

AI Instruction – Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs.

Throughout 1910, the Village of Hampton Board met regularly and in special sessions to manage routine governance, finances, and personnel matters. Early meetings focused heavily on approving bills, accepting treasurer's reports, and maintaining basic village operations. For example, at the January 1 meeting, the Board approved payments for coal, gravel, timber labor, and merchandise, reflecting the village's ongoing infrastructure and maintenance needs. Similar financial oversight continued through the year, with nearly every meeting including detailed lists of labor costs, materials, and services, such as blacksmithing, printing, housing tramps, and street repairs. The Board also addressed administrative continuity, accepting resignations and appointing replacements, including the resignation of Village Clerk J. P. Hermes in March and the appointment of James E. Maxwell to fill the unexpired term.

A major theme of the 1910 meetings was public works and infrastructure improvement, particularly streets, sidewalks, and bridges. The Board repeatedly debated and voted on concrete sidewalks, street crossings, drainage tile, and the construction of a concrete bridge, especially along River Road and Locust Street. In June, trustees approved plans and specifications for a concrete bridge and authorized the purchase of large quantities of cement, later approving borrowing \$600 to help fund improvements. Decisions often required tie-breaking votes by the President, illustrating both active debate and close divisions among trustees. Wage rates for laborers, teamsters, and the Street Commissioner were also frequently discussed, adjusted, rejected, and later reinstated at specific hourly rates, showing the Board's close involvement in managing both labor policy and construction progress.

The Board also handled elections, licensing, ordinances, and community concerns that reflected broader social and political issues of the time. In April, the Board canvassed election results, declared winners for Village Clerk and Trustee positions, and recorded the results of a local anti-saloon referendum, which failed by a wide margin. Despite the referendum, saloon licenses were granted in May after trustees unanimously approved applications and bonds for dram shop operators at the established \$500 fee. Petitions regarding Sunday ball playing were later presented and tabled, showing how the Board navigated community disputes without immediate resolution. Across the year, the minutes reveal a governing body balancing routine administration with long-term improvements, public order, and the practical realities of a small but active Illinois village in 1910.

AI Instruction - Perform verbatim transcription, with minor mechanical grammar corrections only, no added formatting, no editorial changes, and carriage returns removed only when sentences continue within a paragraph. Only preserve line breaks that represent separate Sections or list items. Preserve page numbers in the upper corner. Proceed with a continuous batch transcription.

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Regular Meeting January 1, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS,

State of Illinois

Regular meeting held on Jan. 1, 1910.

Meeting called to order by the President G.H. Turner.

Roll call of officers showed all officers present except Trustee Glanz and Klever.

Minutes of past regular meeting read and approved.

Motion made by Trustee Harder and seconded by Trustee Johnson that the bills as read be allowed and an order drawn on the Treasurer for the amount. Carried.

C.E. Sikes	for coal	4.29
Jackson & Hawkins	for merchandise	.20
Beder Wood	for gravel ground	57.00
Peter Wildermuth	timber labor	1.50
George A Crawford	Labor	2.18
Frank Sikes	Labor	1.69
Fred Oltmann	Labor	.95
W. Edelman	Labor	.48

Motion made by Trustee Gordon and seconded by Trustee Schreiber that the bills as read be allowed and order drawn on the Treasurer.

Motion made by Trustee Gordon and seconded by Trustee Schreiber that the report of S. Fr. Odell as read be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Motion made by Trustee Harder and seconded by Trustee Schreiber that we adjourn until next regular meeting unless otherwise authorized.

J.P. Hermes

Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting February 5, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS, State of Illinois

Regular meeting held Feb. 5th.

Meeting called to order by Pres. S. H. Turner.

Roll call of officers showed all present except Trustee Schreiner.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

Motion made by Trustee Glanz and seconded by Trustee Vander that the bills as read be allowed and an order drawn on the Treasurer for the amount. Carried.

Gustar Harder	for blacksmithing	5.20
Robert Johnson	Housing Hobos	1.50
Jackson and Hawkins	envelopes, benzine	.72
Oltman and Light	Envelopes	.25
Peter Wildermuth	for labor	3.00
Geo A. Crawford	"	2.19
Wm. Edelman	"	2.81

Motion made by Trustee Harder and seconded by Trustee Johnson that the report of S.F. Odell, Village Treasurer, be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Motion made by Trustee Johnson and seconded by Trustee Glanz that the resignation of ~~W.H.~~ H.W. Harder be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Motion made by Trustee Harder and seconded by Trustee Glanz that we adjourn until next regular meeting unless otherwise ordered. Carried.

J.P. Hermes
Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting March 5, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island, State of Illinois

Regular meeting held March 5, 1910.

As there was no quorum it was agreed to postpone the meeting until Saturday night, March 12th, 1910.

A. Humes

Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting March 12, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island, State of Illinois

Regular meeting held March 12, 1910.

Meeting called to order by Pres. G.W.. Turner.

Roll call of officers showed all present except Trustee Klever.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

Motion made by Trustee Johnson and Trustee Gordon that we accept the resignation of J.P. Hermes to take effect March 12th, 1910, be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Motion made by Trustee Johnson and seconded by Trustee Schreiber that the bills as read be allowed and an order drawn on the Treasurer for the amount. Carried.

J.P. Hermes	for salary from July 1909 to March 12th, 1910	20.80
Robert Johnson	for taking care of Eamma Skinner and housing tramps	4.50
Robert Johnson	for notifying Jesse Gordon of meeting, and housing tramps	1.50
J.P. Hermes	for express	.95
		.95

Motion made by Trustee Glanz and seconded by Trustee Gordon that the report of S.F. Odell, Treasurer, be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Motion made by Trustee Schreiner and seconded by Trustee Gordon that the Treasurer be instructed to pay the note held by the Peoples Savings Bank and Trust Co. against the Village. Carried.

It being in order to appoint the judges and clerks for the next Village election to be held April 19th, 1910:

Trustee Johnson appointed Manuel Smith.

Trustee Charles Glanz appointed Charles Glanz.

In the absence of Trustee Kliver the Pres. appointed S. F. Odell.

Trustee Gordon appointed O.J. Guckert as clerk.

In the absence of Trustee Klever the Pres. appointed ~~G.W.~~ Turner G. Harder.

Trustee Schreiber appointed S. F. Baker to act as clerk.

The appointment of clerks and judges was confirmed by the board.

The President appointed J. E. Maxwell to act as Clerk to fill the unexpired term of J. P. Hermes. Same was confirmed by board.

Motion made by Trustee Johnson and seconded by Trustee Gordon that we adjourn until next regular meeting. Carried.

J.P. Humes
Village Clerk.

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Regular Meeting April 2, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS, State of Illinois

Regular meeting April 2, 1910.

Meeting called to order by President Turner.

Roll call of officers showed all members present.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Trustee Schreiber and seconded by Trustee Johson that the following bills be allowed:

Robert Johnson	for care of tramps and serving notice on tanks	.50
Illinois Printing Co.	for election supplies	7.40

Moved by Trustee Glanz and seconded by Trustee Gordon that the Village Marshal be instructed to notify the people that have their alleys closed and planted that the Village intends to improve the alleys of the Village and that their obstructions will be removed. Carried.

The report of S.F. Odell, Village Treasurer, showing a balance of 654.73 in the treasury, was read and on motion by Trustees Gordon and Johnson was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Moved and seconded that the board be adjourned. Carried.

James E. Maxwell
Village Clerk.

Special Meeting April 22, 1910

Village of Hampton

State of Illinois

Special meeting of Village Board for the purpose of canvassing election and to do such other business as may come before the Board.

April 23rd, 1910.

Meeting called to order by President Turner.

Roll call of officers showed all present except Klever.

Report of Village Treasurer S.F. Odell showing a balance of \$123.00 was heard, read, and on motion by Trustees Glanz and Johnson was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Moved by Trustee Schreiber and seconded by Trustee Johnson that the following bills be allowed and order drawn on the Treasurer for same. Carried.

S.F. Odell	for judge of election	6.00
M. Smith	“ ”	6.00
C. P. Glanz	“ ”	6.00
C. A. Guckert,	clerk of election	6.00
Gustaf Harder	for “	6.00
L. T. Backus	“ “	6.00
L. H. Backus	for rental barn storing cement	2.00
Robert Johnson	sending notices	.73
S.F. Odell	salary as Treasurer,	
	stationery, stamps	13.00
J. E. Maxwell	for service as Village Clerk	4.00

The canvass of the votes of the election held April 19th, 1910 showed the following votes cast:

Village Clerk			
George Wilken	received	78 votes	
E. B. LaGrange	“	17 votes	
J. E. Maxwell	“	2 votes	
Village Trustee for two years			
John F. Johnson	received	78 votes	
E. E. Holton	“	64 votes	
Max Bock	“	43 votes	
Albert Oltman	“	47 votes	
Village Trustee for one year			
Joseph Peterson	received	54 votes	
J.E. Hawkins	“	24 votes	
Shall this Village become anti-saloon territory	Yes	24 votes	
	No	64.	

Moved by Trustee Gordon and seconded by Trustee Glanz that George Wilken, having the largest number of votes, be declared elected Village Clerk. John F. Johnson, E.E. Holton, and Albert Oltman securing the largest number of votes be declared elected Village Trustees for two years. Joseph Peterson receiving the largest number of votes be declared elected Village Trustee for one year. Carried.

Minutes of last regular meeting and special meeting read and approved.

Moved by Trustee Glanz and seconded by Trustee Gordon that this meeting adjourn sine die.

James E. Maxwell
Village Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting April 23, 1910

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Adjourned meeting held April 23, 1910.

After all officers being duly sworn, meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner.
Roll call of officers showed all present.

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Peterson to adjourn. Carried.

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk.

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Special Meeting May 2, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Special meeting of the Village Board for the purpose of acting on bonds for saloon license applications and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting. May 2nd, 1910.

Meeting called to order by Pres. Turner. Roll call of officers and all present except Trustee Holton. Two applications were read by the Clerk in favor of John A. Mohr and Jacob Hermes to keep a dram shop.

Moved by Trustee Schreiber and Johnson to accept the applications which resulted: Schreiber yes, Johnson yes, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, Gordon yes, Holton absent. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Trustees Schreiber and Johnson to grant license to John A. Mohr and Jacob Hermes. Schreiber yes, Johnson yes, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, Gordon yes, Holton absent. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Peterson that the price of saloon license stay the same as they are, \$500. Carried.

The bonds of John A. Mohr and Jacob Hermes for dram shop and the bond of Geo. Wilken for Village Clerk were approved and accepted on motion of Trustees Johnson and Johnson.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Gordon to adjourn. Carried.

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 7, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Regular meeting of the Village Board, May 7, 1910.

Meeting called to order by G. W. Turner, President. Roll called and officers present.
The minutes of adjourned and special meetings were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

Herald Printing Co.		\$4.50
Jackson and Hawkins		\$18.00
Robert Johnson	for notifying gypsies to leave town	\$.25

Moved by Trustees Holton and Peterson that the bill of the printing Co. be tabled until further information. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Schreiber that the other two be allowed. Carried.

The report of S.F. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$264.30.

Moved by Trustees Schreiber and Gordon that the report be accepted and placed on file.
Carried.

The President then proceeded with street and Alley committee, Finance Committee, and Ordinance appointments for the ensuing year:

Street Committee:	Trustees Johnson, Schreiber, Oltman
Finance Committee:	Holton, Gordon, Peterson
Ordinance Committee:	Holton, Johnson, Schreiber
For Street Commissioner:	Geo. A. Crawford
For Village Marshal:	Robert Johnson
For Village Treasurer:	Stephen F. Odell

The board decided to have the yeas and nays called on the offices of Street Commissioner, Marshal, and Treasurer separately, which resulted:

Street Commissioner — Schreiber yes, Johnson yes, Oltman no, Peterson no, Holton no, Gordon no. Lost 4 to 2.

The President then appointed James E. Maxwell for Street Commissioner. Schreiber no, Johnson no, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, Holton yes, Gordon yes. Carried 4 to 2, and James E. Maxwell was considered Street Commissioner for the ensuing year.

Robert Johnson for Village Marshal — Schreiber yes, Johnson yes, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, Holton yes, Gordon yes. Carried unanimously.

Stephen F. Odell as Village Treasurer — Schreiber yes, Johnson yes, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, Holton yes, Gordon yes. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman to raise the wages of the common laborers to 20¢ per hour, the teamsters to 40¢ per hour, and the Street Commissioner to 25¢ per hour. Schreiber no, Johnson no, Oltman yes, Peterson no, Holton yes, Gordon no. Motion lost 4 to 2.

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Peterson to vote on the price of common laborers and teamsters. Schreiber yes, Johnson no, Oltman no, Peterson yes, Holton yes, Gordon yes. Carried 4 to 2.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Oltman to pay the Street Commissioner 22½¢ per hour. Schreiber no, Johnson no, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, Holton yes, Gordon yes. Carried 4 to 2.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Schreiber that we leave the bridge question until we make an investigation. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman to adjourn. Carried.
Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk.

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~~Regular meeting of the Village Board, June 3rd, 1910.~~

~~Meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner. Roll called and all Trustees present.~~

~~Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.~~

~~The following bills were read by the Clerk:~~

Regular Meeting June 4, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Regular meeting, June 4, 1910.

Meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner.

Roll call of officers and all officers present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The bills were read by the Clerk as follows:

Frank Fleshman	for fixing light and wire	\$1.00
G. B. Sikes	for filling hole in road	\$.53
Barney Crawford	for making inventory of tools	\$1.00
	and for cleaning street of fallen tree	\$.50
		\$1.50 total

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Schreiber that the bills be allowed as read, including the bill of the printing Co. of East Moline for \$4.50 tabled at the last regular meeting. Carried.

The report of S. A. Odell, Village Treasurer, showing a balance of \$268.87 was read.

On motion of Trustees Gordon and Peterson it was accepted and ordered placed on file.

The bonds of the Street Commissioner and Village Treasurer were accepted and approved by the board.

Moved by Trustee Johnson that we put in a concrete bridge on River Road 12 x 16 ft. Trustee Holton made an amendment to the motion to leave out the dimensions, seconded by Trustee Schreiber. The yeas and nays resulted: Schreiber yes, Johnson yes, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, Holton yes, Gordon yes. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Schreiber that we put in a cement walk on the street in front of the schoolhouse as far as the school lot.

Trustee Holton made an amendment to extend the walk the full length of the block to the other street, seconded by Trustee Peterson. Vote on the amendment: Schreiber no, Johnson no, Oltman no, Holton yes, Peterson yes, Gordon yes. The vote being a tie, President Turner decided in favor to stop at the school lot.

Vote on original motion: Schreiber yes, Johnson yes, Oltman yes, Peterson no, Holton no, Gordon no. The vote being a tie, President Turner decided in favor of the motion.

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Peterson that we put in crossings where they are needed. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Schreiber and Gordon that we put in a block of cement walk on the south side of Short Street from Broad Street to Railroad. Schreiber yes, Johnson no, Oltman no, Peterson no, Holton no, Gordon yes. Lost 4 to 2.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Johnson that we levy a \$700 tax. Schreiber no, Johnson yes, Oltman no, Peterson no, Holton yes, Gordon yes. The vote being a tie, the President voted in favor of the motion.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Gordon to adjourn until two weeks from tonight. Carried.

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk.

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Adjourned Meeting June 14, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting June 14, 1910.

Meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner. Roll called and Trustees Schreiber and Gordon being absent.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Peterson that we adopt the plans and specifications as drawn for the concrete bridge. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the Village buy 125 bbls of cement where it can be purchased the cheapest. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Oltman that we buy the cement from Beder Wood at \$1.45 per bbl, this being the cheapest. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Oltman that the Street Commissioner hire a team and a mower and mow the streets before the 4th of July, also clean up the alleys wherever needed, and fix the tile running across the road near the cemetery as soon as possible. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman to adjourn. Carried.

Geo. Wilken

Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting July 2, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

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Regular meeting, July 2nd, 1910.

Meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner.

Roll called and Trustees Holton and Gordon being absent.

Minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The following bills were allowed on motion of Trustees Schreiber and Johnson:

Albert Winter	for team work mowing streets	\$14.00
Aug. Wildermuth	for mowing streets	\$2.40
James E. Maxwell	for labor	\$10.12
	cleaning streets, fixing tile	
Aug. Wilken	for lamp globe, mantle, and alcohol	\$.30
Robert Johnson	for housing tramp	\$.25

The report of S. F. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$267.37.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Peterson that the report be accepted and placed on file.
Carried.

A communication was read in regard to the Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association, the Village being assessed \$5.00.

Moved by Trustees Schreiber and Johnson to send them \$3.00. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman to adjourn until two weeks from tonight. Carried.

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk.

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Adjourned Meeting , July 11, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting — July 11, 1910

Meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner.

Roll called and Trustees Schreiber and Gordon being absent.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Peterson that we continue the walk from the south line of the school property on Diamond Street to Chestnut Street. Johnson yes, Oltman yes, Paterson yes, Holton yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the Street Commissioner be instructed to take gravel out of the ditch and fill up the washout in the road on the short hill of the cemetery hill. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Altman to adjourn. (Carried)

Geo. Wilken

Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting August 6, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Regular Meeting — Aug. 6, 1910

Meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner. Roll call showed all Trustees present. The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

Francis Guckert	for labor	\$7.40
Leon Donahue	for labor	\$9.00
Frank Johnson	for labor with team	\$23.60
Aug. Wilken	for labor with team	\$22.40
N. O. Thomas	hauling lumber	\$2.00
Fred Mohr	for labor	\$18.00
Jacob Mohr	for labor	\$25.60
William Jacobs	for labor	\$28.80
James E. Maxwell	for labor	\$29.60
S. F. Odell	for freight paid on cement	\$35.24
Oltman for light	spikes & tile	\$1.07
Lyla Payton	for surveying	\$9.00
Mueller Lumber Co.	for lumber	\$6.48
Beder Wood	for 170 bbls cement	\$314.50

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Johnson that the bills be allowed as read except the Beder Wood bill, he being a barrel short. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Holton and Johnson that we send Beder Wood a check for 169 bbls of cement, and if we find the other bbl we will pay for it. (Carried)

The report of S. A. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$290.80. It was accepted and ordered placed on file.

The Street Commissioner's report for mowing streets was also read and accepted.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Schreiber that we put in four crossings, namely:

- on the west side of Broad St. on Oak St.
- on the west side of Broad St. on Center St.
- on the east side of Broad St. on Walnut St.
- on the north side of Chestnut St. on Diamond St.

(Carried)

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Moved by Trustee Johnson that the President and Clerk be instructed to borrow six hundred dollars (\$600) for six months. Seconded by Trustee Holton. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Holton and Johnson that we adopt and pass the appropriation ordinance as read for:

Streets and alleys	\$250
Sidewalks	\$750
Bridges	\$300
Miscellaneous fund	\$200
Officers' salary	\$75
Total	\$1575

(Carried)

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Holton that we adopt and pass the tax levy ordinance as read for:

Bonds & interest	\$250
Streets and sidewalks	\$450
Total	\$700

(Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Schreiber that the Clerk be instructed to order the steel at once for the bridge, "cold twisted lug." (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Paterson and Gordon that the laboring men get 22½¢ per hour, teamsters 45¢ per hour, and the Street Commissioner 25¢ per hour from the time that the Street Commissioner fixed the price with the laboring men on July 18, 1910. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Oltman that the town move the dirt on the boulevard at Harder's where it is too high. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Oltman to adjourn. (Carried)

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting September 3, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Regular Meeting — Sept. 3rd, 1910

Meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner.

Roll called and all Trustees present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

Charles Lee	use of wagon 4 days	\$1.00
N. O. Thomas	for hauling	\$.50
Fred Mohr	for labor	\$40.06
Manuel Smith	for labor	\$22.05
Arthur Peterson	for labor with team	\$5.83
Frank Johnson	for labor with team	\$8.55
Geo. Wilken	for labor with team	\$14.62
Geo. Wilken	for labor without team	\$14.63
Leon Donahue	for labor	\$99.27
August Wilken	for labor with team	\$43.50
Jacob Mohr	for labor	\$96.23
Wm Jacobs	for labor	\$26.34
James E. Maxwell	for labor	\$31.00
Oltman and light	for lantern, rope, etc.	\$1.47
Robert Johnson	for housing tramps and killing and burying a dog and notifying s section forman to bury dog	\$1.75

On motion of Trustees Schreiber and Johnson they were allowed and orders drawn on the Treasurer for the amount.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Schreiber that we pay the interest on the Pattingill note which was due, amount \$20.00. (Carried)

The report of S. F. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$513.68. Moved by Trustees Holton and Gordon that it be accepted and placed on file. (Carried)

The Street Commissioner's reports were read and accepted on motion of Trustees Schreiber and Paterson.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Paterson that the Chairman of the Street & Alley Committee be instructed to see Attorney Wood in regard to the bridge on Locust St. and then the board act on his advice. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Paterson that the Village buy 8 in. tile to carry the water across the street at Diamond St. and Chestnut and at Broad St. and Center St. (Carried)

A petition was then presented by the President asking the Village Board to pass an ordinance to stop Sunday ball playing. It was voted to table it on motion of Trustees Holton and Paterson.

A petition was then presented by Trustee Holton asking the Village Board to grant the boys the right to play ball Sundays or work days. It was voted to table it on motion of Trustees Johnson and Schreiber.

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Johnson to adjourn until two weeks from tonight. (Carried)

Adjourned Meeting September 17, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

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Adjourned Meeting — Sept. 17, 1910

Roll call of Trustees: Holton and Gordon being absent.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Oltman that we put in two street crossings and two alley crossings, namely:

- on the east side of Broad St. on Cherry St.
- on the east side of Broad St. on Locust St.
- on the north side of Oak St. between Crystal and Pearl Streets
- on the south side of Center St. between Broad St. and River St.

Schreiber yes, Johnson yes, Oltman yes, Peterson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Schreiber that the Clerk notify Rogers & Sons that if they want any money to send in their bill. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Paterson and Oltman to adjourn. (Carried)

Geo. Wilken

Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting October 1, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Regular Meeting — Oct. 1, 1910

Meeting called to order by G. W. Turner, President.

Roll call showed Trustees Holton and Gordon absent.

The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

Leon Donahue	for labor	\$33.65
Jacob Mohr	"	\$11.48
N. O. Thomas	hauling	\$.75
Milton Coder	for labor	\$18.80
Arthur Paterson	" with team	\$37.23
James E. Maxwell	"	\$24.75
Jacob Mohr	"	\$29.50
Fred Mohr	"	\$34.90
E. L. Henline	for freight on steel	\$13.12
Mueller Lumber Co.	for lumber & sewer pipe	\$45.72
Moline Scale Factory	for catch basin	\$4.47
Gen. Fireproofing Co.	for steel	\$35.72
O. O. Rogers & Sons —	bond & interest	\$213.00
Geo. Wood	for advice on bridge	\$10.00

On motion of Trustees Paterson and Oltman they were allowed and orders drawn for their payment.

The Treasurer's report was read by the Clerk showing a balance of \$4517.12. Moved by

Trustees Johnson and Schreiber that it be accepted and placed on file. (Carried)

A communication of E.C.Henline asking the Village to put in some tile at the south end of the alley running through his place on Center Street was read by the Clerk. It was referred to the Street & Alley Committee.

The advice of Attorney Wood was read by the Clerk in regard to the bridge on Locust Street. Moved by Trustees Johnson and Schreiber that the President, Street Commissioner, August Wilken, and as many of the board as can, go and measure the distance from High St. to the end of Locust Street east to see if the bridge is beyond the line. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Altman and Peterson to adjourn until two weeks from tonight. (Carried)
Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting October 15, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting — Oct. 15, 1910

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed all present except Gordon.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Holton that we get cedar posts and put 4x4 on top as a railing on the bridge and have the Street Commissioner get the amount of posts necessary. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the Street Commissioner be instructed to get wheel scrapers and fill in the approaches on the bridge. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Schreiber that we pay Leon Donahue and Milton Coder \$10.00 each and this ain't to be deducted from their time at next pay night. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Peterson that we put in two days' work on the hollow road. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Oltman to adjourn. (Carried)

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting November 5, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Regular Meeting — Nov. 5, 1910

Meeting called to order by G. W. Turner, President. Roll called and all Trustees present except Gordon. The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

Arthur Peterson	for labor with team	\$32.98
Manuel Smith	for labor	\$1.05
Albert Winter	for labor with team	\$40.05
Frank Johnson	for labor	\$22.05
Henry Bilgeshausen	for filling	\$10.00
Lacola	for labor	\$34.32
Milton Coder	for labor	\$29.97
Leon Donahue	for labor	\$29.93
Fred Mohr	for labor	\$39.17
Jacob Mohr	for labor	\$31.30
James E. Maxwell	for labor	\$38.13
Beder Wood	for 10 yds sand	\$5.00
Geo. Wilken	for salary as Clerk six months, supplies, orders, and postage	\$26.43
Val Thomas	for hauling	\$2.45
Gustav Harder	for labor, blacksmithing	\$5.50
Mueller Lumber Co.	for lumber	\$20.11
Dimock Gould Lumber Co.	for lumber	\$4.20

On motion of Trustees Johnson and Schreiber they were allowed and orders drawn for their payment.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$450.11. Moved by Trustees Johnson and Peterson that the report be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that we fill the mud hole at the lower end of town in the road near the corporation line. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Peterson to adjourn. (Carried)

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting December 3, 1910

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Regular Meeting — Dec. 3rd, 1910

Meeting called to order by G. W. Turner, President.

Roll call showed Trustees Holton and Gordon absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

S. F. Odell	for six months' salary, stationery, trip to Rock Island	\$115.00
James McGuinnes	for paint	\$1.50
Fred Mohr	for labor	\$2.93
Frank Johnson	for labor	\$3.40
James E. Maxwell	for labor	\$5.00

On motion of Trustees Johnson and Peterson they were allowed and orders drawn for their payment.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$110.74. Moved by Trustees Schreiber and Oltman that the report be accepted and placed on file. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Paterson and Oltman to adjourn. (Carried)

Geo. Wilken

Village Clerk.

AI Instruction – Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs.

