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OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

CITY OF CONCORD

FOR THE

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MUNICIPAL REGULATIONS

FOR PAYMENT OF BILLS AGAINST THE CITY.

All persons furnishing materials or service for the city, or aid to the city poor, should be particular to take the name of the person ordering such service, material, or aid, and should *know* that the person is duly authorized to contract said liability.

The city will not be holden for merchandise sold or delivered on city poor account, except on the written order of the overseer of the poor, and for no longer time than until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.

Duplicate copies will be required of all bills payable by the city, furnished on county poor account.

All bills against the city must be approved by the person authorizing the charge; and unless this is done, no action can be had upon the bill by the Committee on Accounts and Claims, and no order will be given for its payment.

Bills so certified should be left with the city clerk on or before the second day of the month.

If approved by the Committee on Accounts and Claims, they will be ready for payment on Thursday following the regular monthly meeting of the city government.

The regular monthly meetings of the city government occur on the second Monday of each month.

HENRY E. CHAMBERLIN,
City Clerk.

MAYOR FRENCH'S SECOND INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

JANUARY 24, 1911.

Gentlemen of the Board of Aldermen:

This day marks an important and radical change in the system of administering the affairs of the city of Concord. From the granting of the first city charter down to the present time those who have preceded us in office have been elected as the representatives of political parties and the responsibility for the proper conduct of the city's affairs has rested to a considerable extent upon the political party in control of the municipal government. Henceforth no political party is to have any voice or share responsibility in the government of this city. We who assume office to-day must bear as individuals the entire responsibility for our official acts. Because the system under which we are to work is new and untried, our responsibility is increased for we must see to it that no mistakes of ours interfere with the operation of the new charter and prevent a fair test of its possibilities.

The charter was adopted by the people of Concord after a thorough discussion and consideration of its merits and demerits. No city in New Hampshire and but few in the United States are governed in like manner and our experiment will be watched with interest and the closest scrutiny by other municipalities that are in search of a plan which will increase the efficiency of their governing boards. If

this experiment is successful it will doubtless be followed in other cities.

The two principal features of the new plan are the elimination of partisan politics and the concentration of responsibility upon a comparatively few officials. A municipal corporation differs but little from a private business corporation. Political principles, as commonly advocated by political parties, cannot properly be applied to the management of a municipal corporation with any more reason than they can be applied to the management of a business corporation. A realization of this fact has led to the movement which has sprung up in various parts of the country looking to the management of the affairs of municipalities on non-partisan lines and our new charter is the result of this movement. One of the chief evils under the old method, which still prevails in many large cities, was the appointment to important offices of men whose only claim was based upon services to a political party. Such appointments have often destroyed the efficiency of municipal governments to an extent which would not be tolerated for a moment in the management of a private business corporation. None of us owe our election to a political party. We were elected as citizens of Concord because the people had confidence in us and we owe it to them to let no political considerations influence us in the discharge of our duties. Whatever appointments we are called upon to make should be made upon merit only.

Under the new charter the responsibility for mistakes cannot easily be shifted from those to whom the mistakes should be charged. The mayor and aldermen-at-large, constituting the Board of Public Works, will alone be responsible for many matters which have heretofore been cared for by the council and board of aldermen. This concentration of responsibility will require great caution and deliberation in all we do. The people have the right to expect of us in

the management of city affairs at least the same care, economy, and methods which we would apply to any private business in which we engage. We must not, however, permit too great caution to prevent the adoption of reforms or the voting of reasonable appropriations which are needed and which will help to make Concord more healthful, more attractive, and more prosperous.

In supervising the expenditure of the people's money for municipal purposes, I would urge that we all gain as much personal knowledge as possible of the actual conditions and needs of the city. If such a course is followed I am confident that the results will prove of great advantage to the taxpayers.

I shall not discuss the various departments of the city at any length. I shall merely refer to a few matters which seem to me to need consideration at our hands.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

No city the size of Concord has a better fire department. The personnel of the department cannot be easily improved. From the chief down the men are steady, honest, competent and faithful, and are very efficient in the discharge of their duties. In this department the city gets the worth of its money.

During my last administration a valuable tract of land was purchased in the rear of the Central fire station which I have always felt that the city should own. Our city is the capital of the state of New Hampshire and yet we are without a modern fire station. In two instances we have two pieces of apparatus on the same runway. In both these instances steamers are behind hose wagons. Such conditions should not exist. To make our department more efficient and up to date I recommend the remodeling of the Central fire station so as to place the horses in the rear of the apparatus.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Our streets are in a much better condition than at the beginning of my last administration. There was appropriated for permanent work during the years 1909-1910, \$19,645. I do not consider it a wise plan to appropriate so much money for permanent work and I advise some change which will result in a better system of general maintenance.

The old method of electing our highway commissioner annually by the city councils has been abolished by the new charter. That charter provides that the Board of Public Works employ a superintendent of streets. There has been more or less criticism in the past in regard to the grade of our streets and it has been difficult to fix the responsibility for the trouble which has given rise to such criticism. At present that responsibility seems to be divided between the office of the highway commissioner and the office of the city engineer. In order to make the responsibility single I recommend that the superintendent of streets be a civil engineer. The present incumbent cannot qualify in that capacity. This would seem to be in the interest of the taxpayers and would eliminate much of the trouble in relation to grades. Give it your consideration.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

An efficient police department is necessary in every city for the safety of individuals and the protection of property. Experienced men are much more effective as police officers than new men can be. If in the administration of affairs experience shall show that any official, whether in the police or any other department, is unfaithful or untrustworthy, so far as I have the power he will be held to a rigid accountability.

I do not think our police department is as efficient as it

should be. The law establishing a police commission has been repealed and the police department has been placed in the hands of the city government. A department of such importance to the good order of the city should be under the control of the city. On and after this date, January 24, 1911, our police will be municipal officers and not state officers and are subject to orders from the mayor, who is chief of police, and are subject to removal for sufficient reason. I advise that the old rules still in existence in this department be revised at this time.

There are police officers on duty at this time whom I do not think are qualified to render efficient service to the city, and I shall consider their resignation a valuable asset to the taxpayers.

ASSESSORS.

No more important office exists in the city than that of the board of assessors. The property assessed by them exceeds \$12,546,000 in value. Equalization of taxation is all that the people demand and that is what they are entitled to have. Our new board of assessors should give more attention to this matter than has been given before. Our new charter provides that the assessors give more time to the valuation of our properties. Our new board is composed of men who, I think, have accurate judgment of property values and who will be fearless and independent in the performance of their duties.

PARKS.

