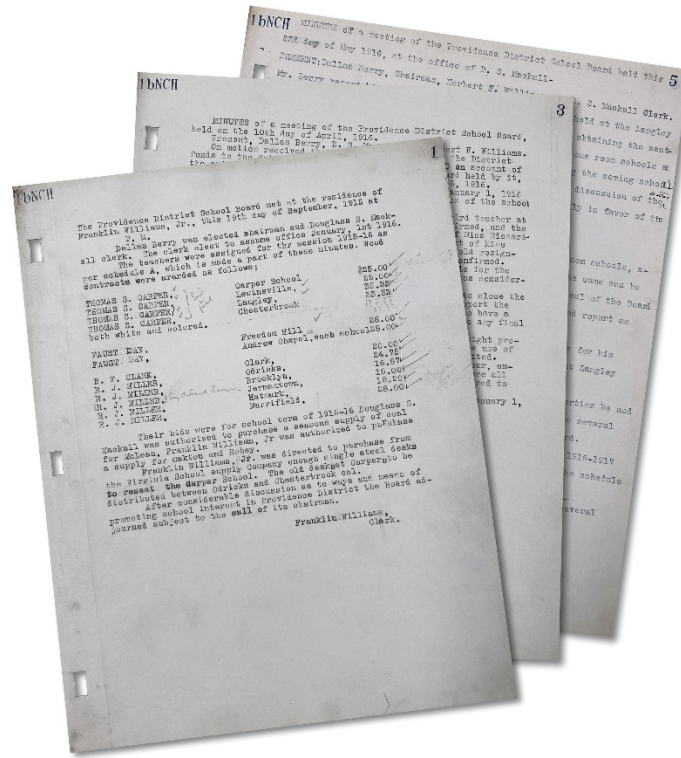


# Providence District School Board Minutes



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## A note on transcriptions:

The minute records of the Providence District School Board, originally held in a bound volume, are found today on 56 loose papers. Intermixed within these papers are assorted letters, lists of teachers, and newspaper clippings. The pages, which were numbered non-sequentially by the Providence District clerk, have been organized in this volume to appear in date order. A line-by-line transcription has been prepared to preserve the integrity and style of the original writing. To differentiate the typewritten and handwritten sections on a page, the handwritten portions appear in italics. Any indecipherable text has been notated with square brackets as to not unintentionally misspell or misrepresent a word or name.

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The teachers were assigned for the session 1915-16 as per schedule A, which is made a part of these minutes. Wood contracts were awarded as follows:

THOMAS S. CARPER, ✓	Carper School	\$25.00 ✓
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THOMAS S. CARPER, ✓	Langley, ✓	33.33 ✓
THOMAS S. CARPER, ✓	Chesterbrook	33.33 ✓
both white and colored.		
FAUST DAY, ✓	Freedom Hill =	28.00 ✓
FAUST DAY, ✓	Andrew Chapel, each school	28.00 ✓
B. F. CLARK, ✓	Clark,	20.00 ✓
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R. J. MILLER, ✓	Brooklyn,	16.87 ✓
R. J. MILLER, ✓	Jermantown,	15.00 ✓
R. J. MILLER, ✓	Hatmark,	18.20 ✓
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Present, Dallas Berry, D. S. Mackall and Herbert F. Williams.  
On motion resolved that a warrant be drawn on the District funds to the National Bank of Fairfax, for \$450.00 on account of the principal of a \$1750.00 note of the School Board held by it, \$35.00 to pay the interest on said note to April 16, 1916.

The warrants drawn on the School funds since January 1, 1916 were fully considered, as also the general condition of the school funds.

The appointment of Miss Alda Richardson as a third teacher at McLean, at a salary of \$40.00 was ratified and confirmed, and the appointment of Miss S. Helen Walcott in the place of Miss Richardson resigned was likewise confirmed. The appointment of Miss Bernice Carper in the place of Miss Leone at Merrifield resigned at a salary of \$40.00 was likewise ratified and confirmed.

The question as to whether or not it was advisable for the District to carry insurance on the school buildings was considered.

The question as to whether it would be expedient to close the one room schools at Langley, and Lewinsville and transport the children to McLean was considered and it was decided to have a public hearing at each of these places before coming to any final conclusions in the matter.

For what purposes the use of the school buildings might properly be allowed was considered, also whether or not the use of tobacco in the public school buildings should be prohibited.

The appointment of teachers, etc., for the coming year, employment of janitors, fuel contracts, finances, etc., were all fully discussed, and action on the several matters deferred to future meetings of the Board.

The payment of all warrants heretofore drawn since January 1, 1916, were ratified and confirmed.

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23rd day of May 1916, at the office of D. S. Mackall-

PRESENT: Dallas Berry, Chairman, Herbert F. Williams and D. S. Mackall Clerk.

Mr. Berry reported that after notice, public meetings were held at the Langley and Lewinsville schools, respectively, for the purpose of obtaining the sentiment of the patrons touching the suggestion to close the one room schools at these two places, and transport the pupils to McLean during the coming school year; that with few exceptions, the sentiment, after a full discussion of the matter with those present at such meetings, appeared to be decidedly in favor of the proposition.

THEREUPON on MOTION it was unanimously,

RESOLVED that this Board is in favor of closing the one room schools, aforesaid, and transporting the children to McLean provided the same can be done at a reasonable cost, and with-in the funds at the disposal of the Board for such purpose, and that the clerk of the Board ascertain and report as soon as possible, what the probable cost would be.

RESOLVED that the clerk write to the Commonwealth's Attorney for his opinion as to the character of title to the school properties at Langley and Lewinsville.

RESOLVED that during the period of vacation all school properties be and they hereby are placed under the care of the civic leagues of the several schools, subject at all times however to the control of this Board.

THEREUPON the appointment of teachers for the school year of 1916-1917 was fully considered and resulted in the appointments designated in the schedule headed "SCHEDULE of TEACHERS- 1916-1917."

After general discussion of a number of subjects relating to several schools in the District, the meeting,

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## Receipts and Disbursements OF School Funds

for the school year ending June 30, 1916, in manner and form, as required by Act of the General Assembly approved March 22, 1916:

### Centreville School District

#### RECEIPTS

Total balance on hand from preceding year.....\$	0.00
Amount received from State funds.....	2,878.24
Amount received from County school levy.....	1,958.50
Amount received from District school levy.....	1,662.23
Amount received from all other sources:	
Delinquent tax of previous years	152.25
Penalty.....	60.97
County Treasurer, overdrafts....	510.05
School patrons.....	<u>15.00</u>
Total receipts and balances,	<u>\$7,137.24</u>

#### DISBURSEMENTS

Amount paid school trustees.... \$	82.25
Amount paid County Treasurer	131.22
Amount paid 17 teachers.....	4,495.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses.....	714.22
Furniture.....	57.24
Fuel.....	289.00
Debts of former years.....	1,007.11
Janitors.....	72.00
Taking school census.....	35.50
Insurance.....	22.50
School Fair.....	23.75
Boys' Corn Club.....	7.50
Other incidentals.....	61.04
Total balance on hand.....	<u>139.91</u>
Total disbursements and balances.....	<u>\$7,137.24</u>

### Falls Church School District

#### RECEIPTS

Total balance on hand from preceding year.....	\$8,451.26
Amount received from State funds.....	3,631.05
Amount received from County school levy.....	1,498.00
Amount received from District school levy.....	2,135.84
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty.....	141.71
Delinquent tax previous years	<u>195.87</u>
Total receipts and balances	<u>\$16,053.73</u>

#### DISBURSEMENTS

Amount paid school trustees.... \$	55.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	230.91
Amount paid 14 teachers.....	4,194.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses.....	9,431.15
Furniture.....	281.47
Fuel.....	419.30
Insurance.....	94.40
Taking school census.....	49.78
School Fair.....	61.12
Telephone, express and freight	82.60
Educational Conference.....	18.30
Textbooks for children.....	3.75
Other incidentals.....	32.25
Total balances on hand.....	<u>1,099.70</u>
Total disbursements and balances.....	<u>\$16,053.73</u>

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Fuel.....	289.00
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### Drasville School District.

#### RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year.....	\$1,177.95
Amount received from State funds.....	3,403.50
Amount received from County school levy.....	2,354.50
Amount received from District school levy.....	2,024.83
Amount received from all other sources:	
Delinquent tax of previous years	111.12
Patrons for Library.....	15.00
Penalty.....	48.78
Total receipts and balances,	<u>\$9,095.78</u>

#### DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees.... \$	60.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	193.66
Amount paid 20 teachers.....	6,111.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
Real estate.....	603.00
Furniture.....	95.43
School libraries.....	25.00
School houses.....	47.59
Fuel.....	299.50
Insurance.....	70.86
Janitors.....	80.00
Taking school census.....	25.00
Boys' Corn Club.....	17.00
School Fair.....	58.78
Music.....	80.00
Attorney's fee.....	21.88
Other incidentals.....	71.01
Total balance on hand.....	<u>1,235.74</u>
Total disbursements and balances.....	<u>\$9,095.74</u>

### Mt. Vernon School District, RECEIPTS.

#### Falls Church School District.

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### Lee School District.

#### RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year.....	\$ 587.03
Amount received from State funds.....	2,864.30
Amount received from County school levy.....	1,989.00
Amount received from District school levy.....	1,831.12
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty.....	24.00
Private contributions.....	30.00
Delinquent tax previous years....	143.94
Total receipts and balances,	<u>\$6,375.61</u>

#### DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees.... \$	62.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	150.60
Amount paid 14 teachers.....	3,855.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses.....	767.49
Furniture.....	217.88
Fuel.....	177.20
Insurance.....	68.10
Taking school census.....	30.00
School Fair.....	49.77
Boys' Corn Club.....	7.50
Educational Conference.....	19.50
Attorney's fee.....	15.00
Other incidentals.....	118.33
Total balance on hand.....	<u>846.90</u>
Total disbursements and balances.....	<u>\$6,375.61</u>

### Providence School District.

#### RECEIPTS.

Total balance from preceding year.....	\$ 1,235.10
Amount received from State funds.....	5,713.43
Amount received from County school levy.....	3,704.50
Amount received from District school levy.....	3,688.14
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty.....	128.80
Loans.....	658.38
Delinquent tax previous years....	150.25
Total receipts and balances,	<u>\$14,289.68</u>

#### DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees.... \$	39.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	343.57
Amount paid 22 teachers.....	7,026.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
Repairs on school buildings....	133.05
Furniture.....	218.70
Fuel.....	792.00
Debts former years.....	2,425.95
Transportation of pupils.....	113.79
Insurance.....	128.60
Pay of janitors.....	259.50
Taking school census.....	64.00
School Fair.....	62.21
Boys' Corn Club.....	62.80
Disinfectants.....	7.50
Textbooks for children.....	2.16
Other incidentals.....	86.60
Total balance on hand.....	<u>1,026.29</u>
Total disbursements and balances.....	<u>\$14,289.68</u>

STATEMENTS OF



School Funds

for school year ending June 30, 1916, in manner and form, as required by Act of the General Assembly approved March 22, 1916.

Centreville School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year	0.00
Amount received from State funds	2,878.24
Amount received from County school levy	1,058.50
Amount received from District school levy	1,662.32
Amount received from all other sources:	
Delinquent tax of previous years	152.25
Penalty	60.97
County Treasurer, overdrafts	510.05
School patrons	15.00
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$7,137.24</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 81.25
Amount paid County Treasurer	131.22
Amount paid 17 teachers	4,495.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses	714.22
Furniture	57.24
Fuel	289.00
Debits of former years	1,007.11
Janitors	72.30
Taking school census	55.50
Insurance	22.50
School Fair	33.75
Boys' Corn Club	7.50
Other incidentals	61.04
Total balance on hand	139.91
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$7,137.24</b>

Dranesville School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year	\$1,177.95
Amount received from State funds	3,403.50
Amount received from County school levy	2,254.50
Amount received from District school levy	2,024.83
Amount received from all other sources:	
Delinquent tax of previous years	111.12
Patrons for Library	15.94
Penalty	48.94
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$9,035.74</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 60.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	193.66
Amount paid 20 teachers	6,111.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
Real estate	603.00
Furniture	55.43
School libraries	25.00
School houses	47.59
Fuel	299.50
Insurance	70.86
Janitors	80.00
Taking school census	25.00
Boys' Corn Club	17.50
School Fair	58.78
Music	80.00
Attorney's fee	21.88
Other incidentals	71.01
Total balance on hand	1,235.74
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$9,035.74</b>

Falls Church School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year	\$8,451.26
Amount received from State funds	3,631.05
Amount received from County school levy	1,408.00
Amount received from District school levy	2,135.84
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty	141.71
Delinquent tax previous years	183.87
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$16,033.73</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 55.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	230.91
Amount paid 14 teachers	4,194.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses	9,431.15
Furniture	281.47
Fuel	419.30
Insurance	94.40
Taking school census	43.78
School Fair	61.12
Telephone, express and freight	82.40
Educational Conference	18.30
Textbooks for children	5.75
Other incidentals	32.25
Total balance on hand	1,669.70
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$16,033.73</b>

Lee School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year	\$ 587.03
Amount received from State funds	2,864.50
Amount received from County school levy	1,395.00
Amount received from District school levy	1,831.12
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty	24.00
Private contributions	30.00
Delinquent tax previous years	143.94
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$6,875.61</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 62.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	150.60
Amount paid 14 teachers	3,855.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses	767.49
Furniture	217.88
Fuel	177.20
Insurance	58.10
Taking school census	30.00
School Fair	49.77
Boys' Corn Club	7.50
Educational Conference	19.50
Attorney's fee	15.00
Other incidentals	118.33
Total balance on hand	846.90
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$6,875.61</b>

Mt. Vernon School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand preceding year	\$2,298.63
Amount received from State school funds	3,457.42
Amount received from County school levy	2,263.50
Amount received from District school levy	2,458.52
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty	58.20
Patrons' contributions	87.50
Delinquent tax previous years	140.13
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$10,753.79</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 77.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	268.52
Amount paid 19 teachers	5,595.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses	1,714.62
Furniture	398.47
Architect's fees	100.00
Fuel	357.11
Tuition paid other divisions	283.90
Insurance	73.29
Telegrams, 'phone, drayage	40.73
Educational Conference	33.75
Taking school census	60.00
Boys' Corn Club	6.00
School Fair	46.78
Textbooks for children	2.26
Other incidentals	123.41
Total balance on hand	1,572.95
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$10,753.79</b>

Providence School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance from preceding year	\$ 1,235.10
Amount received from State funds	5,713.43
Amount received from County school levy	3,704.50
Amount received from District school levy	3,688.14
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty	128.80
Loans	659.38
Delinquent tax previous years	150.25
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$14,289.68</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 39.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	343.57
Amount paid 22 teachers	7,026.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
Repairs on school buildings	133.05
Furniture	218.70
Fuel	792.00
Debits former years	2,425.95
Transportation of pupils	113.79
Insurance	128.60
Pay of janitors	259.50
Taking school census	64.00
School Fair	62.21
Boys' Corn Club	62.80
Disinfectants	7.50
Boys' Corn Club	7.50
Textbooks for children	2.16
Other incidentals	86.60
Total balance on hand	1,029.29
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$14,289.68</b>

