MINUTES SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF
ALDERMEN AT TOWN HALL, AT 9:00 P.M.
SEPTEMBER 26, 1944

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Mayor Madry presided over this meeting with the following members of the Board of Aldermen Present: Messers Burch, Strowd, Bowman, Fitch, Hobbs, and Wettach. The meeting was called for the purpose of trying to assist Mr. Harward, of the Durham Road Diary in regard to the threatened strike by producers who furnished Mr. Harward with milk for distribution to the people of Chapel Hill. He had received a letter from them stating that unless they received $4.40 per hundred pounds for their milk, the price the producers received in Durham, they would cease to sell milk to him after October 2nd. He had made appeals to the OPA for authority to increase his price to the producers, but had not been granted this request. After a lengthy discussion by members of the Board and by representatives of the Local Price Panel, Alderman Bowman made a motion that the Mayor, together with Mr. J. W. Umstead, Dr. Richardson, Dr. Heer, meet with Mr. Johnson, District OPA Officer, in Raleigh, present the petition from the dairymen and try to get some relief. This was seconded by Alderman Fitch, and was unanimously adopted by the Board.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

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Clerk