The parks are in excellent condition and have been well managed during the past two years. The question of public playgrounds will require your attention during this administration and your action must be determined by the funds available.

Seats should be more freely distributed in our parks. I shall make an effort to have the seats restored in the State House park and shall take up the matter with His Excellency the Governor.

LABOR.

I recommend the passage of an ordinance fixing the pay of able-bodied day laborers employed by the city at \$2 per day of nine hours to partially meet the unnecessary cost of living; that skilled workmen be paid union wages in their several trades; that all city work be done and performed by American citizens or by men who have in good faith declared their intention of becoming citizens as prescribed by law.

CONTRACTS.

I recommend that all work that is to be let out by contract be let to the lowest responsible bidder and that residents of Concord be given preference, all other things being equal. I also recommend that bids be called for on all concrete and cement work of the city. I consider this a fair proposition.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Our public schools maintain their high rank as a factor in the prosperity of our city. The expense of maintaining them is very large and while money cannot be spent to better advantage than in educating the youth of the city, it would seem that the method of expending it might be improved in some particulars. To my mind it would seem more satisfactory if our schools furnished a reasonably substantial and practical education without impairment of the health of the pupils than that they should excel the schools of all other cities in the state in percentage of rank attained.

I am also of the opinion that many pupils enter the high

school from the ninth grade without a careful consideration of the course of study they are adapted to pursue. As a result they find at the end of the year that they have failed to qualify and false pride leads them to give up school entirely rather than give up the particular studies which they have chosen and which are responsible for their failure. This is much to be regretted. It seems to me a question well worth considering whether or not the taxpayers cannot better afford to send those desiring a business course to a business college, the city paying their tuition, with better results to all concerned and so avoid paying salaries to teachers who preside over such small classes as are the rule at present.

HOSPITALS.

It has been customary for years to make an annual appropriation of \$3,000 for the Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital. This sum was given as a gift until 1909 when it was deemed that the gift should be given with some restriction. In view of this it was provided that all city charges should be cared for at the hospital free, which has proved a great saving to the taxpayers of our municipality, the amount of such savings for the years 1909 and 1910 being \$1,603.16.

On South Street is located the Memorial Hospital for Women and Children, an institution organized some years later than the Margaret Pillsbury Hospital. In looking over the report of this hospital I find them very worthy of some consideration from the taxpayers of this municipality and I recommend an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital for women and children.

HEALTH BOARD.

This board should be especially commended for its efforts to see that the inhabitants of the city are furnished with milk produced and delivered under sanitary conditions.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, January, 1910,	\$58,239.98
Receipts, 1910,	441,337.44
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	\$449,577.42

DISBURSEMENTS.

City departments,	\$154,908.31
City poor and soldiers,	2,036.92
County poor and soldiers,	9,354.33
City notes,	25,000.00
City bonds (police station),	4,000.00
City interest on notes and bonds,	5,727.08
Interest, cemetery trust funds,	1,368.51
Schools,	103,397.76
Schools, interest on bonds,	6,695.50
Schools, bonds,	7,000.00
Precinct, sprinkling streets,	7,442.56
" lighting streets, city,	18,859.66
" " " Penacook,	1,250.00
" " " East Concord,	506.00
" garbage,	6,773.83
" sewers, notes and bonds,	2,500.00
" " interest on notes and bonds,	3,563.21
" " repairs, etc.,	1,810.47
" " sinking funds,	2,600.00
County tax,	39,973.07
State tax,	39,762.00
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	\$444,529.21
Approximate, January 16, 1911,	\$55,048.21
The aggregate indebtedness over available assets, January 1, 1910,	\$997,712.50

The aggregate indebtedness over available assets, January 1, 1911 (approximate),	\$960,212.50
Approximate decrease for the year 1910,	\$37,500.00
Approximate decrease for the year 1909,	27,227.90
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Approximate decrease for the years 1909- 1910,	\$64,727.90

CONCLUSION.

We are a corporation with a valuation of over \$12,546,000. We have been elected as a board of directors to transact the business of this corporation and to give the taxpayers the best returns for their money invested, and that is the money raised by taxation.

It is not my purpose, as I have stated above, to engage at this time in a lengthy discussion of every topic connected with your duties but rather to impress upon your minds the necessity of giving to every subject which may be presented that careful consideration and determination which will result in the greatest benefit to our municipality.

ORDINANCES AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Passed During the Year Ending January 9, 1911.

CITY OF CONCORD—ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE IN AMENDMENT OF AN ORDINANCE, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A PRECINCT FOR THE COLLECTION OF GARBAGE," PASSED APRIL 13, 1903.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. The precinct for the collection of garbage shall include, in addition to the territory described in an ordinance, "An Ordinance Establishing a Precinct for the Collection of Garbage," passed April 13, 1903, and amendments thereto, Maitland Street and Holly Street. Said precinct shall include all lots, with their inhabitants, abutting on Maitland Street and Holly Street.

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed February 14, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE IN AMENDMENT OF SECTION 21 OF CHAPTER 37 OF THE REVISED ORDINANCES.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That section 21 of chapter 37 of the revised ordinances be and hereby is amended by striking out the word "fifteen" in the second line of said section and inserting in place thereof the word sixteen, so that said section as amended will read:

SECT. 21. The city engineer shall receive in full for his services the sum of sixteen hundred dollars per year, payable monthly.

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and the salary of the city engineer for the current year shall be sixteen hundred dollars.

Passed March 28, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR FOR THE USE OF THE CITY.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within said city the sum of forty-seven thousand dollars (\$47,000) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the city for the ensuing financial year, which, together with the sums which may be raised by taxes on railroads and from other sources shall be appropriated as follows:

For payment of interest on bonds.....	\$5,670.00
For payment of interest on temporary loan.....	500.00
For payment of interest on cemetery trust funds.....	1,300.00
For support of city poor.....	800.00
For dependent soldiers, city.....	200.00
For incidentals and land damages.....	4,000.00
For salaries, members of city council.....	2,150.00
For printing and stationery.....	2,000.00
For aid, Margaret Pillsbury Hospital.....	3,000.00
For Memorial Day.....	460.00
For public school text-books.....	3,500.00
For open air concerts.....	300.00
For public baths.....	225.00
For Blossom Hill Cemetery.....	1,000.00
For Old North Cemetery.....	100.00
For West Concord Cemetery.....	75.00
For Millville Cemetery.....	50.00
For Pine Grove Cemetery.....	150.00
For Old Fort Cemetery.....	25.00
For Horse Hill Cemetery.....	25.00
For Woodlawn Cemetery.....	25.00
For Soucook Cemetery.....	20.00
For parks.....	3,500.00
For Penacook Park.....	125.00
For Washington Square.....	25.00
For repairs buildings.....	2,000.00
For police station bonds.....	4,000.00
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	\$35,225.00