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Mt. Vernon School District		Dranesville School District	
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RECEIPTS		RECEIPTS	
Total balance on hand from preceding year	\$ 2,298.52	Total balance on hand from preceding year	\$ 1,177.95
Amount received from State funds	3,457.42	Amount received from State funds	3,403.50
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Amount received from District school levy	2,458.52	Amount received from District school levy	2,024.83
Amount received from all other sources:		Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty	58.20	Delinquent tax of previous years	111.12
Patrons' contributions	87.50	Patrons for Library	15.00
Delinquent tax previous years	130.13	Penalty	48.84
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$10,753.79</b>	<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$9,035.73</b>
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Amount spent for other incidental expenses:		Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses	1,714.62	Real estate	603.00
Furniture	398.47	Furniture	35.43
Architect's fees	100.00	School libraries	25.00
Fuel	357.11	School houses	47.59
Tuition paid other divisions	283.90	Fuel	299.30
Insurance	73.29	Insurance	70.86
Telegrams, 'phone, drayage	40.73	Janitors	80.00
Educational Conference	33.75	Taking school census	25.00
Taking school census	60.00	Boys' Corn Club	17.50
Boys' Corn Club	6.00	School Fair	58.78
School Fair	46.78	Music	80.00
Textbooks for children	2.26	Attorney's fee	21.88
Other incidentals	123.41	Other incidentals	71.01
Total balance on hand	1,572.95	Total balance on hand	1,235.74
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$10,753.79</b>	<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$9,035.74</b>



Receipts and Disbursements  
OF  
School Funds

for school year ending June 30, 1916, in  
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22, 1916.

Centreville School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year	0.00
Amount received from State funds	2,878.24
Amount received from County school levy	1,058.50
Amount received from District school levy	1,662.32
Amount received from all other sources:	
Delinquent tax of previous years	152.25
Penalty	60.97
County Treasurer, overdrafts	510.05
School patrons	15.00
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$7,137.24</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 81.25
Amount paid County Treasurer	131.22
Amount paid 17 teachers	4,495.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses	714.22
Furniture	57.24
Fuel	289.00
Debts of former years	1,007.11
Janitors	72.00
Taking school census	65.30
Insurance	22.50
School Fair	33.75
Boys' Corn Club	7.50
Other incidentals	61.04
Total balance on hand	139.91
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$7,137.24</b>

Drasville School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year	\$1,177.95
Amount received from State funds	3,403.50
Amount received from County school levy	2,254.50
Amount received from District school levy	2,024.83
Amount received from all other sources:	
Delinquent tax of previous years	111.12
Patrons for Library	15.00
Penalty	48.94
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$9,055.78</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 60.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	193.66
Amount paid 20 teachers	6,111.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
Real estate	603.00
Furniture	55.43
School libraries	25.00
School houses	47.59
Fuel	299.50
Insurance	70.86
Janitors	80.00
Taking school census	25.00
Boys' Corn Club	17.50
School Fair	58.78
Music	80.00
Attorney's fee	21.88
Other incidentals	71.01
Total balance on hand	1,235.74
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$9,055.74</b>

Falls Church School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year	\$8,451.26
Amount received from State funds	3,631.05
Amount received from County school levy	1,408.00
Amount received from District school levy	2,135.84
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty	141.71
Delinquent tax previous years	183.87
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$16,053.73</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 55.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	230.91
Amount paid 14 teachers	4,194.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses	9,431.15
Furniture	281.47
Fuel	419.30
Insurance	94.40
Taking school census	49.78
School Fair	61.12
Telephone, express and freight	82.60
Educational Conference	18.30
Textbooks for children	5.75
Other incidentals	32.25
Total balance on hand	1,669.70
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$16,053.73</b>

Lee School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand from preceding year	\$ 587.03
Amount received from State funds	2,864.30
Amount received from County school levy	1,895.00
Amount received from District school levy	1,831.12
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty	24.00
Private contributions	30.00
Delinquent tax previous years	143.94
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$6,375.61</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 62.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	150.66
Amount paid 14 teachers	3,855.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses	767.49
Furniture	217.88
Fuel	177.20
Insurance	58.10
Taking school census	30.00
School Fair	49.77
Boys' Corn Club	7.50
Educational Conference	19.50
Attorney's fee	15.00
Other incidentals	118.55
Total balance on hand	846.96
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$6,375.61</b>

Mt. Vernon School District.  
RECEIPTS.

Total balance on hand preceding year	\$2,208.63
Amount received from State school funds	3,457.42
Amount received from County school levy	2,263.50
Amount received from District school levy	2,458.52
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty	58.20
Patrons' contributions	87.50
Delinquent tax previous years	140.13
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$10,763.79</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 77.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	268.52
Amount paid 19 teachers	5,695.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
School houses	1,714.63
Furniture	298.47
Architect's fees	199.00
Fuel	357.11
Tuition paid other divisions	283.90
Insurance	73.39
Educational Conference	40.73
Taking school census	33.75
Boys' Corn Club	60.00
School Fair	6.00
Telephone, express and freight	46.78
Textbooks for children	18.30
Other incidentals	3.26
Total balance on hand	1,572.95
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$10,763.79</b>

Providence School District.

RECEIPTS.

Total balance from preceding year	\$ 1,235.10
Amount received from State funds	5,713.43
Amount received from County school levy	2,704.50
Amount received from District school levy	3,698.14
Amount received from all other sources:	
Penalty	128.80
Loans	659.39
Delinquent tax previous years	150.25
<b>Total receipts and balances</b>	<b>\$14,289.66</b>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid school trustees	\$ 39.00
Amount paid County Treasurer	343.57
Amount paid 22 teachers	7,626.00
Amount spent for other incidental expenses:	
Repairs on school buildings	133.05
School houses	218.70
Furniture	217.88
Fuel	177.20
Debts former years	2,425.95
Insurance	58.10
Transportation of pupils	113.70
Taking school census	126.60
School Fair	49.77
Boys' Corn Club	259.50
Disinfectants	62.21
Boys' Corn Club	7.50
Textbooks for children	2.16
Other incidentals	86.03
Total balance on hand	1,926.29
<b>Total disbursements and balances</b>	<b>\$14,289.66</b>

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Lee School District

RECEIPTS

Total balance on hand from preceding year	\$ 587.05
Amount received from State funds	2,364.50
Amount received from County school levy	1,395.00
Amount received from District school levy	1,831.12
Amount received from all other sources:	
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Held this 15th day of July A. D. 1916 at the office of D. S. Mackall.

PRESENT: Dallas Berry, Chairman, Herbert F. Williams and D. S. Mackall, Clerk.

Thereupon further consideration of the appointment of teachers for the coming year was had.

The application of Miss Virginia Walker for an increase in salary from \$40.00 to \$45.00 was carefully considered and the Clerk was instructed to inform Miss Walker that the Board was in favor of granting such increase provided the funds under the control of the Board would permit them to do so.

The protest of Miss Nannie B. Jones against the reduction of her salary from \$45.00 to \$40.00 per month was also considered with the result that the Clerk was instructed to inform Miss Jones that it could not pay her more than \$40.00 per month.

Thereupon Miss Issa Winsboro, of Front Royal, Va. was appointed teacher at the Merryfield School at a salary of \$40.00.

The question as to the salary of Miss Millan was thereupon considered and the Clerk was instructed to inform her that if her salary during the past year was \$45.00, the same salary would be paid her during the coming year.

Thereupon Miss Elizabeth Hight was appointed teacher at the Freedom Hill School at the salary of \$40.00 per month.

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Thereupon the account of the District School Fund was examined and the general financial condition considered so far as they could be in view of the unsettled condition of the Treasurer's accounts.

Mr. Herbert William was authorized and directed to provide fuel for the Oakton School and Mr. Mackall for the McLean School.

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Thereupon the meeting adjourned.

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SCHOOL BOARD

Held at McLean, Va. on Saturday, August 5th, 1916.

PRESENT; Dallas Berry, Chairman, Herbert F.  
Williams and D. S. Mackall, Clerk.

