

Chapel Hill, N.C.
October 23, 1950.

Mr. Thomas D. Rose, Mgr.,
Town of Chapel Hill, N.C.
City.

Dear Mr. Rose:

Following is a report of the activities of the Chapel Hill Fire Dept.
for the months of August, September & October, 1950.

- Aug. 17, 1:15 P.M. Call to Emerson Field. Automobile Fire. No Damage.
- Aug. 22 7:20 P.M. Call to Kenan Dorm. Automobile Fire. Car driven
with brakes on. No Damage. Alarm #34
- Sept. 23 2:53 P.M. Call to George Austin Res. N Graham St. Bed and
mattress on fire. Damage \$25.00
- Oct. 5. 9:30 P.M. Call to 231 Jackson Circle. Oil Stove. No Damage
No Alarm.
- Oct. 7 12:15 P.M. Call to Harry's Grill E. Franklin St. Stove on
fire. No Damage. No Alarm.
- Oct. 7 4:30 P.M. Cement mixer at New Hospital Savings Bldg.
No Damage. No Alarm.
- Oct. 9 6:10 A.M. Gas truck turned over on Pittsboro Road, and burned.
Truck went to scene of fire but could do no good so returned to
station. On Oct 10th went to scene of wreck and stood by while
gasoline tank was loaded on truck and taken off. No Alarm.
- Oct. 10 4:15 P.M. Call to Charlie Foster res. on Cotton Street. Roof on
fire. probably from spark. Very little damage. Alarm #17
- Oct. 14 12:20 A.M. Call to Mrs Herndon res on N. Columbia Street. Bed
and mattress on fire. Smoking in Bed. No Alarm. Damage \$87.00.

During Fire Prevention Week we called for a Drill at the School House.
All pupils out of the building in less than 1½ minutes, which was very good.

The Barbeque and Brunswick stew supper was enjoyed by all. We should have
these get togethers more often.

Respectfully submitted,

P. R. Perry
P. R. Perry, Chief

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Minutes Regular Meeting
Board of Alderman--Chapel Hill, N. C.
October 23, 1950

The regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held in the Town Hall on October 23rd at 8:00 P.M.

Present were Mayor Lanier, Aldermen Fitch, Hobbs, Burch, Davis, and Putnam, Town Manager Rose, Town Attorney Hinshaw, and Town Auditor Peacock.

Mr. Rose read a letter from the Chapel Hill School Board in answer to a request for a school attendance officer from the Negro Civic Club, which had been referred to the School Board. They stated that no funds were available in the school budget for a truant officer for the current year. Mr. Rose was requested to send a copy of this letter to the members of the Negro Civic Club.

The Fire Chief's report for the months of August, September, and October was read by Mr. Rose.

Mr. Peacock gave the auditor's report for the month of September, and stated that he had examined the vouchers for September and had found them to be in order with the exception of one small item for gravel, which was not accompanied by an invoice.

Mr. Rose reported that he had talked with the bus driver of the Chapel Hill Transit Lines, Inc., and he said that Mr. Hastings was giving up the busses and going to Florida. The bus driver stated that he was operating on a cash basis and asked that he be allowed to run until Mr. Muirhead comes back from Scotland. Mr. Rose said that he then called Mr. Copeland of the Lennox Development Corporation in Durham, and Mr. Copeland stated that Mr. Muirhead was very anxious to keep the busses running and that he would make sure that the insurance was still in force. Under these conditions, Mr. Rose stated that he is allowing the busses to continue running until a new franchise can be drawn up.

Mr. Rose presented each member with a copy of a proposed permit for use of the town buildings. It was thought that when the permit is approved, there should be three copies--one of the Town Manager's office, one for the Police Department, and one to present

to the users. Also, it was suggested that there should be a notation making the users responsible for the building during the time of their meeting. Mr. Fitch suggested that it might be advantageous to make out an application in preference to a permit.