CITY OF CONCORD.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Salary, sanitary officer.....	\$1,400.00
Milk inspection	300.00
Fumigation supplies	125.00
Antitoxin and medical supplies.....	200.00
Incidentals	600.00
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	\$2,625.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Salaries	\$13,000.00
Police commissioners	150.00
Fuel	400.00
Horse hire, board and shoeing'.....	435.00
Helmet and buttons.....	25.00
Ice and water....	48.00
Lights	150.00
Telephone, private line.....	164.32
Incidentals ..	800.00
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	\$15,172.32

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Salaries	\$2,760.00
Books and incidentals....	2,240.00
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	\$5,000.00

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

Salary, engineer	\$1,600.00
Salary, assistants	1,200.00
Supplies ..	125.00'
Repairs	25.00
Assessor's map	500.00
Incidentals	150.00
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	\$3,600.00

ORDINANCES.

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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Salary, commissioner	\$1,600.00
General maintenance and repair	27,000.00
Sidewalks and crossings, new.....	1,000.00
Sidewalks and crossings, repair.....	2,250.00
Catch basins ..	1,400.00
Care of trees.....	2,500.00
Permanent Work:	
Loudon Road	1,500.00
North Main Street.....	4,000.00
Trunk line, between Golf station and end of macadam above Bog Road, state to give dollar for dollar.....	2,000 00
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	\$43,250.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Pay-rolls	\$8,003.00
Pay-rolls, semi-annual	6,960.00
Rent, Veterans' Association.....	150.00
Forage	1,800.00
Fuel and lights....	1,700.00
Fire alarm	800.00
Horse hire and shoeing.....	1,150.00
Washing	52.00
Water	119.50
Chemical supplies	50.00
Incidentals	1,800.00
Penacook fire alarm.....	210.50
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	\$22,795.00

SALARIES.

Mayor ...	\$1,000.00
City clerk	1,200.00
Overseers of poor.....	390.00
City solicitor	500.00
City treasurer	250.00
City messenger	800.00
City physicians	500.00
Clerk, common council.....	50.00
Care, city clocks.....	110.00
Nine assessors	2,700.00

Nine moderators	\$63.00
Nine ward clerks.....	90.00
Twenty-seven selectmen	189.00
Thirty-six inspectors of election.....	180.00
Twenty-seven supervisors	216.00
Judge, police court.....	1,000.00
Clerk, police court.....	200.00
Collector of taxes, so much as may be necessary of the sum of	1,500.00
	\$10,938.00

SECT. 2. There shall be raised in like manner the sum of forty-nine thousand seven hundred two and fifty one-hundredths dollars (\$49,702.50) for the support of schools for the ensuing financial year, which, together with the income of the Abial Walker fund, shall be appropriated and divided among the several school districts according to the valuation thereof.

SECT. 3. In addition to the foregoing there is appropriated for the cemeteries of the city one-half of the income from the sale of lots and the income derived from the care of lots and grading, which sum shall be deposited by the superintendent, or others receiving them, in the city treasury. The care of lots for which the city holds trust funds shall be paid from the money appropriated for the care of cemeteries and so much of the income of these trust funds as may be thus expended shall be deposited in the city treasury at the close of the year and the remainder, in each instance, credited to the individual funds.

SECT. 4. In addition to the foregoing there is appropriated for the use of the public library in the purchase of books the amount collected for fines.

SECT. 5. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.
Passed March 28, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE GARBAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised on the polls and ratable estates within the garbage precinct of the city, the sum of sixty-two hundred dollars (\$6,200) to defray

the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For the collection of garbage and refuse matter in said precinct \$6,200.00

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage. Passed March 28, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the sewerage precinct of said city, the sum of fifty-nine hundred eighty-two and seventy-one hundredths dollars (\$5,982.71) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For repairs and construction..... \$2,000.00
For interest on notes and bonds..... 2,982.71
For payment of note No. 299..... 1,000.00

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage. Passed March 28, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE STREET SPRINKLING PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the street sprinkling precinct of said city, the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars (\$7,500), to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For sprinkling streets..... \$7,500.00

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage. Passed March 28, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE LIGHTING PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the lighting precinct of said city, the sum of nineteen thousand three hundred dollars (\$19,300) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For lighting streets..... \$19,300.00

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.
Passed March 28, 1910.



AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE EAST CONCORD LIGHTING PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the East Concord lighting precinct, the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year which shall be appropriated as follows:

For lighting streets within said precinct..... \$500.00

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.
Passed March 28, 1910.



AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE EAST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to

be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the East Concord sewerage precinct, the sum of one hundred thirty-five dollars (\$135) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance creating a sinking fund.....	\$100.00
For the payment of interest that may become due on precinct bonds	35.00

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.
Passed March 28, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the West Concord sewerage precinct, the sum of fifteen hundred forty-five and fifty-hundredths dollars (\$1,545.50) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance creating a sinking fund.....	\$1,000.00
For the payment of interest that may become due on precinct bonds	395.50
For repairs and maintenance of sewers in said precinct....	150.00

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.
Passed March 28, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PENACOOK SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the Penacook sewer-

age precinct, the sum of fourteen hundred ninety-five dollars (\$1,495) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance creating a sinking fund.....	\$1,100.00
For the payment of the interest that may become due on precinct bonds	395.00

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.
Passed March 28, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the St. Paul's School sewerage precinct, the sum of six hundred thirty-five dollars (\$635) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance creating a sinking fund.....	\$500.00
For the payment of interest that may become due on precinct bonds	60.00
For repairs and maintenance of sewers in said precinct...	75.00

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.
Passed March 28, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE IN AMENDMENT OF AN ORDINANCE PASSED FEBRUARY 11, 1902, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT."

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That Section 28 of an ordinance passed February 11, 1902, entitled "An Ordinance Relating to the Fire Department," be amended as follows: Strike out of said section the words "Engine Companies Nos. 2 and 3, two hundred and forty dollars each, and

Pioneer Steamer Company, No. 3, five hundred dollars," and insert in place thereof the following: "Engine Company No. 2, two hundred and forty dollars; Engine Company No. 3, three hundred and forty dollars, and Pioneer Steamer Company, No. 3, six hundred dollars.

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect on July 1, 1910.

