

CITY OF SMITHS GROVE
SMITHS GROVE, KENTUCKY

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Trustees, Tuesday, May 6, 1958.

As the Deposit Bank is in the process of remodeling their building the Board met at 7:30 PM at Smith's Drug Store and the following business transacted:

1. The Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Trustees on Wednesday, April 16, 1958, were read and accepted except as follows:

Par. 6 should read "a motion was made by Mr. Denton, seconded by Mrs. Jordan that City charge all door to door peddlers who come into town at least once per month a License Fee of \$50.00 per year, when using truck or delivery car."

2. The Clerk reported a balance in City Fund of \$786.39 and Cemetery \$503.06.

3. Horace Marr Tax on Building recently sold to Barnard and Walker - Clerk reported that Horace had paid the tax on his home but said that he wasn't going to pay the tax on the building since it was too high. A discussion of the matter by the Board resulted in the fact that Horace is responsible for the tax as property is sold with understanding taxes are all paid.

4. Police report - Marshal and Judge report fines totaling \$264.00 since April 14, 1958, with collections of \$107.00 - \$69.00 being turned in at meeting of April 16 and \$38.00 being turned in at this meeting.

5. Sign for Laurel Street - Chairman Smith reported he had ordered same.

6. Chairman Smith reported that colored people back of Broadway had been notified that if toilets were not cleaned immediately the State Health Inspector would be up to inspect.

7. Fire Siren - It was reported that Mrs. Stone had not as yet been contacted with regards to the siren at the Dispensary. Mr. Denton called Mrs. Stone and she stated that she thought she could make a deal with the town for it. She will be down town tomorrow to talk about same.

8. Phone bills for Fire Department - Nothing has been heard as regards the bills.

9. Phone booths - It was reported that the Telephone Company would install booths at the new park across the railroad and on the North side of Main Street.

10. Mr. Tarter reported that he was not now legally on the Board since he had moved out of Town. Someone would have to be put in his place. The Board agreed that no one could serve as a Board member unless they were a resident. Someone would have to be put in his place.

11. Plat of Town - Chairman Smith presented a plat of Town which State Highway Department had submitted for confirmation of Streets maintained by State.

12. New Business - Chairman Smith stated that Mr. Andy Vincent had reported that Jake Moulder was buried on his lot. Clerk reported that he and Mr. Hardy went to the Cemetery when the big snow was on and looked at lot. Mr. Moulder's daughter called her mother in regards to where Mr. Moulder should be buried and she stated that was where they wanted him. Now we will have to find out how this error could be corrected.

13. Chairman Smith stated that Mr. F. B. Hardy had asked for permission to block off parking area immediately in front of the ice cream stand. Mr. Tarter stated that Mr. Hardy had asked the same favor for two years before and the Board had refused to do so since all other

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businesses would be entitled to the same priveleges. Chairman Smith asked for suggestions and it was decided the same as in prior years that the other business places would be entitled to the same priveleges if he were allowed to do this.

14. Complaints about parking of old trucks etc. It was suggested that Marshal see that all alleys are kept open.

15. Tax Board? Who can we get? It was suggested that each member present name of someone who might be available for the job and then board could be picked from this list.

16. Mrs. Jordan was appointed to try to get an official plat of the town.

17. Suggestions of someone to take place of Mr. Tarter on the Board of Trustees. Who? L. Carl Rasdall and Ford Thomas were suggested. All the members of the Board stated that they would be agreeable on either of them. Mrs. Anderson called L. Carl and he said that he could not accept as he had so much to do. Chairman Smith stated that he would contact Mr. Thomas if the Board was agreeable. Mr. Smith will contact Mr. Thomas tomorrow.

18. Mr. Smith stated that he had names of three applicants for the Clerk's job - Mrs. Jim Bybee, Mrs. Bill Hardy and Jimmie Anderson. Chairman stated that he was interested in having the full five members to make this decision. It was stated that the Clerk should be handy, should post bond and must be able to go to the Cemetery and mark off lots when the occasion arises. This decision will be made at the next meeting of the Board Tuesday, June 3, 1958.

19. Streets - What streets can we fix this year? What place? It was agreed that all streets possible should be fixed.

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time the meeting adjourned.

These minutes have been written into the records this the 6th day of May, 1958.

Lucian E. Flora

Lucian E. Flora,
Clerk.

M. V. Smith,
Chairman.