows:

SEC. 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town Hammond, That all closets or privies hereinafter constructed within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond shall be constructed in accordance with the "Styles" system, and all closets or privies now in existance shall be converted as far as possible to conform with the styles system, and that the cleaning of said closets or privies shall be done exclusively under the direction and in accordance with the rules and regulations established by the Board of Health, and it shall be unlawful for any private person to do such work.

SEC. 2. Be it further ordained etc., That the said closets or privies shall be properly cleaned and disinfected under the directions of the said Board of Health, and the excrements from said closets or privies shall be removed in sealed barrels or other covered receptacles by the said department and deposited or disposed of at such place and in such manner as shall be dictated by said Board of Health and approved by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen; that all buckets to be used in said closets or privies shall be furnished by the Board of Health, and each owner shall pay the sum of One Dollar per year, single hole, in advance, for the use of such buckets.

SEC. 3. Be it further ordained etc., That the following charge shall be made upon the occupant of each premises whereon a closet or privy is maintained and used, which charge or assessment shall cover the expense of said department for said work and all such charges shall be paid quarterly in dvance, after five days notice, to-wit:

Private Families.

For cleaning single hole closet, $.25 per single hole per month.

For cleaning two hole closets, $.45 per two holes per month.

For cleaeing three hole closets, $.65 per three holes per month.

Hotels, Boarding Houses, and Business Houses.

For cleaning single hole closets $.50 per single hole per month.

For cleaning two hole closets, $.90 per two holes per month.

For cleaning three hole closets, $1.30 per three holes per month.

SEC. 4. Be it further ordained etc. That the closet or privy of each private family shall be cleaned and disinfected not less than once each week if necessary, and all other closets shall be inspected once each week and cleaned and disinfected as often as the Health Officer shall deem necessary.

SEC. 5. Be it further ordained etc., That every person who shall fail, refuse or neglect to comply with Sections 1 and 3 of this act, or shall hinder or interfere with the said Board of Health or its employes in the cleaning of closets as hereinabove provided for, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in a sum of not more than Ten Dollars and not less than Two Dollars, or imprisoned for not more than ten days and not less than one day, or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

SEC. 6. Be it further ordained etc., That any and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions herein be and the same are hereby repealed; and the exigencies of the case demanding, that this ordinance take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed June 4, 1912.

M. G. WILSON, Mayor

J. B. ADAMS, Clerk.

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Ordinance #142.

An ordinance to amend and re-ordain Ordinance No. 134, entitled "An ordinance providing for the cleaning of closets or privies with in the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, and keeping the same in a good and sanitary condition"

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that Ordinance No. 134 entitled "An ordinance providing for the cleaning of closets or privies with in the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, and keeping the same in a good and sanitary condition" be amended and re-ordained so as to read as follows.

Sect. 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, That all closets or privies hereafter constructed with in the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond shall be constructed in accordance with the "Styles" system, and all closets or privies now in existance shall be converted as fast as possible to conform with the styles system, and that the cleaning of said closets or privies shall be done exclusively under the direction and in accordance with the rules and regulations established by the Board of Health and it shall be unlawful for any private person to do such work.

Sect. 2. Be it further ordained etc., That the said closets or privies shall be properly cleaned and disinfected under the direction of the said Board of Health, and the excrements from said closets or privies shall be removed in sealed barrels or other covered receptacles by the said department and deposited or disposed of at such place and in such manner as shall be dictated by said Board of Health and approved

by the Mayor and Board of Aldeman: that all buckets to be used in said closets or privies shall be furnished by the Board of Health, and each owner shall pay the sum of One Dollar per year, single hole, in advance, for the use of such buckets.

Sect. 3. Be it further ordained etc., That the following charge shall be made be made upon the occupants of each premises wherein a closet or privet is maintained and used, which charge or assessment shall cover the expence of said department for said work, and all such charges shall be paid quarterly in advance, after five days notice, to-wit:

Private Families

For cleaning single hole closet, $.25 per single hole per month.

For cleaning two hole closets $.45 per two holes per month.

For cleaning three hole closets $.65 per three holes per month.

Hotels, Boarding Houses, and Business Houses

For cleaning single hole closets $.50 per single hole per month.

For cleaning two hole closets $.90 per two holes per month.

For cleaning three hole closets $ 130 per three holes closets per month.

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Ordinance No. 118

An Ordinance to levy, collect and enforce payment of an annual license tax upon every business of keeping a theatre, opera house, amphitheatre, academy of music, exhibition of moving pictures, theatorium, nickel-odion, or other similar places of amusement and for every business of keeping exhibitions of a museum, menagerie, circus or other traveling show; and for every business of peddler or hawker.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Hammond, that there is hereby levied an annual license tax for the year 1911, and for each subsequent year, upon each person, association of persons, firm, or corporation pursuing the business or occupations hereinafter set forth.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, that for every business of keeping a theatre, opera house, amphitheatre, academy of music, exhibition of moving pictures, theatorium, nickelodion, or other similar places of amusement, the license shall be $10. for each 1000 inhabitants within the town of Hammond, according to the latest U.S. Census, to be paid by the person, corporation, firm or association, owning or controlling, for rent or hire, the buildings or places in which said exhibitions are held.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that for every business of keeping or conducting exhibitions known as a

museum, menagerie, circus or other traveling shows, the license shall be based on the number of attaches, whether proprietors, performers, or other employees, as follows:

First Class - When the number of such persons is 100 or more, the license shall be $300.

Second Class - When the number of such persons is 75 or more, & less than 100, the license shall

Third Class - When the number of such persons is 50 more, and less than 75, the license shall be $100.00

Fourth Class - When the number of such persons is 30 or more and less than 50, the license shall

Fifth Class - When the number of such persons is 20 or more and less than 30, the license shall be $50.

Sixth Class - When the number of such persons is 1 or more, and less than 20, the license shall be $30.

Seventh Class - When the number of such persons 5 or more and less than 10, the license shall be $25.

Eighth Class - When the number of such persons is 4 the license shall be $20.

Ninth Class - When the number of such persons is 3 the license shall be $15.

Tenth Class - When the number of such persons is 2. the license shall be $10.

Eleventh Class - When the number of such persons is 1, the license shall be $5.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, that for every hall where balls and entertainments not above provided for, are given, the classification for license shall be as in Section 3 of this Ordinance; but their license shall only be one-fourth of those provided in said Section, provided, this shall not apply to balls or entertainments by private parties or for charitable purposes.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, that

each and every peddler or hawker other than vendors of ice pay an annual license tax graded as follows:

When traveling on foot $20.
When traveling on horseback $30.
When traveling in a one-horse vehicle $35.
When traveling in a two-horse vehicle $50.
When traveling by any other mode than above mentioned $50.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, that all licenses under this ordinance shall become due and payable on the first day of January of each year and shall become delinquent on the first day of March of each year, except for the year 1911, in which year they shall become due on and after the passage of this ordinance and shall become delinquent on the first day of April. That all unpaid licenses shall bear interest at the rate of 2 per cent per month from the day they become delinquent. The town tax collector shall make report at the first regular meeting of the Town Council after the time for the payment of the licenses herein enumerated shall have expired, of every person, firm, corporation or association of persons liable for license under this ordinance who shall have become delinquent.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be

and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed and approved Feb. 7, 19

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

S. L. Powlett.
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 119

An Ordinance to levy an annual tax upon all persons, associations of persons, firms and corporations pursuing the profession or business of contractors, master-builders, and mechanics, who employ assistants; and for the profession or business of draying, trucking, keeping cabs, carriages, hacks or horses for hire, automobiles for hire, undertakers or funeral directors, owners or lessees of toll bridges or ferries, and bill posting or tacking; and for the business or profession of physician, attorney at law, editor, dentist, oculist, photographer and jeweler.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor, Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that there shall be levied for the year 1911, and subsequent years, an annual license tax upon all persons, associations of persons, firms or corporations pursuing any of the kinds of business or professions hereafter named, and said license tax shall be based on the annual gross receipts of said business and graduated into classes as follows, namely:

Section 2 Be it further ordained, that for every individual, firm, company, or corporation carrying on the business or profession of contractor, master-builder, and mechanic, who employ assistants, the license on said profession or occupation shall be as follows;

First Class - When said gross annual receipts are $100,000.00 or more and less than $300,000.00 the license tax shall be $50.

Second Class - When said gross annual receipts are $50,000.00 or more and less than $100,000.00 the license shall be $40.00.

Third Class - When said gross annual receipts are $25,000.00 or more and less than $50,000.00, the license shall be $30.00

Fourth Class - When said gross annual receipts are $10,000.00 or more and less than $25,000.00, the license shall be $20.00.

Fifth Class - When said gross annual receipts are less than $10,000.00, the license shall be $10.00.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that every individual, firm, company or corporation carrying on the business or profession or agency for steamboats, dray, trucking, keeping cabs, carriages, hacks or horses for hire, automobiles for hire, undertakers or funeral directors, owners or lessees of toll bridges or ferries, and bill posting or tacking, the license for such profession or occupation shall be as follows:

First Class - When gross annual receipts are $20,000.00 or more, the license shall be $120.00.

Second Class - When gross annual receipts are $16,000.00 or more and less than $20,000.00, the license shall be $100.00.

Third Class - When gross annual receipts are $12,000.00 or more and less than $16,000.00, the license shall be $90.00.

Fourth Class - When gross annual receipts are $10,000.00 or more and less than $12,000.00, the license shall be $60.00.

Fifth Class - When gross annual receipts are $8,000.00 or more or less than $10,000.00, the license shall be $50.00.

Sixth Class - When gross annual receipts are $6,000.00 or more and less than $8,000.00, the license shall be $40.00.

Seventh Class - When gross annual receipts are $5,000.00 or more and less than $6,000.00, the license shall be $30.00.

Eighth Class - When gross annual receipts are $4,000.00 or more and less than $5,000.00, the license shall be $20.00.

Ninth Class - When gross annual receipts are $3,000.00 or more and less than $4,000.00, the license shall be $20.00.

Tenth Class - When gross annual receipts are $2,000.00 or more and less than $3,000.00 the license shall be $15.00.

Eleventh Class - When gross annual receipts are $1,000.00 or more and less than $2,000.00 the license shall be $12.00.

Twelfth Class - When gross annual receipts are $750.00 or more and less than $1,000.00 the license shall be $10.00.

Thirteenth Class - When gross annual receipts are less than $750.00 the license shall be $5.00.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, that every individual or individuals carrying on the business or profession of physician, attorney at law, editor, dentist, oculist, photographer, or jeweler, shall be graded the same as in Section 3 above set forth, but the license shall be one-half of those established by that Section and, provided, no license shall be issued hereunder for less than $5.00.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed February 7th. 1911.
Approved February 7th. 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 120.

An Ordinance to increase the revenues of the Town of Hammond by levying a license tax on the sale of pistols or pistol cartridges, blank pistols or blank pistol cartridges; and rifles or rifle cartridges, with certain exceptions.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that for every retail dealer in pistols or pistol cartridges, blank pistols or blank pistol cartridges, or any rifles except 22 and 25 calibres, or any rifle cartridges except 22 and 25 calibres, within the Town of Hammond, shall pay an annual license tax on said business graded as follows:

First Class - When the gross sales are $5,000.00 or more, the license shall be $100.00.

Second Class - When the gross sales are under $5,000.00 and more than $2,500.00, the license shall be $50.00

Third Class - When the gross sales are less than $2,500.00 the license shall be $25.00

That said license shall be collected by the Town Tax Collector in the same manner and at the same time as are collected other license taxes.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed February 7, 1911
Approved February 7, 1911
J. B. Adams, Town Clerk S. L. Pruitt, Mayor.

Ordinance No. 121.

An ordinance to levy an annual license tax upon certain classes of corporations doing business within the town of Hammond whose domiciles are in other states, or foreign countries.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that there is hereby levied an annual license tax for the year 1911, and for each subsequent year, upon corporations doing business within the Town of Hammond but domiciled in other states of the union or in foreign countries, as follows:

Section 2. Be it further ordained that all Banks, Banking associations, corporations or companies, who may in their own name or in the name of their representatives or agents engage in the town of Hammond in the business of lending money or dealing in exchange, shall pay a license of one per cent on the gross profits of all money loaned and all exchange bought and all exchange sold, and other business done, provided no license shall issue as provided for in this Section for less than $1.00.00; provided, that the license of $1.00.00 shall not apply on those companies or corporations lending money secured solely by mortgage on real estate.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that all telegraph companies shall pay a license of $1.00 upon each $100.00 of gross receipts from business done wholly within the

town of Hammond.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, that all telephone companies shall pay a license of $2.00 upon each $1,000.00 of gross receipts from all business done within the town of Hammond.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, that for conducting the business of supplying electric lights, or electric power, leading or hiring motors, fans or other electric appliances or machines each company shall pay an annual license of $2.50 upon each $1,000.00 of gross receipts from such business.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, that for the carrying on of what is commonly known as an express business each company shall pay an annual license of $2.00 upon each $1,000.00 of gross earnings from business done wholly within the town of Hammond.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, that all associations or corporations chartered or created by other states, or foreign countries, who may engage in, either our name, or in the name of their representatives or agents, within the town of Hammond, in the sale of coal oil, petroleum, naptha, benzine, turpentine, or other mineral oils, whether crude or refined, shall pay an annual license tax of $3.00 for each $1,000.00 of such sales made within the town of Hammond.

Section 8. Be it further ordained, that all associations corporations or companies domiciled outside of the state of Louisiana, who shall within the town of Hammond, directly or through agents or representatives, deal in fresh meats, cured, salted, smoked or canned meats, shall pay an annual license of $1.00 for each $1,000.00 of proceeds from the business done within the town of Hammond.

Section 9. Be it further ordained, that the license taxes under this ordinance shall be payable at the principle place of business of the corporation, company or association, within the town of Hammond, before the first day of March of each year, and if delinquent shall bear interest at the rate of two per cent per month.

Section 10. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed February 7, 1911.
Approved February 7, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

L. L. Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No. 122.

An Ordinance for the purpose of levying an annual license tax upon the business of keeping an hotel where lodging and eating are combined, and for lodging houses alone; and for every business of coffee house, cafe, hamburger stand, or other places where anything to be drunk or eaten on the premises is sold; and for the business of keeping billiard tables, pigeon hole, penny link, pool or bagatelle tables, and ten pin alleys.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond, that there is hereby levied an annual license tax for the year 1911 and subsequent years, upon every business of keeping an hotel where lodging and eating are combined, a license shall be based upon the number of furnished lodging rooms for guests, as follows:

First Class- When said rooms are in number 300 or more, the license shall be $300.00.

Second Class- When said rooms are 225 or more and less than 300, the license shall be $250.00.

Third Class- When said rooms are 150 or more and less than 225, the license shall be $150.00.

Fourth Class- When said rooms are 75 or more and less than 150, the license shall be $100.00.

Fifth Class- When said rooms are 45 or more and less than 70, the

license shall be $75.00.

Sixth Class- When said rooms are thirty or more and less than 45, the license shall be $50.00.

Seventh Class- When said rooms are 15 or more and less than 30, the license shall be $25.00.

Eighth Class- When said rooms are 12 or more and less than 15, the license shall be $15.00.

Ninth Class- When said rooms are 9 or more and less than 12, the license shall be $10.00.

Tenth Class- When said rooms are 4 or more and less than 9, the license shall be $5.00.

Provided, however, that no license shall be required when the number of said rooms is less than provided for in Class Ten; that for every business of lodging alone the license shall be estimated on the same basis as for an hotel, but graded at one-half rates; provided that boarding houses pay sixty per cent of the rate on hotels.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that for every business of coffee house, cafe, hamburger stand, or other place where anything to be drunk or eaten on the premises is sold, directly or indirectly, the license shall be based on the annual gross receipts of said business, as follows:

First Class- When said gross annual receipts are $10,000.00 or more and less than $15,000.00, the license shall be $100.00.

Second Class- When said gross annual receipts are $7,500.00 or more, and less than $10,000.00, the license shall be $75.00.

Third Class- When said gross annual receipts are $5,000.00 or more and less than $7,500.00, the license shall be $50.00.

Fourth Class- When said gross annual receipts are less than $5,000.00, the license shall be $25.00.

Provided; that no license shall be charged for selling refreshments for charitable or religious purposes.

Section 3. Be it further ordained that for the business of keeping Billiard Tables, Pigeon hole, Penny Pool, Pool or Bagatelle tables, and ten pin alley, from which revenue is derived, a license of $5.00 for each such table or alley shall be paid in addition to any other license due by the establishment in which such tables or alleys may be situated.

Section 4. Be it further ordained that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed- February 7, 1911.
Approved- February 7, 1911.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

S. L. Powlett,
Mayor

Ordinance No. 123.

An Ordinance making it unlawful to keep a grog or tippling shop as defined by the Laws of the State of Louisiana within the limits of the Town of Hammond and providing a penalty therefor.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that on and after the passage of this Ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person or association of persons, corporation, or club to keep a grog or tippling shop as defined by the Statutes of the State of Louisiana, within the limits of the town of Hammond.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, that any person found guilty of violation of this ordinance shall be fined not less than One Dollar, and no more than Fifty Dollars, or be imprisoned for not less than one day and no more than thirty days; or both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed February 7th, 1911.
Approved February 7, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Town Clerk

S. L. Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No. 124.

An Ordinance providing for the payment of the side walk of certain Streets of the Town of Hammond, fixing the specification therefor, and ordering the Mayor to call for bids for the work.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that the sidewalks on the following Streets, to-wit:-

North and South side of Thomas St. from west Railroad Avenue to west end of Square, 124 and 119 of Cale's Addition to the Town of Hammond.

North and South sides of Charles Street, from west Railroad Avenue to Hazel Canal.

North side of Robert Street, from west Railroad Avenue to west end of Block 141 of Cale's Addition to town of Hammond, and South side of Robert Street, from west Railroad Avenue to west end of Block 127 of said addition.

North and South sides of Church Street from west Railroad Avenue, to west end of Blocks 140 & 141, Cale's Add.

West Railroad Avenue, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

East and West sides of Oak Street, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

East and west sides of Magnolia Street, from Thomas Street to Colorado Avenue.

East and west sides of Pine Street, from Thomas St. to Michigan Avenue.

North and South sides of Morrow Avenue from East Railroad Avenue to Holly Street.

North and South sides of Hanson Avenue from East Railroad Avenue to Holly Street.

North and South sides of Coleman Avenue from Railroad Avenue to Holly Street.

East and West sides of Cypress Street, from Thomas Street to Coleman Avenue.

East Railroad Avenue from Thomas Street to Coleman Avenue.

East and West sides of Cherry Street, from Thomas Street to Coleman Avenue.

East and West sides of Holly Street from Thomas Street to Coleman Avenue.

North and South sides of Charles Street, from Ponchatoula Creek to Oak Street.

North and South sides of Church Street, from Ponchatoula Creek to Square 14, Cates Add.

East and West sides of Cherry Street, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

North and South sides of Thomas Street, from Cherry Street to Holly Street.

North and South sides of Roberts Street from Ponchatoula Creek to Oak Street.

East and West sides of Holly Street from Morris Avenue to Michigan Avenue.

East and West sides of Cypress Street, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

East Railroad Avenue, from Thomas Street to Michigan Avenue.

East and West sides of Chestnut Street, from Thomas Street to Church St.

North and South sides of Morris Avenue between West Railroad Avenue and Magnolia Street.

North side of Hanson Avenue, between West Railroad Avenue and Oak Street.

North and South sides of Hanson Ave, between Oak and Magnolia Street.

South side of Hanson Ave. between Pine and Magnolia Sts. fronting Bretingham property.

North side of Coleman between Oak and Pine Streets.

South side of Thomas Street, between West Railroad Avenue and Oak St.

East and West sides of Pine St. from Thomas St. to Coleman Ave.

East side of Oak St. from Thomas St. to Coleman Ave.

East side of Magnolia St. from Morris Ave. to Coleman Ave.

East side of Magnolia Ave. from Thomas St. to Morris Ave.

West side of Oak St. between Thomas Street and Morris Ave.

be paved; that the payment shall be according to the following specifications, to-wit.

Of concrete, of good material; walk to be four feet wide on all sidewalks, except on the north and South side of Thomas Street, from Cherry St. to Holly St. and on North and South side of Thomas St. between Oak St. and West Railroad Ave, where the sidewalks shall be ten feet wide, the material and construction to be according to specifications prepared by the City Engineer.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc.; that the Mayor call for bids for the said work, and give ten days notice thereof in the official journal of this town, reserving the right

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to reject any and all bids, and requiring the Contractor to keep the side walks in good repair for a period of one year from completion, and to commence work within thirty days from letting the contract, and to complete same within a time to be fixed by the City Engineer that the contract for the work be let to the lowest responsible bidder, who can give satisfactory security.

Section 3. Be it further ordained etc., that this ordinance go into effect from and after its passage.

Passed - June 12, 1911.

Attest.

J. B. Adams
Clerk

M. C. Wilson
Mayor

Ordinance No. 125-

An Ordinance Authorizing the Mayor of the Town of Hammond to Enter into a Contract or Contracts with R. A. Mc Reynolds for the Paving of Sidewalks on Certain Streets of the Town of Hammond at the Cost of the Abutting Properties in Accordance with the Conditions and Specifications set forth or referred to in Ordinance #124, adopted June 12, 1911, and in Accordance with the Bid for said Work, all in Accordance with Act 147 of 1902.

Section 1. Be It Ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that, whereas the paving of sidewalks on certain streets of the Town of Hammond, at the cost of abutting properties, has been duly ordered by Ordinance No. 124, adopted June 12, 1911;

And, whereas, in accordance with said ordinance bids for said paving were duly called for by advertisement as required by Act 147 of 1902;

And, whereas, the bid of said R. A. Mc Reynolds was the lowest and same was duly accepted on Aug. 10, 1911, and said contract was awarded him;

Now, Therefore, the Mayor of the Town of Hammond is hereby fully authorized and empowered to enter into a contract or contracts with said R. A. Mc Reynolds to pave the sidewalks of said certain streets fully set forth in Ordinance No. 124, adopted June 12,

1911, at the cost of the abutting prop-
lies on said streets respectively for the
price and sum bid by said R. A.
McReynolds for said work and in ac-
cordance with the terms and condition
and the plans and specifications for said
paving heretofore recommended and adopte

Section 2. Be It Further Ordained
That the Mayor of the Town of Ham-
mond is hereby authorized to sign
any contract or contracts necessary
in the premises.

Section 3. Be It Further Ordain
etc., That this Ordinance shall go into
effect from and after its passage.

Passed August 29, 1911.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 130 (B)

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the like for the laying of cement sidewalks on both sides of Magnolia from Coleman to Colorado street, and fixing the time at which this ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, that the cement sidewalks on both sides of Magnolia street in the Town of Hammond by R. A. McReynolds, "contractor," therefor, are hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same:

Section 2. Be it further ordained etc, that in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessments against the abutting property owners and their said property, be levied in accordance with and within the provisions of Act. No. 147 of 1902 and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is declared to be as follows to-wit:

Section 3. One hundred and forty-four feet and one half on west side of South-west quarter of Block 78 owned by R. McGee $ 68.95

Forty-six and two-tenths feet, being the south one-third of the North-

west quarter, Block 75, owned by Thos. C. Gookin $21.90

Ninety-eight and three-tenths feet, being the North two-thirds of the North-west quarter Block 78 owned by Mrs. F. H. Gookin $46.60

The west half of block 70 being three hundred and two feet, owned by Mrs. J. A. Wilcomb $143.10

The south ninety-eight and seven-tenths feet of the south-west quarter of Block 65 owned by A. K. Duke $46.80

The north forty-nine and three-tenths feet of the South-west quarter of Block 65 owned by W. D. Sessions $23.35

One-hundred and forty-eight feet, the north-west quarter Block 65, owned by Mrs. L. E. Barnard $70.15

One hundred feet on the south-west quarter, Block 56, owned by Robert Stainbeck $47.40

The north fifty feet of the south-west quarter of Block 56 owned by Miss G. Durkee $33.70

South sixty-three feet north-west quarter, Block 56 owned by Mrs. F. Rickey $29.85

One hundred and fifty feet south-west quarter Block 48 owned by Mrs. E. J. Sauer $71.10

One hundred and fifty feet north-west quarter, Block 40 owned by W. H. Robinson $71.10

Three hundred and four feet, Block 35 owned by C. E. Cate $144.10

The south two hundred feet Block 19 owned by L. I. Smythe $107.25

North hundred feet north-west

quarter Block 19 owned by F. H. Penniman $47.40

South hundred forty-eight and half feet, of the south-east quarter Block 5-2 owned by Mrs. G. H. Hubbard $69.80

South seventy-five feet of the south-east quarter Block 36 owned by L. D. Spencer $35.25

North fifty feet of the south-east quarter Block 20 owned by Mrs. M. Knauer $23.50

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., that in accordance with the contract and said Act No. 147 of 1902, the mayor is authorized to issue the paying certificates already provided for against each property owner and his said property above described, on said property owner paying 20 per cent of the above assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, accepting the said work with certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one, two, three, four and five years (or sooner at the option of the property owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually.

The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to make the paraph and to record the said certificates in the mortgage records of the parish to-wit: #2. from each property owner which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for the expense

of such recordation and making the paraph.

If the cash portion of the said assessment is not paid within ten days, no certificates shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the expiration from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R. A. McReynolds "Contractor", such certificates as are issued.

The Mayor is further directed to cause this ordinance, together with such certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the Mortgage Records by the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in the manner provided by law out of the general fund of the Town of Hammond subject to the replacing of same in the manner provided above; and that this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

November 29, 1911

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson
Mayor.

Ordinance

Ordinance No. 131

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the like for the laying of cement sidewalks on both sides Church Street from east side of Railroad Avenue to west of Block 140 & 141, Cate's Addition to East Railroad Ave., and fixing the time at which this ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La., that the cement sidewalks on both sides of Church Street in the Town of Hammond by R. A. McReynolds Contractor therefor, are hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and that said property be levied in accordance with and within the purview of Act No. 147 of 1902, and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is declared to be as follows, to-wit:

The west three hundred feet north side Block 141 Cate's Addition owned by L. P. Donaldson $142.80

One hundred and ten feet north side Block 141 Cate's Addition commencing at a point three hundred feet east of the

northwest corner of Block 141 Cates Addition owned by Mrs. M.C. Hinckley $ 5.80

One hundred and fifty feet north side of Block 141 Cates Addition commencing at a point four hundred and ten feet east of the north-west corner Block 141 Cates Addition owned by F.P. and J.C. Willis $ 71.40

One hundred feet north-east quarter of Block 141 Cates Addition starting at the north-east corner of Block 141 Cates Addition owned by J. D. Killian $ 47.60

Three Hundred and four feet north side Block 128 Cates Addition owned by C.E. Cate $ 144.70

Two hundred and ninety-four feet north side Block 38 owned by C.E. Cate 139.95

One hundred fifty feet north side of north-west quarter Block 39 owned by F.P. Willis. $ 71.40

One hundred and fifty feet of the north side of the north-east quarter Block 39 owned by H.A. Kohnke $ 71.40

Fifty feet of the north side Block 40 owned by W.H. Robinson $ 23.80

Two hundred and fifty-three feet north side of Block 41 owned by Mrs. H.M. Morrison $ 120.40

One hundred and fifty feet south side of Block 140 Cates Addition commencing on south-west corner of Block 140 Cates Addition owned by John Foss $ 70.65

Two hundred and ten feet south side of Block 140 Cates Addition commencing one hundred and fifty feet east of the southwest corned of Block 140 Cates Addition owned by R.O. Hollister $ 99.96

Two hundred feet south side Block 140 Cates Addition commencing at a point

three hundred and sixty feet east of the southwest corner of Block 140 Cate's Addition owned by J. Baldwin $94.20

One hundred feet south side of Block 140 Cate's Addition commencing at the southeast corner of Block 140 Cate's Addition owned by George Crumback $47.10

One hundred and forty seven feet south side Block 37 owned by Mrs. M. Moor $69.25

One hundred forty-seven feet south side Block 37 owned by H. M. Herbert 69.25

One hundred and fifty feet south side south-west quarter Block 36 owned by Mrs J. Green $70.65

Four feet south side east quarter Block 36 owned by L. D. Spencer 1.90

Three hundred feet south side Block 35 owned by C. E. Cate $141.30

One hundred and nine feet south side southeast quarter Block 34 owned by Episcopal Church. $62.35

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., that in accordance with the contract and said Act No. 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paying certificates already provided for against each property owner and his said property above described, on said property owner paying 20 per cent of the above assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, accepting the said work with certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one, two, three, four and five years (or sooner at the option of the property

owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually.

The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to make the paraph and to record the said certificate in the mortgage records of the Parish to-wit: $2.00 from each property owner, which extra sum shall indemnify the town for the expense of such recordation and making the paraph.

If the cash portion of the said assessment is not paid within ten days, no certificates shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the expiration from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R.A. McReynolds "Contractor," such certificates as are issued.

The Mayor is further directed to cause this ordinance, together with such certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the Mortgage Records of the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in the manner provided by law out of the general fund of the Town of Hammond subject to the replacing of same in the manner provided above; and that this ordinance shall become effective immediately after its passage.

Passed November 29, 1911.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 132

An ordinance providing for the exemption of general taxes for a term of 10 years, for the Hammond Lumber Co. Ltd.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that the Hammond Lumber Company, Limited, be, and is hereby exempt from the payment of general taxes to the Town of Hammond for a period of ten years, beginning with the year 1912, up to the year 1921 inclusive. Nothing in this act to be construed as exempting said Company from payment of any special taxes laid by this town.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that this ordinance go into effect from and after its publication, and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, be, and they are hereby, repealed.

Passed December 11, 1911.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 133.

An ordinance vacating certain streets, the use of same to be given to the Hammond Lumber Co., Ltd., for a term of ten years.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that East Railroad Avenue and Cypress street from north side of Michigan street to north line of said town, and Dakota, and Colorado streets from R. C. Right-of-way to Cherry street, be, and the same are hereby, vacated and the Hammond Lumber Co., Ltd., given the use and occupation of the same for a period of ten years from date hereof, or for such time thereof as said Company may be in active operation of the manufacture of lumber, provided that the public shall be permitted to use such road and passages as may be established by said Company on said land.

Be it further ordained etc., that this vacation is made in favor of said Company only, and shall expire when it discontinued operation of its mill, and shall not be transferable.

Be it further ordained etc., that this ordinance go into effect from and after its publication, and all ordinances or parts of ordinances, in conflict be, and they are hereby, repealed.

Passed Dec. 11, 1911

J. B. Adams
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Owner — Repealed by Ord 142 p 197

Ordinance No. 134.

An ordinance providing for the cleaning of closets or privies within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond and keeping the same in a good and sanitary condition.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond that the cleaning of closets and privies within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond shall be done exclusively by the Board of Health of the said Town, and that it shall be unlawful for any private person to do said work.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, that the said closets or privies shall be properly cleaned and disinfected by the said Board of Health and the excrement from said closets or privies shall be removed in sealed barrels, or other covered receptacles by said department and deposited or disposed of at such place and in such manner as shall be dictated by the Board and approved by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that the following fee or charge shall be made upon the owner or occupant of each premises wherein a closet or privy is maintained and used which fee or charge shall

cover the expense of said department for such work, to wit:-
For cleaning each closet or privy of a private family $.75 per quarter.
For cleaning each closet or privy of a hotel or business house $1.50 per quarter in advance.
The fee or charges set out in this section shall be paid by the owner or occupant of said premises to the Board of Health at the beginning of each quarter.

Section 4. Be it further ordained that the closet or privy of each private family shall be cleaned and disinfected not less than once each week, and all other closets and privies shall be inspected once each week and cleaned and disinfected as often as the Health Officer shall deem it necessary.

Section 5. Be it further ordained that any person or persons exercising the privilege of maintaining said closets or privies who shall refuse to pay the fee or charge in the manner herein set out in this ordinance, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, be fined not more than $10.00.

Section 6. Be it further ordained that any and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions herein, be, and the

same are hereby repealed; and for good cause shown to the Board of Health therefor, it is ordered that this ordinance take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed December 11, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 135.

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the like for the laying of cement sidewalks on both sides of Robert St. from East Railroad Ave to Chestnut Street, and fixing the time at which this ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La., that the cement side walks on both sides of Robert street in the Town of Hammond by R. A. Mc Reynolds "Contractor" therefor, are hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessments against the abutting property owners and their said property, be levied in accordance with and within the purview of Act No. 147 of 1902, and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is declared to be as follows, to wit:

Robert Street.
East Railroad Avenue to Chestnut St.

200 ft south side Block 42 owned by L. L. Carr $ 113.

75 ft. The West half of the South-west quarter Block 43. owned by L. Ford $34.16
75 ft. East half of South-west quarter Block 43 owned by J. F. Albee $34.16
150 " South-east quarter Block 43 owned by Mrs. N. P. Black 68.32
524 " Commencing at the South-west corner Block 45 thence East 524 ft. to the West line Adams Addition owned by J. Hughes $238.68
159 " Being lot 1, 3, 5 Block 1 Adams Addition owned by Mrs. M. Moore $72.42
150 " Being lot 1, 3 and 5 Block 2 Adams Addition owned by 68.32
150 " Being lots 7, 9, and 11, Block 2 Adams Addition owned by Mrs. D. P. Bates 68.32
150 " Being lots 8, 10 and 12 Block 5 Adams Addition owned by Columbus Reid 68.32
150 " Being lots 2, 4 and 6 Block 5 Adams Addition owned by 68.32
225 " Being lots 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 Adams Addition owned by B. J. Munsey 102.48
58 " Commencing at the intersection of the West Line of Adams Addition and Roberts S. thence West 58 ft. owned by Mrs F. Dunn 26.42
100 " Commencing 58 ft. West of the intersection of the West Line of Adams Addition and Roberts thence 100 ft. West owned by J. A. Edwards 45.55
100 " Being the East hundred ft of the North quarter of Block 46 owned by Hammond Building and Loan Association 45.55
50 " Being the West one-third of Block 46 owned by O. Joiner 27.27
150 " North-west quarter Block 46 owned by Miss C. Neveaux 68.32
150 " North-east quarter Block 47 owned by Mrs. O. B. Broomer 68.32
150 " North-west quarter Block 47 owned by M. Sist 68.32

150 ft North-east quarter Block 48 owned by C. A. Crowl 6.8.32.

150 " North-west quarter Block 48 owned by B. Baltzell 68.32

125 " North-east quarter, Block 49 owned by Methodist Church 56.94

125 " The North-west quarter Block 49 owned by L. D. Spencer 56.94

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., that in accordance with the contract and said Act. No. 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving certificates already provided for against each property owner and his said property above described, on said property owner paying 20 % of the above assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, accepting the said work with certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one, two, three, four, and five years (or sooner at the option of property owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually.

The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expence necessary to make the parafh and to record the said certificates in the mortgage of the Parish to-wit:-

Two dollars ($2.00) which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for the expense of such recordation and making the parafh.

If the cash portion of the said assessment is not paid within ten days, no certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the expiration from the said ten days until paid. The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R. A. McReynolds "Contractor" such certificates as are issued. The Mayor is further directed to cause this ordinance, together with such certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the Mortgage Recorded of the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in the manner provided by law out of the general fund of the Town of Hammond, subject to its replacing of same in the manner provided above; and that this ordinance shall become effective immediately after its passage.

Passed December 12, 1911.

J. B. Adams
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 136.

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the date for the laying of cement sidewalks on both sides of Chestnut Street from Robert Street to Thomas Street, and fixing the time at which this ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La., that the cement side walks on both sides of Chestnut Street, in the Town of Hammond by R. A. McReynolds "Contractor" thereof, are hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessments against the abutting property owners and their said property be levied in accordance with and within the purview of Act No. 147 of 1902, and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is declared to be as follows, to-wit:

Chestnut Street.

From Robert to Thomas Street.

150 Ft.	West side Lot 12 Adams Addition Block 6 owned by C. Reif	69.52

150 ft. West side lot 11 Adams Addition Block owned by J. Verkerg 69.52

150 " East side lot 2 Adams Addition Block 4 owned by John Wascombe 69.52

150 " Lot 1, Adams Addition Block 4 owned by B. J. Munsey 69.52

150 " West side Lot 12 Adams Addition Block 8 owned by Mrs. F. Richey 69.52

150 " West side Lot 1 Adams Addition Block 8 owned by W. E. Libbey 69.52

150 " East side Lot 2 Adams Addition Block 9 owned by E. V. Presley 69.52

150 " East side Lot 1 Adams Addition Block 9 owned by J. C. Adams 69.52

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., that in accordance with the contract and said Act No. 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving certificates already provided for against such property owner and his said property above described, on said property owner paying 20 per cent of the above assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, accepting the said work with certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one, two, three, four and five years (or sooner at the option of property owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually. The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to make the Caraph and to record the said certificates in

the mortgage of the Parish to-wit: Two Dollars ($2.00) which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for the expense of such recordation and making the Paraph. If the each portion of the said assessment is not paid within ten days no certificates shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per-cent per annum interest from the expiration from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R. E. McReynolds "Contractor" such certificates as are issued.

The Mayor is further directed to cause this ordinance together with such certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the Mortgage Records of the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in the manner provided by law out of the general funds of the Town of Hammond, subject to the replacing of same in the manner provided above and that this ordinance shall become effective immediately after its passage.

Passed December 12, 1911.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 137.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, that it is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor for any person to skate on the concrete sidewalks of the Town of Hammond with roller skates equipped with metal rollers.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that any person convicted of violating Section 1 of this ordinance, shall be fined not less than one dollar nor more than five dollars, or imprisoned not less than one day or more than three, or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., that the exigencies of the case demanding this ordinance shall go into effect from and after its passage.

Adopted February 6, 1912.

Ordinance No. 138.

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the sale for the laying of cement sidewalks on both sides of Thomas street from West Railroad Avenue to Linden street, and fixing the time at which this ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La, that the cement walks on both sides of Thomas St., in the town of Hammond laid by R. A. McReynolds "Contractor," therefor, are hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc, that in order to pay for said work the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessments against abutting property owners and their said property, be levied in accordance with and within the purview of Act 147 of 1902, and the area, name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is declared to be as follows, to-wit:

150 ft.	N. W. quarter, block 67, owned by Mrs. Fanny Rickey	69.00
150 ft.	N. E. quarter, block 67, owned by Merrit Miller	69.00

150 ft.	north side of N.W. quarter block 66, owned by Crosby	69.00
150 ft	north side of NE quarter, block 66, owned by Congregational Church	69.00
75 ft	north side of N.W. qr. block 64, owned by Smith heirs	34.50
50 ft	beginning at a point 75 ft. on Thomas St. east from the N.W. corner of block 64, owned by B.M. Morrison	23.00
125 ft	N.E. Corner of block 64, on Thomas St. owned by Gillis heirs	57.50
360 ft	being the west third of block 124, owned by E.P. Henkyman	165.60
160 ft.	the west one half of the east one third of block 124, owned by O.C. Pantall	73.60
50 ft	of the east side of block 124 owned by C.E. Cate	23.00
143 ft	of the east side of block 125 owned by Lawson heirs	65.78
150 ft	west half of block 54, owned by Dr. A.F. Gates	69.00
150 ft	east half of block 54, owned by Mrs. M.S. Robinson	69.00
100 ft	west side of block 56 owned by Robert Steinbach	46.00
200 ft.	east end of block 56, owned by Miss G.E. Hurlee	92.00
250 ft	south side of block 57, owned by A. & T. Cattani	115.00
300 ft	north side block 119 owned by Mooney heirs	138.00
75 ft	N.W. Corner block 118, owned by Fred Pantall	34.50
225 ft	N.E. Corner block 118, owned by Richard Whitehead	103.50
300 ft	north side of block 117 owned by Mooney heirs	138.00

150 ft N.W. quarter block 116 owned by Mooney heirs $69.00

Section 4 Be it further ordained, etc., that in accordance with the contract and said Act No. 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving certificates already provided for against each property owner and his said property above described, on said property owner paying twenty per cent of the above assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance accepting the said work with certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one, two, three, four and five years (or sooner at the option of property-owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid; interest payable annually. The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to make the paraph and to record the said certificates in the mortgage of the Parish to-wit:

Two dollars ($2.00) which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for such recordation and making the paraph.

If the cash portion of the said assessment is not paid within ten days no certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R. A. McReynolds "Contractor" such certificates as are issued.

The Mayor is further directed to cause the ordinance, together with such certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in the manner provided by law out of the general fund of the Town of Hammond, subject to the replacing of same in the manner provided above; and that this ordinance shall become effective immediately after its passage.

Passed February 9, 1912

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 139.

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the like for the laying of cement sidewalks on both sides of Morris Ave. from Magnolia to West R. R. Ave on side West R. R. Ave from Thomas St. to Michigan Ave, and fixing the time at which this Ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La., that the cement sidewalks on one side West R. R Ave, both sides of Morris Ave, and West side of Oak Street, in the Town of Hammond by R. A. McReynolds "Contractor" thereof, are hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc. that in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners, and the assessments against the abutting property owners and their said property be levied in accordance with and within the purview of Act No. 147 of 1902, and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is declared to be as follows to wit:

West Railroad Ave.

300 Ft. East side West R. R. Ave Block 50 owned by W. H. Robinson @ 141.00

300 Ft. East side West R. R. Ave Block 41 owned by B. J. Morrison 141.00
300 " East side West R. R. Ave Block 34 owned by Episcopal Church 141.00
150 " East side West R. R. Ave Block 25 S. E. Dtr. owned by William Laferriere 70.50
150 " East side West R. R. Ave Block 25 N. E. Dtr. owned by Geo. T. Badeau 70.50

Morris Avenue

125 Ft. On the North side of the N. E. Dtr. Block 71 owned by Mrs J. M. Gould 58.75
125 " On the North side of the N. W. quarter Block 71 owned by Mrs. M. W. Willis 58.75
125 " On the South side of the S. W. quarter Block 64 owned by J. C. Farley 58.75
150 " On the North side of the N. E. quarter of Block 70 owned by Dr. W. E. Henkle 70.50
150 " On the North side of the N. W. quarter Block 70 owned by Mrs. J. A. Wilcombe 70.50
75 " On the North side of Morris Ave in Block 65 between Magnolia and Oak Sts. owned by Dr. J. Gatlin 35.25
75 " On the North side of Morris Ave Block 65 between Magnolia and Oak Sts. owned by M. C. Wilson 35.25
75 " On the North side of Morris Ave Block 65 between Magnolia and Oak Sts. owned by Miss Corregan 35.25
75 " On the North side of Morris Ave Block 65 between Magnolia and Oak Sts. owned by D. L. Settoon, Sr. 35.25

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc. that in accordance with the contract and said Act No. 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving

certificates already provided for against each property owner and his said property above described, on said property owner paying 20 per-cent of the above assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, accepting the said work with certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one two, three, four, and five years (or sooner at the option of the property owner) with six per-cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually.

The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to make the Parish and to record the said certificates in the Mortgage Records of the Parish, to-wit: Five Dollars from each property owner, which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for the expense of such recordation and making the Parish. If the cash portion of the said assessment is not paid within ten days, no Certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per-cent per annum interest from the expiration from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R. A. McReynolds "Contractor", such Certificates as are issued. The Mayor is further directed to cause this Ordinance, together with such Certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in the manner provided

by law out of the general funds of the Town of Hammond, subject to the replacing of same in the manner provided above; and that this Ordinance shall become effective immediately after its passage.

Passed March 16, 1912

J. B. Adams,
Clerk

M. O. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 140.

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of Certificates and the like for the laying of cement side walks on both sides of Hanson Ave from Pine St. to West Railroad Ave, and fixing the time at which this Ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond La., that the cement side walks on both sides of Hanson Ave in the Town of Hammond, by R. A. McReynolds "Contractor" therefor, are hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that in order to pay for said works, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessments against the abutting property owners and their said property be levied in accordance with and within the purview of Act No. 147 of 1902, and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is declared to be as follows to-wit:

Hanson Avenue.

	Mrs J. A. Wilcombe,	
160 Ft.	On South side Block 70	74.85
	Red Hers,	
140 "	South side of Block 70	65.50

	John Bondurant	
158 Ft.	North side of Block 78	73.90
	Mrs. F. H. Gookin	
100 "	North side Block 78.	46.78
	Clinton Gookin	
50 "	North side of Block 78	23.40
	Geo. Muller	
150 "	North side of Block 79	70.20
	J. N. Buttingham	
150 "	North side of Block 79	70.20
	C. E. Cate.	
250 "	South side of Block 71	118.00

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc, that in accordance with the contract and said Act 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving Certificates already provided for against each property and the said property above described, in said property owner owners, paying twenty-per-cent of the above assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, accepting the said work with certificate for said balance, shall be divided into equal installments payable in one, two, three, four, and five years (or sooner at the option of the property owner) with six per-cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually;

The Mayor in issuing said Certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to make the Paraph and to record the said Certificates in the Mortgage Records of the Parish to-wit:

Five Dollars from each property owner, which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for the expense

of such recordation and making the Parish. In the each portion of the said assessment is not paid within ten days no Certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the expiration from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R. A. McReynolds "Contractor" such Certificates as are issued. The Mayor is further directed to cause this Ordinance together with such Certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the Mortgage Records of the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in manner provided by law out of the general funds of the Town of Hammond subject to the replacing of same in the manner provided above; and that this ordinance shall become effective immediately after its passage.

Passed April 2, 1912.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

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Ordinance No. 141.

An ordinance creating a Budget and Estimate of Expenditures of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, for the year 1912

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, State of Louisiana, that the following Budget and estimate of expenses for said town for the year 1912 be adopted and published as required by law, to-wit:-

Amount estimated for salaries of officers	$ 2,658.30
Amount estimated for repairing and improving streets and necessary drainage	1,200.00
Amount estimated for Board of Health	75.25
Estimated cost of maintaining prisoners, including medical treatment and care	500.00
Amount estimated on account of municipal debt	3,250.10
Estimated amount for Fire Department	324.07
Estimated amount for Electric lights	2,261.00
Estimated cost collecting taxes	370.00
Estimated contingent fund	750.00

Section 2. Be it further ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that this Budget and estimate of expenditures for the year 1912 be published in the Southern Vindicator, the

official journal as the law directs.

Adopted May 3, 1912.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor

Ordinance No. 143.

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the like for the laying of cement sidewalks on both sides of Pine street from Michigan Avenue to Coleman Avenue; on East side of East Railroad avenue, from Michigan avenue to Thomas street; both sides of Robert street, from West Railroad avenue to Linden street, and fixing the time at which this ordinance shall become effective.

Section No 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond La., that the cement sidewalks on both sides of Robert street, East side of East Railroad Avenue, both sides of Pine Street in the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, R. A. McReynolds "Contractor" thereof, are hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same.

Section No 2. Be it further ordained, et cetra, that in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof be apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessments against the abutting property owners and their said property, be levied in accordance with and within the provisions of Act No. 147 of 1902, and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the

said work is declared to be as follows to-wit:

West Pine Street.

Rev. D. M. Breckenridge, east side N.E. quarter Blk No. 38, 100 ft	46.00
Dr. A. F. Gates, east side of Block No. 54, 200 feet	92.00
Mrs. M. Robinson, on east side of Block No. 54, 100 feet	46.00
Merrit Miller, on east side of Block No. 67, 300 feet	138.00
Baptist Church, east side of north east quarter Block No. 68, 150 feet	69.00
Mrs. S. A. Brittingham, east side of Block No. 68, 50 feet	23.00
J. W. Brooks, on east side of S.E. quarter Block No. 68, 100 feet	46.00
F. M. Meyers, on east side of N.E. quarter Block No. 80, 100 ft	46.00
Byron Wainright, on east side of Block No. 80, 200 feet	92.00

Pine ~~Street~~ East Side.

Geo. Nulis, west side of Block No. 23, 300 feet	138.00
Miss Maggie Kramer, west side N.E. quarter Block No. 36, 150 feet	69.00
Horace Green, west side S.W. quarter of Block No. 36, 150 feet	69.00
C. C. Carter on west side of Block No. 52, 58 feet.	26.70
Otis Gallup and Hattie M. Gallup, west side of N.W. quarter Block 55, 150 feet.	69.00
Ratalbany Lbr. Co. on west side of Block No. 67, 40 feet.	18.40

Mrs. F. L. Crosby, west side of N. W. quarter of Block No. 66, 200 feet 92.00
Keith Kiro, west side of S. W. quarter of Block No. 66, 150 feet 69.00
Jour & Hammond, west side of Block No. 69, 300 feet 138.00
J. N. Brittingham, west side of N. W. quarter Block No. 79, 150 feet 69.00
C. E. Cate, west side of S. W. quarter, Block No. 79, 150 feet 69.00

East Railroad Avenue.

C. E. Cate, on west side N. W. quarter Block No. 26, 117 feet 53.82
The Y. & M. V. R. R., on west side S. W. quarter Block No. 26, 146 feet 67.15
The Y. & M. V. R. R., on west side N. W. Quarter, Block No. 33, 140 feet 64.40
Mrs. L. L. Clark, west side of S. W. quarter Block No. 133, 300 feet 138.00
L. D. Spencer, west side of N. W. quarter Block No. 49, 225 feet 103.50
B. M. Morrison, west side of S. W quarter, Block No. 49, 75 feet 34.50
B. M. Morrison, west side of N. W. quarter, Block No. 58, 150 feet 69.00
Mrs. L. L. Clark, west side, S. W. quarter, Block No. 133, 150 feet 69.00

Both Sides of Robert Street.

John H. Booth, 280 ft., north side Block No. 127 126.00
Mrs. Tom Owens, 75 feet north side Block No. 127 33.75

Murray Wanamaker, 175 feet north side Block no. 127 78.75
F. & A. Klein, 300 feet north side of Block no. 127 Paid 135.00
Mrs. E. L. Martin, 250 feet north side Block no. 53. 118.20
Robert Williams, 50 feet north side of Block no. 53. 23.50
C. E. Catt, 300 feet south side of Block no. 38. 135.00
C. E. Catt, 300 feet north side of Block no 126. 135.00
C. E. Catt, 300 feet south side of Block no. 128. 135.00
C. E. Catt, 115 ft. north side of Block no. 127 51.75
A. Dohner, 150 ft. south side Blk. no. 39 69.00
A. B. Sauers, 300 ft. South side Blk No. 40 138.00
B. M. Morrison, 250 feet, south side Block no. 41 115.00

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that in accordance with the contract and said Act no. 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving certificates already provided for against each property & owner and his said property above described, on said property owner paying twenty per cent of the above assessment against him in Cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, accepting said work with certificates for balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one

two, three, four, and five years (or sooner, at the option of the property owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually.

The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to make the parish and to record the said certificates in the mortgage records of the Parish to-wit: Five dollars from each property owner which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for the expense of such recordation and making the parish. If the cash portion of said assessment is not paid within ten days, no certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R. A. McReynolds, "Contractor", such certificates as are issued.

The Mayor is further directed to cause this Ordinance, together with such certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in the manner provided by law out of the general funds of the Town of Amite, subject to the replacing of same in the manner provided above and that this ordinance shall become effective immediately.

after its passage.

Passed July 3, 1912.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance

Ordinance No. 144

An ordinance providing for the pavement of the sidewalk on the North and South side of Thomas street from Holly street to Chestnut, and from Thomas street to Morris Avenue on East & west side of Chestnut street, and ordering the Mayor to call for bids for the same.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana, that the Mayor call for bids for the construction of said work, and give Ten days notice thereof in the official journal of this town, reserving the right to reject any and all bids, and requiring the Contractor to keep the sidewalks in good repair for a period of one year from completion, and to commence work within Thirty days from letting the Contract, and to complete same within a time to be fixed by the City Engineer; that the Contract be let to the lowest responsible bidder, who can give satisfactory security.

Passed July 3, 1912.