The [1911 Minutes](#) document shows that the Village of Hampton Board meetings in 1911 were primarily concerned with routine municipal governance, including approving bills, managing village finances, and overseeing basic operations. Regular meetings consistently opened with roll calls, approval of prior minutes, and the authorization of payments for labor, supplies, and services. For example, in January and March 1911 the Board approved payments for street labor, fuel, printing election materials, and housing tramps, while also reviewing treasury balances that typically ranged from under \$100 early in the year to several hundred dollars by late summer. These actions illustrate the Board's focus on maintaining village infrastructure and meeting day-to-day administrative obligations through formal motions and recorded votes.

Election administration and political disputes formed a major theme during the spring of 1911. The Board oversaw nominations and appointments for primary elections, selected judges of election, and formally canvassed election results. A notable example occurred at the April 11 special meeting, when the Board ruled a petition from the Anti-Salary Party to be "illegal, null and void" due to multiple statutory defects, including missing dates, insufficient signatures, and lack of sworn certification. As a result, the named candidates were barred from appearing on the official ballot. Later in April, the Board canvassed the April 18 election and formally declared winners for Village President, Police Magistrate, and Trustees, demonstrating the Board's central role in enforcing election law and certifying local democratic outcomes.

Throughout the remainder of the year, the meetings increasingly focused on public works, public health, and long-term financial planning. The Board authorized extensive sidewalk and street construction projects, including cement walks on River Street, Pearl Street, and near the cemetery hill, and approved large purchases of cement and labor to carry out this work. It also passed several ordinances, such as Ordinance No. 71 prohibiting dumping garbage into the Mississippi River and Ordinances No. 72 and 73 establishing tax levies and appropriations for the fiscal year. Public health concerns were addressed during scarlet fever outbreaks, with payments authorized for quarantine enforcement and instructions given to the Board of Health. Together, these actions show the Board balancing infrastructure development, environmental regulation, fiscal responsibility, and community health through formal legislative and administrative processes.

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Regular Meeting January 7, 1911

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board January 7th 1911

Meeting called to order by G. W. Turner, President.

Roll call resulted: Trustees Schreiber and Gordon absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The following bills were read by the Clerk.

Is James Maybell	for labor and freight	\$1.18
	for cement sacks.	
To Geo Wilken	for labor with team	1.85
To J.F. Oltman	for nails, file, globe	2.30
To Jackson & Hawkins	for gasoline, kerosene, and nails	2.00
To Roy Fulscher	for mantle & post	.25
To Robert Johnson	for housing one tramp	.25
To N.P. Tucker	for printing four warrants, books	2.50

On motion of Trustees Johnson and Holton they were allowed and orders drawn for their payment.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$90.19.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Regular Meeting March 4, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board March 4th 1911
Meeting called to order with President G. W. Turner in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees and all present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To Geo. Wilken	for human and general election supplies	\$7.70
To James E. Maxwell	for labor	2.00
To Geo Wilken	for labor with team	3.60
To Robert Johnson	for lodging 6 tramps	1.50
To Jesse Gordon	“ “ 2 tramps	.50

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their payment (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$94.11 Feb. 4, 1911.

Moved by Trustees Schreiber and Gordon that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The board then decided to proceed with the nomination of judges for the primaries held March 14, 1911. The following Trustees nominated the following candidates:

Trustee Johnson nominated G. W. Turner

Trustee Schreiber nominated W. Edelman Sr

Trustee Peterson nominated Joseph Hermes

Trustee Gordon nominated Gustav Harder

Trustee Holton nominated Steven Odell

Vote on	Schrieber	Johnson	Oltman	Peterson	Holton	Gordon
Turner	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Wm Edelman	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No
Joseph Hermes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
G. Harder	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	Yes

The vote on Harder being a tie was decided by the President voting the affirmative, and G. W. Turner, Joseph Hermes, and Gustav Harder were declared judges of election.

Moved by Trustees Johnson & Schreiber that the Clerk be instructed to order a ton of coal (carried). Moved by Trustees Gordon & Schreiber to adjourn (carried).
Geo Wilken, V. Clerk

Primary Election March 18, 1911

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

March 18, 1911

A canvass of the votes of the primary election held March 14 were canvassed March 18 by President G. W. Turner, Trustee Holton, and Geo Wilken, Village Clerk, and found true and correct and resulted as follows:

Peoples Anti Salary

For Pres	G.F McNabney	Received	10 votes
For Trustee	Geo Mohr	“	9 “
	Jesse Gordon	received	10 votes
	Ooey Peterson	received	9 votes
For Magistrate	M. B. Underwood	received	2 votes

And were declared the nominations for said offices.

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting April 1, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board April 1st 1911
Meeting called to order with President G. W. Turner in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Holton and Gordon absent.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Three bills were read by the Clerk as follows:

To Geo Wilken	for 1 mo. salary as Clerk and postage	\$23.30
To Stephen I. Odell	for 1 mo. salary as Treasurer and stationery	13.00
To Robert Johnson	for housing 6 tramps	1.50

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Peterson that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the Treasurer for the same (carried).

The report of S. F. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$108.81.

Moved by Trustees Schreiber and Johnson that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that we adjourn until Sat. April 22, 1911 (carried).
Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

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Special Meeting April 11, 1911

Village of Hampton,

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board April 11, 1911

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Speical Meeting April 11, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board April 11, 1911

Meeting called by the President and the Clerk of the Village Board for the purpose of acting on the legality of a petition and to decide whether or not their names are to appear on the official ballot.

Meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner.
Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Johnson and Holton absent.

As the law requires that the objections or questions arising in the face of nominations of village officers shall be considered by the President of the Board of Trustees and the Village Clerk, with whom one alderman or trustee thereof, as the case may be, chosen by lot, shall act, and the decision of a majority of such officers shall be final.

Trustee Schreiber said he was a candidate on the petition and would not act on it. Trustees Peterson and Gordon, being candidates on the other side, also refused to act and waived the right, and the Village Board decided that Trustee Oltman act with the Village President and Clerk.

Objections that were on file were read by the Clerk, made by Geo F. M. Haber, stating that the petition was illegal, null, and void.

The objections read as follows:

Hampton, Ills., April 10, 1911

Geo W. Wilken, Village Clerk of Hampton, Ills.

The undersigned, a legal voter of the Village of Hampton, Ills., would respectfully make objections in writing against the petition of the Anti-Salary Party signed by L. I. N.

Hanewacker, Otto J. Guckert, and others for the nomination of the following candidates for
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For President Charles Schreiber,
for Trustee; John Edelman,
for Trustee; Ed Robison,
for Justice; Charles S. Lee,
for Police Magistrate; Chas. S. Sikes.

The petition is defective, illegal, null and void for the following reasons:

- That it does not follow or comply with the law in such case made and provided.
- The petition bears no date whatever, so on its face does not indicate at what election the candidates are to be voted for.
- The petition does not state definitely for what office the candidates are nominated.
- The candidates or petitioners did not file a petition under the Primary Law, so can only run as independent candidates as therein provided and cannot run as a party.
- Only one petitioner has given his address in writing and therefore the petition does not contain the signatures of 5 per cent of the vote cast at the last preceding election.
- Said petition is also pasted together which invalidates said petition.
- The law requires that an adult resident shall make a statement under oath before some officer having authority to administer the same, that the signatures of those signing said petition were signed in his presence and are genuine and that to the best of his knowledge and belief were also at said time qualified legal voters, and shall then sign his name at the bottom of said petition containing said certificate or statement.
- No such certificate or statement was made and signed and sworn to on said petition and therefore said petition in all its parts is defective, illegal, null and void.

Respectfully,
G. F. McNabney

After the law covering all the points in the objections were read, the Clerk made a motion that the petition be declared illegal, null and void, and that the names of the candidates shall therefore not be placed on the official ballot.

The motion was seconded by Trustee Oltman. Vote on the motion: Oltman yes, Turner yes, Geo Wilken yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Gordon and Peterson to adjourn (carried).
Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 22, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board April 22, 1911

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. W. Turner in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees and all present except Trustee Gordon.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and were objected to by Trustee Schreiber, stating that there were minutes that were not brought before the special meeting such as objections to the petition. After a short discussion the minutes proved to be correct and were approved by the Village Board.

The following bills were read by the Clerk. Primary & Municipal:

To G. W. Turner	for Judge of Elections	12.00
To Gustav Harder	“ ”	12.00
To Joseph Hermes	“ ”	12.00
To J. G. Sikes	Clerk	12.00
To James Mohr	“ ”	12.00
To Jesse Gordon	“ ”	12.00
To Robert Johnson	for housing three tramps	.75
To East Moline Herald	for printing 200 official and 50 specimen primary ballots	4.25

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To Gustav Harder	for posting specimen ballots and fixing lock of Town Hall	1.75
To Stephen Odell	for special trip to Moline to pay note	1.00
To G. W. Turner	for trip to Moline and fixing lock	2.25

Moved by Trustees Schreiber and Holton that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for their payment (carried).

The report of S. F. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$102.59.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Oltman that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Peterson that we proceed with the canvassing of the votes of the election held April 18, 1911 (carried).

The canvass showed the following votes cast for the following officers:

For Village President for 2 years

G. F. McNabney	received	48 votes
Chas. Schreiber	received	31 votes

For Police Magistrate to fill an unexpired term 2 years

M. B. Underwood	received	50 votes
C. E. Sikes	received	25 votes

For Village Trustee for 2 years

Geo. Mohr	received	48 votes
Jesse Gordon	received	41 votes
Joey Peterson	received	50 votes
John Edelman	received	29 votes
Edward Robison	received	20 votes
Charles Lee	received	21 votes
James E. Maxwell	received	3 votes
Chas. Schreiber	received	1 vote
Chas. Sikes	received	1 vote

G. F. McNabney having received the highest number of votes for Village President for 2 years, and M. B. Underwood having received the highest number of votes for Police Magistrate to fill an unexpired term of 2 years, and Geo. Mohr, Jesse Gordon, and Joey Peterson—

—having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustees for 2 years.

It was moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the candidates receiving the highest number of votes be declared elected.

Vote on motion resulted as follows:

Schreiber	yes
Johnson	yes
Oltman	yes
Peterson	yes
Holton	yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the board extend thanks to the President and the officers going out of office for their good and faithful service (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Peterson to adjourn sine die (carried).

Adjourned Meeting April 22, 1911

Village of Hampton, County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board April 22, 1911

After the newly elected officers present being first duly sworn, proceeded with the roll call of officers which showed all present except Trustee Gordon.

The bond of G. F. McNabney, Village President, was read.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the President's bond be accepted and approved and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Holton to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 6, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board May 6th, 1911

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair. Roll call of Trustees and all present except Trustee Gordon.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To East Moline Herald	for printing 50 specimen and 200 official ballots	4.75
To Moline Coal Co.	for ton of coal	4.25
To Robert Johnson	for housing two tramps	.50

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Mohr that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for their payment (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$520.59.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Holton that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The President then proceeded with the appointment of:

For Street and Alley Committee: Trustee Holton, Chairman; Oltman and Mohr
Finance Committee: Trustee Johnson, Chairman; Peterson and Gordon
Ordinance Committee: Trustee Holton, Chairman; Johnson and Oltman

The Village Board then decided to raise the salary of the Village Treasurer. This was done in ordinance form and thereby repealing all ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance. The ordinance read as follows:

Ordinance No. 70

An ordinance concerning salaries of Village Clerk and Treasurer.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Ills.

Sec. 1

The Village Clerk shall be paid as a compensation for his services a salary of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per year payable semi-annually.

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Sec. 2

The Village Treasurer shall be paid as a compensation for his services a salary of Thirty-Five (\$35.00) Dollars per year payable semi-annually.

Sec. 3

All ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

The ordinance was passed and approved by the following vote:

Trustee Mohr	yes
Johnson	yes
Oltman	yes
Peterson	yes
Holton	yes

The President then appointed for Street Commissioner, Chas. Oltman, on which the Clerk was instructed to call the yeas and nays.

Mohr	yes
Johnson	no
Oltman	yes
Peterson	no
Holton	yes (carried)

and Chas. Oltman was declared Street Commissioner.

For Village Treasurer he appointed S. F. Odell, on which the vote resulted as follows:

Trustee Mohr	yes
Johnson	yes
Oltman	yes
Peterson	yes
Holton	yes (carried)

and S. F. Odell was declared Village Treasurer.

For Village Marshall he appointed Richard Maxwell, on which the vote resulted as follows:

Trustee Mohr	no
Johnson	no
Oltman	yes
Peterson	yes
Holton	no

Lost by a vote of 2 to 3.

After which the President said he would make no other appointment for Village Marshal until the next meeting.

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Holton that the Clerk notify Gus Wildermuth by registered letter to come and get his dog he left here or he would be prosecuted in a few days (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the board go and investigate and see what work is necessary on Sunday, May 28 (carried). Moved by Trustees Johnson and Mohr to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Special Meeting May 18, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board May 18, 1911

Meeting called by the President for the purpose of transacting any and all business that may properly come before the meeting when convened.

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Mohr and Peterson absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Street Commissioner's list of Village tools and property was read.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Johnson that we lay the list over until the next meeting (carried).

The President then submitted to the Village Board for action his appointment for Village Marshal, Charles Oltman, which resulted:

Trustee Johnson yes

Gordon yes

Oltman yes

Holton yes (carried)

and Charles Oltman was declared Village Marshal.

The President then appointed the following for the Board of Health: J.G. Hawkins, A. W. Wilken, and James E. Maxwell, and the Clerk was instructed to call the roll on the appointment, which resulted:

Trustee

Johnson yes,

Gordon yes,

Oltman yes,

Holton yes (carried).

The bond of Stephen F. Odell was read by the Clerk for approval, in which the roll call resulted:

Johnson yes

Gordon yes

Oltman yes

Holton yes (carried).

The bond of Chas. Oltman, Street Commissioner, was read for approval, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Johnson yes,

Gordon yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes (carried).

The bond of Chas. Oltman for Village Marshal was read by the Clerk for approval, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Johnson yes,
Gordon yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes (carried).

A communication was read by—
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The letter from the Government office, J. B. Bassett, Assistant Engineer, requesting the board to take such steps as may be necessary for the enforcement of the law which prohibits the dumping of garbage into the Mississippi River. An ordinance was drawn up to that effect which read as follows:

Ordinance No. 71

An ordinance prohibiting the dumping of garbage into the Mississippi River.

Section 1

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to dump any garbage into the Mississippi River within the corporate limits of said Village.

Section 2

The term "garbage" is intended to mean anything which is not of a liquid nature and includes dead animals of all kinds, and the cleanings from fish or clam shells.

Section 3

Any person or persons found violating Sections 1 and 2 of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not less than three dollars (\$3.00) and not more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars for each and every such offense, and upon the order of the Magistrate or Justice be committed to the Village Calaboose until said fine and costs are paid or he otherwise be discharged by law.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Gordon that we pass and approve the ordinance as read, on which the roll call resulted:

Johnson yes,

Gordon yes,

Oltman yes, and

Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Gordon that the tile on Marsh Alley be lowered to grade with the railroad tile, and the ditch be cleaned out below it so as not to stop the water on the railroad property (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting June 8, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board June 8, 1911

Meeting called to order with President G. F. M. Mabney in the chair. Roll call of Trustees showed four Trustees present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following accounts were presented to the Village Board by Charles Oltman, Street Commissioner:

To Charles Oltman	for labor	2.25
To Jacob Mohr	for labor	1.80
To Fred Mohr	for labor	1.80
To W. Jacobs	for labor	1.80

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the bills be allowed as read, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Mohr yes,
Johnson yes,
Oltman yes, and
Holton yes (carried).

The report of S. F. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$511.09.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Johnson that we put in one block of walk on the east side of River St. between Locust and Oak St., and bring the walk down to grade on the north side of Oak St. between River St. and Broad St., and extend another block of walk up the cemetery hill. The roll call resulted:

Trustee Mohr yes,
Johnson yes,
Oltman no,
Holton no.

The vote resulted in a tie and the President voted yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Mohr that we instruct the President to go and see and correspond with all the property owners along the walk to be put in on River St. to see if it is satisfactory to all (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Special Meeting June 24, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board June 24, 1911

Meeting called by the President for the purpose of transacting any and all business that may properly come before the meeting when convened.

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair. Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and were objected to by Trustee Holton, stating that the minutes did not specify the street on which the walk was to be laid up the cemetery hill.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Mohr that we make the corrections in the minutes specifying the street on which the sidewalk is to be laid up the cemetery hill (carried).

The correction reads: That the walk up the cemetery hill is to be laid on the west side of Pearl St. between Center and Chestnut Sts.

Moved by Trustee Mohr that we levy \$650. Trustee Holton made an amendment to the motion that we levy \$500. Seconded by Trustee Oltman. Vote on amendment:

Trustee Mohr no,
Johnson yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes (carried).

The following ordinances were drawn up by the Ordinance Committee:

Ordinance No. 72

An ordinance providing for a tax levy for the fiscal year beginning April 23, 1911 and ending April 23, 1912.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of the Village of Hampton, Illinois, that the following is the purposes and amounts appropriated for such purposes to be collected from the tax levied for the present fiscal year ending April 23, 1912:

Bonds and Interest	200.00
Streets and Sidewalks	300.00
	\$500.00

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Ills., that the following shall be and the same is hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes as herein specified for the municipal year ending April 23, 1912:

Streets and Alleys	250.00
Sidewalks	750.00
Miscellaneous Fund	200.00
Officers' Salary	85.00
	\$1,285.00

Moved by Trustees Holton and Johnson that we pass and adopt the tax levy ordinance and appropriation ordinance as read, on which the vote resulted:

Trustee Mohr yes,
Johnson yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustee Johnson that we instruct the Clerk to ask Beder Wood for the least number of bbls of cement he considers a carload to the Village of Hampton. Seconded by Trustee Mohr (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Johnson to adjourn (carried).
Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting July 1, 1911

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS ,
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board July 1, 1911

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Holton absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following accounts were presented to the board by Charles Oltman, Street Commissioner:

To Arthur Peterson	for labor with team	8.73
To Curt Conners	for labor	5.40
To Jacob Mohr	“ “	1.80
To Fred Mohr	“ “	3.95
To W. Jacobs	“ “	6.19
To Charles Oltman	“ “	11.50

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the accounts be allowed as read.

Trustee Mohr yes,

Oltman yes,

Johnson yes (carried).

The report of S. F. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$503.44. Moved by Trustees Johnson and Mohr that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The list of property belonging to the Village of Hampton, presented by James E. Maxwell, former Street Commissioner, was accepted and ordered placed on file on motion of Trustees Mohr and Oltman.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Mohr that the President be instructed to buy 190 bbls of cement at \$1.50 per bbl, including four sacks at 10¢ each, for the Village of Hampton from Beder Wood, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Mohr yes,

Oltman yes,

Johnson yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting August 5, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board August 5, 1911

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following accounts were presented to the board by Charles Oltman, Street Commissioner:

To Jacob Mohr	for labor	18.00
To Fred Mohr	“ “	30.75
To James Marx	“ “	13.05
To Art Learners	“ “	26.77
To Wm. Jacobs	“ “	26.77
To Albert Barsel	“ “	27.67
To Henry Hermes	“ “	25.20
To Tom Vogle	“ “	22.83
To Charles Glantz	“ “	36.52
To Charles Oltman	“ “	40.25
To Charles Sikes,	“ “ with team	17.90
To Frank Johnson	“ “ “	14.40
To Harry Peterson	“ “ “	56.25
To Arthur Peterson	“ “ “	69.30
To Wallace Leichler	for surveying	10.00
To Mrs. Kleinau	for scrubbing Town Hall	1.00
To Fred Oltman	for shovels, nails & grease	2.65
To Stephen Odell	for freight on cement	38.27

On motion of Trustees Johnson and Holton to allow the bills and issue orders on the Treasurer for the same, the roll call resulted:

Trustee Mohr yes,
Johnson yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes (carried).

The report of S. F. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$610.03. Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustee Mohr and Johnson that the Clerk be instructed to mail to the County Clerk a certified copy of the tax levy ordinance (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Johnson that the notice relating to the bond in Port Byron be laid over till the nextmeeting, the Village not being in a position to pay it (carried).

The following resolution was read by the Clerk:

Whereas, there is not sufficient money in the treasury of the Village of Hampton to meet and defray the ordinary expenses thereof,

Be it resolved that to meet said expenses, the President and Clerk of the Village Board be and they are hereby authorized to borrow money for said purpose to be paid solely out of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1911, and issue warrants therefor bearing interest at 5% in anticipation of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1911, to seventy-five (75%) percent of said levy, and that the taxes to the amount of the warrants so issued and interest be set apart for the payment thereof.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the resolution as read be adopted (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that the President and Clerk be authorized to issue a warrant on the Village Treasurer payable to the Peoples Savings Bank and Trust Co. of Moline, Ills., to borrow Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars with interest thereon at five (5%) percent per annum, said warrant to be dated Sept. 1, 1911 (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting September 2, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Sept. 2nd 1911
Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees showed all present.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To Albert Barsel	for labor	10.13
To Art Conners	for labor	.67
To Tom Vogle	for labor	23.18
To Jacob Mohr	for labor	19.90
To W. Jacobs	for labor	18.33
To Fred Mohr	for labor	25.42
To Harry Peterson	for labor with team	44.10
To Charles Glantz	for labor	35.00
To James Marx	for labor	19.13
To Frank Johnson	for labor with team	28.93
To Lester Willis	“ “	7.30
To Charles Oltman	for labor	34.50
To Art Peterson	for labor	35.55
To Geo W. Gamble,	recording deed	1.00

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted:

Mohr yes,
Johnson yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes (carried).

The bill of Beder Wood was then read for 190 bbls of cement at \$1.50 per sack, less the freight \$38.27, leaving \$246.73.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Mohr that the Beder Wood bill be allowed and an order drawn for its payment, on which the roll call resulted:

Mohr yes,
Johnson yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes (carried).

The report of S. F. Odell, Village Treasurer, was read showing a balance of \$900.23.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Holton that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

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Moved by Trustees Johnson and Mohr that the interest on Pettingill note be paid, amount \$20.00, on which the roll call resulted:

Mohr yes,

Johnson yes,

Oltman yes,

Holton yes (carried).

The following resolution was passed and adopted by the Village Board on motion of Trustees Holton and Johnson:

Mr. F. A. Wendel, Kadoka, South Dakota.

Dear Sir: The Village Board has requested me to notify you that the condition of your property located on River St. in the Village of Hampton, Ills., is in such a condition that it has become a nuisance. You are further notified that the same must be looked after and removed within 30 days from this date. Should you fail to do so, the matter will be taken in hand by the Board and the nuisance removed at the expense of the property.

Moved by Trustee Holton and Johnson that an order be drawn on the Treasurer for \$5.00 to pay our assessment to the Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association, on which the roll call resulted:

Mohr yes,

Johnson yes,

Oltman yes,

Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Mohr to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Special Meeting October 2, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board Oct. 2, 1911
Hampton, Ills., Sept. 30, 1911

To the Village Clerk and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Ills.:

You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Board will be held at the Village Hall in Hampton, Monday at 6 o'clock A.M., to transact any and all business that may properly come before said meeting when convened.

G. F. McNabney, President

Meeting called to order with President G. F. M. Mabney in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Mohr, Johnson, Oltman, and Holton present.

Moved by Trustee Holton and Mohr to dispense with reading of the minutes (carried).

An ordinance was presented to the Village Board for adoption which read as follows:

Ordinance No. 74

An ordinance amending Section 4 of Article 3 of Ordinance No. 1 concerning the Village Board.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Illinois, that Section 4 of Article 3 of Ordinance No. — be and the same is amended to read as follows:

Section 1

A majority of the Village Board shall constitute a quorum to transact business, but a smaller number may adjourn from time to time until a quorum may be had.

Section 2

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Johnson that we pass and approve the ordinance as read, the roll call resulting: Mohr yes, Johnson yes, Oltman yes, Holton yes (carried).

The following bills were read by the Clerk (continued page 113).

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To Charles Glantz	for labor	3.60
To Fred Mohr	for labor	23.40
To Jacob Mohr	for labor	3.60
To W. Jacobs	for labor	27.20
To Al Patten	for labor	17.14
To Tom Vogel	for labor	14.40
To Charles Oltman	for labor	35.25
To Albert Winter,	“ “ with team	18.00
To Elmer Oltman	for labor “ “	7.20
To Arthur Peterson	for labor “ “	18.00
To Harry Peterson	for labor “ “	44.10
To Geo Wilken	for 6 mo. salary as Clerk, postage, registered letters, mantles & posts for lamp, ordinance book and stationery	29.08
To Stephen Odell	for six months salary as Treasurer, stationery, and one trip to Rock Island	19.00

Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the Treasurer for their payment, on which the roll call resulted:

Mohr yes,
Johnson yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read by the Clerk showing a balance of \$325.32.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman to put in two cement crossings, one on the north side of Oak St. on Crystal St. and one on the north side of Walnut St. on Broad St. (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Johnson to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Special Meeting October 21, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board Oct. 21, 1911
Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Robinson, Oltman, and Holton present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and special meetings were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Arthur Peterson	for labor with team	5.00
To Harry Peterson	“ “ “	22.95
To Chas. Oltman	for Labor	15.25
To Fred Mohr	“ “	1.35
To Louis Kleinan	“ “	8.25
To Chas. Glantz	“ “	5.18
To Chas. Schreiber,	.6 yds sand	3.00
To Moline Scale Factory	for catch basin grate	4.68

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the bills be allowed as read, the vote resulting:
Johnson yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes (carried).

A communication was read by the Clerk concerning the Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association, asking the Village Board to appoint delegates to the convention to be held at Alton, Ills., on Oct. 25–26.

Moved by Trustee Oltman that the President appoint two delegates to the convention at the expense of the Village, but as he failed to get a second he withdrew the motion and made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Trustee Johnson (carried).

Geo Wilken
Clerk

Regular Meeting November 4, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Nov. 4, 1911

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Holton absent, consequently had no quorum.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman to adjourn until Tuesday night, Nov. 7, 1911 (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting November 8, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board Nov. 8, 1911

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Johnson, Oltman, and Holton present.

The minutes of the last special and regular meetings were read.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that we make an amendment to the minutes changing the date of adjournment from Nov. 7 to Nov. 8, 1911 (carried), after which the minutes stood approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To J. F. Oltman	for 3 gallons of oil and a coal hod	.77
To the legal advisor	for liquor dramshop bonds and postage	5.00
To Gustav Harder	for fixing pick and chain and 1 new snatch hook	1.00
To Harry Peterson	for labor with team returning wheeler slips to Silvis	2.25
To Dave Patten	for labor	1.13
To Charles Oltman	for attending two scarlet fever cases, 10 days from Oct. 29–Nov. 8	20.00
To Robert Johnson	for special service as Marshal Halloween night	2.00
To E.E.. Rogers and Sons,	bond No. 3—interest on entire amount	204.00

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Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the Treasurer for the amount, on which the vote resulted:

Johnson yes,

Oltman yes,

Holton yes (carried).