Passed June 13, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE IN AMENDMENT OF SECTION 18 OF CHAPTER 37 OF THE REVISED ORDINANCES.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That Section 18 of Chapter 37 of the Revised Ordinances as amended by an ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance in amendment of Section 18 of Chapter 37 of the Revised Ordinances," passed October 10, 1904, be, and hereby is, amended by striking out the whole of said section and inserting in place thereof the following:

SECT. 18. The moderators shall each receive the sum of twenty dollars per annum, the selectmen shall each receive the sum of seven dollars per annum, the ward clerks shall each receive the sum of twenty dollars per annum, the inspectors of election shall each receive the sum of ten dollars per annum, and the supervisors of the check-list shall be paid as follows:

Wards 1, 2, 3, 8 and 9, twenty dollars per annum.

Wards 4, 5, 6 and 7, twenty-five dollars per annum.

The above amounts shall be in full for all of the services of the above officers.

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed June 13, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the annual pay of the Old Fort Engine Company, No. 2, shall be three hundred forty dollars (\$340) per annum in full for all of the services of said company; said sum to be divided among the members as said company shall direct. The assistant engineer at East Concord shall receive the sum of twenty dollars per annum in full for his services. The steward of Old Fort Engine

Company shall receive the sum of thirty dollars per annum in full for his services.

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Passed September 12, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE GARBAGE PRECINCT.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. The garbage precinct is hereby enlarged and extended to include Ridge Road from Forest Street northwesterly past the premises known as number 23 Ridge Road. All lands and buildings with the inhabitants thereof abutting on the portion of Ridge Road above described are hereby included in the garbage precinct.

SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed December 12, 1910.

JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THE PURCHASE OF A CHURCH SPRAY AND THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT FOR THE SAME.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) be, and hereby is appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of a 1910 Model Church Spray and the necessary equipment for the same. The highway commissioner is hereby directed to purchase a 1910 Model Church Spray at a cost of not exceeding nine hundred dollars (\$900), and he is also authorized and directed to purchase the necessary equipment for said spray at a cost of not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100).

Passed February 14, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO THE CITY LIBRARY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

WHEREAS, It is generally recognized that our present City Library accommodations have been outgrown, and that a new building is greatly needed to meet the increasing demands of the people of this community for the next century, and,

WHEREAS, It has been represented that Andrew Carnegie is prepared to entertain a proposition from the constituted authorities looking to a new library building;

That the mayor be authorized, and is hereby directed to forward this resolution, properly certified, to Andrew Carnegie at No. 2 East Ninety-first Street, New York, to ascertain if Mr. Carnegie will make a donation to the city of Concord, New Hampshire, of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for a new public library building, and report the result to the next regular meeting of the city government.

Passed February 14, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-ONE DOLLARS AND FIFTY-EIGHT CENTS (\$221.58) TO SETTLE JUDGMENT OF ASA EMERY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of two hundred twenty-one dollars and fifty-eight cents (\$221.58) be, and hereby is, appropriated to pay the judgment of that amount obtained by Asa Emery in the Superior Court for damages and costs for land taken in widening and straightening South Main Street, in Ward One, on the west side of said street opposite land of said Asa Emery at a point called "Willow Hollow" between stone bound marked No. 55 and stone bound marked No. 56. The amount hereby appropriated is to be charged to the account of incidentals and land damages.

Passed February 14, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE THE MATTER OF THE PURCHASE OF A ROAD ROLLER.

WHEREAS, The mayor has neither retracted certain charges made by him against the committee on roads and bridges and the street com-

missioner in connection with the recent purchase of a steam road roller, nor appointed a committee to investigate said charges,

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That a committee consisting of the city solicitor, two aldermen, to be appointed by the mayor, the president of the common council, and two councilmen to be appointed by the president of the common council be, and hereby is, established to investigate said charges and report to the city council. The above committee is hereby authorized to employ a stenographer for the purpose of making a record of its investigations of the above charges. The expenses of said committee are to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed March 14, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING FIVE DOLLARS (\$5) TO REIMBURSE CHARLES A. HERBERT FOR TAXES ERRONEOUSLY ASSESSED.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of five dollars (\$5) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated to reimburse Charles A. Herbert for taxes paid by him to the city of Concord, said sum being a double tax. The amount hereby appropriated shall be charged to the account of incidentals and land damages.

Passed March 28, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING TWO HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE AND FIFTY ONE-HUNDREDTHS DOLLARS (\$245.50) TO REIMBURSE H. H. DUDLEY, TREASURER, WARDEN AND VESTRYMAN OF ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of two hundred forty-five and fifty hundredths dollars (\$245.50) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated to reimburse H. H. Dudley, treasurer, warden and vestryman of St. Paul's Church for taxes paid on the Guild House for the years 1908 and 1909, the court having decided that said property is exempt from taxation. The amount hereby appropriated shall be charged to the account of incidentals and land damages.

Passed March 28, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS OF THE
WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the city treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400) from the West Concord sewerage precinct sinking fund account to the city treasury, said fund to constitute a part of the amount to be raised for the sinking fund for 1910, which together with one thousand dollars (\$1,000) raised by taxation amounts to one thousand four hundred dollars (\$1,400), the sum required by ordinance.

Passed March 28, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT
AND FIFTY-THREE ONE-HUNDREDTHS DOLLARS (\$578.53) FOR TEXT-
BOOKS USED IN UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the sum of five hundred seventy-eight and fifty-three one-hundredths dollars (\$578.53) be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of text-books used in Union School District.

SECT. 2. This resolution shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed March 28, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING ONE HUNDRED EIGHTEEN AND
NINETY-THREE ONE-HUNDREDTHS DOLLARS (\$118.93) FOR TEXT-
BOOKS USED IN PENACOOK SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one hundred eighteen and ninety-three one-hundredths dollars be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of text-books used in Penacook School District.

SECT. 2 This resolution shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed March 28, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION EXEMPTING FROM TAXATION FOR A TERM OF TEN YEARS CERTAIN NEW CAPITAL AND PROPERTY OF JOHN SWENSON.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

WHEREAS, It is represented that John Swenson proposes to erect a new stone-cutting shed similar to the one erected by him in 1906, such shed to be equipped with electrical cranes, hoisting engines, compressed air plant, a modern blacksmithing plant and new derricks and to construct a spur railroad track from his sheds to the quarries in Rattlesnake Hill and thus render possible the utilizing of stone which has heretofore been classed as waste, and

WHEREAS, It is believed that these additions and improvements will be of special benefit to this city and the citizens thereof; now therefore

Voted, That said John Swenson be, and hereby is, exempted from taxation for a period of ten years from the date of the passage of this resolution upon the new stone-cutting shed to be erected by him, and upon the fixtures and appliances installed therein, and upon the spur railroad track to be constructed by him from his sheds to the quarries in Rattlesnake Hill, and upon any new and additional capital invested in such stone-cutting shed and in said railroad spur.