J. B. Adams.
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 145.

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of Certificates and the like, for laying cement walks on East & West side of Cherry street, between Michigan Ave., and Thomas street. North and South side of Thomas street, from Cherry street to Holly street North and South sides of Charles St. between Oak street and Chestnut street.
East and west side of Cypress street from Thomas street to Robinson street.
West side of Holly street, from Thomas street to Michigan Avenue.
East side of Holly street from Thomas street to Michigan avenue, and fixing the time at which this ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La., that the cement side walks, East and west side of Cherry street, between michigan avenue and Thomas street, north and South side of Thomas street, from Cherry to Holly St. North and South side of Charles St. between Oak street and Chestnut Street. East & west side of Cypress street, from Thomas street to Robinson street, West side of Holly Street, from Thomas street to Michigan avenue.
East side of Holly street, from Thomas street to Michigan avenue, in the Town of Hammond La. by R. A. Mc Reynolds, "Contractor" therefor are, hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that in order to pay for said works, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessments against the abutting property owners and their said property be levied in accordance with and within the purview of Act No. 147 of 1902, and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is declared to be as follows to-wit:

East and West Side of Cherry St
Between Michigan Av. & Thomas St.

	C. E. Catt,	69.50
150 ft	Cement walk, Between Michigan Av. & Robinson St.	
	B. R. W. & E. R. R.	
150 ft	Cement walk, Between Michigan Ave. and Robinson St.	69.50
	B. R. W. & E. R. R.	
150 ft.	Cement walk, Between Robinson and Church Sts.	69.50
	L. J. Lieb.	
66 ft	Cement walk, Between Robinson and Church Sts.	30.50
	B. M. Morrison	
300 ft	Cement walk, Between Charles and Thomas Sts.	139.00
	Henry Meyerding,	
150 ft.	Cement Walk, Between Church and Robinson streets	69.00
	Illinois Central R. R. (Sol. Wedge)	
150 ft	Cement walk, Between Church and Robinson streets.	69.00

B. R. & T. V. R. R. Co.

150 ft. Cement walk. Letween Robinson and Michigan Ave. 69.50
C. E. Cato,

150 ft. Cement walk, Letween Robinson and Michigan Ave. 69.50

North and South Side of Thomas St.
From Cherry to Holly St.

300 ft. Cement walk, N. S. Letween Cherry and Holly St. 178.21
L. J. Bourgeois,

90 ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Letween Cherry and Holly St. 53.43
Mrs. Mary. McGann

60 ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Letween Cherry and Holly St. 35.62
John & Rito Graziano

75 ft. Cement walk, S. S. Letween Cherry and Holly St. 44.53
Sam Locascio,

37 1/2 ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Letween Cherry and Holly St. 22.25
Rito Graziano,

37 1/2 ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Letween Cherry and Holly St. 22.25

"North and South Side of Charles St"
Between Oak and Chestnut St.

Mrs. Fannie Richey.

150 Ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Letween Olive and Chestnut St. 71.5
A. L. Stoessel.

75 Ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Letween Olive and Chestnut St. 34.5

W. B. Thompson.
75 Ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Between Olive and Chestnut St. 34.50
Cemetary.
100 Ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Between Holly and Olive Sts. 46.00
B. M. Morrison.
176 Ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Between Holly and Orange Sts. 80.96
B. M. Morrison.
300-6 Ft. Cement Walk, N. S. Block No. 60 139.55
Mrs. C. E. Andrews
150 Ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Block No. 48 70.50
B. M. Morrison
150-8 Ft. South Side Block No. 48 69.52
B. M. Morrison.
225-16 Ft. Cement Walk, N. S. Block No. 59 104.28
C. C. Jackson.
75-8 Ft. Cement Walk, N. S. Block No. 59 34.76
B. M. Morrison.
125 Ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Block No. 49 57.50
B. M. Morrison.
250-18 Ft. Cement Walk, N. S. Block No. 58 115.87
J. B. Thomas.
125 Ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Southeast quarter Block 49. 61.10
Chas. Strick
140 Ft. Cement Walk, S. S. Between Holly and Olive Sts. 64.40

"East and West Side of Cypress St."
From Thomas St. to Robinson St.

M. E. South.
75 Ft. Cement Walk, East side of Block 49- 33.75
B. M. Morrison,
100 Ft. Cement Walk, West side Block 48 45.00

B. M. Morrison
150 Ft. Cement Walk. East side of Block No 58. 67.5
W. H. Morris,
75 Ft. Cement Walk East side of Block No. 58 33.75
C. C. Jackson,
75 Ft. Cement Walk, East side Block No. 58 33.75
C. C. Jackson,
140 Ft Cement Walk, West Side Block No. 59 63.00
L. D. Norman,
75 Ft. Cement Walk, West Side Block No. 48 33.75
Burt Baltzell
75 Ft. Cement Walk, West side Block No. 48 33.75
Leon Ford,
150 Ft Cement Walk, West side Block No. 43 67.50
L. D. Spencer,
100 Ft Cement Walk, East side Block No. 49 45.00
Mrs. L. L. Clarke.
150 Ft. Cement Walk, West side Block No. 32 69.00
Illinois Central R. R.
150 Ft. Cement Walk West side of N. W. quarter Block No. 32 69.00
Mrs. L. L. Clarke,
150 Ft. Cement Walk West side Block No. 43 69.00
Mrs. L. L. Clarke.
150 Ft Cement Walk, East side Block No. 33 69.00
Mrs. L. L. Clarke.
316 Ft. Cement Walk, East side Block No. 342 - 145.70

"West Side of Wally Street"
From Thomas Street to Michigan Ave.

Mrs. H. A. Gould,
50 Ft. Cement Walk, between Charles and Robert Sts. 23.00
Jake Wolf
75 Ft. Cement Walk, between Church and Roberts Sts. 34.50

B. M. Morrison.
300 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Thomas and Charles Sts. 139.00
C. E. Cate.
150 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Robinson and Michigan Sts. 69.50
A. A. Graham.
100 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Charles and Robert St. 46.35
John Skinner
50 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Charles and Robert Sts. 23.15
Mrs. O. B. Gloomer,
100 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Charles and Robert St. 46.35
T. S. Baltzell.
150 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Robert and Church Sts. 69.50
Miss D. P. Bates
75 Ft. Cement Walks, Letween Robert and Church Sts. 34.75
Mrs. S. A. Mayer.
150 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Church and Robinson Sts. 69.50
G. R. N. & E. R. R.
150 Ft. Cement Walks, Letween Church and Robinson Sts. 69.50
G. R. N. & E. R. R.
150 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Robinson and Michigan Avenue. 69.50

"East Side of Wolly Street"
From Thomas Street to Michigan Ave.

B. M. Morrison
300 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Thomas and Charles Sts. 139.00

ORDINANCE NO. 2. COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance defining anl fixing the duties and powers of the several officers of the Town of Hammond, and fixing their salaries and fees.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hammond, that the Mayor shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Commissioners; he shall have supervising control of all officers and affairs of the municipality, in so far as public health anl public safety are concerned and shall take care that all of the laws and ordinances of the town are properly executed; he shall sign commissions and appointments of all officers elected or appointed by the Board of Commissioners; he shallsign warrants,draw on the treasurer for moneys and require the commissioner of Finance to attest the to the same, and to affix thereto the seal of the municipality and to keep an accurate record thereof in a well bound book to be kept for that purpose; he shall from time to time communicate, in writing, to the Board of Commissioners, such information and work such measures, as in his opinion, may add to the improvements of the finances, the public health security, ornament, and further prosperity of the municipality; he shall have the power, when he deems it necessary to require all officers of the municipality to exhibit his accounts or other papers and to make reports to the Board of Commissioners, in writing, touching any subject or matters he may require pretaining to his office; he shall be active and diligent in enforcing all the laws and orlinances for the government of the municipality, and shall cause all officers to be dealt with properly for any negligence or violation of duty; he shall have such jurisdiction as may be vested in him by ordinance over all places within five miles of the corporation limit for the enforcement of health, quarantine, sanitary or water works ordinances and regulation thereof; he is authorized to call on every male citizen of the municipality over eighteen years of age and under forty-five years of age to aid in enforcing the law. He shall have the power to remit fines and forfeitures and to vacate and annul penalties, by and with the consent of the Board of Commissioners; in general, he shall have all powers now delegated, or to be hereafter delegated to the Mayor of the municipality by the laws of this state; he shall also be tax collector; his salary shall be and is hereby fixed at Nine hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly.

SEC. 2. Be it further ordained, etc. that the Commissioner of Finance shall receive a yearly salary of Two hundred and fifty dollars, payable monthly, and it shall be his duty to take care of the financing of the town and he shall have general superintendence and control over all matters pretaining to the finances of the municipality and the officers in charge thereof, and it shall be his duty to see that all accounts by and with the municipality, and all tax collections and all disbursements are properly audited; in addition he shall have such other powers and duties as are now prescribed by the laws of this state or ordinance of the municipality, and which may be hereafter prescribed.

SEC. 3. Be it further ordained, etc. that the Commissioner of Public Parks and Streets shall receive a yearly salary of Two hundred and fifty dollars, payable monthly; and he shall take care of all the public streets and parks and water mains of the municipality, and see that the same are kept in proper condition; and it shall be his special duty to keep strict accounts of moneys disbursed on any improvement and work, and to properly audit all such moneys and to make reports thereof to the Commissioner of Finance; in addition he shall have such duties and powers as may be designated by the laws of the state or ordinance of the municipality.

SEC. 4. Be it further ordained, etc. that the Chief of Police shall execute all warrants and orders of the municipal court and exercise all duties of a peace officer; he shall be the Town jailor; he shall collect all fines and forfeitures imposed by the municipal court; he shall collect and account for all license taxes within the corporate limits; he shall collect and account for all money due the town for water rents, and shall also collect street taxes; he shall have the power to appoint with the approval of the Board of of Commissioners, such deputies and assistants as he may deem necessary for the proper discharge of the duties of his office; he shall receive a salary of Twelve hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly and shall also be allowed a fee of one dollar for every arrest in which there is a conviction, and a fee of one dollar for every animal impounded.

SEC. 5. Be it further ordained, etc. that the City Attorney shall be secretary of the Town; that his duties are to advise the Board of Commissioners on legal matters; to draw all ordinances and to act as general council for the Town; he shall also keep the minutes of the meetings of the Board of Commissioners and shall have charge of the books of the Town his salary shall be One hundred dollars per annum, as Counsel, and Fifty dollars per annum as Secretary, and in all litigated cases his fee shall be fixed by the Board of Commissioners, and in all cases where appeals are taken from the fines imposed by the municipal court he shall receive thirty three and one third per cent of the fines recovered.

SEC. 6. Be it further ordained, etc. that the City Physician shall have direct charge of all matters pertaining to the health and sanitary condition under the supervision of the Mayor; he shall receive such fees for services actually rendered as may be fixed by the Board of Commissioners.

L. M. CHANNELL
Comissioner of
Streets and Parks
JOHN W. SKINNER,
Mayor.
T. R. THAMES,
Commissioner
of Finance

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Commissioner of Finance.

R. D. Bowden,
125 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Charles and Robert Sts. 57.90
Guy Skinner,
75 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Charles and Robert Sts. 34.75
Miss Claire Nyreaux,
50 Ft. Cement Walk Letween Charles and Robert Sts. 23.15
Ed Corrigan,
50 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Charles and Robert Sts. 23.15
Jeff D. Hughes,
300 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Robert and Church St. 139.00
Mrs. M. N. Fleming,
100 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Robert and Church Sts. 46.35
C. S. Randall,
200 Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Church and Robinson Sts. 92.65
Mrs. Laura Herring,
63½ Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Robinson St. and Michigan Ave. 29.40
C. S. Randall,
213½ Ft. Cement Walk, Letween Robinson and Michigan Avenue. 98.90

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that in accordance with the Contract and said Act No. 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the Paving certificates already provided for against each property owner and his said property above described, on said property owner paying twenty per cent of the

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above described, on said property owner) assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordynance, accepting the said work with certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one, two, three, four, and five years (or sooner at the option of the property owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually.

The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to make the Paraph and to record the said certificates in the mortgage records of the Parish to-wit: Five dollars from each property owner which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for the expense of such recordation and making the Paraph.

If the cash portion of the said assessment is not paid within ten day, no certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the expiration from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is further directed to cause this Ordinance together with such certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in the manner Provided by law out of the general

funds of the Town of Hammond, subject to the replacing of said in the manner provided above, and that this ordinance shall become effective immediately after its passage.

Passed September 6, 1912.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 146.

Accepting the work, levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the like for laying of cement walks on North and South sides of Coleman Ave. from East Railroad Ave. to Cypress St. North and South sides of Morris Ave, from East Railroad Ave. to Cherry St. North and South side of Hanson Ave from East Railroad Ave to Holly St. West side of Cypress St, from Morris Ave to Coleman Avenue, and fixing the time at which this ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La., that the cement side walks on the above named streets in the town of Hammond, by R. A. Mc Reynolds "Contractor", therefor, are hereby accepted as complying with the contract for same.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that in order to pay for said works, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessments against the abutting property owners and their said property be levied in accordance with and within the purview of Act No. 147 of 1902 and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is declared to be as follows, to-wit:

Morris Avenue
Between East R. R. Ave and Cherry Street

	F. E. Nellis,	
125 Ft.	North side of Block No. 72	56.65
	N. J. Ferris,	
75 Ft.	North side of Block No. 72	34.00
	S. S. Baltzell,	
50 Ft.	North side of Block No. 72,	22.65
	Mrs. J. W. Delong	
214 Ft.	North side of Block No. 73,	98.85
	Geo. White,	
83 Ft.	North side of Block No. 73,	37.20

Cypress Street,
Between Morris Ave and Coleman Ave.

	S. S. Baltzell,	
125 Ft.	East side of Block No. 72,	57.90
	C. E. Cate,	
25 Ft.	East side of Block No. 72,	11.60
	Geo. Bond,	
75 Ft.	East side of Block No. 72,	34.75
	F. B. Thomas,	
25 Ft.	East side of Block No. 72,	11.60
	Chas. Rolling,	
50 Ft.	East side of Block No. 72,	23.15
	C. E. Cate,	
310 Ft.	East side of Block No. 76,	139.00

Hanson Avenue
Between East Railroad and Holly St.

	C. E. Cate,	
125 Ft.	South side of S. W. Qtr. Blk No. 72,	57.50
	Chas. Rolling,	
125 Ft.	South side of S. E. quarter Blk No. 72	57.50

	C. E. Cate,	
200 Ft.	North side of Block No. 76.	138.00
	H. A. Laird,	
200 Ft.	South side of Block No. 73,	138.00
	S. L. Egner.	
150 Ft.	North side of Block No. 75,	69.00
	F. B. Thomas,	
150 Ft.	North side of Block No. 75,	69.00
	Mrs. J. D. McConnel,	
150 Ft.	North side of Block No. 16,	69.00
	Geo. White	
150 Ft.	North side of Block No. 16,	69.00
	Mrs. F. G. Chapman,	
150 Ft.	South side of Block No. 1,	69.00
	B. Campbell,	
150 Ft.	South side of Block No. 1,	69.00
	Coleman Avenue.	
	Between East Railroad Ave. & Cypress St.	
	C. E. Cate,	
250 Ft.	North side of Block No. 80,	115.85
	C. E. Cate,	
250 Ft.	South side of Block No. 76,	115.85

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera that in accordance with the contract and said Act No. 147 of 1907, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving certificates already provided for against each property owner and his said property above described, on said property owner paying twenty per cent of the above assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance,

accepting the said work with certificate for said balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one, two, three, four, and five years, (or sooner at the option of the property owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually.

The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to make the Parish aid and to record the said Certificates in the mortgage records of the Parish to-wit: Five dollars from each property owner which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for the expense of such recordation and making the Parish.

If the cash portion of the said assessment is not paid within ten days, no certificate shall be issued but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the expiration from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R. A. McReynolds "Contractor" such certificates as are issued.

The Mayor is further directed to cause this ordinance together with such certificates as are issued, to be duly recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Jefferson and to pay for such recordation in the manner provided by law

out of the general funds of the Town of Hammond, subject to the replacing of same in the manner provided above, and that this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

Passed January 11, 1913.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Ord. see Letter #49

ORDINANCE NO.1.—COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance requiring all able-bodied male persons between the ages of 18 and 55 years, residing within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond, to work the streets of said town under the supervision of the street commissioner, not exceeding eight days in any one year; and providing that any person may relieve himself of said street duty by paying a street tax in lieu thereof; and providing for the punishment by fine or imprisonment, or both, for all who shall fail to perform said street duty or pay said street tax in lieu thereof.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that on and after the passage of this ordinance, all able-bodied male persons between the ages of 18 and 55 years, residing within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, are hereby required to work the streets of said town not to exceed eight days in any one year, under the supervision of the Commissioner of Streets and Parks, when summoned by him so to do; in writing five days before work is to begin; provided that any person may relieve himself of such compulsory street duty by paying a street tax in lieu thereof, the amount of which shall be three dollars per annum. The town clerk shall, immediately after the passage of this ordinance, prepare a list of all persons subject to street duty under the terms of this ordinance, and shall place the same in the hands of the street commissioner. That official shall at once notify all such persons by a general notice published in two consecutive issues of the official organ of the Town of Hammond. After which publications, all persons who have not either reported to the street commissioner for street duty and complied with his orders regarding said duty, or who shall have paid the sum of three dollars in lieu thereof, shall within ten days be declared delinquents.

SEC. 2. Be it further ordained That the street commissioner shall make a written report to the Mayor of the names of all such persons who have failed either to work the streets or to pay the sum of three dollars in lieu thereof, as herein provided, within ten additional days after they have been decladed delinquent.The mayor shall forthwith cause the arrest of all such personswhose names are contained in this report, charging them with being delinquents under this ordinance.

SEC. 3. Be it further ordained: That upon the trial all such persons who shall be found to have violated the terms of this ordinance, the Mayor shall fine each the sum of not less than Five Dollars and not more than Ten Dollars; or imprisonment for not less than ten days, and not more than twenty days; or both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor.

SEC. 4. Be it further ordained: That all money collected by the street commissioners and all fines collected by the Mayor, after deducting the costs of court, shall be paid into the town treasury. The town treasurer is hereby directed to keep it as a separate fund to be known as the Street Fund; and it shall not be expended for any purpose except for the improvements of the streets of the municipality.

SEC. 5. Be it further ordained: That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed June 3d, 1913.

Approved: JNO. W. SKINNER,
Mayor.

A true copy: T. R. THAMES,
Commissioner of Finance.
and Clerk pro tem.
L. M. CHANNELL,
Com. Parks and Streets.

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Ordinance

Ordinance No. 147.

Accepting the work levying the assessments and authorizing the issuance of Certificates and the like for lay-ing cement walks on Church St. from Cherry to Holly St; on Holly St. from Thomas to Coleman Avenue; on Robert St. from Hazel to St, on west side of Block No. 141; on Charles St. from Magnolia to Pine St. on East R.R. Ave from Thomas to Coleman Ave; Oak St. from Thomas to Michigan Ave; Oak St. from Thomas to Coleman Ave. and fixing the time at which this ordinance shall become effective.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond, La., that the cement sidewalks on the above named streets, in the town of Hammond, by R. A. Mc Reynolds "Contractor" therefor, are hereby accepted as complying with the Contract for same.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that in order to pay for said works, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessments against the abutting property owners and their said property be levied in accordance with and under the provisions of Act No. 147 of 1902, and the name of each property owner and the description of his said property and the amount assessed against the said work is de-

clared to be as follows, to-wit.

East Railroad Avenue.
Thomas St. to Coleman Avenue.

J. B Adams,
80 Ft. 80 Ft. Walk, west side & North-west
quarter, Block No. 63 80.00
Joseph and Frank Labunia
45 Ft. 45 Ft. Walk, west side & South-west
quarter Block No. 63. 36.00
Barney Arnold,
100 Ft. 100 Ft. Walk, west side & S. W. quar-
ter & Block No. 63 80.00
C. E. Cate,
300 Ft. West side Block No. 76 137.40
C. E. Cate,
150 Ft. Southwest quarter Block No. 72 68.70
F. E. Hallis
50 Ft. West side & north-west quarter
Block No. 72 22.90
J. W. Thompson,
50 Ft. In West side & North-west
quarter Block No. 72 22.90
Bank & Hammond,
50 Ft. In West Side & North-west
quarter & Block No. 72 22.90

Church Street
From Cherry St. to Holly St.

Mrs. M. E. Watson,
150 Ft. North-side, north-west quarter
Block No. 44 69.00
Miss D. P. Bates,
150 Ft. North Side, north-east quarter
Block No. 44 69.00

Mrs. L.A. Manges,
150 Ft. South side South-east quarter
Block no. 31 6.8.44
D.W. Ott,
50 Ft. South side South-west quarter
Block no. 31 22.80
L.T. Lillie,
11 Ft. South side, South-west quarter
Block no. 31. 5.00

Holly Street.
From Thomas Street to Coleman Ave.

Hammond Bldg and Manfg Co.
150 Ft. East side Holly Between Thomas
and Morris Ave 69.00
C.E. Wood,
150 Ft. East side Holly, Between Thomas
and Morris Ave. 69.00
D.W. Wolf,
150 Ft. West side North-West quarter
Block no. 2 68.64
Geo. W. Kent,
150 Ft. West Side & Southwest quarter
Block no. 2, 68.64
Mrs. A. L. Blush,
150 Ft. West side & North-west quarter
Block no. 15 72.60

Robert Street.
From Hazel to St. on west side Blk 141

L.P. Donaldson,
300 Ft. South side Block no. 141 133.00
Mrs. Hilda B. Elmer,
100 Ft. South side & South-east quarter
Block no. 141 44.33

Mrs. E. S. Elmer,
100 Ft. South side of South-east quarter Block No. 141 44.33
O. J. Dickerson,
160 Ft. South side of South-west quarter Block No. 141 47.08
W. W. Robinson,
250 Ft. West Railroad Ave. to Oak St. North side of Block No. 50 114.40

Charles Street.
From Magnolia to Pine St.

W. R. Loranger,
100 Ft. South side of South-west quarter Block No. 52 44.00
Julius J. Cash,
50 Ft. South side of South-west quarter Block No. 52. 22.00

Oak Street,
From Thomas to Michigan Ave.

W. T. Cottam,
300 Ft. West side Block Block No. 57 138.00
R. J. Williams,
150 Ft. East side of Block No. 56 69.00
Miss E. R. Clarke,
150 Ft. East side of S.E. quarter Blk 56 69.00
W. W. Robinson,
300 Ft. West side of Block No. 50 138.00
Episcopal Church.
140 Ft. On West side S.W. quarter Block No. 34 64.40
Episcopal Cemetary,
160 Ft. On West side of N.W. quarter Block No. 34 73.60

F. E. Willis,
150 Ft. on west side of S. W. quarter
Block no. 20 — 69.00

Catholic Church,
100 Ft. on west side of N. W. quarter
Block no. 20 — 69.00

Mrs. Annie Gathir,
150 Ft. on East side S. E. quarter
Block no. 65 — 69.00

Christian Church,
50 Ft. on East side north-east quarter Block no. 65 — 23.00

C. E. Cate,
100 Ft. on East side North-East quarter Block no. 65 — 46.00

Oak Street,
From Thomas to Coleman Avenue.

Roy Willis & J. P. Kinney,
125 Ft. on West side of N. W. Quarter
Block no. 64 — 57.50

Jas. S. Hunter,
25 Ft. on west side of N. W. quarter
of Block no. 64 — 11.50

Mrs. Ben Gallup,
(President Woman's League)
50 Ft. west side of S. W. quarter
Block no. 64 — 23.00

J. C. Farley,
100 Ft. on West side of S. W. quarter
Block 64 — 46.00

Mrs. M. E. Willis,
150 Ft. on west side of N. W. quarter
no. 71. — 69.00

C. E. Cate,
150 Ft. on West side of S. W. quarter
Block no. 71 — 69.00

E. R. Palmer,
100 Ft. West side of North-west quarter Block No. 77 46.00
C. E. Catt,
50 Ft. on West side of North-west quarter Block No. 77 23.00
Hammond Ice Light & R. Co.
150 Ft. on West side South-west quarter Block No. 77 69.00

Section 4. By it further ordained, et cetera, that in accordance with the contract and said Act No. 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the Paving certificates already provided for against each property owner and the said property above described, on said property owner paying twenty-per cent of the above assessment against him in cash within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, accepting the said work with certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments payable in one, two, three, four and five years (or sooner at the option of the property owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually.

The Mayor in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expenses necessary to make the Parish and to record the said certificates in the mortgage records of the Parish to-wit:

Five dollars from each property owner which extra sum shall indemnify the Town for the expense of such recordation and making the Paraph.

If the cash portion of the said assess- is not paid within ten days, no certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the expiration from the said ten days until paid.

The Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer to R. A. McReynolds "Contractor" such certificates as are issued.

The Mayor is further directed to cause this ordinance together with such certificates as are issued, to be to be duly recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Tangipahoa and to pay for such recordation in the manner provided by law out of the general funds of the Town of Hammond, subject to the replacing of same in the manner provided above, and that this ordinance shall become effective immediately after its passage.

Passed March 6th 1913.

J. B. Adams,
Clerk.

M. C. Wilson,
Mayor.

Commission Series.

Ordinance No. 1.

An ordinance requiring all able-bodied male persons between the ages of 18 and 50 years, residing within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, to work the streets of said town under the supervision of the Street Commissioner, not exceeding eight days in any one year; and providing that any person may relieve himself of said street duty by paying a street tax in lieu thereof; and providing for the punishment by fine or imprisonment, or both, for all who shall fail to perform said street duty or pay said street tax in lieu thereof.

Section No. 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, that on and after the passage of this ordinance, all able-bodied male persons between the ages of 18 and 50 years residing within the corporate limits of the Town of Hammond, are hereby required to work the streets of said town, not to exceed eight days in any one year, under the supervision of the Commissioner of Streets and Parks, when summoned by him so to do in writing five days before work is to begin; Provided that any person may relieve himself of such compulsory street duty by paying a street tax in lieu thereof, the amount of which shall be Three Dollars per annum. The Town

Clerk shall immediately after the passage of this ordinance, prepare a list of all persons subject to street duty under the terms of this ordinance, and shall place the same in the hands of the Street Commissioner. That official shall at once notify all such persons by a general notice published in two consecutive issues of the official organ of the Town of Hammond. After which publications all persons who have not either reported to the Street Commissioner for street duty and complied with their orders regarding said duty, or who shall have paid the sum of Three Dollars in lieu thereof, shall within ten days be declared delinquents.

Section 2. Be it further ordained: That the Street Commissioner shall make a written report to the Mayor of the names of all such persons who have failed either to work the streets or to pay the sum of Three Dollars in lieu thereof, as herein provided, within ten additional days after they have been declared delinquent. The Mayor shall forthwith cause the arrest of all such persons whose names are contained in this report, charging them with being delinquents under this ordinance.

Section 3. Be it further ordained: That upon the trial of all such persons who shall be

found to have violated the terms of this ordinance, the Mayor shall fine each the sum of not less than Five Dollars and not more than Ten Dollars; or imprisonment for not less than ten days and not more than twenty days; or both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 4. Be it further ordained: That all the money collected by the Street Commissioners and all fines collected by the Mayor, after deducting the costs of court, shall be paid into the town treasury. The Town Treasurer is hereby directed to keep it as a separate fund to be known as the Street Fund; and it shall not be expended for any purpose except for the improvements of the streets of the municipality.

Section 5. Be it further ordained: that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed June 3rd, 1913.

Approved

Mayor.

A true copy

Town Clerk.

Copy

Ordinance No. 2.

An ordinance defining and fixing the duties and powers of the several officers of the Town of Hammond, and fixing their salaries and fees.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hammond, that the Mayor shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Commissioners; he shall have supervising control of all officers and affairs of the municipality, in so far as public health and public safety are concerned, and shall take care that all of the laws and ordinances of the Town are properly executed; he shall sign commissions and appointments of all officers elected or appointed by the Board of Commissioners; he shall sign warrants, draw on the Treasurer for moneys, and require the Commissioner of Finance to attest to the same, and to fix thereto the seal of the Municipality and to keep an accurate record thereof in a well bound book to be kept for that purpose; he shall from time to time communicate in writing, to the Board of Commissioners, such information, and work such measures, as in his opinion may add to the improvement of the finances, the public health, security, ornament, and further prosperity of the municipality; he shall have the power, when he deems it necessary, to require all officers

of the municipality to exhibit his accounts or other papers and to make reports to the Board of Commissioners, in writing, touching any subject or matters he may require pertaining to his office; he shall be active and diligent in enforcing all laws and ordinances for the Government of the municipality, and shall cause all offices to be dealt with properly for negligence or violation of duty; he shall have such jurisdiction as may be vested in him by ordinance over all places within five miles of the corporation limit for the enforcement of health, quarantine, sanitary, or water works ordinances and regulations thereof; he is authorized to call on every male citizen of the municipality over eighteen years of age and under forty-five years of age to aid in enforcing the law. He shall have the power to remit fines and forfeitures and to vacate and annul penalties, by and with the consent of the Board of Commissioners; in general, he shall have all powers not delegated, or to be hereafter delegated to the Mayor of the municipality by the laws of this state; he shall also be tax collector. His salary shall be and is hereby fixed at Nine Hundred Dollars per annum, payable monthly.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that the Commissioner of Finance shall receive a yearly

salary of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, payable monthly, and it shall be his duty to take care of the financing of the Town and he shall have general superintendance and control over all matters pertaining to the finances of the municipality and the officers in charge thereof and it shall be his duty to see that all accounts by and with the municipality, and all tax collections and all disbursements are properly audited; in addition he shall have such other powers and duties as are now prescribed by the laws of this state, or ordinance of the municipality, and which may be hereafter prescribed.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, et cetra, that the Commissioner of Public Parks and Streets shall receive a yearly salary of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, payable monthly; and he shall take care of all the Public streets and parks and water mains of the municipality, and see that same are kept in proper condition; and it shall be his special duty to keep strict accounts of moneys disbursed on any improvement and work and to properly audit all such moneys and to make reports thereof to the Commissioner of Finance, in addition he shall have such duties and powers as may be designated by the laws of the State or ordinance of the municipality.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the Chief of Police shall execute all warrants and orders of the Municipal Court and exercise all the duties of a Peace Officer; he shall be the Town Jailer. He shall collect all fines and forfeitures imposed by the municipal court; he shall collect and account for all license taxes within the corporate limits; he shall collect and account for all money due the Town for water rents and shall also collect street taxes; he shall have the power to appoint, with the approval of the Board of Commissioners, such deputies and assistants as he may deem necessary for the proper discharge of the duties of his office; he shall receive a salary of Twelve Hundred Dollars per annum, payable monthly and shall also be allowed a fee of One Dollar for every arrest in which there is a conviction, and a fee of One Dollar for every animal impounded.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the City Attorney shall be Secretary of the Town; that his duties are to advise the Board of Commissioners on legal matters; to draw all ordinances and to act as General Counsel for the Town; he shall also keep the minutes of the meetings of the Board of Commissioners and shall have charge of the books of the Town; his salary shall be One Hundred Dollars per annum as Counsel, and Fifty Dollars per annum as Secretary, and in all

litigated cases his fee shall be fixed by the Board of Commissioners, and in all cases where appeals are taken from the fines imposed by the Municipal Court, he shall receive thirty-three and one-third per cent of the fines recovered.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the City Physician shall have direct charge of all matters pertaining to the health and sanitary condition under the supervision of the Mayor; he shall receive such fees for services actually rendered as may be fixed by the Board of Commissioners.

Passed June 14, 1913.

W. W. Skinner,
Mayor.

T. R. Thames,
Commissioner of Finance.

L. M. Channell
Commissioner of Streets & Parks.

Ordinance No. 3.

An ordinance dedicating, setting aside, and pledging two mills of the general revenue tax of the Town of Hammond for a period of Eight years for the payment of the floating or General indebtedness of said town, and providing for the issuance of certificates of indebtedness to the creditors of said town, prescribing the rate of interest and the time of payment and providing the payment thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Council of the Town of Hammond, that there shall be, and there is hereby dedicated and pledged two mills of the general revenue tax of the Town of Hammond, for the years 1913-1914-1915-1916-1917-1918-1919-1920 for the payment of the floating, or general indebtedness of said town, amounting to the sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et celera, that as evidencing and representing such indebtedness the town shall issue to any creditors, representatives or transferees certificate or certificates of indebtedness, which certificate or certificates shall bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, payable annually, and which shall run for a period of not more than eight years, unless sooner retired, the said certificates shall be

made payable at the Hammond State Bank on July 1st, 1914, July 1st, 1915-1916-1917-1918-1919- and 1920, and shall be negotiable, and signed by the Mayor and Clerk or Secretary, who are hereby specially authorized to sign and issue the same.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the fund derived from the two mills herein dedicated, appropriated, and pledged to the payment of the general or floating indebtedness of said town, shall be kept separate from the other funds of the Municipality and devoted entirely to the payment of the principle and interest of the certificates herein provided for.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the funds collected from the said two mills tax shall be created into a sinking fund, and any excess of the proceeds of such tax remaining after the payment of the interest on the certificates issued, shall be placed in the said sinking fund to be used in the extinguishment of the principal and and interest of such certificates at maturity, provided that any or all certificates issued may be redeemed at any time before maturity at the option of the town.

Section 5. Be it further

ordained, et cetera, that this act shall go into effect from and after its passage.

Ordinance No. 4

An ordinance to prohibit and suppress houses of prostitution, disorderly houses, and houses where lewd and indecent performances are conducted; prohibiting any owner or agent of any owner to knowingly rent or allow to be used any house or premises for such purposes; and providing a penalty and means of enforcement of the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hammond, that all houses of prostitution, disorderly houses and houses where lewd and indecent performances are conducted, and like places, shall hereafter be closed and shall remain so closed and prohibited, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, directly or indirectly to keep or manage, or be connected with such an establishment or house, either as employee, performer, inmate, participant, or knowingly to rent or allow to be used for any of said purposes, premises owned by such person or for which said person is agent.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that whosoever shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall, on conviction, thereof, be fined not less than $25.00 nor more than $100.00, or impri-

soned for not less than ten days nor more than thirty days, or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the exigencies of the case demanding it, this ordinance shall go into effect from and after July 21st, 1913.

Jno. T. Stevens
Commissioner of Public Health & Safety.

J. R. Barnes
Commissioner of Finance.

Commissioner of Public Parks & Streets.

Attest.
W. H. Wright
Secretary.

Ordinance

Ordinance No. 2.

Commission Series

An ordinance amending Section 3 of Ordinance No. 142, passed June 4 1912, Entitled an Ordinance to amend and re-ordain Ordinance No. 134 Entitled "an ordinance providing for the cleaning of closets or privies within the corporate limits of the town of Hammond, and keeping same in a good and sanitary condition."

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the City of Hammond, that Section No 3 of Ordinance No. 142 be amended and re-ordained to read as follows:-

"That the following charges shall be made upon the occupant of each premises wherein a closet or privy is maintained and used, which charge or assessment shall cover the expense of said department for said work and all such charges shall be payable monthly in advance, after five days notice, to-wit:

Private Families.

For cleaning single hole closets	$ .35	per month,
" " two " "	.60	" "
" " three " "	.90	" "

Hotels, Boarding-houses and Business Houses.

For cleaning single hole closets	$ .50	per month.
" " two " "	.90	" "
" " three " "	1.20	" "

And in addition thereto there shall be a charge of $1.10 per year payable in advance, for the use of the tickets used for each single hole closet;

$2.20 for double hole closets, and $3.30 for each three hole closet.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, That this ordinance shall go into effect from and after its promulgation.

Passed July 10, 1913.

J. W. Skinner,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 6
Commission Series

An ordinance ordering a special election for the purpose of submitting to the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond, propositions to incur an indebtedness to the amount of $145 000 ~~Ninety-two Thousand~~ Dollars for cer- public improvements; to issue bonds therefor and to levy a special tax or taxes to provide for the payment of the principal and interest of said in- debtedness.

XX Section 1. Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that a special election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in said city, at (blank) ~~the Alpha Theatre~~ ~~on the west side of Cypress street between Thomas street and Morris Avenue~~, in said city on the (blank) ~~13th~~ day of ~~January~~ ~~1914~~, between the hours of 7 A. M. and 5 P. M. as authorized by Article ~~281~~ 14 Sec 14 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, ~~as amended in~~ for the year, 19~~12~~20, and under the provisions of Act ~~256~~ of the Session of the Legislature of 1910, and the acts amendatory thereof, at which election the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond legally quali- fied to vote at such election, shall have submitted to them propositions to incur indebtedness to the aggre- gate amount of $145 000 ~~Ninety-Two Thousand~~ ~~($92,000.00)~~ Dollars, to issue negotiable bonds therefor, and to

levy a special tax or taxes to provide for the principal and interest of said debt and for the following public purposes, works and improvements the title to which shall vest in the said city of Hammond, viz:

First Proposition. - To issue bonds to the amount of Fifty Thousand ($50,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of acquiring a site and constructing thereon a public school building, and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof.

Second Proposition. - To issue bonds to the amount of Eighteen Thousand ($18,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of extending and improving the system of water works of said City and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof.

Third Proposition. - To issue bonds to the amount of Sixteen Thousand ($16,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of laying and constructing a sewerage system in said city and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof.

Fourth Proposition. - To issue bonds to the amount of Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of acquiring public fire equipment, including the building therefor and site on which to locate the building and to levy a special tax for

the payment thereof.

Fifth Proposition:-

To issue bonds to the amount of Three Thousand ($3,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of acquiring a site and erecting a City Hall and jail thereon and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the negotiable bonds to be issued pursuant to the said submission to represent said indebtedness, or such part or parts thereof as shall be authorized, shall bear interest, at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable annually on the 31st day of January in each year, to be represented by interest coupons. Said bonds shall be of the denomination of One Thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars each, and numbered from one upward and shall be payable to bearer. The said bonds shall run for a period of forty (40) years from the date of the issuance thereof, provided, however, that the Council of the said city shall fix a certain time at which the said bonds shall begin to mature, which shall not be longer than five (5) years from the date of said bonds, and the said bonds shall thereafter mature in annual installments, so that when the annual interest is added thereto, the total amount to be paid, including the principal and interest each year, shall be

as near equal as practicable. To secure the payment of the principal and interest of the said bonds, there shall be imposed, levied and collected annually in excess of all other taxes; a tax sufficient to pay the interest annually and the principal falling due each year, or such amount as may be required for a sinking fund necessary to retire the said bonds at maturity
2 provided however, that the indebtedness hereby ~~said tax~~ together with all other ~~taxes for the payment of the~~ present bonded indebtedness of the City of Hammond incurred
2 pursuant to the provisions of ~~Article~~ Art. 14-sec 10 281 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, shall not in ~~any year~~ exceed in the aggregate ten ~~mills~~ per centum of the assessed valuation ~~on the dollar of the assessed valuation~~ of the taxable property in said city.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State, in such cases made and provided, and in particular in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 254 of the Session of the Legislature of the year 1910, approved July 7th, 1910, and Acts amendatory thereof, and
2 at the polling place ~~at which the last general election was held~~ above named

Section 4. Be it further
2 ordained, et cetera, that an abstract of this ordinance
2 shall be published in C.C. Carter, Array or during at least thirty (30) days preceding said election

as notice thereof in the official Journal of the City of Hammond.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be on the following form:

For the Issuance of Bonds.

see form attached

First Proposition.- To incur debt and to issue bonds of the city of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Fifty Thousand ($~~50,000.00~~ 40,000) Dollars; to run forty (~~40~~ 25) years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the City Council, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of acquiring ~~a site~~ the city of and constructing ~~there-on~~ on property owned by a public City Hall school building, and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof.

YES	
NO	
YES	

Second Proposition- To incur debt and issue bonds of the city of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Eighteen Thousand ($~~18,000.00~~) Dollars, to run forty (~~40~~ 25) years and payable within that term, at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the

City Council, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable annually for the purpose of extending and improving the system of water works of said city, and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof. — NO

Third Proposition.- To incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of ~~Sixteen~~ Thousand ($16,000.00) Dollars to run forty (40) years and payable within that terme and at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the City Council bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of ~~laying and constructing~~ improving and extending the sewerage system in said City and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof. — YES

Fourth Proposition.- To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars to run forty (40) years and payable within that terme at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the City Council bearing interest at the rate of — NO

— YES

five per centum per annum, payable annually for the purpose of acquiring a public fire equipment, including the building therefor and site on which to locate the building and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof.

	NO	

Fifth Proposition.- To incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Three Thousand ($3,000.00) Dollars to run forty (40) years and payable within that time at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the City Council, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable annually for the purpose of acquiring a site and erecting a City Hall and jail thereon, and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof.

	YES	
	NO	

Taxable valuation - $ _____

_____

(Signature of Voter)

Notice to Voters:- To vote in favor of the propositions submitted upon this ballot place a (X) cross mark in the square after the word "Yes". To vote against the proposition place a similar mark after the word "No".

Said propositions shall be printed on each ballot with squares at the right of each proposition and also the words "Yes" and "No", respectively. To vote in favor of the respective proposition submitted upon the ballot the voter shall place a cross (X) mark in the square of the word "Yes". To vote against the respective proposition he shall place a similar mark after the word "No". There shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter a certificate showing the amount of each voter's assessment on property within the City according to the assessment roll for the year ~~1913~~ 1920, which certificate shall be signed by one of the Commissioners of election before the ballots shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be endorsed on his ballot, provided the ballot voted by proxy shall have endorsed thereon the name of the tax voter and her proxy.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that after said election shall have been held, the City Council of said City shall, in open session to be held at the ~~City Hall~~ Morgan Office in said City on ~~the 14th day of January, 1914~~ at 3 o'clock p. m. proceed to open

the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballots in number and amounts, examine and canvass the returns, and and declare the result of the election, which result they shall thereafter promulgate by publication in one issue of the official journal of said city. Said City Council shall keep a a process verbal of the manner of which the ballot boxes have been opened, the returns canvassed, and the result of the election ascertained, and shall forward a copy of said process verbal to the Secretary of the State to be recorded in his office; another copy to the clerk of the District Court to be recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish and the remaining copy to be retained in the archives of the city.

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Section 7. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that in the event that the said propositions, or any of them, shall be voted for by a majority in number and amount of property tax payers, qualified tax electors under the constitution and laws of this State, voting at said election, the City Council shall pass such ordinances as may be necessary to provide for the issuance of said bonds, for the signatures and authentication thereof, and for the sale and disposal thereof, which ordinance shall provide that each year while any of

the said bonds are outstanding, the city shall levy impose and collect annually in each of said years, in excess of all other taxes, a tax sufficient to pay the interest annually and the principal falling due each year, or such amount as may be required for a sinking fund necessary to retire said bonds at maturity, provided ~~each special tax~~ such indebtedness, together with all other ~~special taxes~~ outstanding bonds heretofore authorized to be levied for the payment of the principal and interest of any debt incurred, pursuant to the provisions of Article ~~281~~ 14 sec 14 of the Constitution of Louisiana shall not ~~in any year~~ exceed in the aggregate ten ~~mills~~ per cent on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property of said city.

Section 8. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Passed December 2nd 1913.

J. W. Skinner,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 7. Ord.

Commission Series.

An ordinance granting to the Illinois Central Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, permission to construct, maintain, and operate for a period of twenty-five years a Railroad track for switching purposes from a point ten feet north of Charles street, on East Railroad Avenue to a junction with the main line at a point of Church street, and fixing the penalty for failure to comply with the terms of this ordinance.

Section 1. Whereas the production of berries and vegetables for shipment from this point over the Illinois Central Railroad has greatly increased during the last few years and will continue to increase, and whereas additional loading tracks are needed for the accomodation of the growers, and whereas the Illinois Central Railroad Company has offered to provide said loading tracks if granted the necessary right-of-way over a part of East Railroad Avenue; Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hammond, that in consideration of the advantages to accrue to the business interests of the community, and in consideration of the said Illinois Central Railroad Company obligating itself to fill the road ground with gravel or other hard substance

between its main track and the switch track now under construction on East Railroad avenue, the same being an extension of the spur track of Hammond Lumber Company, under rights granted said Hammond Lumber Company under Ordinance No. 96, dated April 2, 1907, also to fill with the same material on the East side of side spur, so as to put the ground in proper condition for use in loading trucks and teams on both sides of said spur track; and providing wagon and foot crossing at Baton Rouge, Hammond and Eastern crossing, east side, and placing wagon and foot crossings at Church street that the Illinois Central Railroad Company, its assigns or successors be and it is hereby granted permission to construct, maintain and operate an extension of said spur track for switching purposes, and for loading lumber, truck and other merchandise, on East Railroad avenue, from a point ten feet north of Charles street, extending north along the main line of said railroad over Robert, Church, Robinson, Michigan, Colorado, and Dakota streets.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that said Illinois Central Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, shall so construct, maintain and use said track as not to interfere unnecessarily with the use of the said streets by the public.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that a failure to fill in between said tracks, and on east side of said spur and to provide the street crossings mentioned in the preamble hereof shall revoke this permit.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that this permit is granted for a period of twenty-five years.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed, and this ordinance shall take effect on and after its promulgation.

Jno. W. Skinner,
Mayor.

T. R. Thames,
Commissioner of Finance
Geo. F. Smith,
Commissioner of Streets & Parks.

Ordinance No. 8
Commission Series.

An Ordinance providing for the incurring of debt and issuance of School bonds of the City of Hammond to the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000); fixing the amounts of said bonds and the maturities thereof; and levying a special tax of two and one-half (2½) mills on all the property subject to taxation within the corporate limits of said City for the year 1914, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds for said year; and providing for a levy of a special tax each subsequent year up to and including the year 1953 for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on said bonds as the same shall mature or become due;

Whereas, at a special election duly and regularly held in the City of Hammond, Louisiana on the 13th day of January, 1914, in conformity with an ordinance of the City Council of said City ordering said election, there was submitted to the vote of the property tax payers qualified to vote in said City a proposition to incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond to the amount of $50,000 to run 40 years and payable within that time at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the City Council; said bonds to bear five (5) per centum per annum interest, payable annually, for the purpose

by acquiring a site and erecting thereon a public School Building, and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof;

Whereas, the incurring of said debt, the issuance of said Bonds for said purpose and the levying of a special tax to pay same, were duly authorized by a vote of the majority in both number and amount of votes cast at said election.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Hammond, that the Mayor and the City Secretary be and they are hereby authorized and directed to have prepared and to execute in the name and on behalf of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, Fifty (50) negotiable bonds numbered from one (1) to Fifty (50) both numbers inclusive, and in denomination of One Thousand ($1,000) Dollars each, bearing date of April 1st, 1914 and maturing and being due and payable as follows, to-wit:

Bond Number 1, on April 1st, 1919.
Bond Number 2, on April 1st, 1920.
Bond Number 3, on April 1st, 1921.
Bond Number 4, on April 1st, 1922.
Bond Number 5, on April 1st, 1923.
Bond Number 6, on April 1st, 1924.
Bond Number 7, on April 1st, 1925.
Bond Number 8, on April 1st, 1926.
Bond Number 9, on April 1st, 1927.
Bond Number 10, on April 1st, 1928.

Bond Number 11,	on April 1st 1929.
Bond Number 12,	on April 1st, 1930.
Bond Number 13,	on April 1st, 1931.
Bond Number 14,	on April 1st, 1932.
Bond Number 15,	on April 1st, 1933.
Bond Number 16,	on April 1st, 1934.
Bond Number 17,	on April 1st, 1932.
Bond Number 18,	on April 1st, 1934.
Bond Number 19	on April 1st, 1937.
Bond Number 20,	on April 1st, 1938.
Bond Number 21,	on April 1st, 1939.
Bond Number 22,	on April 1st, 1940.
Bond Number 23,	on April 1st, 1940.
Bond Number 24,	on April 1st, 1941.
Bond Number 25,	on April 1st, 1941.
Bond Number 26,	on April 1st, 1942.
Bond Number 27,	on April 1st, 1942.
Bond Number 28,	on April 1st, 1943.
Bond Number 29,	on April 1st, 1943.
Bond Number 30,	on April 1st, 1944.
Bond Number 31,	on April 1st 1944.
Bond Number 32,	on April 1st, 1945.
Bond Number 33,	on April 1st, 1945.
Bond Number 34,	on April 1st, 1946.
Bond Number 35,	on April 1st, 1946.
Bond Number 36,	on April 1st, 1947.
Bond Number 37,	on April 1st, 1947.
Bond Number 38,	on April 1st, 1948.
Bond Number 39,	on April 1st, 1948.
Bond Number 40,	on April 1st, 1949.
Bond Number 41,	on April 1st, 1949.
Bond Number 42,	on April 1st, 1950.
Bond Number 43,	on April 1st, 1951.
Bond Number 44,	on April 1st, 1951
Bond Number 45,	on April 1st, 1951
Bond Number 46,	on April 1st, 1952
Bond Number 47,	on April 1st, 1952

Bond Number 48, on April 1st, 1923.
Bond Number 49, on April 1st, 1923.
Bond Number 50, on April 1st, 1923.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five (5) per centum per annum from date, interest payable annually, on the first day of April of each and every year until the payment of the principal sum thereof, both principal and interest of said bonds to be payable at the Hibernia Bank & Trust Company, New Orleans, Louisiana, or the Hammond State Bank, Hammond, Louisiana, at the option of the holder of said bonds or interest coupons; and said bonds shall be known as "School Bonds of the City of Hammond."

The interest on said bonds shall be evidenced by proper coupons attached to each bond and both principal and interest shall be due and payable in gold coin of the United States of the then present standard of weight and fineness. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and Secretary. But said interest coupons may be executed by fac-simile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary. 1913 1918 85

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that all of said bonds and all of said interest coupons attached thereto shall be in substantially the following forms, respectively:

United States of America,
State of Louisiana,

No. ____ $ ____

School Bonds
of the
City of Hammond.

Know all men by these Presents, that the City of Hammond, Louisiana, acknowledges itself to be indebted and for value received promises to pay to bearer the sum of One Thousand Dollars on the first day of April, 19— together with interest thereon from date hereof until paid at the rate of five (5) per centum per annum, payable annually on the first day of April of each and every year until the final payment hereof, upon the presentation and surrender of this bond and interest coupons attached, as they severally become due.

Both principal and interest of this bond are due and payable at the Hibernia Bank & Trust Company, New Orleans, Louisiana, or at the Hammond State Bank, Hammond, Louisiana, at the option of the holder thereof, or of said interest coupons, in gold coin of the United States at the then present standard weight and fineness.

This bond is one of a series of fifty bonds of like date, tenor and amount issued for the purpose of providing funds to acquire a site and construct thereon a public school building in the City of

Hammond, Louisiana, and in full conformity to Article 287 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, as amended in the year 1912, and under the provisions of Act 256 of the Session of the General Assembly of 1910, and the acts amendatory thereof, and is authorized and approved by the vote, in both number and amount of the property tax payers, qualified to vote thereon voting at a special election regularly called and held in the City of Hammond under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of this State.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, precident to and necessary in issuing this bond have been regularly done and performed; that the total indebtedness of the City of Hammond does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation; that full and ample provision has been made for the collection of a direct property tax annually, on all property subject to taxation within the corporate limits of the said City of Hammond, sufficient to pay the principle and interest of this bond as the same becomes due; that said special tax is also authorized and approved by the vote of the majority in both number and amount of the property tax payers qualified to vote thereon,

voting at a special election regularly called and held in said City and in accordance with all provisions of the laws of this State.

In testimony whereof, the City of Hammond has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor and the Secretary of the City of Hammond, under the municipal seal of said City of Hammond and the coupons hereto attached to be signed by the fac-simile signatures of said officers, on this the first day of April, 1914.

Jno. H. Stevens
Mayor

Secretary.