The resignation of M. B. Underwood as Police Magistrate was read by the Clerk, on which Trustee Johnson made a motion, seconded by Trustee Holton, that the resignation be accepted, on which the vote resulted:

Johnson yes,

Oltman yes,

Holton yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$499.69. Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the Street Commissioner be instructed to bring the approaches to the railroad to grade on the streets, namely on North Alley, Locust, Oak, and Chestnut Streets, and to put in gutters on River St. between Oak and Locust Streets, and also to raise the concrete block to grade in front of Falschen Hall (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Special Meeting November 23, 1911

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board Nov. 23, 1911

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees and Trustees Johnson, Oltman, and Holton present.

Reading of the call:

Hampton, Ills., Nov. 21st 1911

To Geo. W. Wilken, Village Clerk, and to the Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Ills.

You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Village Board will be held Nov. 23, 1911 at the hour of 7:30 P.M. at the Village Hall in Hampton, Ills., for the purpose of transacting any and all business that may properly come before said meeting when convened.
G. F. McNabney, Village Pres.

The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The Board of Health reported that they had been notified to quarantine the residences of Henry Light and Henry Hannevacker on Oct. 28, and that they had been notified today to fumigate and lift the quarantine from the residence of Henry Light, the contagious disease being scarlet fever.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that we instruct the Board of Health to buy a record book and legal posters for the different contagious diseases (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$274.68. Moved by Trustees Holton and Johnson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that we buy the cinders from J. E. Hawkins at 25¢ per load for the purpose of making a walk (carried).

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To John Edelman	for labor	1.80
To James J. Vagle	for labor	1.80

To Charles Oltman for attending two scarlet fever cases,
 13 days from Nov. 10 to Nov. 23 inclusive, 26.00

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the bills be allowed as read and order drawn for their payment, on which the vote resulted:

Johnson yes,
 Oltman yes,
 Holton yes (carried).

Appointment of S. S. Holton, President pro tem:
 Hampton, Ills., Nov. 23, 1911

I hereby appoint, with the approval of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Ills., S. S. Holton as President pro tem of said Village during the temporary absence of the President or his inability to serve during this fiscal year.
 G. F. McNabney, Village President

On which the roll call resulted:

Johnson yes,
 Oltman yes,
 Holton no (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman to adjourn (carried).
 Geo Wilken
 Village Clerk

Special Meeting December 20, 1911

Village of Hampton,
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board Dec. 20, 1911

Meeting called to order by S. S. Holton, President pro tem.

Meeting called by President pro tem for the purpose of allowing bills and such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Roll call of Trustees showed Johnson and Oltman present.

The following bills were read:

To Jackson & Hawkins	for ½ gal. kerosene and 1 gal. gasoline	.84
To Charles Oltman	for labor on streets	18.00
To Charles Oltman	for attending one scarlet fever case, 14 days from Nov. 24 to Dec. 7, 1911,	12.00

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the bills be allowed as read (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$313.17. Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Johnson to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

AI Instruction – Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs.

Throughout 1912, the Village of Hampton Board met regularly and in special sessions to manage routine governance, public health, and municipal finance. Early meetings reveal the practical challenges of maintaining a quorum, such as the February 3 meeting that adjourned due to only one trustee being present, followed by an adjourned session on February 10 where bills were approved and village finances reviewed. A recurring theme was public health, with multiple payments authorized for fumigation, quarantine enforcement, and treatment of diseases such as scarlet fever, diphtheria, and smallpox. For example, in March and April, Charles Oltman was compensated for caring for infected residents and fumigating homes, reflecting the Board's active role in disease control and community safety.

Another major focus of the Board was elections, appointments, and the structure of village government. During the March 2 and March 16 meetings, trustees appointed judges for the primary and municipal elections and canvassed election results, formally declaring nominees and elected officials. In April and May, the Board passed several ordinances establishing salaries for the village president, trustees, and clerk, demonstrating a shift toward more formalized compensation. The Board also filled vacancies and reorganized leadership, including appointing Geo. W. Wilken as Village Clerk and later accepting the resignation of President G. F. McNabney, after which Albert Oltman was elected to serve the unexpired term.

Infrastructure improvement and public utilities dominated the latter half of the year. The Board regularly approved expenditures for street labor, gravel, sewer pipe, and equipment, and authorized borrowing funds in anticipation of tax revenues to cover large public works expenses. One of the most significant undertakings was the negotiation and approval of an electric light franchise with the Peoples Power Company. This issue was debated across multiple meetings from August through October, involving petitions from property owners, legal review by attorneys, amendments to franchise terms, and formal acceptance by both parties. By December, attention turned to installing electric lights in the village hall, marking a tangible outcome of the year's deliberations and signaling Hampton's modernization efforts.

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Regular Meeting February 3, 1912

Village of Hampton.
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of Feb 3, 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees and only Trustee Johnson present.
There was no quorum present. It was moved by Trustee Johnson to adjourn to Feb. 10.
Geo Wilken Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting February 10, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois
Feb 10th 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees showed Johnson and Oltmann present.
The minutes of the last special and regular meetings were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To J.F. Oltman	for 3 lbs rope + 1 can of paint	.60
To E. C. Henline	26 1/4 bu coal at 17 1/4	4.46
To Moline Herald Printing Co	for printing 60 playcards + postage	3.17
To A. W. Wilken	for services as chairman of board of health for the quarantine of H. Light and Jerry Hennewacker + record book	5.00
To the Legal Advisor Publishing Co	for election supplies	6.95
To Geo Wilken	for expressage on supplies	.33
To Charles Oltman	for fumigating residence Mr Klever	1.00
To Charles Oltman	for housing nine (9) tramps	2.25
To Henry Kloty	for one (1) load of cinder	.75

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Johnson yes,
Oltman yes (carried).

A bill was then read by the Clerk in favor of Henry Light for fumigating his residence \$5.00 and material \$2.00. Total \$7.00.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Johnson that the bill be allowed at \$5.00, \$2.00 for material and \$3.00 for fumigation, on which the roll call resulted

Oltman yes and Johnson yes (carried).

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The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$284.68. Moved by Trustees Oltman and Johnson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting March 2, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting March 2nd 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Johnson and Oltman present.
The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$253.13.
Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried). The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To Charles Oltman for taking care of Scarlet Fever case at John Vogels + fumigating	23.00
To Charles Oltman for plowing snow there	1.75
To Fred Mohr for labor	1.33
To Harry Peterson for plowing snow with team	3.15
To S. F. Odell to pay the different parties for the returning of cement sacks	29.75

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted:
Trustee Johnson yes,
Oltman yes (carried).

After which the board proceeded with the appointment of judges for the primary and municipal elections.

Trustee Holton being absent, the board instructed the President to appoint one of the judges.

He appointed Trustee Johnson for Judge.

Trustee Johnson appointed President G. F. McNabney as Judge and Trustee Oltman appointed Wm. Edelman Sr. as Judge of elections, which names were approved by the village board and they were declared Judges of the Primary election March 12th 1912 and Municipal election April 16th 1912.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Johnson to adjourn to March 16, 1912 (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting March 16, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

March 16th 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Johnson, Oltman and Holton present. The minutes of the previous meeting read and approved. The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$202.15. Moved by Trustee Oltman and Johnson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried). The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To D. Y. Altsbrow for fumigating material 4.00

To G. F. M. Varney for services as Judge of primary election 6.00 + one day posting ballots 1.50 = 7.50

To J. F. Johnson for services as Judge of primary election 6.00

To W. E. Edelman Sr. Judge of primary election 6.00

To Geo Wilken Clerk 6.00

To J. C. Hawkins Clerk 6.00

To S. F. Odell Clerk 6.00

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Holton that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Johnson yes, Oltman yes and Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the Clerk read the minutes of the meetings of Dec 20 1911, Feb 3rd, Feb 10th and March 2nd 1912 for approval (carried).

This being done, it was moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the minutes, bills, and all business transacted by the board at the meetings held Dec 20th 1911, Feb 3rd, Feb 10th and March 2nd 1912 be approved as read (carried unanimously).

The village board then decided to canvass the votes of a primary election held Mar 12th 1912.

Trustee Johnson being the lucky one of the trustees to act with the President and Clerk, as a result of a draw from the honorable President's hat. A canvass was then taken which was found true and correct and resulted as follows:

For Village Clerk for 2 years – blank

For Police Magistrate for 1 year to fill vacancy – blank

For Trustee for 2 years	Albert Oltman received	9 votes
“ “ “ “	O. E. Holton “	8 “
“ “ “ “	C. J. H. Hannevacker “	8 “

For 1 year to fill vacancy	Eugene Cook “	7 “
“ “ “ “	Arthur Peterson “	8 “
“ “ “ “	Edward Mohr “	6 “

And the candidates were declared the nominees of said offices, the Anti-Salary Party for the municipal election to be held April 16th 1912. Moved by Trustees Oltman and Johnson to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting April 6, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

April 6th 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees and Johnson, Oltman and Holton being present.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Geo Wilken	for salary, postage, stationery and one trip to East Moline printing ballots	28.15
To Robert Lee	for labor	1.12
To Dave Patten	“ “	2.70
To James Vogel	“ “	3.82
To Tom Vogel	“ “	3.38
To Fred Mohr	“ “	.90
To Harry Peterson	“ “ with team	4.05
To S. F. Odell	for services as Treasurer, stamps and stationery	18.00
To Charles Oltman	for attending smallpox patients at Kleinaus from Feb 24 to Mar 3, and attending diphtheria cases at Coders from Feb 24 to Mar 6 and from Mar 16 to Mar 27	36.00
To Charles Oltman	for cabin	8.50
To Jackson & Hawkins	for 2 loads of cinders	.68
To Roy Falscher	for 3 cans of enamel	.50
To D. Y. Altsbrow	for fumigating material	5.00
To Herald Printing Co	for printing 50 specimen and 200 official primary ballots	4.25

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for their payment (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$190.65.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

An ordinance was presented to the village board for action which read as follows:
Ordinance No. 74

Section 1

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Ills., that beginning with the municipal year 1912, the President of the village shall be paid as a

compensation for his services a salary of Two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) per meeting for attending each and every meeting of the board, payable quarterly.

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Section 2

The Village Trustees shall be paid as a compensation for their services a salary of One Dollar (\$1) per meeting for attending each and every meeting of the board, payable quarterly. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3

Moved by Trustee Oltman that the ordinance as read be passed and adopted, seconded by Trustee Holton, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Johnson no, Oltman yes, Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the Street Commissioner borrow the drag from Watertown and drag the roads to demonstrate what the drag will do (carried). Moved by Trustees Oltman and Holton that we adjourn to Saturday night April 20th 1912 (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 20, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting April 20th 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees and Trustees Johnson, Oltman and Holton present.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Geo Wilken	for services as Clerk of Election 4-14-12	6.00
To J. C. Hawkins	“ “ “ “ “ “	6.00
To S. F. Odell	“ “ “ “ “ “	6.00
To John Johnson	“ “ Judge “ “ “	6.00
To Wm. Edelman 1st	“ “ “ “ “ “	6.00
To G. F. McNabney	for services as Judge of election 4-16-12 and posting sample ballots	7.50

To Geo Wilken	one trip to East Moline for printing of ballots and postage	1.50
To Edward Rohren	for labor with team	4.83
To Arthur Peterson	“ “ “	4.05
To James Vogel	“ “	.90
To Charlie Oltman	“ “	3.00
To N. H. Sielke	for two fumigators + vaccine	1.85

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Holton that all the bills be allowed as read except the Sielke bill, on which the roll call resulted”

Trustee Johnson yes,

Oltman no,

Holton yes (carried).

The Treasurer’s report was read showing a balance of \$73.60.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the Treasurer’s report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

A petition was presented to the board in regard to muzzling or tying up dogs owing to the epidemic of rabies for public safety. Moved by Trustee Holton that the President issue a proclamation that all dogs must be kept tied up or securely muzzled until further notice, seconded by Trustee Johnson (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that we proceed with the canvass of the votes of the election of April 16, 1912 (carried). A canvass was then taken and was found true and correct and resulted:

For Village Clerk for two years

James S. Maywell	received	34 votes
Geo Wilken	“	12 “
Jacob Hermes	“	1 “
C. E. Sikes	“	1 “

For Police Magistrate

Robert Johnson	“	38 “
C. E. Sikes	“	1 “

Village Trustees for two years

Joseph Cloudt	“	26 “
A. W. Wilken	“	21 “
Robert E. Lee	“	20 “
Albert Ortman	“	44 “
E. E. Holton	“	41 “
J. H. Hannewacker	“	39 “

For Village Trustees for one year to fill vacancy

J. Sheppard	received	17	votes
Fred Hill	“	28	“
Eugene Cook	“	32	“
Arthur Peterson	“	40	“
Edward Mohr	“	60	“
John F. Johnson	“	1	“

James S. Maxwell having received the highest number of votes for Village Clerk was declared elected Village Clerk.

Robert Johnson having received the highest number of votes for Police Magistrate for one year to fill vacancy was declared duly elected Police Magistrate.

Albert Oltman, E. E. Holton and C. J. H. Hannevacker having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustees for two years were declared duly elected for Village Trustees for two years.

Arthur Peterson, Eugene Cook and Edward Mohr having received the highest number of votes for Village Justice for one year to fill vacancy were declared duly elected for Village Justices for one year to fill vacancy.

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Oltman that the minutes as read be approved (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that we adjourn sine die (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Special Meeting April 20, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board April 20th 1912

Called by the President for organization of the new board. Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Mohr, Oltman, Hannevacker, Cook, Peterson and Holton present. Moved by Trustees Mohr and Holton that the President appoint a temporary committee of three with power to act to look at the ditch on Crystal St. between north alley and Oak St. to see what is necessary to be done (carried).

He appointed Trustees Mohr, Holton and Hannevacker.

Moved by Trustee Hannevacker and Cook to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Special Meeting April 23, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board April 23rd 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all Trustees present.

Reading of the call: To Geo W. Wilken, Village Clerk. A special meeting is called April 23rd 1912 to transact any and all business that may properly come before said meeting. G. F. M. Habney, President.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. After which the President presented the name S. F. Odell for Village Treasurer.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Holton that S. F. Odell be accepted as Village Treasurer, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Oltman yes,

Mohr yes,

Hannewacker yes,

Cook yes,

Peterson yes,

Holton yes (carried unanimously).

The President then appointed Martin Johnson as Street Commissioner and Marshal, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Oltman no,

Mohr no,

Hannewacker yes,

Cook yes,

Peterson yes,

Holton no (carried).

The President then made the following appointments on Committees:

Street & Alley Committee: Trustees Mohr, Holton and Oltman

Finance Committee: Trustees Hannewacker, Peterson and Cook

Board of Health: A. W. Wilken, J. C. Hawkins and Oltman

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Hannewacker that the board authorize the Street Commissioner to put in one more day's work on north alley (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Cook to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 4, 1912

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting May 4th 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all Trustees present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Louis Kleinar	for labor	5.62
To James Vogel	"	5.40
To Jacob Mohr	"	3.60
To Tom Vogel	"	5.40
To Charles Oltman a	for labor and housing tramps	6.50
To Warren Sikes	for labor with team	7.20
To Harry Peterson	" " "	3.60
To Edward Rohren	" " "	9.60
To East Moline Herald	for printing ballots election	5.75
To H. H. Siebke	for two fumigators and vaccine	1.85

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Holton that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted"

Trustee Mohr yes,

Cook yes,

Hannewacker yes,

Oltman yes,

Peterson yes,

Holton yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$933.88.

Moved by Trustees Hannewacker and Mohr that the Treasurer's report be adopted (carried).

A communication from the Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association was read stating that they had levied \$5.00 against the Village as their annual assessment for the association.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that we appropriate \$5 as our assessment toward the Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Mohr yes, Cook yes, Hannewacker yes, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Mohr that the Treasurer be instructed to pay the Peoples Trust and Savings Bank the warrant \$5000 borrowed Sept. 1, 1911 together with the interest, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Mohr yes,
Cook yes,
Hannewacker yes,
Oltman yes,
Peterson yes,
Holton yes (carried).

The following ordinance was presented by Trustee Hannewacker for action:

Ordinance No. 75

An ordinance fixing the salary of the Village Clerk.

Section 1.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Ills., that the Village Clerk be allowed as a compensation for his services a salary of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars per year payable quarterly.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Moved by Trustees Hannewacker and Peterson that the ordinance as read be adopted and passed, on which the roll call resulted”

Trustee Mohr yes,
Cook yes,
Hannewacker yes,
Oltman yes,
Peterson yes,
Cook yes (carried).

The President then appointed with the approval of the Village Board Geo W. Wilken as Village Clerk to fill a vacancy. He to hold said office until the next annual Village election and until his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Moved by Trustees Hannewacker and Mohr that Geo W. Wilken be accepted as Village Clerk to fill a vacancy and he to hold said office until the next annual election and until his successor is duly elected and qualified (carried).

Moved by Trustees Cook and Hannewacker to adjourn to two weeks from tonight May 18th 1912 (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting May 18, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting May 18th 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all Trustees present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The bond of the Village Clerk was read and presented for action.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Hannevacker that the Clerk's bond be approved and accepted (carried).

The President then appointed Charles S. Lee for Street Commissioner and Marshal, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Mohr yes,

Oltman yes,

Hannevacker yes,

Cook yes,

Peterson yes and

Holton yes (carried unanimously).

A communication was read from Mr. Sikes to make an improvement on north alley commencing on the west side of crossing on River St., thence running west a distance of seventy ft., making a fill not to exceed sixteen inches., asking the Village Board to grant permission.

Moved by Trustees Hannevacker and Cook that he be granted the permission (carried).

The following ordinance was presented by Trustee Mohr for adoption:

Ordinance No. 76

An ordinance providing for a tax levy for the fiscal year beginning April 23rd 1912 and ending April 23rd 1913.

Section 1

Be it ordained by the Village Board of the Village of Hampton Ills. that the following is the purposes and amounts appropriated for such purposes to be collected from the tax levied for the present fiscal year ending April 23rd 1913.

Bonds and Interest	\$200.00
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Streets and Sidewalks	\$300.00
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Total	\$500.00
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On which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Oltman yes,

Hannewacker yes,
Cook yes,
Peterson yes,
Holton yes (carried).

Ordinance No. 77 presented by Trustee Holton for adoption Appropriation Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills. that the following shall be and the same is hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes as herein specified for the municipal year ending April 23rd 1913:

Streets and alleys	\$750.00
Sidewalks	\$100.00
Miscellaneous fund	\$200.00
Officers' salary	\$110.00
Total	\$1160.00

On which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,
Oltman yes,
Hannewacker yes,
Cook yes,
Peterson yes and
Holton yes (carried).

The following application was read:

Hampton, Ill. May 18th 1912

To the Honorable President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ill.
I hereby wish to make application for a license to operate pool tables in the place which I have rented known as Fulscher's Hall in the Village of Hampton.
Respectfully, Best Hulsiger

Moved by Trustees Hannewacker and Mohr that he be granted a license (carried).

The following ordinance was presented by Trustee Holton for adoption:

Ordinance No. 78

Repealing Sec. 4 of Ordinance No. 28.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills. that Section Four (4) of Ordinance No. Twenty-Eight (28) be and the same is repealed.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Peterson to adopt and pass the ordinance as read, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,
Oltman yes,
Hannewacker yes,
Cook yes,
Peterson yes and
Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Hannewacker to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting June 1, 1912

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting June 1 1912

Meeting called to order with President G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all present except Trustee Cook.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Edelman the 1st asked the Village Board to grant him permission to build a permanent platform or porch-like structure in front of his building which he is remodeling, as it projects in the street on lot one (1) in block two (2) as it projects in the street. After a few remarks the Village Board took no action on granting the permission as he stated it would be there anyway.

Moved by Trustee Holton that the President take legal proceedings if Mr. Edelman undertakes to put an obstruction in the street in front of lot one (1) in block two (2) with power to act, seconded by Trustee Hannevacker (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$373.69 which was accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Gustov Harder	for blacksmithing, fixing tools etc.	3.50
To Fred Oltman	for shoes, nails, scythe etc.	6.50
To James Vogel	for labor	14.18
To Fred Mohr	" "	10.58
To Charles S. Lee	for labor and as Street Commissioner and use of wagon	17.50
To W. Jacobs	for Labor	3.60
To Bert Cook	" " with team	11.23
To David Patten	for labor	12.60
To Jacob Mohr	" "	6.53

Moved by Trustees Hannevacker and Mohr that the bills be allowed as read, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Peterson yes,

Hannevacker yes,

Oltman yes and

Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hannevacker and Mohr that the Street Commissioner in the future itemize his bills (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Peterson that the bond of Charles S. Lee for Street
Commissioner and Village Marshal be approved and—
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... excepted (carried) Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Mohr that the Street and Alley Committee go and investigate obstructions in the alley in block no. nine (9) (carried).

A statement was presented by Trustee Mohr from E. E. Swarm asking the board to grant him a permit to put in two posts set apart, connected together with a 2×12 plank edgeways, to be used as a place to unload in front of the Wendel place which he had rented.

Moved by Trustee Mohr that he be granted the permit, seconded by Trustee Oltman.

Trustee Holton made an amendment to the motion that the Village Board reserve the right to remove the posts whenever it is not used any more or for some other cause, seconded by Trustee Hennewacker (carried). The original motion also carried.

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Oltman that the Street and Alley Committee go and investigate with power to act and see how many tile is needed on River St. at south end and on Crystal St. or railroad on Locust St. and north alley (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that the Street Commissioner be instructed to clean out the gutter and tiles on all streets and cut down the cemetery hill to grade (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Hennewacker to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Special Meeting June 25, 1912

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island
 State of Illinois

Special Meeting June 25th 1912

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Hennewacker absent.

Reading of the call: Hampton Ills. June 25th 1912.

To Geo W. Wilken and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills. You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Village Board will be held Tuesday night at the usual hour to transact any and all business that may properly come before said meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$287.45.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Charles Lee	for labor on streets	33.37
To Gustav Harder	for blacksmithing	11.75
To Edward Rohren	for labor with team	1.33
To Bert Cook	" " "	39.60
To Fred Mohr	for labor	26.88
To Johannes Vogel	" "	23.28
To Warren Sikes	" " with team	22.95
To David Patten	for labor	2.92
To Wm. Jacobs	" "	17.77
To Jacob Mohr	" "	16.42
To Beder Wood	sewer pipe	84.44
To E. C. Henline	freight on sewer pipe	20.16

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Oltman that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Peterson yes,

Oltman yes and

Holton yes (carried).

Resolution presented by Trustee Holton: Be it resolved that to meet said expenses that the President and Clerk of the Village Board be and they are hereby authorized to borrow money for said purpose to be—

... paid solely out of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1912 and issue warrants therefor bearing interest at 5% in anticipation of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1912 to seventy-five (75%) per cent of said levy, and that the taxes to the amount of the warrants so issued and interest be set apart for the payment thereof. Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that the resolution as read be approved and adopted, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Mohr yes, Peterson yes, Oltman no and Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Peterson that the President and Clerk be authorized to draw a warrant for \$500.00 at 5% interest, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Mohr yes, Peterson yes, Oltman no and Holton yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that the Street Commissioner be empowered to purchase paint and paint the town hall (carried).

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Holton that the Street and Alley Committee be instructed to go and see what work needs to be done on River St. and the top of the hill through the hollow near the corporation line (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Holton that the Street Commissioner dispose of all the inch lumber that he does not see fit to use (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that we adjourn to the first Saturday in August or August the 3rd (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting August 3, 1912

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Aug 3rd 1912

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Roy Falscher	for white lead, oil etc.	9.20
To O. J. Guckert	for painting town hall	22.00
To Gustav Harder	for blacksmithing	1.65
To Henry Bilgeshausen	for 2 loads of gravel	1.00
To Albert Oltman	for 130 loads of sand	13.00
To Fred Oltman	for shovel handle, spikes, nails etc.	2.23
To Charles Lee	for labor and use of wagon	55.50
To David Patten	for labor	16.87
To Herbert Oltman	“ “	3.87
To Wm. Jacobs	“ “	14.62
To James Vogel	“ “	16.87
To Wm. Lear	“ “	3.60
To Jake Mohr	“ “	33.07
To Fred Mohr	“ “	46.12
To Bert Cook	for labor with team	24.52
To Warren Sikes	“ “ “	36.22

The roll call to allow the bills resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Hennewacker yes,

Oltman yes,

Holton yes and

Peterson yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$536.86. Moved by Trustees Mohr and Holton that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

A franchise was read by the Clerk between the Peoples Power Company and Village of Hampton on electric lights. Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that the matter be laid over for two weeks (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Peterson that the Street Commissioner be instructed to finish up the unfinished work (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Peterson that the Street and Alley Committee be instructed to go and investigate the trouble about—

cutting down trees in the hollow of north alley road (carried).

A proposition of Mr. Gray was brought up by Trustee Holton that he would donate the pump to the Village providing they would put a cement curb around it.

Moved by Trustee Peterson that we accept the proposition.

Moved by Trustee Hennewacker that we do not accept the proposition.

A vote was then taken on the substitute first and the motion lost. A vote was then taken on the original motion which carried.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Peterson that the President stop the third pool table immediately of Holsinger and Schafer until the licenses are paid (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Hennewacker that the Village Board take steps and give immediate notice to Mrs. Kleinen for her to move out of town within 10 days after notice.

Trustee Holton made an amendment to the motion that the President see that the work is carried out. A roll call was taken on the original motion first which resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,
Hennewacker yes,
Oltman yes,
Holton yes and
Peterson yes (carried).

Vote on amendment also carried.

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Holton to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Special Meeting August 26, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Special Meeting Aug 26th 1912

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. M. Harney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all present except Trustee Hennewacker.

