

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1014, be adopted and an enactment as a whole.  
Poll call; Aye: Ossman, Tolbert, Caldwell, Bennett, Moore and Lambert.

GAS. AMENDMENT. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Acting Mayor appoint a committee to recommend amendments to the gas ordinance # 1012, and report at next meeting.

The acting Mayor appointed Councilman Ossman, Tolbert, Caldwell and the City Attorney.

GAS INSPECTOR. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Gas Inspector, have statement printed and mail to every person that had gas inspection charged of the amount due.

PROTEST ON PARKING. Moved seconded and carried.  
That the protest on parking on West 10th Street.  
Same be referred to the Acting Mayor and Chief of Police.

PAINTING IN CITY HALL. Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of painting inside City Hall same be referred to the Building Committee and the Chief of Police.

CLAIM. Moved seconded and carried.

That the claim of D.N. McGeorge for damages caused by striking a manhole on Olive Street, same be tabled.

PULL WELLS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Water Commissioner be instructed to have the casings old wells pulled. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Acting Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 6,477.05, in payment of bonds, interest and commission due Jan. 1st 1931, and \$ 2,067.00 interest on Water Works system due Jan. 1st 1931, payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we transfer \$ 2,000.00, from the Water Works fund to the Water Works Sinking fund.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

Moved seconded and carried.

That the reports of officers be received and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Police Judge, Pumping record, Street Commissioner, Gas Inspector, Fire Chief and Water analysis.

Moved seconded	General fund	\$ 1,053.50	
and carried.	General fund loans		435.00
That we adjourn.	Water Works fund	3,614.34	
	Water Works Sinking Fund	2,067.00	
E.J. Alexander	Bridge & Walk fund	606.35	
City Clerk.	Cemetery fund	103.60	
	Fire Dept. fund	312.98	
	Park fund	183.72	
	Light fund	579.29	
	Band fund	100.00	
	Sinking fund	4,893.94	
	interest fund	1,583.11	\$ 15,097.83

Regular meeting Jan. 5th 1931.

The Council met with F.L.Short, President of the Council presiding and acting Mayor, in the absence of Mayor Edquist. Councilmen present; Ossman, Tolbert, Caldwell, Bennett, and Lambert. Absent, Moore.

Minutes of previous meeting approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

First reading of ordinance # 1015, an ordinance amending Section Two (2), Three (3), and sub-division Eight (8) of Section Five (5) of ordinance # 1012, and repealing the original sections Two, Three, and sub-division Eight of Section Five of said ordinance.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF CONCORDIA:

Section 1, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 2, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 3, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 4, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 5, was read on motion carried was adopted.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1015 be adopted and an enactment as a whole.  
Roll call; Aye: Ossman, Tolbert, Caldwell, Bennett, and Lambert.

Motion carried unanimous.

ELECTRIC BOX SIGN. Moved seconded and carried.

To hang a box sign  
That the request of Joe Pearce, 10" x 18" x 72" long, at 507 Wash. Street, sign to hang 11 feet above sidewalk and extend 84 inch from building, request granted.

ELECTRIC SIGN. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of The Kansas Power Co, to erect and hang an electric sign at 514 Wash. Street at their office building, sign to comply with ordinance., request granted.

DEPOSITORY BONDS. Moved seconded and carried.

That The Farmers & Merchant Bank Depository bond of \$ 10,000. and put John J. Wilcox Liberty bond is approved, in care of the City Treasurer at the Cloud County Bank. Also \$ 10,000. Municipal bond owned by the First National Bank and deposited with the City Treasurer John J. Wilcox at the Cloud County Bank

STREET LIGHT. Moved seconded and carried.

That the petition for Street light at 14th and Republican prayed for by A.W. Beverley and others, same be tabled.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we go into executive session.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we go back into regular session

Moved seconded and carried.

That the \$ 500,00 dollar Cemetery endowment bond, be left in the care of the City Treasurer, John J. Wilcox, at the Cloud County Bank.

ELECTRIC LIGHT. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to installing an electric light on the top of the booster tank, same be referred to the Light Committee, to learn the cost and report at next regular meeting.

OFFICERS REPORTS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the reports of the officers be recieved and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Police Judge, Fire Chief, Street Commissioner, Pumping record, Poll tax, Gas Inspector and Pulling Wells

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Acting Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 7,822,20, in payment of bonds, commission and interest, due Feb. 1st 1931, payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 2,682,25
Water Works fund	1,571,20
Bridge & Walk fund	703,53
Cemetery fund	101,80
Cemetery Endowment fund	500,00
Fire Dept. fund	366,25
Park fund	121,85
Light fund	622,36
Band fund	100,00
Sinking fund	4,775,96
Interest fund	3,046,24
Sewer fund	115,30
Library fund	1,650,96
	<u>\$ 16,359,70</u>

Moved seconded and carried.

That we adjourn. E.J. Alexander, City Clerk

January 23rd 1931.

Minutes showing the canvas of the election returns and declaring the result of the election, minutes of the meeting. The Council met with F.L.Short, President of the Council acting Mayor, in special session as prescribed by law, for the purpose of canvassing the votes at the special election held in the City of Concordia, Kansas, on Tuesday January 20th 1931, Councilmen present;

Tolbert, Caldwell, Bennett, Moore and Lambert.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we proceed and canvass the result of the election.  
First Ward, Shall? Commission Form of Government be adopted,

Yes 56 No 165 blank 1

Second Ward, Yes 95 No 202 not accounted 4

Third Ward, Yes 38 No 219 Void 1

Fourth Ward, Yes 21 No 195 Void 1 blank 1  
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form  
Against the adoption of Commission of Government having recieved the greater number of votes cast, it was moved seconded and carried, that the adoption for Commission form of Government is defeited.

Moved seconded and carried.

E.J.Alexander, City Clerk.

The Council met with F.L. Short, Acting Mayor, presiding, in the absence of Mayor Edquist; the following Councilmen were present.

Oasman, ~~FAIRBANKS~~, Caldwell, Bennett, Moore and Lambert (Absent Tolbert).

Minutes of previous meetings approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

CLAIM Moved seconded and carried.

That the claim of the Christian Church, of \$ 15.10, for locating a leak at 406 West 6th same be allowed.

BEACON LIGHT ON BOOSTER TANK.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the proposition # 4 of the Kansas Power Co to install a beacon light on top of the booster tank, at the cost of \$ 364.70 as per proposition on file, same is accepted.