No. ——

$50.00

On the first day of April, 1914, the City of Hammond, Louisiana, will pay to bearer Fifty Dollars, at the Hibernia Bank & Trust Company, New Orleans, La., or the Hammond State Bank, Hammond, La., at holder's option, being the annual interest then due on its School Bonds.

Dated April 1st. 19——.

(Fac-Simile of Signature) (Fac-Simile of Signature)

Jno. H. Stevens

Secretary Mayor.

Section III. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the proceeds of the sale of the bonds herein authorized and directed to be issued

shall be devoted exclusively to acquiring a site and erecting thereon a public school building in the City of Hammond, title to which shall vest in said City.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that a special tax of two and one-half mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation is hereby levied on all property subject to taxation within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, for the year 1914, for the purpose of paying the interest due on said bonds on April 1st 1915; and each year the City Council shall levy a special tax sufficient in amount to pay the interest as it becomes due on said bonds and the principal thereof at their respective maturities; and the proceeds of said tax levied and to be levied shall be sacredly devoted and applied to the payment of said interest and principal as same shall become due.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that as said special taxes are collected and received by this City, should there be any balance of tax paying accrued interest and matured bonds, the same shall be set aside separate and apart from all other funds of the City and shall be known as the General Sinking Fund, to be used together with the proceeds

of such special taxes as may be levied in paying interest due annually and the said bonds as they respectively mature as provided in Section 1 hereof.

Section 6. Be it further ordained that this Ordinance shall go into effect from and after its promulgation.

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Ordinance No. 9
Commission Series.

An Ordinance providing for the incurring of debt and issuance of water works extension bonds of the City of Hammond to the amount of Eighteen Thousand Dollars ($18,000.); fixing the amounts of said bonds and the maturities thereof; and levying a special tax of one (1) mill on all the property subject to taxation within the corporate limits of said City for the year 1914 for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds for said year; and providing for a levy of a special tax each subsequent year up to and including the year 1953 for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on said bonds as the same shall mature or become due;

Whereas, at a special election duly and regularly held in the City of Hammond, Louisiana on the 13th day of January, 1914, in conformity with an ordinance of the City Council of said City ordering said election, there was submitted to the vote of the property tax payers qualified to vote in said City a proposition to incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond to the amount of $18,000 to run 40 years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the City Council; said bonds to bear five (5%) per centum per annum

interest payable annually, for the purpose of extending the system of water works of said City, and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof;

WHEREAS, the incurring of said debt, the issuance of said bonds for said purpose and the levying of a special tax to pay same, were duly authorized by a vote of the majority in both number and amount of votes cast at said election.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Hammond, that the Mayor and the City Secretary be and they are hereby authorized and directed to have prepared and to execute in the name and on behalf of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, Eighteen (18) negotiable bonds numbered from One (1) to Eighteen (18) both numbers inclusive, and in denominations of One Thousand ($1,000.) each, bearing date of April 1st, 1914 and maturing and being due and payable as follows, to-wit:

Bond Number 1,	on April 1st, 1919.
Bond Number 2,	on April 1st, 1920
Bond Number 3,	on April 1st, 1921
Bond Number 4,	on April 1st, 1931
Bond Number 5,	on April 1st, 1923
Bond Number 6,	on April 1st, 1924
Bond Number 7,	on April 1st, 1925
Bond Number 8,	on April 1st, 1926
Bond Number 9,	on April 1st, 1927
Bond Number 10,	on April 1st, 1928

Bond Number 11, on April 1st 1946.
Bond Number 12, on April 1st, 1947.
Bond Number 13, on April 1st, 1948.
Bond Number 14, on April 1st, 1949.
Bond Number 15, on April 1st, 1950.
Bond Number 16, on April 1st, 1951.
Bond Number 17, on April 1st, 1952.
Bond Number 18, on April 1st, 1953.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five (5) per centum per annum from date, interest payable annually, on the first day of April of each and every year until the payment of the principle sum thereof, both principle and interest of said bonds to be payable at the Whitney Bank of Trust Company, New Orleans, Louisiana, or the Hammond State Bank, Hammond, Louisiana, at the option of the holder of said bonds or interest coupons; and said bonds shall be known as "Water Works Extension Bonds of the City of Hammond."

The interest on said bonds shall be evidenced by proper coupons attached to each bond, and both principal and interest shall be due and payable in gold coin of the United States of the present standard of weight & fineness. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and Secretary, but said interest coupons may be executed by fac-simile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary.

Section 2. Be it further ordained,

et cetera, that all of said bonds and all of said interest coupons attached thereto shall be in substantially the following forms, respectively:

United States of America,
State of Louisiana,

No. ____ $ ____

Water Works Extension Bonds,
of The
City of Hammond.

Know all men by these presents, that the City of Hammond, Louisiana, acknowledges itself to be indebted and for value received promises to pay to bearer the sum of One Thousand Dollars on the first day of April, 19__ together with interest thereon from date hereof, until paid at the rate of five (5) per centum per annum, payable annually, on the first day of April of each and every year until the final payment hereof, upon the presentation and surrender of this bond and the interest coupons attached, as they severally become due.

Both principal and interest of this bond are due and payable at the Hibernia Bank & Trust Company, New Orleans, Louisiana, or at the Hammond State Bank, Hammond, Louisiana, at the option of the holder thereof, or of said interest coupons, in gold coin of the United States at the then

present standard weight & fineness.

This bond is one of a series of eighteen bonds of like date, tenor, and amount issued for the purpose of providing funds to extend the water works system of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, and in full conformity to Article 281 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, as amended in the year 1912, and under the provisions of Act 256 of the Session of the General Assembly of 1910, and the acts amendatory thereof, and is authorized and approved by the vote in number and amount of the property tax-payers, qualified to vote thereon, voting at a special election regularly called and held in said City of Hammond under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of this State.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things, required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, precedent to and necessary in issuing this bond have been regularly done; that the total indebtedness of the City of Hammond does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation; that full and ample provision has been made for the collection of a direct property tax annually, on all property subject to taxation within the corporate limits of the said City of Hammond sufficient to pay the principal and interest of this bond as the same become due; that said special tax is also

authorized and approved by the vote of the majority in both number and amount of the property tax-payers qualified to vote thereon, voting at a special election regularly called and held in said City and in accordance with all provisions of the laws of this State.

In testimony whereof, the City of Hammond has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor and the Secretary of the City of Hammond, under the municipal seal of said City of Hammond and the coupons herto attached to be signed by their fac-simile signatures of said officers, on this the first day of April, 1914.

_____
Mayor

_____
Secretary.

No. ____ $50.00

On the first day of April, 19__ the City of Hammond Louisiana, will pay to bearer Fifty Dollars, at the Hibernia Bank & Trust Company, New Orleans, Louisiana, or the Hammond State Bank, Hammond, Louisiana, at holder's option, being the annual interest then due on its Water Works Extension Bonds.

Dated April 1st, 1914.

(Fac-Simile Signature) (Fac-Simile Signature)

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Secretary. Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the proceeds of the sale of the bonds herein authorized and directed to be issued shall be devoted exclusively to extending the system of water works of the City of Hammond.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that a special tax of one mill on the dollar of the assessed valuation is hereby levied on all property subject to taxation within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, for the year 1914 for the purpose of paying the interest due on said bonds (on April 1st, 1915; and each year the City Council shall levy a special tax sufficient in amount to pay the interest as it becomes due on said bonds and the principal thereof at their respective maturities; and the proceeds of said tax levied and to be levied shall be sacredly devoted and applied to the payment of the said interest and principal as same shall become due.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that as said special taxes are collected and received by this City, should there be any balance after paying accrued interest and matured bonds, the same shall be set aside separate and apart from all other funds of the City and shall be known as the General Sinking Fund to be used together with the

proceeds of such special taxes as may be hereafter levied in paying interest due annually and the said bonds as they respectively mature as provided in Section 1 hereof.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that this Ordinance shall go into effect from and after its promulgation.

C. Reid, Secretary

J. H. Skinner, Mayor

T. P. Flames,
Com. of Finance.

G. F. Smith,
Com. of Streets & Parks

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Ordinance No. 10. Commission Series.

An ordinance to prohibit the riding Bicycles or Motorcycles in Railroad Station Platforms or Railroad yards in the City of Hammond, Louisiana.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Hammond, Louisiana. That on and after the passage of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to ride a Bicycle or Motorcycle in any Railroad Station Platform or Railroad Yard in the City of Hammond, Louisiana.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, et cetra, That any Person or Persons violating this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of an offence and upon conviction in the Mayor's Court shall be fined not more than $5.00 or sentenced to serve not more than 5 days in the City Jail or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further enacted et cetra, That any ordinance or part of Ordinance in conflict with this Ordinance is hereby repealed.

Passed April 8, 1914.

J. A. Skinner,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 11.
Commission Series.

An Ordinance declaring it unlawful to leave a horse or mule hitched to buggy, wagon or other vehicle loose on the streets of the City of Hammond.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that it is hereby declared unlawful for any person to leave a horse or mule hitched to a buggy, wagon or other vehicle loose on the streets of the City of Hammond.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that any person violating this ordinance shall be fined not less than One Dollar, nor more than Five Dollars, or imprisoned not less than One Day, and not more than Five Days, or both at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained etc., that this Ordinance shall go into effect from and after its promulgation.

Passed April 8th 1914. J. W. Skinner Mayor

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Ordinance #2
Commission Series.

An Ordinance requiring all Butcher Shops in the City of Hammond to be closed on Sundays and forbidding the carrying on of any business in any Butcher Shop on Sundays by either proprietors, employes or any other person: and fixing the penalties for all violations of same.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor & Board of Commissioners of the City of Hammond, that from and after the 10th day of July 1914, A.D., all Butcher Shops within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond shall be closed not later than twelve o' clock on Saturdays nights and remain closed continuously for twenty-four hours, during which period of time it shall be unlawful for any proprietor, employe or any other person to carry on any business in any Butcher Shop.

Section #2 Be it further ordained etc That whoever shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of an offense and upon conviction in the Mayor's Court shall be fined not less than Fifty Dollars nor more than One Hundred Dollars or be emprisoned for not less than ten days nor more than thirty days, or both, at the discretion of the Court.

Section 3. Be it further ordained etc. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed July 10th 1914

Jno. H. Stevens Sr
Mayor.

J R Haines Acting Secretary

Ordinance No. 13. Commission Series.

An ordinance requiring all barber shops in the City of Hammond to be closed on Sunday and forbidding the carrying on of any business in any barber shop on Sundays by either proprietors, employees or any other person: and fixing the penalties for all violation of same:-

Section #1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the City of Hammond that from and after the 18th day of July 1914. A.D. all barber shops within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond shall be closed not later than twelve o'clock on Saturday night and remain closed continuously for twenty four hours, during which period of time it shall be unlawful for any proprietor, employe, or any other person to carry on any business in any barber shop.

Section #2. Be it further ordained etc. That whoever shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of an offense and upon conviction in the Mayor's Court shall be fined not less than Fifty Dollars nor more than One Hundred Dollars or be imprisoned for not less than ten days nor more than thirty days or both, at the discretion of the Court.

Section 3. Be it further ordained etc. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed July 10th 1914.

Jno. H. Sterling
Mayor

J. R. Thames Acting Secretary

Ordinance # 14.

An Ordinance requiring all Stores, shops, groceries and all places of public business, except those herein exempted, to be closed on Sundays, and forbidding all giving, trading, bartering or selling on Sundays by the proprietors or employees of such establishments:-

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and board of Commissioners of the City of Hammond, that from and after the 15th day of August, 1914, A. D., all stores, shops, groceries and all places of public business, which are or may be licensed under the laws of the State of Louisiana or the City of Hammond shall be required to close ~~at or before~~ twelve o'clock on Saturday nights, and to remain closed continuously for twenty-four hours, during which period of time it shall be unlawful for the proprietors or employees thereof or any other person, to give, trade, barter, exchange or sell any of the stocks or any article of merchandise kept in any such establishment.

Section # 2. Be it further ordained, etc. that whoever shall violate the provisions of this act, shall for each offense be deemed guilty of an offense, and on trial and conviction shall pay a fine of not less than twenty-five Dollars nor more than one hundred Dollars, or be imprisoned for not less than ten days nor more than thirty days, or both at the discretion of the Court: provided that this act shall not apply to newsdealers, keepers of soda fountains, places of resort for recreation and health, watering places or public parks, nor prevent the sale of ice.

Section #3. Be it further ordained that the provisions of this act shall not apply to newspaper offices, printing offices, book stores, drug store, undertaker shops, public and private fruit and vegetable markets, bakeries, dairies, livery stables, railroad hotels, boarding, warehouse for receiving and forwarding freights, restaurants, telegraph offices and theatres, or any place of amusement provided that this shall not be construed to effect in any wise the ordinances now in effect prohibiting barber shops and butcher shops to remain closed on Sunday.

Section #4. Be it further ordained, etc., that all ordinances or parts of ordinances, contrary or inconsistent with the provisions hereof, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed Aug. 4th 1914.

H. G. Hungate.
Secretary.

J. W. Skinner.
Mayor.

Ordinance #. 13-

An Ordinance to levy collect and enforce the payment of an annual license tax upon all persons, or business firms and corporations pursuing any trade, profession, vocation, calling or business, except those which are expressly excepted from such license tax by Article # 229 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana: and prescribing the mode and method in which certain persons subject to license shall make report of their business.

Section #1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and board of Commissioners of the City of Hammond. That there is hereby levied an annual tax for the year 1914, and for each subsequent year, upon each person association of persons, or business firms and corporations, pursuing any trade: profession, vocation, calling or business subject to licenses under the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana:-

Section #2. Be it further ordained etc. That immediately upon this ordinance becoming effective, the City Tax Collector shall proceed to collect the licenses for the year 1914, and shall collect as fast as possible from each of the persons, business firms, associations of persons and corporations pursuing within the City of Hammond, any trade, profession vokation, calling or business, a license tax as hereinafter given, and shall on the 2nd. day of January of each subsequent year, proceed to collect and collect as fast as possible the said licenses

All licenses for the year 1914 shall be due and collectible during the first ten days after this ordinance takes effect, and for all subsequent years during the first two months and the licenses for 1914 shall become delinquent ten days after this ordinance goes into effect and licenses for subsequent years shall become delinquent on the 1st day of March of each year unless the said business is commenced after March 1st, in which case the licenses shall become delinquent on the tenth day after the starting or opening of said business.

Section #3. Be it further ordained, etc., that the annual licenses for all kinds of trades, professions, vocations, callings or business, shall be fixed and are hereby fixed at the same amount as fixed by the State law, at the time this ordinance becomes effective, for State licenses, and the said licenses shall be graduated in the same manner as they are by the State law at the time this ordinance becomes effective, and the same mode of collection and the same penalties shall apply as provided by the State law.

Section #4. Be it further ordained, etc That all licenses collected under this Ordinance shall be used for Public School purpose.

Section #5 Be it further ordained etc., that all ordinances or parts of ordinance in conflict herewith are hereby repealed: and that this ordinance shall take effect from and after the 15th day of August 1914 A.D.

Passed Aug 4 - 1914.

H. G. Kingate
Secy.

Jno. W. Stevens
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 16

Ordinance No. 16 --- Commission Council Series.

An ordinance to prohibit the appearance on the streets of the City of Hammond, La. after Eight O'clock P. M., of all children under the age of sixteen years unless accompanied by their parent or guardian

I. Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond that it shall be unlawful for any parent, guardian, or other person in authority, to permit any child under their control, under the age of sixteen years, to appear on the streets of the City of Hammond after the hour of Eight o'clock P. M., unless said person accompanies said child.

2. Section 2. Be it further ordained etc., that any person allowing a child under their control to appear on the streets after the hour of eight o'clock P. M., except under the condetions above and hereinafter named, shall be deemed guilty of an offense and, shall upon conviction, be fined not less than one dollar and not more than Twenty-five Dollars, or be imprisoned for not less than one day and not more than ten days, for

both, at the discretion of the Court.

3. Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., that the Chief of Police, or any other municipal police officer, shall take into his charge any child found on the streets after the hour aforenamed, under the age of sixteen years, and return it to its home and ascertain the party or parties responsible and make the proper affidavits.

4. Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., that in case of emergency and where it is impracticable for any person in the household to attend, it shall be lawful for the parent, guardian or other person in charge of any child under the age of sixteen, to send it to any place with a note addressed to the Chief of Police showing the reason for the appearance on the streets of said child.

5. Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Ordinance No. 16 Continued.

6. Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., that this ordinance shall take effect on and after the 20th. day of October, 1914. A.D.

John W. Skinner,
Mayor.

T. R. Thames
Acting Sec'y.

Ordinance No. 17.

Ordinance No. 17.--- Commission Council Series.

An ordinance to accept the benefits of Act 295 of the Acts of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana for the year 1914, entitled an Act to declare and define the conditions upon which foreign Insurance Companies, Corporations or Associations may engage in and carry on business in the State of Louisiana and to provide for the disbursement of the funds arising from compliance with said conditions.

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Section I

Be it further ordained by the Mayor and City Commission of the town of Hammond Parish of Tangipahoa State of Louisiana that the town of Hammond, Louisiana, hereby accepts the benefits embraced therein and in Act 295 of 1914 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, entitled an Act to declare and define the conditions upon which foreign Insurance Companies, Corporations, or Associations may engage in and carry on business in the State of Louisiana, and to provide for the disbursment of the funds arising from compliance with such conditions.

2 Section 2.

Be it further ordained etc That the town treasurer of the town of Hammond, Louisiana, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to recive from the treasurer of the State of Louisiana, such amount as may have been collected by him upon premiums on business done in the town of Hammond, Louisiana, by foreign Insurance Companies Corporations or Associations doing business within the corporate limits of said town and that all moneys so collected shall be set apart and specially dedicated by said town, solely for the creation, maintenance, support, benefit and encouragement of skillful and efficient Fire Department in conformity with the provisions of said Act 295 of 1914 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, whereby it is the purpose of the said Town of Hammond, Louisiana, by this ordinance to accept.

3 Section 3.

Be it further ordained etc. That upon receipt of the said moneys by the town treasurer, from the treasurer, of the State of Louisiana, the town treasurer shall report same to the Mayor, and City Commission of the Town, Hammond, Louisiana, who shall within thirty days

tion same over to the treasurer or other authorized financial representative of the Fire Department of said town of Hammond to be disbursed by said Fire Department solely for the purpose of the creation maintenance support benefit and encouragement of a skillful and efficient Fire Department in said town of Hammond.

4. Section 4.

Be it further ordained etc., That the Clerk of the City Commission of the town of Hammond, Louisiana, shall on or before the 31st. day of October each year make and file with the Secretary of State of Louisiana, his certificate stating the existence in this town of a regular organized Fire Department under the control of the Mayor, City Commission or board of Aldermen, the number of hand, steam or other fire engines, chemical engines, other fire engines, hook and ladder trucks, hose wagons and other apparatus and necessary equipment in actual service for fire duty belonging to said Fire Department, the number of regularly organized fire companies, and the system of water supply in use for said Fire Department together with such improvements as may be required, etc.,

5. Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc.,
That this ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage and adoption by the Mayor and City Commission of said town of Hammond, Louisiana.

6. Section 6. Be it further ordained etc.
That all ordinances or parts of ordinance, in conflict with this ordinance, be, and the same are hereby repealed.
Passed and approved, Oct. 6th. 1914.

John W. Skinner, Mayor of the Town of Hammond, Louisiana do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of an ordinance passed by the Mayor and City Commission on Oct. 6th. 1914.
Witness my official signature this 9th day of Oct. 1914.

John W. Skinner,
Mayor.

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Ordinance No. 18.

Ordinance No. 18— Commission Series

An ordinance to regulate the selling of milk and milk products within the city of Hammond, and to provide penalties for the violation of its provisions:

I Section 1.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that it shall be unlawful for any person, persons or associations of persons or corporation to sell milk or milk products within the City of Hammond without having the cows or herd of cows from which the said milk is taken inspected at least once every year by a competent graduate Veterinarian, who is licensed to practise his profession within the State of Louisiana:

2 Section 2.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commissioner of Public Health and Safety shall issue a notice in writing and cause it to be delivered to any person, persons or associations of persons, or corporation, who he finds have not had had their cows or herd examined as above set forth within a year, and are engaged in selling milk or milk products within the City of Hammond, commanding said person, persons

association of persons or corporation to have their Cow or herd examined as above set forth and present the Certificate of the Veterinarian to the said Commissioner of Public Health and Safety within five days after the receipt of said order, showing the condition of said cow or herd when the examination was made:

3 Section 3.

Be it further ordained, etc, That it shall be the duty of the said person, persons, association of persons or corporation, upon having this inspection made, to present evidence to satisfy the Commissioner of Public Health and Safety by the City of Hammond that all Cattle found to be affected with tuberculosis or any other disease, have been eliminated from the herd and either immediately slaughtered or kept separate and apart from any of the herd from which milk is taken. All this evidence to be presented within five days after the order for inspection is delivered:

4 Section 4

Be it further ordained, etc., That any person, persons, association of persons or corporation, who do not present the proper certificate showing a thorough examination by a Competent Veterinarian, as above set forth and evidence that the affected Cattle have been eliminated within five days

after the receipt of said order, and who continues to sell milk within the City of Hammond after the five days have expired, shall be deemed guilty of an offense and upon conviction in the Municipal Court of the said City of Hammond, shall be subject to a fine of not less than Five Dollars, nor more than Twenty Five, or be imprisoned in the City Jail for not more than thirty days or both, at the discretion of the Court.

5 Section 5.

Be it further ordained, etc., That in case an association of persons or a Corporation violates this ordinance, the active manager at the dairy shall be subject to the above penalties in addition of the Corporation or association of persons as a whole.

6 Section 6.

Be it further ordained, etc., That any milk or milk products found within the limits of the City of Hammond for delivery to customers or to be offered for sale coming from the cattle of persons who have been ordered to have the above provided for inspection made and who have failed to comply with the said order and furnish the evidence required, shall be seized by the Chief of Police or any other person designated by the Commissioner of Public Health and Safety and destroyed.

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Section 7.

Be it further ordained etc., that this ordinance shall be effective from and after Monday December 28, 1914, A. D. and that all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed December 14th 1914.

J. R. Thames.
Commissioner of Finance
and Acting Secretary.

Jno. W. Skinner.
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 19.

Ordinance No. 19 -- Commission Series.

An ordinance ordering a special election for the purpose of submitting to the property tax payers of the City of Hammond the proposition of imposing a special tax of five mills on the dollar valuation on all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond for the years 1915, 1916, and 1917, for the purpose of maintaining the Hammond Schools:

I Section I.

Be it ordained by the commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that a special election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in the said City at the Alpha Theatre on the West side of Cypress Street between Thomas and Morris Avenue, in said City on the 1st day of May 1915, between the hours of 7 a.m. and 5 P.m. as authorized by Act 131 of the Session of the Legislature of 1898 and all Acts amendatory thereto and Article 232 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana as amended in 1913 in strict accordance with the request for said election by petition signed by more than one-fifth of the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond, which petition was presented to the commission council on the 2nd day of

March, 1915 and which said petition is annexed hereto and made part hereof, at which election the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond shall have submitted to them the proposition to impose a special tax of five mills on the dollar valuation on all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond for the year 1915, 1916 and 1917 for the purpose of maintaining the Hammond Schools:

2. Section 2.

Be it further ordained, etc. That said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State in such cases made and provided, and in particular in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 256 of the Session of the Legislature of 1910, approved July 7th, 1910 and acts amendatory thereto, and at the polling place at which the last general election was held:

3. Section 3.

Be it further ordained, etc. That this Ordinance shall be published during at least thirty (30) days preceding said election a notice thereof in the Official Journal of the City of Hammond:

Section 4.

Be it further ordained, etc. That the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be in the following form:

For the Levying of a Tax.

Proposition to levy a tax of 8 mills tax on all property subject to State taxation in the City of Hammond, Louisiana for the period of three years, namely 1915, 1916 and 1917 for the purpose of maintaining the Hammond Schools. Taxable valuation $ ----------

Yes	
No	

(Signature of voter.)

Notice to Voters:

To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon this ballot place a cross (X) mark in the square after the word "Yes"; to vote against it place a similar mark after the word "No."

.....

Said proposition shall be printed on each ballot with squares to the right and also the words "Yes" and "No" respectively.

To vote in favor of the proposition the voter shall place a cross (X) mark in the square after the word "Yes."

To vote against the proposition place a similar mark in the square after the word "No."

There shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter a

certificate showing the amount of each voter's assessment on property within the City according to the assessment roll for the year 1914, which certificate shall be signed by one of the commissioners of election before the ballots shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be endorsed on the ballot, provided the ballots voted by proxy shall have endorsed thereon, the name of the tax voter and her proxy:

5. Section 5.

Be it further ordained, etc. That after said election shall have been held, the City Council of said City shall in open session to be held at the City Hall in said City on the 4th. day of May 1915, at 2 o'clock P. M. proceed to open the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballots in number and amounts, examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of the election, which result they shall thereafter promulgate by publication in one issue of the official Journal of the said City. Said City Council shall keep a proces verbal of the manner in which the ballot boxes have been opened, the returns canvassed, and the result of the election ascertained and shall forward a copy of said proces verbal to the Secretary of State to be recorded in his office; another copy to the Clerk of the District Court to be recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish and the remaining copy to be

retained in the archives of the City.

6. Section 6.

Be it further ordained, etc. That in the event the said proposition shall be voted for by a majority in number and amount of property tax-payers qualified as electors under the Constitution and laws of this State, voting at said election the City Council shall levy impose and collect annually for the years 1915, 1916 and 1917, five mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property subject to taxation for the purpose herein stated.

8. Section 8.

Be it further ordained, etc. That this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Passed March 25th. 1915.

John W. Skinner,
Mayor.

H. G. Hungate
Secretary.

Petition

To the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana.

We, the undersigned property tax-payers and legally qualified voters, respectfully petition your honorable body to call a special election to vote on the proposition of imposing a special tax of five mills on the dollar valuation on all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond for the years 1915, 1916 and 1917, for the purpose of maintaining the Hammond Schools:

Robt. M. Mc. Gehee
Jno. W. Skinner
Geo. F. Smith
O. W. Ott
J. H. Tinsley
E. Richardson
Harry M. Herbert
R. Lillie
Fred. F. Hanson
B. H. Brooks
W. E. Libby
Jos. W. Robinson
C. C. Carr
R. E. Carr
L. M. Carr
J. P. Kinney
G. W. Crook
W. C. Bourey
C. H. Miller
T. L. Morton
C. C. Carter
S. W. Boos
Oscar Donaldson
Dr. Lucius Mc. Gehee
S. A. Anstead
L. L. Stroon
T. R. Thames
S. T. Hill
Chas. S. Rolling
John A. Ross
A. R. Carter, M.D.
Howard Saint
John Morgan
S. C. Randall
A. A. Graham
Robt. Steinbock
G. A. Foy
T. L. Smythe
Mrs. E. B. Gervais
A. E. Tolle
M. Seib
E. E. June

A. J. Caldwell

D. W. Wolff Jno. C. Corbin

Annie Eastman R. M. Eastman

Per Annie Eastman

E. Bowring C. E. Norman

Als Jackson D. E. Barnard

F. B. Thomas.

Ordinance No 20. Commission Series.

An ordinance ordering a special election for the purpose of submitting to the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond Propositions to incur indebtedness to the amount of Forty Thousand ($40,000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of laying and constructing a sewerage system, to issue bonds therefor, and to levy a special tax to provide for the payment of the principal and interest of said indebtedness:

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that a special election be, and the same is hereby ordered to be held in the said City at the Alpha theatre on the west side of Cypress Street, between Thomas Street and Morris Avenue, in said city on the 25th day of May, 1915, A.D., between the hours of 7 A.M. and 5 P.M., as authorized by Article 281 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana as adopted in the year 1913, and under the provisions of Act 256 of the session of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana of 1910, and all acts amendatory thereof, at which election the property tax payers of the city of Hammond, legally qualified to vote at such election, shall have submitted to them propositions to incur indebtedness to the aggregate amount of forty Thousand ($40,000.00) no/100 Dollars; to issue negotiable bonds therefor and to levy a special tax to provide for the

principal and interest of said debt, for the purpose of laying and constructing a sewerage system in the said City of Hammond.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc. That the negotiable bonds to be issued pursuant to the said submission to represent said indebtedness, shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable Semi-annually on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each year, to be represented by interest coupons. Said bonds shall be of the denomination of Five Hundred & no/100 Dollars each, and numbered from "One" upwards, and shall be payable to bearer. The said bonds shall run for a period of forty (40) years from the date of the issuance thereof, provided however, that the council of the said City shall fix a certain time at which the said bonds shall begin to mature, which shall not be longer than five (5) years from the date of said bonds, and the said bonds shall thereafter mature in annual installments so that when the annual interest is added thereto, the total amount to be paid, including the principal and interest each year, shall be as near equal as practicable. To secure the payment of the principal and interest of the said bonds, there shall be imposed, levied and collected annually in excess of all other taxes, a tax sufficient to pay the interest semi annually and the principal falling due each year, or such amount as may

be required for a Sinking Fund necessary to retire the said bonds at maturity, provided however, that the said tax, together with all other taxes for the payment of the indebtedness incurred pursuant to the provisions of Article 281 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, shall not in any year exceed ten mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property in said City.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State in such cases made and provided, and in particular in accordance with the provisions of Act 256 of the session of the Legislature of the year 1910, approved July 7th 1910, and acts amendatory thereof, and at the polling places at which the last general election was held.

Section 4. Be it further ordained etc., That this ordinance shall be published during at least thirty (30) days preceding said election as notice thereof, in the official Journal of the City of Hammond.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That the ballots to be used at the said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be on the following form:

FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS

Proposition to incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Forty Thousand & no/100 Dollars to run Forty (40) years, and payable within that term and at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the City Council, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of	Yes	
laying and constructing a sewerage system in the City of Hammond, and to levy a special tax for the payment thereof.	No	

Taxable Valuation $ _____

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Signature of voter.

NOTICE TO VOTERS: To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon this ballot place a cross (X) mark in the square after the word "yes"; to vote against it, place a similar mark after the word "no."

Said proposition shall be printed on each ballot with squares at the right and also the words "Yes" and "No", respectively. To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon the ballot, the voter shall place a cross (X) mark in the square after the word "yes". To vote against the proposition place a similar mark after the word "No". This shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter

each voter's assessment on property within the City of Hammond according to the assessment roll for the year 1914, which certificate shall be signed by one of the Commissioners of said election, before the ballot shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be endorsed on the ballot, provided the ballot voted by proxy shall have endorsed thereon the name of the tax voter and her proxy.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That after said election shall have been held, the Commission Council of the said City shall, in open session to be held in the City Hall in said City on the 22d day of May, 1915, at 2 O'clock P. M., proceed to open the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballots in number and amounts; examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of the election, which result they shall thereafter promulgate by publication in one issue of the official Journal of said City. Said Commission Council shall keep a process verbal of the manner in which the ballot boxes have been opened, the returns canvassed, and the result of the election ascertained, and shall forward a copy of the said process verbal to the Secretary of State to be recorded in his office, another copy to the Clerk of the District Court to be recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Tangipahoa, and the remaining copy to be retained in the archives of the City.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That in the event the said proposition shall be voted by a majority in number and amount of the property tax-payers qualified as electors under the Constitution and laws of this State, voting at said election, the Commission Council of said City of Hammond shall pass such ordinances as shall be necessary to provide for the issuance of said bonds, for the signatures and authentication thereof, and for the sale and disposal thereof, which ordinance shall provide that each year while any of the said bonds are outstanding, the City shall levy, impose and collect, annually in each of said years, in excess of all other taxes, a tax sufficient to pay the interest semi annually and the principal falling due each year, or such amount as may be required for a sinking fund necessary to retire said bonds at maturity, provided this special tax, together with all other special taxes heretofore authorized to be levied for the payment of the principal and interest of any debt incurred pursuant to the provisions of Article 281 of the Constitution of Louisiana shall not in any year exceed ten mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property of the said City.

Section 8. Be it further ordained etc.; That this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Passed April 6th 1915

Jno. L. Stewart
Mayor

H G Kingate

Ordinance No. 21.
Ordinance No. 17 -- Commission Council Series.

An ordinance to provide for the payment by the City of Hammond out of the general fund of all expenses in maintaining the scavenger system outside the sewrage district

I Section I.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond that from and after the assessment of a special tax for the purpose of a sewrage system in the City of Hammond, the City of Hammond shall pay out of the general fund all expenses incident to maintaining the scavenger system outside the district reached by the sewrage system, and the service shall be furnished the residents so situated free of charge.

2. Section 2:

Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Jno. W. Skinner,
Mayor.
T. R. Thames,
Acting Secretary.

Passed May 12, 1915.

Ordinance No. 22.
Commission Series.

An ordinance to provide for the organization of a paid Fire Department for the City of Hammond and to provide for the equipment therefor and for the compensation of its members:

I Section 1.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City Hammond; That there shall be organized in the City of Hammond a paid fire department to be known as "Hammond Fire Department", and that the same shall be under the control of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

2. Section 2.

Be it further ordained, etc.; That the said Hammond Fire Department shall be composed of a "Chief," Three paid firemen to be continually on duty at the Fire Department house, and at least twenty members exclusive of the Chief and three paid firemen:

3. Section 3.

Be it further ordained, etc.; That the compensation of the Chief and the paid firemen is hereby fixed at Ten-Dollars per month for the Chief and Forty Dollars per month each for the three

paid firmen and all members shall receive as their compensation the exemption from a per capita street tax now imposed:

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4. Section 4

Be it further ordained, etc; That any member failing to respond promptly to the fire alarm shall be subject to a fine to be imposed by the Chief of not less than Twenty-five cents and not more than One Dollar, at the discretion of the Chief; Provided however, that if an excuse is promptly furnished satisfactory to the Chief the fine may not be imposed:

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5. Section 5.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the department herein provided for shall be the only official fire department of the City of Hammond and it is hereby given complete control of all fire fighting equipment purchased by the City of Hammond, donated by the public or acquired in any manner by volunteer organizations or otherwise, which has heretofore been in use as fire fighting equipment of the City of Hammond, or which may be hereinafter donated or purchased:

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6. Section 6.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the department herein provided for shall have exclusive control of the Fire Alarm system now in use in the City of Hammond, and any one not authorized by the Chief of this department, tampering with any part of the equipment of the said alarm system shall be subject to the penalty hereinafter provided: Provided however that this shall not be construed to mean that any person shall be deprived of the right to turn in an alarm from any box in case of fire:

7. Section 7.

Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, firm or organization of any kind to cause to be published or publish any list of the number or location of fire alarm boxes without first obtaining the written permission of the Chief of this department:

8. Section 8.

Be it further ordained, etc., That any person tampering with or in any wise using fire hydrants belonging to the City of Hammond without the permission of the Chief of this department or the Common Council shall be subject to the penalty hereinafter provided:

9. Section 9.

Be it further ordained, etc., That any person, persons, firm, corporation or organization, in any way interfering with the workings of this Department or attempting to obtain or keep possession of any articles of fire fighting apparatus herein provided to be under the control of this department shall be deemed guilty of an offense and be subject to the penalties hereinafter provided:

10 Section 10.

Be it further ordained, etc., That any person having in his possession any part of the equipment herein provided to be under the control of the Hammond Fire Department shall immediately surrender the same when so requested in writing by the Chief herein provided for and any person refusing or neglecting to comply with the said request shall be deemed guilty of an offense and subject to the penalties hereinafter provided:

11 Section 11.

Be it further ordained, etc.; That any person violating any of the terms of this ordinance except Section 4, shall be deemed guilty of an offense and shall upon trial and conviction by the mayor be subject to a fine of not less than Five Dollars,

and not more than One Hundred Dollars, or imprisonment in the City jail for a period of not less than twenty-four hours and not more than thirty days, or both, at the discretion of the Mayor.

12. Section 12.

Be it further ordained, etc.; That the Chief of this department is hereby made and constituted a special officer with authority to make arrests when any person interfering or attempting to interfere with this department in any way, and he shall forthwith deliver to the Chief of Police of the City of Hannibal any person so arrested whose duty it shall be to make the charge and see to the taking before the Mayor for trial of the said person arrested:

13. Section 13.

Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed:

14. Section 14.

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall take effect immediately because of the fact that it is necessary for the preservation of the public safety on account of the chaotic state of the department in whose

hands the fire fighting
has heretofore been and the
failure of the said depart-
ment to respond promptly at
the last fire which occurred
in the said City.

Passed July 13th. 1915.
Attest:
F. G. Mungate
Secretary.

Jno. H. Skinner
Commissioner of Public
Health & Safety.
T. R. Thanks
Commissioner of Finance.
Geo. F. Smyth
Commissioner of Streets &
Parks.

Ordinance No. 24, Commission Series.

An ordinance providing for the establishment of a Municipal swimming pool in the City of Hammond, authorizing the entering into of a contract for the digging and finishing of such a pool and the necessary accessories thereto, and pledging certain revenues for the payment of the certificates of indebtedness to be issued in payment thereof.

I. Section 1.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond: That there shall be established, dug and erected, in the City of Hammond, Louisiana, a Municipal Swimming Pool and the necessary buildings and accessories, costing not to exceed the sum of ——— Six Thousand Dollars:

2. Section 2.

Be it further ordained, etc, That the Commission Council, by a majority of its members, are hereby authorized, empowered and commanded to enter into a contract with some responsible person, firm or corporation for the digging, establishment, erection and completion of said pool and proper buildings and accessories

3. Section 3.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commissioner of Finance immediately upon this ordinance becoming effective, shall obtain plans and estimates from a responsible engineer and advertise for bids for the digging, establishment, erection and completion of the said pool, buildings and accessories in accordance with specifications.

4. Section 4.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commission Council shall after receiving bids, meet and enter into a contract with the most satisfactory bidder for the digging, establishment, erection and completion of the said pool, necessary buildings and accessories, provided however, that the Commission Council shall have authority to reject all bids and readvertise, should they find that no bid received is satisfactory.

5. Section 5.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commission Council shall contract for and buy, or accept by donation, a suitable plack for the establishment of the said swimming pool, buildings, etc., any part which it is necessary to purchase being paid with certificates of indebtedness hereinafter

provided for:

6. Section 6.

Be it further ordained, etc, That the Commission Council is hereby authorized to issue certificates of indebtedness in payment of the contract price for the digging, establishment, erection and completion of the said pool, necessary buildings, and accessories, and in payment of the purchase price of any property it is necessary to purchase for this purpose, payable in equal installments each year during the years, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920 and 1921, which said certificates are to bear five per cent. per annum interest from date issued until paid, interest payable annually, and which said certificates shall be for not over Three Hundred Dollars each exclusive of interest, and shall be in the following form:

Certificate No.____ Hammond, La____, 191

This is to certify that the City of Hammond is justly and truly indebted unto ____ in the sum of ____ Dollars which amount the said city promises to pay to the order of the said ____, on ____, 19--, with interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum thereon, payable annually. Principal and interest payable at ____

This certificate is secured by pledge of enough of the general revenues

of the City of Hammond for the year in which it is due in accordance with the provisions of Act 32 of the General Assembly of 1902 and acts amendatory thereof.

John W. Skinner
Commissioner of Public Health & Safety.
T. R. Thanes,
Commissioner of Finance.
Geo. F. Smith
Commissioner of Streets & Parks.

Attest:
H. G. Hungate
Secretary.

7. Section 7.

Be it further ordained, etc.,
That there is hereby pledged for the payment of the said certificates of indebtedness, enough of the general revenues of the City of Hammond to pay each certificate on the date it is made due during the years 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920 and 1921.

8. Section 8.

Be it further ordained, etc.,
That the Commissioner Council is hereby authorized to do all acts necessary to effectively establish, maintain and control the said swimming pool, buildings and accessories.

9. Section 9.

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall remain on file in the office of the Secretary of the Commission Council for one full week from the time it is published in the official Journal of the City of Hammond and shall then be presented for final passage.

10. Section 10.

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall become effective from and after its promulgation after final passage.

11. Section 11.

Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Attest
H. G. Hungate
Secretary.

Jno. M. Skinner
Commissioner of Public Health & Safety.
T. R. Thames
Commissioner of Finance
Geo. F. Smith
Commissioner of Parks & Streets.

Passed in open session on the 5th day of August 1915.
Notice published in the Louisianan Sun in the issue of ----------, 1915.
Finally passed in open session ---------- of ---------- 1915.

Ordinance No. 25
Commission Series.

An ordinance providing for the erection of a municipal jail in the City of Hammond, authorizing the entering into of a contract for the erection and equipment of such a jail, and pledging certain revenues for the payment of the certificates of indebtedness to be issued in payment thereof.

Section 1

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

That there shall be erected and properly equipped in the City of Hammond, Louisiana a municipal jail costing not to exceed the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, and constructed of fire proof material:

Section 2.

Be it further ordained, etc.

That the Commission Council, by a majority of its members, are hereby authorized empowered and commanded to enter into a contract with some responsible person, firm or corporation for the erection, equipment and completion of said jail in accordance with specifications:

3. Section 3.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commissioner of Finance, immediately upon this ordinance becoming effective, shall obtain plans and specifications and estimates from a responsible engineer and advertise for bids for the erection, equipment and completion of the said jail;

4. Section 4.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commission Council shall, after receiving bids, meet and enter into a contract with the most satisfactory bidder for the erection, equipment and completion of the said jail, provided however, that the Commission Council shall have authority to reject all bids and readvertise, should they find that no bid is satisfactory.

5. Section 5.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commission Council is hereby authorized to issue certificates of indebtedness in payment of the contract price for the erection, equipment and completion of the said jail, payable out of the General revenues of the year 1916, which said certificates are to bear five per cent. per annum interest from date issued until paid, and which said certificates shall be in the following form:

Certificate No. ---- Hammond, La., ----, 191-

This is to certify that the City of Hammond is justly and truly indebted unto ---------- in the sum of ----------

Dollars, which amount the said City promises to pay to the order of the said ---------, on ---------, 191--, with interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum thereon. Principal and interest payable at ---------- This certificate is secured by pledge of enough of the general revenues of the City of Hammond, for the year 1916, in accordance with Act 32 of the General Assembly of 1902, and acts amendatory thereof.

John W. Skinner,
Commissioner of Public Health & Safety.
T. R. Thames
Commissioner of Finance,
Geo. F. Shields
Commissioner of Parks & Streets.

Attest:
H. G. Hungate,
Secretary.

6. Section 6.

Be it further ordained, etc., That there is hereby pledged for the payment of the said certificates of indebtedness, enough of the general revenues of the City of Hammond for the year 1916 to pay said certificates and the interest thereon.

7. Section 7.

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall remain on file in the office of the secretary of the Commission Council for the full week from

the time it is published in the official journal of the City of Hammond and shall thereafter be presented for final passage.

8. Section 8.

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall become effective from and after its promulgation after final passage.

9. Section 9.

Be it further ordained, etc. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Attest:
H. G. Hungate,
Secretary.

Jno. M. Skinner,
Commissioner of Public Health and Safety.
T. R. Thames,
Commissioner of Finance.
Geo. F. Smith,
Commissioner of Parks and Streets.

Passed in open session on the 5th day of August, 1915.
Notice published in the Louisiana Sun in the issue of ----------, 1915.
Finally passed in open session ----------, 1915.

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Ordinance No. 26.
Commission Series.

An ordinance providing for the entering into a contract with the Hammond, Ice, Light, and Bottling company Limited, for the furnishing of City Lights and power for a term of five years, and to authorize the Mayor to sign and execute same and to provide for the payment of the amounts due each year under said contract:

I. Section 1.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond,

That the Mayor, John M. Skinner, is hereby authorized empowered and commanded to sign a contract with the Hammond Ice, Light and Bottling company, Limited, in accordance with their proposition to the City of Hammond made on August 3d, 1915- providing for the furnishing of City lights and fixing a rate for commercial lighting:

2. Section 2.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Mayor shall have full authority to attend to any details of the said contract and it shall be complete in the form it is finally signed and shall run for a term of five years from August 1st, 1915, and shall be

substantially in accordance with the proposition submitted by the Hammond Ice, Light and Bottling company, Ltd., at the regular meeting of the commission council of August 3d, 1915, and accepted at said meeting.

3. Section 3.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the amount due by the City of Hammond for each year's lighting and power shall be payable out of the general revenues of the City of Hammond for that year, and when the collection of taxes begins the Hammond Ice, Light and Bottling company, Ltd. shall be paid at each regular meeting of the commission council the proportion of the collections made up to that date which the amount of their bill bears to the revenue for general purposes for said year and so much of the general revenues of the City of Hammond is hereby irrevocably dedicated to the payment of the said bills during the term of the said contract.

4. Section 4.

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall be published in the official journal of the City of Hammond, as notice to the public and shall remain in the office of the Secretary of the Commission Council for

seven days after publication for public inspection, and shall then be presented for final passage.

5. Section 5.

5. Be it further ordained etc., That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance shall be effective from and after its promulgation after final passage.

Jno. W. Skinner,
Mayor and Commissioner of Public Health & Safety.
Geo. F. Smith
Commissioner of Streets and Parks.
T. R. Thames
Commissioner of Finance.

Attest:
H. G. Hungate
Secretary.

Passed August 5th. 1915.
Notice published in issue of Louisiana Sun - August 6th. 1915.
Finally passed August 17th. 1915.

Repealed

Ordinance No. 23.
Commission Series.

An ordinance providing for the establishment of a Municipal Electric Lighting system in the City of Hammond, authorizing the entering into a contract for the erection and establishment of such a plant and system, and pledging certain revenue for the payment of the certificates of indebtedness to be issued in payment thereof.

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Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond; That there shall be established and erected in the City of Hammond, Louisiana, in accordance with the authority given by Act 248 of the General Assembly of 1912 and the acts amendatory thereof, a municipal electric lighting plant and system costing not to exceed the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars:

2. Section 2.

Be it further ordained etc, That the Commission Council by a majority of its members, are hereby authorized, empowered and commanded to enter into a contract with some responsible person, firm or corporation for the establishment, erection and completion

of said Electric Lighting and system.

3. Section 3.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commissioner of Finance, immediately upon this ordinance becoming effective shall obtain plans and estimates from a responsible engineer and advertise for bids for the erection of the entire plant and system in accordance with specifications.

4. Section 4.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commission Council shall, after receiving bids, meet and enter into a contract with the most satisfactory bidder for the erection and completion of the said Electric Lighting System, provided however that the commission council shall have authority to reject all bids and readvertise should they find that no bid received is satisfactory.

5. Section 5.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commission Council is hereby authorized to issue certificates of indebtedness in payment of the contract price for the erection and completion of the said system, payable in equal installments each year, during the years 1918. 1919. 1920. 1921. 1922. and 1923, which said certificates are to bear interest not to

exceed five per cent. per annum from date issued until paid, interest payable annually and which said certificates shall be for not over Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars each, exclusive of interest and shall be in the following form:

Certificate No. _____

Hammond, La. _____, 191_

This is to certify that the City of Hammond is justly and truly indebted unto _____ in the sum of _____ Dollars which amount the city promises to pay to the order of the said, _____ on _____, 19__. with interest at the rate of ___ per cent. per annum thereon, payable annually. Principal and interest payable at _____

This certificate is secured by pledge of enough of the general revenues of the City of Hammond and of the Municipal Electric Lighting Plant in accordance with Ordinance No. 23, Commission Series, passed on July 19, 1915 and finally passed on _____, 1915 under the provisions of Act 248 of the General Assembly of 1912 and acts amendatory thereof.

Attest:

_____ Secretary

_____ Commissioner of Public Health & Safety.

_____ Commissioner of Finance

_____ Commissioner of Parks & Streets

6. Section 6.

Be it further ordained, etc., That there is hereby pledged for the payment of said certificates of indebtedness, enough of the general revenues of the City of Hammond and the revenues ~~of the City of Hammond~~ derived from the said Municipal Electric Lighting plant and system to pay each certificate on the date it is made due during the years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923.

7. Section 7.

Be it further ordained etc., That the Commission Council by a majority of its members is hereby authorized to fix rates at which power shall be furnished and make all necessary regulations in regard to said system and the proper maintenance and proper management of said system.

8. Section 8.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the use of the public streets and alleys in the City of Hammond for the erection of proper poles, wires, etc., is hereby granted to the City of Hammond for the purpose of carrying out the objects of this ordinance, provided however, that this privilege is not exclusive and shall not interfere with any prior or future grant of the same or similar privileges.

9. Section 9.

Be it further ordained, etc., That provision for the maintenance of the said system, plant, etc., shall be made by the Commission Council out of the general revenues of the City and the revenues derived from the said system as they find it necessary.

10. Section 10.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Commission Council is hereby authorized to do all acts necessary to effectively establish and maintain the Electric Lighting System as authorized and contemplated by Act 248 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana of 1912, and all acts amendatory thereof.

11. Section 11.

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall remain on file in the office of the Secretary of the Commission Council for one full week from the time it is published in the official journal of the City of Hammond and shall then be presented for final passage.

12. Section 12

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall become effective from and after its promulgation after final passage.

13. Section 15.

Be it further ordained, etc., that all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Attest
H. G. Hungate,
Secretary.

John W. Skinner
Commissioner of
Public Health & Safety.
T. R. Thames,
Commissioner of
Finance
Geo. F. Smith,
Commissioner of
Parks & Streets.

Passed in open session on the 19th day of July 1915.
Notice fulfilled in the Louisiana Sun in the issue of ---------, 1915.
Finally passed in open session ---------, 1915.

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ORDINANCE NO. 27, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance to regulate the storage of hay and lime within the fire limits of the City of Hammond.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to store within the fire limits in the said city any hay exceeding five bales and lime exceeding one barrel, without first obtaining a permit from the Chief of the Fire Department, whose duty it shall be to investigate the surroundings and issue the certificate if in his judgment it is proper.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of Five Dollars for each day they fail to comply with it.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its promulgation.

Passed September 27, 1915.

JOHN W. SKINNER, Mayor.

H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

(Seal).

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ORDINANCE NO. 28, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance regulating the storage, sale and use of gasoline, benzine and naptha in the City of Hammond.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, That for the purpose of regulating the storage, sale and use of naptha, benzine and gasoline within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond the following is hereby ordained:

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That no person, firm or corporation, without first obtaining a permit from the Chief of the Fire Department, shall within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond have, store, keep, manufacture, use or sell gasoline, benzine or naptha except as hereinafter provided, and then only if kept in self-closing metal cans made for the purpose and free from leak; provided, however, one gallon or less may be kept within a building without obtaining a permit therefor and provided further, no can shall be filled inside the building.

Application for a permit shall be made to the Chief of the Fire Department in writing and shall state the location of the building and the quantity of benzine, gasoline or naptha it is desired to keep on storage or sale; provided, however, no provision in this ordinance is intended to prohibit the carrying of gasoline in the storage tanks of automobiles or other gasoline-driven vehicles.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That no permit shall be issued for the storage or keeping for sale or use of gasoline, benzine or naptha exceeding ten gallons in quantity, save in underground (buried in the ground) metal tanks. Approved by the National Board of Fire Underwriters and drawn from same by pumps approved by the National Board of Underwriters. Said tanks shall be buried at least two feet under ground and no tank capable of holding more than one hundred and sixty gallons shall be permitted within ten feet of building; but any such tank containing less than 160 gallons, if properly buried, may be located within ten feet of building; but no dealer shall sell or deliver any quantity of gasoline, benizne or naptha to any customer, except in metalic cans, with appliances for automatically closing the aperture when such cans are not being used for filling or emptying, or through hose connection; and provided further, that no dealer shall draw any quantity of gasoline, benzine or naptha for sale or otherwise after dark, or in the day time when artificial light, other than incandescent electric, is being used.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That not exceeding ten gallons may be kept outside the building and less than thirty feet therefrom, provided same be kept in closed metal can or other vessels free from leak. Not exceeding one gallon may be kept in the building without a permit therefor, provided that same is contained in approved self-closing cans made for the purpose, except that in case a drug, hardware or paint and oil stores only not exceeding ten gallons may be kept in approved self-closing metal cans or other vessels made for the purpose and free of leak.