Mr. Hobbs brought up the question of building a wall and planting trees in the point leading to the Airport Road, as he said that this was, at the present, an unsightly spot. Mr. Rose was asked to look into this and present an estimate of the cost to the Board.

Mr. Putnam reported that the Jaycees had put up about 120 street markers without any difficulty, and that they hoped to complete the job without too much delay.

Mr. Lanier stated that he had been to Raleigh, North Carolina and that it had been brought to his attention that the minutes of the Board of Alderman was handled in a different manner from that of the Chapel Hill Board of Alderman. It is the practice there for the Clerk to make a copy of the minutes and send it out to each member, to be read before the meeting and approved, or corrected, at the following meeting. Mr. Lanier stated that he mentioned this only as a thought for the future.

Mr. Lanier presented a letter from the North Carolina Department of Public Welfare in which they stated that the Military Order of the Purple Heart had not been licensed to solicit funds in the State of North Carolina. They stated in this letter that this organization had been notified last year and this year that they were not eligible for a license.

Upon motion of Mr. Putnam, seconded by Mr. Davis, and unanimous consent, the meeting was adjourned at 8:55 P.M. o'clock.

Helen J. Gidney
Town Clerk

REPORT OF RECORDER'S COURT
FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1950

NUMBER OF CASES BEFORE THE COURT -----	107
NUMBER OF NEW CASES BEFORE THE COURT -----	90
NUMBER OF CASES CONVICTED -----	71
NUMBER OF CASES NOT GUILTY -----	8
NUMBER OF CASES NOT PROSSED -----	5
NUMBER OF CASES CALLED AND FAILED TO ANSWER -----	4
NUMBER OF CASES SENTENCED -----	2
NUMBER OF CASES APPEALED TO SUPERIOR COURT -----	1
NUMBER OF CASES TRANSFERRED TO SUPERIOR COURT, JURY TRIAL, ETC. -----	0
NUMBER OF CASES TRANSFERRED TO SUPERIOR COURT, PROBABLE CAUSE, ETC. -	3
NUMBER OF CASES NOW PENDING-----	14
NUMBER OF TRAFFIC CASES -----	49
NUMBER OF CASES CONTINUED UNDER FORMER ORDER -----	2

FINANCIAL REPORT

FUNDS ON HAND AT BEGINNING OF MONTH -----

RECEIPTS:

COURT COSTS COLLECTED -----	\$694.30
FINES COLLECTED -----	\$950.80
WITNESS FEES, ETC. -----	-----
TAX FOR STATE TREASURER -----	\$124.00
COURT COSTS FOR CARRBORO -----	\$ 23.00
TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEY HANDLED -----	\$1,792.10

DISBURSEMENTS:

TO TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL -----	\$1,645.10
TO STATE TREASURER -----	\$ 124.00
TO CARRBORO -----	\$ 23.00
TO WITNESSES -----	-----
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS -----	\$1,792.10

BALANCE ON HAND -----

POLICE REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER, 1950

SPEEDING *-----	6
RECKLESS DRIVING -----	6
DRIVING INTOXICATED -----	6
IMPROPER STATE LICENSE -----	2
IMPROPER USE OF DRIVERS LICENSE -----	2
NO DRIVERS OR CHAUFFEURS LICENSE -----	7
ALLOWING UNLICENSED OPERATOR TO OPERATE MOTOR VEHICLE -----	2
PASSING ON HILL -----	2
PASSING ON CURVE -----	2
PASSING RED LIGHT -----	2
NO REAR LIGHT -----	1
INSUFFICIENT BRAKES -----	1
PUBLIC DRUNKENNESS -----	13
AFFRAY -----	4
ASSAULT -----	1
ASSAULT WITH DEADLY WEAPON -----	2
DISORDERLY CONDUCT -----	1
ARSON -----	1
LARCENY -----	2
ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF WHISKEY -----	3
INTERFERING WITH OFFICER -----	1
WORTHLESS CHECK -----	1
NON SUPPORT -----	1
TRESPASS -----	1
ARRESTED ON CAPIAS -----	4