ZONING ORDINANCE. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Attorney be instructed to draw up a zoning ordinance and have it ready for the next regular meeting.

WATER SOFTENING PLANT. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Engineer be instructed to make a proposal estimate of cost on water softening plant and report his finding at the next regular meeting.

VACUUM TANK & FIRE EXT. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to installing a vacuum tank and Fire extinguisher, in the room of the pump house, same be referred to the Water Committee with power to act.

DRILLING OUTFIT. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to buying a drilling outfit same be left with the Water Works Committee with power to act.

SPEED LIMITS SIGNS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Street Commissioner and Chief of Police be instructed to put up speed limits signs at entrance to the City on Highway # 81 9. and East of Fairground on Seventh Street. Speed limit 25 miles.

PLANKS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City buy 100 planks at 50 cents each from the Kansas Power Co.

OFFICERS REPORTS. Moved seconded and carried.

That officers reports be received and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Police Judge, Street Commissioner, Pumping record and Gas Inspector.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Acting Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 1,529.00, and \$ 1,839.38, in payment of bonds commission and interest due Mar. 1st 1931 payable Topeka Fiscal Agency.

Regular meeting Feb.2nd 1931.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 1,197.64
Water Works fund	1,353.98
Water Works Sinking fund	1,839.38
Bridge & Walk fund	1,892.95
Cemetery fund	102.50
Fire Dept.fund	629.26
Park fund	287.40
Light fund	579.29
Band fund	125.00
Sewer fund	385.16
Sinking fund	597.53
Interest fund	731.47
	<u>\$ 9,721.56</u>

Moved seconded and carried.

That we adjourn. E.J.Alexander, City Clerk.

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Mayor, in the absence of Mayor Edquist. Councilmen present.  
Ossmann, Tolbert, Bennett, Moore, and Lambert. Absent Caldwell.

Minutes of previous meeting approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

AUDIT. Moved seconded and carried.

That the auditing of City records be postpone to a later date.

SERVICE STATION. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of The Kent Oil Co to install a gasoline pump on the parking at 221 East 2nd Street in front of the Sanitary Grocery, request granted.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of the Tolbert Oil Co to install a Gas filling station at 107 East 5th Street, tank to be installed in the parking with one pump, for The Concordia Mercantile Co's personal use, request granted.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of W.J. Tieking to install a Gas filling station at 214 Cedar Street, request granted.

REMOVE TREES. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to remove the large trees in front of the City property 134 East 5th Street, and replace them with elm trees.

MILK ORDINANCE. Moved seconded and carried.

That the milk ordinance be referred to the Committee on milk ordinance and check the various sections of the ordinance and report at next meeting.

PAINT WATER TOWER. Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of having the water towers painted same be referred to the Water Committee and report at next meeting.

WATER SOFTENING. Moved seconded and carried.

That the plans and specifications for water softening plant, drafted by Engineer Austin, is accepted and approved and placed on file.

FREE WATER. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Water<sup>Works</sup> Committee was instructed to install water meters at the cemetery, at Parks and at City Hall, to have a check on free water.

BEACON LIGHT Moved seconded and carried.

That the installing a light on the Booster tank be tabled  
Roll call; Aye: Bennett and Lambert. Nay; Ossmann, Tolbert & Moore

Motion lost.

GAS CALORIMETER. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Attorney be instructed to take the gas proposition before the Public Service Commission, in regard to Gas calorimeter, for Concordia.

METER TRUCK. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to the purchase a truck for water meter trouble shooter, same be referred to the Water Works Committee to get the price on same and report at next meeting

POPCORN OUTFIT. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Chief of Police be instructed to notify Delmar Harris, to remove his popcorn outfit from the parking in front of his golf course on East 6th Street.

SIGN MOVED Moved seconded and carried.

That the Chief of Police be instructed to notify The Walker Motor Co to remove his signs from the parking.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Acting Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 1,355.00, in payment of bonds, and interest due April 1st 1931 payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency.

CLEAN UP WEEK. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Council, declare the clean up week March 23 to 28th Moved seconded and carried.

That the officers reports be recieved and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Police Judge, Street Commissioner, Fire Chief, Water rent, Pumping record, Library annual and Library financial report.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 944,52
Water Works fund	1,282,65
Whiteway fund	360,59
Bridge & Walk fund	561,52
Cemetery fund	140,00
Fire Dept. fund	363,34
Park fund	138,39
Library fund	923,74
Light fund	576,79
Band fund	100,00
Sinking fund	1,000,00
Interest fund	355,00
	<u>\$ 6,746,54</u>

Moved seconded and carried.



Councilmen present, as follows;

Short, Ossman, Tolbert, Caldwell, Bennett, Moore and Lambert.

SIGN Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of the United Stores Co, to hang a sign 18" by 100" 1" thick, bolted to brick building, and reinforced with iron guys on either side and top. Request granted.

Building permit. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of J.H.Finley, to erect a cleaning building on lot 23 block 136, permit granted, see building permit # 24

BUILDING PERMIT. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of the Coca Cola to erect a building on lot 21 block 156, request granted see building permit # 22

SPECIAL BLDG.PERMIT. Moved seconded and carried.

That a special building permit is granted The Concordia Creamery Co to reconstruct the loading dock connected to West wall of The Concordia Creamery Co's building., see permit # 16

GOLF TABLE. Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of allowing a golf table in addition to the three pool halls to operate in the city the matter was referred to the City Atty.'s opinion, and report next Friday,night.

CONC.OIL CO. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of F.J.Brooks , to build a bulk plant East of the Texaco Oil Station, request denied.

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BEACON LIGHT Moved seconded ~~XXXXXX~~.

That The Kansas Power is granted a contract to put up a Beacon light on top of the Booster tower at 6th and 3rd Ave.

One electric code beacon # 1229492G4, One motor wound time switch  
One 500 watt G40 lamp One P.S. 30-200 watt lamp, at acost not to exceed \$ 319,15 installed complete

Roll call Aye; Ossman, Short, Tolbert, Caldwell and Moore

May; Bennett, not voted Lambert. Motion carried.

TRUCK FOR WATER DEPT. Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of purchasing a trouble shooter truck for the Water Dept. same was referred to the Water committee, and report next Friday night.

Moved seconded and carried.

FIRE ZONE.

That the City Atty. be instructed, to revise the Fire zone so as to leave the Texaco Station out of the Fire zone.