In furniture factories, wood-workers, spring bed factories and similar concerns using dipping tanks, not exceeding twenty gallons of gasoline, benzine or naptha may be used in the solution. In stove factories not exceeding five gallons mixed in stove polish, and in finishing rooms not exceeding ten gallons may be kept mixed with filler or other solution without a permit therefor. Mixing to be done outside of the building.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That where the system known as gasoline vapor gas light is used in any building, the tanks and reservoirs used in connection therewith shall be located outside of and three feet from any opening into such building and shall be boxed or inclosed under lock and key and below the level of the lowest pipe in the building used in connection with such lighting apparatus. And it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell or install any system or device for lighting by gasoline which has not been tested and listed as permitted by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, and such installation shall conform in every respect to the rules of said National Board which rules are hereby adopted, and shall have full force as if set forth in this ordinance.

All installations of this character shall be subject to the inspection of the Chief of the Fire Department and it shall be unlawful to install any such system without first obtaining a permit therefor from him or to use such a system until the inspection shall have been made and permission granted for the use of same by the said Fire Chief.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That all persons, firms or corporations failing to comply with or violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined not more than Twenty-five Dollars, for each and every said person, firm or corporation, for each and every day said person, firm or corporation shall offend.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, and this ordinance shall be effective from and after its promulgation.

Adopted September 27, 1915.

JOHN W. SKINNER, Mayor.

H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 29, COMMISSION SERIES.

Copy

An ordinance to provide for the creation of the office of City Electrician; to define his duties, and to govern the construction and installation of all electrical wires, material and apparatus for heat, light, power or other purposes in the City of Hammond.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond; That no electrical work for light, heat or power shall be done in or any building or structure within the corporate limits, unless said work be done in accordance with the rules and requirements of the National Board of Fire Underwriters as published under the title of the National Electric Code. All electrical devices, fittings or materials used shall be of those approved by the National Board of Fire Underwriters and listed in the list of electrical fittings, as issued by the Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. Said National code and said list of electrical fittings as they now exist and as they may in future be amended are hereby adopted and made a part of this ordinance.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be the duty of the City Electrician to inspect all electrical work hereafter done within the corporate limits for lighting, power or heating, and cause to be corrected any deviation from the requirements of this ordinance and to issue approval in writing when said requirements are found to be satisfied. He shall keep proper and permanent record of all electrical work inspected and make annual report to the Commissioner of Public Health and Safety.

He is hereby empowered to cut out the current from any electrical equipment, which by reason of deviation from the requirements of this ordinance is dangerous to life or property, and to prevent the connection to the supply mains of any installation unsafe for the use intended.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to begin any new electrical work or any repairs, alteration or extension of any existing electrical work or any repairs on any building or structure within the corporate limits, without first making a written application to the inspector describing such work and requesting inspection thereof.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That no person or persons repairing or altering buildings, putting up signs, doing plumbing work, painting or any other construction or decoration work whatsoever, shall break, cut, disarrange or interfere in any manner with any electric wires or apparatus whatsoever inside or outside of any building, without due notice to the city electrician.

The city electrician shall then direct that the necessary alterations and the electrical wiring be done in conformance to this ordinance, and shall inspect the work before same is covered.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That to cover the expense of the inspection work as required by this ordinance, fees shall be charged as follows: Fifty cents for each necessary inspection, which said fees shall be retained by the city electrician as his compensation for the said inspections.

Section 6. Be it further ordained etc., That any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined not more than Fifty Dollars or imprisoned not more than thirty days, or both at the discretion of the court.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed September 27, 1915.

JOHN W. SKINNER, Mayor.

H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

(Seal).

ORDINANCE NO. 30, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance to provide for the creation of the office of Inspector of Buildings; to define his duties, etc.; to provide rules for the construction of buildings; to provide for "fire limits"; to provide for flues and other safety regulations within the fire limits, and to provide for the manner of enforcing said ordinance and for the punishment for the violation thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond that the Commissioner of Public Health and Safety shall be ex-officio Inspector of Buildings.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., (a) That the City of Hammond shall be divided into three fire districts, to be known as follows: The first, or close district; the second, or outer district, and the third, or residence district. The term "fire limits," as used in this ordinance shall be construed to apply only to the first, or close district.

(b) The first, or close district, shall be and include that part of the said city within the following limits: Commencing at northeast corner of Hanson avenue and Oak street, thence north on Oak street to southeast corner of Oak street and Robert avenue, thence east along Robert avenue to southwest corner of Robert avenue and Cypress street, thence south along Cypress street to southwest corner of Cypress street and Charles avenue, thence east along Charles avenue to southwest corner of Charles avenue and Holly street, thence south along Holly street to northwest corner of Morris avenue and Holly street, thence west along Morris avenue to northwest corner of Morris avenue and Cherry street, thence south along Cherry street to northwest corner of Hanson avenue and Cherry street, thence west along Hanson avenue to place of beginning.

(c) The second, or outer district, shall embrace an area of three hundred feet greater or larger at all points than is marked by the lines defining the confines of the first or close district.

(d) The third, or residence district, shall include all that part of the city not embraced within the first and second districts.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That when any person shall be desirous of erecting, repairing, changing or altering any building, buildings or structure within the limits of the City of Hammond, he shall make application at the office of Inspector of Buildings for permit for that purpose, and shall furnish said Inspector with a written statement of the proposed location, dimensions, and manner of construction of the proposed building, buildings or structure, and the materials to be used, with plans and specifications of the proposed building, buildings or structure, which shall be delivered to said building inspector and remain in his custody a sufficient length of time to allow the necessary examination to be made of the same, and, if required by the said inspector, a copy of said plans and specifications shall be filed in the office of said inspector of buildings. After which, if it shall appear to said inspector that the laws and ordinances of the city are complied with, he shall give the permit asked for. Blank forms for the detailed statement as herein required, may be obtained at the office of inspector of buildings for applicants to fill out, describing location of the proposed structure, number and heighth of stories, dimensions of joists and timbers and distance apart, dimensions of supporting iron work (if any), for what purpose the building, buildings or structure is designed and such other information applicable to the proposed improvement, which statement, so properly filled out, the owner or owners, or his or their architect or agent, shall sign the agreement contained in said detailed statement, that he or they will in all respects construct the work in accordance with such detailed statement, plans and specifications, and in compliance with the laws and ordinances of the City of Hammond, and it shall not be lawful to proceed to construct, alter or repair any building, buildings or structure within the limits of the said City of Hammond without such permit.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That the said inspector of buildings shall keep an office in the city hall, or such other place as shall be provided by the City Council, where it shall be the duty of the said inspector to keep a record of all permits issued, which shall be regularly numbered in the order of their issue, and also a record of the statement upon which the permits are issued. He shall also keep a record of, and report to the City Council on the first day of December of each year, a full and complete register of the number, description and size, of every building erected in the city during that year, of what material constructed, with the aggregate of the number, kind and cost of all buildings. And it is also made the duty of said inspector, upon being served with a notice requiring him to visit and inspect any building in process of erection or construction, to do so; and if said inspector shall fail or neglect to attend within twenty-four hours after notice served for that purpose, he shall forfeit and pay the sum of Ten Dollars for such and every day he shall so fail or neglect to attend beyond twenty-four hours, which penalty shall be recovered by action in the name of the City of Hammond for the use of the owners, contractor or contractors of said building.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be the duty of every inspector appointed under the provisions of this ordinance to visit and inspect each or any house or houses, building or buildings, which may be in the course of erection, construction or alteration, within the limits of the city, and to see that each house or houses, building or buildings, are being erected, constructed or altered according to the provisions of this ordinance, and all acts and ordinances in force in said city, and the manner adopted for the security thereof against fires and the safety of the occupants; that the materials used are suitable for the purpose and that the work is done in a substantial and workmanlike manner, and is of sufficient strength and solidity to answer the purpose for which it is designed; and before the foundations are laid, he shall examine the trenches dug for the same, and be fully satisfied that the soil or substratum is sufficient for the structure, or at least the best that can be obtained. And should the nature of the soil be such, and the work of sufficient magnitude as to require piling, the same should be used, provided, that if it be deemed necessary by said inspector, his visits and inspections shall be repeated from time to time during the erection, construction or alterations of such house or houses, building or buildings, until the walls shall have been completed and the same inclosed, when his duties shall terminate. He shall on application for that purpose, furnish the owner or owners, contractor or contractors, his certificate that said house or building is in all respects conformable to law and properly constructed.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to erect, construct or build, or cause to be erected, constructed or built, any brick, iron, granite, marble or stone house or building, or any house or building composed partly of brick, iron, granite, or stone, or alter any such building so as to make it substantially a new building, unless the same shall have been inspected from time to time by the inspector of buildings, and a certificate furnished by him that the said house or building is properly constructed and in all respects safe and secure; and should said inspector award such certificate to any person or persons, firm or corporation, for any house or building not constructed according to the provisions of this ordinance, the bond given by said inspector shall be liable for all injury and damage caused innocent parties by his giving such certificate.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That no person or persons, firm or corporation shall erect or cause to be erected, within the fire limits of the City of Hammond as now established by ordinance or which may hereafter be established by ordinance, any building or structure, or addition to any building or structure, the outer walls of which are not composed entirely of brick, stone, mortar or other incombustible material. Every building or structure erected as aforesaid shall be covered or roofed with slate, zinc, tin, copper, iron or other equally fireproof roofing, and if any building within the limits aforesaid shall be destroyed to the extent of one-half thereof, it shall be unlawful to rebuild the same unless the walls and weather covering of roof of the portion rebuilt shall be composed entirely of incombustible material. Any person, persons or firm or corporation, who shall violate any of the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay the sum of Twenty Dollars and the further sum of Ten Dollars for each day the same shall be permitted to remain without being made to conform to the laws and ordinances of the city; such building shall be a public nuisance.

Section 8. Be it further ordained, etc., That whenever any frame building within the fire limits shall have become damaged by fire or decay, the extent of which, in the judgment of the inspector of buildings, exceeds fifty per cent of the value of such building, such building shall be condemned by the inspector of buildings, and it shall be unlawful as aforesaid to repair the same. If such owner of the building objects to the conclusion arrived at by said inspector, the inspector of buildings shall notify the Chief of the Fire Department and the Commissioner of Public Parks and Streets, and they shall make an examination of the building, and make a report to the inspector as to the amount of damages and he shall act upon the report of the said arbitrators.

Section 9. Be it further ordained, etc., That the height for stories for all given thickness of walls must not exceed 11 feet in the clear for basement, 18 feet in the clear for the first story, 15 feet in the clear for second story, 13 feet in the clear for the third story, 12 feet in the clear for the fourth story, and 14 feet in clear average height of upper story; if any story exceeds these heights respectively, the walls of such story and of all stories below the same, shall be increased four inches in thickness additional to the thickness hereafter mentioned.

Section 10. Be it further ordained, etc., That in accordance with the foregoing provisions, all walls for business buildings shall be of thickness designated in the following table:

Height of Building.	Thickness of Wall in inches				
	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th
	Story				
1-story building	13	—	—	—	—
2-story building	17	13	—	—	—
3-story building	17	17	13	—	—
4-story building	22	17	17	13	—
5-story building	26	22	17	17	13

Parapet walls to rise not less than 18 inches above roof and to be not less than 13 inches thick.

Girders and beams to rest on ledges of metal, stone or brick.

Section 11. Be it further ordained, etc., That the term "business building" shall embrace all buildings used principally for business purposes, thus including, among others, hotels, theatres and office buildings, and all buildings used (or intended to be used) exclusively for purposes of mercantile business or storage of goods.

Section 12. Be it further ordained, etc., That a basement story of any building is defined as a story whose floor is 12 inches or more below the sidewalk, and whose height does not exceed 11 feet in the clear. All such stories that exceed 12 feet high shall be considered as first stories.

Section 13. Be it further ordained, etc., That the height of all buildings for the purpose of this ordinance shall be taken from the grade of sidewalk to a point half way from the lowest to the highest part of the roof.

Section 14. Be it further ordained, etc., That whenever it is sought to increase the height of any building beyond the height for which the original permit was granted, the thickness of the walls thereof shall also be increased in accordance with the whole of the above table.

Section 15. Be it further ordained, etc., That the outside walls of the rooms having trussed walls or ceilings, such as churches, public halls, theatres, dining rooms or the like, of more than 15 feet or less than 25 feet high, shall average at least 16 inches; if over 25 feet high, at least 20 inches; if over 45 feet high, at least 24 inches in thickness. An increase of four inches in thickness shall be made in all cases where the walls are over 100 feet long, unless there are cross walls of equal height.

Section 16. Be it further ordained, etc., That if solid buttresses are employed with a sectional area of 300 or more square inches, placed less than 18 feet apart, and extended to or nearly to the top of walls, 4 inches may be deducted from the thickness of any wall having such buttresses.

Section 17. Be it further ordained, etc., That cut stone facings of walls shall be backed up with brick work of same thickness required where no cut stone is used. In cases where cut stone is in a great measure self supporting, four inches less thickness of brick backing may be used. Ashlar fronts, properly bonded to the brick work, may have backing same as self supporting stone fronts or walls.

Section 18. Be it further ordained, etc., That any party wall now existing that shall have been built conformable with the requirements of any law regulating the construction of such walls, and in force at the time of such construction, if sound and in good condition may be used in the construction of any adjoining building; provided, however, that no brick work shall be placed on such wall to give additional height to the wall unless the thickness of such additional wall and thickness of old wall in each story shall at least equal the thickness required for divisoin walls. This section shall apply in all cases where it is desired to add additional height to any business building. In case of outside walls of any business building being built against the wall of any old building (not being a party wall) the new wall shall be of the same thickness required for outside walls in such building.

Section 19. Be it further ordained, etc., That all dwelling houses, having first story used for business purposes, and all other buildings that are so used, having flat roofs, shall have all the walls (except front walls) extended 18 inches above the roof, and not less than 13 inches thick; to have proper copings of incombustible materials; double pitched roofs to have their division and side walls carried up, forming fire-walls in the same manner; walls at the eaves of all roofs (except flat roofs) shall be carried up their full thickness flush with upper edge of the rafters of roof, and the sheeting boards shall be bedded in mortar on such walls.

Section 20. Be it further ordained, etc., That business buildings having flat roofs shall have their side and rear walls carried up 18 inches above the roof; division or party walls, 24 inches above, forming fire-walls not less than 13 inches thick; to have copings of incombustible materials. Front walls may terminate flush with the upper surface of sheeting of roof. Division and party walls to extend through mansard or other steep roofs not less than 18 inches and having copings same as other fire-walls.

Section 21. Be it further ordained, (a) That it shall be unlawful for any person, persons, firm or corporation to erect in or near any building, any chimney, flue or fire-place, whether for heating, ventilating or whatsoever purpose; or to remodel or reconstruct any chimney, flue or fire-place in any building, unless such chimney, flue or fire-place shall be erected in accordance with this ordinance.

(b) All main chimneys in frame buildings for fire-places or furnaces, shall be well and securely built from the ground up and through the building to a point at least five feet above flat roof and 2 feet above ridge or peak roof of such building; the walls of chimneys shall be of stone or brick at least eight inches in thickness (if fire-place is of stone same must be 12 inches thick), and beginning with foundation, such brick or stone work shall be laid in cement mortar up to the first floor, and thence above to a point where chimney protrudes through the roof of the building the brick and stone work may be laid in good lime or fire clay mortar, and brick work carefully bonded or anchored together or properly capped, and from and above the roof to top of chimney the brick or stone work shall be laid in cement mortar. All joints shall be struck smooth on inside, except when lined with burnt clay or terra cotta pipe.

When two or more separate flues are provided in chimney, the division walls between flues may be only 4 inches in thickness.

No chimney or flue shall be started or built upon any beam of wood or floor.

(c) No wood casing, furring or lath or other wood-work shall be placed in, against, or within two inches of chimney or flue, except that wood mantels, floors and base boards, when protected by asbestos or other fire-resisting material, may come in contact with plaster covering chimney or flue.

All wood beams shall be trimmed away from all flues and chimneys, as shown in the following illustration:

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(d) All fire places and chimney breasts shall have trimmer arches to support hearths, the arches to be constructed as follows: (a) Shall be made of brick, stone, burnt clay or concrete. (b) The length of a trimmer arch shall not be less than the width of the chimney breast, and width at least 20 inches measured from face of chimney breast.

Wood centers under trimmer arches should be removed before plastering ceiling underneath.

(e) (a) All hearths shall be composed of incombustible material. (b) If a heater is placed in a fire-place, then hearth shall be of such area as to permit of six-inch clearing beyond heater each open side. (c) All fire-places in which heaters are placed shall have incombustible mantels. (d) No wood mantel or other wood work shall be exposed back of a summer piece; the iron work of the summer piece shall be placed against the brick or stone work of the fire-place. (e) No fireplace shall be closed with a wood fire board. (f) When grate is set in fire-place, a lining of fire brick, soap stone, tile or cast iron shall be added to the fire back.

(f) Chimneys and flues partly or wholly outside the building, shall be constructed as described in paragraphs b, c, d, e, h, i and j.

(g) Chimneys and flues in brick buildings, for fire-places or furnaces shall be constructed as described in paragraphs b, c, d, e, h and i, except that the walls of building when not less than 13 inches in thickness may form part of chimney or flue.

In no cases shall a chimney or flue be corbeled out more than 8 inches from the wall, and in all cases the corbing shall consist of at least five courses of brick. Flues in party walls shall not extend beyond the center of said walls.

When a chimney or flue is to be cut off below in whole or in part, it shall be wholly supported by brick or stone work, properly erected from the ground up.

(h) Single chimneys or flues for stoves or kitchen ranges shall be constructed as described in paragraphs b, c, d, e, i and j, except that the walls of such chimneys or flues may be only four inches in thickness.

(i) The upper part of the chimney or flue walls may be only 4 inches in thickness from a point at least 6 inches above the roof covering of building to the top of chimney or flue, provided the chimney or flue be capped with terra cotta, stone, or cast iron, or carefully bonded or anchored together.

(j) Flues, when lined on the inside with cast iron or well burnt clay or fire-proof terra cotta pipe, from the bottom of the flue or from the throat of the fire-place, if the flue started from that point may be inclosed by brick or stone work of only 4 inches in thickness, provided the lining pipe be carried up continuously to the extreme height of the flue. The ends of all such lining pipe shall be made to fit close together, and the pipe shall be built in as the flue or flues are carried up, as shown in the following illustration:

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(k) At the completion of building, all flues should be properly cleaned, rubbish removed and flues left smooth on inside.

(l) All chimneys which shall be dangerous in any manner whatever, shall be repaired and made safe, or else removed.

(m) The mayor, with the consent of the council, shall appoint an architect or competent builder, to be known as "Flue Inspector," whose duty it shall be to examine and inspect such chimneys or flues hereafter erected, remodeled or altered.

(n) The flue inspector shall issue to the owner, architect or builder of each new, remodeled or altered chimney or flue a certificate stating that the chimney or flue has been inspected and found to be in accordance with the regulations as herein prescribed.

(o) The owner, architect or builder shall, upon receipt of the certificate mentioned in paragraph n, pay to the "Flue Inspector" a fee of Fifty Cents for each single flue or chimney and One Dollar for each main chimney containing two or more flues, that may be erected, altered or remodeled by the said owner, architect or builder in or near any one building. The maximum fee to be paid to the said flue inspector for inspection service and certificate for any one building shall not exceed Five Dollars, except that for any one building having more than six main chimneys or ten single flues or chimneys the fee of the flue inspector shall be Ten Dollars for inspection service and certificate.

(p) For the faithful performance of his duties as herein prescribed, the said flue inspector shall receive as compensation all fees collected by him.

(q) Any person, persons, firm or corporation, whether owner, builder, or mechanic, who shall violate any section of this ordinance pertaining to flues and chimneys shall be deemed guilty of an offense and shall be fined not less than Ten Dollars nor more than One Hundred Dollars for each offense; and it shall be the duty of the flue inspector to see that this ordinance is enforced; one-half of the fines collected for the violations shall be paid to the "Flue Inspector" when charges of violations are made at the instigation of the said flue inspector.

(r) It shall be the duty of each owner, architect or builder to notify the flue inspector in writing when work on any chimney or flue or alterations to any existing chimney or flue has been started and should the said owner, architect or builder fail to notify the flue inspector until after the building containing the chimney or flue, shall have been completed, the flue inspector is hereby authorized to collect double the amount of his ordinary fees, as prescribed in paragraph o.

(s) No chimney shall be built with less than four-inch walls, and no chimney top shall be less than five feet above the roof for flat roofs and two feet above the ridge of any pitched roof. Ordinary flues in business buildings shall have eight-inch walls and eight-inch jams; flues larger than 250 square inches and less than 500 square inches shall be surrounded with walls not less than eight inches thick; the walls of such flues, above the inlet funnel shall be twelve inches thick for the first fifteen feet around and above such inlet; top of such chimneys to be at least eight feet above the roof, or five feet above the highest part of the roof within fifty feet of such chimney. Flues with more than 500 inches or less than 800 inches area shall have not less than twelve-inch walls for the first 36 feet, and 16-inch walls opposite the inlet and ten feet above same; top of chimney ten feet above the roof, or seven feet above the highest part of the roof within fifty feet of such chimney; provided, that all chimneys having walls less than eight inches thick shall be plastered on the brick or be covered with metallic lath or wire cloth before plastering.

Section 22. Be it further ordained, etc., That the provisions of the foregoing section as to thickness of walls pertaining to chimneys, shall be applicable only to such chimneys as are part of or situated in any building. Flues in party walls shall not extend beyond the center of the wall; joint flues in party walls shall be separated by a four-inch withe of fire brick their entire height.

Section 23. Be it further ordained, etc., That any chimney not forming a part of a wall shall rest upon the ground with proper foundation, and in no case shall any chimney rest upon or be supported by frame work, beams or posts of wood work of any description.

Section 24. Be it further ordained, etc., That proper foundation or masonry shall be prepared for the support of buildings and no foundation shall be less than one foot below the exposed surface of the ground, and in no case shall any foundation rest on any filling or made ground. The breadth of the foundations of the several parts of any building shall be proportioned so that, as nearly as practicable, the pressures all be equal on each square foot of the foundation. Cement mortar shall be used in the masonry of all foundations exposed to dampness.

Section 25. Be it further ordained, etc., That piles driven for a wall to rest upon shall be not less than eight inches in diameter at the smallest end and shall be spaced not more than three feet on centers in the direction of the length of the wall, and nearer if required by the inspector. The inspector shall determine the grade at which piles shall be cut off.

Section 26. Be it further ordained, etc., That walls not exceeding 20 feet in height, where piling is necessary, may rest on a single row of piles, if deemed advisable by the inspector; walls exceeding 20 feet in height shall rest on not less than two rows of piles. Extra piles shall be driven where required by the inspector.

Section 27. Be it further ordained, etc., That in brick walls every seventh course shall be headers. All fire flues shall be smoothly plastered or have struck joists.

Section 28. Be it further ordained, etc., That hollow walls, not bearing walls, may be used in all cases; but all hollow walls shall be bonded or tied together with incombustible anchors placed not more than three feet apart. If used as bearing walls, the thickness shall be reconed by their solid parts, unless either part is at least eight inches thick and solid connections are made in upright directions, not less than twelve inches wide nor more than eight feet apart from centers. In such cases two-thirds of the hollow space shall be connected with solid parts; provided, that in no case shall the ends of the joists or other wood be allowed to come within four inches of the hollow space.

Section 29. Be it further ordained, etc., That no wall of any building now erected, or hereafter to be built or erected, shall be cut off or altered without a permit so to do having been first obtained from the inspector. Every temporary support placed under any structure, wall, girder, beam or column, during the erection, finishing, altering or repairing of any building, or part thereof, shall be equal in strength to the permanent support required for such construction.

Section 30. Be it further ordained, etc., That no opening or doorway shall be cut through a party wall of a brick building without a permit from the inspector, and every such doorway or opening shall have top, bottom, and sides of stone, brick or iron; shall be closed by two sets of standard fire doors separated by the thickness of the wall, hung to rabbeted iron frames, or to iron hinges in brick or stone rabbets; shall not exceed ten feet in height by eight inches in width, and every opening other than a doorway, shall be protected in a manner satisfactory to the inspector.

Section 31. Be it further ordained, etc., That no timber, except lathing strip, shall be used in any wall of any brick building except arch forms for interior arched openings.

Section 32. Be it further ordained, etc., That all walls of a brick building, on which the ends of beams rest, shall be anchored at each tier of beams at intervals of not more than ten feet apart, with good, strong wrought iron anchors, at least one-half inch by one and one-half inches, well built in two walls and fastened at the top of the beams; and where the beams are supported by girders, the ends of the beams resting on the girders, shall be butted together, end to end, and strapped with wrought iron straps or tire iron just the same distance apart in the same beams as the wall anchors and shall be well fastened.

Section 33. Be it further ordained, etc., That all piers shall be built with the best quality of good, well burnt, hard brick, laid in cement and sand mortar, and well wet when laid in warm weather.

Section 34. Be it further ordained, etc., That brick piers under lintels, girders or columns of brick buildings over one story high, shal have a cap of iron at least two inches thick, the full size of the pier.

Section 35. Be it further ordained, etc., That brick piers and buttresses shall be bonded with thorough courses, level and bedded, each course, and where their foundation rests on piles, a sufficient number shall be driven to insure a proper support.

Section 36. Be it further ordained, etc., That every metal column in a brick building shall rest on an iron plate of not less thickness than two inches. Wooden columns supporting girders and floors in such buildings shall set on one and one-half inch iron plates with sockets and counter sinkages.

Section 37. Be it further ordained, etc., That the backing of any iron front that is not wholly self-supporting shall be treated as an independent wall. If the iron is self-supporting, then the party wall shall be extended to meet the outer thickness of iron, and all vacancies shall be filled with grout to insure a complete separation of adjoining buildings.

Section 38. Be it further ordained, etc., That the weather covering of all roofs, except of cottage dwelling houses not over sixteen feet high above the grade of the sidewalk, shall be made of incombustible material. The pitch of non-combustible composition roofs shall not exceed two inches to the foot.

Section 39. Be it further ordained, etc., That no uncovered tar, composition, resin, felt or wood work shall in any way be exposed on any roof or appendages.

Section 40. Be it further ordained, etc., That appendages to any business building above the first story, and above thirty feet from grade of sidewalk on any building, if not wholly of incombustible material, shall be enveloped with metal. Dormer windows, cornices, mouldings, balconies, bay windows, towers, spires, ventilators, etc., shall be considered as appendages.

Section 41. Be it further ordained, etc., That no bay window or other structure shall be placed on any building so as to project over any public way or square, without the permission of the City Council.

Section 42. Be it further ordained, etc., That glass in all skylights, if not wired glass in metal frames, shall be protected by screens made of number ten or heavier wire, with meshes not exceeding 1½ inches; such screens to be secured to the sash and kept at least four inches above the glass.

Section 43. Be it further ordained, etc., That all buildings hereafter erected shall be kept provided with proper metallic leaders for conducting the water from the roof to the ground, sewer or street gutter, in such a manner as shall protect the walls and foundations from damage; and in no case shall the water from such leaders or otherwise be allowed to flow upon the sidewalk, but shall be conducted by drain pipes to the street gutter or sewer.

Section 44. Be it further ordained, etc., That all cornices, gutters, eaves and parapets above first story of business buildings, and above thirty feet from grade of sidewalk on all other buildings, shall be made of incombustible materials.

Section 45. Be it further ordained, etc., That all roofs shall be so constructed as to be reached by a scuttle, or by iron steps fastened to the outside of the outer wall. If by scuttle, the same shall be at least 20 by 30 inches, the frame and lid covered with metal, and shall have a stationary ladder communicating with such scuttle.

Section 46. Be it further ordained, etc., That all floor beams, joists and headers shall be kept at least two inches clear of any wall inclosing a fire flue or chimney breast, and the space left between the framing and such flue shall be filled solid with gauged mortar, to be a heavy coat of plastering put on the walls of such flues before any other wood work shall be placed against it.

Section 47. Be it further ordained, etc., That all floors shall be constructed to bear a safe weight per superficial foot, exclusive of materials, as follows, for dwellings, tenements or lodging houses, one hundred pounds, for store-houses, ware-houses, machine shops, armories and drill rooms, not less than 250 pounds. These requirements shall apply to all alterations as well as to new buildings. In all calculations for the strength of materials to be used in any building, the proportion between the safe weight and the breaking weight shall be as one to three for all beams, girders and other pieces subjected to cross strain; and as one to six for all posts, columns and other verticle supports, and for all tie beams and other pieces subjected to a tensiled strain; and the requisite dimensions of each piece of material are to be ascertained by computation, byrules given by the best authorities, using for constants in the rules, only such numbers as have been deduced from experiments on materials of like kind with that proposed to be used.

Section 48. Be it further ordained, etc., That all hearths for ordinary fire-places shall rest on trimmer arches, the header kept at least 20 inches from face of chimney breast. The back of all fire-places shall not be less than eight inches thick; all stove pipe holes to have proper thimbles and stoppers.

Section 49. Be it further ordained, etc., That ends of joists or beams entering a brick wall shall be cut not less than three inch bevel, so as not to disturb the brick work by any defection or breaking of the joists or beams. All such joists or timbers entering a party or division wall from opposite sides shall have at least four inches of solid brick work between the ends of such timbers or joists. All buildings for residence or business purposes shall have the brick project not less than 1½ inches inside the face of the wall between the joists of each floor and ceiling joists.

Section 50. Be it further ordained, etc., That joists and girders in any building shall be of proper dimensions to sustain the load designed to be placed upon them. Girders may rest upon piers of brick or stone, or upon columns of wood or iron of proper dimensions. All floor joists shall be properly bridged with cross bridges. All headers in floor framing of business buildings that are placed at a greater distance than two feet from the end of a trimmer shall be fixed in the proper iron stirrups.

Section 51. Be it further ordained, etc., That the owner, or other party having any interest in any building, staging or other structure, or anything attached to or connected with a building or other structure which shall be unsafe, so as to endanger life, shall immediately upon notice received from the inspector of buildings, cause the same to be made safe and secure, or taken down; and when public safety requires immediate action, the inspector may enter upon the premises, with such assistance as may be necessary and cause the said structure to be secured or taken down without delay at the expense of such owner or party interested. No staging or stand for observation purposes shall be constructed or occupied upon the roof of any building in said city.

Section 52. Be it further ordained, etc., That every building which shall appear to the inspector to be especially dangerous in case of fire, by reason of bad condition of walls, overloaded floors, defective construction, decay or other causes, shall be unsafe and the inspector, besides proceeding as provided in the preceeding section, shall also affix a notice of the dangerous character of the structure to a conspicuous place on the exterior wall of the said building. Any person removing such notice so affixed shall be liable to a fine of not less than Five Dollars nor more than Fifty Dollars for each and every offense, to be paid into the treasury of the said city.

Section 53. Be it further ordained, etc., That the owner or party having an interest in the unsafe building or structure mentioned in the preceding section, being notified thereof in writing by the inspector, shall forfeit and pay a fine to the use of said city for every day's continuance thereof after such notice a sum of not less than Five Dollars nor more than Fifty Dollars.

Section 54. Be it further ordained, etc., That no building now or hereafter built shall be altered until it has been examined and approved by the inspector as being in a good and safe condition to be altered as proposed, and the alteration so made shall conform to the provisions of this and any ordinance of the City of Hammond in relation thereto.

Section 55. Be it further ordained, etc., That all brick walls and buttresses shall be of merchantable, well-shaped brick, well laid and bedded, with well filled joints, in lime or cement mortar, and well flushed up at every course with mortar; and all brick used during the warm months shall be wet at the time they are laid, and shall be dry at the time they are laid during the cold months.

Section 56. Be it further ordained, etc., That no continuous vertical recess, chase or flue shall be made in any party wall so deep that it will leave the thickness at the back less than eight inches at any point, and no recess of any kind shall be made in any eight inch wall. No horizontal recess shall be made in any wall except by a special permit from the inspector. No continuous vertical recess other than flues and stacks shall be nearer than seven feet to any other recess.

Section 57. Be it further ordained, etc., That in the erection or alteration of any building within the fire limits, the material of which, in whole or in part, is other than brick, stone or wood, the thickness of walls of such material and the method of construction shall be of such as the inspector shall approve.

Section 58. Be it further ordained, etc., That partitions in hotel buildings and tenant houses, made of scantling, to be lathed and plastered, shall be filled with brick work eight inches high in the best manner. Scantling partitions shall not be employed as supporters of any floor or roof except dwelling houses.

Section 59. Be it further ordained, etc., That hoisting openings shall have trap doors covered with metal on the under side on all floors, except where elevators are used, with sufficient guards for protection during the hours of business, and said doors shall be kept closed at all other times.

Section 60. Be it further ordained, etc., That no building within the fire limits of the City of Hammond shall be used or occupied, in whole or in part for any of the trades hereafter mentioned, to-wit:

Planing mills, sash, door and blind factories, unless such building so occupied shall have in connection with it a brick or fireproof vault of sufficient capacity to contain all shavings, sawdust, chips or other like combustible refuse connected therewith, and all such shavings and other like combustible refuse shall be removed daily from such premises to such vault. In no event shall proprietors, owners, lessees of such manufactories allow combustible refuse to accumulate upon any lot or in any building unless stored in a fireproof vault.

Section 61. Be it further ordained, etc., That floors under all stoves shall be protected by a covering of incombustible material. Stoves shall be kept at least 20 inches, and their smoke pipes twelve inches from any unprotected woodwork.

Section 62. Be it further ordained, etc., That the woodwork of all boiler houses and boiler rooms shall be kept at least six feet from the boiler, four feet from the breeching or smoke conductor, and one foot from the dome of the boiler, unless such woodwork is properly protected with incombustible material and then there shall be at least two feet clear space from the boiler or smoke pipe and protection.

Section 63. Be it further ordained, etc., That the floors of all rooms when containing stationary boilers, shall be made of incombustible material, five feet on all sides, and at least eight feet in front of any boiler.

Section 64. Be it further ordained, etc., That steam pipes shall be kept at least one inch from all woodwork; otherwise they shall be protected by a soapstone, asbestos or earthenware ring or tube, or rest on iron supporters.

Section 65. Be it further ordained, etc., That all the officers appointed under this, or any future amendments to the same, shall, so far as may be necessary for the performance of their respective duties, have the right to enter any building or premises in the said city.

Section 66. Be it further ordained, etc., That any work in addition or alteration made for any purpose in, to or upon any building, except the necessary repairs, not affecting the external or party walls, chimneys, stairways or height of building, shall, to the extent of such work or alteration or addition, be subject to the regulation of the city ordinance.

Section 67. Be it further ordained, etc., That all floor timbers, headers and trimmers of every brick building hereafter erected or altered, in which a chimney is to be built in the brick wall, shall be placed distant two inches from the outside of every chimney flue, and the space between such brick work and timbers shall be closed by a proper fire-stop of incombustible.

Section 68. Be it further ordained, etc., That if any chimney flue or heating apparatus on any premises, shall, in the opinion of the inspector, endanger the premises, the inspector shall at once notify, in writing, the owner or agent of said premises. If such owner or agent fails for a period of forty-eight hours after the service of said notice upon him, to make such chimney flue or heating apparatus safe, he shall be liable to a fine as prescribed in this ordinance.

Section 69. Be it further ordained, etc., That no furnace and no range set in masonry shall hereafter be placed, or its location changed, in any building except as the inspector shall approve.

Section 70. Be it further ordained, etc., That in the second district, no building or structures hereafter built, altered or repaired, where said repairs within one year constitute fifty per cent new covering, shall be roofed or covered with any combustible material.

Section 71. Be it further ordained, etc., That any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding One Hundred Dollars, imprisonment or labor on the public works not exceeding thirty days, or any or all of them, unless another penalty is specifically provided herein.

Section 72. Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed September 27, 1915.

JOHN W. SKINNER, Mayor.

H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

(Seal).

ORDINANCE NO. 31, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance authorizing the issue of Sewer Bonds to the amount of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000).

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that under the authority of the election held on the 20th day of May, 1915, there are hereby authorized and directed to be issued eighty (80) Sewer Bonds of Five Hundred Dollars ($500) each, numbered from 1 to 80, both inclusive, which said bonds shall be dated the first day of October, 1915. Two of said bonds shall become due on the first day of October, 1916 to 1924, and four of said bonds shall become due on the first day of October in each of the years 1925 to 1934, and two of said bonds shall become due on the first day of October in each of the years 1935 to 1945, all inclusive, and both principal and interest of said bonds shall be made payable at the office of N. W. Halsey & Company in the City of Chicago, Illinois, or at Hibernia Bank and Trust Company in the City of New Orleans, Louisiana.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that the bonds hereby authorized shall be in substantially the following form:

No._____ $500.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
CITY OF HAMMOND,
SEWER BONDS.

Know all men by these presents that the City of Hammond, in the Parish of Tangipahoa and State of Louisiana, acknowledges to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS lawful money of the United States of America on the first day of October, 19__, with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of five (5) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of April and of October in each year on presentation and surrender of the annexed interest coupons as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are hereby made payable at the office of N. W. Halsey & Company in the City of Chicago, Illinois, or Hibernia Bank and Trust Company in the City of New Orleans, Louisiana.

This bond is one of a series of like tenor, except maturity, issued for the purpose of constructing sewers in and for the City of Hammond, Louisiana, under authority of Article 281 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and Act No. 256 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, of 1910, and of an election duly called and held in said city on the 20th day of May, 1915, whereat more than a majority in number and amount of the qualified electors voted in favor of the issuance of this bond.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the issuing of this bond have been done, happened and been performed as required by law, and that the total indebtedness of the City of Hammond, includng this bond, does not exceed the constitutional or statutory limitations.

In testimony whereof the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, has caused this bond to be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the secretary with the corporate seal hereto affixed, and has caused the annexed interest coupons to be executed with the fac-simile signatures of said officers, this first day of October, 1915.

_____
Mayor.

Countersigned:

_____
Secretary.

COUPON.

On the first day of April and October, 19__, the City of Hammond, Louisiana, promises to pay to bearer the sum of Twelve and 50-100 Dollars ($12.50) at the office of N. W. Halsey & Company in the City of Chicago, Illinois, or Hibernia Bank & Trust Company in the City of New Orleans, Louisiana, for interest due that day on its Sewer Bond dated October 1, 1915, No.____.

_____
Mayor.

Countersigned:

_____
Secretary.

Upon the back of said bonds shall be endorsed the following certificate:

This bond secured by a tax.

Registered on the_____day of _____, 1915.

_____
Secretary of State.

Passed in open session this 30th day of September, 1915, A. D.

JOHN W. SKINNER, Mayor.

H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

Be it remembrd that at a Special meeting of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in the Parish of Tangipahoa, State of Louisiana, held on the 12th. day of October A.D. 1915 at its regular place of meeting at 3 o'clock P.M., there being there and there present the following members of said Council, to wit;

J. W. Skinner
C. R. Thames
Geo. F. Smith

Absent: None

At which meeting certain proceedings were had, among which, were the following;

Mr. C.R. Thames presented and read the following ordinance, and moved its adoption which motion was seconded by Mr. G. F. Smith and said motion being then and there put to a vote of the "Ayes" and "Nays" and the roll being called, said ordinance was unanimously adopted. All members of the Council voting "Aye" and there being no vote "Nay" which ordinance is in the words and figures as follows, to wit;

over

Ordinance No. 32
Commission Series.

Ordinance making provision for the payment of all statutory and ordinary charges of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, in and for the years 1915 to 1920, both inclusive, and providing for the issuance of $7,500 Bonds of said City for the purpose of constructing a Jail building and for providing the principal and interest of said bonds to be payable out of the residue of the ten mill tax authorized by Article 232 of the constitution of the State of Louisiana.

Whereas, it has been and is hereby found and determined by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that the levy of the full ten mill (10) tax authorized by Article 232 of the Constitution of Louisiana, will be more than sufficient to pay all the statutory and ordinary charges of said City, in and for the years 1915 to 1920 both inclusive and for the year 1915, 9 2/3 mills, and for the year 1916 8/2 mills, and for the years 1917 to 1920 inclusive, 8/4 mills will be available for said purpose, and that the residue or a one-third mill tax for 1915, a one-and one-half mill tax and a one three-quarter mill tax for 1917 to 1920 will be available for other lawful

purposes; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Commission Council the above named tax will be available for any of the purposes provided for by Section 4 of Article 281 of the Constitution of Louisiana, over and above the tax which it is hereby ascertained will be needed for the payment of all statutory and ordinary charges in said years 1918 to 1920 inclusive; and

Whereas, it has been and is hereby also determined by the Commission Council of said City, that it is necessary to borrow the sum of Seven thousand, Five hundred dollars ($7,500) for the purpose of constructing and equipping a fire building and a watertower in and for said City, and to issue bonds in said amount, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum 5% per annum the principal and interest of which shall be payable out of the excess of the ten mill tax, authorized by Article 232 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and

Whereas, all conditions precedent to the lawful issuance of said bonds required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana have been fully complied with and said bonds have been sold at a price not less than the par value thereof.

Now, Therefore, Be it ordained,

by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana:

That there shall be annually levied in each of the years 1915 to 1920, both inclusive, the full tax of ten mills (10) on the dollar of the valuation of all taxable property within said City, as authorized to be levied by Article 232 of the Constitution of Louisiana, of which ten (10) mills the following has been and is hereby appropriated and ordered to be devoted to the payment of all statutory and ordinary charges:

1915..... 9 2/3ds mills
1916..... 8 1/2 "
1917 to 1920 incl.. 8 1/4 "

and that a sufficient part of the said remaining mills, as follows, on the dollar valuation of the taxable property of said City, is hereby dedicated to the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds authorized to be issued by this ordinance and to be payable in each of the years 1917 to 1920 inclusive;

1915..... 1/3d mill available
1916..... 1 1/2 " " "
1917 to 1920..... 1 3/4 " "

as hereinafter provided and to create a sinking fund to pay the principal of the bonds at maturity.

Be it further ordained, by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana that for the purpose of constructing and equipping a jail building and quarters in and for said City,

and in anticipation of the collection of the avails of the tax hereinbefore fixed, there shall be and there is hereby ordered and directed to be issued negotiable coupon bonds of said City of Hammond in the total sum of Seven Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars ($7,500); said bonds shall be fifteen (15) in number, numbered from one to fifteen (1-15) inclusive, shall be of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars ($500) each, bonds shall be dated October 1st. 1915, and shall mature and become payable serially as follows, to wit;

Year.	Amount
October 1, 1917	$1,500.00.
" 1, 1918	1,500.00.
" 1, 1919	1,500.00.
" 1, 1920	1,500.00.
" 1, 1921	1,500.00.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five per centum (5%) per annum payable annually on the first day of October of each year, and shall have coupons attached representing said interest installments, both principal and interest shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the Banking House of the Central Trust Company of Illinois, in the City of Chicago, Illinois;

Be it further ordained, that said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form, with the necessary variations to indicate the different numbers,

maturities of principal and interest installments, to wit:

United States of America
State of Louisiana
Parish of Tangipahoa.

No. ____ $500.00

Jail Building and Natatorium Bond.

Know All Men By these Presents that the City of Hammond, in the Parish of Tangipahoa, in the State of Louisiana, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received, hereby promises to pay bearer the sum of

Five Hundred Dollars

on the first day of October, A. D. 19____ together with interest on said sum from the date hereof until paid, at the rate of five per centum 5% per annum, payable annually on the first day of October of each year commencing with the October 1, 1916, upon presentation and surrender of the annexed interest coupons as they severally become due; both principal and interest hereof are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Banking House of the Central Trust Company of Illinois, in the City of Chicago, Illinois.

This Bond is one of a series of bonds of like date and tenor issued for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and equipment of a jail building and a natatorium in and for said City of Hammond, pursuant to ordinances of the Commission Council of said city, duly passed and adopted; and by virtue

of and in strict conformity with the requirements of the Constitution and laws of the State Constitution as amended in the year 1912. The principal and interest of said bonds are payable out of a sufficient part of the ten mills on the dollar valuation, over and above what has been appropriated to pay the statutory and ordinary charges of said City.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, exist have happened and been performed in regular and due form, time and manner as required by law; That the amount of this bond together with all other indebtedness of said City does not exceed any limitation prescribed by the Constitution and laws of said State. For the enforcement of the covenants, recitals and stipulations herein contained, and for the levy and collection of a sufficient tax to provide for the prompt payment of this bond and the interest thereon, the full faith, credit and resources of said City are hereby irrevocably pledged.

In testimony whereof, said Commission Council has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor of said City, countersigned by its Secretary and the official seal of said City to be hereunto affixed, and has caused the

interest coupons hereto annexed to be executed with the lithographed fac-similie signatures of said Mayor and Secretary and that said bond to be dated first day of October, A.D. 1915.

Countersigned: _____ _____

Secretary Mayor

(Form of Coupon)

No. ___ $25.

On the first day of October, A.D. 19___ the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, will pay bearer the sum of Twenty-Five dollars lawful money of the United States of America, at the Banking House of the Central Trust Company of Illinois, in the City of Chicago, Illinois, being interest due that date on its Jail Building and Natatorium Bond, dated October 1, 1915, No.

_____

Mayor.

Countersigned: _____

Secretary.

Be it further ordained, that the Mayor and Secretary of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds and interest coupons for and behalf of said City, substantially in the manner and form aforesaid, provided, however, that the interest coupons may be executed with the lithographed signatures, after being executed as aforesaid said bonds shall be delivered to J. R. Sutherlin and company, Kansas City, Missouri or to such person or persons as they may direct,

upon payment of the purchase price thereof. Proceeds of said bonds shall be used and applied solely for the purpose herein designated. It is, however, understood, that the purchaser of said bonds shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money.

Be it further ordained, that in order to make provision for the prompt payment of the installments of interest and principal of said bonds, the City of Hammond does hereby solemnly covenant and agree to levy each year so long as any of said bonds or coupons are outstanding and unpaid, the full authorized limit of ten mills on the dollar valuation upon all of the taxable property within said City of Hammond, and cause to be done whatever may be necessary to promptly and fully collect the same and it is further covenanted and agreed that there shall be and there is hereby appropriated out of the ten mill tax authorized to be levied by virtue of Article 232 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana a tax as follows, in excess of the tax that has been appropriated for all statutory and ordinary charges of the City, and the avails of the following tax shall be set aside and applied solely for the payment of the interest accruing on said bonds and the principal of said bonds as they fall due.

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Year	Statutory and Ordinary Charges	Applied to Flood Bonds
1915	9 2/3 rdx. mills	1/3 mill.
1916	8 1/4 "	1 1/4 "
1917 to 1920 incl.	8 1/2 "	1 1/2 "

Be it further ordained, that the provisions of all former ordinances, resolutions and orders of this Commission Council that are in any way inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of the foregoing ordinance are hereby to the extent of such inconsistency rescinded so as to make the provisions of this ordinance fully operative and effective.

Jno. H. Skinner,
Mayor.

Attest: H. G. Hungate
Secretary.

ORDINANCES

Regulating House Sewerage, Plumbing, Drain-Laying and Connections With the House Sewers In and Under the Control of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, and For Other Purposes.

ORDINANCE NO. 33, COMMISSION SERIES.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond that from and after the completion and putting into actual use of the sewerage system now under construction in the City of Hammond, the said city shall pay out of the general revenues all expenses of maintaining the scavenger system outside of the limits reached by the sewerage.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed and that this ordinance shall be effective at the time above provided.

JOHN W. SKINNER, Mayor.

Attest:

H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 34, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance regulating house sewerage, plumbing, drain laying and connections with the sanitary sewers in and under the control of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, and for other purposes.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Hammond, La., that for the governing and regulating of house sewerage, plumbing, drain laying and connections with the sanitary sewerage in and under the control of the City of Hammond, La., the following rules, laws and regulations be and they are hereby passed, ordained and adopted:

DEFINITIONS.

Section 1. In the system of sewerage, "Sanitary Sewer" is defined herein to mean the pipes, conduits, mains or laterals laid in the streets, or in the certain places for topographic reasons laid through private lands, "house drain," the horizontal pipe laid from the sewer to or near the building and there connected with the pipes constituting the interior house drainage system, "soil pipe," any pipe conveying the discharge of water closet, with or without fixtures, to the house drain or to a soil pipe, "waste pipe," and pipe conveying the discharge of any fixtures except a water closet, to the house drain or to the soil pipe; "vent pipe," any pipe provided to ventilate other pipes, traps or fixtures and to prevent back pressure and the siphoning of trap; "stack," a vertical line of pipe, especially a vertical vent pipe; "Fixture," a water closet, bath tub, sink or other receptacle for house sewerage, also any tank, heater, or other receptacle for house sewerage, also any tank, heater or other contrivance for supplying water for flushing or serving these receptacles; "trap," a special curved pipe or receptacle, so placed in a line of soil or waste pipe that enough passing water will be held to completely fill the channel and thus seal it and prevent the passage of air or gas past the trap.

HOUSE SEWERAGE EXCLUSIVELY.

Section 2. The system of sanitary sewers is for collecting, carrying and disposing of the sewage, that is, the liquid wastes from domestic or household and industrial service. It shall be a misdemeanor to use the sanitary sewers for any other purpose, or to place, or to cause to be placed in any sanitary sewer any water from rain, or seepage, or any swill, garbage, sweepings, ashes, sand, clay, wool, rags, wearing apparel, rubbish or other solid matter, that may not be promptly dissolved by the sewage, or anything that may form deposits or obstructions in the sewers. It shall be a misdemeanor to connect with any house sewer and discharge sewage into it, before it is completed and connected with the general outfall.

HOUSE SEWAGE NOT ON GROUND NOR IN STORM SEWERS.

Section 3. No one shall discharge or cause to be discharged, into any storm sewer, or surface drain, or on the ground, whether in the streets or private lands, except on land abutting on street on which no house sewer has been constructed within 300 feet, any sewage or foul liquid or waste from any water closet, urinal, bath, laundry, kitchen sink or other fixtures, from any offensive industry or manufacturing establishment, or from any slaughter house or market, nor any night soil, feaces, garbage, putrescible or decaying animal or vegetable matter, nor any rubbish that may obstruct the flow from rain or snow.

PRIVATE SEWERS AND PRIVIES.

Section 4. No privy, cess pool, nor urinal, no private sewer, nor other conduit, discharging house sewage elsewhere than into the sanitary sewers is allowed on any lot abutting a street in which a sanitary sewer has been constructed, nor on any lot nearer to such a street than to any other.

CESS POOL.

Section 5. No cess pool, privy vault, nor septic tank will be permitted, except when shown to the City plumbing inspector or such person as the Mayor or City Commission may designate, to be absolutely necessary and built with his written permit and according to plans submitted and approved as herein provided for plumbing. Every sess pool or privy vault shall be water tight and at least twenty-five (25) feet from any building; as soon as it is possible to connect with any house sewer, the cess pool or privy vault is to be emptied, cleaned, disinfected and filled with fresh earth, or sealed up air-tight and its use ended.

CITY EMPLOYEES ONLY.

Section 6. No person but the plumbing inspector, or such other person than the Mayor and City Commission may designate, or his authorized agent, shall open, enter or deposit anything into or remove anything from, or otherwise interfere with any man-hole or other appurtenances to the system of house sewers.

REPAIRS OF SEWERS.

Section 7. No one but a skilled mechanic, acting under the directions of the plumbing inspector, or such other person as the Mayor or the City Commission may designate, shall make any opening into, any connection with, or any repairs to the house sewers or their accessories.

OTHER PIPE.

Section 8. No other conduit shall be laid parallel to, and within five feet of any house sewer.

INDUSTRIAL WASTE.