Passed March 28, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR WORK ON SOUTH STREET.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of two thousand dollars be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated to be expended by the street commissioner on South Street in grading said street and rebuilding it with gravel; the work on said South Street to begin at the Bow line and extend northerly on said street until the sum hereby appropriated is expended.

Passed March 28, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A FIRE ALARM BOX AT SOUTH FRUIT AND CLINTON STREETS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two hundred dollars be, and hereby is,

appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of installing a fire alarm box at South Fruit and Clinton Streets; said sum to be expended under the direction of the chief of the fire department.

Passed April 11, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR THE PURCHASE OF A HORSE FOR THE CENTRAL FIRE STATION.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the sum of three hundred dollars be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of a horse for the Central Fire Station; said sum to be expended under the direction of the chief of the fire department.

Passed April 11, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING FIFTEEN DOLLARS (\$15) FOR A PLAYGROUND IN WARD TWO.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of fifteen dollars be, and hereby is, appropriated to hire the Culver pasture, so-called, for a playground. The amount hereby appropriated shall be charged to the account of incidentals and land damages and shall be expended under the direction of the alderman from Ward Two.

Passed May 9, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO COAL, WOOD AND ICE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the committee on finance be, and hereby are, directed to ask for bids for supplying the city with coal, wood and ice for the ensuing year, and that said committee have full power to accept or reject any bids offered.

Passed May 9, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR PLAYGROUND PURPOSES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purposes of equipping, maintaining and supervising a playground during the season of 1910 at some point within the city. Said sum shall be expended, together with the money appropriated by the Concord Woman's Club and any other money which may be voluntarily given for the same purposes, by a committee consisting of Alderman Cressy on behalf of the city council, Mrs. Susan C. Bancroft on behalf of the Concord Woman's Club, and F. W. Teague, which committee shall have full power with reference to the disposition of said money and the locating and management of said playground.

Passed May 9, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THIRTY-EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY-EIGHT AND SEVENTY-ONE HUNDREDTHS DOLLARS (\$3,898.71) TO PAY FOR THE REAL ESTATE SOLD TO THE CITY OF CONCORD FOR UNPAID TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1909.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of thirty-eight hundred ninety-eight and seventy-one hundredths dollars (\$3,898.71) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the amount due the city of Concord for real estate purchased at the tax collector's sale of real estate, for the unpaid taxes for the year 1909.

Passed June 13, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO A TEMPORARY LOAN NOT EXCEEDING SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$60,000).

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the committee on finance are hereby authorized to borrow on the credit of the city a sum not to exceed sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000), for current expenses in anticipation of taxes for the year 1910, upon such terms and for such amounts as the committee shall determine.

Passed June 13, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR A DISCOUNT OF TAXES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That a discount of two per cent. shall be allowed on all taxes assessed for the year 1910, paid on or before the fifteenth day of July, 1910.

Passed June 13, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION FOR FURNISHINGS IN CITY HALL BUILDING.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That a sum not to exceed three hundred dollars (\$300) be, and hereby is, appropriated for the purchase of cork carpet for the several offices in the City Hall building, the same to be expended under the direction of the committee on lands and buildings and charged to the account of incidentals and land damages.

Passed July 11, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$2,000) FOR INCIDENTALS AND LAND DAMAGES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for incidentals and land damages.

Passed July 11, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000) FOR PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for printing and stationery.

Passed July 11, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY RECEIVED FROM THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE ON ACCOUNT OF STATE HIGHWAY TO THE ACCOUNT OF ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) received from the state of New Hampshire on account of the state highway be, and hereby is, appropriated to the account of the roads and bridges to be expended on permanent work on Penacook Road.

Passed July 11, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION FOR THE PURCHASE OF A MOTOR CYCLE FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That a sum not to exceed three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350) be, and hereby is, appropriated from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of a four-cylinder, two-speed, with transmission and clutch, motor cycle for the use of the police department.

SECT. 2. That said purchase be made by the mayor and city marshal.

Passed July 11, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION TO REIMBURSE HENRY IVEY AND JOSEPH S. MATTHEWS, AGENT, FOR TAXES ERRONEOUSLY ASSESSED.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of six and eighty-five one-hundredths dollars be, and the same hereby is, appropriated to reimburse Henry Ivey in the sum of two and twenty-five one-hundredths dollars and Joseph S. Matthews, agent, in the sum of four and sixty one-hundredths dollars, the same being on account of poll taxes assessed against Henry Ivey for the years 1906, 1907 and 1908, he being seventy years of age prior to said assessment, to wit: on the twentieth day of October, 1905. This appropriation to be charged to the account of incidentals and land damages.

Passed August 8, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN AMENDMENT OF A JOINT RESOLUTION ENTITLED
“A JOINT RESOLUTION FOR THE PURCHASE OF A MOTOR CYCLE FOR
THE POLICE DEPARTMENT,” PASSED JULY 11, 1910.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That section 1 of a joint resolution, entitled “A joint resolution for the purchase of a motor cycle for the police department,” passed July 11, 1910, be, and hereby is, amended by inserting after the word “cycle” in the fourth line thereof the following: “or such other type of motor cycle as may seem best to the mayor and city marshal.”

Passed August 8, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$800) FOR THE SUPPORT OF CITY POOR.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of eight hundred dollars (\$800) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the support of city poor.

Passed August 8, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY RECEIVED FROM THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE ON ACCOUNT OF STATE HIGHWAY TO THE ACCOUNT OF ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of nine hundred ninety-eight and eighty-eight one-hundredths dollars (\$998.88) received from the state of New Hampshire on account of the state highway be, and hereby is, appropriated to the account of roads and bridges to be expended on permanent work on Penacook Road.

Passed September 12, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR COMPLETING MACADAM ON MAIN STREET, PENACOOK.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars (\$450) be, and hereby is, appropriated from any money in the treasury not other-

wise appropriated for the purpose of completing the macadam on Main Street, Penacook, from the iron bridge to the Boscawen line. The money above appropriated to be expended under the direction of the commissioner of highways.

Passed September 12, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR THE PURCHASE OF HOSE FOR THE USE OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of one hundred dollars be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of one hundred feet of white Anchor Brand $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch rubber hose with Leonard couplings for chemical engine use. Said money to be expended under the direction of the chief of the fire department.