VANDEMARK Moved seconded and carried,

That the City agrees to pay Atty.Vandeamrk \$ 15,00 to assist the County Atty in the prosecution of 6 boys acused of stealing sugar

Regular meeting April 6th 1931.

from the Munch Warehouse.

GRAVEL HIGHWAY #81

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Street and Alley Committee be instructed to have highway # 81 regaveled within the City limits south, and to regavel highway # 81 within the City north.

MOWER

Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of purchasing a large motor mower for the Cemetery, same be referred to the Cemetery Committee with power to act.

APPOINTMENTS. Mayor Edquist, recommended the appointments, of member Board of Free Public Library; Mrs Maude McConahey and Mrs Florence Short, to succeed themselves for ensuing term.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the appointments of members of Board of Free Public Library, made by the Mayor is confirmed.

MAYOR

Moved seconded and carried.

That a warrant be issued in payment of the Mayor's salary \$ 4.00 for his term of office, the Mayor wanted the warrant to frame it and keep it as a suvenire.

OFFICERS REPORTS

Moved seconded and carried.

That the officers reports be received and placed on file as follows; City Treasurers, City Clerk, Police Judge, Street Commissioner, Water analysis, Fire Chief, and Pumping record.

Moved seconded carried.

That the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 2,534.42 in payment of bonds, commission and interest due May 1st 1931, payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 1,117.08
Whiteway fund	59.86
Water Works fund	1,905.80
Bridge & Walk fund	606.44
Cemetery fund	101.15
Fire Dept. fund	317.85
Park fund	399.03
Light fund	584.84
Band fund	200.00
Sinking fund	2,166.23
Interest fund	368.19
	<u>\$ 7,826.16</u>

Moved seconded and carried

That we adjourn until Friday April 10th 1931.

By \_\_\_\_\_ City Clerk

in the absence of Mayor Edquist. Councilmen present.

Ossman, Caldwell, Bennett, Moore and Lambert. Councilman absent, Tolbert.

There being no regular business before the Council.

It was moved seconded and carried.

That we adjourn.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we reconvene into a canvassing Board.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we proceed and canvas the result of the City election.

For Mayor, Chas.H.Blosser, received	1154 votes
W.R.Bennett, received	435 votes
G.C.Wilson, received	128 votes

Chas.H.Blosser, having received the greater number of votes cast for Mayor, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected, and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election.

For Councilman, First Ward, H.K.Poole received	242 votes
Herschel Godfrey	103 votes

H.K.Poole having received the greater number of votes cast for Councilman of First Ward, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election.

For Councilman, Second Ward, Dr Howard C.Gale received	270 votes
Calvin D.Walker received	239 votes

Dr Howard C.Gale having received the greater number of votes cast for Councilman, of Second Ward, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election. Oliver Vignery having received 241 & F.C.Bailey 191 votes Oliver Vignery having received the greater number of votes cast for Councilman, Third Ward, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election.

A.L.Lambert, having received	168 votes, two years term
A.E.Noe, having received	155 votes, two years term

A.L.Lambert having received the greater number of votes cast for Councilman, Fourth Ward, for two years term, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election.

L.B.Maddox, having received	197 votes, one year term
Earl Eversoll having received	107 votes, one year term

L.B.Maddox, having received the greater number of votes cast for Councilman, Fourth Ward, for one year term, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election.

John J.Wilcox

For City Treasurer, having received 1309, votes, all the votes cast for City Treasurer, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election.

For Police Judge, Morgan J.Wallace having received 1185 votes, all the votes cast for Police Judge, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election.

For Justice of the Peace, Morgan J.Wallace having received 971 votes all votes cast, for Justice of the Peace, number one, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election.

For Justice of the Peace, P.R.Lockwood having received // votes the greater number of votes cast, for Justice of the Peace, number two, on motion seconded and carried, declared duly elected and the City Clerk instructed to issue certificate of election.

STANDING COMMITTEES

WAYS & MEANS, H.C.Gale, Carl Ossmann, Oliver Vignery, W.R.Bennett  
 STREET & ALLEY, S.C.Tolbert, W.R.Bennett, L.B.Maddox, Oliver Vignery  
 SEWER, W.R.Bennett, A.L.Lambert, H.L.Poole, Carl Ossmann  
 ELECTRIC LIGHT, A.L.Lambert, Vignery, S.C.Tolbert, L.B.Maddox  
 PARK & PLAY GROUND, H.K.Poole, W.R.Bennett, Carl Ossmann, S.C.Tolbert  
 WATER WORKS, Carl Ossmann, S.C.Tolbert, H.C.Gale, H.K.Poole  
 FIRE DEPT., L.B.Maddox, H.C.Gale, A.L.Lambert, Carl Ossmann  
 PAVING, A.L.Lambert, H.K.Poole, S.C.Tolbert, H.C.Gale  
 PRINTING, Carl Ossmann, L.B.Maddox, H.C.Gale, S.C.Tolbert  
 CEMETERY, Oliver Vignery, H.C.Gale, W.R.Bennett, L.B.Maddox  
 BUILDING, H.K.Poole, A.L.Lambert, L.B.Maddox, Oliver Vignery.  
 CITY PRINTING. Was referred to the Printing Committee, by the Mayor,

and report their recommendation. To the Honorable Mayor and Councilmen. Gentlemen; We your Committee on printing recommend, The Kansan Printing House, be awarded the legal City printing at the same rate as last year, 35% of legal rate and the Kansan Printing House designated the official City Paper, and the Job printing divided between the Kansan and The News and Press .

Moved seconded and carried.

That the recommendation of the Printing Committee is approved and the Committee discharged.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we go back into regular session.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of V.J.Dewitt, to erect a fruit stand at 617 Lincoln Street, same be laid on the table.

KIWANIS PROPOSITION. Moved seconded and carried.

That we accept the Kiwanis proposition, as follows; At the request of the Kiwanis Club, and in their name, I wish to make application for the permission for them to plant and maintain a Rose and Flower Garden in the small circular City Park at the intersection of Elmhurst and First Aves. and Eighth Street in Elmhurst Addition to Concordia.

We would like to have you pass a resolution granting us this permission for a period of two years, and assure you we will not in any way interfere with the trees and shrubbery now in said Park, and should we at any time desire to abandon the project, and turn same back to the City, in as good condition as find it.