Reading of the call:

To Geo W. Wilken, Clerk of the Village of Hampton Ills., and to the Board of Trustees. A special meeting of the Village Board will be held Monday night Aug 26 1912 to transact any and all business that may properly come before said meeting when convened. G. F. M. Habney, President.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The franchise or contract between the Peoples Power Co. and Village of Hampton was thoroughly read and discussed and several sections and clauses were checked to be submitted to an attorney.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Holton that the Marshal be instructed to go and see all the property owners in the tri-cities to get their signatures on the petition in regard to the electric light (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Peterson that Trustee Holton be instructed to submit the franchise to Mr. Wood for amendment and in case Mr. Wood is away to submit to another attorney with power to act (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Special Meeting September 5, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Special Meeting Sept 5th 1912

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

Reading of the call:

To Geo W. Wilken, Clerk of the Village of Hampton Ills., and to the Board of Trustees. A special meeting of the Village Board will be held Thursday night Sept 5 1912 at the usual hour to transact any and all business that may properly come before said meeting when convened. G. F. M. Habney, President.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the Clerk read the new franchise drawn up by Mr. Wood between the Peoples Power Co. and Village of Hampton (carried).

After the franchise was thoroughly read and discussed it was moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Mohr that we have the ten (10%) per cent discount for payment within ten (10) days incorporated in the franchise (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Hennewacker to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting September 7, 1912

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Sept. 7, 1912

In absence of the President the meeting was called to order by the Clerk, after which it was moved by Trustees Mohr and Peterson that Trustee Holton act as President pro tem (carried). Roll call of Trustees showed all present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Charles Lee	for labor on streets, getting signers on petition, trip to Moline, use of wagon etc.	30.00
To Albert Oltman	for 13 loads of gravel	1.30
To Dimock Gould & Co	for 50 sewer pipe	10.50
To Jacob Mohr	for labor	8.60
To Fred Mohr	“ “	9.60
To Warren Likes	for labor with team	15.30

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Peterson that the bills be allowed as read (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$458.20. Moved by Trustees Mohr and Peterson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Miss Eudora M. Stoddard having become sole heir of the T. S. Pettingill note amount \$400 suggested that a new note be issued in her name. Moved by Trustees Mohr and Oltman that we pay the interest due \$20.00 and \$100.00 principal, total \$120.00, and that three notes be drawn up in her name for the balance \$100.00 each to become payable at the following dates: Aug 9, 1913; Aug 9, 1914; Aug 9, 1915, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,
 Hennewacker yes,
 Oltman yes and
 Peterson yes (carried).

A communication from the Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association was read asking the Village to send delegates to the convention at Burlington, Iowa Sept 10–11–12, 1912 to represent the Village.

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Oltman that—

the communication be laid on the table (carried).

The following resolution was introduced by Trustee Mohr:

Be it resolved that the petition for electric lights etc. is signed by the owners of a majority of the frontage on the streets and alleys of the Village of Hampton.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Oltman that the resolution be adopted as read, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Hennewacker no,

Oltman yes,

Peterson yes (carried).

After which the two franchises between the Peoples Power Co. and Village of Hampton were debated and argued by attorney G. W. Wood for the village and Mr. Reimers for the Peoples Power Co. As the Village Board could not agree with them on the life of the franchise they decided to take additional time in which to consider the matter. Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Peterson to adjourn to Sept 14, 1912 (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting September 14, 1912

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island

State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting Sept 14, 1912

Meeting called to order by President pro tem C. C. Holton.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Peterson absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

After which the Village Board ordered the reading of the franchise. The franchise presented by the Peoples Power Co. was read and discussed and was approved by the Board and ordered placed on file.

As there was no other business it was moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Mohr to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Special Meeting October 2, 1912

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island
 State of Illinois

Special Meeting Oct 2nd 1912

Meeting called to order by President G. F. M. Habney.

Roll call of Trustees showed all present. Reading of the call:

Hampton Ills. Sept 30th 1912

Mr. Geo Wilken, Village Clerk, Hampton Ills.

Dear Sir: Please notify the President and Trustees that a special meeting will be held at the Town Hall Wednesday evening Oct 2nd 1912 at 8:00 o'clock for the purpose of passing on the electric light franchise and any other business that may properly come before the Board.

E.E.. Holton, Arthur Peterson and Edward Mohr

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Geo Wilken Clerk	for 1st quarter salary as Village Clerk, money order, postage and stationery	18.37
To S. F. Odell	for 1st quarter salary as Village Treasurer, trip to Rock Island, stationery, postage	19.00
To Chas. Lee	for labor	12.00
To Warren Sikes	for labor with team	1.52

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Peterson that the bills as read be allowed, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Hennewacker yes,

Oltman yes,

Holton yes and

Peterson yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$283.90.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Holton that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the electric light franchise be read (carried). After the franchise was read the Village Board instructed the Clerk to read the petitions signed by the property owners on the different streets specifying the frontage.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Holton that the petitions as—

... read be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Mohr that we accept the franchise as read by the Clerk, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Hennewacker yes,

Oltman no,

Holton yes and

Peterson yes (carried).

The franchise granted to the Peoples Power Company for electric lights will be found recorded in ordinance book on pages eleven (11) to twenty (20) inclusive. Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Holton to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Special Meeting October 15, 11912

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island

State of Illinois

Special Meeting Oct 15, 1912

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all present. Reading of the call:

Hampton Ills. Oct 14th 1912

To Geo W. Wilken, Village Clerk, and to the Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills. A special meeting of the Village Board will be held at the Village Hall Tuesday night Oct 15th 1912 at the usual hour for the purpose of transacting any and all business that may properly come before said meeting when convened.

G. F. M. Habney, Pres.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, after which the Clerk read the acceptance of the Peoples Power Co. of the franchise.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Oltman that the acceptance of the Peoples Power Co. be placed on file providing that they correct the error reading Section 7 instead of Section 12 and such correction to be returned to the Village Clerk within five days from the date hereof and the Clerk to place the proper file mark dated Oct 15th 1912 (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Mohr to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting November 2, 1912

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Nov 2nd 1912

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees showed all present except Trustee Holton.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Jackson & Hawkins	for kerosene and gasoline	.48
To Gustav Harder	for blacksmithing	9.15
To James Vogel	for labor	5.18
To Thos. Mohr	“ “	2.92
To Albert Oltman	for 32 loads of gravel	3.20
To Jacob Mohr	for labor	.68
To Louis Kleinar	“ “	10.46
To Warren Likes	for labor with team	5.43
To E. E. Sikes	for repairing pump & material	6.20
To Chas. S. Lee	for labor	19.72
To Legal Adviser Publishing Co.	for quire pool table license	.90
To Geo W. Wood	for work on electric ordinance	25.00

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Hennewacker that the bills be allowed as read except the Wood bill. Trustee Mohr made an amendment to the motion that the Wood bill be paid along with the others, seconded by Trustee Oltman, on which the roll call resulted
Trustee Mohr yes,
Oltman yes,
Hennewacker no and
Peterson no, the vote being a tie, the Pres. voted yes (carried).

A vote was then taken on the original motion with the amendment, on which the roll call resulted
Trustee Mohr yes,
Oltman yes,
Hennewacker no and
Peterson no, the vote being a tie, the Pres. voted yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$712.96.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Mohr that the bond of \$150.00 that became due in July 1912 at E. E. Rogers and Sons Bank at Port Byron Ills., and the interest on the others standing be paid, total \$195.00, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Oltman yes,

Hennewacker yes and

Peterson yes (carried).

The following resignation was read by the Clerk:

Hampton Ills. Nov 2nd 1912

To Geo W. Wilken, Village Clerk, and to the Village Board of the Village of Hampton Ills.

I hereby resign the office of President of the Village. Said resignation to take effect upon the election and qualifying of my successor as required by law.

Very respectfully,

G. F. McNabney

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Oltman that the resignation of G. F. McNabney be accepted (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Peterson that Trustee Oltman act as President for the unexpired term, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Oltman no,

Hennewacker yes and

Peterson yes (carried), and he was declared duly elected to his office as President of the Village.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Hennewacker that we adjourn to Tuesday night at 7:30 Nov 5th 1912 (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting November 5, 1912

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting November 5, 1912

Meeting called to order with Pres. G. F. McNabney in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

The bond of Albert Oltman for the office of Village President was read and presented for action. Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Oltman that the bond of Albert Oltman be approved and accepted (carried). Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Mohr to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting December 7, 1912

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Dec 7th 1912

Meeting called to order with Pres. Oltman in the chair.

Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A bill was read by the Clerk in favor of Chas. S. Lee for labor and housing two tramps amount \$12.00.

Moved by Trustees Holton and Peterson that the bill be allowed as read (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$494.63.

Moved by Trustees Hennewacker and Mohr that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustee Holton and Peterson that we take up the matter and decide on how many lights we want in our hall (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Holton that we have ten (10) lights put in (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Hennewacker that we instruct the Clerk to write to the Michigan firm for description and price list for two Cells 4 ft deep, 6 1/2 ft long and 6 1/2 ft high (carried).

Moved by Trustees Holton and Hennewacker to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

AI Instruction – Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs

Throughout 1913, the Village of Hampton Board focused heavily on routine municipal governance and financial management. At nearly every regular meeting, the board reviewed and approved minutes, audited bills, and accepted treasurer reports showing fluctuating balances in the village treasury. For example, early in the year the treasurer reported balances such as \$432.63 in January and \$424.08 in March, while later reports showed financial strain, prompting resolutions to borrow money against anticipated tax revenues to meet ordinary expenses. The board also debated and objected to disputed utility charges, notably rejecting a \$41.19 bill from the Peoples Power Company in April on the grounds that the village had not received the service billed. These actions reflect close oversight of limited village funds and a consistent effort to balance expenses with available revenue.

A second major theme of the year was elections and changes in village leadership, which required repeated board action. The trustees appointed judges for both the primary and general elections, canvassed votes, and formally declared winners for offices including Village President, Clerk, Trustees, and Police Magistrate. Several resignations also shaped the board's work, including the resignation of Trustee E. L. Holton in March and Trustee Edward L. Mohr later in the year, both of which were formally accepted by roll-call vote. After the April election, newly elected officers were sworn in, bonds were approved, and committee assignments were made, ensuring continuity in village administration despite frequent personnel changes.

The board also devoted significant attention to infrastructure, public safety, and community regulation. Notable actions included ordering and installing jail cells from a Michigan firm, insuring and repairing the Village Hall, wiring the Town Hall, and authorizing extensive street, sewer, and drainage work throughout the year. Public order issues were addressed as well, such as granting a dram shop license under bond approval conditions and directing that boys under eighteen be prohibited from playing pool in local pool rooms. Collectively, the 1913 minutes show a village government actively managing growth, public safety, and essential services while responding to citizen concerns and operating within tight financial constraints.

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Regular Meeting January 4, 1913

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois)

Regular Meeting of the Village board Jan 4th – 1913

Meeting called to order with Pres. Oltman in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees showed all present.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To Charles S. Lee	for work with Light Co., labor on street and lodging one tramp	\$3.25.
To Charles S. Lee	for Marshal services on arrest of Louis Kleinar	\$2.10.
To Robert Lee	for labor	\$.90.
To J. Oltman	for two lamp chimneys	\$.30.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Peterson that the bills be allowed as read (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$432.63.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Holton that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr that we instruct the Clerk to write to the Michigan firm for a description and prices for two jail cells each 4 ft deep 6 1/2 ft high and 6 1/2 ft long with metal floor (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Holton to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting February 1, 1913

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois),

Regular Meeting of the Village board Feb 1st 1913
 Meeting called to order with Pres. Oltman in the chair.
 Roll call of Trustees showed Juster, Mohr and Peterson absent.
 There was no quorum present.

It was moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Holton to adjourn till the next regular meeting night (carried).

Geo Wilken
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting March 1, 1913

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois)

Regular Meeting of the Village board March 1th 1913
 Meeting called to order with President Oltman in the chair. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Holton absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To Charles S. Lee	for labor	\$18.12.
To Edward Rohren	for labor and housing 13 tramps, labor with team	\$7.87.
To Henry Klotz	“ “ “	\$1.00.
To James Vogel	Labor	\$1.19.
To Robert Lee	“	\$1.90.
To Louis Kleinan	“	\$1.33.
To Legal Adviser Publishing Co.	for primary and general election supplies	\$9.33.
To A. G. Sikes	for coal	\$4.42.
To Gustav Harder	for blacksmithing	\$3.00.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Peterson that the bills be allowed as read (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$424.08.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Peterson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The board then decided to appoint judges of elections.

... for primary March 11 and general election.

Trustee Hanewacker appointed Edward Mohr for judge of elections.

Trustee Peterson appointed Trustee Hanewacker for judge of elections.

Trustee Mohr appointed Arthur Peterson for judge of elections, which names were approved by the board and they were declared judges of primary election March 11 and general election.

A notice was read by the Clerk from attorney A. B. Johnson of East Moline demanding payment of the Mrs. Pettingill notes to the administrator Za, Infeldt before July 1, 1913.

The President appointed Trustees Hanewacker and Peterson as a committee to call on the administrator in regard to the matter.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Hanewacker to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

V. Clerk

Primary Election March 12, 1913

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

March 12th 1913 - A canvass of the votes of a primary election held March 11 1913 were canvassed March 12 1913 by President Albert Oltman, Clerk Geo Wilken and Trustee Hanewacker and were found true and correct and resulted as follows:

For President term of two years:

G. W. Turner	received	9 votes.
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For Village Clerk for 1 yr to fill vacancy:

Geo Wilken	"	9 votes
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For Trustee for 2 years:

Edward Mohr	"	10 "
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Arthur Peterson	"	9
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Albert Barsel	"	8
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Henry Klotz	"	1
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For Police Magistrate for 4 yrs:

Young , Oltman, Peterson	1 votes each.
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G. W. Turner, Geo Wilken, Edward Mohr, Arthur Peterson and Albert Barsel having received the highest number of votes were declared nominated to their respective offices for the general election.

The office of Police Magistrate was not declared until the tie was decided.

Geo Wilken

V. Clerk

Special Meeting March 15, 1913

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois)

Special Meeting of the Village board March 15 1913
Meeting called to order with Pres. Oltman in the chair.
Roll call showed all trustees present.

Reading of the call:

Hampton Ills March 13th 1913

To Geo Wilken V. Clerk and to the Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills.
You are hereby notified that there will be a special meeting of the Village board Sat night
March 15th 1913 for the purpose of acting on the resignation of Trustee Holton and to
transact any and all business that may properly come before said meeting when convened.
Albert Oltman, Pres.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To Charles S. Lee	for labor and housing two tramps	\$8.75.
To Legal Adviser Publishing Co.	for election supplies and postage	\$86.
To Jos. F. Hanewacker	for judge of primary election	\$6.00,
	for posting sample ballots and	
	receiving \$1.30 —	\$7.30.
To Edward Mohr	for services judge of primary	\$6.00.
To Arthur Peterson	“ “	\$6.00.
To Geo Wilken	“ Clerk “	\$6.00.
To S. F. Odell	“ “ “	\$6.00.
To James Vogel	receiving ballots	\$6.00.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Hanewacker that the bills as read be allowed and orders
drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted:

Trustee Mohr yes,
Hanewacker yes,
Holton no, and
Peterson yes (carried).

Resignation of Trustee Holton:

Hampton Ills March 13 1913

Mr. Albert Oltman, President Village Hampton Board of Trustees.

Sir — I herewith tender my resignation as trustee on village board to take effect Sat March
13th 1913.

Yours truly, E. L. Holton.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr that the resignation be accepted, in which the roll
call resulted

Trustee Mohr yes,

Hanewacker yes,
Peterson yes (carried).

Resignation of J. M. Hawkins:
Hampton Ills March 8th 1913
To the Village Board of Hampton Ills.
Gentlemen — I hereby tender my resignation as member of the Board of Health.
Respectfully, J. M. Hawkins.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Peterson that the resignation be accepted (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr to adjourn to one week from tonight March 22nd
(carried).
Geo Wilken
V. Clerk

Adjourned Meeting March 22, 1913

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village board March 22 1913
Meeting called to order with President Oltman in the chair.
Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Peterson that we instruct the Clerk to notify the insurance Co.
of the wiring of the Village Hall (carried).

After which the Village board decided to appoint different judges for the general election
March 15th.

Trustee Mohr appointed J. J. Oltman;
Trustee Hanewacker appointed E. E. Sikes;
Trustee Peterson appointed Wm. Edelman, which names were approved by the board.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Hanewacker to adjourn (carried).
Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Special Meeting March 24, 1913

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois)

Special Meeting of the Village board March 24th 1913

Meeting called to order with President Oltman in the chair. Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

Reading of the call:

Hampton Ills March 24 1913

To Geo Wilken Village Clerk and to the Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills.

You are hereby notified that there will be a special meeting of the Village board Monday night March 24 1913 for the purpose of making arrangements to reinsure Village Hall and to transact any and all business that may properly come before said meeting when convened.

Albert A. Oltman, President.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr that we have the Village Hall insured for \$2000.00 on fire and \$1000.00 on lightning, cyclone, tornado and wind (carried).

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Mohr that we instruct the President to have it insured to the best of his ability (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Hanewacker that the President appoint a committee of two to get a bricklayer and build the Village Hall chimney up again to its proper height with two braces and have bricklayer furnish material (carried).

The President appointed Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr as the committee.

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Mohr to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting April 5, 1913

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting April 5th 1913 of the Village board
 Meeting called to order with President Oltman in the chair.
 Roll call of Trustees showed all present.
 The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To S. F. Odell	for 6 mo. salary as Treasurer and stationery, building Town Hall chimney and furnishing material	\$36.90.
To Geo Wilken	for 6 mo. salary as Clerk, postage and two trips to East Moline, printing of ballots	\$40.84.
To East Moline Herald Printing Co.	for printing of primary ballots	\$4.25.
To Edward Rohren	for labor with team	\$9.00.
To Gustav Harder	for blacksmithing	\$2.80.
To Charles Lee	for labor	\$8.25.
To Robert Lee	for labor	\$5.62.
To James Vogel	“ “	\$.90.
To Milton Coder	“ “	\$4.95.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Peterson that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn for their payment (carried).

A bill was then read by the Clerk in favor of the Peoples Power Co. for \$41.19.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr that we object to the bill for the reason that we did not get the service (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Peterson that the Clerk be instructed to take a copy of the bill or objections drawn up by the board and attach on Light Co.'s bill and return to them (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$330.62.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Hanewacker that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr that we adjourn to Saturday night April 19 1913 (carried).

Geo Wilken
 Village Clerk

Canvass of Votes April 17, 1913

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois

A canvass of votes April 17th 1913

A canvass of the votes of an election of April 15th 1913 was made by President Albert Oltman, Clerk Geo Wilken and Trustee Peterson which were found true and correct and resulted as follows:

For Village President.

E. E. Holton	received	49 votes
G. W. Turner	"	30 votes.

For Village Clerk for 1 yr to fill vacancy:

Geo Wilken	received	41 votes.
S. A. Gray	"	40 votes.

For Police Magistrate for four (4) years:

J. J. Young	received	34 votes.
Joseph Bloidt	"	1 vote.

For Village Trustee for two years.

S. J. Scheppand	received	49 votes
Edward Mohr	"	44 votes
Ray Fulscher	"	43 votes.
Arthur Peterson	"	35 votes.
Albert Barsel	"	26 votes.
Henry Klotz	"	1 votes.

For Village Trustee for 1 yr to fill vacancy:

L. H. Lee	received	42 votes.
John Edelman	"	1 vote.
Geo A. Crawford	"	1 vote.

E. E. Holton having received the highest number of votes for Village President for 2 years was declared elected to said office.

Geo Wilken having received the highest number of votes for Village Clerk for 1 yr to fill vacancy was declared elected to said office.

J. J. Young having received the highest number of votes for Police Magistrate for four years was declared elected to said office.

A. Scheppand, Edward Mohr and Ray Fulscher having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustee for two years were declared elected as Trustees for two years.

L. H. Lee having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustee for 1 yr to fill vacancy was declared elected for said office.

Geo Wilken
 Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 19, 1913

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village board April 19th 1913
 Meeting called to order with President Oltman in the chair.
 Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Ira Edelman	for Judge of Election	\$6.00.
To E. E. Sikes	“ “	\$6.00.
To J.T. Oltman	“ “	\$6.00.
To Geo Wilken	Clerk of election	\$6.00.
To S. F. Odell	“ “	\$6.00.
To James Vogel	receiving ballots	\$6.00.
To J. . Oltman	for posting sample ballots	\$1.50.
To Edward Rohren	for team work	\$1.80.
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights	\$40.10.
To C. S. Lee	for labor	\$.73.
To Fred R. Young	for insuring Town Hall	\$36.00.
To Ideal Printing Co.	for 200 official ballots	\$7.00.

As the Clerk thought that the Ideal Printing Co.'s bill was more than they agreed to do the work for and that he would like to get a little information on it, it was moved by Trustees Peterson and Mohr that all the bills be allowed except the printing bill (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$217.11.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr that we adjourn sine die (carried).

Adjourned Meeting April 19, 1913

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS of the Village board
 State of Illinois

April 19 1913

After all officers duly sworn except C. H. Lee Trustee elect for 1 year to fill vacancy, the meeting was called to order by President Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Hanewacker, Mohr, Oltman, Fulscher and Sheppand present.

The bond of E. E. Holton as President was read. It was moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand that the bond be approved and accepted (carried).

The Clerk's bond was also read. It was moved by Trustees Mohr and Fulscher that the Clerk's bond be approved and accepted (carried).

An application from John Oltman was read asking the board for the permit to run a dram shop.

It was moved by Trustees Fulscher and Oltman that he be granted a license providing the President and Clerk find his bonds OK, on which the roll call resulted
 Trustee Oltman yes,
 Hanewacker no,
 Fulscher yes,
 Scheppand yes and
 Mohr yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Mohr to adjourn.
 Geo Wilken
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 3, 1913

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village board May 3rd 1913
 Meeting called to order by President Holton.
 Roll call of Trustees showed all present.
 The minutes of the adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The following bills were read for action:

To Edward Rohren	for team work	\$5.00.
To C. S. Lee	for labor	\$.73.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Fulscher that the bills be allowed as read, on which the roll call resulted Trustee
 Oltman yes,
 Hanewacker yes,
 Fulscher yes,
 Scheppand yes,
 Lee yes, and
 Mohr yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$1001.41.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

A communication was presented by the President from the People's Power Co. stating that the Villages of Port Byron and Rapids City desired to burn their street lights till 1:00 o'clock...

... instead of midnight, and that they had quoted them a price of 20¢ per light per month additional for this service, and wishing information whether the Village of Hampton would be interested in the proposition.

Moved by Trustees Fulscher and Scheppand that the Clerk will inform them that we do not wish to have the lights burn any longer than twelve o'clock and would appreciate it very much to get better service (carried).

The President then proceeded with appointments for the ensuing year. He appointed as follows:

On Street and Alley Committee: Trustees Mohr, Oltman and Scheppand.

On Finance and Ordinance Committee: Trustees Fulscher, Hanewacker and Lee.

For Street Commissioner and Marshal: C. S. Lee.

For Village Treasurer: S. F. Odell.

As there were no objections to the appointments they stood approved.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr that the Treasurer be instructed to pay the note of \$500 at the bank (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Fulscher that the Clerk read the report of the Finance Committee (carried)

Moved by Trustee Scheppand and Fulscher that the report be accepted (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Lee that the Clerk be instructed to order the jail cells of the Michigan firm according to the specifications, on which the roll call resulted

Trustees Oltman yes,

Hanewacker yes,

Fulscher yes,

Scheppand yes,

Lee yes and

Mohr yes (carried).

An ordinance for a tax levy was introduced by the Finance Committee which read as follows: Ordinance No. 81.

An ordinance providing for a tax levy for the fiscal year beginning April 23rd 1913 and ending April 23rd 1914.

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Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Illinois, that the following is the purposes and amounts appropriated for such purposes to be collected from the tax levied for the present fiscal year ending April 23rd 1914:

Bonds and Interest	\$300.00
Streets and Sidewalks	\$450.00
Total	\$750.00

C.J. H. Hanewacker, Ray Fulscher and L. H. Lee Finance Committee.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Scheppand that the tax levy ordinance be adopted, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Oltman no, Hanewacker yes, Fulscher yes, Scheppand yes, Lee yes, Mohr yes (carried).

Appropriation ordinance was introduced by the Finance Committee which read as follows:
Ordinance No. 82.

Appropriation Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills that the following shall be and the same is hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes as herein specified for the municipal year ending April 23rd 1914.

Appropriated for:

Bonds	\$186.00
Stoddard notes	\$115.00
Jail cells	\$200.00
Officers salary	\$110.00
Street lights	\$450.00
Note at Bank	\$539.00
Light fixtures	\$37.00
Miscellaneous	\$150.00
Sidewalks	\$150.00
Streets & alleys	\$500.00
Total	\$2437.00

C.J. H. Hanewacker, Ray Fulscher and L. H. Lee Finance Committee.

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee that we adopt the appropriation ordinance, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman no,
Hanewacker yes,
Fulscher yes,
Scheppand yes,
Lee yes and
Mohr yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Scheppand that the board instruct the Street and Alley Committee with power to act in regard to the road work, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,
Hanewacker no,
Fulscher yes,
Scheppand yes,

Lee yes and
Mohr yes (carried).

Moved by Trustee Lee and Scheppand to adjourn (carried).
Geo Wilken
Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting June 7, 1913

Village of Hampton)
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village board June 7th 1913
 Meeting called to order by President Holton.
 Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Lee and Scheppand absent.
 The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Electric Construction and Machinery Co. for wiring Town Hall and fixtures	\$37.10.
To Peoples Power Co. for street lights for months of April and May	\$75.00.
To Ideal Printing Co. for printing 200 official + 50 specimen ballots	\$5.75.
To Edward Rohren for labor with team	\$9.45.
To Harry Peterson for labor with team	\$4.00.
To Arthur Peterson for labor with team	\$4.25.
To M. Coder for labor	\$1.50.
To Dane Patten “	\$1.90.
To C. S. Lee “	\$8.00.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Fulscher that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for the amounts, on which the roll call resulted
 Trustee Oltman yes,
 Hanewacker yes,
 Fulscher yes,
 Mohr yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$481.23.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following resolution was read by the Clerk presented by Trustee Fulscher:
 Whereas: there is not sufficient money in the treasury of the Village of Hampton Ill to meet and defray the ordinary expenses thereof.

Be it resolved that to meet and defray the ordinary expense that the President and Clerk of the Village Board be and they are hereby authorized to borrow money for said purpose to be paid solely out of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1913,

and issue a warrant therefor bearing interest at five per cent (5%) in anticipation of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1913 to seventy-five per cent (75%) of said levy, and that the taxes to the amount of the warrant so issued and interest be set apart for the payment thereof.