This was a special meeting held for the purpose of considering the bids received for the transportation of children from Langley and Lewinsville to McLean. After full consideration, the Clerk was instructed to enter into a contract with Mr. B. O. Gantt for transportation of the children as aforesaid for the sum of for the sum of Fifty-five Dollars (\$55.00) per month.

Thereupon the meeting adjourned.

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MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE PROVIDENCE DISTRICT  
SCHOOL BOARD

Held at the office of D. S. Mackall, Metropolitan Bank Building, Washington, D. C. on August 30th, 1916.

PRESENT: Mr. Herbert William and D. S. Mackall

Supt. M. D. Hall, and Mr. King and Mr. Sanderson of the Vienna Board were also present. Mr. Kind stated that the Vienna Board was anxious to make some arrangement with the Providence District Board with respect to the colored children who lived in Providence District but attended school in Vienna; that it would require two teachers to take care of the children from Providence and those in the corporate limits, etc.

After lengthy discussion of the subject, it was

RESOLVED that the Providence District School Board pledge to the Vienna School Board the sum of \$35.00 per month during the schools year of 1916-1917 with which to pay an additional teacher for colored children, with the understanding that a second teacher for colored children and proper building for teaching should be provided by Vienna, and that the colored children from Providence District should be permitted to attend the schools so established free of expense. It is further understood that during this arrangement Vienna shall be entitled to all apportionments made as a result of the enrollment and attendance in said colored schools, so as aforesaid established and maintained; that the acceptance of this proposition by the Vienna Board shall constitute <sup>contract</sup> and control between the two Boards.

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Thereupon the meeting adjourned.

Clerk

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Clerk

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE PROVIDENCE DISTRICT  
SCHOOL BOARD

Held at Fairfax County Court House on Thursday September the  
14th, 1916.

PRESENT: Mr. Dallas Berry, Herbert F. Williams  
and Mr. D. S. Mackall.

The Trustees attended the meeting of the County  
School Board and participated in the general discussion of  
school matters and adjourned to meet at the office of D. S.  
Mackall on Saturday the 16th day of September 1916 for the  
purpose of entering into contracts with teachers and such  
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The Board-----entered into contracts with all the teachers  
appointed by the School Board as per list of page 198 with the excep-  
tion of those not present.

The Board decided to meet at Fair Grounds at Fairfax on  
Friday the 22nd day of September for the purpose of considering the  
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Held at the Fair Grounds on September 22nd, 1916.

PRESENT: President, Dallas Berry, D. S. Mackall and Herbert F. Williams.

It appearing to the Board that another teacher was necessary at the McLean High School, the Clerk was authorized and directed to enter into a contract with Mrs. Grace H. Clark at a salary of \$40.00 per month as assistant teacher at McLean and he was authorized to purchase such additional furniture as might be necessary to furnish the fifth room in the school building at McLean and supplement the seating capacity in the other rooms.

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Proposals for furnishing wood to the several schools in Providence District for the season 1916-1917 were thereupon considered and the Clerk was authorized to enter into contracts as per list submitted; to be found on page 196 of this minute book.

Thereupon the Meeting Adjourned.

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PRESENT: Mr. ~~Dlass~~<sup>Dallas</sup> Berry and Mr. D. S. Mackall.  
The Clerk read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved.

All of the warrants issued since July 1, 1916 and accounts covered by such warrants were checked up and were approved.

Bill rendered by the Virginia School Supply Co. for desks purchased for Franklin Sherman High School at McLean for \$155.25, examined and ordered paid.

Mr. Mackall reported that he had attended the Patrons Day Exercises at the Chesterbrook School and that the building needed painting badly.

ORDERED that the Clerk issue a warrant to Dallas Berry for \$22.00 in payment of his expenses, etc. as a member of this Board for year ending June 30, 1916;

ORDERED that a warrant be issued to D. S. Mackall for \$39.00 in payment of his services, and expenses as Clerk for the year ending June 30, 1916;

ORDERED that a warrant be issued to Mutual Fire Insurance Co. for \$90.60, premium on fire insurance on school properties; and issue a warrant for 442.00 to Treasurer of Fairfax County, with which to pay on account of debt to Library Fund;

ORDERED that the salary of colored school teacher at Vienna be paid at rate of \$35.00 per month in pursuance of agreement with said Board.

Mr. Mackall reported that he had conferred with Mr. Ford touching the title to school property at Lewinsville, that the deed to this property dated September 18, 1893 and recorded in Liber P No. 5 page 335, contained the provision following, to wit:

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held at McLean, Virginia on Friday 1917.

PRESENT: Messrs. Berry, Williams and Mackall.

The Board spent the day in attendance on the sessions of the teachers meeting.

Messrs. Williams and Mackall reported that they had attended the meeting of the Committee of the County Board held at Fairfax Court House which had under consideration the apportionment of the County School Fund, copy of the plan of apportionment being inserted on the front page of this minute book and that on the same day they had both visited the Oakton School.

On Motion adjourned.

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Note: It is theorized this meeting was held between January 1917 and April 1917.



Minutes of a Meeting of the Board

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ALL of the members of the Board attended the meeting of the County School Board held at Fairfax on Friday April 13, 1917 when the question of the apportionment of the County Fund and other important matters were considered.

Upon motion it was resolved:

"RESOLVED that the Communication of April 13, 1917 from Messrs. M. J. Gartland, H. A. Storm and Arthur Taylor, touching the erection of a belfry on the FRANKLIN SHERMAN HIGH SCHOOL at McLean Va., at a proposed cost of One Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars (\$175) more or less, be acknowledged, and that the thanks and congratulations of the Providence District School Board be extended to these gentlemen for their efforts, resulting in so handsome and substantial an improvement as that proposed, and likewise our appreciation of the long and faithful work given to this object by these gentlemen, an appreciation in which we believe the entire neighborhood will concur.

RESOLVED further that permission is hereby granted to them to make said improvements, and that this resolution be inserted in the minutes of the Board and that a true copy be sent to them.

A. True Copy:

(sg) DALLAS BERRY  
Chairman

(sg) D. S. MACKALL,  
Clerk

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On Motion adjourned.

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On Motion adjourned.

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Minutes of a Meeting of the School Board  
Held at McLean on Saturday, May 5, 1917.

PRESENT: Messrs. Berry, Williams and Mackall.

The members of the Board attended the sessions of the teachers' meeting held on that day. Mr. Williams was authorized to secure coal for the next session at the Oakton School and Mr. Mackall to secure coal for the McLean School.

On Motion it was decided to invite the Civic Leagues to co-operate with the School Board in the selection of teachers for the coming session.

On Motion adjourned.

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Minutes of a Meeting of the School Board  
Held at McLean on Saturday, May 5, 1917.

PRESENT: Messrs. Berry, Williams and Mackall.

The members of the Board attended the sessions on the teachers' meeting held on that day. Mr. Williams was authorized to secure coal for the next session at the Oakton School and Mr. Mackall to secure coal for the McLean School.

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Applications for session of 1917-8 were thereupon considered.

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The following re-appointments were thereupon made: Miss Snead, Andrews Chapel at \$75. Principal; Miss Vivienne Mays at \$45. Carpers, Miss Sallie C. Garber, at \$50.; Chesterbrook, Miss Inez A. Anderson at \$45.; Freedom Hill, Miss Elizabeth Haight at \$45.; Hatmark, Miss Hilda I. Flohr, at \$40.; Jermantown Mrs. Ethel Hollister at \$45.; Merryfield, Miss Blanche Haines at \$40; Robey Miss Mary C. Millan at \$45.; Brooklyn Mr. Smith at \$40.; on in the case of his failure to qualify Miss Clarice Haines; Oakton Miss Virginia Walker at \$45; Miss Claudia Miller at \$45.; Miss Huntington at \$55; Clarke, Miss Ruth C. Millan or Miss Clarice Haines at \$40. - all subject to the approval of the Superintendent and possession of proper certificates, etc.