This being a City Park, we would like the use of the City water for butifying this spot, during the term of the lease of permission. Thanking you for giving this consideration, beg to remain

F.W.Daugherty

LIGHT.

Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to installing a Street light at Tenth and Second Ave. the matter was referred to the Light Committee with power to act.

MOWER.

Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of purchasing a mower for the Cemetery same be referred to the Cemetery Committee with power to act.

WATER EXT.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of Mrs Ward of the Barons House, to extend water line North of Missouri Pacific Found House to her farm house out of the city limits, same was referred to the Water Works Committee and report at next meeting.

PARKS

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Park and play ground committee shall have charge of parks and play ground, in regard to ball games and other matters pertaining to the renting of same.

POLL TAX.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Chief of Police shall collect the poll tax

BANKS.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the depository Banks, are designated the same as last year, The Cloud County Bank, The Farmers and Merchant Bank and The First National Bank.

CLAIM.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the claim of A.R.Senter, County Engineer for the surveying of land purchased from Ray Green, for wells, same be referred to the City Attorney, to check the deal and report at next meeting who is to pay for the surveying of the ground.

GAS METER.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the assisting City Engineer, H.L.Austin, be authorized to purchase a meter to test gas meters.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the officers reports be received and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Police Judge, Street Commissioner Fire Chief and Pumping record.

CITY TREA.OFFICIAL BOND.Moved seconded and carried.

That the official bond of John J.Wilcox City Treasurer be referred to the City Attorney, for approval.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the petition of W.H.L.Pepperall and others, for the City to cooperate with the County Commissioners, to grave Hill Street from 9th St. to 18th street, same be received and placed on file.

Regular meeting May 4th 1931 ✓

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 5,441.67, in payment of bonds, commission and interest due June 1st 1st 1931, payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 1,147.80
Whiteway fund	24.19
Water Works fund	1,390.70
Bridge & Walk fund	490.82
Cemetery fund	121.29
Fire Dept..fund	481.90
Park fund	215.87
Light fund	592.82
Band fund	100.00
Sinking fund	4,111.04
Interest fund	<u>1,330.63</u> \$ 10,007.06

Moved seconded and carried.

That we adjourn. E.J.Alexander, City Clerk.

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Councilmen present;

Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery, Maddox and Lambert.

Minutes of previous meeting approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

GRAVEL ROAD TO CATHOLIC CEMETERY.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the assisisting engineer be istructed to survey the road to

\* That the Street Commissioner be instructed to grade the +  
the Catholic Cemetery, and;

road to the Catholic Cemetery, on Olive Street and to the Cemetery  
and gravel the road as soon as its ready.

SERVICE STATION. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of H.R.Evert, to install a service station  
at 103 West 7th permit # 25, and to be supervised by the assisting  
Engineer, Austin.

GUTTER BROOM. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to the gutter broom for the sweeper to be  
changed from 44" to 54" at the price of \$ 128.00, as quoted by the  
Austin Mfg.Co, same was received and placed on file.

STREET LIGHT. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of Andrew Beverley, to install a street  
light at intersection of 14th and Republican street, same was  
referred to the Light Committee.

PARK LAWS. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to park laws recommended by E.B.Frankforther  
same was reverred to the Park Committee and the City Attorney.

DEPOSITORY BONDS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the depository bonds of The Farmers and Merchant Bank,  
in the sum of Ten Thousand dollars, in U.S.Government bonds, held by  
the City Treasurer,

First National Bank, depository bonds, in the sum of Ten  
Thousand dollars, of Mankato municipal bonds, held by the City  
Treasurer, and the Cloud County Bank, depository bonds, of \$ 12,500.00  
of U.S.Government bonds, held by the City Treasurer and \$ 50,000.00  
personal bonds, held by the City Clerk.

The above depository security was approved by the Council.

Moved seconded and carried.

CITY CLERK BOND. Of E.J.Alexander, security by American Surety Co  
of New York, same is approved.

BUDGET? Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to a binder and supply for budget same was  
left to the City Clerk to look after.

LIGHT. Lambert Chairman of Light committee reported a street light installed at 10th and 2nd Ave.

ALLEY. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to repairing alley in block 170, same was referred to the Street and Alley committee, and report at next meeting.

GRAVEL WALKS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to gravel the walks in the triangle Park in Elmhurst.

CITY TREASURER BOND. Moved seconded and carried.

That the bond of City Treasurer, security, National Surety Co of New York, same is approved by Council and City Attorney.

GRADING DIRT STREET. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to buying a tractor to grade dirt streets same was referred to the Street and Alley committee.

WATER METERS. Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of buying water meters, same was referred to the Water Works Committee with power to act.

First reading of ordinance # 1016, an ordinance amending section 1 of ordinance # 962 as amended by section 1 of ordinance # 993 and repealing said original section 1 as amended.

Moved seconded and carried.

That ordinance # 1016, be taken up by sections.

section 1. was read on motion carried was adopted.  
section 2. was read on motion carried was adopted.  
section 3. was read on motion carried was adopted.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1016, be adopted and an enactment as a whole Roll call; Aye: Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert & Maddox.

Motion carried unanimous.

First reading of ordinance # 1017, an ordinance providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon the occupation of wholesale merchants in coal, oil or gasoline and prescribing penalties for the non payment thereof.

Moved seconded and carried.

That ordinance # 1017, be taken up by sections.

Section 1. was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 2. was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 3. was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 4. was read on motion carried was adopted.

Moved and seconded .

That ordinance # 1017, be adopted and an enactment as a whole



That the City Clerk be instructed to transfer \$ 5,000.00 from the Water Works fund to the Water Works Sinking fund.

LOANS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Clerk be instructed to transfer \$ 200.00 from the General fund to the Fire Dept.fund as a loan, and \$ 100.00 to the Park fund, as a loan.

ENGINEER SENTER. Moved seconded and carried.

That the claim of Engineer Senter, for the surveying of land purchased from Ray Green, by the City, of Concordia, for two more wells, the claim of \$ 46.20 which Ray Green refuse to pay, the matter was referred to the City Attorney for settlement, so that Engineer Senter can get his money.

VACATION. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Clerk E.J.Alexander, be allowed two weeks vacation, from June 6th to June 20th

Moved seconded and carried.