Section 9. No discharge from any slaughter house, stable, dairy, chemical work or any other industrial works or manufacturing establishment, shall be connected with any house sewer, except under special regulation approved by the City plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor or City Commission may designate, providing against the formation of obstructions in the pipe and against interference with the purification of the sewage.

SEDIMENT, HEAT, PRESSURE.

Section 10. Neither the exhaust, the blow-off, the drip-pipe, nor the sediment from any steam boiler nor the discharge from large volumes of hot water from any source, nor the discharge from a hydraulic elevator, shall be connected with any house sewer, such pipe may discharge first into a basin, properly tapped and vented, which after being relieved of sediment, pressure or high temperature, may discnarge into tne sewer. Water over 120 degrees Fah., or hot enough to cause steam to arise in the sewer, shall not be admitted.

INDEPENDENT CONNECTION.

Section 11. Each building connected with a house sewer shall have its own seperate house drain, connecting it with the house sewer, except that a group of small houses, such as the houses occupied by negro tenants, may be connected to one house drain, or may be served by one central water closet, provided the houses are and shall remain the property of one owner and provided the combination shall be approved by the plumbing inspector.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PLUMBERS.

Section 12. The Board of Examiners of Plumbers shall be constituted of the Mayor and the City Commission and the plumbing inspector.

QUALIFICATION OF PLUMBERS AND DRAIN-LAYERS.

Section 13. Every applicant for license as a plumber or drain layer, as the case may be, shall appear before the City Commission and the Mayor; shall pass a thorough examination by said City Commission as to the applicant's experience, knowledge and skill in practical sanitary plumbing or drain-laying; and shall satisfy the said City Commission the applicant, or at least one resident member of the firm, or one resident executive officer in the corporation making the application, is a master plumber, or a drain-layer as the case may be, skilled and experienced in his trade, competent to do sanitary plumbing or drain-laying properly and in accordance with the city's ordinances, who will give his personal attention to the work, also that the applicant will employ only competent help and is financially responsible. Upon satisfactory proof of the qualifications and fitness of an applicant for license as plumber or as drain layer, the City Commission shall issue a certificate of qualification.

LICENSE OF PLUMBERS AND DRAIN-LAYERS.

Section 14. License to do plumbing or drain-laying, or both in connection with the City's sewers shall be granted by the Mayor and City Commission only after a written application has been made, in the form prescribed accompanied by a certificate of qualification issued by the Mayor and City Commission; the application shall also be accompanied by a bond with two or more individuals, or with a surety company, as surety, acceptable to the Mayor and City Commission for $500.00 for plumbing or for plumubing and drain-laying, or for $100.00 for drain-laying only, conditioned substantially that the principal will indemnify and save harmless the town from all damage or injuries resulting from any work done, or any neglect or omission incident thereto, by the principal or his employees, or from any improper materials used therein; that the work will be faithfully performed and that the principal will comply with all ordinances and regulations of the city concerning plumbing, drain-laying and the city's sewers, and will restore to like condition to that found, any street, sidewalk or other property, disturbed by him or his agent, and shall keep the same in good repair for one year. The application for the license for drain-laying shall also be accompanied by a cash deposit of $50.00, which sum or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be used under the direction of the street commissioner, in repairing any street or other public property, whenever said applicant shall fail to repair the same within 24 hours after being notified in writing by the street commissioner; and said deposit shall be at all times maintained by the applicant up to at least $50.00. Each plumber's or drain-layer's license shall expire December 31, and may be revoked at any time by the Mayor and City Commission for a violation of this ordinance, also at any time that it is found that the public welfare so requires or that the member of the firm or officer of the corporation, whose experience has formed the basis for the license, has ceased such relation. Each applicant and each license shall state whether it is for plumbing or for drain-laying, or for both. The fee for license for plumbing and drain-laying shall be $10.00, and that for drain-laying only $5.00. No other person is allowed to use the name of a licensed plumber or drain-layer, either directly or indirectly, to obtain a permit, to do work, or to make returns.

PERMIT AND PLANS.

Section 15. No property owner shall cause or permit any connection with a house sewer nor the erection of any plumbing fixture, to be connected herewith, without first obtaining from the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor or the City Commission may designate, a permit therefor before the work is commenced. Application for such permit shall be made on the form prescribed, stating the location of the property, the name of the licensed plumber or drain-layer to be employed, with a full and clear description of the work proposed by the owner or authorized agent, and agreeing that the owner will conform with the city's rules and ordinances regulating sewer connections and plumbing. Each application shall be accompanied by a diagram and specification made in duplicate, on the form prescribed and furnished by the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and City Commission shall designate, showing and describing clearly the location of the building and of the rooms containing the work, the connection with the sewer, with every pipe fixture and connection neatly drawn in ink, if one vertical section cannot be made to show the work fully, other drawings are to be added. In showing extensions, the old work is to be shown in red ink, and all new work in black ink. If the application and plans are to be approved by the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and City Commission may designate, he will issue a written permit within 24 hours after the application is filed. Approved plans cannot be changed, except the plans be likewise submitted and approved. The same plans may serve for each of several buildings located together and having identical plumbing or drain-laying. Each permit will lapse by limitation and become void, if the work is not completed within 90 days from date.

OLD PLUMBING AND DRAIN-LAYING.

Section 16. All plumbing and drain-laying constructed before the passage of this ordinance shall be treated in the same manner as new work. Before connecting with the sewers an application shall be filed and permit issued and the work shall be permitted to inspection and test, as herein required for new work, such portions being uncovered or removed as may be necessary for this purpose. The plumbing inspector is permitted to use reasonable discretion in passing minor defects in old plumbing, which cannot be corrected without removing the plumbing; upon final approval the certificate of the plumbing inspector, or such other person as the Mayor or the City Commission may designate, will be issued, this certificate stating if certain minor concessions have been made. For all re-constrution, extension or alteration or existing plumbing or drain-laying, a permit shall be in like manner obtained, provided no permit or plans be required for the removal or stoppage of leaks, nor the repair of fixtures, in which no change shall be made in the kind, size or arrangement of pipes or fixtures. In repairing, broken parts are to be replaced with construction as good as new. No permit will be issued for additions to defective plumbing.

CONDEMNED PLUMBING AND DRAIN-LAYING.

Section 17. Any plumbing or drain-laying, old or new, found defective by the plumbing inspector, or such other person as the Mayor and City Commission may designate, shall be repaired or connected within two weeks after he shall have given due notice of the defects. The plumbing inspector, or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate shall decide as to the defects of the materials, labor and methods usued and as to the interpretation of these regulations; and appeal from his decision to the City Commission shall be filed in writing within three days thereafter; in case of such appeal, the work shall be stopped until the City Commission's review and decision.

INSPECTION.

Section 18. All drain-laying shall be inspected when the pipe has been laid and cemented and before it is covered. As soon as all soil pipes, waste pipes, vent pipes and traps are connected, they shall be tested by the plumber, in the presence of the plumbing inspector, or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, by filling them entirely with water. If any leaks appear they are to be stopped by removal of the broken or defective pieces, caulking the lead or tightening the screw threads, but not by use of plumber's cement. The entire height of the pipe system is to be tested at once, unless the building be over three stories high. In addition to the water test, an approved smoke test or a pressure peppermint is to be applied by the plumber, in the presence of the plumbing inspector, or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, when the latter so directs. When all fixtures are connected and ready for use, a final inspection shall be made by the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, when the plumber is to turn on the supply of water and show that all of the work is in accord with ordinance and ready for use. In addition to the tests and inspection here specified the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, shall make, during the progress of the work and after, such others as in his judgment may be necessary for the purpose of this ordinance. When the work is ready for either of the three inspections, specifically named above, (1) drain-laying, (2) water test of roughing in, and (3) final inspection, written notice is to be given the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, whereupon he is to set a time for the inspection and make it within two working hours thereof. All work must be left uncovered and convenient for examination until inspected and approved. Should it be necessary for the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, to visit the work more than once for any inspection, because of its not being ready when notice was received, then the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, may collect from the plumber one dollar for each visit required after the first; provided that no such fee may be collected when part of the work must be completed and inspected preparatory to the completion of the work, rendering a second visit necessary. All such fees collected shall be turned into the town treasury, according to the law. No water shall be turned on, except for inspection, and no plumbing fixtures shall be used, until the plumbing inspector, or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, issues his certificate of final inspection and approval.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.

Secton 19. All materials and fixtures used in connection with the house sewers shall be non-absorbent, rust-proof, of the best quality and free from defects, and all work shall be executed in a thorough and workmanlike manner; all materials, fixtures and work are subject to the approval of the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate. No wood boxing around or under fixtures will be allowed, nor any galvanized fixtures, except galvanized kitchen sinks. Pipe and traps inside buildings shall be readily accessible for inspection and repairs, and shall not be covered except by wood work fastened by screws easily removed. No metal pipe, except a water supply pipe, shall be less than 1¼ inches in diameter, and no clay pipe less than 4 inches in diameter, no pipe shall decrease in diameter as it approaches the sewer. All drain, soil, waste, vent and supply pipe shall be as simple, direct and compact as possible, and be readily accessible for repairs and protected from injury and freezing; offsets, especially 90 degree offsets, will be permitted only when unavoidable. To prevent freezing, all pipes exposed between the ground and the first floor shall be covered with approved pipe covering, or with plain substantial wood boxing, 12 inches square and filled with sawdust, ashes or other similar material. No connection shall be made by making simply an opening through the wall of a clay or iron pipe, either with or without tapping threads. In every horizontal line of pipe the minimum slope will be 3-4 inch per foot of length wherever practicable, but shall be at least ¼ inch per foot of length; where this latter slope is impracticable, special provision shall be made for flushing the house system by automatic flush tanks or otherwise, as approved by the plumbing inspector, or such other person as the Mayor and City Commission may designate. No scent pipes or other work shall be placed on the outside of any wall or any street or alley, so as to obstruct or be subject to injury by traffic. During construction the ends of all pipes shall be closed to keep out obstructions. Every fixture, except a water closet, shall discharge through a strong, durable fixed strainer, to prevent passing obstructions into the waste pipe. Every opening left in a pipe for any purpose and not used for a connection shall be securely closed in a manner similar to that required for making a connection. Dead ends on soil and waste pipes are not allowed. Cement joints shall not be used within buildings.

HOUSE DRAIN.

Section 20. The house drain shall be of four or six inch earthenware pipe from the sewer to building, but cast iron pipe of equal size is to be used instead of clay pipe, for the part of the house drain as runs under any building raised less than 18 inches above ground, open and clear, or runs into or within four feet of the wall of any cellar, basement or brick building, or runs within six feet in solid clay, or ten feet in made ground from any well or cistern, or runs within 12 inches of the surface of the ground.

EARTHENWARE PIPES.

Section 21. All earthenware pipe and fittings shall be of the best quality of hard vitrified clay pipe, salt-glazed, free from cracks and blisters, true to the nominal size and form, whether straight or curved, of uniform thickness, with deep sockets into which the spigots fit without shipping and leave all ground at least ¼ inch mortar space.

HOUSE BRANCH.

Section 22. The branch at the sewer shall be located and uncovered or set, before any pipe is laid to connect with it. The insertion of any branch not already in the sewer shall be at the cost of the applicant for connection, with the special written permit of the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate giving the location, size and kind of branch, and the plumbing inspector, or other such person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, or his authorized assistant, shall be present and direct the whole operation of opening the sewer and setting the branch. Every connection shall be made with a Y and 1-8 bend, or with a T surrounded with four inches of concrete and set vertically and a ¼ bend.

DRAIN-LAYING.

Section 23. In the streets, material excavated shall be piled to cause the least practicable inconvenience to traffic, and proper precautions shall be taken, with bracing and tranch, barricading, placing lanters or whatchmen to prevent accident or injury to persons or property at or about the work. Drains, water pipe and other property obstructions shall be protected and, when necessary to remove them, their owner shall be consulted. Paving and surfacing material shall be set aside, the back filling all replaced and tamped in thin layers, and the street, sidewalk, with all paving or other surfacing material, drains and other public property, restored to as good condition as found when commencing the work, and shall be maintained in this condition for twelve months thereafter. The trench shall not cross any lot other than that containing the plumbing; shall be at least 18 inches wide for one line of pipe or 2½ feet for two lines. The house drain shall not be lain in the same with the water service pipe. The house drain shall be lain as straight as practicable, or when changes of alignment are necessary, with curved pipe, or with Y branches having cleanouts or with straight pipes in easy curves. The slope shall be at least ¼ inch per foot and be as uniform as practicable. The plumbing inspector, or such other persons as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, shall decide whether any changes or breaks in the slope will be permitted, where the ground is high above the sewer. In marshy ground, new fills or other unstable soil, the foundation shall be made by the use of concrete, or otherwise as directed by the plumbing inspector or such other persons as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, or iron pipe shall be used. The bottom shall be brought to grade, bell holes cut, each piece of pipe laid carefully to grade with a spirit level, with a full firm bearing throughout. Each joint shall be made by inserting a yarn gasket, then filling the annular space with bevelling fully in front with fresh cement mortar, consisting of one part Portland cement and 2½ parts clean sand. Each joint shall be cleaned of mortar protruding within the pipe and the pipe left clean as the pipe progresses. In the streets the back filling shall be tamped carefully to the surface; elsewhere it shall be tamped carefully around the twelve inches above the pipe; the remaining dirt being filled in and over the trench.

CAST IRON PIPE.

Section 24. All cast iron and pipe fittings shall be sound, free from cracks, blow holes or other defects, of the bell and spigot pattern, bells of such shape and strength as to allow proper caulking of each joint and thoroughly covered throughout with an approved rust proof coating. The thickness shall be uniform and the weight in pounds per lineal foot not less than the following:

Size.	Standard.	Extra Heavy
2-inch pipe	3½	5½
3-inch pipe	4½	9½
4-inch pipe	6½	13
5-inch pipe	8½	17
6-inch pipe	10½	20

Extra heavy pipe shall be used for all buildings over three stories high, counting basement and attics if occupied; as may be required by the plumbing inspector or such other person as the Mayor and the City Commission may designate, for pipes underground and for large buildings and is strongly recomended for all buildings. Each joint shall be made with picked oakum, well packed and with soft pig lead, faithfully caulked, 10 ounces of lead to be used per inch of diameter for each joint; no cement, putty, tar, parafin, tallow, nor similar fillers will be allowed. Connections shall be made with Y branches and changes of directions with proper bends; sanitary tees, or T. Y. branches are permitted on vertical pipes only, and double hubs and crosses only on vent pipes, above the flow lines of fixtures; short ¼ bends and common offsets in the soil pipes are prohibited; bends and saddles are prohibited.

WROUGHT PIPE.

Section 25. All wrought iron or steel pipe shall be standard lap-wheel galvanized water pipe, with malleable galvaized water fittings; their use is limited to vent pipes and supply pipes except that where the Durham system is used, wrought soil and waste pipes may be used, with heavy cast iron recessed giving a smooth interior waterway, the threads being tapped to give at least ¼ inch per foot slope for horizontal pipes. Joints are to have taper threads, and be screwed tight, with red lead; all burrs, formed in cutting must be removed. No unions are to be used in screw-pipe.

Rules and Regulations of the Town of Hammond

Hammond Louisiana

Information for Consumers of Water, Sewer Connections and House Plumbing.

Adopted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen and Enacted by Ordinances.

Town Officers

Dr S L Powlett.	Mayor.
Geo C Weeks,	Treasurer
Jas B Adams	Clerk
T W Skinner	Tax Coll and St Con
J D Hughes.	Marshall

Board of Aldermen.

T N Cate, J H Bondurant, Geo E Boos, S L Hill and E Richardson.

A Reduction of Water Rates authorized

Extract from the minutes of the proceedings of the Town Council at the Stated meeting on October 2-1906

"Ald Boos moved, seconded by Ald. Bondurant, "That the Supt of Water Works be authorized to allow a discount of 35% per cent on all rates published in Sections No 1 & No 2 of ordinance No 88" Carried by the following vote:- Ald Boos, Bondurant, Hill and Cate voting "Aye". Absent H Powlett & E Richardson

Attest.

J B Adams
Clerk

S L Powlett
Mayor

Ordinance No 88

An ordinance regulating the Collection of Water Rentals in the Town of Hammond -

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Hammond, La. that the Collection of Water Rentals in the Town of Hammond La shall be made as follows, to wit:-

Sec No 1 Domestic Rates - Per Annum.

Each Residence of 4 Rooms or Less	$ 9.00
" Additional room in residence.	1.00
" Bath Tub.	3.00
" Water Closet, & Flush Tank 7.	4.00
" Wash Stand or Lavatory.	2.00
" Extra outlet inside of residence.	1.00
" Hot Water Boiler.	2.50
" Horse or Cow.	1.50
" Slop Sink	2.50

Where a residence is occupied by more than one family 33⅓% shall be added for each additional family -

Sec No 2 - Hotels, Boarding Houses and Business Establishments - Per Annum

Each Hotel or Boarding House of ten rooms or Less	$ 20.00
" Additional room in Boarding House or Hotel	1.25
" Bath Tub in Hotel or Boarding House.	6.00
" Water Closet & Flush Tank 7 in Hotel or Boarding House	7.00
" Water Tank & not flush tank 7 in Hotel or Boarding House	10.00
" Each additional outlet in Hotel or Boarding House	1.50
" Bowl in Lavatory, or Stationary Wash Stand for Hotel or Boarding House	2.00

Each.	Hot water boiler in Hotel or Boarding House	4.00
"	Barber Shop (1 Chair)	9.00
"	Additional Chair in Barber Shop	6.00
"	Bath tub in Barber Shop	9.00
"	Bar Room	20.00
"	Billard Room	9.00
"	Restaurant	12.00
"	Soda Fountain	6.00
"	Drug Store	9.00
"	Doctors Office	9.00
"	Dental Office without fountain Cuspidore	9.00
"	Fountain Cuspidore in Dental Office	5.00
"	Butcher Shop	9.00
"	Slaughter House	15.00
"	Livery, Boarding, or Sale Stable Per Stall	2.00
"	Mule Pen	24.00
"	Hand Laundry one employee	15.00
"	Additional employee in Hand Laundry	7.00
"	Steam Laundry, meter or Special	-
"	Bakery	12.00
"	Bank	9.00
"	Blacksmith Shop 1 Fire	9.00
"	Additional fire in Blacksmith Shop	2.00
"	Photograph Gallery	9.00
"	Printing Office (no Engine)	9.00
"	Engine, per 1 H.P	2.00
"	Office or Store	9.00
"	Church, one outlet in Building Without the ~~use~~ privilege of Sprinkling or use of hose	Free
"	Church where Sprinkling is done, per running foot of Street Sprinkled, per season	.05
"	Church where lawn or garden Sprinkling is done, per each Section 50' square, per season	1.50

Each Church where outlet is placed outside of building	10.00
Each Water Closet, flush tank, for store or office, for private use	4.00
Each Water Closet, flush tank, for bar room billiard room, barber shop or restaurant	7.00
Each porcelain urinal in Stall, flush tank for barroom, billiard Room, barber shop restaurant or Hotel	7.00
Each trough urinal, flush tank, for barroom, billiard Room, barber shop restaurant or Hotel, per foot	2.50
This rate shall never be less than-	7.00
Each urinal, flush tank, for private use	4.00
Each lavatory bowl for barroom, billiard room or restaurant	3.00
Each pop, or Carbonated water factory per 100 Standard Cases of standard Size pop bottles, or their equivalent	2.50
Each extra outlet in office, Store or business establishment	1.50
Each section, of 50' square or less, of garden or Lawn Sprinkling when done by an attendant, per season	1.50
Same, when done by Automatic Sprinkler	5.00
Each running foot of Street Sprinkling When done by Attendant, per season	.05
Same when done by Automatic Sprinkler	.20
Each water motor, or motor Fan 1-16" Nozzle per month	1.00
" " " " " " 5-64" Nozzle per month	1.25
" " " " " " 3-32" nozzle per mo	1.75
" " " " " " 7-64" Nozzle per mo	2.50

Each fountain jet shall be charged the same as water motor, or motor fan rate for a nozzle of equal opening

but it shall be limited to operating between noon & dark each day -
Each opening for public watering, where the water is handled by buckets for a merchants or patrons use alone - 10.00
Each watering trough, with automatic float valve 50.00
Each 1000 brick laid .20
" 100 Square feet of plastering .05
" Cubic yard of Concrete .10

Section No 3

The above named rentals are predicated upon the use of self closing faucets or fixtures, in all instances, except for bath tub, and hose Connections for garden, lawn or street sprinkling and the use of loose key outlets wherever an outlet is outside of a building. Where loose key, or self closing outlets are not used when required, the rentals shall be increased 20 per cent on the entire premises -

In all instances the basic rentals shall be charged before any of the auxilliary privileges can be enjoyed, such as sprinkling, bath etc.

The basic rate permits one opening placed inside of the building. In case of a dwelling, or hotel, it may be placed at a sink in the kitchen and water may be used for all kitchen & household purposes wherever Carried by hand. In case of an office, store, billiard room, bar room barber shop, or other business establishment it may be used either in Connection with a sink or lavatory, at the option of the Consumer, & water may be used for legitimate purposes within the establishment wherever Carried by hand.

where an outlet is placed on the outside of a building there shall be an addition to the basic rate per annum $2.00

Where a consumer permits another person, or persons, to take or use water from his premises, the said Consumer shall be charged with the full rental for the premises of each person or persons so supplied.

Where the side and front Street of Corner lots are sprinkled, Charged shall be made for the side as well as for the front Street.

The number of rooms in a dwelling or hotel shall be determined by the following rule:- All rooms connected with the building shall be counted, such as kitchen dining room, living room bed rooms parlor & library, that are furnished, whether regularly used or not. The following shall not be construed as rooms:- Halls, bath rooms, unfurnished basements, attics, lumber rooms, or linen closets.

Where a consumer desires to use the water for sprinkling purposes, he must indicate his desire by making payment for the purpose for the entire season in advance of using it for that purpose, otherwise he will be delinquent as to the amount due & shall be charged an excess of 20% on that part of the service

Section No 4

Whereever it is apparent there is excessive waste, or in the opinion of the town it is desirable, the town may set a meter to measure the supply, in which event the following rate shall be charged- Where the monthly consumption is:—

10,000 gallons or less, per 1000 gallons .20

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10.000 to 20.000 gallons, per 1000 gallons .15
20:000 to 50.000 " " 1000 " .10
50.000 gallons or more, " 1000 " .05

Wherever a meter is set the minimum rate per annum shall be — $24.00

Section No 5

Rentals shall be paid monthly in advance at the office of the Superintendent between the hours of 9 am and 4 pm on or before the 10th of the month on which they become due, after which time they will be delinquent & subject to a penalty of 10%. When a rental is delinquent 20 days, the service shall be discontinued & the water shall be shut off at the Curb. When the service has been discontinued for non-payment, the consumer shall pay all delinquencies & penalties, & in addition pay a fee of $1.00 for turning on & off the service.—

Section No 6

Because of its urgent need, this ordinance shall take effect, & be in force from & after its passage.—

Passed July 3-1906

J B Adams - Clerk S L Powlett. Mayor

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Ordinance No 85

An ordinance providing for the tapping of the mains of the water works and running the service to the Curb line in the town of Hammond Louisiana

Whereas it is necessary to regulate the method of tapping the mains of the water works and running the service to the Curb line, in interest of reliable water service for fire & domestic purposes for the public benefit, therefore:—

Be it ordained by the mayor & Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond:—

Section No 1

The tapping of the mains of the water works & running the service to the Curb line shall be done by the town & charged to the Consumer at cost

Section No 2

At the regular meeting in July annually the mayor & Board of Aldermen will receive bids & award the contract for the tapping of the mains & running the service to the curb line. The Contract shall only be awarded for the year following, and must be to the lowest responsible bidder, who shall be required to enter into a Contract to execute the work in a good & workmanlike manner furnishing all material as required by this ordinance & give a good and satisfactory bond equal to $250.00 for the faithful performance of the Contract

Section No 3

Tapping of the water mains shall be limited to 1/2" and 5/8" Standard taps When the revenue from the premises will be less than $18.00 per annum, exclusive of sprinkling the tap shall be 1/2" - When in excess of $18.00 it may be 5/8"

Section No 4

The main must be tapped without turning the water off. There must be a "Mueller" or equal Corporation Cock placed at the main, with an extra strong lead connection 18" long provided with brass soldering nipple. The pipe to the curb may be galvanized iron but must be laid in clean clay & not less than 2 feet deep, with a "Mueller" or equal ~~Corporation~~ Curb Cock & Street box set six inches inside the curb.

Section No 5

The contractor for this work must make a written report to the Supt of the water works giving the date of making the tap & the distance of the curb box from the nearest fire hydrant.

Section No 6

Because of its urgent need this ordinance shall take effect & be in full force from & after its passage.

Passed July 3rd 1906

J B Adams Clerk

H Fowler Mayor

Ordinance No 86

An ordinance providing for the licensing of plumbers in the town of Hammond La.

Whereas, following the erection of the water works a large amount of plumbing work will be done within the Corporate limits of the town & it is desirable in the interest of public health, reliable service, & the prevention of the waste of water that persons doing the plumbing be licensed by & under the control of the mayor & Board of Aldermen - therefore :- Be it ordained by the mayor & Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond La :-

Section No 1

No person or persons not duly licensed by the Mayor & Board of Aldermen as plumbers shall be permitted to do any plumbing within the Corporate limits of the town of Hammond -

Section No 2

Any person or persons desiring of doing plumbing within the Corporate limits of the town shall first make application to the Mayor & Board of Aldermen for license to do so

Section No 3

When any person or persons satisfactory to the Mayor & Board of Aldermen makes application for license to do plumbing within the Corporate limits of the town it shall be the duty of the Board to grant a license to the

to said applicant which shall become effective after the payment of the license fee

Section No 4

The license fee for doing plumbing within the limits of the town shall be $1.00 per annum payable in advance -

Section No 5

A licensed plumber must file an application with the Supt of the water works for a permit to install or extend any plumbing system within the Corporate limits of the town & give a detailed account of the Character of the building, number of rooms & outlet to be used & must not do any new plumbing work without first getting a permit, & must do all the work in accordance with the town ordinances regulating plumbing.

Section No 6

Any licensed plumber violating this ordinance or ordinances regulating plumbing, or any of the ordinances of the town, upon conviction his license may be revoked & shall not be reissued for one year.

Section No 7

Any person or persons not licensed doing any plumbing work within the town limits shall upon conviction be fined not less than $10.00 or more than $100.00 or be confined in jail not less than ten days or more than 30 days, or both at the discretion of the Court

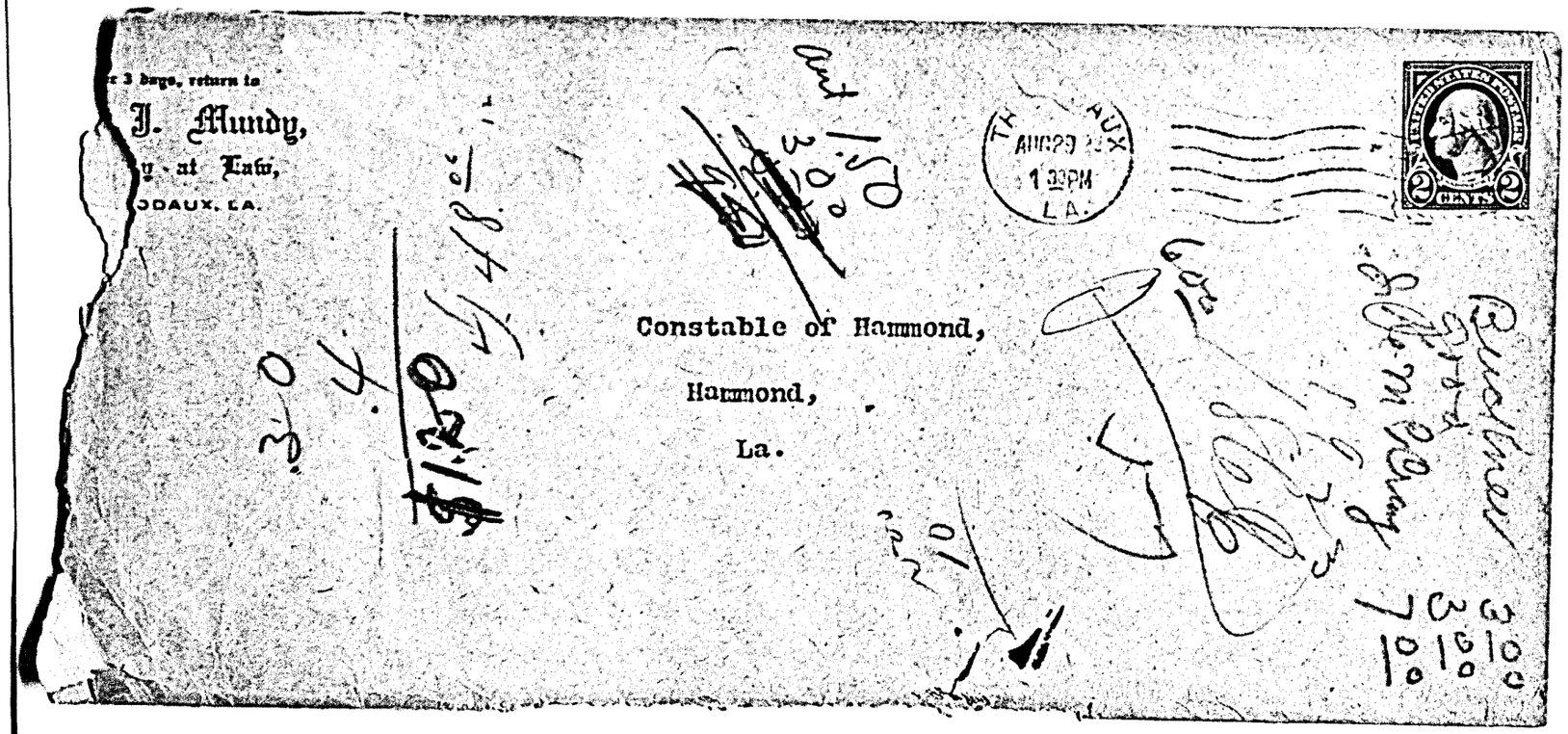
Section No 8

Because of its urgent need this ordinance shall take effect & be in force from & after its passage

Passed July 3 1906

S H Howlett
Mayor

S B Adams Clerk



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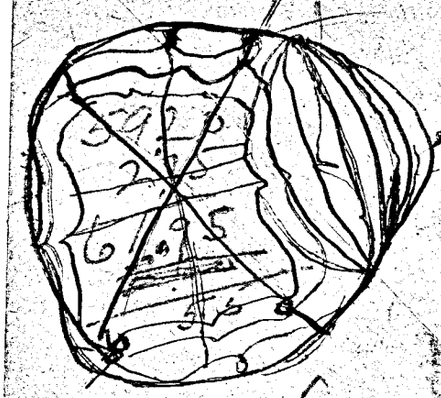

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Office 1107 Canal Ave. Phone 274

Charles J. Mundy,

Attorney at Law,

THIBODAUX, LOUISIANA.

August 29, 1923.

Constable of Hammond,
Hammond, La.

Dear Sir:-

I wish you would please serve the inclosed papers on a colored man named Alexander Williams, or D. A. Williams, as he is commonly known.

He lives on a strawberry farm about a mile from Hammond, and you can get his exact whereabouts from Monroe Taylor, whom you can find arounf the depot.

I inclose you my check for $1.00 for the service and if that is not enough to cover the charge, let me know and I will send the balance.

I have sent these papers twice to the Sheriff at Amite, and he returned them both times with the statement that he could not locate this man, but I know that you can find him as he is right there, and I do not believe the Sheriff took any trouble to try to find him.

Stamped envelope inclosed for the return you will make of the service on the back of the Citation.

Thanking you to please give this matter your prompt attention, I remain,

Very truly yours,

Charles J. Mundy.

Ordinance No 87

An ordinance regulating plumbing in the town of Hammond La.

Whereas the Construction of a system of Water works by the town renders it necessary to regulate the method of doing plumbing work in dwellings & business houses of the town in order to prevent Wastage of water & preserve the public health. Therefore

Be it ordained by the Mayor & Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond La:—

Section No 1

Any plumber who proposes to install or extend a plumbing system in any dwelling or business house within the limits of the town shall file a application with the Supt of the water works to have the main tapped & the service run to the curb when necessary, & the permit to do the plumbing stating in detail the Character of the building whether dwelling or business house— number of rooms, fixtures & outlets from which water may be drawn to- gether with their location.

Section No 2

Upon the receipt of the detailed application from a regular licensed plumber to have the mains tapped & for permission to install or extend a plumbing system in any dwelling or business house, it shall be the duty of the Supt of the water works to have the mains tapped & the service run to the curb at as early

an hour as possible & issue a permit to the said licensed plumber to install the said plumbing system in accordance with the laws of the town regulating plumbing.

Section No 3

Each fixture, or set of fixtures in one room, must be provided with stop & waste cocks, in an accessible place so the water may be turned off & the pipes drained to a point beneath where freezing is possible in extreme cold weather. A stop & waste cock must be located in an accessible place so that the water for the entire house may be turned off & the pipes drained through it.

Section No 4

The waste pipe from each fixture from which water may be drawn must be properly trapped & shall not connect to a sewer system the traps must be properly ventilated.

Section No 5

Any person, or firm, or any employee of any person, or firm violating this ordinance, shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of not less than $10.00 or more than $100.00 or be confined in the jail not less than 10 days or more than 30 days, or both at the discretion of the Court.

Section No 6

Because of its urgent need this ordinance shall take effect & be in full force from & after its passage.

Passed July 3-1906

J B Adams Clerk

H Jacobs Mayor

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Ordinance No 84

An ordinance prohibiting the tapping or tampering with the Mains Hydrants, Valves, Tower & Tank, Power House Machinery or any part of the water works of the town of Hammond La-

Whereas it is necessary to prevent any tapping of the Mains, or tampering with the mains, hydrants Valves, Tower & Tank, Power House machinery, or any part of the water works, except by duly authorized persons, in interest of public safety & reliable water & fire service to the public, therefore be it ordained by the Mayor & Board of Aldermen of the town of Hammond La-

Section No 1

Any person or persons, not duly authorized by the Mayor & Board of Aldermen who shall be guilty of tapping the mains, or tampering with the mains, hydrants valves, tower & tank, powerhouse machinery or any part of the water works in the town of Hammond La, upon Conviction, shall be fined not less than $10.00 or more than $100.00 or be confined in the jail not less than 10 days or more than 30 days, or both, at the discretion of the Court

Section No 2

This ordinance to take effect & be in full force from and after its passage

passed July 3rd 1906

J B Adams Clerk

A L Fowler
Mayor

ORDINANCE NO. 35

Be it remembered that at a special meeting of Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in the Parish of Tangipahoa, State of Louisiana, held on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1916, at its regular place of meeting, at 10:30 o'clock, a. m., there being then and there present the following members of said Council, to-wit:

Commissioners J. W. Skinner, T. R. Thames, George F. Smith.

Absent: None.

At which meeting certain proceedings were had, among which were the following:

Commissioner T. R. Thames presented and read the following ordinance, and moved its adoption, which motion was seconded by Commissioner George F. Smith, and said motion being then and there put to a vote of the "ayes" and "nays," and the roll being called, said ordinance was unanimously adopted. All members of the Council voting "aye" and there being no votes "nay," which ordinance is in the words and figures following to-wit:

ORDINANCE NO. 35, COMMISSION SERIES.

Ordinance making provision for the payment of all statutory and ordinary charges of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, payable out of taxes levied in and for the years 1916 to 1925, both inclusive, and providing for the issuance of twenty thousand dollars, ($20,000) bonds of said city for the purpose of constructing streets in and for said city, the principal and interest of said bonds to be payable out of the avails of the residue of the ten mill tax so levied and to be levied in said years, as authorized by Article 232 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana.

Whereas, it has been and is hereby found and determined by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that the assessed valuation of the property within the City of Hammond, Louisiana, for the year 1915, is the sum of one million, one hundred ninety-eight thousand, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars ($1,198,168), and that all of the statutory and ordinary charges of said city for the year 1916, to be paid out of the ten mill tax (after deducting all prior dedications of such residue), will be not to exceed the sum of five thousand, one hundred and thirty dollars ($5,130), and that there will be a residue of said ten mill tax levied, respectively, in the years 1916 to 1925 which will be collectible in each of the years 1917 to 1926, respectively, as follows:

Year of Levy	Amount of Tax Dedicated for all Statutory and Ordinary Charges
1916	4.29 Mills
1917	4.29 Mills
1918	4.29 Mills
1919	4.29 Mills
1920	4.29 Mills
1921	4.29 Mills
1922	4.29 Mills
1923	4.29 Mills
1924	4.29 Mills
1925	4.29 Mills

And whereas, in the judgment of the Commission Council a sufficient part of said tax in each of the years as indicated in the ordinance which will be available for the purposes provided for by Section 4 of Article 281 of the Constitution of Louisiana, over and above the tax and all other prior appropriations and dedications, which as indicated by this ordinance, it has been ascertained by the Commission Council will be needed for the payment of all statutory and ordinary charges out of said tax to be levied in said years 1916 to 1925, inclusive; and also determined by the Commission Council of said city, that the conditions required by law to exist, do exist, as authorized by Section 4 of Article 281 of the State Constitution, in order to justify the issuance of the bonds hereinafter described, and that it is necessary to borrow the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000), for the purpose of constructing streets in and for said city, and to issue bonds in said amount bearing interest at the rate of five per centum (5) per annum, the installments of principal and interest of which shall be payable out of the avails of the

Year of Levy	Amount of Tax Dedicated for all Statutory and Ordinary Charges
1916	4.29 Mills
1917	4.29 Mills
1918	4.29 Mills
1919	4.29 Mills
1920	4.29 Mills
1921	4.29 Mills
1922	4.29 Mills
1923	4.29 Mills
1924	4.29 Mills
1925	4.29 Mills

And it is further ordained that the amount of tax to be levied in each of the years and for the amounts above indicated are hereby dedicated to the payment of the installments of principal and interest of the bonds authorized to be issued by this ordinance, for which purpose a sinking fund to pay the installments of the principal of the bonds at maturity shall, until they are fully paid, be maintained and is hereby created, into which such taxes so dedicated shall be paid.

Year in Which Tax Levied	Residue of Tax Levied
1916	1 Mills
1917	1 "
1918	2 "
1919	2 "
1920	2½ "
1921	1½ "
1922	1½ "
1923	4 "
1924	4 "
1925	4 "

Which residue of tax as collected will be available for the purposes named in Section 4 of Article 281 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, in addition to all other bonds heretofore issued, that the levy of the full ten (10) mill tax authorized by Article 232 of the Constitution of Louisiana, in the years 1916 to 1925, both inclusive, there will be more than sufficient to pay all of the statutory and ordinary charges of said city that will become payable in the years 1917 to 1926, both inclusive; and that out of the ten (10) mill tax to be levied in the years 1916 to 1925 both inclusive, there will be available over and charges, and all other prior dedications and appropriations of the residue of the ten (10) mill tax authorized to be funded into bonds, for the purpose of funding into additional bonds to be issued, as provided in this ordinance, as authorized under the provisions of Section 4 of Article 281 of the Constitution, that part of said ten (10) mill tax levied and to be levied in said years 1916 to 1925, a sufficient part of the avails of the residue due of the ten mill tax to produce and to be thereafter collected in each of the years, the respective amounts as follows:

Amount of Tax Previously Dedicated	Amount of Tax Now Dedicated to Pay Principal and Interest of Bonds Authorized by this Ordinance
4¼ Mills	1 Mill
4 Mills	1 Mill
3½ Mills	2 Mills
1½ Mills	2 Mills
1½ Mills	2½ Mills
	1½ Mills
	1½ Mills
	4 Mills
	4 Mills
	4 Mills

residue of the ten mill tax authorized by Article 232 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana; and

Whereas, it duly appearing that all conditions precedent to the lawful issuance of said bonds required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana have been fully complied with and exist strictly as required by law and bonds as are hereinafter described have been sold at a price not less than the par value thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSION COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND, TANGIPAHOA PARISH, LOUISIANA:

That there shall be annually levied in each of the years 1916 to 1925, both inclusive, the full tax of ten (10) mills on the dollar of the valuation of all taxable property within said city, as authorized by Article 232 of the Constitution of Louisiana, and there has been and is hereby appropriated and ordered to be devoted to the payment of all statutory and ordinary charges and prior dedications, and the remainder devoted and dedicated to the payment of the installments of principal and interest of the bonds and authorized by this ordinance, in the manner following:

Amount of Tax Previously Dedicated	Amount of Tax Now Dedicated to Pay Principal and Interest of Bonds Authorized by this Ordinance
4¼ Mills	1 Mill
4 Mills	1 Mill
3½ Mills	2 Mills
1½ Mills	2 Mills
1½ Mills	2½ Mills
	1½ Mills
	1½ Mills
	4 Mills
	4 Mills
	4 Mills

Be it further ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that for the purpose of constructing streets in and for said city, and in anticipation of the collection of the avails of the residue of the tax hereinabove provided to be levied, in the years 1916 to 1925, inclusive, there shall be and there is hereby ordered and directed to be issued negotiable coupon bonds of said City of Hammond, in the total sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000); said bonds shall be twenty (20) in number; numbered from one to twenty (1-20), inclusive; shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars ($1,000) each; dated January 1, A. D. 1916, and shall mature and become payable on the first day of January of the years as follows, to-wit:

Year of Maturity	Bond Number	Total Amount Bonds Maturing
1919	1	$1,000
1920	2	$1,000
1921	3	$1,000
1922	4	$1,000
1923	5	$1,000
1924	6- 9	$4,000
1925	10-14	$5,000
1926	15-20	$6,000

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five per centum (5) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and of January, of each year, the first installment of interest, however, shall be payable July 1, 1917. Said interest installments shall be evidenced by and payable upon the presentation and surrender of the interest coupons attached representing said interest installments. Both principal and interest shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Banking House of the Central Trust Company of Illinois, in the City of Chicago, Illinois.

Be it further ordained, that said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form, with the necessary variations to indicate the different numbers, maturities of princinpal and interest installments, to-wit:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF TANGIPAHOA, CITY OF HAMMOND

IMPROVEMENT BOND

No._____ $1,000

Know all men by these presents, that the City of Hammond, in the Parish of Tangipahoa, in the State of Louisiana, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay bearer the sum of

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

on the first day of January, A. D. 19____, together with interest on said sum from the date hereof until paid at the rate of five per centum (5) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and of January, of each year, the first installment, however, shall be payable July 1, A. D. 1917, upon presentation and surrender of the annexed interest coupons as they severally become due; both principal and interest hereof are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Banking House of the Central Trust Company of Illinois, in the City of Chicago, Illinois.

This bond is one of a series of bonds of like date and tenor issued for the purpose of providing funds to construct streets in and for said City of Hammond pursuant to ordinances of the Commissin Council of said City, duly passed and adopted; and by virtue of and in strict conformity with all of the different requirements of the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana. The installments of principal and interest of said bonds are payable out of a sufficient part of the ten mills tax levied and to be levied after having made provision for the payment of all statutory and ordinary charges of said City, and all prior dedications of such tax, or any part thereof.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond do exist, have happened and been performed in regular and due form, time and manner as required by law; that the amount of this bond together with all other indebtedness of said city, does not exceed any limitation prescribed by the Constitution and laws of said State. For the enforcement of the covenants, recitals, and stipulations herein contained, and for the levy, collection and application of a sufficient tax, in accordance with legal requirements, in order to promptly pay this bond and the installments of interest thereof, the full faith, credit and resources of said city are hereby irrevocably pledged.

In testimony whereof, said Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, has caused this bond to be signed by the mayor of said city, countersigned by its secretary, and the official seal of said city to be hereunto affixed, and has caused the interest coupons hereto annexed to be executed with the lithographed fac-simile signatures of said mayor and secretary, and this bond to be dated the first day of January, A. D. 1916.

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Mayor.

Countersigned:

_____
Secretary.

(Form of Coupon)

No._____ $50.00

On the first day of (July) (January), A. D. 19____, the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, will pay bearer the sum of Fifty Dollars lawful money of the United States of America, at the Banking House of the Central Trust Company of Illinois, in the City of Chicago, Illinois, being interest due that date on its Improvement Bond dated January 1, A. D. 1916, No._____.

_____
Mayor.

Countersigned:

_____
Secretary.

Be it further ordained that the mayor and secretary of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds and semi-annual interest coupons for and on behalf of said city, substantially in the manner and form aforesaid; provided, however, that the interest coupons may be executed with their lithographed signatures. The first, second and third interest ocupons shall each be payable July 1, A. D. 1917, but the first and second coupons shall contain the following optipn: "The City of Hammond hereby reserves the privilege of paying this coupon at any time prior to the time fixed for its payment."

In each of bonds numbered six to twenty (6-20), both inclusive, after indicating the place of payment, there shall be inserted and printed the following provision: "The City of Hammond reserves the right to pay the principal of this bond before its specified maturity at any interest payment date five (5) years from the date of this bond, or thereafter."

After being executed as aforesaid, said bonds shall be delivered to Messrs. J. R. Sutherlin and Company, Kansas City, Missouri, the purchasers thereof, or to such person or persons as they may direct, upon payment of the purchase price thereof, in an amount equal to not less than the par value thereof and the accrued interest thereon. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used and applied solely for the purposes for which they have been ordered issued, as designated in this ordinance. It is, however, understood that the purchaser of said bonds shall not be under any obligation to see to the application of the purchase money.

Be it further ordained, that in order to make provision for the prompt payment of the installments of interest and principal of said bonds, the City of Hammond, does hereby solemnly covenant and agree to levy each year so long as any of said bonds or coupons are outstanding and unpaid, the full authorized limit of ten (10) mills on the dollar valuation upon all of the taxable property within said City of Hammond, and cause to be done whatever may be necessary to prompty and fully collect the same; and it is expressly agreed that the statutory and ordinary charges of said city payable in each of the years 1917 to 1926, shall be kept within such limits as shall not in any way militate against nor delay the payment of the installments of the principal and interest of the bonds ordered by this ordinance to be issued; and it is further covenanted and agreed that there shall be and there is hereby appropriated out of the ten (10) mills tax authorized to be levied in each of the years 1916 to 1925, both inclusive, by virtue of Article 232 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana that part of said tax in excess of the tax appropriated for all statutory and ordinary charges of the city, and the avails of the foregoing tax after the payment of all prior dedications thereof shall be set aside as has been provided in the ordinance, as a sinking fund, which shall be applied solely for the payment of the interest accruing on said bonds and the principal of said bonds as the installments thereof, respectively, fall due.

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Be it further ordained that the provisions of all former ordinances, resolutions and orders of this Commission Council that are in any way inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby to the extent of any such inconsistency, rescinded so as to make the provisions of this ordinance fully operative and effective.

JOHN W. SKINNER, Mayor.

Attest:

H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

State of Louisiana,
Parish of Tangipahoa.

I, the undersigned secretary of the City of Hammond, in said Parish and State, do hereby certify that the foregoing, consisting of nine (9) pages, contains a full, true and correct copy of the record of proceedings adopted by the Commission Council of said city, at a special meeting duly and legally held at the regular place of meeting, on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1916, relating to the issuance of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) Improvement Bonds of said city, as the same appear of record in my office, and which ordinance has been duly published in the official paper and is now in full force and effect.

Witness my hand and the official seal of said city, the.....day of January, A. D. 1916.

H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

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Commission Series
Ordinance No. 36

An ordinance to prohibit to sale or keeping for sale of any food products except those kept and sold in air tight packages in any building used for residential purposes except where entirely cut off by solid wall, and to provide a penalty for the violation, thereof.

1 Section 1

Be it ordained by the commission Council of the City of Hammond that it shall be unlawful for any person, persons, firm or corporation within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to sell or keep for sale in any building used for residential purposes any food products or groceries except those put up in air tight packages, unless the residence part of the building is entirely cut off from the part used for the storage of said groceries or food products of any kind by a solid wall in which there shall be no door or window or any crack or cracks.

2. Section 2

Be it further ordained that whoever shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, upon conviction shall be subject

to a fine of not less than One Dollar and not more than One Hundred Dollar, and all costs, or not more than thirty days in the city Jail, or both at the discretion of the Court.

3. Section 3

Be it further ordained, etc. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance shall be effective from and after its promulgation.

Attest:
H. G. Hungate
Secy.

Jno. W. Skinner
Mayor and Commissioner of Public Health & Safety.
T. R. Thames,
Commissioner of Finance.
Geo. F. Smith,
Commissioner of Streets & Parks.

The following resolution was presented by Geo. Boof seconded by T. A. Sowell and unanimously passed by members present:

Whereas it is injurious to the health of the community to consume food stored in sleeping apartments and living rooms in residences:

Be it resolved by the Board of Health of the City of Hammond that the Commission Council

of the City of Hammond be requested prfd are by this resolution requested to enact an ordinance prohibiting the sale or keeping for sale of any groceries or food products of any kind not in air tight packages in any building used for residential purposes unless the residence part of the building is entirely cut off from the part used for the storage of said groceries and food products by a solid wall in which there shall be no door or window or any cracks.

Thus done and passed in open session with the following member of the said Board of Health present: A. R. Carter & Geo. Book, W. H. Yaltty, T. A. Sowell, this 4th. day of April, 1916.

Attest:
F. Klein

A. R. Carter
M. D.
President.

I, T. A. Sowell Secretary of the Board of Health of the City of Hammond hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the resolution passed at a Special meeting of the said Board of Health on the 4th day of April, 1916

T. A. Sowell,
Secy.

Commission Series.
Ordinance No. 37.

An ordinance to provide for the closing of all places of business on Sunday except those herein specially excepted.

1 Section 1.

Be it ordained by the commission council of the City of Hammond that all stores, shops and all places of public business which are or may be licensed under the laws of the State of Louisiana or under the ordinance of the City of Hammond, are hereby required to be closed at twelve o'clock on Saturday night, and to remain closed continuously for twenty-four hours, during which period of time it shall not be lawful for the proprietors thereof, or any clerk or other person therein, to open, trade, barter exchange or sell any of the stock or any article of merchandise kept in any such establishment.

2 Section 2.

Be it further ordained etc, That whoever shall violate the provisions of this ordinance, for each offense, shall upon trial and conviction be fined not less than One Dollar and not more than One-Hundred Dollars or be imprisoned in the City Jail for a period of not more than

thirty days, or both, at the discretion of the Mayor.

3 Section 3.

Be it further ordained, etc, that the provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to newspaper and printing offices, soda fountains, bookstores, drug store, apothecary shops, undertaker shops, bakeries, dairies, livery stables, garages, railroads, hotels, machine shops, boarding houses, warehouses for receiving and forwarding freight or express, restaurants, telegraph and telephone offices and theatres, or any place of amusement, provided that upon application to the commissioner of public health and safety and in his absence to the commissioner of finance, stores may be opened for the purpose of selling anything necessary in sickness and for burial purposes when the special permission is granted by said commissioners.

4 Section 4.

Be it further ordained, etc. That all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance shall be effective from and after its promulgation.

Attest:
H. G. Hungate,
Secy.

Jno. H. Skinner Mayor and Commissioner of Public Health & Safety,
T. R. Thanck, Com. of Finance
Geo. F. Smith Com. of Streets & Parks.