Signed Ray Fulscher, member Finance Committee.

Moved by Trustees Fulscher and Mohr that the resolution as read be adopted, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,

Hanewacker no,

Fulscher yes,

Mohr yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk.

Regular Meeting July 5, 1913

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village board July 5 1913

Meeting called to order by President E. E. Holton.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk

to The Peoples Power Co. for street lights for June	\$37.50.
To J. Oltman for bolts and washers	\$30.
To Jacob Mohr for labor	\$2.92.
To Eernie Oltman " "	\$1.80.
To Charles Edelman " "	\$20.
To Henry Klotz for handling jail cells	\$1.00.
To Chas. Lee for work on jail cells	\$6.67.
To H. Hoyt " " "	\$6.67.
To Charles Hyet for labor	\$23.
To C. S. Lee for labor	\$7.75.
To Albert Oltman for labor	\$2.23.
To S. F. Odell for freight on jail cells	\$7.18.
To E. J.. Barnum Iron Works for jail cells	\$196.00
less the freight \$7.18 balance	\$188.82.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Lee that the bills as read be allowed, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,

Fulscher yes,

Lee yes, and Mohr yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of a balance of \$341.43. Moved by Trustees Mohr and Lee that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried). The bond of S. F. Odell for Village Treasurer was read for action.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Fulscher that the Treasurer's bond be approved and accepted, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Fulscher yes, Lee yes and Mohr yes (carried).

A communication was read by the Clerk from E. O. Sikes requesting the village board to look into the matter and fix the street, the west end of north alley between River and Water Street.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Fulscher that the Street and Alley Committee be instructed to investigate the matter and report at the next meeting (carried).

Moved by Trustees Fulscher and Lee that the President and Clerk be instructed to borrow \$500.00 dollars on the tax levy, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Fulscher yes, Lee yes and Mohr yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Lee to adjourn (carried).
Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting September 6, 1913

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village board Sept 6th 1913

Meeting called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed all present.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To J.T. Oltman	for organizing the board of health	\$1.50.
To A. W. Wilken	for organizing the board of health	
	on Sept 24th 1912 \$1.50 and labor \$3.60 total	\$5.10.
To Arthur Peterson	for labor with team	\$4.06.
To C. S. Lee	for labor	\$14.25.
To Albert Oltman	for labor mowing	\$11.00.
To Joseph Young	for labor	\$2.23.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Hanewacker that the bills as read be allowed, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Hanewacker yes, Fulscher yes, Scheppand yes, Lee yes and Mohr yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$580.92.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Scheppand that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The bills from the Peoples Power Co. for July and August were read amount \$75.00.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Mohr that the bills be allowed and deduct 41 nights for light (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Scheppand that the Street Commissioner be instructed to fix the cemetery hill, the crossing leading in the alley south on Oak St. between Broad and Diamond Streets, and at the bend on the south end on Broad St. (carried).

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Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Lee that the bond and interest at E. E. Rogers & Sons be paid amount \$186.00 and also the Eudora Stoddard note that became due with interest and interest on the remaining two amount \$115.00, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,
Hanewacker yes,
Fulscher yes,
Scheppand yes,
Lee yes and
Mohr yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting October 4, 1913

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village board Oct 4th 1913

Meeting called to order by President E. E. Holton.

Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read for action:

To R. Fox	for labor	\$2.47
To Clyde Smith	for labor	\$2.47
To Wm.. Briggs	"	\$2.47
To M. Coder	"	\$4.05
To Geo Wilken	for 6 mo. salary as Village Clerk, ordinance postage & stationery	\$39.40
To S. F. Odell	for 6 mo. salary as Village Treasurer, stationery, trip to Rock Island	\$20.00
To Peoples Power Co.	street lights for Sept	\$37.50
To M. Coder	for labor	\$5.18
To Al Patten	" "	\$1.35
To Dewey Oltman	" "	\$1.35
To Delestra Lee	" "	\$11.47
To C. S. Lee	" "	\$17.25
To Wilbert Coder	" "	\$2.92
To R. Fox	" "	\$5.40
To Dimock Gould & Co.	for 20 ft 10" sewer pipe	\$2.00

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,
Hanewacker yes,
Fulscher yes,

Scheppand yes,
Lee yes and
Mohr yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$434.42.

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Scheppand that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

A communication presented by A. W. Wilken, Member Executive Committee of Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association, was read asking him to obtain and remit the unpaid assessment levied against the Village of Hampton, also asking the Village of Hampton to send delegates to their convention at Hannibal Oct 15th.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Oltman to table the communication (carried).

Moved by Trustees Mohr and Hanewacker that the pool room be notified to stop all boys under 18 years of age from playing pool, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,

Hanewacker yes,

Fulscher yes,

Scheppand yes,

Lee yes and

Mohr yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Lee that the Street and Alley Committee be instructed to look at the half block on north alley between Broadway and River Streets and take care of the water, with power to act and instruct the Street Commissioner (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting November 1, 1913

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village board November 1, 1913
Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton.
Roll call of Trustees showed Fulscher and Lee absent.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

To Dimock Gould Co.	for 60 ft 10" sewer pipe	\$9.60
To Geo Wilken	for labor with team	\$10.80
To Albert Oltman	" " "	
	and 71 loads of gravel at 10¢ per load	\$16.30
To Arthur Peterson	for labor with team	\$17.55
To Loyd Light	for labor	\$4.05
To Rosco Fox	" "	\$3.03
To Henry Kleuver	" "	\$.67
To Orrin Cook	" "	\$1.12
To Clyde Smith \$1.35		
To Delestra Lee	" "	\$17.21
To Robert E. Lee	special police duty	\$3.15
To C. S. Lee	for labor	\$28.50
To M. Coder	" "	\$12.13
To Wilbur Coder	" "	\$10.29
To Wm. Briggs	" "	\$10.23
To Gustav Harder	for blacksmithing	\$4.55

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Oltman that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,
Hanewacker yes,
Scheppand yes and
Mohr yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$779.14.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Trustee Fulscher present.

The following resignation was presented which read:

Hampton Ill. Mar 15 1913

To the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, I do hereby tender my resignation to take effect at once.

Yours truly, Edward L. Mohr

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand that the resignation of Edward L. Mohr as Trustee be accepted, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,

Hanewacker yes,

Scheppand yes,

Fulscher yes and

Mohr yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting December 6, 1913

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island SS

State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village board Dec 6th 1913

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Lee absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

Dimock Gould Co.	for 60 ft 10" sewer pipe and cement	\$13.70
To Moline Scale Co.	for 2 sewer grates	\$9.60
To Ideal Printing Co.	for 1 warrant book	\$5.50
To Gustav Harder	for blacksmithing	\$4.50
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights Oct & Nov	\$75.00
To J. Oltman f	or shovel, spade, file, grease, etc.	\$3.03
To C. S. Lee	for labor and four tramps	\$31.50
To John Oltman	for labor with team	\$22.03
To Harry Peterson	" " "	\$7.20
To Arthur Peterson	" "and use of wagon 7 days	\$5.35
To Henry Easter	" " " "	\$4.93
To Delestra Lee	" "	\$15.07
To Quin Cook	" "	\$3.60
To Dewey Oltman	" "	\$3.60
To Herbert Oltman	" "	\$4.27
To David Cook	" "	\$3.40

To Wm. Briggs	“	“	\$2.47
To Albert Patten	“	“	\$.67
To Loyd Light	“	“	\$2.02

To Robert Lee	for labor	\$5.40
To Milt Leader	"	\$2.92
To Ralph Lee	"	\$9.67
To Albert Oltman	for 104 loads of gravel	\$10.40

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Fulscher that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn for their payment, on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,

Hanewacker yes,

Fulscher yes and

Scheppand yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$628.65.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

AI Instruction – Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs.

During 1914, the Village of Hampton Board of Trustees met frequently in regular, special, and adjourned sessions to manage the village's day-to-day operations amid ongoing financial constraints. At nearly every meeting, the Board approved minutes, authorized payment of bills, and reviewed the Treasurer's reports, which showed fluctuating and often limited balances. Recurrent expenditures included payments to the Peoples Power Company for street lighting, coal purchases for public use, and wages for labor and street work. The Board also repeatedly authorized financial assistance for families under quarantine, most notably the Whitehead family, covering food, coal, medical fumigation, and caregiving services. By midyear, insufficient funds led the Board to authorize borrowing against anticipated 1914 tax revenues and to adopt tax levy and appropriation ordinances to cover bond obligations and basic municipal expenses.

Election administration occupied a significant portion of the Board's attention throughout the year. In March, a special meeting was held to appoint judges for both the primary and municipal elections, followed by the procurement of ballots and election supplies. The Board formally canvassed the results of the March primary and April municipal elections, recording detailed vote totals and certifying the election of officers including Village Clerk, Police Magistrate, and Trustees. Legal compliance issues arose as well, most notably when the Board determined that Edward I. Mohr could not serve as a judge of election while also being a candidate, prompting his replacement. Following the April election, the newly elected Board was formally organized, officers were sworn in, and official bonds were reviewed and approved.

Beyond fiscal and electoral matters, the Board addressed personnel appointments, infrastructure maintenance, and regulatory decisions affecting village life. The resignation of Town Marshal and Street Commissioner C. S. Lee due to age and infirmity was accepted, and Richard Maxwell was appointed to fill the position and later bonded. The Board directed routine maintenance such as mowing streets, trimming roads, and addressing sewer and gravel issues, including ordering an assessment against the City of East Moline for gravel removed from village property. Applications for a dram shop license, requests from regional improvement associations, and property deeds were also considered. By December, continued financial strain forced the Board to table utility payments and order street lights extinguished until funds became available, underscoring the persistent economic challenges faced by the Village of Hampton in 1914.

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Regular Meeting January 8, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois.

Regular Meeting, Jan. 8th, 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton.

Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Falscher absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk.

Lo Delestra Lee	for labor	\$.67
To Albert Oltmann,	“ “ team work &	
	beach cement	2.80
To E. Sikes	for coal to W. Whitehead	7.06
To Geo. Wilken,	for Village Treas., Cash Book	1.20
To G. H. Lee	for meat, milk, etc. to Wm. Whitehead	3.98
To E. S. Lee	for waiting on quarantine family	
	W. Whitehead 17 days at \$1.50 per day	\$25.50
	and 10 hr. steel work total	28.00
To E. S. Lee	for the handling of two loads of coal	2.10
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights for Dec.	37.50

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee that the bills as read be allowed on which the roll call resulted

Trustee Oltman yes,
Hanewacker yes,
Scheppand yes, and
Lee yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of 387.58.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Hanewacker that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Trustee Fulscher present. He presented the following bill for food and provisions for Wm. Whitehead family \$11.51, store sundries .60, total \$12.16.

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Hanewacker that the bill be allowed on which the roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Hanewacker yes, Fulscher yes, Lee yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting February 7, 1914

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island ss
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Feb. 7th, 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Falscher absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To E. E. Sikes	for 20 1/4 bu. of coal to Wm. Whitehead	\$2.08
To Clyde Smith	for labor	.68
To Herbert Oltman	“ “	.68
To Milton Coder	“ “	1.80
To Arthur Peterson	“ “ with team	.90
To Henry Klotz	for handling coal to Whitehead	1.00
To Dr. J. H. Long,	fumigators etc. at Whitehead	5.00
To E. S. Lee	for waiting on Whitehead family 26 days \$39.00, on Edward Mohr family 5 days 7.50, for labor and tramps 4.75, total	51.25
To C. H. Lee	for meat and milk etc. to Whitehead	4.09
To E. E. Holton	for mileage of fumigation for fumigation of Edward Mohr	1.40

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Hanewacker that all the bills as read be allowed except the Dr. Long bill, it having been considered not itemized, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Hanewacker yes, Lee yes, Scheppand yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$292.11. Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file on which the roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Hanewacker yes, Lee yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

Trustee Fulscher present. He presented the following bills for provisions for Wm. Whitehead family \$10.92, for Edward Mohr 4.50, for blankets and store pipe for town hall 3.50, total \$18.92.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand that the bills be allowed. The roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Hanewacker yes, Lee yes, Scheppand yes, and Fulscher yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Hanewacker to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken
 Village Clerk

Special Meeting March 3, 1914

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board March 3rd, 1914
Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Oltman absent. Reading of the call.

Hampton Ills. Feb. 28th, 1914
To Geo. Wilken, Village Clerk, and to the Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Ills.
You are hereby notified that there will be a special meeting of the Village Board March 3rd, 1914 at Village Hall for the purpose of appointing Judges of Elections.
E. E. Holton, Village Pres.

The Village Board then proceeded with the appointment of Judges.
Trustee Lee appointed Martin Johnson for Judge.
Trustee Hanewacker appointed O. P. Guckert as Judge, and
Trustee Scheppand appointed Edward I. Mohr as Judge of Elections
for Primary March 10 and Municipal April 21st, 1914, which names were approved by the Board.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Lee to adjourn (carried).
Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting March 7, 1914

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board March 7th, 1914
Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Officers showed Trustees Altman, Fulscher, and Scheppand present.

As there was no quorum it was moved by Trustees Fulscher and Altman to adjourn to Wed. night March 11th, 1914 (carried).
Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting March 11, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board March 11th, 1914

Meeting called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed all present. The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved. The following bills were read:

To Dr. H. Long	for fumigators and bichloride tablets \$3.00, visit and instructing proper methods 2.00, total	\$5.00
To Ideal Print Shop	for 200 primary ballots	2.25
To Legal Advisor Publishing Co.	for election supplies	8.54
To E. E. Sikes	for 52 1/4 bu. of coal \$7.91, sand and brick .40, total	7.71
To Herbert Oltman	for labor	.43
To Albert Patten	“ “	.90
To Chas. Dyatt	“ “	.90
To Milton Cader	“ “	.90
To John Oltman	“ “ with team	2.25
To C. S. Lee	for labor and 10 tramps	6.25
To Roy Fulscher	for provisions for Wm. Whitehead family overlooked at previous meeting	9.72
To Jackson Hawkins	for 1 gal. of kerosene	.18
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights for Feb.	37.50

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Lee that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn for the amounts. The roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Fulscher yes, Hanewacker yes, Lee yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

The following bill was then read by the Clerk:

To O. P. Guckert	for Judge of Primary Election	6.00
To Martin Johnson	“ “ “ “	6.00
To Edward A. Mohr	“ “ “ “	6.00
To E. E. Sikes, Check	“ “ “ “	6.00
To Harry Peterson	“ “ “ “	6.00
To S. F. Odell	“ “ “ “	6.00

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Hanewacker that the bill be allowed and orders drawn for the amount, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Fulscher yes, Hanewacker yes, Lee yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$171.81.

Moved by Trustees Altman and Lee that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried). Moved by Trustees Lee and Altman to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Primary Election March 11, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
March 11th, 1914

A canvass of the votes of a Primary Election held March 10th, 1914 were canvassed March 11th, 1914 by President E. E. Holton, Geo. Wilken Clerk, and Henry Fulscher Trustee, were found true and correct and resulted as follows.

Peoples Anti-Salary Party

For Police Magistrate 3 yrs to fill unexpired term:

E. E. Sikes 11 votes

For Village Clerk for two years:

Geo. Wilken 10 votes

For Village Trustee for 2 yrs:

Albert Oltman 10 votes

Theodore Lear 10 votes

C. J. H. Hanewacker 9 votes

For Trustee 1 yr to fill vacancy:

Arthur Peterson 10 votes

Geo. Wilken having received the highest number of votes was declared the nomination for Village Clerk for 2 yrs.

E. E. Sikes having received the highest number of votes was declared the nomination of Police Magistrate to fill an unexpired term of three years.

Albert Oltman, Theodore Lean, and C. J. H. Hanewacker having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustee for two years were declared the nominations.

Arthur Peterson having received the highest number of votes was declared the nomination for Village Trustee for 1 year to fill vacancy.

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Special Meeting April 11, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Special Meeting of the Village Board April 11th, 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Lee absent. Reading of the call.

Hampton Ills. Apr. 10th, 1914

Mr. Geo. Wilken, Village Clerk

Sir: Please call a special meeting of the Village Board of Trustees to meet at the Town Hall Sat. Apr. 11th, 1914 at 8:00 P.M. for the purpose of transacting any and all business that may properly come before them.

Yours truly, E. Holton, Pres.

The minutes of the adjourned meeting were read and approved. The following bills were read:

To S. F. Odell	for 6 mo. salary as Village Treas. and stationery	\$18.00
To Geo. Wilken	for 12 mo. salary as Village Clerk, 2 trips to East Moline, printing of ballots, M. Orders & postage	40.90
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights for month of March	37.50
To Legal Advisor Public Co.	for 1 set of election supplies for women	2.58

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn for their payment. Roll call resulting Trustee Altman yes, Hanewacker yes, Fulscher yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$168.21. Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand that it be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The Pres. then stated that it was illegal for Edward I. Mohr to serve as a Judge of Election as he is a candidate, and instructed Trustee Scheppand to appoint another Judge in place of Edward Mohr. He appointed Wm Jacobs, which name was approved by the Board.

The following resignation was read:

Hampton Ills. Apr. 11th, 1914

To the Honorable President and Board of Hampton Ills.

Gentlemen: I herewith send my resignation to take effect this the eleventh day of April 1914 as Town Marshall and Street Commissioner of the Town of Hampton, Illinois on account of age and being unable to attend to duties in the proper manner. Yours respectfully, C.S. Lee.

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Oltman that the resignation be accepted. The roll call resulted Trustee Altman yes, Hanewacker no, Fulscher yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Scheppand that we adjourn to Sat. April 25th, 1914 (carried).

Geo. Wilken

Village Clerk

Election Canvas April 22, 1914

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island ss
 State of Illinois

Votes April 22nd 1914

A canvass of the votes of an election of April 21st 1914 was made by Pres. E. E. Holton, Trustee Fulscher and Geo. Wilken Clerk April 22nd and resulted as follows.

Peoples Anti-Salary and Anti-Saloon Ticket.

For Village Clerk for two years Geo.

Wilken received 64 men's and 29 women's votes, total of 93 votes.

For Police Magistrate to fill an unexpired term of three years

E. E. Sikes received 45 votes and

Henry Klotz received 37 votes.

For Village Trustee for two years:

Albert Oltman received 65 men's and 27 women's votes, a total of 92 votes.

Theo. Lear received 58 men's and 24 women's votes, a total of 82 votes.

C. J. H. Hanewacker received 52 men's and 27 women's votes, a total of 74 votes.

G. W. Turner received 44 men's votes and 46 women's votes, a total of 90 votes.

N.O. Thomas received 48 men's and 46 women's votes, a total of 94 votes.

Robert E. Lee received 48 men's votes and 46 women's votes, a total of 94 votes.

For Village Trustee for 1 yr to fill vacancy:

Arthur Peterson received 60 men's and 27 women's votes, a total of 87 votes.

Edward A. Mohr received 39 men's and 44 women's votes, a total of 83 votes.

Geo. Wilken having received the highest number of votes for Village Clerk for two years was declared elected to said office.

E. E. Sikes having received the highest number of votes for Police Magistrate to fill an unexpired term of three years was declared elected to said office.

Albert Oltman, N.O. Thomas and Robert E. Lee having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustee for two years were declared elected as Village Trustees for two years.

Arthur Peterson having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustee for one year to fill vacancy was declared elected to said office.

Geo. Wilken
 Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 25, 1914

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island ss
 State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board April 25th 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Lee absent. The minutes of the Special Meeting and Canvass of Votes were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

To O. P. Guckert	for Judge of Election	\$6.00
To Martin Johnson	for Judge of Election	\$6.00
To Wm. Jacobs	for Judge of Election	\$6.00
To S. F. Odell	for Clerk of Election	\$6.00
To E. E. Sikes	“ “ “	6.00
To Harry Peterson	“ “ “	6.00
To the Ideal Print Shop	for 200 specimen and 400 official ballots	\$8.25.

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Fulscher that the bills be allowed on which the roll call resulted Trustee Oltman yes, Hanewacker yes, Fulscher yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$69.23. Moved by Trustee Hanewacker and Scheppand that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The minutes were then read by the Clerk and approved by the Board. After which it was moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Oltman to adjourn sine die (carried).

Geo. Wilken
 Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 25, 1914

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board April 25th 1914
Organization of the New Board.

After all officers being first duly sworn the meeting was called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Thomas, Lee, Albert Oltman, Fulscher, Peterson, and Scheppand present.

The Clerk's bond was read for action of the Board. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Fulscher that the Clerk's bond be accepted and approved (carried).

An application was read by the Clerk from Altman and Schafer to keep a dram shop on Lot No. One and the North half of Lot No. Two, Village of Hampton.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Thomas that we table the application on which the roll call resulted Trustee Thomas yes, Lee yes, Oltman no, Fulscher no, Peterson no, and Scheppand no (motion lost).

The President then appointed for Street Commissioner and Marshal for the ensuing year Richard Maxwell.

On which the roll call for approval of the Board resulted Trustee Thomas yes, Lee yes, Oltman yes, Fulscher yes, Peterson yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Thomas to adjourn until the next regular meeting (carried).

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 2, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss Regular
State of Illinois

Meeting of the Village Board May 2nd 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Fulscher and Peterson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The bill of the Peoples Power Co. for street lights for month of April amt. \$37.50 was read. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee that the bill be allowed and an order drawn for the amount (carried) on the following vote: Trustee Fulscher yes, Lee yes, Thomas yes, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, and Scheppand yes.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$469.21. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Thomas that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The bonds of Richard Maxwell for Street Commissioner and Village Marshal were read by the Clerk.

Moved by Trustees Fulscher and Lee that the bonds be accepted and approved on which the roll call resulted Trustee Fulscher yes, Lee yes, Thomas yes, Oltman yes, Peterson yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Fulscher and Thomas that we rent the Village Hall for one night to the Watertown Dramatic Co. for \$5.00 providing they leave the Hall in the same condition as they find it (carried).

The President then made the following appointments on committees:
Street and Alley Committee Trustees Scheppand, Oltman and Fulscher;
Finance and Ordinance Committee Trustees Lee, Thomas and Peterson.

Moved by Trustees Fulscher and Lee to adjourn (carried).
Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting June 6, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board June 6th 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Scheppand, Peterson and Fulscher absent. As there was no quorum it was moved by Trustees Thomas and

Lee that we adjourn to Wed. night June 10th 1914 (carried).
Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting June 10, 1914

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board June 10th 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Altman and Fulscher absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following resolution was presented by the Finance Committee:

Whereas there is not sufficient money in the Treasury of the Village of Hampton Ills. to meet and defray the ordinary expenses thereof. Be it resolved that to meet said expenses, that the President and Clerk of the Village Board be and they are hereby authorized to borrow money for said purpose, to be paid solely out of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1914, and issue a warrant therefor bearing interest at six per cent (6%) in anticipation of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1914 to seventy-five per cent (75%) of said levy, and that the taxes to the amount of the warrant as issued and interest be set apart for the payment thereof.

Signed Robert E. Lee, N. O. Thomas and Arthur Peterson.

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Thomas that the resolution be adopted on which the roll call resulted Trustee Lee yes, Thomas yes, Peterson yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

The bill of the Peoples Power Co. was then read amt. \$37.50 for street lights for May. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Peterson that the bill be allowed and an order drawn on the Treasurer for the amount. The roll call resulted Trustee Lee yes, Thomas yes, Peterson yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

The following ordinance was then presented for adoption by the Ordinance Committee:

Ordinance No. 83.

An ordinance providing for a tax levy for the fiscal year beginning April 23rd 1914 and ending April 23rd 1915.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills. that the following is the purposes and the amounts appropriated for such purposes to be collected from the tax levied for the present fiscal year ending April 23rd 1915:

Bonds and Interest	\$900.00
Street Lights	450.00
Total	\$1350.00

Moved by Trustees Lee and Thomas that the tax levy ordinance as read be passed and adopted. The roll call resulted Trustee Lee yes, Thomas yes, Peterson yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

The same committee then presented the following ordinance for action:

Ordinance No. 84.

Appropriation Ordinance. Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills. that the following shall be and the same is hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes as herein specified for the municipal year ending April 23rd 1915:

Appropriated for bonds	\$177.00
Stoddard notes	110.00
Officers' salary	\$110.00
Street lights	\$450.00
Miscellaneous	\$100.00
Total	\$947.00

Moved by Trustees Lee and Thomas that the appropriation ordinance be passed and adopted. Roll call Trustee Lee yes, Thomas yes, Peterson yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Peterson to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting July 10, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board July 10th 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Peterson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Light Co.'s bill was read amt. \$37.50 for June.

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee that the bill be allowed and an order drawn for the amount. The roll call resulted Trustee Scheppand yes, Thomas yes, Oltman yes, Lee yes, and Fulscher yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$366.88. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Thomas that the Street Commissioner be instructed to mow the streets but not the boulevards and trim up the hollow road. The roll call resulted Trustee Fulscher yes, Lee yes, Thomas yes, Oltman yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting September 14, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Sept. 14th 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Altman and Peterson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk.

To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights for July and August	\$75.00
To John Altman	for labor with team	9.50
To Henry Harder	“ “ “	3.13
To Edward Hyatt	for labor	1.46
To Edward Hyatt	“ “	7.66
To Lee Wall	“ “	1.46
To Geo. Davis	“ “	.90
To Milton Coder	“ “	5.18
To Richard Maxwell	“ “	15.50

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee that the bills be allowed. The roll call Trustee Fulscher yes, Lee yes, Thomas yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$681.60. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Thomas that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

A communication was read presented by the President from the Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association asking the Village of Hampton to send delegates to the convention at Stillwater Minn. Sept. 16-17, 1914. Moved by Trustees Fulscher and Lee to table the communication (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Scheppard that the bond due at Port Byron Bank with interest be paid amt. \$177.00 and also the Andrew Stoddard note with interest amt. \$110.00. The roll call resulted Trustee Fulscher yes, Lee yes, Thomas yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Thomas to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting October 3, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Oct. 3rd 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Peterson and Fulscher absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read by the Clerk:

To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights for Sept.	\$37.50
To Geo. Wilken	for 6 mo. salary & postage	38.40
To S. F. Odell,	trip to County Treas. and stationery	19.00
To Henry Harder	for labor with team	12.38
To Delestra Lee	for labor	10.80
To Hiram Whitehead	for labor	9.00
To Web Coder	“ “	16.35
To Richard Maxwell	“ “	13.20
To August Wilken	for use of wagon 2 days	.50
To Richard Maxwell	for 30 ft. 12" sewer pipe	9.30

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Lee that the bills be allowed. The roll call resulted Trustee Lee yes, Oltman yes, Thomas yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$274.79. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Scheppand that the deed from John P. Lemon & wife to the Village of Hampton be recorded (carried).