Passed September 12, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR THE PURCHASE OF FIRE HOSE FOR THE USE OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of five hundred feet of $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cotton rubber-lined Paragon fire hose for the use of the fire department. Said money to be expended under the direction of the chief of the fire department.

Passed September 12, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING ONE HUNDRED FIVE DOLLARS (\$105) FOR FIRE ALARM BOX, PENACOOK.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of one hundred five dollars (\$105) be, and hereby is, appropriated out of the appropriation for incidentals and land damages, for the purchase of a fire alarm box for Penacook.

Passed October 10, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING TWENTY-FOUR AND THIRTY-TWO ONE-HUNDREDTHS DOLLARS TO REIMBURSE MR. J. E. PECKER FOR TAXES ERRONEOUSLY ASSESSED.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of twenty-four and thirty-two one-hundredths dollars (\$24.32) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated to reimburse Mr. J. E. Pecker for taxes paid by him to the city of Concord, the same having been erroneously assessed. The amount hereby appropriated shall be charged to the account of incidentals and land damages.

Passed November 14, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE GIFT OF LAND FOR A PLAYGROUND FROM HON. JOHN KIMBALL.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the city of Concord accept the gift of Hon. John Kimball of land in Ward Nine for use as a playground, and that a committee of two be appointed by His Honor the Mayor, to draft and convey in person to Mr. Kimball appropriate resolutions expressing the thanks of the City Council for said gift.

Passed November 14, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION FOR THE PURCHASE OF LAND.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of three hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$375) be, and hereby is, appropriated for the purchase of two parcels of land from the heirs of Richard Bradley, late of said Concord, deceased, a part or the whole of which is to be added to a parcel of land on North State Street donated by the Hon. John Kimball for the purpose of establishing a playground, to be known as the John Kimball Playground.

That said appropriation be charged to the account of incidentals and land damage.

Passed November 14, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE AUDITORIUM.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

WHEREAS, The lease of the Auditorium to F. W. Hartford will expire in December, 1910, the question of whether the lease shall be renewed, or what disposition shall be made of the Auditorium after the expiration of said lease, is hereby referred to the mayor and committee on lands and buildings with full power to act as in their judgment shall seem for the best interest of the city.

Passed November 14, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF LAND NORTH OF THE LOT OCCUPIED BY THE CENTRAL FIRE STATION.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the committee on lands and buildings be and is hereby authorized and instructed to procure by purchase from the owner thereof the tract of land lying immediately north of the Central Fire Station, together with rights of way leading therefrom to State and Warren Streets, at a cost not exceeding three thousand five hundred dollars, the deed to be approved by the city solicitor; and that the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of said land.

Passed December 12, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR THE PURCHASE OF A CHEMICAL ENGINE FOR EAST CONCORD.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That a sum not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of a chemical engine for East Concord and to be expended under the direction of the committee on fire department.

Passed December 27, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR A PAIR OF SWING HARNESES FOR THE PIONEER ENGINE COMPANY, WARD ONE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of one hundred dollars be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of a pair of swing harnesses for the Pioneer Engine Company, Ward One.

Passed December 30, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE DISCONTINUANCE OF A PART OF CHURCH STREET.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the portion of Church Street lying between the easterly line of Fiske Street, so-called, and the westerly line of North Main Street, laid out by the board of mayor and aldermen in 1863, be and hereby is discontinued.

Passed December 30, 1910.

A JOINT RESOLUTION TO REIMBURSE I. N. ABBOTT AND ELIZABETH GRIFFIN, I. N. ABBOTT, AGENT, FOR TAXES ERRONEOUSLY ASSESSED.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of seventeen and thirty-eight one-hundredths dollars (\$17.38) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated to reimburse I. N. Abbott in the sum of eight and sixty-nine one-hundredths dollars (\$8.69) and Elizabeth Griffin, I. N. Abbott, agent, in the sum of eight and sixty-nine one-hundredths dollars (\$8.69), for taxes paid by them to the city of Concord, the same having been erroneously assessed. The amount hereby appropriated shall be charged to the account of incidentals and land damages.

Passed January 9, 1911.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR DEFICIENCIES IN THE
SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the sum of eight thousand five hundred thirty-one and thirty-eight one-hundredths dollars (\$8,531.38) be, and hereby is, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay outstanding claims as follows:

City poor	\$344.92
Fire department	1,363.54
Incidentals and land damages.....	2,633.28
Interest, cemetery trust funds.....	68.51
Police and watch.....	793.47
Public library95
Repairs, buildings	28.71
Salaries	3,298.00
	\$8,531.38

SECT. 2. That there be transferred to the appropriation for sewers for the year 1910, the sum of eight and seventy-five one-hundredths dollars (\$8.75), the same being the earnings of this department.

SECT. 3. That there be transferred to the appropriation for garbage for the year 1910, the sum of two hundred thirty-nine and forty one-hundredths dollars (\$239.40), the same being the earnings of this department.

SECT. 4. That there be transferred to the appropriation for highway department for the year 1910, the sum of six hundred sixty-nine and fifty-four one-hundredths dollars (\$669.54), the same being the earnings of this department.

SECT. 5. This resolution shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed January 9, 1911.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1910-1911.

Inaugurated fourth Tuesday in January, biennially.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR.

Elected biennially in November by the people. Salary, \$1,000 per annum.

HON. CHARLES J. FRENCH.

Office: City Hall, Room 4.

ALDERMEN.

Elected biennially in November by the voters of each ward. Salary, \$75 per annum, with additional \$10 to Committee on Accounts and Claims.

Ward 1—EVERETT L. DAVIS.

WALTER H. ROLFE.

Ward 2—WESLEY O. FIELD.

Ward 3—OMAR S. SWENSON.

Ward 4—FRED I. BLACKWOOD.

FRED G. CROWELL.

GEORGE M. KIMBALL.

Ward 5—GEORGE D. WALDRON.

EDWARD M. COGSWELL.

Ward 6—ELMER H. FARRAR.

HARRY R. CRESSY.

FRANK W. BETTON.

Ward 7—ALFRED H. WALKER.

FRANK S. PUTNAM.

GEORGE A. WOOSTER.

Ward 8—HOWARD F. HILL.

Ward 9—FREDERICK A. JORDAN.

TIMOTHY M. CASEY.

CITY CLERK.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1,200 per annum.

HENRY E. CHAMBERLIN.

Office: City Hall.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Elected biennially in November by voters of each ward. Salary, \$40 per annum, with additional \$10 to Committee on Accounts and Claims, and \$20 to President.

PRESIDENT—EDWARD K. WOODWORTH.

Ward 1—BERT M. WEEKS.

WILLIAM F. HOYT.