Ordinance No. 38 - Commission Series -

An ordinance ratifying the transfer by the Hammond Lumber Company, Limited, to the Illinois Central Railroad Company of an interest in the franchise to maintain and operate a switch-track in the town of Hammond on East Railroad Avenue between Charles Street and Dallata Streets -

Section 1 - Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the town of Hammond that authority is hereby given to the Hammond Lumber Lumber Company, Limited to sell and transfer to the Illinois Central Railroad Company any and all of its rights to maintain and operate a switch track on East Railroad Avenue in the town of Hammond between Charles Street and Dakota Streets, granted it under Ordinance No. 96 Adopted April 12 - 1907 -

Sec - 2 - Be it further ordained, etc, that the said Illinois Central Railroad Company shall enjoy all the rights and privileges under said transfer that were granted to the Hammond Lumber Company, Limited, under the said Ordinance No 96. ~~adopted~~ dated April 12 - 1907 -

Adopted at special meeting held this March 17 - 1917

Jno. H. Stinnett
Mayor

F Klein
Actg Secy

ORDINANCE NO. 39, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance defining blind tigers, prohibiting them, and further prohibiting the dealing in, sale and bringing in intoxicating liquors for unlawful sale, etc.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that a "Blind Tiger" is hereby defined to be any place within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, where spirituous, malt or intoxicating liquors are kept for sale, barter, exchange or habitual giving away.

Section 2. Bt it further ordained, etc., That the keeping of a "Blind Tiger" is hereby prohibited, and whoever shall be guilty of this act shall be deemed guilty of an offense and shall be subject to the penalty hereinafter provided.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That any place suspected of being a "Blind Tiger" shall be searched by any police officer of the City of Hammond designated in a search warrant to be issued by the Mayor and Commissioner of Public Health and Safety upon complaint being made by any person that such place is suspected of being a "Blind Tiger," together with such evidence as the Mayor shall require to make a prima facie case. Return shall be made upon the warrant within twenty-four hours after its issuance and the Mayor shall proceed at once to examine the facts and try the party or parties charged with keeping the "Blind Tiger" according to law.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That any person bringing into this city spirituous and intoxicating liquors in larger quantities than one gallon or in less containers than one-fifth of a gallon at any one time shall be deemed guilty of an offense and upon conviction shall be subject to the penalty hereinafter provided.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That any authorized police officer of the City of Hammond, upon seeing a suspicious character, that is one whom he suspects of having more liquor or liquor in less packages than above provided, shall immediately arrest him and take him before the Mayor for examination and the packages which he has in his possession shall be searched to ascertain just what they contain.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That all intoxicating liquors brought into the City of Hammond in violation of this ordinance or found in any "Blind Tiger" shall be summarily destroyed by the police officer. except what may be necessary for evidence in case of an appeal from the city court.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That any person found guilty of violating any part of this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of an offense and upon conviction shall be subject to a fine of not less than Five Dollars and not more than One Hundred Dollars or be imprisoned in the City Jail not more than thirty days, or both, at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 8. Be it further ordained. etc., That all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

JOHN W. SKINNER, Mayor.

Attest:

H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

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Adopted at a regular meeting held April 3rd 1917

F. Klein

Actg Secy

Jno. W. Skinner

Mayor

ORDINANCE NO. 40, COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance to prohibit the running at large of chickens within the City of Hammond.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation being the owner of or having control over any chickens to allow them to run at large within said City of Hammond.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That any person, firm or corporation violating this ordinance shall, upon conviction be subject to a fine of not less than One Dollar nor more than Ten Dollars for each offense or imprisonment in the city jail for not more than ten days, or both, at the discretion of the mayor.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed and this ordinance shall take effect from and after its promulgation.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

Attest:
H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

Adopted special meeting May 16th 1917.
All Commissioners present.

C. C. Carter
Mayor

Ordinance No 41 Commission Series.

Providing for the punishment of persons guilty of Contempt of the Authority of the City's Court, and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Commission Council of the City of Hammond ~~that~~ Louisiana, in regular session convened, That any person disobeying any summons to appear as a witness or otherwise, before the City Court, or who shall commit a contempt of Court during the session of the City Court by disrespectful words, conduct or actions, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 2. Be it further ordained etc., That whoever shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five($5.00) dollars, or imprisonment not exceeding ten (10) days, or both at the discretion of the Court.

L. L. Carter
Mayor.

J. Klein
Acting Secretary.

Adopted at a regular meeting held in the Mayor's Office this the 3rd day of July 1917.

ORDINANCE NO. 42, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance to prohibit gambling for money or any representative of money; to prohibit the running of any gambling house, and to provide a penalty for its violation.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, That it shall be unlawful for any person within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond to engage in gambling for money or any representative of money.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, or association of persons owning or leasing any building or occupying any building under any pretext, to permit gambling for money or representative of money in said building, this section applying to owner, lessor and occupant and denouncing a separate offense for each.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That gambling is hereby defined and for the purpose of this ordinance shall be considered, any game of cards, dice, pitching dollars or other denomination of money or representatives thereof, where money or representatives of money is played for.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall not apply to any game of cards in a residence where no charge is made to the players and no profit or charge made and paid to the owner, lessor or occupant of the building, provided that the place must be a bona fide residence of one of the players or the person inviting the players, the intention of this ordinance being to prohibit all public gambling and gambling houses and not to interfere with private entertainment where the guests are invited to play cards.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall not apply to card parties given at residences where prizes are offered to the most successful players.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That any person, firm or corporation, or association of persons, who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be each subject, upon conviction, to a fine of not less than Five Dollars nor more than One Hundred Dollars, or not more than thirty days imprisonment, or both, at the discretion of the court.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall be effective from and after its promulgation and shall repeal Ordinance No. 102 of the Town of Hammond.

Attest: C. C. CARTER,
H. G. HUNGATE, Mayor.
Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 43, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance to regulate the construction and maintenance of electrical wires and conductors in the streets, avenues and public places of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, and to repeal Ordinance No. 57, regulating such construction and maintenance, adopted on the 7th day of April, 1903.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana:

Section 1. All poles, guys, anchors and other supports carrying overhead electrical wires or conductors, shall be erected in a safe and substantial manner and shall be so located as not to interfere with any other lawful use of the streets, alleys or ways.

Section 2. The electrical wires or fixtures of one person, firm or corporation shall not be attached to the pole or support of any other person, firm or corporation without the consent of the person, firm or corporation owning such pole or support.

Section 3. As far as practicable, poles carrying electric light and power wires shall be erected on one side of the street, and poles carrying telephone, telegraph or signal wires shall be erected on the opposite side of the street; provided, however, that this shall not apply to poles erected at the intersection of street or for the purposes of local distribution; provided, further, that a pole or a pole line on either side of the street may be jointly used for both electric light or power wires and telephone, telegraph or signal wires under mutual agreement between the parties desiring such joint use, if the construction and maintenance of all such jointly used poles, including all wires and attachments thereon, are in accordance with specifications issued in 1911 by the National Electric Light Association for joint use of poles between telephone and electric companies, or some other specifications generally replacing same as standard practice.

Section 4. Electric light and power wires shall be strung not less than 20 feet above the ground when over roadways, and not less than 15 feet above the ground when over sidewalks.

Section 5. Telephone, telegraph and signal wires shall be strung not less than 18 feet above the ground when over roadways, and not less than 12 feet above the ground when over sidewalks.

Section 6. Where practicable, electric light and power wires shall be carried at a higher level than telephone and telegraph wires, and in crossing shall be strung above telephone and telegraph wires.

Section 7. The minimum separation between electric light and power wires and telephone, telegraph and signal wires, shall be two feet.

Section 8. The chairman of the street committee shall have power, and it shall be his duty, to inspect all electrical wires and the poles and other supports carrying same in the streets and public places of the City of Hammond, and to require that such wires and apparatus shall be constructed and maintained in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 9. Any person, firm or corporation failing to comply with the provisions of this ordinance within three days after receipt of written notice from the chairman of the street committee so to do, shall upon conviction be fined not less than five dollars ($5.00), nor more than twenty-five dollars ($25.00), and upon default of payment of such fine, imprisoned for not more than ten (10) days; each day of default, after said three days, to be a separate offense.

Section 10. Ordinance No. 57, regulating the construction and maintenance of electrical wires and adopted on the 7th day of April, 1903, and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 11. This ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage.

H. G. HUNGATE, C. C. CARTER,
Secretary. Mayor.

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ORDINANCE NO. 45, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance to prohibit the running at large of horses, mules, asses and meat cattle, within the limits of the City of Hammond and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the impounding of all such animals found running at large and providing the manner of keeping and selling of same.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that it shall be unlawful for any owner of, agent or employee of the owner of any horses, mules, asses, and meat cattle, to allow them to run at large within the limits of the City of Hammond, Louisiana.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be the duty of the Marshal or Chief of Police or any deputy designated for that purpose by the Mayor, to capture and impound in a pound to be designated by the Mayor, all such animals mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance, which are found running at large, and to give written notice of such impounding to the owner, by delivery to him in person or by leaving the same at his home, if he be a resident of the City of Hammond, and if he be a non-resident of said city by the delivery in person or the registering of said notice to his postoffice address, and if his postoffice address or the name of the owner cannot be ascertained, by posting said notice on the front door of the Mayor's office for ten days.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That there shall be imposed, in addition to the penalty hereinafter provided, on each and every animal mentioned in Section 1 found running at large within the said City of Hammond, a penalty of Three ($3.00) Dollars, and the person designated by the Mayor to impound animals shall be entitled to charge a fee of fifty cents per day for each day such animal shall remain impounded, to be paid by the owner of such animal before such animal is released from the pound, and for each sale made under this ordinance the said person shall be entitled to charge a fee of One Dollar.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That if the animals so impounded be not claimed by their owners and the charges paid as above provided within forty-eight hours after notice as provided above, it shall then be the duty of the Chief of Police, Marshal, or other person designated by the Mayor, to advertise the said animals for sale in two issues of the Official Journal or any other paper published in the City of Hammond, with such descriptions and marks as may lead to the identification of the animals, and to sell such animals to the last and highest bidder for cash to pay the costs of impounding, keeping, advertising and all other costs in connection therewith, unless the owner thereof comes forward and makes due proof of ownership and pays all accrued costs. All sales to be made at the public pound during the legal sale hours. All monies received from such sales in excess of the penalties, costs, charges and advertising, as herein provided, shall be paid into the City Treasury, to be held for the account of the owner.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That any person, whether owner, agent or employee, allowing animals mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance to run at large in the City of Hammond shall be subject to a fine of not less than One Dollar and not more than Twenty-five Dollars, or not more than thirty days in the city jail, or both, at the discretion of the Court, the owner in all cases to be held liable and the agent or employee when shown that it was his duty under his employment to look after said animals.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall be effective from and after its promulgation, and that all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

Attest:
H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 46, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance to regulate traffic on the streets within the City of Hammond, and to repeal Ordinance No. 114.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, That it shall be unlawful for any person to run any automobile, motorcycle or any vehicle of any description within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond at a greater rate of speed than fifteen miles per hour or at a greater rate of speed than ten miles per hour on Thomas street, between Magnolia street and Cherry street.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be unlawful for any person to run any automobile, motorcycle or motor driven vehicle of any description within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond between sunset and dawn without having two white lights displayed in front and one red light in the rear, provided that one white light in front and one red light in the rear shall be sufficient for a motorcycle.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be unlawful to drive any automobile, motorcycle or motor driven vehicle of any kind within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond without a license number plate prominently displayed both in front and behind, which number plates shall be kept properly cleaned in order that the number may be easily read, and the rear license number plate shall be near enough to the red light displayed in the back at night that it can be easily read while passing: Provided that automobiles or motor vehicles coming from other states which do not require but one number plate shall be permitted to run with said number displayed as required by the law of the state issuing the number plate when in the city only temporarily.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be unlawful for any person under the age of sixteen years to run an automobile or motorcycle or other motor driven vehicle within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That in addition to the above the following traffic rules shall govern the running, parking and handling of all vehicles within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond:

(a) All vehicles shall keep to the right.

(b) A vehicle overtaking another shall pass to the left and not pull over to the right until entirely clear of it.

(c) A vehicle turning into a street to the right shall turn the corner as near the right hand curb as practicable.

(d) A vehicle turning into a street to the left shall pass around or over the point of intersection of the two streets.

(e) A vehicle shall not move backward for a greater distance than is necessary to turn.

(f) A vehicle shall not stop with its left side to the curb.

(g) A vehicle shall not be left within five feet of a fire hydrant.

(h) A vehicle shall not be parked or otherwise stopped as to prevent the free passage of other vehicles in both directions at the same time.

(i) A vehicle shall not stop in any street farther than two feet from the curb line, and so as not to obstruct a crossing, unless to allow another vehicle or person to cross its path, both front and back wheels of any vehicle when stopped to be not more than two feet from the curb.

(j) A vehicle, on the approach of fire apparatus shall immediately draw near to and parallel with the curb and stop.

(k) A vehicle slowing down or stopping or turning a corner shall give timely signal by holding out the hand to warn approaching vehicles.

(l) A vehicle, before backing, shall give ample warning to avoid injury to other vehicles or pedestrians.

(m) All motor driven vehicles shall give a sound signal before turning any corner and the sound signal shall not otherwise be used except when necessary for warning.

(n) No vehicle shall turn on Thomas street between corners, but shall go to the nearest corner toward which the vehicle is headed before turning.

(o) No horse or mule shall be allowed to stand on the street without being securely tied.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That no motor vehicle shall be used on the streets of the City of Hammond without being properly equipped with ample sound signal apparatus by which a warning can be given by said signal and heard at least two hundred feet away.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That all traffic shall be as quiet as practicable and no automobile or motor driven vehicle of any kind shall be used on the streets of the City of Hammond without having the exhaust properly muffled and no muffler cut-out shall be used.

Section 8. Be it further ordained, etc., That all vehicles shall be driven in a careful manner with due regard to the rights of pedestrians or persons in other vehicles and no reckless driving shall be permitted.

Section 9. Be it further ordained, etc., That no person under the influence of intoxicants to any extent shall be permitted to drive any automobile or other vehicle on the streets of the City of Hammond.

Section 10. Be it further ordained, etc., That all drivers of vehicles of any kind shall obey the signals given by the flagman at Illinois Central railroad crossing when crossing at Thomas street.

Section 11. Be it further ordained, etc., That any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be subject to a fine of not less than One Dollar and not more than Twenty-five Dollars, or not more than thirty days in the City Jail, or both, at the discretion of the Court.

Section 12. Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall take effect from and after its promulgation, and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith and especially Ordinance No. 114 are hereby repealed.

C. C. CARTER,
Mayor.

Attest:
H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.

Louisiana is famous for variety of salt water fishes.

Ordinance No. 47, Commission Series.

An ordinance providing the rates to be charged for electric current and service in the City of Hammond.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, That from and after July 1st, 1918 the Hammond, Ice, Light and Bottling Company, Ltd., shall be and are by this ordinance permitted to deviate from their contract with the City of Hammond dated September 11th, 1915, by the following changes:

RATES FOR CITY OF HAMMOND:

POWER, ---------- 5¢ per K.W. Net

STREET LIGHTING ---------- 1½¢ per C.P. Net

RATES FOR GENERAL PUBLIC:

LIGHTING

		25 K.W.	and under	15¢
50	and over	25 "	"	~~14¢~~
100	" "	50 "	"	13¢
175	" "	100 "	"	12¢
275	" "	175 "	"	11¢
400	" "	275 "	"	10¢
550	" "	400 "	"	09¢
725	" "	550 "	"	08¢
	Over	725 "	"	7½¢

POWER

		25 K.W.	& under	12½¢
50	and over	25 "	"	10½¢
100	" "	50 "	"	8½¢
200	" "	100 "	"	7½¢
400	" "	200 "	"	6½¢
800	" "	400 "	"	5½¢
1600	" "	800 "	"	4½¢
	Over	1600 "	"	4¢

ELECTRIC FLAT RATES; Minimum of 60 watts:-
Commercial Service 2¢ per watt per month,
Residence Service 1½¢ per watt per month
The above service paid monthly in advance.

MINIMUM: Lighting, Meter Service $1.65
Power, " " 2.00
For 2 h.p. and under, and 50¢ for each additional h.p. added thereto.

A discount of 10 per cent. will be allowed on Electric Service if paid on or before date specified on face of bill.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained etc., That this ordinance shall in no way affect the said contract except to allow the increases provided in Section 1 of this ordinance and that the said contract shall otherwise remain in full force and effect.

Sec. 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That the reason for the passage of this ordinance is, and is hereby expressed to be, the unusually high price of fuel and other material, and labor, caused by War conditions, and the governing authorities of the City of Hammond shall not be deprived of the privilege of repealing this ordinance and going back to the strict terms of the contract above referred to, should they at any time during the time the said contract is in effect that the higher rates above provided for are no longer necessary.

Sec. 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are suspended while this ordinance is in effect but in case this ordinance should be repealed, they shall immediately become effective as before the passage of this ordinance.

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Attest:

H. G. Hungate
Secretary

C. C. Carter
Mayor

ORDINANCE No. 48, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance ordering a special election for the purpose of submitting to the property tax payers of the City of Hammond legally qualified to vote, the proposition of imposing a special tax of five mills on the dollar valuation of all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920 for the purpose of giving additional aid to the Hammond Schools:

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, That a special election be, and the same is hereby ordered to be held in the City of Hammond at the "Liberty Theatre" on East Railroad avenue, between Thomas street and Charles street in the said city, on TUESDAY, the 17th day of September, 1918, A. D., between the hours of 7 a. m. and 5 p. m., as authorized by the constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, and as requested by a petition asking for said election, signed by more than one-fourth of the property tax payers of the City of Hammond, legally qualified to vote, which petition was presented to the Commission Council in regular session on the 6th day of August, 1918, A. D., and which petition is annexed hereto and made a part hereof, at which the property tax payers legally qualified to vote of the City of Hammond shall have submitted to them the proposition to impose a special tax of five mills on the dollar valuation of all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920 for the purpose of giving additional aid and maintaining the Hammond Schools:

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State in such cases made and provided and in particular in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 256 of the General Assembly of the year 1910, and acts amendatory thereto, the polling place designated being the polling place at which the last general election was held:

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall be published in the Louisiana Sun, a weekly newspaper published in the City of Hammond, as notice thereof, during at least thirty days preceding the said election:

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be in the following form:

FOR THE LEVYING OF A TAX.

Proposition to levy a five mill tax on all property subject to State taxation in the City of Hammond for the period of three years, being the years 1918, 1919 and 1920 for the purpose of	YES	
giving additional aid to and maintaining the Hammond Schools		
Taxable Valuation $	NO	
Signature of Voter.		

NOTICE TO VOTERS: To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon this ballot place a cross (x) mark in the square after the word "Yes"; to vote against it place a similar mark after the word "No."

Said proposition shall be printed on each ballot, with squares to the right and also the words "yes" and "no" respectively.

To vote in favor of the proposition, the voter shall place a cross (x) mark in the square after the word "Yes." To vote against the proposition the voter shall place a similar mark after the word "No."

There shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter a certificate showing the amount of each voter's assessment on property within the City of Hammnod according to the assessment roll for the year 1917, which certificate shall be signed by one of the commissioners of election before the ballots shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be endorsed on the ballot, provided the ballots voted by proxy shall have endorsed thereon, the name of the tax voter and her proxy.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That after said election shall have been held, the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, shall in open session to be held at the City Hall in said city on the 20th day of September, 1918, at 2 o'clock. p. m. proceed to open the ballot box, examine and count the ballots in number and amounts, examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of the election, which result they shall thereafter promulgate by publication in one issue of the official journal of said City of Hammond. Said Commission Council shall keep a process verbal of the manner in which the ballot boxes have been opened, the returns canvassed, and the result of the election ascertained and shall forward a copy of said proces verbal to the Secretary of State to be recorded in his office; another copy to the Clerk of the District Court to be recorded in the mortgage records of the parish and the remaining copy to be retained in the archives of said city.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That in the event the said proposition shall be voted for by a majority in number of property tax payers qualified as electors under the constitution and laws of this State, voting at said election, the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, shall levy and impose and collect annually for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920, five mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property subject to taxation for the purpose herein stated.

Section 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall be effective from and after its passage.

Passed August 6, 1918.

Attest: C. C. CARTER, Mayor.
H. G. HUNGATE, Secretary.
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Commission Series

ORDINANCE NO. 49

An ordinance repealing Commission Series Ordinance Number one, passed June 3, 1913, and requiring all able bodied male person between ages of 18 and 55 years residing within the corporate limits of the city of Hammand to work the streets of said city under the supervision of the Commisioner of the Streets and Parks, exceeding eight days in any one year, and providing that any person may relieve himself of said street duty by paying a street tax, in lieu thereof; and providitg for the punishment by fine or imprisonments, or both, for all who shall fail to perform said street duty or pay said street tax in lieu thereof.

Section one: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of City of Hammond, that on and after the passage of this ordinance, all able bodied male persons between the ages of eighteen and fifty-five years, residing within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, are hereby required to work the streets of said City, not to exceed eight days in any one year, under the supervision of the Commissioner of Streets ard Parks, when summoned py him so to do, in writing, five days before is it to begin, provided that any person may relieve himself of such compulsory Street duty by paying a street tax in lieu thereof, the amount of which shall be four dollars per annum.

Section two: Be it further ordained; That the Commissioner of Streets and Parks shall make a written report to the Mayor of the names of all such persons who failed either to work the Streets or to pay the sum of four dollars in lieu thereof as herein required.

Section three: Be it further ordained: That whoever shall violate the terms of this ordinance, shall be fined not less than five dollars and not more than ten dollars or imprisoned not less than ten days and more than twenty days, or both, at the discretion of the Court.

Section four: Be it further ordained: That all money collected by the Commission of Streets and Parks under this ordinance, or by the Court, for its violation, shall be paid into the City treasure, for account of the Street Fund, and expended only for the improvement of the Streets of the City.

Section five: Be it further ordained; That all laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. Ordinance number 1, Commission series passed June 3rd, 1913. C. C. Carter, Mayor

Adopted July 1, 1919, A. W. Spiller, Secretary.

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Commission Series
ORDINANCE NO. 50

An ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 88, relative to water rent; providing for the installation of water meters at the cost of the City of Hammond; fixing water rentals and providing for the method of paying for same.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section One: There shall be installed throughout the City of Hammond, at the cost of the City, water meters on each house connection, beginning with the larger consumers of water, and completing such installation throughout the City at the earliest date possible; such meters to be owned by and under control of the City of Hammond.

Section Two: That for the use or rent of its water, the following charges shall be made and collected by the City of Hammond:

In all cases where water meters have been or may be installed, a charge of thirty cents per one thousand gallons of water used by each house connection; with a minimum charge of one dollar and twenty-five cents per month, payable within ten days after the expiration of the calendar month.

For each house connection not provided with a water meter, a minimum flat rate of one dollar and twenty-five cents per month, payable in advance, within the first ten days of each calendar month.

If such amounts are paid within five days after the ten day period, an additional charge of ten per cent shall be paid: and if not paid within five days after the expiration of the ten day period, the use of water to such delinquent shall be discontinued and not resumed until the payment of all water rent then due and an additional charge of one dollar.

In computing the rental period, on minimum flat rates, one-half the monthly rate shall be collected for each one-half of the calendar month, or less.

Section Three: This ordinance shall take effect from and after August 1st 1919.

Section Four: All ordinances In conflict herewith, especially Ordinance No. 88, are hereby repealed.

Adopted, July 1st 1919.

A. W. Spiller,
Secretary.

C. C. Carter,
Mayor.

ORDINANCE NO. 52, COMMISSION SERIES.

AN ORDINANCE granting to the Ten Day Grocer Company and the Illinois Central Railroad Company permission to use East Railroad avenue by constructing across such street an industry track and prescribing the conditions of such grant.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the city of Hammond, That permission be and is hereby granted to the Ten Day Grocer Company and to the Illinois Central Railroad Company to construct, maintain and use, at their own expense and risk, a railroad spur or industry track across East Railroad avenue running from the switch track of the Illinois Central Railroad Company on East Railroad avenue, at or near the present place of business of said Ten Day Grocer Company, and running thence in a southeasterly direction across said East Railroad avenue to its said place of business; all as more fully shown by a plan submitted this council by the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, That the parties granted this privilege shall put down a suitable street crossing over their spur track; shall keep same in good condition, and shall not obstruct said street, except by necessary switching operations.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That the privilege herein granted shall terminate at such time as this council may determine, when all tracks or obstructions shall be removed from said street by said grantees, who, in accepting this privilege, recognizes the authority of this council to fully control and regulate its use of such privileges.

Section 4. Be it further enacted, That in consideration of such privilege, the said grantee shall pay therefor to the city of Hammond, the sum of fifty dollars annually, in advance, beginning when such spur track is completed, payment of which, however, shall not prejudice the rights of the city of Hammond, herein reserved and granted by law.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

On roll call the foregoing ordinance was passed by following vote:

Aye: F. Klein, E. G. Burbank, C. C. Carter.

Attest: A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

City Ordinances

ORDINANCE NO. 51

An ordinance granting to the Strawberry Growers Selling Company, Inc. and the Illinois Central Railroad Company, permission to use East Railroad Avenue by constructing across such Street an industry track and prescribing the conditions of such grant.

Section one: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

That permission be and is hereby granted to Strawberry Grower's Selling Company, Inc. and to the Illinois Central Railroad Company, to construct, maintain and use, at their own expense and risk, a railroad spur or industry track across East Railroad Avenue, running from the switch track of the Illinois Central Railroad Company on East Railroad Avenue, at or near the present place of business of said Strawberry Grower's Selling Company Inc.; and runing thence in a southeasterly direction across said East Railroad Avenue to its said place of business; All as more fully shown by a plan submitted this Council by the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

Section two: Be it further enacted: That the parties granted this privilege shall put down a suitable street crossing over their spur track; shall keep same in good condition, and shall not obstruct said Street, except by necessary switching operations.

Section three: Be it further enacted: That the privilege herein granted shall terminate at such time as this Council may determine, when all tracks or obstructions shall be removed from said Street by said grantees, who, in accepting this privilege, recognizes the authority of this Council to fully control and regulate its use of such privileges.

Section four: Be it further enacted: That in consideration of such privilege, the said grantee shall pay therefor to the City of Hammond, the sum of fifty dollars annually in advance, beginning when such spur track is completed, payment of which, however, shall not prejudice the rights of the City of Hammond, herein reserved and granted by law.

C. C. CARTER,
Mayor.

On roll call the foregoing ordinance was passed by following vote:

Ayes: A. W. Spiller Sec'y. E. G. Burbank, F. Klein, C. C. Carter.

Nays: None.

Commission Series

Ordinance Number 53. =(53)

An ordinance to levy taxes upon all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, for the year 1919.

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Section One: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that there shall be and is hereby levied the following taxes upon all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, for the year 1919, to wit:

For General Purposes; five mills.

For Natatorium and Jail Bonds; one mill.

For Street Bonds; one mill.

For School Building; one and one-half mills.

For Water Works Extension Bonds; one-half mill.

For Sewerage Bonds; one-half mill.

Section two: Be it furher ordained that all ordinances or laws in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Adopted, December 2nd 1919.

C. C. Carter

Mayor

Secretary.

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ORDINANCE NUMBER 54

Commission Series:

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An ordinance dedicating all licenses collected within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, for the year 1920 and subsequent years, to the Street Fund.

Sec 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond: That all licenses collected within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, for the year 1920 and subsequent years, be and the same is hereby dedicated for the benefit of the public Streets of Hammond, and such amounts shall be expended for the maintenance and repair of such Streets under the direction of the Commission Council.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained that Section four of ordinance number fifteen, adopted August 4th 1914, be repealed, and that otherwise said ordinance be recognized and enforced.

Adopted
February 3rd 1920.

A V Spicer
Secretary

C C Carter
Mayor

Ordinance # 55 =

Ordinance # 55 Commission Series.

An ordinance providing for the entering into a contract with the Hammond Ice Light & Bottling Co. Ltd., for the furnishing of the City Electric Lights & Power for a term of five years, and authorize the Mayor to sign and execute same, and to provide for the payment of the amount due each year under said contract:

Section 1,- Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that the Mayor, C. C. Carter, is hereby authorized empowered and commanded to sign a contract with the Hammond Ice Light & Bottling Company Ltd., in accordance with their proposition to the City of Hammond made August 3rd. 1920, providing for the furnishing of City electric lights and fixing a rate for Commercial Electric Lights & Power.

Section 2,- Be it further ordained, etc., that the Mayor shall have full authority to attend to any details of the said contract and it shall be complete in the form it is finally signed and shall run for a term of five years from August 1st. 1920and shall be substantially in accordance with the proposition submitted by the Hammond Ice Light, & Bottling Company Ltd.,at the regular meeting of the Commission Council of August 3rd. 1920, and accepted at said meeting.

Section 3,- Be it further ordained,etc., that the amount due by the City of Hammond for each year's lighting & power shall be payable out of the general revenue of the City of Hammond for that year, and when the collection of taxes begins, the Hammond Ice Light & Bottling Company Ltd. shall be paid at each regular meeting of the Commission Council the proportion of the collections made up to that date which the amount of their bill bears to the revenue for general purposes for said year, and so much of the general revenue of the City of Hammond is hereby irrevocably dedicated to the payment of the said billsduring the term of the said contract.

Section 4.- Be it further ordained, etc., that this ordinance shall be published in the official journal of the City of Hammond as notice to the public and shall remain in the office of the Secretary of the Commission Council for seven days after publication for public inspection and shall then be presented for final passage.

Section 5,- Be it further ordained, etc., that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed and that this ordinance shall be effective from and after its promulgation after final passage.

C C Carter
Mayor & Commissioner of Public Health & Safety.

E G Brubaker
Commissioner of Streets & Parks.

F Klem
Commissioner of Finance.

Attest,:

Secretary.

F. KLEIN, Com. of Finance H. G. HUNGATE, City Judge J. B. ADAMS, Clerk JOHN MORGAN, Chief of P

MAYOR'S OFFICE

C. C. CARTER, MAYOR

HAMMOND, LA.

Ordinance Number 56 Commission Series

An Ordinance to levy taxes upon all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond fpr the year 1920.

Section one:-- Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City Hammond that there shall be and is hereby levied the following taxe upon all taxable property within the city limits of Hammond, for the year 1920.

For General Fund----------Five Mills

For Natatorium &Jail Sinking Fund------One & one half Mill

For Street Bond Sinking Fund----------One Mill

For School Bldg Sinking Fund----------One Mill

For Water Works Ext Sinking Fund-------One Half Mill

For Sewerage Sinking Fund----------One Mill.

Section Two:--Be it further ordained, That all ordinances or laws in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Adopted January 4th 1921.

C. C. Carter
Mayor

F. Klein
Com'r of Finance

A true copy.

Secretary

was served.

ORDINANCE NO. 57.

Ordinance by Commissioner Kline, seconded by Mayor Carter.

AN ORDINANCE levying an annual license tax upon all persons, associations of persons as business firms and corporations pursuing any trade, profession, vocation, calling or business, except those who are exempted by Article 229 of the Constitution of Louisiana.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond that there is hereby levied for the year 1921 and each subsequent year thereafter, upon each person, association of persons, business firms and corporations pursuing any trade, profession, vocation, calling or business subject to the payment of a state license equal to the license levied by the laws of the State of Louisiana under Act 233 of the acts of the General Assembly of the year 1920 and the amendments thereto, except those who are exempt under the laws and constitution of the state.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that all ordinances, and parts of ordinances, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed, especially Ordinance No. 15 passed August 4, 1914.

For the ordinance: Yeas—Kline, Carter, Burbank.

Against the ordinance: None.

Absent: None.

And the ordinance was declared adopted this first day of February, 1921. C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 58

Commission Series.

An ordinance providing for the pavement of the side walks of certain Streets of the City of Hammond, fixing the specifications therefor and ordering the Mayor to Call for bids for the work.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that the side walks on the following Streets be paved:

Morris Avenue from Cypress Street to Chestnut, both sides.

Hanspn Avenue from Holly Street to Chestnut, both sides.

Merry Avenue from Holly Street to Orange Street, south side.

Merry Avenue from Orange Street to Chestnut Street, north side.

Merry Avenue from Olive Street to Chestnut Street, both sides.

Park Avenue from Holly Street to Chestnut, both sides.

Holly Street from Illinois Avenue to Coleman Avenue, both sides.

Orange Street from Merry Avenue to Hanson Avenue, west side.

Olive Street from Illinois Avenue to Morris Avenue, both sides.

Olive Street from Thomas Street to Robert Street, both sides.

Thomas Street from Olive Street to Chestnut Street, south side.

Chestnut Street from Thomas Street to Morris Avenue, west side.

West Railroad Avenue from Thomas Street to Morris Avenue, west side five feet wide.

Thomas Street from Oak Street to West Railroad Avenue, nhrth side five feet wide.

Michigan Avenue from Spruce Street to Pine Street, north side.

Thomas Street from Linden Avenue to Entrance to Fair Grounds, both sides.

Section 2. Be it further ordained: That such pavement work shall be in accordance with detailed plans and specifications prepared by the City Engineer, on file with the Mayor, and in general shall be as follows: All side walks mentioned to be four feet wide, except as above mentione of concrete of good material.

Section 3. Be it further ordained: That the Mayor call for bids for the said work and give notice thereof by publication in the official journal of Hammond, weekly, for three issues; reserving to the City the right to reject any or all bids: Work to begin within thirty days after letting the contract and to be completed within a time fixed by the City Engineer.

Section 3. Be it further ordained that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Passed September 6th 1921.

Secretary.

Mayor

ORDINANCE No. 59 - COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance ordering a special election for the purpose of submitting to the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond, propositions to incur an indebtedness to the amount of One Hundred and Forty-five Thousand Dollars for certain public improvements; to issue bonds therefor, and to levy a special tax or taxes to provide for the payment of the principal and interest of said indebtedness.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that a special election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in said city at 204 Thomas Street - - - - - - - - - - in said city on the 11th day of October, 1921, between the hours of 7 a.m. and 5 p.m., as authorized by Article 14, Section 14, of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1921, and under the provisions of Act 256 of the Session of the Legislature of 1910, and the acts amendatory thereof, at which election the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond legally qualified to vote at such election, shall have submitted to them propositions to incur an indebtedness to the aggregate amount of One Hundred and Forty-five Thousand Dollars, to issue negotiable bonds therefor, and to levy a special tax or taxes to provide for payment of the principal and interest of said debt and for the following permanent public purposes, works and improvements the title to which shall vest in the said City of Hammond, viz:

FIRST PROPOSITION: - To issue bonds to the amount of fifty-five thousand ($55,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of graveling and improving ~~the~~ public streets of the City of Hammond:

SECOND PROPOSITION: - To issue bonds to the amount of Forty thousand ($40,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of constructing a City Hall:

THIRD PROPOSITION: - To issue bonds to the amount of Twenty Thousand ($20,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of paving the public streets of the City of Hammond:

FOURTH PROPOSITION: - To issue bonds to the amount of twenty-five hundred ($2500.00) Dollars for the purpose of lighting the public streets of the City of Hammond:

FIFTH PROPOSITION: - To issue bonds to the amount of eighteen thousand ($18,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of extending and improving the sewerage system of the City of Hammond:

SIXTH PROPOSITION: - To issue bonds to the amount of Ninety-five Hundred ($9500.00) Dollars for the purpose of extending and improving the water works system of the City of Hammond:

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the negotiable bonds to be issued pursuant to the said submission to represent said indebtedness or such part or parts thereof as shall be authorized, shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum payable semi-annually - - - ~~xxxxxx~~ - - - - - - - ~~xxx~~ - - - - ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ to be represented by interest coupons. Said bonds shall be of the denomination as may be determined by the Commission Council

The said bonds shall run for a period of twenty-five years from the date of the issuance thereof, provided, however, that the Council of the said city shall fix a certain time at which the said bonds shall begin to mature, which shall not be longer than three years from the date of issuance of said bonds, and the said bonds shall thereafter mature in annual installments, so that when the annual interest is added thereto, the total amount to be paid, including the principal and interest each year, shall be as near equal as practicable.

To secure the payment of the principal and interest of the said bonds, there shall be imposed, levied and collected annually in excess of all other taxes, a tax sufficient to pay the interest ~~annually~~ and the principal falling due each year, or such amount as may be required for a sinking fund necessary to retire the said bonds at maturity provided however, that the indebtedness hereby authorized, together with all other present bonded indebtedness of the City of Hammond incurred, pursuant to the provisions of Article 1V - Sec.14, of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, shall not exceed in the aggregate ten per centum of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in said City.

Section 3. Be it further ordained et cetera, that said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State, in such cases made and provided, and in particular in accordance with the provisions of Act No.256 of the Session of the Legislature of the year 1910, approved July 7th, 1910, and Acts amendatory thereof, and at the polling place, above named.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that an abstract of this ordinance shall be published by C.C.Carter, Mayor, during at least thirty (30) days preceeding said election as notice thereof in the official journal of the City of Hammond.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be on the following form:

FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS

FIRST PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Fifty-Five Thousand ($55,000.00) Dollars; to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually for the purpose of graveling and improving public Streets in Hammond.	YES
	NO
SECOND PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Forty Thousand ($40,000.00) Dollars; to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of constructing a City Hall:	YES
	NO
THIRD PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Twenty Thousand ($20,000.00) Dollars, to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of paving the public streets of the City of Hammond:	YES
	NO
FOURTH PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Twenty-five Hundred ($2500.00) Dollars, to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of lighting the public streets of the City of Hammond:	YES
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FIFTH PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Eighteen Thousand ($18,000.00) Dollars, for to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi annually, for the purpose of extending and improving the sewerage system of the City of Hammond:

YES	
NO	

SIXTH PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Ninety-five hundred ($9500.00) Dollars, to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semiannually, for the purpose of extending and improving the water works system of the City of Hammond:

YES	
NO	

Taxable valuation $_____

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(SIGNATURE OF VOTER)

NOTICE TO VOTERS: To vote in favor of the propositions submitted upon this ballot place a (X)cross mark in the square after the word "Yes" . To vote against the proposition place a similar mark after the word "No."

Said propositions shall be printed on each ballot with squares at the right of each proposition and also the words "Yes" and "No" respectively. To vote in favor of the respective proposition submitted upon the ballot the voter shall place a cross (X) mark in the square of the word "Yes." To vote against the respective proposition he shall place a similar mark after the word "No." There shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter a certificate showing the amount of each voter's assessment on property within the City, according to the assessment roll for the year 1920, which certificate shall be signed by one of the Commissioners of election before the ballots shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be endorsed on his ballot.

Section 6, Be it further ordained, et cetera, that after said election shall have been held, the Commission Council of said City shall, in open session to be held at the Mayor's office in said City on October 13th 1921 at 11 o'clock a.m., proceed to open the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballots in number and amounts, examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of the election, which result they shall thereafter promulgate by publication in one issue of the official journal of said City. Said Commission Council shall keep a process verbal of the manner of which the ballot boxes have been opened, the returns canvassed and the result of the election ascertained, and shall forward a copy of said proces verbal to the Secretary of the State to be recorded in his office; another copy to the Clerk of the District Court to be recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish and the remaining copy to be retained in the archives of the city.

Section 7. Be it further ordained et cetera, that in the event that the said propositions, or any of them, shall be voted for by a majority, in number and amount of property tax payers qualified as electors under the constitution and laws of this State, voting at said election, the Commission Council shall pass such ordinances as may be necessary to provide for the issuance of said bonds, for the signatures and authentication thereof, and for the sale and disposal thereof which ordinance shall provide that each year while any of the said bonds are outstanding, the city shall levy impose and collect annually in each of said years, in excess of all other taxes, a tax sufficient to pay the interest annually and the principal falling due each year or such amount as may be required for a sinking fund necessary to retire said bonds at maturity, provided such indebtedness, together with all other outstanding bonded indedness heretofore authorized to be levied for the payment of the principal and interest of any debt incurred, pursuant to the provisions of Article 1V Sec. 14, of the Constitution of Louisiana, shall not exceed in the aggregate, ten per cent. on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property of said City.

Section 8, Be it further ordained, et cetera, that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

PASSED September 6th 1921

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Secretary

G G Carter
MAYOR.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

STATE OF LOUISIANA,

PARISH OF TANGIPAHOA.

Pursuant to authority contained in Ordinance No. 59 — of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana, of date Tuesday, September 6th, 1921, I, C.C.Carter, Mayor of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, hereby give notice that an election will be held at 204 Thomas St in the City of Hammond, Louisiana, on Tuesday, October 11th 1921 ——— ~~1921~~, as set forth in the following abstract of said ordinance:

"Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that a special election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in said city at 204 Thomas Street — in said city on the 11th day of October 1921, between the hours of 7 a.m. and 5 p.m., as authorized by Article IV, Section 14, of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, for the year 192~~1~~, and under the provisions of Act 256 of the Session of the Legislature of 1910, and the acts amendatory thereof, at which election the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond legally qualified to vote at such election, shall have submitted to them propositions to incur an indebtedness to the aggregate amount of One Hundred and Forty-five Thousand Dollars, to issue negotiable bonds therefor, and to levy a special tax or taxes to provide for payment of the principal and interest of said debt and for the following permanent public purposes, works and improvements the title to which shall rest in the said City of Hammond, viz:

FIRST PROPOSITION:- To issue bonds to the amount of fifty-five thousand ($55,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of graveling and improving ~~xxx~~ public streets in the City of Hammond:

SECOND PROPOSITION:- To issue bonds to the amount of Forty thousand ($40,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of constructing a City Hall:

THIRD PROPOSITION:- To issue bonds to the amount of Twenty- Thousand ($20,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of paving the public streets of the City of Hammond:

FOURTH PROPOSITION:- To issue bonds to the amount of Twenty-five Hundred ($2500.00) Dollars for the purpose of lighting the public streets of the City of Hammond:

FIFTH PROPOSITION:- To issue bonds to the amount of Eighteen Thousand ($18,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of extending and improving the sewerage system of the City of Hammond:

SIXTH PROPOSITION:- To issue bonds to the amount of Ninety-five Hundred ($9500.00) Dollars for the purpose of extending and improving the water works system of the City of Hammond:

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the negotiable bonds to be issued pursuant to the said submission to represent said indebtedness or such part or parts thereof as shall be authorized, shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum payable semi-annually, - ~~xxxxx~~ - - - - - - - - ~~xx~~ - - - - ~~xxxxxxxxx~~, to be represented by interest coupons. Said bonds shall be of the denomination as may be determined by the Commission Council.

The said bonds shall run for a period of twenty-five years from the date of the issuance thereof, provided, however, that the Council of the said city shall fix a certain time at which the said bonds shall begin to mature, which shall not be longer than three years from the date of issuance of said bonds, and the said bonds shall thereafter mature in annual installments, so that when the annual interest is added thereto, the total amount to be paid, including the principal and interest each year, shall be as near equal as practicable. To secure the payment of the principal and interest of the said bonds, there shall be imposed, levied and collected annually in excess of all other taxes, a tax sufficient to pay the interest annually and the principal falling due each year, or such amount as may be required for a sinking fund necessary to retire the said bonds at maturity provided however, that the indebtedness hereby authorized, together with all other present bonded indebtedness of the City of Hammond, incurred pursuant to the provisions of Article IV, Section 14, of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, shall not exceed in the aggregate ten per centum of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in said City.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, et cetara, that said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State, in such cases made and provided, and in particular in accordance with the provisions of Act.No.256 of the Session of the Legislature of the year 1910, approved July 7th, 1910, and Acts amendatory thereof, and at the polling place above named.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that an abstract of this ordinance shall be published by C.C.Carter, Mayor, during at least thirty (30) days preceeding said election as notice thereof in the official journal of the City of Hammond.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be on the following forms;

FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS

FIRST PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Fifty-five Thousand ($55,000.00) Dollars; to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of graveling and improving public streets in Hammond.	YES	
	NO	
SECOND PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Forty Thousand ($40,000.00) Dollars; to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi annually, for the purpose of constructing a City Hall.	YES	
	NO	
THIRD PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Twenty Thousand ($20,000.00) Dollars, to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi annually, for the purpose of paving the public streets of the City of Hammond.	YES	
	NO	

FOURTH PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Twenty-five Hundred ($2500.00) Dollars, to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually for the purpose of lighting the public streets of the City of Hammond:

YES	
NO	

FIFTH PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Eighteen Thousand ($18,000.00) Dollars, to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually for the purpose of extending and improving the sewerage system of the City of Hammond:

YES	
NO	

SIXTH PROPOSITION: To incur debt and to issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, to the amount of Ninety-five Hundred ($9500.00) Dollars, to run for twenty-five years and payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semiannually for the purpose of extending and improving the water works system of the City of Hammond:

YES	
NO	

Taxable valuation $_____

_____
SIGNATURE OF VOTER

NOTICE TO VOTERS: To vote in favor of the propositions submitted upon this ballot, place a (X) cross mark in the square after the word "Yes" To vote against the proposition, place a similar mark after the word "No".

Said propositions shall be printed on each ballot with squares at the right of each proposition and also the words "Yes" and "No" respectively. To vote in favor of the respective proposition after submitted upon the ballot the voter shall place a cross (X) mark in the square ~~or~~ the word "Yes". To vote against the respective proposition, he shall place a similar mark after the word "No." There shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter a certificate showing the amount of each voter's assessment on property within the City, according th the assessment roll for the year 1920, which certificate shall be signed by one of the Commissioners of election before the ballots shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be enforced on his ballot. ~~provided that the name of the voter~~ ~~shall be written by~~ ~~the Clerk of Election.~~"

The said election shall be held - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - by the officials named, each being a qualified elector in said City of Hammond, to wit:

Commissioners of Election:
C. R. Anderson
R. E. Fellows
J. E. Guess

Clerk of Election:

Fritz Klein

Notice is hereby further given that - - - - - - - - - -

- - - - - - - On October 13th
the second day following such election, at 11 o'clock a.m., the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, will meet in the Mayor's office in Hammond, Louisiana, Parish of Tangipahoa, and then and there, in public session, shall open the ballot boxes, examine and count the votes, both as to number and amount, and examine and canvas the returns and declare the result of said election, and promulgate the same.

Given on this, the - 6th - day of September, 1921, at Hammond, Louisiana, said parish and state.

C. C. CARTER,

Mayor,

C. C. Carter

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COMMISSION SERIES:

ORDINANCE NUMBER 60.

An ordinance governing the use of West Railroad Ave, adjoining the Illinois Central Railroad Company's Passenger Depot, by public jitney drivers: Prescribing a parking zone and to prohibit the solicitation of business by jitney drivers within a certain radius of passenger trains, and providing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance.
Also providing for the parking of privately owned cars at such point.

Secion 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that it shall be unlawful for the driver of any public jitney operated under licence granted by the City of Hammond, to stop or park such jitney or car driven by him, at any point in West Railroad Avenue, opposite the Illinois Central Railroad Company's Passenger Depot, except at a point North of a public sign governing such parking, as located by the Mayor and Commissioner of Public Safety.

Section 2. Be it further ordained; that it shall be unlawful for privately owned cars or automobiles to stop or park such cars at any point in West Railroad Avenue opposite the Illinois Central Railroad Company's Passenger Depot, except at a point South of a public sign governing such parking, as located by the Mayor and Commissioner of Public Safety.

Section 3. Be it further ordained; That it shall be unlawful for the drivers of public jitneys to solicit business at said Passenger Depot at any point east of the west wall of said Passenger Depot Building.

Section 4. Be it further ordained; that any person violating any of the privisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined in a sum of not less than one dollars and not more than twenty five dollars or not more than thirty days imprisonment in the City Jail or both, at the discretion of the Court.
All ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

A W Spicer
Secretary.

C C Carter
Mayor.

COMMISSION SERIES

ORDINANCE NUMBER 61

An ordinance providing for the pavement of the side walks of certain Streets of the City of Hammond, fixing the specifications therefor and ordering the Mayor to call for bids for the work.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that the side walks on the following Streets be paved:

Merry Avenue from Cypress Steet to Holly Street, both sides.

Merry Avenue from Holly Street to Orange Street, north side.

Merry Avenue from Orange Street to Olive Street, south side.

Section 2. Be it further ordained: That such pavement work shall be in accordance with detailed plans and specifications prepared by the City Engineer, on file with the Mayor, and, in general, shall be as follows: All said walks to be four feet wide of concrete of good material.

Section 3. Be it further ordained: That the Mayor call for bids for the said work and give notice thereof by publication in the official journal of Hammond, weekly, for three issues, reserving to the City the right to reject any or all bids; work to begin within thirty days after letting the contract and to be completed within a time fixed by the City Engineer.

Section 4. Be it further ordained that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Passed September 13th 1921.

C. C. Carter
Mayor.

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Secretary.

COMMISSION SERIES

ORDINANCE NUMBER 62.

An Ordinance providing for the pavement of the sidewalks of certain Streets of the City of Hammond, fixing the specifications therefor and ordering the Mayor to call for bids for the work.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that the sidewalks on the following Streets be paved:

Orange Street from Thomas Avenue to Illinois Avenue, both sides.

Coleman Avenue from Chestnut St to Olive St, both sides.

Parke Avenue, from Cherry Street to Holly Street, both sides.

SECTION 2. Be it further ordained: That such pavement work shall be in accordance with detailed plans and specifications prepared by the City Engineer, filed with the Mayor, and, in general, shall be as follows: All to be four feet wide of concrete of good material.

Section 3. Be it further ordained: That the Mayor call for bids for said work and give notice thereof by publication in the official journal of Hammond, weekly, for three issues, reserving to the City the right to reject any or all bids: Work to begin within thirty days after letting the contract and to be completed within a time to be fixed by the City Engineer.

Section 4. Be it further ordained that this ordinance take effect after its passage.

C. C. Carter Mayor.

Passed October 4th 1921.

[signature] Secretary.

Commission Series:

Ordinance Number 63.

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An ordinance regulating the business of carrying passenger for fares in automobiles, motor cycles or motor vehicles of any description, upon the public Streets of the City of Hammond; and providing for the giving of an indemnity bond by all persons engaging in such business; and making the violation thereof an offense and prescribing penalties therefor.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond: That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to conduct the business of carrying passengers for hire or fares, in automobiles, motor cycles or motor driven vehicles of any description, upon the public streets of the City of Hammond, without first securing from the Commission Council of the said City, a permit to do so.

Section 2. That before such permit is issued, the person, firm or corporation applying therefor, shall file with the Commissioner of Public Safety, of the City of Hammond, an indemnity bond in the sum of two thousand ($2000.00) dollars, the obligation of such bond running in favor of any person who may be injured in person or property by the fault of the operator of such car or vehicle, a bond for said amount authorizing the applicant to operate not more than one such vehicle. An additional bond in the sum of five hundred ($500.00) Dollars, to be filed for each car operated over and above said one car or vehicle.

Section 3. That such bond or bonds shall be signed by the applicant and by a solvent surety, residing within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, owning real estate within the Parish of Tangipahoa, unencumbered and liable to seizure or that least the amount of said bond; or such bond may be signed by an authorized surety company. Said bond or bonds to be always maintained at the figures for which it was issued, and to be revokable at the instance of the Commissioner of Public Safety in case such surety ceases to possess such qualifications. Said bond to be approved by the Commissioner of Public Safety.

Section 4. That the holder of such permit shall cause to be printed in large legible characters, his name, on the front of such vehicle, so it ma be easily identified;

Section 5. That the holder of such permit shall renew the same whenever his license to operate such business expires; and such permit shall be subject to revocation by the Commission Council, in case such holder violates any of the provisions of this ordinance or any other ordinance or law regulating, in any manner, the traffic or business in which he is engaged hereunder.

Section 6. That any person or persons, who shall engage in such business as provided in Section one hereof, without securing the permit therein referred to; or who shall engage in such business after such permit is revoked; or who shall violate any other provision of this ordinance, shall be guilty of an offense, and, upon conviction, shall be punished by a fine not less than five ($5.00) Dollars or more than twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars, or by imprisonment for a time not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 7. That all laws or ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed., this law to take affect on January 1st 1922.

Adopted, December 6th 1921.