Moved by Trustees Thomas and Lee that Trustee Scheppand be instructed to have the deed recorded and pay him \$1.50 for that purpose (carried).

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Thomas to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting November 7, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Nov. 7th 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Altman and Fulscher absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

To John Oltman	for labor with team and 19 loads of gravel at 10¢ per load	\$6.90
To Richard Maxwell	for labor	3.00
To Delestra Lee	“ “	1.80
To Roscoe Hoy	“ “	2.70
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights Oct.	37.50

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Peterson that all the bills be paid except the electric light bill and it be tabled. The roll call resulted Trustee Lee no, Thomas no, Peterson yes, and Scheppand yes. The vote resulting a tie, the President voted yes and motion carried.

A communication was read from Edward F. Dunne advocating that all cities and villages should purchase river fronts for sufficient waterways to build wharves and warehouses. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Thomas that the communication be tabled (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$112.81. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Peterson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Thomas that the Street & Alley Committee be instructed to go and measure where East Moline has taken the gravel from the Village and charge 50¢ per yard, and that the bill be handed to the Clerk and he be instructed to mail the bill to the City Clerk of East Moline (carried).

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Thomas to adjourn (carried).
Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting December 5, 1914

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Dec. 5th 1914

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Fulscher absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights for Oct. and Nov.	\$75.00
To R. Fulscher	for marshal	\$1.45

Moved by Trustees Lee and Thomas that the bills be allowed. The roll call resulted Trustee Lee yes, Oltman yes, Thomas yes, Peterson yes, and Scheppand no (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$98.41. Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Thomas that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Thomas and Lee that we borrow \$200.00 to be used for current expenses, on which the roll call resulted Trustee Lee yes, Oltman no, Thomas yes, Peterson no, and Scheppand no. Motion lost.

Moved by Trustees Scheppand and Oltman that the Clerk be hereby instructed to notify the Peoples Power Co. that we are out of money and to turn out the street lights until we get in a financial position to pay for them. The roll call resulting Trustee Lee no, Oltman yes, Thomas no, Peterson yes, and Scheppand yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Thomas to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

AI Instruction – Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs including woman voting in the election.

The Village of Hampton Board meetings in 1915 largely focused on routine municipal administration, particularly financial oversight and the approval of expenditures. At nearly every meeting, the Board reviewed the Treasurer's report and authorized payments for essential services such as street lighting from Peoples Power Co., labor for grading and ditching streets, and salaries for village officers. For example, early in the year the Board approved bills for street lights and election supplies while carefully managing limited funds, sometimes authorizing payment only after tax revenues were received. As the year progressed, the Board adopted a tax levy and appropriation ordinance to fund bonds, officer salaries, and street lights, and later passed a resolution allowing the village to borrow money against anticipated 1915 tax revenues to meet ordinary expenses when the treasury balance was insufficient.

Elections and changes in leadership were a central theme throughout the year and were notably shaped by the expanding role of women voters in Illinois. The Board appointed judges and clerks for the March primary election, canvassed votes, and officially declared nominees for village offices. In the April 1915 general election, the minutes clearly record votes cast separately by women and men, showing that women were actively participating in local elections and that their ballots were formally counted in determining outcomes. Vote totals for village president and trustees list distinct tallies of women's and men's votes, demonstrating that women's suffrage had become an established part of the electoral process and contributed directly to the final results. Following the election, the Board canvassed and certified the returns, declared G. W. Turner elected village president, and on April 24 the outgoing Board adjourned sine die while the newly elected Board organized, swore in officers, approved bonds, and made committee appointments, ensuring continuity in village governance.

Beyond finances and elections, the Board addressed a wide range of practical issues affecting daily life in Hampton. Trustees ordered street and alley repairs, authorized the purchase of tile to fix crossings, and directed the marshal to remove nuisances such as dead animals and overgrown weeds. The Board adopted ordinances regulating weeds as public nuisances and addressed public behavior, including a motion allowing children to coast on sidewalks with property owners' permission. Matters of public order and welfare also received attention, such as paying for special police services, suggesting the appointment of a truant officer due to school attendance concerns, regulating saloon advertising, granting pool hall licenses, and contributing funds to regional road improvement projects. Together, these actions show a Board engaged in hands-on management of infrastructure, public welfare, and community standards throughout 1915.

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Regular Meeting February 9, 1915

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois Feb. 6, 1915

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Feb. 6th , 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees and only Trustees Lee and Scheppard present, as there was no quorum it was moved by Trustees Scheppard and Lee to adjourn to Tuesday night Feb. 9th, 1915.

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting February 9, 1915

Village of Hampton) adjourned Meeting
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board Feb. 9, 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed all present but Trustee Oltman. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

Peoples Power Co. Street lights Dec & Jan	\$75.00
Richard Maxwell Removing ashes & serving notice	\$1.00

Moved by Trustees Scheppard and Lee that the Clerk be instructed to issue warrants for the amounts and the Treasurer pay the amount when the receiver gets tax money, the roll call resulting Trustee Lee yes, Fulscher yes, Thomas yes, Peterson yes, and Scheppard yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$71.58. Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Peterson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

James Marvell presented to the Village Board the following, which was read by the Clerk:
Wm. Edelman Sr., A. A. Oltman or John Oltman, S. F. Odell

Sam Gray, C. E. Sikes and N. O. Thomas. The above named persons have agreed to serve on the Primary Election Board either as Clerks or Judges as the Board may see fit to appoint and with the understanding that the price for the entire services is to be \$3.00 each.”

The following appointments for Judges were made by the following Trustees:

Trustee Fulscher appointed N. O. Thomas as Judge of Elections,

Trustee Sheppard appointed Trustee Peterson as Judge of Elections,

Trustee Peterson appointed O. H. Guckert as Judge of Election,

which names were approved by the Board on the following vote: Trustee Lee yes, Fulscher yes, Thomas yes, Peterson yes, and Sheppard yes (carried).

Moved by Trustee Sheppard and Thomas to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting March 6, 1915

Village of Hampton, Regular Meeting
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois March 6th, 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Fulscher and Shepard absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

Peoples Power Co. Street lights Feb \$37.50 —

Legal Adviser Election supplies \$7.62 —

Moved by Trustees Lee and Oltman that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for the amounts and the roll call resulted Trustee Lee yes, Oltman yes, Thomas yes, and Peterson yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$170.51. Moved by Trustees Oltman and Thomas that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Peterson and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Primary Election March 15, 1915

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island ss March 15th, 1915
State of Illinois

A canvass of the votes of a Primary Election held March 9th, 1915 was canvassed March 15th, 1915 by President E. E. Holton, Geo Wilken Clerk and Trustee Oltman and were found true and correct and resulted as follows:

No ballots cast for the Anti-Saloon Party.

On the Peoples Anti-Saloon Party

E. A. Willis received 4 votes for Pres. for 2 yrs.

Arthur Peterson, Herman Schroeder and S. J. Scheppard received 2 votes each for Village Trustee for 2 yrs.

E. A. Sikes received one vote for President. Theo Hermes received one vote.

E. A. Willis having received the highest number of votes for Pres. for 2 years was declared the nomination. Arthur Peterson, Herman Schroeder and S. J. Scheppard having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustee for 2 years were declared the nominations for said office.

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting April 15, 1915

Village of Hampton) Regular Meeting
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois April 15, 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed all present except Trustee Fulscher. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Peoples Power Co.	Street lights March	\$37.50 —	
Geo Wilken	6 mo. salary as Clerk	\$37.50 —	
Geo Wilken	M.O. + postage, trips, printing ballots, football	\$40.60	Composite entry
Geo Wilken	9 hrs team work dragging streets	\$4.03	—
Richard Maxwell	9 hrs dragging streets	\$2.25	—
Richard Maxwell	Cleaning ditch North alley	\$0.50	Total \$2.75 combined
S. F. Odell	1 mo. salary as Treasurer	\$17.50	—
S. F. Odell	Stationery	\$0.50	Total \$18.00
Ideal Print Shop	Primary & General ballots	\$16.75	—
M. O. Thomas	Judge of Primary Election	\$3.00	—
H. Guckert	Judge of Primary Election	\$3.00	—
Arthur Peterson	Judge of Primary Election	\$3.00	—
Albert Barsch	Clerk of Election	\$3.00	—
S. F. Odell	Election work	\$3.00	—
L. O. Sikes	Election work	\$3.00	—

Moved by Trustees Shepard and Lee that the bills be accepted and paid, the roll call resulting Trustee Lee yes, Oltman yes, Thomas yes, Peterson yes, and Shepard yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$503.18. Moved by Trustees Shepard and Peterson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Oltman that the Marshal be instructed to bury the dead dogs along the river (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Peterson that the Street Commissioner be instructed to get 5–10" tile and fix the crossing at Wm. Mohr's alley (carried).

Moved by Trustees Shepard and Oltman to adjourn to Sat. night April 24th, 1915 (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

General Election April 21, 1915

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island ss
 State of Illinois

April 21st, 1915

A canvass of the votes of an election held April 20th, 1915 was canvassed April 21, 1915 by Pres. E. E. Holton, Geo Wilken Clerk and Albert Oltman Trustee and were found true and correct and resulted as follows:

Peoples Anti-Saloon Party:

for Village Trustee for 2 yrs

Arthur Peterson	received 10 women's votes and 34 men's votes	Total 44.
Herman Schroeder	received 11 women's votes and 62 men's votes	Total 73.
S. J. Scheppard	received 8 women's votes and 31 men's votes	Total 39.

Independent No Saloon License Party:

For Village Pres. for 2 yrs.

G. W. Turner received 51 women's and 69 men's votes a	Total 120.
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For Village Trustees for 2 yrs.

J. F. Oltman received 44 women's and 55 men's votes	Total 99.
P. W. Jackson received 42 women's and 50 men's votes	Total 92.
Robert H. Johnson received 43 women's and 54 men's votes	Total 97.

Independent for Village President for 2 years

E. E. Holton received 4 women's and 18 men's votes	Total 22.
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G. W. Turner having received the highest number of votes for Village Pres. for 2 years was declared elected to said office.

J. F. Oltman, P. W. Jackson and Robert H. Johnson having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustees for 2 years were declared elected to said offices.

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 24, 1915

Village of Hampton) adjourned Meeting
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois Apr. 24th, 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. E. E. Holton. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Fulscher and Peterson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved also the canvass of the votes of election.

The following election expense bill was read:

N. O. Thomas	Judge of Election	\$3.00 —
H. Guckert	Judge of Election	\$3.00 —
Arthur Peterson	Judge of Election	\$3.00 —
Albert Barsch	Clerk	\$3.00 —
S. F. Odell	Clerk	\$3.00 —
L. O. Sikes	Clerk	\$3.00 —
Richard Maxwell	Burying 2 dogs + 5 hrs ditch work	\$1.13 —
Robert O. Lee	Working on ditch	\$3.25 —
Trustee Lee	Ditch work	\$1.13 —

Moved by Trustees Shepard and Oltman that the bills be accepted and paid, the roll call resulting Trustee Oltman yes, Lee yes, Thomas yes, and Shepard yes (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$363.53.

Moved by Trustees Shepard and Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

As there was no other business it was moved by Trustees Shepard and Lee to adjourn sine die (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 24, 1915

Village of Hampton)
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

adjourned Meeting Apr. 24th, 1915

Organization of the new Board. After all officers being first duly sworn the meeting was called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees J. F. Oltman, Albert Oltman, Robert Lee, M. O. Thomas, P. W. Jackson and Robert H. Johnson present.

The President's bond was then read by the Clerk for action. Moved by Trustees Lee and Jackson that the President's bond be approved and accepted (carried).

An application for pool license from Jacob Hermes was read asking the Village Board to grant him a license to operate two pool tables on Lot #3 Block #7 River St., Village of Hampton.

Moved by Trustees Albert and J. F. Oltman that he be granted the license (carried). Moved by Trustees Lee and Jackson to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 1, 1915

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting May 1st 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee J. F. Oltman absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$352.02. Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

A communication was read by the Clerk from Floyd & Thompson, State's Attorney, for appointment as Village Attorney, also an ordinance enclosed for adoption providing for the appointment, duties and compensation of a Village Attorney.

Moved by Trustees Jackson and Thomas that the Clerk be instructed to notify the State's Attorney that the Village hasn't sufficient money to justify us to appoint a Village Attorney (carried).

The Street Commissioner's list of tools and property of the Village was read. Moved by Trustees Johnson and Jackson that the list be accepted (carried).

The Pres. then proceeded with the appointments for the ensuing year. Trustee J. F. Oltman present.

The President appointed on
Street & Alley Committee: Trustees Johnson, Albert Oltman and Thomas.
Finance and Ordinance Committee: Trustees Jackson, Lee, and J. F. Oltman.
For Village Treasurer: S. F. Odell.
For Street Commissioner and Marshal: Richard Maxwell.

Moved by Trustees Thomas and Lee that the appointments as read be approved (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and J. F. Oltman that the Clerk be instructed to notify the owners of the saloon buildings to remove the beer signs (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Albert Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
V. Clerk

Regular Meeting June 5, 1915

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island ss
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting June 5th 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees J. F. Oltman and Albert Oltman absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

Richard Maxwell	Burying dog, scythe blade, labor	\$3.76	—
Charles Edelman	Labor	\$1.13	—
Charles Oltman	Labor	\$0.90	—
Harry Peterson	Labor with team	\$1.35	—
Dimock Gould & Co.	Tile	\$8.13	—
Peoples Power Co.	Street lights Apr & May	\$76.00	—

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for the amounts (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$332.02. Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The bonds of Richard Maxwell for Street Commissioner and Marshal were read for action, also the bond of S. F. Odell for Village Treasurer. Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the bonds be approved (carried).

The following ordinances were presented for adoption by the Finance and Ordinance Committee:

Ordinance No. 83. Tax Levy

An ordinance providing for a tax levy for the fiscal year beginning April 23, 1915 and ending April 22nd 1916.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ill. that the following are the amounts appropriated for such purposes to be collected from the tax levied for the present fiscal year ending April 22nd 1916:

Bonds and Interest \$168.00.

Street Lights \$450.00.

Miscellaneous purposes \$182.00.

Total \$800.00.

Signed W. Jackson, Robert E. Lee and J. F. Oltman, Finance and Ordinance Committee.

Ordinance #86 Appropriation Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Ills. that the following shall be and the same is hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes as herein specified for the municipal year ending April 22nd 1916:

Appropriations for Bonds	\$168.00
Stoddard Note	\$105.00
Officers Salary	\$110.00
Street Lights	\$450.00
Miscellaneous	\$50.00
Total	\$883.00

Signed W. Jackson, Robert E. Lee and J. F. Oltman, Finance and Ordinance Committee.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Oltman that the tax levy and the appropriation ordinance as read be adopted and passed (carried).

The following resolution was presented for adoption by the Finance and Ordinance Committee:

Whereas there is not sufficient money in the Treasury of the Village of Hampton to meet and defray the ordinary expenses thereof. Be it resolved that to meet said expenses that the President and Clerk of the Village Board be and they are hereby authorized to borrow money for said purpose to be paid solely out of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1915, and issue a warrant therefor bearing interest at six (6%) per cent in anticipation of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1915 to seventy-five (75%) per cent of said levy and that the taxes to the amount of the warrant so issued and interest be set apart for the payment thereof. Signed W. Jackson, Albert Lee and J. F. Oltman, Finance Committee.

Moved by Trustee Jackson and Johnson that the resolution as read be adopted (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

V. Clerk

Regular Meeting August 7, 1915

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island ss
 State of Illinois

Aug. 7th 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Albert Oltman and J. F. Oltman absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

Peoples Power Co.	Street lights June & July	\$75.00 —
Horace Bandola	Labor with team	\$0.90 —
Albert Oltman	Scraper work	\$1.35 —
Wm. H. Morris	Labor	\$2.48 —
Charles Edelman	Labor	\$5.53 —
Richard Maxwell	Labor	\$4.00 —
Charles Oltman	Labor	\$4.50 —
Delistra Lee	Labor	\$2.03 —
Peoples Savings Bank	Interest on Stoddard Note	\$30.00 —

Moved by Trustees Lee and Jackson that the bills as read be allowed (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$653.96. Moved by Trustees Lee and Jackson that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The Pres. then proceeded with the appointment of the Board of Health. He appointed Chas. Oltman, Henry Hanewacker and S. J. Shepard, which names were confirmed by the Board on motion of Trustees Thomas and Johnson.

The following ordinance was presented by Trustee Lee for adoption:

Ordinance #87 Weed Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the Pres. and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton Illinois that weeds and brush growing upon lots within the limits of the Village where said lots are fronting upon the permanent sidewalk built of plank or other material shall be deemed a nuisance.

Any owner, occupant or agent of any such lot after having been given five days notice in writing by the Village Marshal to abate such nuisance shall be liable to a fine of not less than three (3) nor more than five dollars (\$5.00) and should the said nuisance not then be abated such owner, occupant or agent shall again be notified and fined in like manner for a failure to abate such nuisance under the second notice and in addition thereto be fined the amount that it will cost to have such weeds or brush removed and such additional amount to be turned into the Village Treasury of said Village to be used for the purpose of abating the nuisance.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Thomas that the Weed Ordinance as read be approved and adopted (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that the children shall be allowed to coast on the sidewalks in front of houses where the property owners give them permission (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Thomas that the Stoddard note be extended for another year and interest be paid (carried). Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the Clerk be authorized to issue a warrant to O. C. Rogers, Atty. at Port Byron, for the bond and interest due, amount \$168.00 (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Jackson that Mr. Schrieber be allowed to move the dirt, providing he puts in tile the width of the road and fill in level or higher than the road; he then has permission to move the balance of the Village ground on his own premises. Lee yes, Johnson yes, Thomas yes, Jackson yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting October 2, 1915

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island ss
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Oct. 2nd 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Lee and Thomas absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

Geo Wilken	1 mo. salary, money orders, postage	\$8.40 —
S. F. Odell	1 mo. salary as Treasurer	\$18.00 —
Peoples Power Co.	Street lights Aug & Sept	\$71.00 —
Leonard Cades	Labor	\$7.20 —
Henry Harder	Labor with team + wagon	\$26.20 —
Richard Maxwell	Labor	\$20.26 —
Milton Leader	Labor	\$16.18 —
W. W. Schilldecker	Labor	\$1.80 —
W. Morris	Labor	\$9.91 —
Arthur Peterson	Labor with team	\$7.20 —
Bal. Blanty	Grading	\$16.00 —
James Mary	Labor	\$13.00 —
Albert Oltman	Labor	\$11.00 —
John Mary	Driving team on grade	\$6.00 —
Gustav Harder	Blacksmithing	\$2.00 —

Moved by Trustees Jackson and Johnson that the bills be allowed as read (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$372.15. Moved by Trustees Albert Oltman and Jackson that the report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Albert Oltman and J. F. Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting November 6, 1915

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island ss
 State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Nov. 6th 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees J. F. Oltman and Thomas absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:		
Milton Caderno	Labor	\$3.60 —
Henry Harder	Team work, wagon	\$8.60 —
Leonard Leader	Labor	\$3.60 —
Richard Maxwell	Labor	\$4.00 —
Robert Johnson	Special police service	\$1.25 —
Robert Lee	Special police service	\$1.25 —
Delistra Lee	Special police service	\$1.25 —
Richard Maxwell	Special police service	\$1.25 —
J. F. Ullman	Two shovels	\$1.45 —
Peoples Power Co.	Street lights Oct	\$37.50 —
A. C. Bartles	Dragging roads	\$4.50 —

Moved by Trustees Albert Oltman and Jackson that the bills be allowed as read (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$103.32. Moved by Trustees Jackson and Johnson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that as the Board has viewed a number of children who do not attend school they think it proper to suggest to the school board through the Clerk by notice to appoint a truant officer (carried).

Moved by Trustees Albert Oltman and Robert Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting December 4, 1915

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island ss
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Dec. 4th 1915

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustees Johnson and Thomas absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$35.07. Moved by Trustees Jackson and J. F. Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees J. F. Oltman and Robert Lee that we allow Arthur Peterson the shortage due him on team work grading (carried).

A communication was read from the Good Roads Improvement Association asking the Village Board to donate \$100.00 toward graveling and oiling the road from Hampton to East Moline corporation line.

The following resolution was adopted and passed on motion of Trustees Lee and J. F. Oltman:

Resolved that the Board of the Village of Hampton give a vote of thanks to the Community Club for their support in the proposed improvement of the roads in the Village of Hampton and as the Board has spent \$100.00 on the road this season they now donate \$100.00 more for the proposed road work and a copy of the same be sent to the Secretary of the Community Club.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Albert Oltman that Trustee J. F. Oltman be instructed to borrow \$100.00 for the donation on the road for 1915 (carried).

Moved by Trustees J. F. Oltman and Albert Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

V. Clerk

AI Instruction – Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs.

The Village of Hampton Board meetings in 1916 centered on routine but essential municipal governance, particularly financial oversight and public works. At nearly every regular or adjourned meeting, the Board reviewed and approved minutes, accepted the Treasurer's reports, and authorized payment of bills for services such as street lighting, printing ballots, and road materials. For example, in February and March the Board approved multiple payments to the Peoples Power Company for street lighting and managed village funds by borrowing money for road donations and renewing notes at local banks. Ongoing infrastructure concerns included gravel removal by the City of East Moline, repairs to wagon scales, drainage tile cleaning, and repeated instructions to repair roads and maintain public lighting, reflecting sustained attention to transportation and safety needs.

Elections and changes in village leadership were another major theme throughout the year. The Board conducted primary and general elections, canvassed votes, and formally declared nominees and elected officials, with detailed tallies recorded for both men's and women's votes in March and April. Several resignations shaped Board activity, including the resignation of Village Marshal and Street Commissioner Richard Maxwell in February and the resignation of Village President G. W. Turner in October due to his impending move from town. These departures required the Board to appoint replacements, approve official bonds, and reorganize leadership, such as appointing J. F. Oltman as President pro tem. These actions demonstrate the Board's responsibility for maintaining continuity of government and compliance with statutory procedures.

The Board also devoted significant time to regulating local businesses and enforcing community standards through ordinances and permits. In 1916, trustees repealed and adopted ordinances related to dram shops, pool halls, bowling alleys, weed enforcement, public safety hazards, and excavation near streets. Specific examples include repealing liquor and pool-hall licensing ordinances early in the year, then later adopting new regulations governing pool halls, including licensing fees, age restrictions, and fines. The Board also acted on individual petitions, granting permission for underground gas and oil tanks, approving pool licenses, charging community groups for use of the town hall, and ordering property owners to secure unsafe cellars. Collectively, these actions illustrate a year of active governance focused on balancing public safety, moral regulation, and community use of shared spaces.

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Regular Meeting February 5, 1916

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Feb 5 1916

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Lee absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A bill was read in favor of the Peoples Power Co. for street lights for Nov., Dec., and an amount \$12.50.

Moved by Trustee albert Oltman and J. Oltman that as soon as there is enough money in the Treasurer, that the Clerk be instructed to issue a warrant for the amount (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$33.27.

Moved by Trustees albert Oltman and Jackson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

As no arrangements had been made to borrow the \$100.00 for the road donation, it was moved by Trustees S. J. Oltman and Jackson to reconsider the motion of the previous meeting and borrow it for six (6) months instead of one year from Feb. 15th.

The roll call resulted Trustee albert Oltman yes, I. F. Oltman yes, Jackson yes and Johnson yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees J. Oltman and Johnson that we accept the offer of 25¢ per yd. for 65 yds. of gravel taken by the City of East Moline from the Village and that the Clerk be instructed to notify the City Clerk (carried).

A resolution was presented for action by Trustee Jackson which read as follows—Resolved: That by the death of Noble O. Thomas, the Village of Hampton has lost an upright and public-spirited citizen and the Board of Trustees a faithful and conscientious member. Resolved that we tender our sympathy to the bereaved family, and that these resolutions be entered in the records of this Board as a tribute of respect to the memory of our honored fellow Trustee, and a copy be sent to the Widow. Moved by Trustees Jackson and Johnson that the resolution as read be adopted (carried).

The following resignation was read for action. Dec 13th 1916 Hampton Ill. R.D. Co. To the Pres. and Trustees of the Village of Hampton; greeting.

I respectfully tender my resignation as Marshal and Street Commissioner to take effect from this date. Respectfully, Richard Maxwell.

Moved by Trustees J. Oltman and Jackson that the resignation be accepted (carried).

The Pres. appointed Chas. Oltman as Street Com. and Marshal for the balance of the term which was approved by the Board.

Moved by Trustees J. Oltman and Albert Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting March 4, 1916

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board March 4th 1916

Meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Johnson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance \$220.77. Moved by Trustee I. J. Oltman and Jackson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following bills were read: To Peoples Power Co. for Street Lights for Feb. \$37.50. To Legal Adviser Publ. Co. for election supplies \$8.98. To East Moline Herald Printing Co. for primary ballots \$7.50. To Chas. Oltzman for disposing of one dog \$1.00.

Payee	Description	Amount
Peoples Power Co.	Street lights for February	\$37.50
Legal Adviser Publ. Co.	Election supplies	\$8.98
East Moline Herald Printing Co.	Primary ballots	\$7.50
Chas. Oltman	Disposing of one dog	\$1.00

Moved by Trustees Lee and Jackson that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn on the Treasurer for the amounts (carried).

Moved by Trustees Jackson and Lee that the Clerk be instructed to turn over the \$1000 borrowed for road purposes over to the Treasurer of the road fund (carried).

The following acknowledgement of respect was read.

To the Honorable Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Rock Island Co., Ills. With sincere gratitude and a deep sense of appreciation for this evidence of your esteem, and your most honorable tribute of respect to the memory of the departed one, I hereby wish to acknowledge receipt of the same and also improve this opportunity of begging your pardon for neglecting to send you his resignation last fall as I intended doing. Trusting his successor may emulate his ways I am Respectfully yours, Mrs. Lottie Thomas.