That the officers reports be received and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Fire Chief, Street Commissioner, Gas Inspector, Gas Permits, Water Rent quarter ending Macrh 31st, 1931, and Pumping record.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 4,437.20 in payment of bonds, interest and commission due July 1st 1931, payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 2,424.76	Loans \$ 300.00
Water Works fund	1,529.70	Trans. 5,000.00
Bridge & Walk fund	754.17	
Cemetery fund	430.55	
Fire Dept.fund	249.50	
Park fund	193.43	
Light fund	907.99	
Band fund	100.00	
Sinking fund	2,976.37	
Interest fund	1,460.83	
	<u>\$ 11,027.36</u>	<u>\$ 5,300.00</u>

Moved seconded and carried.

That we adjourn, E.J.Alexander, City Clerk.

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July 22nd 1931, Request for call of Special meeting of the Council.

We, the undersigned, Councilmen of the City of Concordia, Kansas, request the Mayor of said City to call a Special meeting of the Council on Wednesday evening July 22nd, 1931 at 7.30 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of preparing a budget of the annual levy of taxes of 1931 and for any other matters that may be called up at said meeting.

L.B.Maddox, S.C.Tolbert and A.L.Lambert, Councilmen.

CALL OF SPECIAL MEETING.

A special meeting of the Mayor and Council of the City of Concordia, Kansas, is hereby called for Monday evening July 22nd, at 7.30 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of considering and preparing a budget for the 1931, annual levy of taxes and for such other matters that may be considered at such meeting.

Chas.H.Blosser  
Mayor.

Attest;  
E.J.Alexander  
City Clerk

July 22nd 1931 We acknowledge service of above call.

L.B.Maddox, S.C.Tolbert, A.L.Lambert, Oliver Vignery, H.C.Gale and H.K.Poole.

July 22nd 1931, the Council met, complying with above request, with Mayor, Chas.H.Blosser presiding with the following Councilmen present; Gale, Poole, Tolbert, Bennett, Vignery, Maddox and Lambert.

Business transacted as follows;

BAND LEVY.                      Moved seconded and carried.

That we raise the Band levy one tenth mill, making it three tenth mill, for the current year.

SALARIES.                      Moved seconded and carried.

That the present salaries of City employees be reduced.  
Roll call; Aye: Poole, Bennett, Vignery & Maddox. Nay: Gale, Tolbert & Lambert.  
Motion carried.                      Moved seconded and carried.

That the present salaries of the City employees, remain as they are now until January 1st 1932.

AIR PORT.                      Moved and seconded.

That the Air Port appropriation levy of one half mill shall not be included in the current year budget.

Roll call; Aye: Poole, Tolbert, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and Maddox

Not voted. Gale. Motion carried.

SALARIES.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Ways and Means Committee, be instructed to recommend a reduction of salaries of City employees and report at next regular meeting.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we adjourn. E.J.Alexander, City Clerk.

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Regular meeting August 3rd 1931.

The Council met with Mayor Blosser presiding with the following Councilmen present. Ossmann, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and Maddox.

Minutes of previous meetings approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

Moved seconded and carried.

That the communication of Mayor Blosser and family, be received and placed on file.

PAINT WATER TOWER. Moved seconded and carried.

That the proposition of a firm from Councilbluff Iowa to paint

the two water towers, same be tabled.

PETITION TO GRAVEL 13th STREET, BETWEEN CEDAR AND REPUBLICAN.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the petition of Fred Ward and others to gravel 13th Street between Cedar and Republican, same be referred to the Street and Alley Committee and report at next meeting.

WATER MAIN EXT. Moved seconded and carried.

That the petition of Clintsman and others, praying the Council to extend water main on First Street between B'way and Valley Street, and petition of Myrtle Peterson and others, to extend water main from 13th Street to 20th Atreet and 17th Street from Lincoln to State, Street, same be referred to the Water Works Committee and Water Commissioner, and report at next meeting.

Moved and seconded and carried.

That the application of F.L.Short, for a building permit # 14 same be granted.

J.F.BLAIR.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of J.F.Blair, to use a parking stall in front of his place of business, for loading and unloading, for his private use, at 617 B'way and also to cover roof back of his building request granted.

HIGH SCHOOL WATER BILL. Moved seconded and carried.

That the claim of the City <sup>\$ 503.00</sup> against the Board of Education Bldg. for water used in erecting the new High School, F.C.Baldwin representing the Board of Education, offered the City \$ 250.00 in settlement of the City's claim as there was an error in the meter reading, the Council accepted.

REMOVE STOP SIGN

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to remove the stop sign at 5th and Cedar, and replace it with a slow sign.

REMOVE TREE.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of Quincy Blosser Jr to remove the tree from the parking at 8th Street and Washington Street, to enable him to move the building away, and replace another tree in place of the one removed., request granted.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we dispose of the regular business before we take up the salary ordinance.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the reports of city official be received and placed on file as follows; Police Judge, City Treasurer, City Clerk, Street Commissioner, Fire Chief, Library, and Pumping record.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows.

General fund	\$ 822,18	
Whiteway fund	115,33	
Water Works fund	2,246,47	Loan \$ 2,000,00
Bridge & Walk fund	890,50	
Cemetery fund	122,17	
Fire Dept., Fund	337,50	
Park fund	412,03	
Light fund	604,22	
Band fund	100,00	
Sinking fund	3,260,22	
Interest fund	711,37	
	\$ 9,621,99	
Water Works Sinking fund	303,75	\$ 9,925,74

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 3,971,79 due Sept.1st 1931, in payment of bonds, interest and

WATER WORKS TROUBLE SHOOTER.

Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of purchasing a water works trouble shooter same be referred to Water Works Committee to investigate the need of same and report at next regular meeting.

CLEAN WELLS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Water Works Commissioner be instructed to keep on cleaning the wells.

VOLUNTEER FIREMEN. Moved seconded and carried.

That we discontinue the service of the following volunteer Firemen. E.J.Sudendorf, Rox Cook and H.E.Lundy

REST ROOMS. Moved seconded and carried.

That we reduce the allowance of the rest rooms from \$ 35.00 per month to \$ 30.00  
REVISED BUDGET LEVY. Moved seconded and carried.

That we approve and accept the revised tax budget of 12.12 mills Roll call; Aye: Ossmann, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and Maddox. Motion carried unanimous.

First reading of ordinance # 1018, an ordinance making a tax levy for the current year. Moved seconded and carried.

That ordinance # 1018 be taken up by section  
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF CONCORDIA, KANSAS.

Section 1. Was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 2. Was read on motion carried. was adopted.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1018, be adopted and an enactment as a whole.  
Roll call; Aye: Ossmann, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and Maddox, motion carried unanimous.