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PRESENT: Dallas Berry and D. S. Mackall.

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The warrants drawn on the several school funds were checked over and on motion approved.

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The Board was informed that Miss Browning had left Clark.

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The members of the Board attended the teachers meeting, there being held, Supt. Hall presiding.

Mr. Williams presented a communication from the Clerk of the Town of Vienna, touching the contemplated annulment of the town's charter, and in such event, of the assumption by this Board of the duties and obligations of the affairs of the School Board of Vienna. The said communication is inserted at the foot of these minutes.

## ON MOTION

RESOLVED that the Clerk of this Board acknowledge receipt of said communication, ask for further details, and report on the subject to the next meeting of the Board.

ADJOURNED.

## MINUTES OF A MEETING

of the School Board, held at McLean, Virginia, February 1, 1918.

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RESOLVED that this Board is in favor of legislation authorizing the town of Vienna to enter into an arrangement with this Board for taking over the public schools of Vienna, assuming the indebtedness incident to the same, and thereafter operating said schools as a part of this District, on terms to be mutually agreed upon by said town of Vienna, and this Board and approved by the Commonwealth's attorney and the Division Superintendent for Fairfax County, Virginia."

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- Whereas - The Vienna School District cannot make such consolidations and
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- Whereas - The Providence District School Board can give the same and better educational facilities to the children throughout all Providence District if the Vienna School District as a separate unit is abolished and combined with it, and
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- Whereas - The Council of the Town of Vienna has agreed to transfer to Providence District School Board certain school properties, to wit:

Five acres, more or less, with improvements of two school buildings now in use for the white schools and one acre, more or less, with improvements of one building, now in use for the colored schools, together with all furnishings contained therein as of June 30, 1918.

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- And be it further resolved, That a copy of this resolution, with draft of bill, be forwarded to the representative in the State Legislature from this district with the request it be given diligent attention, and
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Present: Messrs. Berry, Williams and Mackall, also Mr. M. D. Hall,  
Supt.

Mr. Berry stated that written protests against the reappointment of Miss Pulliam and Miss Dowdy having been filed with the Board, the meeting had been called after notice to those protesting for the purpose of considering the nature of the charges etc.

There was a considerable number of patrons present, and some of them stated in detail the reasons why these ladies were objectionable. The objections seemed to be rather vague and indefinite.

After the public hearing was ended the Board considered the matter and in view of the fact that both of these teachers had written to the Board that they would not consider reappointment, it was  
RESOLVED that in view of the fact that Miss Pulliam and Miss Dowdy had advised the Board that they would not consider reappointments, no further consideration of, or action on said protests should be had.

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Present: Messrs. Berry and Mackall.

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The selection of teachers was thereupon considered . Thereupon the meeting adjourned.

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Present: Messrs. Berry , Williams and Mackall.

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MAY THIRD

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Signed

Clerk

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PROVIDENCE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA.

McLean, Va., 191

MAY THIRD

Regular monthly meeting of District Board was held at Vienna May 3, 1921, all members and Div. Supt. Hall present.

> See part attached <

Plans for new building at Vienna were discussed with Architect Mitchell of Washington. It was agreed that it was feasible to use old foundation for one-story building.

On motion plans of one-story building furnished by D. P. Instruction were adopted. For lack of funds no definite steps were taken to begin the work.

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McLean, Va.

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The successful bidder will be required to give bond and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Virginia respecting contracts.

The Providence District Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of Providence District School Board this 8th. day of March 1921.

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W. G. Edmondson, Clerk.

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JUNE TWENTIETH

A call meeting of district board was held at Vienna June 20th, 1921, all members present. The purpose of meeting was payment of outstanding bills and closing accounts of scholastic year ending June 30th.

The following bills were presented and warrants ordered issued

to cover same:				
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" 74	2	.65	1 broom	J. M. Newlon
" 75	"	30.00	Expenses as trustee	H. F. Williams
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" 80	"	13.50	Wood at Oakton	Geo. Speer
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*Moved + carried that Town of V. be requested to settle with Prov. Dis. Board*

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My dear Sir:-

I have your favor relative to claim against our board infavor o f the town of Vienna and note that you will file suit for the same. Some of the officials of Vienna contend that this claim was incurred by our board when the town was merged into Providence District by act of legislature. This matter, however, is not clear to our board and we seriously doubt the legality of the claim.

Our board will be glad to avoid unnecessary expense and hope that our duty in the matter can be made clear without a suit.

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PROVIDENCE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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JULY FIFTH 1921

The Providence District Board ~~MMX~~ held regular monthly meeting at Vienna July 5th. 3. p.m., all members present.

1. Minutes of former meeting were read and approved.
2. Notice was taken of suit instituted by the town of Vienna against the board for \$2000.00 damages and correspondence pertaining thereto was read. Regret was expressed by the board at this action of the town in view of the fact that the town is ~~XXXXX~~ asking the board for school building that will cost many thousand.

On motion MR. Williams was authorized to consult an attorney and take steps to defend the board.

3. *See attached*
4. *"-----"*

5. The following bills were presented and approved:  
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JULY 5TH, 1921

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EXCERPTS MINUTES DISTRICT BOARD MEETING AT VIENNA JULY FIFTH.

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JULY 19, 1921

The providence District School Board held ~~XXXX~~ meeting at Vienna July 19, 3 p. m. All members and Div. Supt. Hall were present. The purpose of meeting was the consideration of the suit brought by the town of Vienna against the board.

1. The minutes of former meeting were read and approved.
2. The committee from the Citizens Association of Vienna were received. The committee inquired fully into the progress of the board in erecting new building at Vienna. They were informed as to the attitude and action of the board in this matter.
3. After full discussion the following resolution was offered and carried:

Resolved, That the Providence District Board request the town of Vienna to withdraw pending suit for \$2000. and the said board pledges itself not at any time to plead the statute of limitation against this claim. That the board does not feel justified in proceeding with its extensive program of building so long as this suit is pending.

Be it further resolved, that the board request assurances from the town council that this claim will not be pressed against the board in case a suitable building is provided by said board at Vienna.

A copy of resolutions is ordered sent to Mayor of Vienna and a prompt reply requested.

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PROVIDENCE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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AUGUST FIFTH

McLean, Va.,

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Providence District Board met in regular monthly meeting at Vienna Aug. 5th., 1921. All members present.

1. Minutes of former meeting were read and approved.
2. Representative of The Alexandria Lumber Company was present and submitted plans and prices of temporary buildings.
3. On motion duly made and carried an order was placed with said representative for a two-room building for Vienna to cost F.O.B. factory \$ 2032.00
4. Adjourned.

W. G. Edmondson, Clerk.

H. F. Williams, Chr.

AUGUST ELEVENTH CALL MEETING

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The purpose of meeting was to consider estimates prepared by contractor, Ball of Washington on proposed new buildings for Vienna and McLean. The proposed building was the NEW one story building prepared by the State Department of Education. The estimate submitted was \$35,000.00. After discussion, the board adjourned without taking any action.

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SEPTEMBER SIXTH

The Providence District Board met at Maplewood, McLean, Va. Sept. 6, in regular monthly meeting. All members were present.

1 On motion duly made and carried 75 No. 1 desks were ordered for Vienna and Oakton schools at \$4.98 per desk.

2 The following bills were approved and warrants issued for same:

J. W. Sutton, supplies for Oakton.....\$3.75

3 Resolved, That

*see attached*

*1. On Motion Mr. Adams was authorized to order two cons of coal for V + O + for McLean -*  
*2. On Motion Mr. Adams was authorized to erect new building at Vienna + (illegible) coal house + toilets.*  
*3. On Motion Mr. Adams was authorized to advertise for bids for each.*

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On motion Mr. D. S. Mackall  
it was ordered to insure temporary  
building at McLean

Sept 13 - in Vienna Va  
all members present -

1. the following teachers were contracted:
2. on motion Mrs. Payne is elected to teach music in Vienna white school at salary of \$10 per month
3. on motion duly made & carried a warrant for \$400.00 is ~~ordered~~ issued School + Civic League of McLean Va for a loan of said amount paid by said League to H. C. Ball Con. Co. in part payment for erection of temporary school building at McLean
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Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> Vienna, Va.

