

Minutes of June 1st, 1914

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Trustees was held on Monday evening, June 1st, 1914 at 8:00 o'clock P. M.

Present, Trustees Atthowe, Hall, Schrader and Crisp.

Absent, Trustee Kemp.

Trustee Crisp occupied the Chair in the absence of the regular Chairman.

The minutes of the meetings of May 11th, May 22nd, and May 26th, 1914 were read and approved.

Blasting²Marin Rock Co.

Trustee Atthowe presented the following Resolution and moved its adoption, to-wit:

WHEREAS, on May 22nd, 1914, certain property owners and residents of the Town of San Anselmo presented a petition to this Board protesting against Blasting and the use of Powerful Explosives in connection with the operation of a certain Rock Quarry located on the Northerly end of Vine Avenue in said Town, said quarry being so operated under and by virtue of a certain permit heretofore issued under authority of Ordinance No. 51 of said Town, and

WHEREAS, thereafter on May 26th, 1914, the owners of said Rock Quarry(The Marin Rock Company) represented by J. E. Manning and C. A. Macomber, having appeared before this Board in response to notice duly given directing them to show cause why said permit shall not be revoked, and this Board having heard and fully considered the petition of said petitioners and having heard also the owners of said Quarry, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that by reason of the growth of population in the vicinity of said quarry, the operation of the same whereby rock is blasted therefrom by means of explosives, is a menace to life and property, and that therefore said operation of said quarry has become and does now constitute a public nuisance;

RESOLVED, that between the present time and the date hereinafter mentioned no blasting by means of explosives shall be permitted in connection with the operation of said quarry except between the hours of Five (5) o'clock and Seven (7) o'clock P. M. of any week day of each week except Saturdays, and no blasts shall be set or exploded which shall cause any rock or particles thereof to be thrown outside the immediate vicinity of said quarry, otherwise said permit hereto-

fore granted shall be summarily revoked; also that due warning be given to given to immediate residents at least fifteen minutes preceding the discharge of the blast.

RESOLVED, finally, that the permission heretofore granted the Marin Rock Company under authority of Ordinance No. 51, to operate said Rock Quarry as aforesaid be revoked, and the operation of said quarry be absolutely prohibited after December 31st, 1914.

The motion to adopt said resolution was seconded by Trustee Hall and carried by the following vote:

Ayes, Trustees Atthowe, Hall, Schrader and Crisp.

Noes, None. Absent, Trustee Kemp.

Establishment of Grades^o Redwood Road and Floribel Ave.

An ordinance establishing grades on certain streets in the Town of San Anselmo known as Redwood Road and Floribel Avenue or Park Drive, as shown on ~~an~~ un-recorded Maps of Oak Park and Floribel Park was given its first reading.

Petition-Floribel park Roads

A petition signed by residents of Floribel Park asking the co-operation of the Board in repairing the roads at the entrance to Floribel Park was read.

On motion of Trustee Atthowe, seconded by Trustee Schrader, the Board donated one-third of the cost of the repairs desired, said one-third not to exceed One Hundred Dollars.

Mosquito crusade allowance

On motion of Trustee Hall, seconded by Trustee Schrader the Board decided to continue to pay its pro rata of inspection expense to Mr. Steeley in his mosquito crusade.

Town Recorder-Health officer

The matter of placing the Recorder on a Salary and of the appointment of a Health officer was discussed and laid over till the next meeting for action.

4th of July Committee

Mrs. Geo. M. Smith and Mr. H. O. Meyers were appointed members of the 4th of July committee in place of Mrs. O'Brien and Mr. A. L. Adams who declined to act.

On motion duly seconded, the meeting was then adjourned.

Read & approved June 8th 1914
Arthur W. Shudley
 Town Clerk