First reading of ordinance # 1019, an ordinance fixing salaries of certain city officials and officers and repealing ordinance # 956 as amended by ordinance # 959½.

Moved seconded and carried.

That ordinance # 1019, be taken up by sections.

Section 1, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 2, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 3, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 4, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 5, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 6, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 7, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 8, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 9, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 10, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 11, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 12, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 13, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 14, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 15, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 16, was read on motion carried was adopted.

Regular meeting Aug. 3rd 1931.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1019, be adopted and an enactment as a whole.  
Roll call; Aye: Ossmann, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and

Maddox. Motion carried unanimous.

First reading of ordinance # 1020, an ordinance fixing the compensation of volunteer firemen, amending section 11 of ordinance # 967, and repealing said section 11.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up ordinance # 1020, by sections.

Section 1, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 2, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 3, was read on motion carried was adopted.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1020, be adopted and an enactment as a whole.  
Roll call; Aye: Ossmann, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and

Maddox. Motion carried unanimous.

Moved seconded and carried, that we go into executive session.  
PETAIN AUSTIN. Moved and seconded.

That we retain H.L. Austin, to read the meters and assist the clerk, when needed in the office.

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Roll call; Aye: Ossmann, Poole, Gale

Nay: Tolbert, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and Maddox.

Motion lost

Moved seconded and carried.

That we retain assistant Engineer H.L. Austin, for a limited time at \$ 120.00, per month.

Roll call; Aye: Ossmann, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and Maddox. Moved seconded and carried.

Motion carried unanimous.

That we go back into regular session.

RESOLUTION. Be it resolved by the Governing Body of the City of Concordia, Kansas, First that the motion passed at the special meeting of the Governing Body on July 22nd, 1931, relative to the lowering of salaries and that same go into effect January 1st, 1932, be and the same is hereby changed to go into effect September 1st 1931, Second. That beginning September 1st, 1931, the following salaries shall be paid each month.

Street Sweeper	\$ 100.00
Park care taker	110.00
Day pump man	120.00
Night pump man	120.00
Third, City laborers reduced from 45¢ to 37½¢/per hour.	
Fourth. Teamster with team reduced from 65¢ to 50¢ per hour.	

Passed the Council this 3rd day of Aug. 1931.

Approved by the Mayor, this 3rd day of Aug. 1931.

Chas. H. Blosser, Mayor

Attest;

E. J. Alexander, City Clerk.

Moved seconded and carried.

Councilmen present; Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert & Maddox.  
Councilman absent; Gale.

Minutes of previous approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

WATER WORKS TRUCK. Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of purchasing a trouble shooter truck for the Water Works department, same be referred to the Water Works committee with power to act.

GRADE 20th STREET. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Street Commissioner be instructed, to grade 20th Street South of the Catholic Cemetery.

KANSAS INSPECTION BUREAU. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Clerk be instructed to write to the Kansas Inspection Bureau, in regard to fire insurance rates liable to be increased since the Council had taken off three volunteer firemen.

While the volunteer firemen were taken off it dint effect the efficiency as the present firemen has done the work in the past.  
FAIRGROUND LEASE. Moved seconded and carried.

That we renew the lease of F.J. Swafford, for \$ 100.00 cash paid in for the use of Fairground race track and the barns, *For year* 1932, and Swafford to keep the dogs in the small barn, and to keep the premises clean.

VACATE. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Attorney be instructed to vacate at least adjoining 12 feet of land, east of Art. Morrisette's property at 1301 Broadway.  
PARK REGULATIONS. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to City Park rules and regulations, the matter was referred to the Park Committee and the City Attorney to investigate the requirements and report at next meeting.

First reading of ordinance # 1021.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1 OF ORDINANCE # 1018, AND REPEALING SAID ORIGINAL SECTION 1.

Moved seconded and carried.

That ordinance # 1021, be taken up by sections.

Section 1, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 2, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 3, was read on motion carried was adopted.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1021, be adopted and an enactment as a whole. Roll call; all members voted Aye.

Motion carried unanimous.

LIBRARY APPOINTMENT. Mayor Blosser; Gentlemen of the Council I request the appointment of Mrs C.H.Paulsen as a member of Board of Free Public Library, to fill the vacancy for the ensuing term, caused by the death of Rev.Father A.T.Ennis

Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of Mayor Blosser, is confirmed.

WHITEWAY poles. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to replacing the Whiteway pole at Broadway and the Santa Fe depot, same be referred to the Light Committee with power to act.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the officers report be received and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Fire Chief, Street Commissioner, Water rent and Pumping record.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 1,833.13, in payment of bonds, interest and commission due Oct. 1st 1931, payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 1,055.45
Water Works fund	1,826.43
Street and Alley fund	464.54
Cemetery fund	117.15
Fire Dept., fund	338.00
Park fund	125.25
Light fund	602.41
Band fund	150.00
Sinking fund	1,501.88
Interest fund	331.25
Library fund	187.62
	<u>\$ 6,649.95</u>

Moved seconded and carried.

That we adjourn. E.J.Alexander, City Clerk.



Councilmen present; Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery,  
Lambert & Maddox.

Minutes of previous meeting approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

DELEGATE Moved seconded and carried.

That we delegate E.J. Alexander and L.B. Maddox, to represent  
the City of Concordia, at the convention of the League of Kansas  
Municipalities, at Wichita October 19, 20 & 21st

REQUEST. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of Jno. W. Taylor to have the Street and  
Alley Committee, to investigate the condition of the Street running  
along South of the Court House block 100, West 9th Street, the  
gutter on the South side of the street holds water, and is a foul  
smelling place when ever it rains, the matter was referred to the  
Street and Alley Committee.

REQUEST, SANTA FE. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of Santa Fe R.R. Co to pass a resolution  
to pay the Company \$ 5,00 for running a one inch water line under  
their tracks, the Council took no action on the resolution, since  
the Fire men faught fires at their round House, at diferent time,  
Council out city limits  
the, deemed that such service would offset the \$ 5,00

WHITEWAY POLES. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Kansas Power Co be instructed to put composition  
into the base of 24 Whiteway poles on 6th Street to keep out the  
moisture and prevent cables from burning out.

RESOLUTION TO GRAVEL Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Attorney be instructed to draw a resolution  
for the grading and graveling of thirteenth Street betwen Cedar and  
Republican Streets.