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RESOLVED That this Board does declare that additional school houses are necessary to provide additional public school facilities for the children of school age in such District, and the school funds of such District are not sufficient to provide such additional school buildings, and to furnish the same, and this Board does further declare that additional school buildings are necessary at Vienna, Idylwood and McLean, and that the school funds of such District will not be sufficient to provide such additional school buildings by Fifty Thousand Dollars, (\$50,000.), and that it is necessary to raise said sum of \$50,000.00 by a bond issue.

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An motion duly made & carried  
 to 8 rooms, one story type of building  
 be adopted for both McLean & Vienna

At a meeting of the Board of the School Board of Providence District  
 held at the Board Room, Providence, R.I., on the 20th day of March, 1914  
 the following resolution was adopted:  
 Resolved, That the Board do hereby adopt the plan for a one story  
 building of 8 rooms, one story type, for the McLean & Vienna  
 schools, as per plans furnished and approved by the State Superintendent,  
 and that the Board do hereby authorize the Superintendent to proceed  
 to the construction of the same, subject to the appropriation of the  
 necessary funds, and that the Board do hereby authorize the Superintendent  
 to raise the necessary funds by the sale of bonds in the amount of  
 \$50,000.00, and that it is necessary to raise said sum of \$50,000.00 by a  
 bond issue.

On motion duly made + carried  
 the 8 rooms, one story type of building  
 be adopted for both McLean + Vienna  
 + further that two room build  
 as per plans furnished  
 + approved by State Supt.  
 be adopted for Idylwood.  
 It is understood that the adopt-  
 ion of this resolution does  
 not commit the board to  
 any apportionment  
 of the proposed bond  
 issue.

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McLean, Va., 191

CALL MEETING AT VIENNA, SEPTEMBER TWENTIETH, '21.

A call meeting of the district board was held at Vienna Sept. 20, 1921. All members and Division Superintendent were present.

On motion duly made and carried the following teachers were appointed for session 1921-22 and contracted with in due form:

*See contract forms*

On motion Mrs Payne was elected to teach music in the Vienna white school at salary of ten dollars per month.

On motion duly made and carried a warrant ### for \$400.00 was issued to School and Civic League Inc. of McLean for a loan of said amount for the construction of temporary building at McLean. The said warrant was made payable one year from date.

On motion made and carried warrant for \$500 was issued the H. C. Ball Construction Co part payment on temporary building at McLean.

On motion

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VIENNA, VA., R.F.D. No. 3

PROVIDENCE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA.

McLean, Va., 191

CALL MEETING AT VIENNA, SEPTEMBER TWENTIETH, 15 '21

A call meeting of the district board was held at Vienna Sept. 15, 1921. All members and Division Superintendent were present.

On motion duly made and carried the following teachers were appointed for session 1921-22 and contracted with in due form:

*See contract forms*

On motion Mrs. Payne was elected to teach music in the Vienna white school at a salary of ten dollars per month.

On motion duly made and carried a warrant ### for \$400.00 was issued to School and Civic League Inc. of McLean for a loan of said amount for the construction of a temporary building at McLean. The said warrant was made payable one year from date.

On motion made and carried warrant for \$500 was issued the H. C. Ball Construction Co. part payment on temporary building at McLean.

On motion



*Approved as read  
Sep 5  
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Plans and Specifications. The school houses to be located at Vienna and McLean shall be in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared and furnished by the State Board of Education for "Standard 8 Room School Building".

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At the meeting of the Board of Supervisors today they passed a resolution, which I prepared, providing for the details of the election. I enclose also a copy of this resolution.

I think that the law has now been complied with in all of its details, and there appears to be nothing further for the school board to do until after the election is held.

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McLean, Va., Dec 191

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The cost of the proposed new school building, to be erected at Vienna, was discussed briefly, after which a motion was duly made and carried, by the board, to reject all bids received from various contractors on Mar. 18th 1922.

On motion duly made and carried, the clerk of the board, was authorized to advertise for bids for the building, of a Standard Eight Room School Building, erected at Vienna, in Providence District. The material to be used in this building, is to be hollow tile or <sup>frame</sup> with Elastica Stucco Bishopric Board.

The following warrants were drawn, and the clerk was instructed to hold same, until Supt. M. D. Hall made necessary transfer, of funds, at the Treasurers Office for the payment of them.

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A. L. Adams .....	19.75
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Note: The Bishopric Manufacturing Company of Cincinnati, Ohio, manufactured and sold Bishopric wallboard with an Elastica plaster coat for building interiors. Source: Taylor, James Knox, et al. (1918). "The American Architect," Volume 113, Number 2212, Page 650. The Architectural and Building Press, Inc.

The School Board of Providence District No. 1, met at Vienna, Va., at 8:20 P. M. May 24th, 1922, with all members of the board present.

Minutes of the meeting of May 9th, were read and approved.

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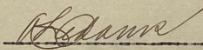
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Motion was duly made and carried, to accept the proposition, of the McLean delegates, and to go on record as favoring the erection, of an adequate school building there within the next three years.

Bids for the <sup>erecting of the</sup> proposed school building, at Vienna were opened and made public.

Motion was duly made and carried, to request that Messrs McMillan and Prentice meet with The School Board Friday evening May 26th, for a personal interview in regard to their bids.

Motion to adjourn was made and carried.

  
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Bids for the ^ proposed school building, at Vienna were opened and made public.

Motion was duly made and carried, to request that Messrs McMillan and Prentice meet with The School Board Friday evening May 26th, for a personal interview in regard to their bids.

Motion we adjourn was made and carried.

A. L. Adams  
Clerk.



VIENNA, VA., May 26th, 1922. 19

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Minutes of the meeting, of May 24th, were read and approved.

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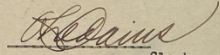
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- 6 Motion was duly made and carried, authorizing Mr. H. F. Williams, to communicate with the Masonic Order at Vienna Va., and request that they lay the corner-stone of the Vienna School Building, at a date named by them.
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2 Minutes of the meeting of June 17th, 1922, were read and approved except paragraph six, which Mr. Williams wished to have worded differently, and promised to furnish the clerk with the proposed wording in writing.

3 The Auditorium, in which the meeting was held, was crowded with citizens from every locality in Providence District.

4 The board first took under consideration the executing of the contract, with Chester L. Smith, for the erecting of the school building at Vienna, and a hot discussion lasted for more than an hour.

5 Motion was duly made seconded and carried to declare, all offices of this board vacant, and reorganize as this had not been done for more than a year, and a new member had been appointed in that time.

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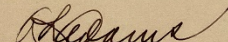
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Vienna, Va. July 3rd, 1922.

Duly called meeting of the School Board of Providence District No. 1 held at Vienna, Va., July 3, 1922.

Present: - Henry Hawxhurst, Chairman  
A. L. Adams, Clerk  
H. F. Williams.

Minutes of the meeting of June, 22nd, 1922 were read and approved.