Ward 2—EVERETT L. CURTIS.

Ward 3—MATTHEW H. PEABODY.

Ward 4—FREDERICK H. HILL.

ROBERT F. KEANE.

ELWIN L. PAGE.

Ward 5—EDWARD K. WOODWORTH.

NATHANIEL W. HOBBS.

Ward 6—HENRY O. POWELL.

THOMAS J. DYER.

JOHN C. TILTON.

Ward 7—A. L. PELISSIER.

CHARLES R. DAVISON.

ALBERT W. THOMPSON.

Ward 8—MICHAEL J. LEE.

Ward 9—JAMES J. HALLIGAN.

HARRY D. CRAIGUE.

CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

JAMES W. McMURPHY,

31 South.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

- On Accounts and Claims*—Aldermen Swenson, Blackwood, Casey; Councilmen Dyer, Frederick H. Hill, Keane.
- On Finance*—The Mayor; Aldermen Howard F. Hill, Swenson, Blackwood; the President of the Council; Councilmen Page, Hobbs, Tilton.
- On Fire Department*—Aldermen Putnam, Farrar, Rolfe; Councilmen Powell, Peabody, Thompson.
- On Lands and Buildings*—Aldermen Kimball, Wooster, Field; President of the Council; Councilmen Weeks, Pelissier.
- On Lighting Streets*—Aldermen Jordan, Cressy, Walker; Councilmen Davison, Powell, Lee.
- On Public Instruction*—Aldermen Casey, Waldron, Crowell; Councilmen Tilton, Pelissier, Hoyt.
- On Roads and Bridges*—Aldermen Cogswell, Walker, Putnam; Councilmen Hobbs, Curtis, Halligan.

STANDING COMMITTEES IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

- On Bills, Second Reading*—Aldermen Howard F. Hill, Cressy.
- On Elections and Returns*—Aldermen Waldron, Crowell.
- On Engrossed Ordinances*—Aldermen Cressy, Betton.
- On Police and License*—Aldermen Swenson, Wooster.
- On Sewers and Drains*—The Mayor; Aldermen Crowell, Jordan, Betton, Davis.
- On Streets and Sidewalks*—The Mayor; Aldermen Kimball, Davis, Field.

STANDING COMMITTEES IN COMMON COUNCIL.

- On Bills, Second Reading*—Councilmen Dyer, Page.

On Elections and Returns—Councilmen Frederick H. Hill,
Craigie.

On Engrossed Ordinances—Councilmen Weeks, Thompson.

CITY TREASURER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Bond to the acceptance of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, \$250 per annum.

WILLIAM F. THAYER.

Office: First National Bank.

CITY ENGINEER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1,600 per annum.

WILL B. HOWE.

Office: City Hall.

CITY MESSENGER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$800 per annum.

EDWARD M. PROCTOR.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

Elected annually in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Bond within six days to satisfaction of the board. Salary, five mills for each dollar of first \$60,000; seven and one-half mills for each dollar over \$60,000.

WENDELL P. LADD.

Office: City Hall.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

PRESIDENT—REV. JOHN VANNEVAR, D. D.

SECRETARY—ALICE M. NIMS.

MODERATOR—JOHN B. ABBOTT.

CLERK—LOUIS C. MERRILL.

AUDITORS—JOHN GEORGE.

H. H. METCALF.

Three elected annually in March by voters of Union School District.

DENNIS E. SULLIVAN,	Term expires March, 1911
FANNY E. MINOT,	“ “ “ 1911
OMAR S. SWENSON,	“ “ “ 1911
EDWARD C. NILES,	“ “ “ 1912
WILLIAM H. SAWYER,	“ “ “ 1912
CARRIE E. EVANS,	“ “ “ 1912
JOHN VANNEVAR,	“ “ “ 1913
HARRY H. DUDLEY,	“ “ “ 1913
ALICE M. NIMS,	“ “ “ 1913

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Appointed annually in July by Board of Education.

LOUIS J. RUNDLETT.

Office: Parker School Building, School Street.

FINANCIAL AGENT.

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

LOUIS J. RUNDLETT.

Office: Parker School Building.

PENACOOK SCHOOL DISTRICT.

One member of Board of Education elected annually in March by voters of district.

HARRY G. ROLFE,	Term expires March, 1911
HENRY A. BROWN,	“ “ “ 1912
HENRY C. HOLBROOK,	“ “ “ 1913

TOWN DISTRICT.

Comprising all districts in the city except Union School District and Penacook School District. Elected annually in March by voters of district.

IRVING T. CHESLEY,	Term expires March, 1911
JUDSON F. HOIT,	“ “ “ 1912
ALBERT SALTMARSH,	“ “ “ 1913

TRUANT OFFICER.

GEORGE N. FELLOWS.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.**TRUSTEES.**

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, none.

Ward 1—CHARLES H. SANDERS.
Ward 2—CHARLES E. STANIELS.
Ward 3—PAUL R. HOLDEN.
Ward 4—FRANK W. ROLLINS.
Ward 5—AMOS J. SHURTLEFF.
Ward 6—REUBEN E. WALKER.
Ward 7—WILLIAM W. FLINT.
Ward 8—EDSON J. HILL.
Ward 9—GEORGE V. HILL.

LIBRARIAN.

Elected annually by trustees of library. Salary, \$1,000 per annum.

GRACE BLANCHARD.

ASSISTANTS.

Salary, \$450 per annum.

CLARA F. BROWN. HELEN C. CLARKE.

MARY W. DENNETT.

Fowler Library Building.

ASSESSORS.

Elected biennially by voters of each ward. Salary, \$3 per day of actual service.

Ward 1—OLIVER J. FIFIELD.

Ward 2—WILLIAM A. COWLEY.

Ward 3—JOSEPH E. SHEPARD.

Ward 4—GEORGE W. PARSONS.

Ward 5—GEORGE A. FOSTER.

Ward 6—OSRO M. ALLEN.

Ward 7—JOHN H. QUIMBY.

Ward 8—WILLIAM A. LEE.

Ward 9—JAMES J. DONEGAN.

CITY WATER WORKS.

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Two appointed annually in March, for four years, by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, none.

CHARLES J. FRENCH, MAYOR, *ex-officio*.

EDSON J. HILL,	Term expires March 31,	1911
G. D. B. PRESCOTT,	“ “ “	1911
HENRY E. CONANT,	“ “ “	1912
H. C. HOLBROOK,	“ “ “	1912
SOLON A. CARTER,	“ “ “	1913
HARLEY B. ROBY,	“ “ “	1913
N. E. MARTIN,	“ “ “	1914
H. H. DUDLEY,	“ “ “	1914

PRESIDENT—SOLON A. CARTER.