HOBOS. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to prepairing a room in the basement of the  
City Hall to take care of hoboes, the matter was referred to the  
Chief of Police to look after.

Gas. Moved by Gale seconded by Maddox.

That the Chief of Police be furnished gas, for his car  
by the City  
while on police duty.

Councilman Gale withdrew his motion with the consent of  
Maddox who seconded the motion

INSURANCE FIRE TRUCKS Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to insuring fire trucks, same was referred  
to fire committee with power to act.

First reading of ordinance # 1022, an ordinance vacating certain lands in Concordia, Kansas. Moved seconded and carried that ordinance be taken up by sections.

Section 1. was read on motion carried was adopted.

Section 2. was read on motion carried was adopted.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1022, be adopted and an enactment as  
a whole. Roll call; Aye: Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery,  
Lambert & Maddox. Motion carried unanimous.

GREEN LOYD.                      Moved seonded and carried.

That the fine and costs in the case of Loyd Green, same be remitted.

REST ROOMS.                      Moved seconded and carried.

That the allowance for rest rooms be reduced from \$ 30,00 to \$ 20,00, start from October 1st 1931.

CEMETERY LOT( DEVINE      Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of Walter Devine Cemetery lot which the First National Bank is holding \$ 40,00, in esco, same be referred to the Chairman of Cemetery Committee and the City Attorney with power to act. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 1,014.98, in payment of bonds, interest and commission due Nov. 1st 1931 payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the reports of City officials be received and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Police Judge, Fire, Chief, Street Commissioner, Pumping record and Gas Inspector.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 749.66
Whiteway fund	10.75
Water Works fund	2,366.19
Street & Alley fund	466.24
Cemetery fund	109.35
Fire Dept.fund	339.35
Park fund	144.05
Light fund	592.29
Band fund	150.00
Sinking fund	700.88
Interest fund	314.10
Library fund	187.62
	\$ 6,128.38

Moved seconded and carried.

Councilmen present; Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery,  
Lambert and Maddox.

Minutes of previous meeting approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

SERVICE STATION Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of Farmers Union to install gasoline curb pumps in the parking on the east side of garage building owned by W.C. Green located at Fifth and B'way Street, underground tanks in the parking on the North side of said building, to be installed under the supervision, of the City Engineer.  
Request granted.

SURFACE WATER. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to the petition of Fedor Loeffler and others praying the Council to take care of the surface water on East 2nd Street, when there is heavy rains the streets are flooded between Kansas and Olive street, The matter was referred to the sewer committee and report at next meeting.

CEMETERY ENDT. BOND? Moved seconded and carried.

That we approve the transfer of \$ 16,50 from the Cemetery fund to the Cemetery Endt. fund to make up \$ 500,00 and \$ 4,00 accrued interest, which the City Treasurer, purchased a \$ 500,00 Municipal bond for the Cemetery Endowment fund.

RESOLUTION, First published in the Kansan November 5th 1931.

RESOLUTION FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF CONCORDIA, KANSAS.

That it is deemed necessary to grade and surface with gravel Thirteenth Street from Cedar and Republican Street.

That this resolution shall be published for two consecutive weeks in the official city paper, and unless the resident owners of more than one-half of the property liable for taxation therefore shall within twenty days from the last publication of said resolution file with the City Clerk their protest against such improvements, the Governing body shall cause such improvement to be made and contract therefor and levy taxes for the payment of the same as provided by law.

Passed the Council this 2nd day of November, 1931

Approved by the Mayor this 2nd day of November, 1931.

Chas. H. Blosser, Mayor

Attest;

E. J. Alexander, City Clerk.

First reading of ordinance # 1022,  
AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION AND INSPECTION OF INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF GAS PIPES, FITTINGS, DEVICES, APPLIANCES AND PROVIDING PUNISHMENT FOR VIOLATION THEREOF. AND CREATING THE OFFICE OF GAS INSPECTOR AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NUMBER 1012, AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE NUMBER 1015.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up ordinance # 1022 by sections.

Section 1, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 2. was read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 3, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 4, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 5, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 6, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 7, w as read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 8, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 9, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 10, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
 Section 11, was read on motion carried was adopted.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1022, be adopted and an enactment as a whole.

Roll call; Aye: Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and

Maddox. Motion carried unanimous.

FIRE TRUCKS INS. Moved seconded and carried.

That in regard to insuring the Fire Trucks, same be referred to the Fire Committee with power to act.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants in the sum of \$ 1,072,50, in payment of interest due Dec. 1st 1931. payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the officers reports be received and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Police Judge, Fire Chief, Street Commissioner and Puming record.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 951,04	
Water Works fund	1,502,17	
Street & Alley fund	481,88	
Cemetery fund	228,45	
Cemetery Endt. fund	504,00	
Fire Dept. fund	267,54	
Park fund	158,70	
Light fund	592,29	
Band fund	100,00	
Interest fund	1,072,50	146,25
Library fund	281,96	\$ 6,140,53
		<u>\$ 6,286,78</u>

Moved seconded and carried.

That we adjourn. E.J. Alexander, City Clerk.

Councilmen present.

Ossmann, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett, Vignery, Lambert and Maddox.

Minutes of previous meeting approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

SIGN. Moved seconded and carried.

By C.A. Moore Mgr.

That the request of Farmers Union Coop Oil Co. to erect a sign used as a filling Station at on East side of building, corner of Fifth and B'way Street, sign to be Six feet long Two feet wide, weighing approximately 20 lbs. hung 12 feet above sidewalk, and fastened with 3/8 inch iron rod,.

Request granted.

RESOLUTION Moved seconded and carried.

That the following resolution is adopted.

Be it resolved by the Governing Body of the City of Concordia, Kansas; That the assignment by The Kansas Pipe Line & Gas Company to the Kansas Power and Light Company, its successors or assigns, of a certain franchise for the transmission, distribution and sale of gas in the city of Concordia, Kansas, granted by the governing body of the city of Concordia by ordinance # 963 to Gas Corporation of Concordia, its successors or assigns, passed and approved on September 16, 1929, be and the same is hereby approved, and the City Clerk of the City of Concordia, Kansas, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to furnish to The Kansas Pipe Line & Gas Company a certified copy of this resolution.

STATE OF KANSAS SS  
CLOUD COUNTY

I, E.J. Alexander, hereby certify that I am the duly appointed, qualified and acting City Clerk of the City of Concordia, Kansas, and as such have charge of the books and records of said city.