Mr. Adams offered the following resolution:-

“WHEREAS, The School Board of Providence District No. 1, is about to construct a Standard Eight Room Building, at Vienna, in Providence School District, Fairfax County, Virginia, and

WHEREAS, The said School Board has on hand \$16000.00, for the construction of same, and,

WHEREAS, said completed new building, as plans and specifications received from the Department of Public Instruction, Richmond, Va., will cost \$ 25408.00 NOW, therefore be it resolved, that the said School Board of Providence District No. 1, borrow the sum of \$ 11000.00, on a short time loan, payable within five years after date, as required by chap. 352, page 534, law of 1918, and the school law of 1920, page 41”, Whereupon Mr. Williams moved to amend the same by adding the following:-

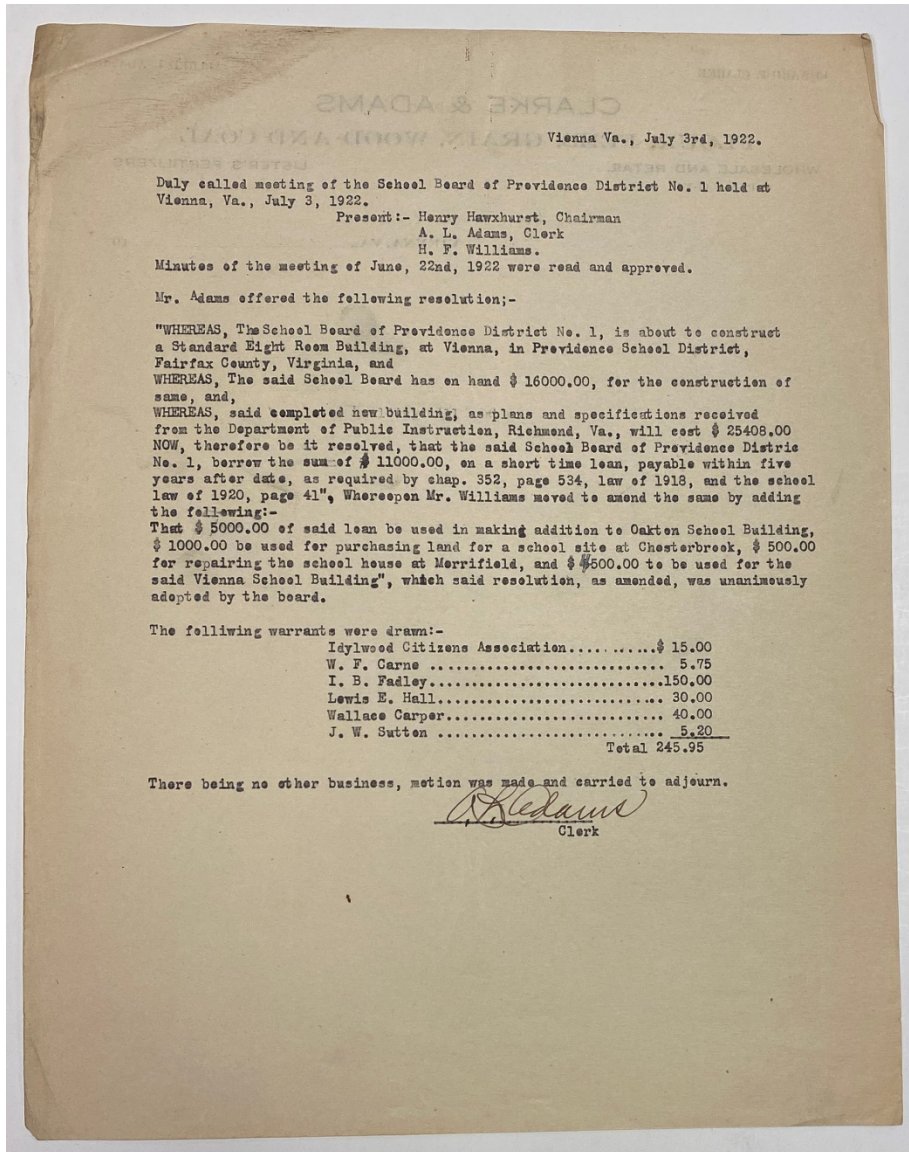
That \$ 5000.00 of said loan be used in making addition to Oakton School Building, \$ 1000.00 be used for purchasing land for a school site at Chesterbrook, \$ 500.00 for repairing the school house at Merrifield, and \$ 4500.00 to be used for the said Vienna School Building”, which said resolution, as amended, was unanimously adopted by the board.

The following [sic] warrants were drawn: -

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Wallace Carper.....	40.00
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Total	245.95

There being no other business, motion was made and carried to adjourn.

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Clerk



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Oakton, Va, July 24th 1922.

Duly called meeting of the School Board of Providence District No. 1, held at Oakton Va. July 24th, 1922.

Present: - Henry Hawxhurst, Chairman,  
A. L. Adams, Clerk.  
H. F. Williams.

Minutes of the meeting of July 3rd, read and approved.

Committees [sic] from Oakton, Idylwood, McLean and Vienna, were present at this meeting.

On motion duly made seconded and carried, Mr Salisbury was authorized to have Harrison Tinner, dig a well at Idylwood School House.

Mr. Miles reported that the water in the well, at Oakton School, was not good, and after a brief discussion, motion was duly made seconded and carried, authorizing The Oakton Building Committee [sic], to have a well dut [sic] there.

Mr. Williams offered resolutions, and a motion to adopt same, in regard to changing the plan of the Vienna, School Building, to a two story building, but after being opposed vigorously, by representatives from that part of the district, the motion did not receive a second, and was lost.

The board took under consideration a proposition made them, by F. S. McCandlish, Chairman, of the Fairfax School Board, which is as follows: - " That the pupils of the Germantown School be transported to Fairfax, and the High School pupils of Fairfax be received in the Oakton High School".

Motion was duly made seconded and carried accepting this plan.

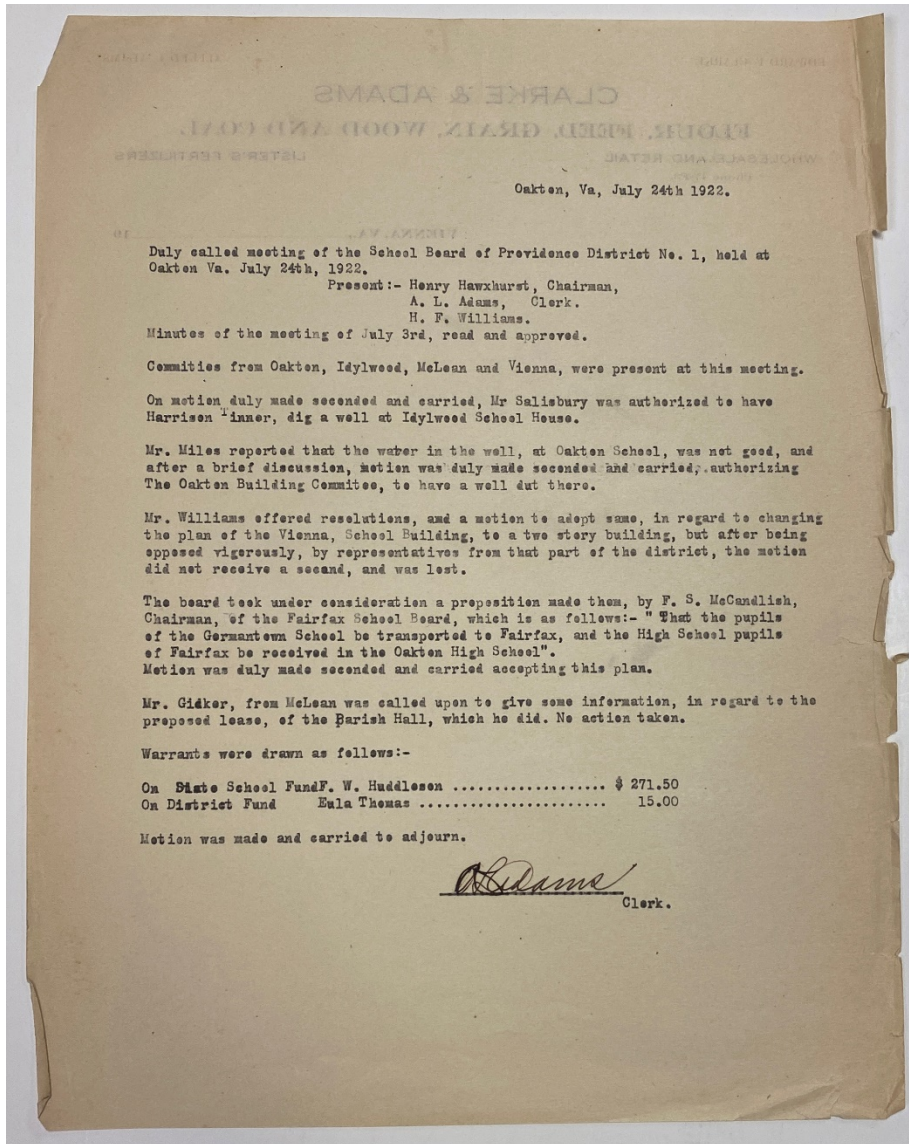
Mr. Gidker, from McLean was called upon to give some information, in regard to the proposed lease, of the Parish Hall, which he did. No action taken.