CLERK—EDSON J. HILL.

SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER WORKS.

Elected annually in April by Water Commissioners. Salary, \$1,600 per annum.

PERCY R. SANDERS.

Office: City Hall.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CHIEF ENGINEER.

Appointed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Term, unlimited. Salary, \$1,250 per annum and rent of house.

WILLIAM C. GREEN.

ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

Appointed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Term unlimited

FOR PRECINCT.

Salary, \$125 each per annum.

JOHN J. McNULTY.

WALTER J. COFFIN.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

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FOR PENACOOK.

Salary, \$25 per annum.

FRED M. DODGE.

FOR EAST CONCORD.

Salary, \$20 per annum.

ELBRIDGE EMERY.

FOR WEST CONCORD.

Salary, \$20 per annum.

GEORGE W. KEMP.

STEWARD FIRE STATION, PENACOOK.

Appointed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

JOHN B. DODGE.

STEWARD FIRE STATION, EAST CONCORD.

CHARLES P. WHITE.

STEWARD FIRE STATION, WEST CONCORD.

FRANK C. BLODGETT.

SUPERINTENDENT OF CITY CLOCKS.

Appointed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, \$85 per annum.

JOHN P. PAIGE.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.**POLICE JUSTICE.**

Appointed by Governor and Council. Salary, \$1,000 per annum, fixed by City Council.

GEORGE M. FLETCHER.

Office: Police Station.

SPECIAL POLICE JUSTICE.

Appointed by Governor and Council. Salary, \$2 per day of actual service.

BENJAMIN W. COUCH.

CITY SOLICITOR.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$500 per annum.

EDMUND S. COOK.

Office: 88 North Main Street.

CLERK OF POLICE COURT.

Appointed by Police Justice. Salary, \$200 per annum, fixed by the Legislature.

RUFUS H. BAKER.

CITY MARSHAL.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Term, unlimited. Bond of \$1,000 required. Salary, \$1,200 per annum.

GEORGE A. S. KIMBALL.

Office: Police Station.

ASSISTANT MARSHAL.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Term, unlimited. Salary, \$975 per annum.

CHARLES H. ROWE.

REGULAR POLICE AND NIGHT WATCH.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Salary, \$900 per annum.

DANIEL S. FLANDERS, Captain of Night Watch.

Salary, \$925 per annum.

Samuel L. Batchelder,	Samuel Rodd,
Victor I. Moore,	George H. Silsby,
Irvin B. Robinson,	Elmer J. Brown,
Hoyt Robinson,	Albert W. Braley,
Christopher T. Wallace,	Harry L. Woodward,
	Edward J. McGirr.

SPECIAL RESERVE OFFICERS.

THOMAS P. DAVIS, Captain and Drill Master.

O. H. Bean,	George G. Allen,
W. A. Little,	Charles E. Kelley,
William H. H. Patch,	Joseph A. Flanders,
Alvin H. Urann,	Fred S. Pendleton,
Fred H. Clifford,	Harry F. Jones,
Fred N. Marden,	George E. Drury,
Charles W. Hall,	Harper B. Giles,
Joseph A. Silva,	George N. Fellows.

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Salary, \$2.25 each per day of actual service.

Almah C. Leavitt,	Elmer Twombly,
Richard P. Sanborn,	Charles E. Palmer,
Henry C. Mace,	Ira C. Phillips,
Justus O. Clark,	W. H. Meserve,
George W. Waters,	Moses T. Rowell,
Henry A. Rowell,	Frank W. Johnson,
Joseph C. Eaton,	Judson F. Hoit,
Alphonso Venne,	Fred S. Sargent,
Edward M. Nason,	Milton Colby,
Charles M. Norris,	Asbury F. Tandy,
William H. Richardson,	Henry J. Durrell,
William H. Hammond,	George W. Chesley,
James W. Lane,	Harry E. Stevens,
Frank E. Gale,	Edward M. Proctor,
Edward A. Moulton,	James F. Tabor,
Charles Ada,	John G. Solchow,
George W. Brown,	Clarence W. Brown,
George L. Danforth,	Nelson Forrest,
Arthur J. Taylor,	John McGirr,
Alfred H. Walker,	Joseph E. Silvia,
Walter H. Beane,	Leeson O. Tarleton,
Harper P. Giles,	Edward H. Smart.

STREET DEPARTMENT.**COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.**

Elected annually in January by City Council. Bond, \$3,000. Salary, \$1,600 per annum.

ALFRED CLARK.

Office: City Hall.

LICENSED DRAIN LAYERS.

Appointed annually in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. No salary.

William Rowell,	William A. Lee,
Simeon Partridge,	Richard J. Lee,
Miles F. Farmer,	Francis W. Presby,
J. Henry Sanborn,	Patrick A. Clifford,
Zeb F. Swain,	Seth R. Hood,
George S. Milton,	Albert S. Trask,
Michael J. Lee,	William L. Regan,
B. Frank Varney,	Frederick T. Converse,
John E. Frye,	Charles W. Bateman,
W. Arthur Bean,	Frederick Booth,
Willis H. Robbins,	Benjamin H. Orr,
George N. Berry,	Elmer E. Babb,
William H. McGuire,	George W. Chesley,
P. Henry D. Leary,	Harry H. Kennedy,
John Sweeney,	Arthur W. Buntin,
Charles L. Fellows,	Alfred Ford,
John R. Hall,	F. F. Converse,
Henry Rolfe,	Harris S. Parmenter,
Henry P. Cilley,	Alex Ralph,
G. Arthur Nichols,	Manley W. Morgan,
Fred L. Plummer,	Philip King,
John H. Clark,	Henry Riley,
	Fred W. Lang.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Elected biennially in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Ward 1—WALTER H. ROLFE, Penacook.

Salary, \$30 per annum.

Ward 2—WESLEY O. FIELD, East Concord.

Salary, \$10 per annum.

Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9—HENRY E. CHAMBERLIN,

City Hall.

Salary, \$350 per annum.

CITY PHYSICIAN.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$450 per annum.

DR. CHARLES H. COOK.

Office: 37 Green Street.

ASSISTANT CITY PHYSICIAN.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$50 per annum.

DR. E. U. SARGENT.

Office: Penacook.

HEALTH OFFICERS.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, none.

CHARLES J. FRENCH, MAYOR, *ex-officio*.

DR. CHARLES H. COOK, *ex-officio*.

DR. FRED A. SPRAGUE.

SANITARY OFFICER AND INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1,400 per annum.

CHARLES E. PALMER.

Office: City Hall.