The Board then proceeded with the appointment of Judges for the ensuing year to names who had agreed to serve for \$3.00 per election.

G. W. Turner appointed Chas. Oltman as Judge.

Robert E. Lee appointed Dave Patten as Judge.

Albert Oltman appointed G. W. Turner as Judge.

Which names were approved by the Board.

The following ordinance was read:

An Ordinance for the purpose of repealing an Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, County of Rock Island, State of Illinois, that Ordinance No. 4 for the purpose of granting license to keepers of Dram shops be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Moved by Trustees Jackson and Lee to postpone the consideration of the ordinance until next meeting (carried).

Moved by Trustees J. Oltman and albert Oltman to adjourn (carried).

Leo Wilken
Village Clerk

Election Primary March 18, 1916

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island Ill. SS
State of Illinois

March 18th 1916

A canvass of the votes of a primary election held March 14th 1916 were canvassed March 18th 1916 by G. W. Turner President, Geo Wilken Clerk and J. J. Oltman Trustee and were found true and correct and resulted as follows.

Party	Office	Candidate	Men's Votes	Women's Votes
Peoples Anti-Salary Party	Village Clerk	Geo Wilken	4	0
Peoples Anti-Salary Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Albert Oltman	4	0
Peoples Anti-Salary Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Jerry Sikes	4	0
Peoples Anti-Salary Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Arthur Peterson	4	0
Independent No Saloon License Party	Village Clerk	Martin Johnson	7	11
Independent No Saloon License Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Robert E. Lee	8	11
Independent No Saloon License Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Chas. Cox	8	11
Independent No Saloon License Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Chas. Oltman	8	10

Geo Wilken having received the highest number of votes for Village Clerk for 2 yrs on Peoples Anti-Salary Party was declared the nomination. albert Oltman, Jerry Sikes and arthur Peterson having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustees for 2 years on the Peoples Anti-Salary Party were declared the nominations for said offices. Martin Johnson having received the highest number of votes for Village Clerk for 2 yrs on the Independent No Saloon License Party was declared the nomination. Robert E. Lee, Chas. Levy and Chas. Oltman having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustees for 2 yrs on the Independent No Saloon License Party were declared the nominations for said offices.

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting April 1, 1916

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board April 1st 1916

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed all present. The minutes of the previous meeting and canvass of the primary votes were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$65.79. Moved by Trustees J. J. Oltman and Jackson that the Treasurer's report be accepted and ordered placed on file (carried).

The following bills were read:

Payee	Description	Amount
Geo Wilken	6 months salary as V.C., postage & trip to E. Moline	\$39.73
S. F. Odell	1 month salary as Village Treasurer and stationery	\$18.00
Gustov Harder	Cutting & dividing stone pipe	\$0.26
Chas. Oltman	Killing a dog & lodging one tramp	\$1.25
John Oltman	1 ton of coal	\$3.25
Peoples Power	Street lights for March	\$37.50
G. W. Turner	Judge of election	\$3.00
David Patten	Judge of election	\$3.00
Chas. Oltman	Judge of election	\$3.00
C. E. Sikes	Clerk of election	\$3.00
H. J. Bardole	Clerk of election	\$3.00
L. Elmer B. Lagrange	Clerk of election	\$3.00

Moved by Trustees Jackson and J. J. Oltman that the bills as read be allowed (carried).

The following ordinance was presented for action:

An Ordinance for the purpose of repealing an ordinance.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, County of Rock Island, State of Illinois, that Ordinance No. 4 for the purpose of granting license to keepers of Dram shops in and for the Village of Hampton be and the same is hereby repealed.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Jackson that the ordinance be adopted as read. The roll call resulted: Lee yes, albert Oltman no, J. J. Oltman yes, Jackson yes and Johnson yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees J. J. Oltman and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Moved by Trustees Jackson and Lee that we reconsider the motion to adjourn (carried).

Moved by Trustees Jackson and Lee that we adjourn this meeting to the first Sat. after the election (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Election April 19, 1916

Village of Hampton

County of Rock Island, Ill.

State of Illinois

April 19th 1916

Canvass of the votes of an election held April 18th 1916 were canvassed April 19th 1916 by Pres. G. W. Turner, Trustee D. H. Jackson and Geo Wilken Clerk, and were found true and correct and resulted as follows.

Party	Office	Candidate	Men's Votes	Women's Votes	Total Votes
Peoples Anti-Salary Party	Village Clerk (2 yrs)	Geo Wilken	39	22	61
Peoples Anti-Salary Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Albert Oltman	38	16	54
Peoples Anti-Salary Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Jerry Sikes	33	15	48
Peoples Anti-Salary Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Arthur Peterson	34	14	48
Independent No Saloon License Party	Village Clerk (2 yrs)	Martin Johnson	34	29	63
Independent No Saloon License Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Robert E. Lee	35	34	69
Independent No Saloon License Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Chas. Levy	33	35	68
Independent No Saloon License Party	Village Trustee (2 yrs)	Chas. Oltman	34	35	69

Martin Johnson having received the highest number of votes for Village Clerk for two years was declared elected to said office.

Robert E. Lee, Chas. Levy and Chas. Oltman having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustees for two years were declared elected to said offices.

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 22, 1916

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

April 22nd 1916 adjourned meeting of the Village Board

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees: Trustee Lee present, J. J. Oltman present, albert Oltman present, Jackson absent, Johnson present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and also of the canvass of the votes, and were approved.

The following bills were read:

Payee	Description	Amount
G. W. Turner	Judge of Election	\$3.00
Dave Patten	Judge of Election	\$3.00
Chas. Oltman	Judge of Election	\$3.00
C. E. Sikes	Clerk of Election	\$3.00
C. B. LaGrange	Clerk of Election	\$3.00
H. I. Bardole	Clerk of Election	\$3.00
East Moline Herald	Printing of ballots	\$7.00
G. W. Turner	Treasurer of Road Committee, cleaning out tile	\$4.00

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the bills as read be allowed (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read having a balance of \$324.36. Moved by Trustees Lee and J. J. Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that we notify the property owner of the Guckert place to either fence or fill up the cellar (carried).

The minutes read and approved.

Moved by Trustees albert Oltman and J. J. Oltman to adjourn sine die (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 22, 1916

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island SS.
State of Illinois

Adjourned meeting of the Village Board Apr 22, 1916

Organization of the new Board. After the new officers being duly sworn, the meeting called to order by President G. W. Turner. Roll call of trustees showed Trustees Robt Lee, Chas Cox, Chas Oltman, F. Oltman, and Robt Johnson present. Trustee P. W. Jackson absent.

Moved and seconded by Trustees Huson and Chas Oltman bond of Village Clerk be accepted. (Carried)

A communication from Turner & Buzzard Garage owners asking for permission to place gas tank with pump underground near curb line in front of their garage, known as the Fulscher Bldg., read for action.

Moved by Trustee Huson and seconded by Trustee Lee that Turner & Buzzard be allowed to place gas tank as asked for. (Carried)

Moved by Trustee J. Feltman and Lee to adjourn. (Carried)
Martin F. Johnson
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 1, 1916

Village Hampton
County of Rock Island SS
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board May 1th 1916

Bill for Apr. street lights read on motion Lee and Cox. Treasurer report be accepted and placed on file.

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of trustees showed all present except J. F. Oltman. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Treasurer's report \$310.56 read and approved. Moved and seconded by Lee and Johnson that the Clerk ascertain the number of street lights not burning and notify Peoples Canal Power Co. to also hold payment for lights of the month of April until lights are repaired. (Carried)

J. F. Oltman takes his chair.

The following ordinance presented: an ordinance for the purpose of repealing an ordinance.

Be it ordained by the President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, County of Rock Island, State of Illinois, that Ordinance No. 28 for the purpose of granting a license to keepers of pool rooms, billiard rooms, and bowling alleys in and for the said Village of Hampton be and the same is hereby repealed.

Moved and seconded by Shuson, Cox that the ordinance be adopted. Lee yes, Cox yes, Chas Oltman yes, F. Oltman yes, Robert Shuson yes, I. Jackson yes. (Carried)

No. 90

An ordinance for the purpose of granting license to keep a pool room read for action.

Section 1

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, County of Rock Island, State of Illinois, that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, agent or otherwise, to have, keep, or permit to be used within the limits of the Village in or upon any premises owned or occupied or controlled by such person or persons or agent, or in any adjoining building or room connected with such premises, for his or their gain or profit, any billiard table, pool table, or pigeon hole table, or to then or establish any bowling alley for the playing of nine or ten pins, without first obtaining a license therefor from the Village Board, which license may be granted by the President for the term of one year on payment of five dollars (5.00) for each and every table, or nine or ten pin alley in advance.

Section 2

No minor under the age of 18 years shall be allowed to play upon or at any table or tables for hire or the like.

Section 3

The playing of dice is prohibited in any building used as a pool hall or bowling alley as provided under Sec 1 of this ordinance

Section 4

For every violation of the provisions of Section one, two, or three of the ordinances, every person so offending shall be subject to a fine of not less than three dollars or more than ten dollars for each and every offense.

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Section 5

The windows of all such places where tables or bowling alleys are kept are not to be covered with any screens, curtains, shutters, or any other device whatsoever at any time.

Section 6

Any person convicted of Sec 5 of this ordinance shall pay a fine of not less than five dollars or more than twenty dollars for each and every offense.

Moved by Johnson and F. Oltman that the ordinance be adopted. Lee, yes; Cox, yes; Chas Oltman, yes; Robt Johnson, yes; J. F. Oltman, yes; P.W. Jackson, no. (Carried)

Petition of Jacob Hermes to operate a pool hall at Lot No. 3, Block No. 7, River St. read.

Moved by Oltman and Oltman petition be granted. (Carried)

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Lee that the Village Board allow the North Star Benefit Ass'n to use the Town Hall as a meeting place at the rate of one dollar per meeting. They to furnish their own coal. (Carried)

On motion of Lee and Cox the meeting adjourned. (Carried)

Martin Johnson

Village Clerk

The following committees appointed by the Pres.

Street and alley.

Robert Johnson, Robert Lee, Chas Oltman

Finance committee

P. W. Jackson, J. F. Oltman, Chas Cox

Ordinance committee

Robert Lee, P. W. Jackson, Robert Johnson

Steve Odell as Village Treasurer for one year Apr. 1916 to April 1917

approved by the Board

Regular Meeting June 3, 1916

Village Hampton
 County of Rock Island SS
 State of Illinois

Regular meeting of the Village Board

Meeting called to order by the Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of trustees showed all present. Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

The treasurer's report read showing a balance of \$274.06 on hand.

Moved by Trustee Lee and Jackson report be accepted and ordered placed on file. (Carried)

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Lee that the Board levy a tax of \$900.00 for the fiscal year ending Apr. 22, 1917. Lee yes, Chas Oltman yes, F. Oltman yes, P. W. Jackson yes, Robert Johnson yes. (Carried)

Resignation of Village Clerk read.

Moved by the Clerk that resignation be accepted. (Carried)

Ordinance #91

Appropriation Ordinance. Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Illinois, that the following shall and the same is hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes as herein specified for the municipal year ending Apr. 22, 1917.

Item	Amount
Appropriated for bonds	\$159.00
Stoddard note	\$105.00
Officers salary	\$110.00
Street lights	\$450.00
Miscellaneous purposes	\$76.00
Total	\$900.00

Signed P. W. Jackson, J. F. Oltman, Chas N. Cox, Robert Lee, Robert H. Johnson
 Finance and Ordinance Com.

On motion of J. Oltman and Lee the President was instructed to appoint someone to fill vacancy of Village Clerk for balance of year. (Carried)

Moved and seconded by Cox and J. Oltman that the Clerk deduct \$1.25 from light bill for May as light No. 20 not have been burning for 4 weeks. (Carried)

Moved by Lee and Johnson that the Clerk make out warrant for \$36.25 for street lights, also warrant to clerk for services of 2 months at 6.25 per month. (Carried)

C. S. Lee appointed Street Commissioner and Marshal for one year.

Moved by Johnson and Lee that roads be repaired as soon as possible. (Carried)

Moved by Lee and Johnson that the Village Clerk notify E. G. Holton to clean rubbish from Diamond St. and send him copy of ordinance pertaining hereto. (Carried)

On motion council adjourned.

Martin F. Johnson

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting July 1, 1916

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting of the Village Board
July 1st 1916

Meeting called to order by Pres. D. Lumen. Roll call of Trustees showed all present except O. F. Oltman. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Geo. Wilken, having been appointed Village Clerk for the balance of the year, presented his bond for action and was approved by the Board on the motion of Trustees Johnson and Lee.

C. S. Lee presented his bond for Street Commissioner for action of the Board and was also approved on motion of Trustees Lee and Cox.

The Street Commissioner, having also been appointed as Village Marshal, was instructed to prepare another bond for said office.

The Treasurer's report was read, showing a balance of \$225.31. Moved by Trustees Levy and Lue that it be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following bill was read: To E. S. Lee for waiting on the Rylander family 8 1/2 days under quarantine \$12.75,
street work \$1.25,
total \$14.00.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Jackson that the bill be allowed, and also the light for June be ordered paid (carried).

A communication was read from Mrs. M. S. Hoagy and I. L. Black to turn over to the Village of Hampton all right and title to the wagon scales in the street in front of the Black Stone property to use or remove as the Board shall determine. Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lue that we accept the scales (carried).

O. F. Oltman present. Moved by Trustees Con and Lee that the Board grant some person responsible to take the wagon scales and repair same at his expense, and receive the benefits from same as long as he keeps the scale in good repair, and when through with the scales they revert to the Village, and the Pres. given power to let scales under said terms (carried).

The following ordinance was presented.

An ordinance providing for a tax levy for the fiscal year beginning April 23rd 1916 and ending April 22nd 1917.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Illinois, that the following are the purposes and the amounts appropriated for such purposes to be collected from the tax levied for the present fiscal year ending April 22nd 1917:

Item	Amount
Appropriated for bonds	\$159.00
Stoddard note	\$105.00
Officers salary	\$110.00
Street lights	\$450.00
Miscellaneous purposes	\$76.00
Total	\$900.00

Signed Robt. B. Johnson, P. W. Jackson, and Robert E. Lee, Ordinance Committee.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that the ordinance be adopted, in which the roll call resulted: Trustee Lee yes, Cox yes, Lee yes, Oltman yes, Jackson yes, and Johnson yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees O. F. Oltman and Johnson that the Street and Alley Committee and President be instructed to buy a road drag (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Leo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting August 5, 1916

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Aug 5, 1916

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. W. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Lee absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

Payee	Description	Amount
Moline Scale Co.	Repairing scales and material	\$26.06
Peoples Power Co.	Street lights for July	\$37.30

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Box that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their payment (carried).

Trustee J. F. Oltman having accepted the Village Scales under the terms of the previous meeting agreed to pay the Scale Co. bill \$26.06 into the Village Treasurer.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$580.86. Moved by Trustee Jackson and O. F. Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees O. F. Oltman and Jackson that we pay the bond at Port Byron \$159.00,

Mr. Young Warrant with interest \$103, the warrant on note at Bank in Moline \$30.00, and the interest on Miss Stoddard's note and \$5.00, and that the Pres. and Clerk be instructed to have the note at the Moline Bank renewed and issue a new one (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Cox that the Marshal be instructed to enforce weed ordinance No. 87 (carried).

Moved by Trustee O. F. Oltman and Johnson that we grant Mr. Jackson permission to put in an underground oil tank in front of his store (carried).

Moved by Trustee Jackson and Box to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting October 7, 1916

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Oct 7, 1916

Meeting called to order by Pres. G. H. Turner. Roll call of Trustees showed all present. The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$1243.29. Moved by Trustees O. F. Oltman and Levy that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following bills were read:

To Orrin B. Cook	for lumber	\$4.28
To Gustav Harder	for pick	\$1.25
To Dimock Gould & Co.	for full of cement	\$2.10
To G. H. Turner	for work done by E. B. Lagrange	\$1.00
To C. E. Sikes	for sand	\$.40
To C. S. Lee	for labor	\$14.23
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights for Aug-Sept	\$73.00
To Frank Johnson	for labor with team	\$6.00
To H. I. Bardole	for labor	\$3.00
To Leonard Coder	for labor	\$5.84
To Milton Coder	for labor	\$6.52
To Arthur Peterson	for labor with team	\$12.00
To Geo. Wilken	for 4 mo. salary as Clerk, postage	\$23.45
To S. F. Odell	for 6 mo. salary as V. Pres., trip to Rock Island, trip to E. Moline & stationery	\$20.00
To J. F. Oltman	for stove pipe, relot	\$.90

Moved by Trustee Lee and Johnson that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn for their payment (carried).

The Marshal's bond was read for action. Moved by Trustees O. F. Oltman and Levy that the bond be accepted (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Jackson that the Clerk be instructed to purchase a new statute for the Village (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and O. F. Oltman that Trustee Jackson be instructed to get advice from the State's Attorney in regard to the Moline Sand Co. pumping gravel so near the road (carried).

The following resignation was read:

Oct 7th 1916

To the Honorable Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, as I expect to move out of town next week, I now at this time ask the Village Board to accept my resignation as Village President at this meeting. Thanking you all for your kind assistance while I have been in office. I am respectfully,
G. W. Turner.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the resignation be accepted (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson to vote by ballot a trustee to act as Village Pres. The one receiving the highest number of votes to act as Village Pres. The result showed O. F. Oltman the lucky Trustee.

Moved by Trustee Lee and Johnson to adjourn to Tues. night Oct 10, 1916 (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting October 10, 1916

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Adjourned Meeting Oct 10, 1916

Meeting called to order by J. F. Oltman, Pres. pro tem. Roll call of Trustees showed all present.

The Board proceeded with the banking gravel question along the River Road. It was moved by Trustee Jackson and Lee that the Clerk be instructed to notify the Moline Sand Co. that in the opinion of the Board they have endangered the River Road and that they are hereby notified not to excavate nearer the street (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Levy that we consult Attorney Jackson for advice in regard to the pumping gravel (carried).

Moved by Trustees Jackson and Lee that the President appoint a committee of two to consult Attorney Jackson and also the Moline Sand Co. in regard to the encroachment of the street limit (carried).

The President appointed Trustees Jackson and Lee.

Moved by Trustees Jackson and Lee that this committee be authorized to employ Attorney Jackson to draw up an ordinance if his compensation doesn't exceed \$30.00 (carried).

Moved by Trustees Levy and Johnson that the President appoint two or more to act on police duty Halloween (carried).

He appointed all Trustees to act.

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting November 4, 1916

Village of Hampton
 County of Rock Island
 State of Illinois

Nov 4, 1916 , Regular Meeting

Meeting called to order by Pres. J. F. Oltman. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee J. F. Oltman absent.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and adjourned meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$69.90. Moved by Trustees Lee and Levy that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following bills were read:

To Chas. Lee	for labor	\$8.16
To Len Coder	for labor	\$.67
To Theo. Hermes	for labor	\$2.36
To Albert Oltman	for 1 post, 1 load of rock & 6 loads of gravel	\$2.40
To H. j. Bardole,	labor with team	\$6.00
To Geo. Wilken	labor with team	\$2.50
To Dimock Gould for 8 ft 15" sewer pipe	\$3.60	
To Moline Scale Co.	for catch basin \$4.37	
To Robert E. Lee	for two trips to Rock Island	\$3.50
To Jackson & Bauch	for counsel in relation to excavation in line of streets & drawing up ordinance	\$20.00

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Jackson that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their payment (carried).

The following ordinance was read for action:

An ordinance relating to the public safety of the streets, alleys and sidewalks of the Village of Hampton. Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton:

Sec. 1. Any person or persons who shall place any obstruction upon any sidewalk, street or alley in said Village, or in any manner interfere with the surface of the same so as to endanger the safety of persons, teams or vehicles passing on or over the same shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars for each offense.

Sec. 2. Any person or persons who shall leave any cellar way, cellar door, vault, or pit in an open, unguarded or unsafe condition upon or adjoining any sidewalk, street or alley of said Village so as to endanger the safety of persons traveling upon or over the same shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars for each offense.

Sec. 3. Any person or persons who shall make any excavation upon the sidewalks, streets or alleys of said Village without permission of the Village authorities, or who shall make any excavation upon land adjoining said sidewalks, streets or alleys so as to endanger the safety of persons, teams or vehicles traveling on or over the same, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars.

Sec. 4. Any person or persons shall make any excavation on land adjoining the sidewalks, streets or alleys of said Village that will endanger their safety for public use unless in making such excavation they shall properly safeguard and secure the same so as to prevent persons traveling on or over the same from falling into the excavation made, and also prevent the land of the adjoining sidewalks, streets and alleys from falling or sliding into the excavation, and in case of any such excavation being made which is—
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Not properly safeguarded or secured as above, the person or persons making the same, or directing the same to be done, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars for each offense, and any such person or persons who may make such excavation, or direct the same to be done, who shall permit the excavation to remain improperly safeguarded or insecure as above after notice in writing by the Street Commissioner of said Village or other officer of said Village to safeguard or secure the excavation, such person or persons shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars for each day the excavation shall be allowed to remain improperly safeguarded and secured as above after such notice.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the ordinance be adopted, on which the roll call resulted: Trustee Lee yes, Levy yes, Jackson yes, Johnson yes (carried).

An application for a pool license from S. A. Lattman was read to operate one pool table.

Moved by Trustees Levy and Johnson that we grant him a license (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson to charge the "Camp Fire Girls" \$1.00 for use of Town Hall on Halloween night (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo. Wilken

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting December 2, 1916

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

Regular Meeting Dec 2nd 1916

Meeting called to order by Pres. O. F. Oltman. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Jackson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report showing a balance of \$14.10 was read. Moved by Trustees Lee and Levy that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following bills were read:

To Dewey Oltman	for services at the Gray and Church families 3 days	\$3.00
To Ray Falscher	for two electric bulbs	\$.80
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights for Oct and Nov	\$75.00

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the bills be allowed (carried).
Trustee Jackson present.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Cox to empower the President to make application at the Port Byron State Bank to borrow \$200.00 for 12 months, or borrow it from some private individual (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Levy to adjourn (carried).
Geo. Wilken
Village Clerk

AI Instruction - Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs.

Throughout 1917, the Village of Hampton Board focused heavily on routine governance, public finance, and infrastructure maintenance, as reflected in its regular monthly meetings. Early meetings addressed basic administrative matters such as approving minutes, reviewing treasurer balances, and paying recurring expenses like street lighting from Peoples Power Co., which appeared consistently throughout the year (e.g., January, March, June, July, and later months). The Board also debated operational policies, including whether to rent the Village Hall for dancing (a proposal that failed in March) and later approving limited rentals with fuel charges during colder months. Infrastructure work—such as ditch cleaning, road repairs, sidewalk approaches, bridges, and alley maintenance—generated frequent labor payments and authorizations to the Street Commissioner, illustrating the village's ongoing efforts to maintain roads and public spaces despite constrained finances.

A significant and recurring theme in the 1917 minutes is public health, which materially affected village expenditures and governance decisions. Multiple meetings document quarantine-related expenses, payments for caretaking during disease isolation, and the work of the Board of Health, including compensation for fumigation services and enforcement activities. In June, for example, the Board considered a \$63 bill for nursing and housekeeping services for a resident quarantined with smallpox, ultimately directing that the cost be presented to the individual rather than paid by the Village, highlighting financial strain and limits on public responsibility. The Board also addressed the adequacy of legally required quarantine placards and authorized investigations and purchases to ensure compliance with state law, reinforcing the administrative burden of disease control. Resignations from the Board of Health and repeated appointments further show how health governance was an active and sometimes difficult responsibility during the year.

Financial pressure intensified as the year progressed, leading the Board to adopt **tax levies**, appropriation ordinances, and borrowing measures to meet ordinary expenses and outstanding debts. By mid-year, resolutions authorized borrowing against anticipated 1917 tax revenues at six percent interest, and later discussions culminated in a proposed \$1,500 bond issue intended to retire debt and improve roads. That bond proposal was ultimately **rejected by voters** at a special election in September, underscoring taxpayer reluctance despite acknowledged infrastructure needs. These fiscal challenges unfolded during a moment of broader historical strain: the United States entered World War I in April 1917, and while the minutes do not directly reference wartime measures, the emphasis on austerity, borrowing, and infrastructure maintenance reflects local governance operating under national uncertainty. At the same time, the repeated quarantine costs, fumigation, and disease-control actions documented in the minutes align with the wider public-health crisis environment of the mid-1910s, immediately preceding the devastating 1918 influenza pandemic, helping explain why health-related expenses formed a notable part of Hampton's 1917 budgetary concerns.

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Regular Meeting January 6, 1917

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island,
State of Illinois,

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Jan 6th 1917

Meeting called to order by Pres. I. F. Oltmann. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Jackson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$54.20. Moved by Trustee Lee and Chas. Oltman that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following bills were read:

To Peoples Power Co. for street lights for Dec. \$37.50.

To C. S. Lee for services at the Gray & Church families during quarantine 4 days at \$1.50 per day \$6.00.

R. E. Lee for services for the same 2 1/2 days at \$1.50 per day \$3.75.

Summary Table:

<i>Payee</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<i>Peoples Power Co.</i>	<i>Street lights (Dec.)</i>	<i>\$37.50</i>
<i>C. S. Lee</i>	<i>Quarantine services (4 days)</i>	<i>\$6.00</i>
<i>R. E. Lee</i>	<i>Quarantine services (2½ days)</i>	<i>\$3.75</i>

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Henry to refer the two bills for quarantine services to the Board of Health and the Clerk be instructed to issue warrants for the amounts they OK (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Chas. Oltman that the light bill be laid over until the next regular meeting (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting February 3, 1917

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island,
State of Illinois,

Regular Meeting of the Village Board Feb 3rd 1917

Meeting called to order by Pres. O. F. Oltman. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Jackson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$34.20.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Levy that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The two bills of the previous meeting referred to the Board of Health, namely to R. E. Lee for taking care of Church and Gest Gray families during quarantine 21 days, and to C. S. Lee for the same purpose 4 days, were allowed at \$1.00 per day instead of \$1.50.

The following bills were read for action:

To Henry Hanewacker	for Board of Health services	\$4.08.
To S. J. Shepard	for the same purpose	\$2.50.
To Chas. Oltman	for the same purpose	\$1.00.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the bills be allowed and also the light bill for Dec. continued to this meeting, and that the Clerk issue warrants for the amounts and they to hold the warrants until the funds permit payment (carried).