A. W. Spencer
Secretary.

C. C. Carter
Mayor

Commission Series

Ordinance Number 64:

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An ordinance repealing ordinance, C. S. No. 50, relative to water rent and installation of water meters; and providing for the installation of water meters at the cost of the City; for the payment for meters by the consumer, in certain cases and fixing water rental and the method of paying same.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section 1. There shall be installed throughout the City of Hammond, at the cost of the City, water meters on each house connection, beginning with the larger consumers of water, and cmpleting such installation throughout the City at the earliest date possible.

Section 2. All meters measuring three-quarters (¾) of an inch in diamater, or less, shall be paid for by the City; and all meters of a larger size, to be paid for by the consumer: All meters to be under the control of the City of Hammond.

Section 3. That for the use or rent of its water the following charges shall be made and collected by the City:
In all cases where water meters have been or may be installed, a charge of thirty cents per one thousand gallons of water used by each house connection; with a minimum charge of one dollar and twenty-five sents ($1.25) per month, payable within ten days, after the expiration of the calendar month.

Section 4. For each house connection notprovided with a water meter, a minimum flat rate of one dollar and twenty-five cents ($1.25) per month, payable in advance, within the first ten days of each calendar month. If such amounts are not paid within five days after the ten day period, an additional charge of ten per cent shall be paid; and if not paid within five days after the expiration of the ten day period, the use of water to such delinquent shall be discontinued and not resumed until the payment of all water rent then due and an additional charge of one dollars. In comupting the rental period, on minimum flat rates, one half the monthly rate shall be collected for each one-half of the calendar month, or less.

Section 5. This ordinance shal l take affect from its promulgation. All ordinances in conflich herewith, especially, ordinance number 50, C. S. is hereby repealed.

Adopted December 6th 1921.

C. C. Carter
Mayor.

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Secretary.

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Commission Series:

Ordinance Number 65.

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An ordinance designating locations for public cemeteries, and prohibiting the burial of human bodies within the corporate limits at any other locations than those so designated, under penalty herein provided.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond: That the following are recognized as cemeteries to be used for burial purposes, to wit:

Greenlawn Cemetery: Grace Memorial Cemetery:

The property south of Greenlawn Cemetery now used as a Cemetery

That portion of what is known as the former Fair Grounds, now used as a Cemetery:

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc: That it shall be unlawful for any one to bury a human body within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, at any place other than those designated in Section one hereof.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc: That any person violating the provisions of this ordinance, shall be guilty of an offense, and, upon conviction, shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five Dollars; and not over one hundred — Dollars; or by imprisonment for a period of not over ten days; or both fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

Section 3: Be it further ordained, etc: That this ordinance take effect after its passage.

Passed, January 3rd 1922.

C. O. Carter, Mayor

Secretary.

Commission Series:

Ordinance Number 66:

An ordinance authorizing the Mayor of the City of Hammond to enter into a contract with Albert Tolle for the paving of sidewalks on certain Streets of the City at the cost of the abutting owners, in accordance with the conditions and specifications referred to in Ordinances number 58; 61 and 62, and in accordance with the bid for said work, in accordance with Act 147 of 1902.

Be it ordained by the Commission COuncil of the City of Hammond, that, whereas the paving of sidewalks on certain Streets of the ~~xxxx~~ City of Hammond, at the cost of abutting property owners has been duly ordained by ordinances, (Commission Series) Numbered, 58, 61 and 62, and

Whereas, as provided by such ordinances, bids for said paving ~~xxx~~ were duly called for by advertisement, as required by law, and,

Whereas, the bid of Albert Tolle, was the lowest and only bid offered, and same was duly accepted on the 3 day of January 192~~x~~ and the contract was awarded him; now therefore:

Section 1: Be it ordained, etc., that the Mayor of the City of Hammond is hereby fully authorized and empowered to enter into a contract or contracts with said Albert Tolle, to pave the side walks of certain Streets, fully set forth in said Ordinance (C.S.) No. 58,61 and 62, at the cost of the abutting property owners on sadd Streets, for the price and sum bid by said Albert Tolle for said work, and in accordance with the terms and conditions and the plans and specifications for such paving, heretofore recommended and adopted.

Section 2: Be it further ordained, etc: That the Mayor is hereby authorized to sign any contracts necessary in the premises; and that this ordinance shall be operate after its passage.

Passed, January 3rd 1922.

Auspicer
Secretary.

C. C. Carter
Mayor

Ordinance Number 67

An ordinance providing for a Budget and estimate of Expenditures, of the City of Hammond, for the year 1921.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section one: The the following Budget and estimate of expenses for the City of Hammond for the year 1921 be adopted and published as required by law, same covering the general fund, or City Alimony, to-wit

Estimated Expenditures:

Salary of Mayor::	$1500.00
Salary of Commissioner of Finance:	500.00
Salary of Commissioner of Streets:	500.00
Salary of Chief of Police:	900.00
Salary of Night Marshall:	1200.00
Salary of Utility Man:	240.00
Salary of Office Clerk;	900.00
Salary of City Judge:	600.00
Salary of Clerk of Court:	480.00
Salary of City Attorney:	150.00
Salary of Janitor:	104.00
For Printing:	100.00
For Street Lighting:	4000.00
For Sewerage Plant Maintenance:	1200.00
Jail expense and meals:	500.00
Miscelaneous Expenses:	2500.00
Outstanding bills and notes:	5226.00
Estimated Total Expenditures,	$20600.00

Estimated Revenues:

Estimated Assessment for Purpose of collecting taxes:	$2,600.000.00
Estimated revenue, based on levy of seven mills, For General Fund or City Alimony:	$18,200.00
Court Fines and Costs, estimated;	2,400.00
Total Estimated Revenue:	$20,600.00

Section Two: That the foregoing be used as a basis for the levy of taxes for the general fund, or City Alimony, for the year 1921.

Adopted January 25th 1922.

C C Carter, Mayor

A W Spiers

Secretary.

Ordinance Number 38

Commission Series:

An ordinance levying taxes upon all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond for the year 1921.

Be it ordanined by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, as follows, to wit:

Section One: There is hereby levied the following taxes upon all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, for the year 1921, to wit:

For School Bonds sinking fund: one and 3/10 mills.
For Water Works Extension, singing fund, (old) 4/10 mills.
For Sewerage Bonds Singing Fund, (old), one and 2/10 mills.
For Street Bond Sinking Fund, (old), one and 5/10 mills.
For Street Bond, Sinking Fund, (new), two mills.
For Sewerage Bond, Sinking Fund, (new), 6/10 mills.
For Water Works Bonds, Sinking Fund, (new), 3/10 mills.
Fpr Paving Bonds, Sinking Fund (new), 7/10 mills.
For City Hall Bonds, Sinking Fund (new), one and 3/10 mills.
For Light Bonds, Sinking Fund, (new), 1/10 mills.
For General Fund, (City Alimony)- seven mills:

Total of foregoing being, sixteen and four-tenth mills.

Section Two: That this ordinance shall take affect from its adopti

Adopted, January 25th 1922.

G.G. Carter
Mayor.

[illegible] Secretary.

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- Ordinance No 69 -
Commission Series

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND, LA. AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF.

WHEREAS, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October, 1921, in the City of Hammond, there was submitted to the property taxpayers of said City legally qualified to vote at said election the proposition to incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, to the amount of Fifty-five Thousand Dollars ($55,000) to run twenty-five years but payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council of said City, bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of graveling and improving the public streets of the City of Hammond; and

WHEREAS, due and timely notice for the period and in the manner prescribed by law was given of said election and a majority in number and amount of the property taxpayers qualified as electors under the laws and constitution of the State of Louisiana voting thereat authorized the City of Hammond to issue said bonds - Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section 1. That there shall be and are hereby ordered to be issued the negotiable coupon bonds of said City of Hammond in the sum of Fifty-five Thousand Dollars ($55,000). Said bonds shall be dated the first day of March, 1922, shall be of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars ($1000) each, shall bear interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of March and of September in each year, said interest to be evidenced by interest notes or coupons

attached to said bonds respectively. Said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to 55, both numbers inclusive, and shall mature as follows:

On the first day of March in each of the years 1923 to 1942, both inslusive, two bonds aggregating Two Thousand Dollars ($2000);

On the first day of March in each of the years 1943 to 1947, both inclusive, three bonds aggregating Three Thousand Dollars ($3000).

Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and counter signed by the Secretary, and each of said bonds shall be attested by the corporate seal of the City of Hammond. The interest coupons shall be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at Hammond State Bank ---- in the City of Hammond State of Louisiana.

Section 2. That said bonds, except as to number and date of maturity, shall be in substantially the following form:

No.____ UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA
CITY OF HAMMOND
STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND. $1000.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT THe City of Hammond, Louisiana, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS ($1000) on the first day of March, 19____, with interest thereon from the date hereof at the r ate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable September 1, 1922, and semi-annually thereafter, upon presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

This bond is one of a series of fifty-five (55) bonds

of like tenor, except as to date of maturity, numbered from 1 to 55 inclusive, aggregating $55,000, and issued for the purpose ofgraveling and improving the streets of the City of Hammond, under the authority of Section 14 of Article XIV of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 256 of the General Assembly of Louisiana for the year 1910, as amended, and Act No.46 of the General Assembly of Louisiana passed at its special session in the year 1921, and pursuant to the authorization of the property taxpayers who are qualified electors of said City, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October, 1921.

And it is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond and the other bonds of this series, in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the said City have been done and performed in due form as required by law; that the total indebtedness of said City, including this bond, does not exceed the constitutional or statutory limitations.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF theCommission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, by virtue of authority vested in it by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana, has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary of said City, and sealed with its seal, and the interest coupons hereunto attached to be executed by the lighographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary this first day of March, 1922.

C C Carter
Mayor.

Countersigned:

A W Spiller
Secretary.

C O U P O N.

On the first day of September, 19___, the City of Hammond, Louisiana, promises to pay to bearer Thirty Dollars ($30.00) at the _____ Bank in the City of _____, State of _____, for interest due that day on its Street Improvement Bond No dated March 1, 1922, No._____.

March

A W Spicer
Secretary.

C C Carter
Mayor.

Section 3. When said bonds have been executed they shall be presented to the Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana for registration and for his endorsement as provided by law.

Section 4. The Commission Council of the City of Hammond , Louisiana, shall and does hereby covenant with each and every holder of said bonds, or any of them, that in apt time, manner and season, out of the proceeds of taxes collected there shall be set apart a net sum sufficient to pay and discharge the principal and interest of said bonds as and when the same become due and payable.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Adopted
February 7th 1922
A W Spicer
Secretary

C C Carter
Mayor.

Ordinance No 70
Commission Series

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUE OF CITY HALL BONDS OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND, LOUISIANA, AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF

WHEREAS, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October, 1921, in the City of Hammond, there was submitted to the property taxpayers of said City legally qualified to vote at said election the proposition to incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, to the amount of Forty Thousand Dollars, - ($40,000.00) to run twenty-five years but payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council of said City, bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of constructing a City Hall; and

WHEREAS, due and timely notice for the period and in the manner prescribed by law was given of said election and a majority in number and amount of the property taxpayers qualified as electors under the laws and constitution of the State of Louisiana voting thereat authorized the City of Hammond to issue said bonds - Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section 1. That there shall be and are hereby ordered to be issued the negotiable coupon bonds of said City of Hammond in the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00). Said bonds shall be dated the first day of March, 1922, shall be of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars ($1000.) each, shall bear interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of March and September in each year, said interest to be evidenced by interest notes or coupons attached to said bonds respectively. Said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to 40, (both numbers inclusive,) and shall mature as follows:

On the first day of March in each of the years 1923 to 1932, both inclusive, one bond of One Thousand Dollars ($1000.);

On the first day of March, in each of the years 1933 to 1947, both inclusive, two bonds aggregating Two Thousand Dollars ($2000.).

Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary, and each of said bonds shall be attested by the corporate seal of the City of Hammond. The interest coupons shall be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

Section 2. That said bonds, except as to number and date of maturity, shall be in substantially the following form:

No._____ UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA
CITY OF HAMMOND
CITY HALL BOND. $1000.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT the City of Hammond, Louisiana, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS ($1000.) on the first day of March, 19__ , with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable September 1, 1922, and semi-annually thereafter, upon presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

This bond is one of a series of forty (40) bonds of like tenor, except as to date of maturity, numbered from 1 to 40 inclusive, aggregating $40,000.00, and issued for the purpose of constructing a City Hall in the City of Hammond, under the authority of Section 14 of Article XIV of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, for year 1921, and in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 256 of the General Assembly of Louisiana for the year 1910, as amended, and Act No.46 of the General Assembly of Louisiana passed at its special session in the year 1921, and pursuant to the authorization of the property taxpayers who are qualified electors of said City, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October, 1921.

And it is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond and the other bonds of this series, in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the said City have been done and performed in due form as required by law; that the total indebtedness of said City, including this bond, does not exceed the constitutional or statutory limitations.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, by virtue of authority vested in it by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana, has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary of said City, and sealed with its seal, and the interest coupons hereunto attached to be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary this first day of March, 1922.

Mayor

Countersigned:

Secretary.

C O U P ONN.

On the first day of March / September 19 , the City of Hammond, Louisiana, promises to pay to bearer Thirty Dollars ($30.00) at the Hammond State Bank in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana, for interest due that day on its City Hall Bond dated March 1,1922, No._____.

C. C. Carter
Mayor.

A W Spencer
Secretary.

Section 3. When aaid bonds have been executed they shall be presented to the Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana for registration and for his endorsement as provided by law.

Section 4. The Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, shall and does hereby covenant with each and every holder of said bonds, or any of them, that in apt time, manner and season, out of the proceeds of taxes collected there shall be set apart a net sum sufficient to pay and discharge the principal and interest of said bonds as and when the same become due and payable.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Adopted February 7th 1922

A W Spencer
Secretary

C C Carter
Mayor

Ordinance No 71 -
Commission Series

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUE OF
PAVING BONDS OF THE CITY OF
HAMMOND, LA.,
AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF.

WHEREAS, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October, 1921, in the City of Hammond, there was submitted to the property taxpayers of said City legally qualified to vote at said election the proposition to incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, to the amount of $20,000.00 (Twenty Thousand and No/100 Dollars,) to run twenty-five years but payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council of said City, bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of paving the public streets of the City of Hammond; and

WHEREAS, due and timely notice for the period and in the manner prescribed by law was given of said election and a majority in number and amount of the property taxpayers qualified as electors under the laws and constitution of the State of Louisiana voting thereat authorized the City of Hammond to issue said bonds - Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section 1. That there shall be and are hereby ordered to be issued the negotiable coupon bonds of said City of Hammond in the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.). Said bonds shall be dated the first day of March, 1922, shall be of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00,) each, shall bear interest at the rate of 6 (six) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of March and of September in each year, said interest to be evidenced by interest notes or coupons attached to said bonds respectively. Said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to 40, both numbers inclusive, and shall mature as follows:

On the first day of March in each of the years 1923 to 1932, both inclusive, one bond of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00);

On the first day of March in each of the years 1933 to 1947, both inclusive, two bonds aggregating One Thousand Dollars, -($1000.00).

Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary, and each of said bonds shall be attested by the corporate seal of the City of Hammond. The interest coupons shall be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at the Hammond State Bank, in the city of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

Section 2. That said bonds, except as to number and date of maturity, shall be in substantially the following form:

No._____ UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA
CITY OF HAMMOND
PAVING BONDS $500.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT the City of Hammond, Louisiana, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of **FIVE HUNDRED - DOLLARS** - - - - - - - - - - - - - - ($ 500.00) - on the first day of March, 19_____, with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable September 1,1922, and semi-annually thereafter, upon presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Hammond State Bank, in the city of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

This bond is one of a series of forty (40) bonds of like tenor, except as to date of maturity, numbered from 1 to 40 inclusive, aggregating $20,000.00, and issued for the purpose of Paving the Public Streets of the City of Hammond, under the authority of Section 14 of Article XIV of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and in accordance with the provisions of Act No.256 of the General Assembly of Louisiana for the year 1910, as amended, and Act No.46, of the General Assembly of Louisiana passed at its special session in the year 1921, and pursuant to the authorization of the property taxpayers who are qualified electors of said City, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October,1921.

And it is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond and the other bonds of this series, in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the said City have been done and performed in due form as required by law; that the total indebtedness of said City, including this bond, does not exceed the constitutional or statutory limitations.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, by virtue of authority vested in it by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana, has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary of said City, and sealed with its seal, and the interest coupons hereunto attached to be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary this first day of March, 1922.

L. L. Carter

MAYOR

COUNTERSIGNED:

A. V. Spicer

SECRETARY

COUPON.

On the first day of ~~March~~ September 19___, the City of Hammond, Louisiana, promises to pay to bearer fifteen ($15.00) Dollars

at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana, for interest due that day on its Paving Bond dated March 1, 1922,

No._____.

C. C. Carter
Mayor.

A. V. Spiers
Secretary.

Section 3. When said bonds have been executed they shall be presented to the Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana for registration and for his endorsement as provided by law.

Section 4. The Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, shall and does hereby covenant with each and every holder of said bonds, or any of them, that in apt time, manner and season, out of the proceeds of taxes collected there shall be set apart a net sum sufficient to pay and discharge the principal and interest of said bonds as and when the same become due and payable.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

A. V. Spiers
February 7th, 1922.
A. V. Spiers
Secretary

C. C. Carter
Mayor

Ordinance No 72
Commission Series

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUE OF
LIGHT BONDS OF THE CITY OF
HAMMOND, LA.,
AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF.

WHEREAS, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October, 1921, in the City of Hammond, there was submitted to the property taxpayers of said City legally qualified to vote at said election the proposition to incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish , Louisiana, to the amount of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars ($2,500.00) to run twenty-five years, but payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council of Said City, bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of lighting the public streets of the City of Hammond; and

WHEREAS, due and timely notice for the period and in the manner prescribed by law was given of said election and a majority in number and amount of the property taxpayers qualified as electors under the laws and constitution of the State of Louisiana voting thereat authorized the City of Hammond to issue said bonds - Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section 1. That there shall be and are hereby ordered to be issued the negotiable coupon bonds of said City of Hammond in the sum of $2500.00 (Twenty-five Hundred Dollars). Said bonds shall be dated the first day of March, 1922, shall be of the denomination of $50.00 (Fifty Dollars) each, shall bear interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of March and of September in each year, said interest to be evidenced by interest notes or coupons attached to said bonds reppectively. Said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to 50, both numbers inclusive, and shall mature as follows:

On the first day of March in each of the years 1923 to 1927, both inclusive, one bond of Fifty Dollars ($50.00);

On the first day of March in each of the years 1928 to 1942, both inclusive, two bonds aggregating One Hundred Dollars ($100.00);

On the first day of March in each of the years 1943 to 1947, both inclusive, three bonds aggregating One Hundred Fifty Dollars ($150.00).

Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary, and each of said bonds shall be attested by the corporate seal of the City of Hammond. The interest coupons shall be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

Section 2. That said bonds, except as to number and date of maturity, shall be in substantially the following form:

No._____

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA
CITY OF HAMMOND
LIGHT BOND.

$ 50.00

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT the City of Hammond, Louisiana, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of FIFTY -DOLLARS - ($50.00) - -

on the first day of March, 19____, with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable September 1, 1922, and semi-annually thereafter, upon presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

This bond is one of a series of fifty (50) bonds of like tenor, except as to date of maturity, numbered from 1 to 50 inclusive, aggregating $2,500.00, and issued for the purpose of lighting the public streets of the City of Hammond, under the authority of Section 14 of Article XIV of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and in accordance with the provisions of Act No.256 of the General Assembly of

Louisiana passed at its special session in the year 1921, and pursuant to the authorization of the property taxpayers who are qualified electors of said City, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October,1921.

And it is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond and the other bonds of this series, in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the said City have been done and performed in due form as required by law; that the total indebtedness of said City, including this Bond, does not exceed the constitutional or statutory limitations.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, by virtue of authority vested in it by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana, has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary of said City, and sealed with its seal, and the interest coupons hereunto attached to be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary this first day of March, 1922.

L. L. Carter
MAYOR.

Countersigned;

A. W. Spicer
Secretary.

COUPON

On the first day of March / September 19____, the City of Hammond, Louisiana, promises to pay to bearer One 50/100 ($1.50)

at the Hammond State Bank in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana, for interest due that day on its Light Bond dated March 1,1922,

No._____.

C. C. Carter
Mayor.

A. V. Spicer
Secretary.

Section 3. When said bonds have been executed they shall be presented to the Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana for registration and for his endorsement as provided by law.

Section 4. The Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, shall and does hereby covenant with each and every holder of said bonds, or any of them, that in apt time, manner and season, out of the proceeds of taxes collected there shall be set apart a net sum sufficient to pay and discharge the principal and interest of said bonds as and when the same become due and payable.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

A. V. Spicer February 7th 1922 C. C. Carter
A. V. Spicer Mayor
Secretary

Ordinance No 72
Commission Series

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUE OF SEWERAGE BONDS OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND, LA., AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF.

WHEREAS, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October, 1921, in the City of Hammond, there was submitted to the property taxpayers of said City legally qualified to vote at said election the proposition to incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, to the amount of Eighteen Thousand Dollars ($18,000.) to run twenty-five years but payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council of said City, bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of extending and improving the sewerage system of the City of Hammond; and

WHEREAS, due and timely notice for the period and in the manner prescribed by law was given of said election and a majority in number and amount of the property taxpayers qualified as electors under the laws and constitution of the State of Louisiana voting thereat authorized the City of Hammond to issue said bonds - Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section 1. That there shall be and are hereby ordered to be issued the negotiable coupon bonds of said City of Hammond in the sum of Eighteen Thousand Dollars ($18,000.00). Said bonds shall be dated the first day of March,1922, shall be of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) each, shall bear interest at the rate of 6 (six) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of March and of September in each year, said interest to be evidenced by interest notes or coupons attached to said bonds respectively. Said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to 36,both numbers inclusive, and shall mature as follows:

On the first day of March in each of the years 1923 to 1936,both inclusive, one bond of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00);

On the first day of March in each of the years 1937 to 1947, both inclusive, two bonds aggregating One Thousand Dollars ($1000.00).

Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary, and each of said bonds shall be attested by the corporate seal of the City of Hammond. The interest coupons shall be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

Section 2. That said bonds, except as to number and date of maturity, shall be in substantially the following form:

No._____

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA
CITY OF HAMMOND
SEWERAGE BOND

$500.00

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT the City of Hammond, Louisiana, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of FIVE HUNDRED - - - - Dollars ($ 500.00) on the first day of March, 19_____ , with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable September 1,1922, and semiannually thereafter, upon presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond,State of Louisiana.

This bond is one of a series of thirty-six (36) bonds of like tenor, except as to date of maturity, numbered from 1 to 36 inclusive, aggregating $18,000.00, and issued for the purpose of extending and improving the sewerage system of the City of Hammond,

under the authority of Section 14 of Article XlV of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and in accordance with the provisions of Act No.256 of the General Assembly of Louisiana for the year 1910, as amended, and Act No.46 of the General Assembly of Louisiana passed at its special session in the year 1921, and pursuant to the authorization of the property taxpayers who are qualified electors of said City, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October, 1921.

And it is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond and the other bonds of this series, in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the said City have been done and performed in due form as required by law; that the total indebtedness of said City, including this Bond, does not exceed the constitutional or statutory limitations.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, by virtue of authority vested in it by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana, has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary of said City, and sealed with its seal, and the interest coupons hereunto attached to be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary this first day of March, 1922.

O O Carter

Mayor.

Countersigned;

Auspices

Secretary.

C O U P O N.

On the first day of March September 19___, the City of Hammond, Louisiana, promises to pay to bearer fifteen Dollars ($15.00) at the Hammond State Bank in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana, for interest due that day on its Sewerage Bond dated March 1, 1922,

No._____

C. C. Carter
Mayor.

A W Spiers
Secretary.

Section 3. When said bonds have been executed they shall be presented to the Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana for registration and for his endorsement as provided by law.

Section 4. The Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, shall and does hereby covenant with each and every holder of said bonds, or any of them, that in apt time, manner and season, out of the proceeds of taxes collected there shall be set apart a net sum sufficient to pay and discharge the principal and interest of said bonds as and when the same become due and payable.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Adopted
February 7th 1922
A W Spiers
Secretary

C. C. Carter
Mayor.

Ordinance No 74
Commission Series

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUE OF WATER BONDS OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND, LOUISIANA, AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF.

WHEREAS, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October, 1921, in the City of Hammond, there was submitted to the property taxpayers of said City legally qualified to vote at said election the proposition to incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, to the amount of Nine Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($9,500.00) to run twenty-five years but payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council of said City, bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of extending and improving the water-works system of the City of Hammond; and

WHEREAS, due and timely notice for the period and in the manner prescribed by law was given of said election and a majority in number and amount of the property taxpayers qualified as electors under the laws and constitution of the State of Louisiana voting thereat authorized the City of Hammond to issue said bonds - Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section 1. That there shall be and are hereby ordered to be issued the negotiable coupon bonds of said City of Hammond in the sum of Nine Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($9,500.00). Said bonds shall be dated the first day of March, 1922, shall be of the denomination of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($250.00) each, shall bear interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of March and of September in each year, said interest to be evidenced by interest notes or coupons attached to said bonds respectively. Said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to 38, both numbers inclusive, and shall mature as follows:

On the first day of March in each of the years 1923 to 1934, both inclusive, one bond of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, ($250.00);

On the first day of March in each of the years 1935 to 1947, both inclusive, two bonds aggregating Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00):

Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary, and each of said bonds shall be attested by the corporate seal of the City of Hammond. The interest coupons shall be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

Section 2. That said bonds, except as to number and date of maturity, shall be in substantially the following form:

No._____

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA
CITY OF HAMMOND
WATER BOND

$ 250.00

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT the City of Hammond, Louisiana, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of **TWO HUNDRED FIFTY-DOLLARS - - $(($250.00)-** on the first day of March, 19___, with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable September 1, 1922, and semi-annually thereafter, upon presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

This bond is one of a series of thirty-eight (38) bonds of like tenor, except as to date of maturity, numbered from 1 to 38 inclusive, aggregating $9,500.00, and issued for the purpose of extending and improving the water-works system of the City of Hammond, under the

authority of Section 14 of Article XlV of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and in accordance with the provisions of Act.No.256 of the General Assembly of Louisiana for the year 1910, as amended, and Act No.46, of the General Assembly of Louisiana passed at its special session in the year 1921, and pursuant to the authorization of the property taxpayers who are qualified electors of said City, at an election duly called and held on the 11th day of October,1921.

And it is hereby certified and recited that all acts,conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond and the other bonds of this series, in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the said City have been done and performed in due form as required by law; that the total indebtedness of said City, including this bond, does not exceed the constitutional or statutory limitations.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, by virtue of authority vested in it by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana, has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary of said City, and sealed with its seal, and the interest coupons hereunto attached to be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary this first day of March, 1922.

MAYOR.

Countersigned:

SECRETARY

COUPON

On the first day of March / September, 19____, the City of Hammond, Louisiana, promises to pay to bearer Seven + 50/100 ($7.50) Dollars at the Hammond State Bank in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana, for interest due that day on its Water Bond dated March 1, 1922,

No._____.

C. C. Carter
Mayor.

A. W. Spicer
Secretary.

Section 3. When said bonds have been executed they shall be presented to the Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana for registration and for his endorsement as provided by law.

Section 4. The Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, shall and does hereby covenant with each and every holder of said bonds, or any of them, that in apt time, manner and season, out of the proceeds of taxes collected there shall be set apart a net sum sufficient to pay and discharge the principal and interest of said Bonds as and when the same become due and payable.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Adopted
February 7th 1922
A. W. Spicer
Secretary

C. C. Carter
Mayor

ORDINANCE NUMBER 75

Commission Series:

An ordinance providing for the pavement of the sidewalks on both sides of Olive Street between Robert and Church Streets.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that the side walks on Olive Street, between Robert and Church Streets shall be paved.

Section 2. Be it further ordained: That such pavement shall be in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the City Engineer, on file with the Mayor, and in general shall be as follows: Four feet wide, of concrete of good material.

Section 3. Be it further ordained that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Passed Feby 14th 1922

C C Carter

Mayor

A Wspiner

Secretary.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 76

COMMISSION SERIES:

An ordinance placing on sale the bonds of the City of Hammond, aggregating one hundred and forty five thousand dollars, ($145,000.00), known as public improvement bonds, authorized to be issued at an election held in the City of Hammond, on the 11th day of October 1921, and proceedings held thereunder; authorizing and directing the Mayor to advertise same for sale, and providing regulations governing the same.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that the following described negotiable coupon bonds of the City of Hammond, the issuance of which have been duly authorized by Ordinances numbered, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73 and 74, (Commission Series) shall be offered for sale by the Mayor of the City of Hammond, who is authorized and directed to give public notice thereof by advertisement in the Louisiana Sun, the official organ of the City of Hammond, and in The Times-Picayune, a news-paper published in the City of New Orleans, Louisiana, once a week for three weeks, prior to the sale, to wit:

Street Improvement Bonds of $1000.00 each, numbered from one to fifty-five, both inclusive:

City Hall Bonds, of $1000.00 each, numbered from one to forty, both inclusive:

Paving Bonds, of $500.00 each, numbered from one to forty, both inclusive:

Light Bonds, of $50.00 each, numbered from one to fifty, both inclusive:

Sewerage Bonds, of $500.00 each, numbered from one to thirty-six, both inclusive:

Water Bonds, of $250.00 each, numbered from one to thirty-eight, both inclusive:

Section 2. Be it further ordained, et cetra, That such bonds shall be sold to the bidder offering the highest cash price therefor; bids to be submitted for each of the six issues above mentioned, separately, or for the total of the six, aggregating $145,000.00 : The Commission Council reserving the right to reject any or all bids. No bonds to be sold for less than par and interest accrued to date of delivery of bonds.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, et cetra, That all bids for such bonds shall be in writing, addressed to the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, sealed, and delivered to the Mayor, on or before the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M. on Tuesday the 28th day of March 1922; and shall be opened and considered by the Commission Council at its regular meeting on the 28th day of March 1922.

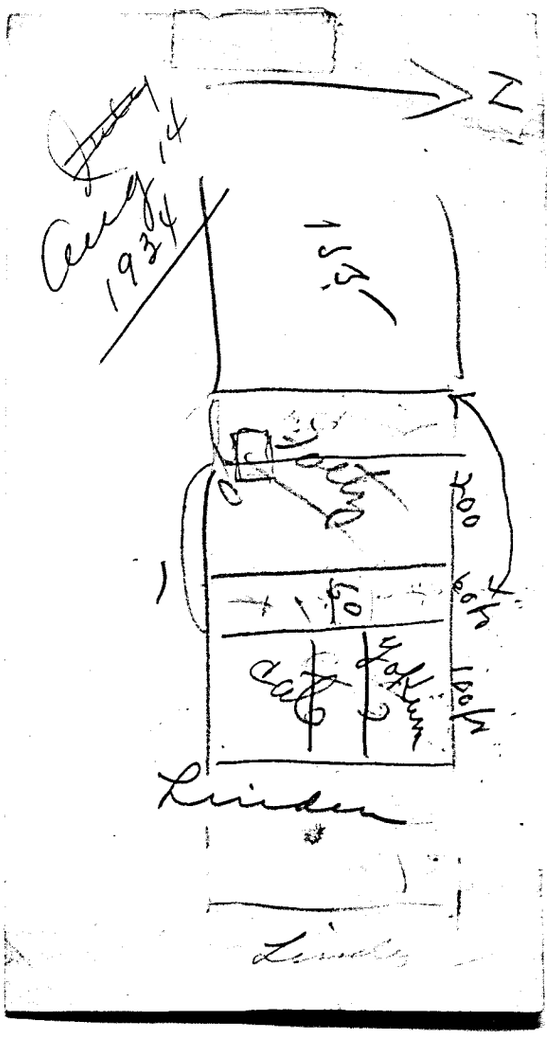
Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent of the bid, payable to The City of Hammond. The check of the unsuccessful bidders to be returned to the bidder; and that of the successful bidder or bidders to be retained as a guarantee that such bidder or bidders will comply with their bid and pay all damages sustained by the City of Hammond in case of failure so to do; which checks shall be returned to the bidder when such bid is fully complied with.

Adopted February 28th 1922.

Awspiller - Secretary

C C Carter

Mayor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ORDINANCE NO. 77; COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance accepting the work, levying the assessment and authorizing the issuance of certificates, and the like, for the laying of cement side-walks on certain streets herein described:

Section one: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond: That the cement sidewalks as made by Albert Tolle, Contractor, under the contract heretofore made between him and the City of Hammond, of date the 21st day of January, 1922, in so far as same applies to the following described streets and property of abutting owners, are hereby accepted as complying with the said contract:

And, in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessment against such owners and their abutting property, be and the same is hereby levied, as provided by the law, especially, Act No. 147, of 1902; the names of such owners, the description of his property and the amount assessed against same for said work is declared to be as follows:

Block 3: Iowa Add.: Description of property—154 feet on Morris Ave.; 308 feet, 9 inches on S. Olive St.; 152 feet, 3 inches on Hanson Ave; being West ½ of said block 3. Name of Owner, Mrs. C. M. Martin. Amount—$542.58.

Block 14: Iowa Add.: Description of Property—154 feet, 5 inches on Hanson Ave; being N W ¼ of said block 14. Name of owner, Mr. J. Brocato. Amount—$137.21.

Block 14: Iowa Add.: Description of Property—51 feet, 4 inches on Hanson Ave.; being W 1-3 of N E ¼ of said block 14. Name of Owner, Mr. E. G. Burbank. Amount—$44.99.

Block 7: Adams Add.: Description of Property—152 feet, 9 inches on Olive St., being E 1-3 of NE ¼ of said block 7. Name of owner, Mrs. L. E. Norman. Amount—$131.70.

Block 2: Iowa Add.: Description of Property—155 feet, 3 inches, corner Morris and Cherry Sts., being N W ¼ of said block 2. Name of owner, Mr. Dan Wolf. Amount—$133.86.

Block 2: Iowa Add.: Description of Property—50 feet, 4 inches on Morris Ave., being W 1-3 of NE¼ of said block 2. Name of owner, Mrs. Nancy Copas. Amount—$44.23.

Block 3: Iowa Add.: Description of Property—152 feet, 3 inches, North corner of Orange and Morris Sts., being N 2-3 of NW ¼ of said block 3. Name of Owner, Mrs. M. S. Voltz. Amount—$133.51.

Block 2: Iowa Add.: Description of Property—100 feet, 9 inches on Morris Ave., being E 2-3 of NE¼ of block 2. Name of Owner, Mr. Harry Wolf. Amount—$86.87.

Block 4: Iowa Add.: Description of Property—208 feet, 4 inches, East corner of Hanson and Olive Sts., being W 1-3 of SW¼ of said block 4. Name of Owner, New Orleans Credit Men's Assn. Amount—$182.54.

OWNER- FRED F. HANSEN

Block 3: Iowa Add.: Description of Property—152 feet, 4 inches on Hanson St., being SW¼ of block 3. Name of Owner, Mrs. A. P. McCoy. Amount—$132.65.

Block 11: Adams Add.: Description of Property—50 feet, 4 inches, Thomas St., between Olive and Chestnut Sts., being W 1-3 of NE¼ of block 11. Name of Owner, Mrs. W. E. Capner. Amount—$45.35.

Block 11: Adams Add.: Description of Property—50 feet, 4 inches on Thomas St., bet. Olive and Chestnut, being E 1 3 of NW¼ of block 11. Name of Owner, Mrs. W. R. Thompson. Amount—$45.35.

Block 11: Adams Add.: Description of Property—50 feet, 4 inches on Thomas St., between Olive and Chestnut, being center 1-3 of NW¼ of block 11. Name of Owner, Miss Venda Kelley. Amount—$45.35.

Block 7: Adams Add.: Description of Property—150 feet, 5 inches, West corner Thomas and Olive Sts., being E 1-3 of SE¼ of said block 7. Name of Owner, Thomas Kidder. Amount—$133.12.

Block 11: Adams Add.: Description of Property—50 feet, corner Olive and Thomas Sts., being West 1-3 of NW¼, said block 11. Name of Owner, Edwin Kelley. Amount—$45.35.

Block 6: Adams Add.: Description of Property—155 feet, 4 inches, West corner of East Charles and Olive Sts., being E 2-3 of SE¼ of said block 6. Name of Owner, Mrs. A. G. Jackson. Amount—$137.22.

Block 8: Adams Add.: Description of Property—151 feet, 5 inches, East corner of Olive and East Charles Sts., being W ½ of NW ¼ of said block 8. Name of Owner, Mrs. Chas. Pitcher. Amount—$133.83.

Block 8: Adams Add.: Description of Property—151 feet, 5 inches, West corner of Olive and Thomas Sts., being W 1-3 of SW ¼ of said block 8. Name of Owner, Green Hayden. Amount—$133.83.

Block 2: Adams Add.: Description of Property—150 feet, 8 inches, East corner of Church and Olive Sts., being W 1-3 of NW ¼ of said block 2. Name of Owner, Duran Caraway. Amount—$133.34.

Block 1: Adams Add.: Description of Property—150 feet, 4 inches, West corner Church and Olive Sts., being E 1-3 of NE ¼ of said block 1. Name of Owner, Rev. E. A. Watkins. Amount—$130.45.

Description of Property—Sidewalk crossings, Olive on Thomas St., 50 feet. Name of Owner, City of Hammond. Amount—$43.11.

Description of Property—Sidewalk crossings, Olive on Morris Ave., 41 feet, 10 inches. Name of Owner City of Hammond. Amount—$36.09.

Section two: Be it further ordained, et seq., that in accordance with the said contract and Act 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving certificates, already provided for, against each abutting property owner, and his said property as above described, on said property owner, paying twenty per cent of the above assessment against him, in cash, within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, which certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments, payable in one, two, three, four and five years, (or sooner at the option of the property owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid interest payable annually. The Mayor, in issuing said certificates is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to paraph and record said certificates in the mortgage office of this Parish, to-wit: $5.00 from each property owner.

Section three: Be it further ordained, et seq., That if the cash portion of said assessment is not paid within ten days, no certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest from the expiration of said ten days until paid. The Mayor is hereby authorized to transfer said certificates with the lien and privilege attaching thereto, with full subrogation to all rights held by the holder thereof, to said Albert Tolle, Contractor, or his assigns. The Mayor is further authorized to cause this ordinance with such certificates as are issued hereunder, to be duly recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Tangipahao, and to pay for such recordation, out of the general fund of the City of Hammond, subject to the replacing of same in the manner above provided:

This ordinance to become effective after its passage.

Passed, March 3rd, 1922.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

Published in "Louisiana Sun" 1st Date, March 10th 1922 Affidavit Sent

ORDINANCE NO. 78; COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance accepting the work, levying the assessment and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the like, for the laying of cement sidewalks on certain streets herein described:

Section One: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond: That cement sidewalks as made by Albert Tolle, contractor, under the contract heretofore made between him and the City of Hammond, of date, the 21st day of January, 1922, in so far as same applies to the following described streets and property of abutting owners, are hereby accepted as complying with said contract;

And, in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessment against such owners and their abutting property, be and the same is hereby levied as provided by the law, especially Act No. 147, of 1902; the names of such owners, the description of his property and the amount assessed against same for said work is declared to be as follows:

Block 15: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 79 feet, four inches, on Hanson Ave. Name of owner, Mrs. E. Blush. Amount, $69.72.

Block 15; Iowa Addition: Description of property: 156 feet, 4 inches on Orange St., also block 18; 150 feet, 4 inches on Orange St. Name of owner, Mrs. R. E. June. Amount, $263.83.

Block 15: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 50 feet, 4 inches on Orange St. Name of owner, Miss —. Klein. Amount, $45.34.

Block 2: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 158 feet, 4 incvhes on Hanson Ave. Name of owner, Mrs. W. C. Downey. Amount, $138.60.

Block 15: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 50 feet, 4 inches on Orange St. Name of owner, Estate of J. W. Coleman. Amount, $45.34.

Block 2: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 154 feet, 4 inches on Hanson Ave.; also block 2, Iowa Addition; 55 feet 4 inches on Orange St. Name of owner, Anthony Clesi. Amount, $183.60.

Block 2: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 204 feet, 4 inches on Orange St. Name of owner, Harry Wolf, $176.40.

Block 2: Iowa Addition: Description of property: 50 feet, 4 inches on Orange St. Name of owner, T. C. Williams. Amount, $44.70.

Block 19: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 100 feet, 3 inches on Merry Ave., and 104 feet on Olive St. Name of owner, S. P. Jones. Amount $180.87.

Block 19: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 50 feet on Merry Ave. Name of owner, J. E. Martan. Amount $45.34.

Block 18: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 150 feet on Holly St., and 152 feet on Merry Ave. Name of owner, Tom McKneely. Amount, $267.12.

Block 18: Iowa Addition—Description of property: 151 feet on Holly St. Name of owner, Seventh Day Baptist Church. Amount, $133.55.

Block 15: Iowa Addition— Description of property: 155 feet, 4 inches on Hanson Ave., and 50 feet on Orange St. Name of owner, Ernest Wainwright. Amount, 181.42.

Block 14: Iowa Addition —Description of property: 156 feet on Orange St. Name of owner, Mrs. —. Holcroft. Amount, $137.86.

Block 14: Iowa Addition —Description of property: 150 feet on Orange St. Name of owner, Joe Brocato. Amount, $134.93.

Orange St., between Thomas and Morris Sts.—142 feet, 10 inches. Name of owner, City of Hammond. Amount $115.24.

Block 3: Iowa Addition— Description of property: 50 feet on Orange St. Name of owner Mrs. M. Mathews. Amount, $44.22.

Block 3: Iowa Addition— Description of property: 50 feet on Orange St. Name of owner, Chas. Torrence. Amount, $43.10.

Block 3: Iowa Addition —Description of property: 104 feet, 10 inches on Orange St. Name of owner, Mrs. M. Voltz. Amount $91.42.

Section Two: Be it further ordained, et seq., that in accordance with the said contract and Act 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving certificates, already provided for, against each abutting property owner, and his said property as above described on said property owner, paying twenty per cent of the above assessment against him, in cash, within ten days after the passage of this ordinance, which certificates for said balance shall be divided into equal installments, payable in one, two, three, four and five years (or sooner at the option of the property owner) with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually. The Mayor, in issuing said certificates, is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to paraph, and record said certificates in the mortgage office of this Parish, to-wit: $5.00 from each property owner.

Section Three: Be it further ordained, et seq., That if the cash portion of said assessment is not paid within ten days, no certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six per cent per annum interest, from the expiration of said ten days until paid. The Mayor is hereby authorized to transfer said certificates with the lien and privilege attaching thereto, with full subrogation to all rights held by the holder thereof, to said Albert Tolle, Contractor, or his assigns. The Mayor is further authorized to cause this ordinance with such certificates as are issued hereunder, to be duly recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Tangipahoa, and to pay for such recordation, out of the general fund of the City of Hammond, subject to the replacing of same in the manner above provided.

This ordinance to become effective after its passage.

Passed, April 4th, 1922.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

Published in "Louisiana Sun" of date Apr 7th 1922
A. W. Spiller Secy

ORDINANCE NUMBER 79.

COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance providing for the pavement of certain public Streets in the City of Hammond and for advertising for bids therefor.

WHEREAS, a written petition of the property owners of more than sixty per cent of the lineal frontage of real estate abutting on certain Streets, hereinafter designated, has been presented to the Commission Council, asking that it pave such Streets under provisions of act Number 210 of 1914; as shown by said petition hereto attached:

NOW THEREFORE;

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, that the following portions of the Streets named shall be paved:

First: Thomas Street from the intersection of Holly Street, west to the intersection of Magnolia Street:

Second: South Cypress Street, from Thomas Street to Morris Avenue:

Third: East Railroad (Or Cate Avenue), from Thomas Street to Charles Street:

Fourth: West Railroad Avenue from Thomas Street to Charles Street:

Fifth: West Railroad Avenue from Charles Street to Church Street:

Sixth: West Railroad Avenue from Thomas Street to Morris Avenue:

Section 2. Be it further ordained: That such pavement shall, in general terms, be according to the following specifications, to-wit:

To consist of a five inch (5") concrete base, composed of a mixture of what is known as 1-3-6, with a wearing surface of one and one-half inch (1 1/2") compressed , either Warrenite-Bituilithic, Rock or Oil Asphalt, Asphaltic Concrete, Sheet Asphalt, Tarvia or any other type of Bituminous Concrete.

It being understood however, that for detailed and accurate information as to such pavement work, reference should be made by prospective bidders to certain plans and specifications prepared by the City Engineer, now on file in the office of Mr. H. T. Richardson, City Engineer, which have been inspected and approved by this Council and is made part hereof.

Section 3. Be it further ordained: That the Secretary advertise for bids for the said work and give due notice thereof in the official journal of the City, giving a general description of the contemplated work, and designating the hour, date and place for the reception of bids: Reserving the right to reject any or all bids and of purchasing the material and doing the work by the Commission Council.

Passed May 2d, 1922.

Secretary

Mayor

Ordinance

THE LOUISIANA SUN, HAMMOND, LA.

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COMMISSION SERIES.

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Passed May 2d, 1922.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

Published in "Louisiana Sun" of date May 5th 1922

A. W. Spiller Secy.

City of Hammond

ORDINANCE NO. 80
Commission Series

An Ordinance accepting the work, levying the assessment and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the like, for the laying of cement sidewalks on certain streets herein described:

Section One: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, That cement sidewalks as made by Albert Tolle, Contractor, under the contract heretofore made between him and the City of Hammond, of date, the 21st day of January, 1922, in so far as same applies to the following described streets and property of abutign owners, are hereby accepted as complying with said contract;

And in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners, and the assessment against such owners and their abutting property, be and the same is hereby levied as provided by the law, especially Act No. 147, of 1902 the names of such owners, the description of his property and the amount assessed against same for said work is declared to be as follows:

South half Block 13; Iowa Addition. Name of owner, J. Hoggatt. Amount $275.94.

Block 26; Description of property: 150 feet on Merry Ave. Name of owner, O. C. Snell. Amount, $135.20.

South two-thirds of Southwest quarter of Block 3, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, Mrs. A. P. McCoy. Amount $96.24.

East one-third of Southeast quarter of Block 20, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, Eric Millard. Amount $43.10.

South one-third of West half of Block 86, Hyer Survey. Name of owner, J. S. Willis. Amount $131.95.

Center one-third of North half of Block 47, Iowa Addition. Name of owner T. A. Marshall. Amount $88.69

North two-thirds of Northeast quarter of Block 47, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, A. Elmer. Amount, $90.99.

Center one-third of West half of Block 46, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, Mrs. L. Fourmin. Amount, $94.55.

Southeast quarter of Block 46, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, Estate of William Barnes. Amount $135.84.

South two-thirds of Southeast quarter of Block 86, Hyer Survey. Name of owner, H. E. Reynolds. Amount $132.50.

[redacted]-two-thirds of Northeast quarter of Block 11, Adams Addition. Name of owner, Mrs. M. A. Blue. Amount $136.70.

South one-third of Northeast quarter of Block 34, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, Gordon Anderson. Amount $44.22.

East one-third of Northwest quarter of Block [illegible]. Name of owner unknown. Amount $45.34.

North two-thirds of West half of Block 34, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, J. Loeffler. Amount $131.12.

South two-thirds of Southwest quarter of Block 47, Iowa Addition. Name of owner J. C. Farley. Amount $90.99

Block 20; Fifty (50) feet on Merry Avenue, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, F. Klein. Amount $47.58.

North two-thirds of Northwest quarter of Block 32, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, W. I. Kent. Amount $133.61

South two-thirds of Southwest quarter of Block 46, Iowa Addition. Name of owner, D. C. Carey. Amount $139.01

Northwest quarter of Block 87, Hyer Survey Name of owner J. L. Walden Amount $130.90.

Southeast quarter of Block 34, Iowa Addition. Name of owner A. N. Isom. Amount $68.69.

North sides of Blocks 120-121-122, Mooney Addition. Name of awner, Mooney Realty Co. Amount $904.33.

SECTION TWO: Be it further ordained, et seq., in accordance with the said contract and Act 147 of 1902, the Mayor is authorized to issue the paving certificates, already provided for, against each abutting property owner, and his said property as above described, on said property owner paying twenty per cent of the above assessment against him, in cash, within ten days after passage of this ordinance, which certificate for said balance shall be divided into equal installments, payable in one, two, three, four and five years (or sooner at the option of the owner), with six per cent per annum interest from date until paid, interest payable annually. The Mayor, in issuing said certificates, is hereby authorized and instructed to include the expense necessary to paraph and record said certificates in the mortgage office of this parish, to-wit: $5.00 from each property owner.

SECTION THREE: Be it further ordained, et seq., That if the cash portion of said assessment is not paid within ten days, no certificate shall be issued, but such assessment shall bear six percent per annum interest, from the expiration of said ten days until paid. The Mayor is hereby authorized to transfer said certificates with the lien and privilege attaching thereto, with full subrogation to all rights held by the holder thereof, to said Albert Tolle, Contractor, or his assigns. The Mayor is further authorized to cause this ordinance, with such certificates as are issued hereunder, to be duly recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Tangipahoa, and to pay for such recordation out of the general fund of the City of Hammond, subjest to the replacing of same in the manner above provided. This ordinance to become effective after its passage.

Passed July 5th, 1922.

C. C. CARTER,
Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER,
Secretary.

Published in "Hammond Vindicator" [illegible] date July 7th

A. W. Spiller per [illegible]
Secy.

THE HAMMOND VINDICATOR, HAMMOND, LA.

City of Hammond

ORDINANCE No. 81
Commission Series

"An ordinance granting a franchise to the Hammond Ice, Light & Bottling Co., Ltd., its successors or assigns the right to occupy the streets, highways, alleys, sidewalks and public grounds with poles, wires, cables and all necessary apparatus, in, upon, over and under, for the purpose of distributing and supplying Electric Current to the City of Hammond."

Be it ordained by the Mayor and the City Commission of the City of Hammond:

Section 1. That the Hammond Ice, Light & Bottling Company, Ltd., a corporation, incorporated under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Louisiana of the City of Hammond, La., its successors or assigns be and is hereby granted the right of way, thru, in, upon, over and under the streets, highways, alleys, and sidewalks and public grounds of the City of Hammond for the uses and purposes therein and thereon erect and maintain all the necessary poles, wires and apparatus for the successful distribution of Electric Current in the City of Hammond, La.

Section 2. That the Hammond Ice, Light & Bottling Company, Ltd., its successors or assigns shall have the right and privilege to trim and cut tree on their various routes as the exigences of the service may require by and with consent of the street commissioner.

Section 3. That the Hammond Ice, Light & Bottling Company, Ltd., its successors or assigns shall be liable to persons or owners of property within said city, for any damage to persons or property on account of the construction or operation of said Electric System in said City, and shall save and keep harmless said city from any damage occurring to it or persons or property by reasons of making any excavating or the erection of any poles, wires, and apparatus in the streets, highways, alleys, sidewalks and public grounds.

Section 4. That in consideration of said franchise and privileges the Hammond Ice, Light & Bottling Company, Ltd., its successors or assigns agrees to furnish free of charge all the Electric Current that is required for the New City Hall and Community Hall (now in course of construction) during the life of said grant.

Section 5. That the franchise and privileges hereby granted to the Hammond Ice, Light & Bottling Company, Ltd., its successors or assigns shall be and continue for the full term of twenty-five (25) years beginning at the hour of noon (12 o'clock) on the first day of July, A. D. 1922.

Section 6. Be it further ordained that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed and that this ordinance shall be effective from and after its promulgation.

C. C. CARTER,
Mayor
W. H. THOMAS,
Commissioner of Streets
J. T. MASHBURN,
Commissioner of Finance.

Published in "Hammond Vindicator" of date Aug. 4th 1922

A. W. Spicer
per A. S. Secy.

THE HAMMOND VINDICATOR, HAMMOND, LA.