That the above and foregoing resolution was duly passed by the governing body of said city at a meeting held on the 7th day of December, 1931 and that said resolution as above set out is a true and correct copy of the original resolution which appears on the minute books of the governing body of said city, and the same has not been altered or changed at this date. Dated this 7th day of December 1931.

E.J. Alexander, City Clerk.

WATER MAIN EXTENTION. Moved seconded and carried.

First proposition, that we extend water main, from Fifth Street North on Washington Street down and across alley approximately 160 feet to Concordia Creamery, Bldg. Second proposition, to continue from the Creamery to 4th Street 262 feet to make the circuit.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the above propositions be left with the Water Committee with power to act.

STOVE PUMP HOUSE. Moved seconded and carried

That in to procure a stove for the Pump House same be left with Water Committee with power to act.

TAXI LICENSE. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Attorney be instructed to amend the Taxi ordinance to read \$ 10.00 a year in lieu of \$ 25.00 a year

Regular meeting Dec. 7th 1931.

ESTIMATE ON STORM SEWER. Moved seconded and carried.

That the assisting Engineer be instructed survey the ground and submit an estimate cost of constructing a storm sewer on State from third street to Strain Ave.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to clean the ditch on State Street, from Strain Ave north to the old river bed.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Clerk be instructed to notify Morris Boucher to build sidewalk along lot 16 block 178, within the next 30 days and if not built within the specified time. The Street Commissioner is instructed to build said walk, and the cost to be charged against the property.

APPOINTMENT. Mayor Blosser the following committee, Dr Gale, Poole and Maddox, to confer with with Chamber of Commerce, the Legion and the County, and organize to establish a wood pile to assist in charity work.

MILK ORDINANCE. Moved seconded and carried.

In regard to a milk ordinance same was referred to Councilman Gale and the City Attorney, to draw an ordinance that will exact clean milk.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the officers report be recieved and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk, Street Commissioner, Fire Chief, Water rent and Water analysis.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the Mayor and Clerk be instructed to issue warrants in payment of bonbs, interest and commission, due Jan. 1st 1932, payable at Topeka Fiscal Agency. Moved seconded and carried.

That we take up the bills and allow them as follows;

General fund	\$ 946,53
Water Works fund	1633,06
Water Works n Sinking fund	1948,25
Street and Alley fund	405,46
Cemetery fund	100,00
Fire Dept. fund	317,70
Park fund	136,15
Light fund	592,29
Band fund	100,00
Sinking fund	4893,74
Interest fund	1393,94
	<u>\$ 12467,12</u>

The Council met with Mayor Blosser, presiding with the following  
Councilmen present; Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett and Maddox  
Councilmen absent; Quincy

First reading of ordinance # 1023

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION THIRTY SIX OF ORDINANCE # 974  
AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE # 992 AND REPEALING SAID SECTION.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF CONCORDIA, KANSAS:

Section 1, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 2, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 3, was read on motion carried was adopted.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1023, be adopted and an enactment as a whole.

Roll call; Aye: Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Bennett, Gale and Maddox.

Motion carried unanimous.

First reading of ordinance # 1024

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE GRADING AND SURFACING WITH GRAVEL  
THAT PART OF THIRTEENTH STREET BETWEEN CEDAR STREET AND  
REPUBLICAN STREET.

Section 1, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 2, was read on motion carried was adopted.  
Section 3, was read on motion carried was adopted.

Moved and seconded.

That ordinance # 1024, be adopted and an enactment as a whole.

Roll call; Aye: Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Bennett and Maddox.

Motion carried unanimous.

ESTIMATE. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Engineers estimate and plans and specifications  
for the graveling 13th street between Cedar and Republican, in the  
sum of \$ 377.20 same is approved.

GOVERNMENT BONDS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Treasurer be authorized to submit bids  
to The Central Trust Co of Topeka, Kansas, for Government bonds held  
in trust by said Bank, to the amount of City money on deposit in the  
Farmers and Merchant State Bank of Concordia, Kansas, when said Bank  
closed, said bonds were security to the City of Concordia.

WOODPILE. Moved seconded and carried.

That Councilman Bennett, shall have charge of the management  
of the woodpile, with power to act, and is allowed \$ 1.00 a day, and  
day labor 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ per hour, and  
two days labor for party working his poll tax

Q? BLOSSER'S PROPOSITION. Moved seconded and carried.

That we accept the proposition of Quincy Blosser, that the  
City is welcome to 25 acres of timber for the woodpile. The timber is  
located at Norway, and the County Commissioners agrees to haul the  
timber to the City free of charge.

Moved seconded and carried.

That we adjourn. E. J. Alexander, City Clerk.

The Council met with Mayor Blosser, presiding with the following Councilmen present. Ossman, Poole, Tolbert, Gale, Vignery, Lambert, Bennett, and Maddox.

Minutes of previous meetings approved as read.

Business transacted as follows;

PIPE LINE UNDER SANTA FE Moved seconded and carried.

That the Mayor and Clerk is instructed to sign contract, providing for City pipe line running through the Santa Fe Right of Way under their tracks.

POOL HALLS. Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Attorney be instructed to ammend section 28 of ordinance # 974 reducing each Billiard and Pool tables<sup>license</sup> from \$ 15,00 to \$ 7,50 each per year.

GRAVEL 14th STREET Moved seconded and carried.

That the City Attorney be instructed to draw a resolution to gravel 14th Street between Cedar and Republican Street STREET LIGHT 7th & WILLOW. Moved seconded and carried.

That the request of Thos.V.Whitcomb, to have a larger and stronger light installed at 7th and Willow Street, same was referred to the Light Committee with power to act.

DEPOSITORY BONDS. Moved seconded and carried.

That in the matter of The Farmers and Merchant State Bank depository bonds, same be left with the Ways and Means Committee to check the matter up.

BENNETT. Moved seconded and carried.

That we pay Councilman Bennett, out of the General fund for his service as manager of the City wood pile.

GAS TEST. Moved seconded and carried.

That the Assisting Engineer H.L.Austin was instructed to get a B.T.U. Test on City Gas.

Moved seconded and carried.

That the officers reports be received and placed on file as follows; City Treasurer, City Clerk (Police Judge, Nov. & Dec.), Fire Chief annual ~~report~~ and monthly, report, Pumping record, Street Commissioner and water analysis.

Moved seconded and carried.