Warrants were drawn as follows: -

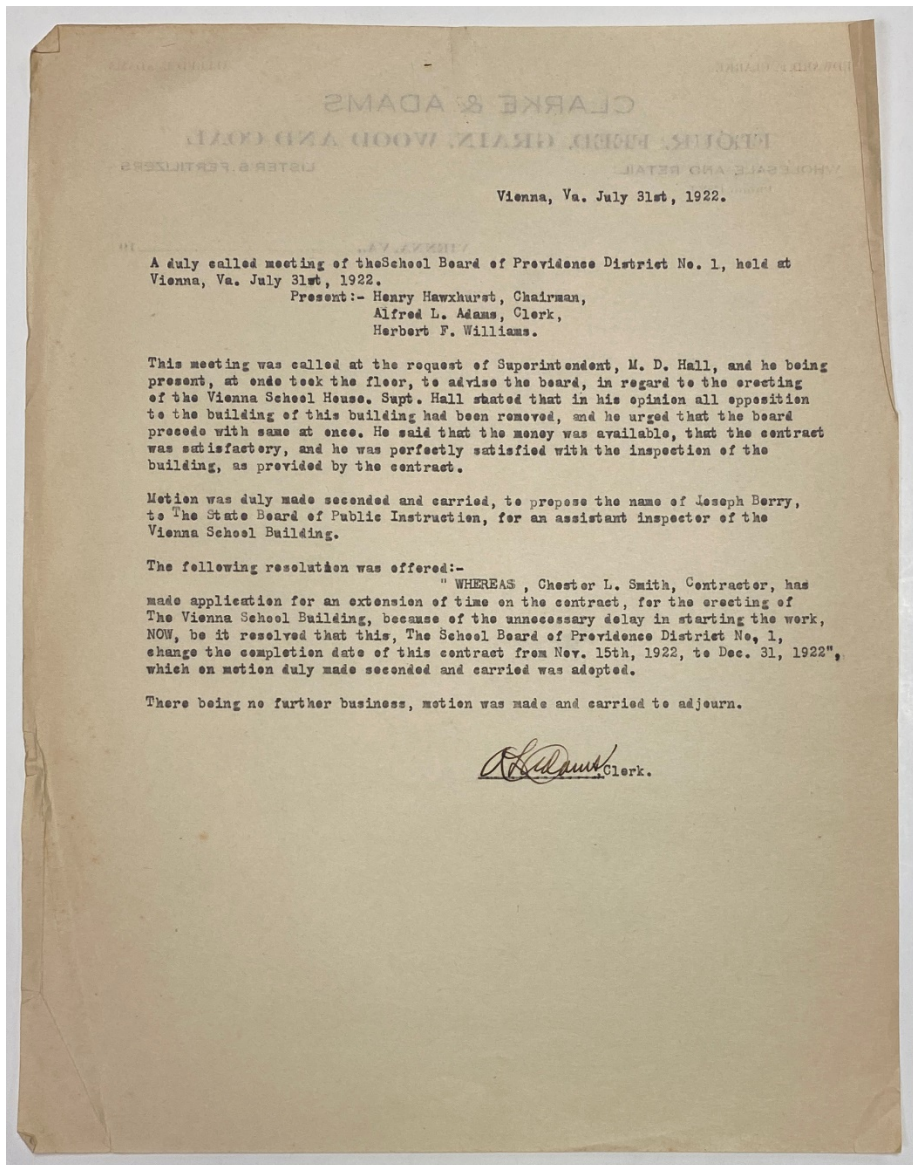
On State School Fund F. W. Huddleson.....	\$ 271.50
On District Fund Eula Thomas.....	15.00

Motion was made and carried to adjourn.

A. L. Adams  
Clerk.







Vienna, Va. July 31st, 1922.

A duly called meeting of the School Board of Providence District No. 1, held at Vienna, Va. July 31st, 1922.

Present: - Henry Hawxhurst, Chairman,  
Alfred L. Adams, Clerk,  
Herbert F. Williams.

This meeting was called at the request of Superintendent, M. D. Hall, and he being present, at once took the floor, to advise the board, in regard to the erecting of the Vienna School House. Supt. Hall stated that in his opinion all opposition to the building of this building had been removed, and he urged that the board proceed with same at once. He said that the money was available, that the contract was satisfactory, and he was perfectly satisfied with the inspection of the building, as provided by the contract.

Motion was duly made seconded and carried, to propose the name of Joseph Berry, to The State Board of Public Instruction, for an assistant inspector of the Vienna School Building.

The following resolution was offered:-

“WHEREAS, Chester L. Smith, Contractor, has made application for an extension of time on the contract, for the erecting of The Vienna School Building, because of the unnecessary delay in starting the work, NOW, be it resolved that this, The School Board of Providence District No, 1, change the completion date of this contract from Nov. 15th, 1922, to Dec. 31, 1922”, which on motion duly made seconded and carried was adopted.

There being no further business, motion was made and carried to adjourn.

A. L. Adams Clerk

August 7th, 1922

A duly called meeting of The School Board of Providence District No. 1, held at Oakton, August 7th, 1922.

Present: Henry Hawxhurst, Chairman,  
Alfred L. Adams, Clerk,  
Herbert F. Williams.

Minutes of the meetings of July 24th, and 31st were read and approved.

The clerk reported that the notes, for the loan of \$ 11000.00, from The First National Bank of Alexandria, were read for execution, and on motion duly made seconded and carried, the Chairman and Clerk, of the Board were authorized to execute the five notes, for \$ 2200.00 each, which was then done.

On motion duly made seconded and carried, the plans for the addition, to the Oakton School House, as made by Mr. Blake, and approved by The State Board of Education, were approved by the Board.

Motion was duly made seconded and carried, extending thanks to Mr. Blake, for his valuable services, in preparing the plans, and that he be requested to inspect the building, while under construction, as often as possible.

Motion was duly made seconded and carried, authorizing The Oakton Building Committee, [sic] to take in charge the work, of the proposed addition to the Oakton School House, ~~and~~ to hire a foreman, and erect the building as soon as possible with the approval, of the Board.

Motion was duly made seconded and carried authorizing a 12 inch tile basement wall for the above mentioned building, if approved by Mr. Raymond V. Long, Supervisor of School Building Construction.

Motion was duly made seconded and carried to adjourn.

A. L. Adams Clerk

Motion was duly made seconded and carried, to make application to the Literary Fund for a loan of \$ 10000.00, for the Oakton High School.

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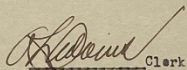
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Present; Henry Hawxhurst, Chairman  
Alfred L. Adams Clerk,  
Herbert F. Williams.

Minutes of the meeting of august 7th wereread and approved.

The Board took under consideration the bond, signed by Chester L. Smith, and twenty citizens of Vienna, and brief discussion, motion was duly made seconded and carried to accept this bond and *make* it a part of the contract made with the said, Chester L. Smith, on the 9th day of june 1922.

Motion was duly made and carried to adjourn.

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