City of Hammond

ORDINANCE No. 82
Commission Series

An Ordinance condemning as unsafe the service pipes now in use on certain streets connecting with the public water-works system; prohibiting the use of such service pipes, or their connection with the public water system; and requiring all property owners within such territory to install, at their cost, immediately after the publication of this Ordinance lead: Requiring the owners of each lead: Requiring theowners of each lot abutting on certain designated Streets to install sewer connections from their lots to the public Sewerage System; and, regulating the manner of doing such work and prescribing penalties for the violation of this Ordinance:

WHEREAS, the Commission Council has provided by Ordinance No. 79 for the pavement of certain public Streets therein mentioned as follows:

FIRST: Thomas Street from the intersection of Holly Street, west to the intersection of Magnolia Street.

SECOND: South Cypress Street, from Thomas Street to Morris Avenue.

THIRD: East Railroad (or Cate) Avenue, from Thomas Street to Charles Street.

FOURTH: West Railroad Avenue from Thomas Street to Charles Street.

FIFTH: West Railroad Avenue from Charles Street to Church Street.

SIXTH: West Railroad Avenue from ThomasS treet to Morris Avenue.

WHEREAS, acting under instructions from the Commission Council, the City Engineer and City Plumber have investigated the condition of the water service pipes now being used by the property owners along the Streets above mentioned, and have reported to the Commission Council that such connections are unsafe, due to the rusty and decayed condition of such pipes, which renders same too weak to stand the required pressure of water used by the Public Fire fighting Apparatus;

WHEREAS, it is deemed advisable to install more suitable pipes before the said Streets are paved, thus avoiding the expense and inconvenience of destroying the pavement in order to repair or replace such pipes, which will shortly be required for the reasons aforesaid:

WHEREAS, for the same reasons it is deemed advisable that the owners of each lot on said Streets, who have not already done so, should install Sewerage connections from each lot before the paving is done:

THEREFORE: SECTION ONE: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hamond, that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation owning property abutting on the Streets mentioned to use water from or to connect with the public water system of the City of Hammond, after the passage of this Ordinance, unless and until they have installed, at their own expense, within such time as may be prescribed by the City Engineer and City Plumber, a new water service pipe of extra heavy lead, connecting with the public water-works system from their respective property, same to be installed under the supervision and subject to the approval of the City Engineer and City Plumber.

SECTION TWO: Be it further ordained that the owners of each lot of twenty-five (25) foot frontage on the above mentioned Streets is hereby required to install proper sewer connections from such lot to connect with the public sewerage system, at the cost of such owners, under the supervision and direction of the City Engineer and City Plumber. In case of their failure to install such connections, said owners shall be each prohibited from hereafter making such connections until they have filed with the Commission Council a bond signed by an authorized Surety Company for such amount as the Council may determine, conditioned that such owners shall restore the pavement in as good condition as it was before such connection was made: Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed as modifying in any way the existing sanitary regulations, especially Ordinance No. 33.

SECTION THREE: That any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not less than $25.00 or more than $100.00, or in default of payment of same to imprisonment of not less than five or more than thirty days.

Be it further enacted that all Ordinances in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

C. C. CARTER,
Mayor

A. W. SPILLER,
Secretary.

Published in "Hammond Vindicator" of date August 25th 1922.
A. W. Spiller Secy.
Per A. S.

Ord 83

ORDINANCE NO. 83
COMMISSION SERIES

An Ordinance prohibiting the parking of automobiles, trucks, or other motor driven vehicles, or wagons, buggies, or other vehicles of any description, on Thomas Street between Linden Avenue and the west corporation line of the City of Hammond, during the time from October 30th, 1922 to November 4th, 1922, both inclusive, or such other times as may be hereafter provided for conducting the Florida Parishes Fair, at the grounds of The Florida Parishes Fair Association at Hammond, Louisiana, and providing penalties for the violation of this Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any automobile, truck or other motor driven vehicle, wagon, buggy or other vehicle of any description, to park on Thomas Street between Linden Avenue and the west corporation line of the City of Hammond, during the period beginning October 30th, 1922 and ending November 4th, 1922, both inclusive, or at any other period of time which may be hereafter fixed for conducting The Florida Parishes Fair, at the grounds of The Florida Parishes Fair Association, in the City of Hammond.

SECTION 2. That the parking of such vehicles as provided herein, shall be construed to mean the stopping of such vehicles within the territory above specified, for a longer period of time than two minutes.

SECTION 3. It is further ordained that any person found guilty of violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined in the sum of not less than Five Dollars, ($5.00) nor more than Twenty-Five Dollars ($25.00) or imprisoned for a period of not less than two days nor more than fifteen days, or both fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 4. Be it further ordained that this Ordinance become effective from and after its promulgation.

C. C. CARTER,
Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER,
Secretary.

Adopted October 3d 1922.
Published in "Hammond Vindicator" October 6th 1922.

A. W. Spiller
Secy.

Per A. S.

THE HAMMOND VINDICATOR, HAMMOND, LA.

ORDINANCE NO. 84; COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance providing for a Budget and estimate of Expenditures, of the City of Hammond, for year 1922.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section One: That the following Budget and estimate of expenses for the City of Hammond for the year of 1922 be adopted and published as referred to by law, same covering the General Fund, of City Alimony, to-wit:

Salary of Mayor	$1500.00
Salary of Com. of Finance	500.00
Salary of Com. of Streets	500.00
Salary of Chief of Police	1500.00
Salary of Night Marshal	1500.00
Salary of Utility Man	240.00
Salary of Office Clerk	900.00
Salary of City Judge	600.00
Salary of Clerk of Court	480.00
Salary of City Attorney	150.00
Salary of Janitor	600.00
For Printing	100.00
For Street Lighting	4400.00
For Sew. Plant Maintenance	2400.00
Jail expenses and meals	500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	1034.12
Outstanding Bills and Notes	6795.88
Est. Total Expenditures	$23700.00
Estimated Revenues:	
Estimated Assessment for purposes of Collecting Taxes	$2,700,000.00
Estimated revenue, based on levy of seven mills, for General Fund or City Alimony	18,900.00
Court Fines and Costs, estimated	4,800.00
Total estimated revenues	$23,700.00

Section Two: That the foregoing be used as a basis for the levy of taxes for the general fund, or City Alimony, for the year 1922.

Adopted January 2nd, 1922.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

J. T. MASHBURN, Commissioner of Finance.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 85; COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinnace levying taxes upon all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond for the year 1922.

Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, as follows, to-wit:

Section One: There is herby levied the following taxes upon all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, for the year 1922, to-wit:

For School Bond Sinking Fund (lod); 1¼ mills.

For Waterworks Extension Sinking Fund (old); one-half (½) mills.

For Sewerage Bonds Sinking Fund (old); one-half (½) mills.

For Street Bonds Sinking Fund (old); one-half (½) mills.

For Street Bonds Sinking Fund (new); one mill.

Sewerage Bond Sinking Fund (new); one-fourth (¼) mill.

Water Bonds Sinking Fund (new); one-fourth (¼) mill.

Paving Bonds Sinking Fund; one-fourth (¼) mill.

City Hall Bonds Sinking Fund; one-half (½) mill.

General Fund; (City Alimony); Seven Mills.

Total of foregoing being twelve mills.

Section Two: That this Ordinance shall take affect from its adoption.

Adopted January 2nd, 1923.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

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A. W. Spiller
Asst. Secy.

ORDINANCE NO. 86

COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance ordering a special election for the purpose of submitting to the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond, the proposition to incur an indebtedness of the City of Hammond to the amount of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), for purchasing and constructing waterworks and necessary equipment; to issue therefor bonds of the City of Hammond, and to levy a special tax or taxes to provide for the payment of the principal and interest of said indebtedness.

SECTION 1: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that a special election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in said City at The City Hall on Tuesday, the 27 day of March, 1923, between the hours of 7 A. M and 6 P. M., as authorized by Article 14, Section 14 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1921, and under the provisions of Act 46 of the Session of the Legislature of 1921, and the Acts amendatory thereof, at which election the property taxpayers of the City of Hammond legally qualified to vote at such election shall have submitted to them the proposition whether the City of Hammond shall incur an indebtedness to the aggregate amount of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), to issue negotiable bonds therefor, and to levy a special tax or taxes to provide for payment of the principal and interest of said debt, the proceeds of the sale of which bonds to be used for the purchase and construction of water-works and necessary equipment, the title to which shall vest in the City of Hammond.

SECTION 2. Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the negotiable bonds to be issued pursuant to the said submission to represent said indebtedness, shall bear interest at the rate of five per centum (5%) per annum payable semi-annually, to be represented by interest coupons. Said bonds shall be of the denomination as may be determined by the Commission Council and shall run for a period of twenty-five (25) years from the date of the issuance thereof, provided, however, that the Council of the said City shall fix a certain time at which the said bonds shall begin to mature, which shall not be longer than three years from the date of the issuance of said bonds, and the said bonds shall thereafter mature in annual installments so that when the annual interest is added thereto, the total amount to be paid, including the principal and interest each year, shall be as near equal as practicable.

To insure payment of the principal and interest of the said bonds, there shall be imposed, levied and collected annually in excess of all other taxes, a tax sufficient to pay the interest and the principal falling due each year, or such amount as may be required for a sinking fund necessary to retire the said bonds at maturity, provided, however, that the indebtedness hereby authorized, together with all other present bonded indebtedness of the City of Hammond, incurred pursuant to the provisions of Article 14 of Section 14, of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, shall not exceed in the aggregate ten per centum (10%) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in said City.

SECTION 3: Be it further ordained, et cetera, that said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State, in such cases made and provided, and in particular in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 46 of the Session of the Legislature of the year 1921, and Acts amendatory thereof, and at the polling place above named.

SECTION 4: Be it further ordained, et cetera, that an abstract of this Ordinance shall be published by C. C. Carter, Mayor, during at least thirty (30) days preceeding said election, as notice thereof in the official journal of the City of Hammond.

SECTION 5: Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be in substantially the following form:

Shall the City of Hammond incur debt and issue bonds to the amount of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), to run twenty-five (25) years from date thereof, with interest at the maximum rate of five per cent (5%) per annum, for the purpose of purchasing and constructing waterworks and necessary equipment?

YES ☐

NO ☐

Taxable valuation $_____

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Signature of Voter.

NOTICE TO VOTERS: To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon this ballot, place a cross mark (X) in the square after the word "Yes". To vote against the proposition place a similar mark after the word "No".

Said proposition shall be printed on each ballot as above indicated, with the words "Yes" and "No", respectively, printed to the right of each. To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon the ballot the voter shall place a cross mark (X) in the square after the word "Yes". To vote against the proposition he shall place a similar mark after the word "No". There shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter a certificate showing the amount of each voter's assessment on property within the City, according to the assessment roll for the year 1922, which certificate shall be signed by one of the Commissioners of Election before the ballots shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be endorsed on his ballot.

SECTION 6: Be it further ordained, et cetera, that after said election shall have been held, the Commission Council of said City shall, in open session to be held at the Mayor's Office in said City, on Wednesday, March 28th, 1923, at 10 A. M. proceed to open the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballots in number and amounts, examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of the election, which result they shall thereafter promulgate by publication in one issue of the official journal of said City. Said Commission Council shall keep a proces verbal of the manner in which ballot boxes have been opened, the returns canvassed and the result of the election ascertained, and shall forward a copy of said proces verbal to the Secretary of State to be recorded in his office; another copy to the Clerk of the District Court to be recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish, and the remaining copy to be retained in the archives of the City.

SECTION 7: Be it further ordained, etc., that in the event the said proposition shall be voted for by a majority, in number and amount of property taxpayers qualified as electors under the constitution and laws of this State, voting at said election, the Commission Council shall pass such Ordinances as may be necessary to provide for the issuance of said bonds, for the signatures and authentication thereof, and for the sale and disposal thereof, which Ordinance shall provide that each year while any of the said bonds are outstanding, the City shall levy, impose and collect annually in each of said years, in excess of all other taxes, a tax sufficient to pay the interest annually and the principal falling due each year, or such amount as may be required for a sinking fund necessary to retire said bonds at maturity, provided such indebtedness, together with all other outstanding bonded indebtedness heretofore authorized to be levied for the payment of the principal and interest of any debt incurred, pursuant

to the provisions of Article 14, Section 14, of the Constitution of Louisiana, shall not exceed in the aggregate ten per cent (10%) on the Dollar of the assessed valuation of the property in said City.

SECTION 8: Be it further ordained, et cetera, that this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

PASSED February 19th, 1923.

Secretary.

Mayor.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

State of Louisiana.

Parish of Tangipahoa.

Pursuant to authority obtained in Ordinance No. 86 of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana, of date February 19th, , 1923, I, C. C. Carter, Mayor of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, hereby give notice that an election will be held at The City Hall , in the City of Hammond, Louisiana, on Tuesday, March 27th, 1923, as set forth in the following abstract of said Ordinance:

SECTION 1: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that a special election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in said City at The City Hall on Tuesday, the 27th day of March , 1923, between the hours of 7 A. M and 6 P. M., as authorized by Article 14, Section 14, of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1921, and under the provisions of Act 46 of the Session of the Legislature of 1921, and the Acts amendatory thereof, at which election the property tax-payers of the City of Hammond legally qualified to vote at such election, shall have submitted to them the proposition whether the City of Hammond shall incur an indebtedness to the aggregate amount of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), to issue negotiable bonds therefor, and to levy a special tax or taxes to provide for payment of the principal and interest of said debt, the proceeds of the sale of which bonds to be used for the purchase and construction of waterworks and necessary equipment, the title to which shall vest in the City of Hammond.

SECTION 2: Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the negotiable bonds to be issued pursuant to the said submission, to represent said indebtedness, shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum payable semi-annually, to be represented by interest coupons. Said bonds shall be of the denominations as may be determined by the Commission Council and shall run for a period of twenty-five (25) years from the date of the issuance thereof, provided, however, that the Council of the said City shall fix a certain time at which the said bonds shall begin to mature, which shall not be longer than three years from the date of issuance of said bonds, and the said bonds shall thereafter mature in annual installments, so that when the annual interest is added thereto, the total amount to be paid, including the principal and interest each year, shall be as near equal as practicable.

To secure payment of the said principal and interest of the said bonds, there shall be imposed, levied and collected annually, in excess of all other taxes, a tax sufficient to pay the interest and the principal falling due each year, or such amount as may be required for a sinking fund necessary to retire the said bonds at maturity, provided, however, that the indebtedness hereby authorized, together with all other present bonded indebtedness of the City of Hammond, incurred pursuant to the provisions of Article 14 of Section 14 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, shall not exceed in the aggregate ten per cent (10%) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in said City.

SECTION 3: Be it further ordained, et cetera, that said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State, in such cases made and provided, and in particular in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 46 of the Session of the Legislature of the year 1921, and Acts amendatory thereof, and at the polling place above named.

SECTION 4: Be it further ordained, et cetera, that an abstract of this Ordinance shall be published by C. C. Carter, Mayor, during at least thirty (30) days preceeding said election, as notice thereof, in the official journal of the City of Hammond.

SECTION 5: Be it further ordained, et cetera, that the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be in substantially the following form:

Shall the City of Hammond incur debt and issue bonds to the amount of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00) to run twenty-five (25) years from date thereof, with interest at the maximum rate of five per cent (5%) per annum for the purpose of purchasing and constructing waterworks and necessary equipment?

YES ☐

NO ☐

Taxable valuation $_____

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Signature of Voter.

NOTICE TO VOTERS: To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon this ballot, place a cross mark (X) in the square after the word "Yes" To vote against the proposition place a similar mark after the word "No".

Said proposition shall be printed on each ballot as above indicated, with the words "Yes" and "No", respectively, printed to the right of each. To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon the ballot the voter shall place a cross mark (X) in the square after the word "Yes". To vote against the proposition he shall place a similar mark after the word "No". There shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter a certificate showing the amount of each voter's assessment on property within the City, according to the assessment roll for the year 1922, which certificate shall be signed by one of the Commissioners of Election before the ballots shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be endorsed on his ballot.

The said election shall be held by the officials named, each being a qualified elector in said City of Hammond, to-wit;

Commissioners of Election:

J. Q. Adams

Fritz Klein

E. P. Dameron.

Clerk of Election:

C. R. Anderson.

PAVING ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE No. 87
Commission Series.

An Ordinance accepting the work, levying the assessment and authorizing the issuance of certificates and the like, for the laying of pavement on certain streets herein described:

Secion 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond: That the work of S. A. Gano, contractor, in paving the streets hereinafter mentioned, under his contract with the City of Hammond, of dates August 8th, 1922, is hereby accepted by the City of Hammond as complying with the said contract;

And, in order to pay for said work, the cost thereof is apportioned among the abutting property owners and the assessment against such owners and their abutting property, be and the same is hereby levied as provided by law, especially Act No. 210 of 1914; the names of the owners; the abutting frontage; and the amount assessed against the property for such pavemen,t based upon the cost of $7.12 per front foot, is declared to be as follows:

The following property fronting on Thomas street, located in the north half of Square No. 61, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Vito Graziano, 37.5 feet frontage. Amount due $267.00
John and Joe Graziano, 75.05 feet frontage. Amount due 534.36
Joe Dantone, 60 feet frontage. Amount due 427.20
Frank Rousseo, 89.5 ft. frontage. Amount due 637.24
Vito Graziano, 37.5 feet frontage. Amount due 267.00

The following property fronting on Thomas street, located in the north half of square No. 62, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Mrs. H. S. Addison, 50.65 feet frontage. Amount due $360.63
Joe Polizzano, 34.65 ft. frontage. Amount due 246.71
Brooks Hardware Co., 24.22 feet frontage. Amount due 172.45

The following property fronting on Thomas street, located in the north half of Square No. 63, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Elias Saik, 75.67 feet frontage; Amount due $538.77
J. S. Perry, 50.5 feet frontage. Amount due 359.56

The following property fronting on Thomas street, located in the south half of Square No. 58, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Elias Saik, 23.05 feet frontage. Amount due $164.12
Dr. Nelson H. Williams, 25.20 feet frontage. Amount due 179.42
Mrs. Eva Boos, 93 feet frontage. Amount due 662.16
Elias Saik, 32.25 feet frontage. Amount due 229.62

The following property fronting on Cate avenue, located in the west half of Square No. 58, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Hammond Farmers Association, 50 feet frontage, Amt. due $356.00
John Graziano, 25 feet frontage. Amount due 178.00
Peter Shaheen, 25 feet frontage. Amount due 178.00
Locascio Bros., 50 feet frontage. Amount due 356.00
Charles Rolling, 27 feet frontage. Amount due 192.24
Mrs. A. D. Hebert, 30 feet frontage. Amount due 213.60
Oscar Donaldson, 66 ft. frontage. Amount due 469.92
Mrs. Eva Boos, 27 feet frontage. Amount due 192.24

The following property fronting on Cate avenue, located in the west half of Square No. 63, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Charles Rolling, 100 ft. frontage. Amount due $712.00
L. M. Harper, 25 feet frontage, Amount due 178.00
A. J. Wiltz, or Estate of W. R. Watson, 10 feet frontage. Amount due 71.20
J. Cuisimano, 40 feet frontage. Amount due 284.80
Estate of Sol Farris, 25 feet frontage. Amount due 178.00
Mrs. George B. Campbell, 25 feet frontage. Amount due 178.00
First State Bank & Trust Co., 25 feet frontage. Amount due 178.00

The following property fronting on West Railroad avenue, located in the East half of Square No. 64, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Estate of J. S. Willis, 50 feet frontage. Amount due $356.00
Mrs. Roy Wilcombe, 50 feet frontage. Amount due 356.00
C. G. Baltzell, 37.5 feet frontage. Amount due 267.00
Joe DiPaoli, 37.5 feet frontage. Amount due 267.00
Charles Nicolosi, 50 ft. frontage. Amount due 356.00
J. L. Perrone, 50 feet frontage. Amount due 356.00

The following property fronting on Thomas street, located in the north half of Square No. 64, Hyer Survey City of Hammond:

Sam Serio, 20 feet frontage. Amount due $142.40
Williams Brothers & Shaheen, 75 feet frontage. Amount due 534.00
J. L. Perrone, 50 ft. frontage. Amount due 356.00

The following property fronting on Thomas street, located in the south half of Square No. 57, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Clarence Strader, 50 ft. frontage, Amount due $356.00
George Norman, 25 feet frontage. Amount due 178.00
Guess & Kent, 25 ft. frontage. age. Amount due 178.00

The following property fronting on Thomas Street, located in the north half of Square No. 65, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

James Jumonville, 50 feet frontage. Amount due $356.00
Estate of C. E. Cate, 35 feet frontage. Amount due 249.20
Fourmy & Cate, 90 feet frontage. Amount due 640.80
V. Misuraca, 25 feet frontage. Amount due 178.00

The following property fronting on Thomas street, located in the south half of Square No. 56, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Nicolosi Brothers, 75 feet frontage. Amount due $534.00
J. Cuisimano, 100 feet frontage. Amount due 712.00
Citizens National Bank, 50 ft. frontage. Amount due 356.00

The following property fronting on Thomas street, located in the south half of Square No. 59, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Joe Dantone, 25.5 feet frontage. Amount due $181.56
Mrs. Alice Newman, 24.3 feet frontage. Amount due 173.02
Joe Newman, 25.15 feet frontage. Amount due 179.07
N. Ferrara, 26.15 feet frontage. Amount due 186.18

The following property fronting on Thomas street, located in the south half of Square No. 60, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

The City of Hammond, 100 ft. frontage. Amount due $712.00

The following property fronting on Cypress street, located in the east half of Square No. 63, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

Elias Saik, 160 feet frontage. Amount due $1139.20
McGehee & McGehee, 40 feet frontage. Amount due 284.80
Hammond Hardware & Supply Co., 100 feet frontage. Amount due 712.00

The following property fronting on Cypress Street, located in the west half of Square No. 62, Hyer Survey, City of Hammond:

H. W. Farrell, 25 feet frontage. Amount due $178.00
C. G. Baltzell, 100 feet frontage. Amount due 712.00
J. Guagliardo, 50 feet frontage. Amount due 356.00
F. Guagluizza, 25 feet frontage. Amount due 178.00
Livingston Lodge, 50 ft. frontage. Amount due 356.00

The following property fronting on West Railroad avenue and Cate avenue and the Thomas street crossing in the City of Hammond:

Illinois Central Railroad Co., 600 feet railroad track and right of way between Morris avenue and Charles street, fronting on Cate av.
Illinois Central Railroad Co., 600 feet railroad track and right of way between Morris avenue and Charles St., fronting on West Railroad avenue.
Illinois Central Railroad Co., 300 feet at Thomas st. crossing.
Total frontage of 1500 lineal feet. Amount due $10,680.00

Section 2. Be it further ordained that the Mayor is authorized to accept the total amount of either of the foregoing assessments in cash within ten (10) days from date of the adoption of this Ordinance, and to thereupon cancel as paid in full such assessment before this Ordinance is registered in the Mortgage Records.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that all owners who fail to pay the assessment in full may secure an extension, if within ten (10) days from this date they shall pay twenty per cent (20 per cent) of said amount in cash and sign four promissory notes for the balance, divided into four equal installments due on or before one, two, three and four years from date, bearing eight per cent (8 per cent) per annum interest from date until paid and secured by a first lien and mortgage on their abutting property and ten per cent (10 per cent) additional as attorney's fees if not paid at maturity and placed with an attorney for collecion: Such owners to also deposit the sum of $8.00 to cover the cost of executing and recording the said mortgage and lien.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, that the property of all such owners who do not pay in full, or arrange terms of payment as above mentioned, within ten (10) days from date hereof, shall be subject to seizure and sale in the manner provided by the laws of the State of Louisiana and especially by Act 210 of 1914 and Ordinance No. 79, Commission Series, adopted under the provisions of the said law.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, that the Mayor is authorized to transfer said notes with the lien and privilege attaching thereto, with full subrogation to all rights held by the holder thereof, to such person or persons as they desire.

Adopted February 21st, 1923.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.
A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

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ORDINANCE No. 88
Commission Series

An Ordinance to regulate and prevent dogs from running at large within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, provide for their destruction, and impose penalties for the owners or custodians of all dogs who violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance.

WHEREAS, the public health and safety require it, it is hereby ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond as follows:

Section 1. All dogs within the corporate limits of the city of Hammond shall be quarantined in close confinement or securely chained on the premises of the owner or keeper, who shall not permit such dog to go at large except under the following conditions:

Section 2. All owners or custodians, of dogs shall, within thirty (30) days after the publication of this Ordinance in the official journal, cause such dogs to be inoculated with antirabies vaccine by a licensed veterinarian, who shall thereupon issue to such owner, or custodian, a certificate of such vaccination, giving the name and address of the owner, a description of the dog and the date of the vaccination, a copy of which shall be retained by the veterinarian, which shall be subject to inspection by the Commission Council or its agents. When the certificate is issued, the veterinarian shall also issue to the owner, or custodian, of the dog a special tag inscribed, "Vaccinated — Good until————." The owner, or custodian, shall immediately attach the tag to a collar placed on the neck of the dog, and shall be required to see that this tag remains at all times so attached.

The veterinarian shall be entitled to collect for vaccine, vaccination, tag and certificate, for each animal brought to his office for treatment, a fee of Two Dollars (2.00), otherwise a fee of not more than Three Dollars (3.00).

The period of time for which the vaccination is effective, in the opinion of the veterinaran, shall be mentioned on the tag.

The owner, or custodian, shall be required to exhibit to police or other officers of the city, the certificate above referred to whenever called upon so to do.

Accordingly, the provisions of Section One of this Ordinance shall not apply to dogs found running at large tagged as herein required within the time vaccination remains effective, as indicated on the tag, but shall apply to dogs found running at large after the date so indicated.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the officer designated by the Mayor to seize all dogs found running at large in the City of Hammond which have not been so vaccinated and tagged, and the owner, or custodian, shall be promptly notified of such seizure by the officer, who shall notify him in person or by postal card if his address be known. In case the address of the owner, or custodian, is unknown to the officer, he shall post on the principal front door of the City Hall of Hammond, a notice of such seizure. If within forty-eight (48) hours after the mailing, posting, or personal notification, the owner, or custodian, fails to claim the dog and pay an impounding fee of Two Dollars ($2.00), and immediately have it vaccinated and tagged as herein provided, such officer shall thereupon kill the dog.

Section 4. All such owners, or custodians, of dogs who shall fail to comply with any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not more than Ten Dollars ($10.00) or imprisonment not exceeding five (5) days, or both at the discretion of the Court.

Adopted March 6th, 1923.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

ORDINANCE No. 89
Commission Series

An Ordinance Authorizing the Issue of Water Works-Equipment Bonds of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Whereas, at an election duly called and held on the 27th day of March, 1923, in the City of Hammond, there was submitted to the property taxpayers of said city legally qualified to vote at said election, the proposition to incur debt and issue bonds of the City of Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, to the amount of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00) to run twenty-five years but payable within that term at such times and in such amounts as may be fixed by the Commission Council of said City, bearing interest at the rate of five(5) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purchase and construction of water-works and necessary equipment, the title to which shall vest in the City of Hammond; and,

Whereas, due and timely notice for the period and in the manner prescribed by law was given of said election and a majority in number and amount of the property taxpayers qualified as electors under the laws and constitution of the State of Louisiana voting thereat authorized the City of Hammond to issue said bonds, Therefore:

Be it Ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section One. That there shall be and are hereby ordered to be issued the negotiable coupon bonds of said City of Hammond in the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00). Said bonds shall be dated the 1st day of August, 1923, shall be of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) and One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) each, shall bear interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first da yof February and the first day of August in each year, said interest to be evidenced by interest notes or coupons attached to said bonds respectively. Said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to forty-eight (both numbers inclusive), and shall mature as follows:

On the first day of August in each of the years 1924 to 1933, both inclusive, one bond of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00).

On the first day of August, 1934, three bonds of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) each

On the first day of August, 1935, three bonds of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) each

On the first day of August in each of the years 1936 to 1946, both inclusive, two bonds of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) each.

On the first day of August, 1947, five bonds of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) each

On the first day of August, 1948, five bonds of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) each.

Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary, and each of said bonds shall be attested by the corporate seal of the City of Hammond. The interest coupons shall be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said Mayor and Secretary. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at the Hammond State Bank, in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

Section Two. That said bonds, except as to number, amount and date of maturity, shall be in substantially the following form:

No..... $.....

United States of America,
State of Louisiana,
City of Hammond,

Water Works Equipment Bond.

Know all men by these presents That the City of Hammond, Louisiana, acknowledges itself to own and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of ..... Dollars ($.....) on the first of August, 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable February 1st, 1924, and semi-annually thereafter, upon presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached, as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the Hammond State Bank in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana.

This bond is one of a series of forty-eight (48) bonds of like tenor, except as to amount and date of maturity, numbered from one (1) to forty-eight (48), inclusive, aggregating $40,000.00, and issued for the purpose of purchasing and constructing water works and necessary equipment, under authority of Section 14 of Article XIV of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana for the year 1921, and in accordance with the provisions of Act 46 of the session of the Legislature of 1921, and pursuant to the authorization of the property taxpayers who are qualified electors of said City, at an election duly called and held on the 27th day of March, 1923.

And it is hereby certified that this bond is authorized by, and is issued in conformity with the requirements of the Constitution of this State.

In Testimony Whereof, The Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, by virtue of authority vested in it by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Secretary of said City, and sealed with its seal, and the interest coupons hereunto attached to be executed by the lithographed facsimile signature of said Mayor and Secretary this 1st day of August, 1923.

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Mayor.

Countersigned:

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Secretary.

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On the first day of February—August—, 19....., the City of Hammond, Louisiana, promises to pay to bearer ..... Dollars ($.....) at the Hammond State Bank in the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana, for interest due that day on its Waterworks Equipment Bond, dated August 1st, 1924, No .....

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Mayor.

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Secretary.

Section Three. When said bonds have been executed they shall be presented to the Secretary of the State of Louisiana, for registration and his endorsement as provided by law.

Section Four. The Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, shall and does hereby covenant with each and every holder of said bonds, or any of them, that in apt time, manner and season, out of the proceeds of taesx collected, there shal be set apart a net sum sufficient to pay and discharge the principal and interest of said bonds as when the same become due and payable.

Section Five. This Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Adopted May 21st, 1923.

C. C. CARTER,
Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER,
Secretary.

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ORDINANCE NO. 91, COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance placing on sale the bonds of the City of Hammond, aggregating the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), known as Waterworks-Equipment Bonds, authorized to be issued at an election held in the City of Hammond, on the 27th day of March, 1923, and proceedings thereunder; authorizing and directing the Mayor to advertise same for sale, and providing regulations governing the same.

WHEREAS, after legal advertisement of the sale thereof, the City of Hammond received no bids for its Waterworks-Equipment Bonds, aggregating the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), heretofore advertised to be sold at public auction on July 17th, 1923:

WHEREAS the City of Hammond has been unable to sell the said bonds for par at private sale within sixty days thereafter, as provided by law; therefore:

Be It Ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana:

Section One: That the following described negotiable coupon bonds of the City of Hammond, the issuance of which has been duly authorized by Ordinances numbered 86 and 89, Commission Series, shall be offered for sale by the Mayor of the City of Hammond, who is authorized and directed to give public notice thereof by advertisement in "The Hammond Vindicator," the official organ of the City of Hammond, and in "The Times-Picayune," a newspaper published in the city of New Orleans, Louisiana, once a week for three weeks prior to the sale, to-wit:

Waterworks - Equipment Bonds, numbered one (1) to fortyeight (48), inclusive, aggregating the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), of the following denominations, to-wit:

Thirty-two bonds of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) each.

Sixteen bonds of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) each.

Section Two: That such bonds shall be sold to the bidder offering the highest cash price therefor; The Commission Council reserving the right to reect any or all bids. No bonds to be sold for less than par and interest accrued to date of delivery of bonds.

Section Three: That all bids for such bonds shall be in writing, sealed, addressed to the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, and delivered to the Mayor, on or before the hour of 11 o'clock A. M., Friday, October 26th, 1923; and shall be opened and considered by the Commission Council on said date.

Section Four: Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent of the bid, payable to The City of Hammond, the check of the unsuccessful bidders to be returned to the bidder; and that of the successful bidder, or bidders, to be retained as a guarantee that such bidder or bidders will comply with their bid and pay all damages sustained by the City of Hammond in case of failure so to do; which checks shall be returned to the bidder when such bid is fully complied with.

Adopted September 24th, 1923.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary. C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

ORDINANCE NO. 92 COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance ordering a special election at which shall be submitted to the property taxpayers of the City of Hammond, entitled to vote under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the question of levying special taxes, aggregating three mills, for the purposes of maintaining the public sewerage system and maintaining the public streets of the City of Hammond.

Be it Ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section One: That a special election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in said City at The City Hall on Tuesday, the 6th day of November, 1923, between the hours of 7:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M., as authorizd by Article 10, Section 10 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1921, and under the provisions of Act 256 of the Session of the Legislature of 1910, Acts amendatory thereof, at which election the property taxpayers of the City of Hammond legally qualified to vote at such election shall have submitted to them the question of levying a special tax aggregating three (3) mills on the Dollar on the assessed valuation of all taxable property within the City of Hammond for a period of ten (10) years, to-wit: for the years 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931 and 1932, for the following purposes:

A tax of one mill for the purpose of maintaining the public sewerage system of the City of Hammond.

A tax of two mills for the purpose of maintaining the public streets of the City of Hammond.

Section Two: That said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State in such cases made and provided, and in particular, in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 256 of the session of the Legislature for the year 1910, and Acts amendatory thereof, and at the polling place above named.

Section Three: That an abstract of this Ordinance shall be published by C. C. Carter, during at least thirty (30) days preceding said election, as notice thereof, in the official journal of the City of Hammond.

Section Four: That the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be substantialy in the following form:

FIRST PROPOSITION: To levy a one mill tax on all the property subject to State taxation in the City of Hammond for a period of ten (10) years, for the purpose of maintaining the public sewerage system of the City of Hammond.	YES NO
SECOND PROPOSITION: To levy a two mill tax on all the property subejct to State taxation in the City of Hammond for a period of ten (10) years, for the purpose of maintaining the public Streets of the City of Hammond.	YES NO

Taxable valuation $.....

Signature of Voter.....

Over

Above published in the Hammond Vindicator of date September 28th 1923

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City of Hammond

ORDINANCE N. 90
Commission Series

An Ordinance placing on sale the bonds of the City of Hammond, aggregating the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00); known as Waterworks-Equipment Bonds, authorized to be issued at an election held in the City of Hammond on the 27th day of March, 1923, and proceedings thereunder; authorizing and directing the Mayor to advertise same for sale, and providing regulations governing the same.

Section One: Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, that the following described negotiable coupon bonds of the City of Hammond, the issuance of which has been duly authorized by Ordinances numbered 86 and 89, Commission Series, shall be offered for sale by the Mayor of the City of Hammond, who is authorized and directed to give public notice thereof by advertisement in The Hammond Vindicator, the official organ of the City of Hammond, and in the Times-Picayune, a newspaper published in the City of New Orleans, Louisiana, once a week for three weeks prior to the sale, to-wit:

Waterworks - Equipment Bonds numbered one to forty-eight, inclusive, aggregating the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), of the following denominations, to-wit:

Thirty-two bonds of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) each.

Sixteen bonds of Five Hundred Dollars ($500,00) each.

Section Two: Be it further ordained, etcetera, That such bonds shall be sold to the bidder offering the highest cash price therefor; the Commission Council reserving the right to reject any or all bids. No bonds to be sold for less than par and interest accrued to date of delivery of bonds.

Section Three: Be it further ordained, etcetera, That all bids for such bonds shall be in writing addressed to the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, sealed, and delivered to the Mayor, on or before the hour of 10 a. m. Tuesday, July 17th, 1923; and shall be opened and considered by the Commission Council on said date.

Section Four: Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent of the bid, payable to the City of Hammond, the check of the unsuccessful bidders to be returned to the bidder; and that of the successful bidder or bidders to be retained as a guarantee that such bidder or bidders will comply with their bid and pay all damages sustained by the City of Hammond in case of failure so to do; which checks shall be returned to the bidder when such bid is fully complied with.

Adopted June 19th, 1923.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

Above published in Vindicator of date June 22, 1923.

ORDINANCE NO. 91,
COMMISSION SERIES.

An ordinance placing on sale the bonds of the City of Hammond, aggregating the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), known as Waterworks-Equipment Bonds, authorized to be issued at an election held in the City of Hammond, on the 27th day of March, 1923, and proceedings thereunder; authorizing and directing the Mayor to advertise same for sale, and providing regulations governing the same.

WHEREAS, after legal advertisement of the sale thereof, the City of Hammond received no bids for its Waterworks-Equipment Bonds, aggregating the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), heretofore advertised to be sold at public auction on July 17th, 1923:

WHEREAS the City of Hammond has been unable to sell the said bonds for par at private sale within sixty days thereafter, as provided by law; therefore:

Be It Ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, Louisiana:

Section One: That the following described negotiable coupon bonds of the City of Hammond, the issuance of which has been duly authorized by Ordinances numbered 86 and 89, Commission Series, shall be offered for sale by the Mayor of the City of Hammond, who is authorized and directed to give public notice thereof by advertisement in "The Hammond Vindicator," the official organ of the City of Hammond, and in "The Times-Picayune," a newspaper published in the city of New Orleans, Louisiana, once a week for three weeks prior to the sale, to-wit:

Waterworks - Equipment Bonds, numbered one (1) to fortyeight (48), inclusive, aggregating the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00), of the following denominations, to-wit:

Thirty-two bonds of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) each.

Sixteen bonds of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) each.

Section Two: That such bonds shall be sold to the bidder offering the highest cash price therefor; The Commission Council reserving the right to reect any or all bids. No bonds to be sold for less than par and interest accrued to date of delivery of bonds.

Section Three: That all bids for such bonds shall be in writing, sealed, addressed to the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, and delivered to the Mayor, on or before the hour of 11 o'clock A. M., Friday, October 26th, 1923; and shall be opened and considered by the Commission Council on said date.

Section Four: Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent of the bid, payable to The City of Hammond, the check of the unsuccessful bidders to be returned to the bidder; and that of the successful bidder, or bidders, to be retained as a guarantee that such bidder or bidders will comply with their bid and pay all damages sustained by the City of Hammond in case of failure so to do; which checks shall be returned to the bidder when such bid is fully complied with.

Adopted September 24th, 1923.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary. C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

Above published in The Hammond Vindicator of date September 28th 1923

ORDINANCE NO. 92
COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance ordering a special election at which shall be submitted to the property taxpayers of the City of Hammond, entitled to vote under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the question of levying special taxes, aggregating three mills, for the purposes of maintaining the public sewerage system and maintaining the public streets of the City of Hammond.

Be It Ordained by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond:

Section One: That a special election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in said City at The City Hall on Tuesday, the 6th day of November, 1923, between the hours of 7:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M., as authorizd by Article 10, Section 10 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1921, and under the provisions of Act 256 of the Session of the Legislature of 1910, Acts amendatory thereof, at which election the property taxpayers of the City of Hammond legally qualified to vote at such election shall have submitted to them the question of levying a special tax aggregating three (3) mills on the Dollar on the assessed valuation of all taxable property within the City of Hammond for a period of ten (10) years, to-wit: for the years 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931 and 1932, for the following purposes:

A tax of one mill for the purpose of maintaining the public sewerage system of the City of Hammond.

A tax of two mills for the purpose of maintaining the public streets of the City of Hammond.

Section Two: That said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State in such cases made and provided, and in particular, in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 256 of the session of the Legislature for the year 1910, and Acts amendatory thereof, and at the polling place above named.

Section Three: That an abstract of this Ordinance shall be published by C. C. Carter, during at least thirty (30) days preceding said election, as notice thereof, in the official journal of the City of Hammond.

Section Four: That the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be substantialy in the following form:

FIRST PROPOSITION: To levy a one mill tax on all the property subject to State taxation in the City of Hammond for a period of ten (10) years, for the purpose of maintaining the public sewerage system of the City of Hammond.	YES NO
SECOND PROPOSIION: To levy a two mill tax on all the property subejct to State taxation in the City of Hammond for a period of ten (10) years, for the purpose of maintaining the public Streets of the City of Hammond.	YES NO

Taxable valuation $.....

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Signature of Voter.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS:

To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon this ballot, place a cross mark (X) in the square after the word "Yes". To vote against the proposition place a similar mark after the word "No."

Said propositions shall be printed on each ballot as above indicated, with the words "Yes" and "No," respectively, printed to the right of each. To vote in favor of the propositions submitted upon the ballot the voter shall place a cross mark (X), in the square after the word "Yes". To vote against the propositions he shall place a similar mark after the word "No." There shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter a certificate showing the amount of each voter's assessment roll for the year 1922, which certificate shall be signed by one of the Commissioners of Election before the ballots shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be endorsed on his ballot.

Section Five: That after said election shall have been held, the Commission Council of said City shall, in open session to be held at the Mayor's Office in said City, on Wednesday, the 7th day of November, 1923, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., proceed to open the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballots in number and amount, examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of the election, which result they shall thereafter promulgate by publication in one issue of the official journal of said City. Said Commission Council shall keep a process verbal of the manner in which ballot boxes have been opened, the returns canvassed and the result of the election ascertained, and shall forward a copy of said proces verbal to the Secretary of State, to be recorded in his office; another copy to the Clerk of the District Court, to be recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish, and the remaining copy to be retained in the archives of the City.

Section Six: That in the event the said propositions shall be voted for by a majority, in number and amount, of property taxpayers qualified as electors under the Constitution and laws of this State, voting at said election, the Commission Council shall pass such Ordinances as may be necessary to levy and collect the special tax herein provided for.

Section Seven: That the said election shall be held by the following officials, each of whom is a qualified elector in the City of Hammond, to-wit:

Commissioners of Election:
C. R. Anderson,
J. Q. Adams,
Fritz Klein.

Clerk of Election:
E. P. Dameron.

Section Eight: That this Ordinance and the Notice of Election be published in the official ojurnal of the City of Hammond during thirty (30) days prior to said election, as provided by law.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary. C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Pursuant to Ordinance No. 92 of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, State of Louisiana, of date October 2nd, 1923, I, C. C. Carter, Mayor of the City of Hammond, Louisiana, hereby give notice that an election will be held at the City Hall, in the City of Hammond, Louisiana, on Tuesday, November 6th, 1923, as set forth in the following abstract of said Ordinance:

Section One: That a special election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in said City at The City Hall on Tuesday, the 6th day of November, 1923, between the hours of 7:00 A. M., and 5:00 P. M., as authorized by Article 10, Section 10 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1921, and under the provisions of Act 256 of the Session of the legislature of 1910, and the Acts amendatory thereof, at which election the property taxpayers of the City of Hammond legally qualified to vote at such election shall have sumitted to them the question of levying a special tax aggregating three(3) mills on the Dollar on the assessed valuation of all taxable property within the City of Hammond for a period of ten (10) years, to-wit. for the years 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931 and 1932, for the following purposes:

A tax of one mill for the purpose of maintaining the public sewerage system of the City of Hammond.

A tax of two mills for the purpose of maintaining the public streets of the City of Hammond.

Section Two: That said election shall be conducted under the supervision of the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, in accordance with the laws of the State in such cases made and provided, and in particular in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 256 of the session of the Legislature for the year 1910. and Acts amendatory thereof, and at the polling place above named.

Section Three: That an abstract of this Ordinance shall be published by C. C. Carter, Mayor, during at least thirty (30) days preceding said election, as notice thereof, in the official journal of the City of Hammond.

Section Four: That the ballots to be used at said election shall be printed on white paper and shall be substantially in the following form:

FIRST PROPOSITION: To levy a one mill tax on all the property subject to State taxation in the City of Hammond for a period of ten (10) years, for the purpose of maintaining the public sewerage system of the City of Hammond.	YES NO
SECOND PROPOSIION: To levy a two mill tax on all the property subject to State taxation in the City of Hammond for a period of ten (10) years, for the purpose of maintaining the public Streets of the City of Hammond.	YES NO

Taxable valuation $.....

Signature of Voter.

NOTICE TO VOTERS:

To vote in favor of the proposition submitted upon this ballot, place a cross mark (X) in the square after the word "Yes," To vote against the proposition place a similar mark after the word "No."

Said propositions shall be printed on each ballot as above indicated. with the words "Yes" and "No," respectively, printed to the right of each. To vote in favor of the propositions submitted upon the ballot the voter shall place a cross mark (X) in the square after the word "Yes." To vote against the propositions he shall place a similar mark after the word "No." There shall be printed or written on the ballot of each voter a certificate sh wing the amount of each voter's assessment on property within the City, according to the assessment roll for the year 1922, which certificate shall be signed by one of the Commissioners of Election before the ballots shall be delivered to the voter. Each voter's name shall be endorsed on his ballot.

Section Five: That after said election shall have been held, the Commission Council of said City shall, in open session to be held at the Mayor's Office in said City. on Wednesday, the 7th day of November, 1923, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., proceed to open the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballots in number and amount, examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of the election, which result they shall thereafter promulgate by publication in one issue of the official journal of said City. Said Commission Council shall keep a proces verbal of the manner in which ballot boxes have been opened, the returns canvassed and the result of the election ascertained, and shall forward a copy of said proces verbal to the Secretary of State, to be recorded in his office; another copy to the Clerk of the District Court, to be recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish, and the remaining copy to be retained in the archives of the City.

Section Six: That in the event the said propositions shall be voted for by a majority, in number and amount, of property taxpayers qualified as electors under the Constitution and laws of this State, voting at said election, the Commission Council shall pass such Ordinances as may be necessary to levy and collect the special tax herein provided for.

Section Seven: That the said election shall be held by the following officials, each of whom is a qualified elector in the City of Hammond, to-wit:

Commissioners of Election:
C. R. Anderson,
J. Q. Adams,
Fritz Klein.

Clerk of Election:
E. P. Dameron.

Section Eight: That this Ordinance and the Notice of Election be published in the official journal of the City of Hammond during thirty (30) days prior to said election, as provided by law.

Adopted October 2nd, 1923.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary. C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

Published in Hammond Vindicator of date October 5th 1923

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ORDINANCE NO. 93,
COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance to regulate traffic and the parking of vehicles on Thomas Street, between Magnolia and Holly Streets, in the City of Hammond, Louisiana, and providing penalties for its violation.

Whereas, the preservation of public safety requires it, therefore;

Be It Resolved, by the Commission Council of the City of Hammond, as follows:

Section One: That it shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle to park the same on Thomas Street, between Magnolia and Holly Streets, except as herein provided.

Section Two: That all vehicles traveling on Thomas Street, between Magnolia and Holly Streets, shall park to the right, so that the front and rear wheels nearest thereto shall be parallel with and not more than twelve inches from the sidewalk curb.

Section Three: That any person violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be subject to a fine of not less than Ten Dollars ($10.00) or more than Fifty Dollars ($50.00), or imprisonment of not more than thirty (30) days, or both fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

Section Four: That all other Ordinances regulating traffic shall remain in full force and effect, except in so far as they are inconsistent herewith, and that this Ordinance shall take effect on Sunday, October 28th, 1923, at 7:00 o'clock, A. M.

Passed October 24th, 1923.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

City Ordinance

ORDINANCE No. 100,
COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance defining and regulating the occupation or business of soliciting; requiring solicitors to secure a license and furnish bond to protect buyers and providing a penalty for violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSION COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND, LOUISIANA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: DEFINITION: A Solicitor within the meaning of this article is defined to be any person, who, as owner, agent or employee, engages in the business of going from house to house offering to sell, or by any other means offering to sell within the City of Hammond, for future delivery, any goods, wares or merchandise, or services to be performed in the future; or for the making, manfacturing or repairing of any article whatsoever for future delivery, provided that this Section shall apply only to solicitors who demand or receive a payment or deposit of money in advance of final delivery.

SECTION 2: LICENSE: It shall be unlawful for any person to act as a solicitor within the meaning of this article without first furnishing a bond as hereinafter provided for, and securing a license from the Mayor so to do, for which he shall pay, if traveling on foot, quarterly the sum of Twelve Dollars and Fifty Cents ($12.50) or monthly the sum of Five Dollars ($5.00); or if using a vehicle, quarterly the sum of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) or monthly the sum of Ten Dollars ($10.00).

SECTION 3: APPLICATIONS--BOND: Any person desiring to engage in business as a solicitor within the City of Hammond, shall make application therefor to the Mayor, stating the name and address of the applicant, the name and address of the person, firm or corporation which he represents, and the kind of goods offered for sale, or the kind of services to be performed. Such application shall be accompanied by a bond in the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00), executed by a Surety Company or by two responsible freeholders residing in the City of Hammond, (or in lieu thereof a cash bond of equal amount), conditioned upon the making of final delivery of goods ordered, or services to be performed, in accordance with the terms of such order, or failing therein, that the advance payment on such order be refunded. Any person aggrieved by the action of any such solicitor shall have a right of action on the bond for the recovery of money or damages, or both. Such bond shall remain in full force and effect, and in case of a cash deposit such cash deposit shall be retained by the City of Hammond, for a period of ninety (90) days after the expiration of any such license, unless sooner released by the Commission Council.

SECTION 4: ORDERS: All orders taken by licensed solicitors shall be in writing, in duplicate, stating the terms thereof and the amount paid in advance, and one copy shall be given to the purchaser.

SECTION 5: PENALTY: Any person, whether acting for himself or for another, who shall engage in or attempt to engage in the business of soliciting within the corporate limits of the City of Hammond, without first furnishing bond and securing a solicitor's license in the manner provided herein, and in addition thereto paying the license tax due the City of Hammond, for engaging in such business, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in a sum of not less than Ten Dollars ($10.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars ($100.00), or imprisoned for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days, or both, such fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 6: That all Ordinances, or parts of Ordinances, in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its promulgation.

Adopted October 7th, 1924.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

City Ordinance

ORDINANCE No. 99,
COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance making it a misdemeanor for any person, association of persons, or corporation to engage in, or attempt to engage in, any business, occupation, or vocation subject to the payment of an annual license tax to the State of Louisiana or to the City of Hammond, without first securing such license from the proper authorities.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSION COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND:

SECTION 1: It shall be unlawful for any person, association of persons, or corporation, to engage in or attempt to engage in any business, occupation, or vocation, subject to the payment of an annual license tax to the State of Louisiana or to the City of Hammond, without first securing such license from the proper authorities.

SECTION 2: Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in a sum of not less than Ten Dollars ($10.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars ($100.00), or imprisoned for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days, or both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 3: That all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its promulgation.

Adopted October 7th, 1924.

A. W. SPILLER, Secretary.

C. C. CARTER, Mayor.

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ORDINANCE NO. 93, COMMISSION SERIES.

An Ordinance to regulate traffic and the parking of vehicles on Thomas Street, between Magnolia and Holly Streets, in the City of Hammond, Louisiana, and providing penalties for its violation.

WHEREAS the preservation of public safety requires it, therefore;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND, as follows:

SECTION ONE: That it shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle to park the same on Thomas Street, between Magnolia and Holly Streets, except as herein provided.

SECTION TWO: That all vehicles traveling on Thomas Street, between Magnolia and Holly Streets, shall park to the right, so that the front and rear wheels nearest thereto shall be parallel with and not more than twelve inches from the sidewalk curb.

SECTION THREE: That any person violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be subject to a fine of not less than Ten Dollars ($10.00) nor mor than Fifty Dollars ($50.00), or imprisonment of not more than thirty (30 days, or both fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION FOUR: That all other Ordinances regulating traffic s remain in full force and effect, except in so far as they are inconsis herewith, and that this Ordinance shall take effect on Sunday, October 28th, 1923, at 7:00 o'clock, A. M.

Passed October 24th, 1923.

A. W. Spiller
Secretary

C. C. Carter
Mayor