G. I. H. Hanewacker, Secty Board of Health, reported that the placards on hand for the different contagious diseases did not conform with the law in regard to size, color, and tint.

Moved by Trustees Levy and Lee that he be instructed to investigate in regard to purchasing some placards for quarantine that conform with the law, and if it is up to the Village to buy them that he purchase some of each (carried).

Moved by Trustees Levy and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Village of Hampton Regular Meeting
 County of Rock Island, of the Village Board
 State of Illinois, March 3rd 1917

Meeting called to order by Pres. J. Oltman. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Jackson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$91.12. Moved by Trustees Lee and Cox that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following bills were read:

To R. E. Lee	for labor on streets 8 hours at 22 1/2¢ per hr.	\$1.80
To C. J. H. Hanewacker	for 1/2 fumigators and fumigating the Walter Gray place	\$1.50.
Chicago Legal News Co.	for Statute for Village of Hampton	\$6.50.
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights for Jan and Feb	\$75.00.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Chas. Oltman that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for the amounts (carried). Trustee Jackson present.

The following ordinance was presented by Trustee Lee for action:

An Ordinance concerning salary of Village Clerk.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, R.I. Co., Ills., that the Village Clerk shall be allowed the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per year payable semi-annually. This ordinance shall take effect beginning with the fiscal year 1917.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Moved by Trustee Lee that the ordinance as read be adopted, seconded by Trustee Cox, on which the roll call resulted: Trustee Lee yes, Cox yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Jackson no, and Johnson no. Motion lost.

As no petitions were filed for the primaries, it was moved by Trustee Johnson and Cox that we dispense with the primary of March 13th and the Clerk be hereby instructed not to have ballots printed for the primary (carried).

Moved by Trustees Chas. Oltman and Johnson that we rent the Village Hall for dancing purposes at \$5.00 per night payable in advance, on which the roll call resulted: Trustee Lee no, Cox no, Oltman yes, Jackson no, and Robert Johnson no. Motion lost.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee to adjourn (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Regular Meetin April 7, 1917

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island,
State of Illinois,

Regular Meeting of the Village Board April 7 1917

Meeting called to order by Pres. J. Oltman. Roll call of Trustees showed Trustee Jackson absent. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read:

To Geo Wilken	for 1/2 year salary as Village Clerk, M. Orders, postage and express charges	\$38.70.
To S. F. Odell	for 6 mo. salary as Village Treasurer and stationery	\$18.00.
To the Legal Adviser Publishing Co.	for election supplies	\$18.25.

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Lee that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for the amount (carried).

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$104.82. Moved by Trustees Lee and Levy that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that the Street Commissioner be instructed to clean the ditches on north alley, Locust St., and Center St., and other ditches that need cleaning (carried).

A communication was read from C. S. Sikes, Temporary Chairman, Sons of Veterans, asking to rent the Town Hall April 9th and April 12th 1917, and asking the Village to drag the road on River St. Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee to let them have the hall (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that the Police Magistrate be supplied with a key to the Town Hall and also a key to the drawer in which the Statute will be kept (carried).

Moved by Trustees Levy and Johnson that we get 13 dog tax tags made for the Village, and the Clerk be instructed to get them (carried).

The Board then appointed the following names as Judges of the Election April 17, 1917:
Trustee Jackson appointed H. J. Bardole
Trustee Johnson appointed J. F. Oltman
J. F. Oltman appointed Chas. Oltman

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Chas. Oltman to allow A. W. Wilken \$3.00 for work done in the hollow cleaning roadside (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Levy to adjourn to two weeks from tonight April 21st 1917 (carried).

Geo Wilken
Village Clerk

Election April 17, 1917

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island, State of Illinois

April 18th 1917

A canvass of the votes of an election held April 17th were canvassed April 18th by Pres. J. Oltman, Trustee Lee, and Geo Wilken, Clerk, and were found true and correct and resulted as follows:

Anti-Saloon Party voters

For Village Pres. for 2 years:

E. E. Holton received 19 men, 12 women — 31 total.

For Village Clerk to fill vacancy:

G. F. McNabney received 20 men, 12 women — 32 total.

For Trustees for 2 years:

Robert Johnson 20 men, 12 women — 32

Geo Oltman 20 men, 12 women — 32

Alfred Hofstetter 7 men 6 women — 13

For Police Magistrate for 4 years:

E. E. Sikes 5 men, 0 women - 5

Alfred Hofstetter 2 men, 0 women - 2

E. E. Holton having received the highest number of votes for Village Pres. for 2 years was declared elected to said office.

G. F. McNabney having received the highest number of votes for Village Clerk for one year to fill vacancy was declared elected to said office.

Robert Johnson, Geo Oltman, and Alfred Hofstetter having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustee for 2 years were declared elected to said office.

C. E. Sikes having received the highest number of votes for Police Magistrate for 4 years was declared elected to said office.

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting April 21, 1917

Village of Hampton,
County of Rock Island,
State of Illinois,

Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board April 21st 1917

Meeting called to order by Pres. J. Oltman. Roll call of Trustees: Trustee Lee present, Trustee Levy present, Chas. Oltman present, Trustee Jackson absent, Johnson present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, also the canvass proceedings.

The Treasurer's report was read showing a balance of \$383.12. Moved by Trustees Lee and Levy that the Treasurer's report be accepted and placed on file (carried).

The following bills were read:

To J. F. Oltman,	Judge of Election	\$4.00
To H. J. Randale	Judge of Election	\$4.00
To C. H. Oltman	Judge of Election	\$4.00
To R. H. Johnson,	Clerk of Election	\$4.00
To C. H. Cox	Clerk of Election	\$4.00
To C. E. Sikes	Clerk of Election	\$4.00
To Henry Hanewacker	for fumigator and services on Board of Health	\$9.67
To James Vogel	for labor	\$9.63
To Dewey Oltman		\$9.63
To Chas. S. Lee		\$10.85
To Theo Hermes		\$9.63
To Jessie Tyler	with team	\$3.50
To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights March	\$37.50
To J. F. Oltman	for light bulbs, bail, cup & link of two keys	\$3.00

Moved by Trustees Chas. Oltman and Robert Johnson that the bills be allowed (carried).

The following resignation was read:

Village of Hampton, April 21 1917.

To the President and Members of the Village Board:

I hereby resign as President of the Health Board to take effect at once.

Yours, S. J. Shepard

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the resignation be accepted (carried).

The minutes were then read and stood approved.

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Moved by Trustees Johnson and Chas. Oltman that we adjourn sine die (carried).

Geo Wilken

Village Clerk

Special Meeting April 21, 1917

Village of Hampton
County of Rock Island
State of Illinois

April 21st 1917

Pursuant to the call of the President, the board met for the purpose of organization. Meeting called to order by the President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Charles Oltman, Robert E. Lee, Charles Cox, holdover Trustees, and Robert H. Johnson, Geo. Oltman and Alfred Hofstetter, Trustees elect.

The bond of G. F. McNabney for Village Clerk as principal and Emil C. Henline and Henry Light as sureties in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars was presented to the board.

It was moved by Trustee Lee and seconded by Trustee Cox that the Clerk's bond be approved, motion carried.

The bond of E. E. Holton for Village President as principal and Stephen F. Odell and Charles S. Lee as sureties in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars was presented to the board.

It was moved by Trustee Levy and seconded by Trustee Johnson that the President's bond be approved, motion carried.

Moved by Trustee Geo. Oltmann, seconded by Trustee Hofstetter, that the Street Commissioner be instructed to clean the ashes out of the alleys within two days' time, motion carried.

Moved by Trustee Cox and Lee that the board adjourn, carried.

G. F. McNabney
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 5, 1917

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

May 5th 1917

Regular Meeting of the Village Board

Meeting called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed all Trustees present except Trustee Charles Cox. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

S. F. Odell, Village Treasurer, presented his monthly report showing a balance in the treasury of \$270.98.

Moved by Trustee Charles Oltman and Johnson that the Treasurer's report be approved and placed on file, carried.

The following bills were read:

To James Vogel	labor	\$5.25
To C. S. Lee	labor	\$5.77
To H. J. Bardole	labor with team	\$6.50
To R. E. Lee	labor	\$5.25
To Albert Oltman	travel and fence posts	\$2.80
To East Moline Herald	printing ballots	\$8.50
To C. J. H Hanewacker	fumigation (on Board of Health)	\$9.56

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltmann and Johnson that the bills be allowed and orders drawn on the Treasurer for the amounts. Roll call: Charles Oltman yea, Lee yea, Johnson yea, Geo. Oltman yea, Hofstetter yea. Carried.

On motion of Trustees Lee and Hofstetter the Sons of Veterans and Ladies Auxiliary be granted the use of the Village Hall free of charge such times as not used by the Village and other organizations, provided they furnish their own fuel and clean up the hall after using same, motion carried.

H. J. Hanewacker and Charles Oltman presented their resignations as members of the Board of Health, which were on motion of Trustees Lee and Johnson accepted.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman that the Street Commissioner be instructed to repair the road in the hollow, carried.

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Lee that we have a clean-up week beginning May 21st, carried.

The President made the following appointments:

Street and Alleys Committee — Geo. Oltman, R. E. Lee, Charles Cox

Finance Committee — Robert Johnson, Charles Oltman, A. Hofstetter
Marshal and Street Commissioner — Charles Beeld

Moved by Trustees Lee and Oltman to adjourn, carried.

G. F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting June 2, 1917

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

June 2nd 1917
 Regular Meeting of the Village Board

Meeting called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Robert E. Lee, Charles Oltman, R. H. Johnson, and Geo. Oltman. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand \$229.50, which report was on motion of R. H. Johnson and Oltman approved and placed on file.

Mrs. Laura Vonach presented a bill for \$63.00 for services as nurse and housekeeper at the home of Joseph Hermes who was quarantined for smallpox. Said bill was on motion of R. E. Lee and Johnson returned back to her with the request that she present said bill to Mr. Hermes for payment.

The following bills were presented and read:

To Mrs. A. Coder	washing windows and blankets	\$1.00
To Chas. S. Lee	labor, spike and burying a dog	\$5.00
To Peoples Power Co.	street lights for April and May	\$15.00

Moved by Trustees Lee, Oltman and Cox that said bills be allowed. Roll call: Lee yea, Chas. Oltman yea, Geo. Oltman yea, Johnson yea. Motion carried.

Fatman Ed Foss made application for a license to run one pool table situated on Lot 4 in Block 30 in Milan in the Village of Hampton for the term of one month.

Moved by Trustees Lee, Oltman and Johnson that a license be granted. Roll call: Lee yea, Chas. Oltman yea, Geo. Oltman yea, Johnson yea. Motion carried.

The President appointed Trustees R. H. Johnson, Geo. Oltman and Charles Cox as a Committee on Ordinance for the ensuing year.

The President appointed Stephen F. Odell Village Treasurer for the ensuing year. The roll was called to confirm which resulted as follows: Lee yea, Chas. Oltman yea, Geo. Oltman yea, Johnson yea. Appointment confirmed.

The roll was called to confirm the appointment made May 5th of Charles E. Lee for Street Commissioner and Village Marshal which resulted as follows: Lee yea, Chas. Oltman yea, Geo. Oltman yea, Johnson yea. Appointments confirmed.

Stephen F. Odell presented his bond in the sum of \$2000.00 with Charles E. Lee and E. E. Holton as sureties. Roll call on approval of bond resulted as follows: Lee yea, Chas. Oltman yea, Geo. Oltman yea, Johnson yea. Bond declared approved.

Charles E. Lee presented his bond in the sum of \$1000.00 each for the office of Street Commissioner and Village Marshal with Stephen F. Odell and Robert E. Lee as sureties. Roll call on approval of said bonds resulted as follows: Chas. Oltman yea, Geo. Oltman yea, Johnson yea, Lee not voting. Bonds declared approved.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Geo. Oltman that the Street and Alley Committee be given the power to act and allow Charles Schreiner to put in cement approaches to sidewalk for a crossing near his residence, motion carried.

The Clerk was instructed to write the City of East Moline regarding the amount due from said city for 65 yards of gravel at 25 cents per yard.

The following resolution was presented by the Finance Committee:

Whereas there is not sufficient money in the treasury of the Village of Hampton to meet and defray the ordinary expenses thereof, be it resolved that to meet said expenses the President and Clerk of the Village Board be and they are hereby authorized to borrow money for said purpose to be paid solely out of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1917 and issue a warrant therefor bearing six per cent interest in anticipation of the taxes levied for the year A.D. 1917 to seventy-five percent of said levy, and that the taxes to the amount of the warrant so issued and interest be set apart for the payment thereof. Signed by R. H. Johnson, Geo. Oltman.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Geo. Oltman that the resolution be adopted, on which the roll call resulted: Lee yea, Chas. Oltman yea, Geo. Oltman yea, Johnson yea. Carried.

Ordinance No. 94

An ordinance providing for a tax levy for the fiscal year beginning April 23, 1917 and ending April 22, 1918.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton:

The following are the purposes and the amounts appropriated for such purposes to be collected from the tax levied for the present fiscal year ending April 22, 1918:

~~Bonds and interest,~~

street lights — \$450.00

Miscellaneous — \$550.00

Total — \$1000.00

Moved by Trustees Lee and Charles Oltman that the tax levy ordinance as read be passed and adopted. Roll call resulted: Lee yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. Carried.

Ordinance No. 95

Appropriation Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton that the following shall be and the same is hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes as herein specified for the municipal year ending April 22, 1918:

B. Stoddard note — \$105.00

Officers' salary — \$110.00

Street lights — \$450.00

Miscellaneous — \$335.00

Total — \$1000.00

Moved by Trustees Lee and Chas. Oltman that the appropriation ordinance be passed and adopted as read. Roll call resulted: Lee yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Geo. Oltman that the President and Clerk be authorized to issue a warrant on the Village Treasury for the sum \$600.00 drawing 6 percent interest payable one year after date and made payable to the Peoples Index Savings Bank to pay off the warrant and interest which the bank holds against the Village; that after paying off the warrant and interest the balance due on the \$600.00 warrant revert into the Village Treasury. Roll call resulted: Lee yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. Carried.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman to adjourn, carried.

G. F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting July 7, 1917

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

July 7th 1917
 Regular Meeting of the Village Board

Meeting called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, Alfred Hofstetter, and Robert H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer S. F. Odell presented his monthly report showing a balance in the treasury \$227.85, which was on motion of Trustee Geo. Oltman and Charles Oltman approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

To G. H. Harder	blacksmithing	\$3.45
To C. S. Lee	labor, spikes, nails, file and matches	\$24.44
To Mr. Flack	labor with team	\$4.80
To Frank Johnson	labor with team	\$3.90
To Chas Glanz	labor	\$7.25
To Mr. Bardole	labor	\$3.50
To Dewey Oltman	labor	\$2.00
To Chas. Edelman	labor	\$4.00
To S. F. Odell	labor	\$6.25
To F. Hill	labor with team	\$5.40
To Sam Gray	labor	\$6.00
To H Light	for 3 gallons oil	36 cents
To Roy Yost	moving grader	\$4.00
To Peoples Power Co.	lights for the month of June	\$37.50

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Hofstetter that the bills be allowed. Roll call resulted as follows: Geo. Oltman yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Hofstetter yes, Johnson yes. Carried.

Moved by Chas. Oltman and Hofstetter that new cement steps be placed in front of the Village Hall under the supervision of the Street Commissioner (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Geo. Oltman that the President and Clerk be authorized to issue orders on the Village Treasurer to pay labor bills every week and electric light bill when said bill is due. Roll call resulted as follows: Geo. Oltman yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Hofstetter yes, Johnson yes.

(Motion carried.)

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Hofstetter that the Street Commissioner be authorized to order tile with power to act to repair street and alley crossings (carried).

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Geo. Oltman to adjourn (carried).

G. F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Speicial Meeting July 30, 1917

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

July 30, 1917
 Special Meeting of the Village Board

Special meeting of the Village Board called by the President E. E. Holton to transact any and all business that may properly come before them. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Geo. Oltman, R. E. Lee, Alfred Hofstetter, and R. H. Johnson.
 The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were presented and read:

To Chas Glanz	for labor	\$17.25
To H. J. Bardole	for labor	\$16.80
To S. A. Gray	for labor	\$11.75
To C. S. Lee	for labor	\$12.70
To Fred Hill	for labor with team	\$20.40
To Dewey Oltman	for labor	\$17.50
To Thos. Dunn and Sons	for Lantern globes, hatchets and shovels	\$9.60

Moved by Trustees Lee and Hofstetter that said bills be allowed. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Hofstetter yes, Johnson yes (carried).

The Treasurer S. F. Odell presented his report showing a balance in the treasury \$20.60, which was on motion of Trustees Lee and Hofstetter approved and placed on file.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Hofstetter that the Clerk and Treasurer see the Port Byron State Bank about borrowing \$1200.00 payable in twelve years, payable \$100.00 and interest yearly (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the President and Clerk be authorized to issue a Village warrant to the Peoples Savings Bank and Trust Co. in the sum of \$300.00 with interest at 6% per annum from date until paid. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Hofstetter yes, Johnson yes.

Moved by Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman to adjourn to Friday night Aug. 3rd at 7:30 (carried).
 G. F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Adjourned Meeting August 3, 1917

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

August 3rd 1917
 Adjourned Meeting of the Village Board

Adjourned meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R. E. Lee, Geo. Oltman, Charles Oltman, Alfred Hofstetter, and R. H. Johnson.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were presented and read:

Peoples Power Co.	for lights for month of July	\$37.50
C. E. Lee	for labor	\$41.04
Fred Hill	labor with team	\$19.20
Jacob Mohr	labor	\$12.62
Carl Kleaver	labor	\$7.50
Elmer Marx	labor with team	\$14.40
James Marx	labor with team	\$37.80
Elmer Marx	labor	\$8.00
Wilber Hermes	labor	\$7.75
Chas. Glanz	labor	\$15.75
Mr. Flack	labor with team	\$9.60
Henry Easter	labor with team	\$57.00
Dewey Oltman	labor	\$1.00
H. J. Bardole	labor	\$8.50
James Vogel	labor	\$7.25
Geo. M. Gould	24 dog tags	\$2.25
H. Light and Sons	oil and matches	77 cents
Argillo Works	dynamite and caps	\$5.00
East Moline Electric Co.	fixtures, wire, two dry cells	\$1.60

Moved by Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman that the bills be allowed. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Hofstetter yes, Johnson yes (carried). Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson to adjourn to the regular meeting in September (carried).

G. F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting September 1, 1917

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

September 1st 1917

Regular Meeting of the Village Board

Meeting called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R. E. Lee, Chas. H. Cox, Chas. Oltman, and R. H. Johnson.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance in the treasury \$439.36, which was on motion of Trustees Lee and Cox approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

H. J. Bardole	for labor	\$7.75
Wilber Hermes	for labor	\$5.25
Jacob Mohr	for labor	\$3.25
Henry Easter	for labor with team	\$12.60
Albert Oltman	378 loads of gravel	\$37.80
Albert Oltman	mowing weeds and use of wagon	\$2.80
C. S. Lee	for labor	\$15.40
Chas. Glanz	labor	\$6.00
James Marx	labor with team	\$7.80
Elmer Mark	labor with team	\$9.80
G. H. Harder	for blacksmithing	\$2.60
Peoples Power Co.	lights for month of Aug.	\$37.50
Total amount paid		\$151.75

Moved by Trustee Lee and Cox that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Cox yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Johnson yes (carried).

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Cox that the Clerk write the Velie Automobile Company of Moline that their testing cars are exceeding the speed limit through the Village and that the same must be stopped or legal means will be used to enforce the law (carried).

The following resolution was presented by R. H. Johnson and Chas. H. Cox of the Ordinance Committee:

Whereas there is not sufficient money in the Village Treasury to pay the outstanding indebtedness, and whereas our streets and roads require immediate attention...

...that the Village may be placed in a better financial condition, therefore be it resolved that a special election be held on Saturday the 15th day of September A.D. 1917 for the purpose of voting for or against the Village issuing its bonds for the sum of \$1500.00 payable \$100.00 yearly at 5% annual interest, and that the money derived from the sale of said bonds shall be used to pay off the indebtedness and for the repair of streets and roads in the Village; that the polls of said election shall be open at 7 o'clock A.M. and close at 5 o'clock P.M., and that the Clerk issue the notices of said election; that the following named persons be appointed judges of said election: Charles Oltman, R. H. Johnson, and Charles H. Cox, and that the judges appoint their clerks.

Roll call on the above resolution resulted as follows: R. E. Lee yes, Chas. H. Cox yes, Chas. Oltman yes, R. H. Johnson yes (carried).

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Cox that the Clerk secure the necessary ballots and supplies for said election (carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Cox that the Street Commissioner be instructed to put in a foot bridge over the ditch in front of R. E. Lee's residence (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Cox that the Street Commissioner notify Mrs. Mary Barrel and E. C. Henline to remove the weeds encroaching on the sidewalk on the east end of their lots in Block 1, and that E. C. Henline be notified to move his chicken fence back on the line (carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Cox to adjourn (carried).

G. F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Special Election September 15, 1917

State of Illinois
Rock Island County ss
Village of Hampton

September 19th 1917

Canvass of the votes of a special election held Sept. 15, 1917 for the purpose of voting for or against the Village issuing its bonds in the sum of Fifteen Hundred (\$1500.00) Dollars, payable One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars yearly, to pay off outstanding indebtedness and for the repair and improvement of streets and roads in said Village.

Said vote was canvassed Sept. 19th 1917 by E. E. Holton, Village President, G. F. McNabney, Village Clerk, and Trustee George Oltman, and were found correct and true and resulted as follows:

For the Village to issue its bonds:

Men's votes 24
Women's votes 23
Total 47 votes

Against the Village to issue its bonds:

Men's votes 30
Women's votes 21
Total 51 votes

The vote against the Village issuing its bonds having received the highest number of votes was duly declared carried.

G. F. McNabney
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting October 6, 1917

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

Oct. 6th 1917
 Regular Meeting of the Village Board

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E. E. Holton. Chas. H. Cox acting Clerk Pro Tem. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Robert E. Lee, Chas. Oltman, Geo. Oltman, R. H. Johnson, and Chas. H. Cox.

The Treasurer presented his report for the month ending Oct. 6, 1917 showing a balance on hand of \$302.61, which was on motion of Trustee R. E. Lee and Chas. Oltman approved and placed on file.

Bills against the Village were presented as follows:

To R. H. Johnson	for Judge of Election	\$3.00
To Chas. Oltman	for Judge of Election	\$3.00
To Chas. H. Cox	for Judge of Election	\$3.00
To J. F. Oltman	for Clerk of Election	\$3.00
To Geo. Oltman	for Clerk of Election	\$3.00
To S. F. Odell	for Clerk of Election	\$3.00
To Albert Oltman	for timbers for Rifle Bridge	\$2.00
To S. F. Odell	for 6 months salary, labor, cement, band trips to Port Byron and trips to Rock Island	\$32.25
To Wm. Mohr	for labor	\$1.75
To Chas. S. Lee	for labor	\$12.87
To Henry Easter	for labor with team	\$9.60
To Dimock Gould & Co.	lumber and cement	\$9.78
To H. Light and Sons	for work done for vinegar barrel	\$1.00
To Legal Adviser Pub. Co.	for blanks	\$4.75
To East Moline Herald	for cut and printing ballots	\$5.00
To G. F. McNabney	for 6 months salary, two trips to Port Byron, 4 copies of certain documents	\$43.55

Motion made by Trustee R. E. Lee and Chas. Oltman that bills be allowed. Roll call showed motion carried.

Communication from the Mississippi Valley Waterway read. Motion made by Robert Johnson and seconded by Geo. Oltman that the communication be placed on the table until some future time (carried).

Motion made by Robert Johnson and seconded by Robert Lee that the Street and Alley Committee with the Street Commissioner—

Minutes continued

Cox over the road on north and instruct the Commissioner what to do (motion carried).
Motion made by Robert Johnson and seconded by Robert Lee that the Clerk Protem be instructed to order two tons of Springfield coal from Moline Ice Co. at Watertown, motion carried.

Motion made by Geo. Oltman and seconded by Rob Johnson that we rent the Hall to the Court of Honor for the second Tuesday in each month for the sum of one dollar per month (motion carried).

Motion made by Robert Johnson and seconded by Chas. Oltman that we charge all lodges and societies 25 cents per night for coal during the winter months (motion carried).

Motion made by Chas. Cox and seconded by Geo. Oltman that we adjourn (motion carried).
Chas. H. Cox
Clerk Protem

Regular Meeting November 5, 1917

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

Nov. 5th 1917

Regular Meeting of the Village Board

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by the President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Chas. H. Cox, Chas. Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R. H. Johnson. The minutes of the two preceding meetings were read and approved.

The Village Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance in the treasury of \$165.91, which was on motion of Trustees Geo. Oltman and Chas. Oltman approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for month of Sept.	\$37.50
To C.S. Lee	for labor	\$8.80
To R. H. Johnson	police duty \$1.75	
To Chas. Oltman	police duty	\$1.50
To H. J. Bardole	for labor	\$4.12
To Wm. Mohr	for labor	\$3.00
To Mr. Flick	for labor with team	\$9.90
To R. E. Lee	for Labor	\$3.25
To Henry Easter	for labor with team	\$6.00
To Albert Oltman	for 20 loads of gravel	\$2.00
Total amount paid		\$76.82

Moved by Trustees Chas. Cox and Chas. Oltman that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Cox yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, R. H. Johnson yes (carried).

Moved by Trustees R. H. Johnson and Chas. Oltman that the Street and Alley Committee be authorized with power to act to fix up the road in front of S. J. Sheppard's residence (carried).

Moved by Trustees R. H. Johnson and Chas. Oltman to adjourn (carried).

G. F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

AI Instruction - Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs.

Throughout 1918, the Village of Hampton Board meetings reveal repeated attention to public health concerns, particularly contagious illnesses affecting residents and schools. Trustees regularly approved payments for medical response activities, including labor for posting measles and chicken pox warning cards, fumigating homes, and attending sick residents. For example, in April and May the Board approved payments to B.S. Lee and Charles S. Lee for responding to measles cases, putting up warning cards, and fumigating the schoolhouse. Later in the year, scarlet fever cases required additional village intervention, including compensation for attending ill residents and fumigating infected homes, demonstrating the Board's active role in managing outbreaks and protecting public health during the year.

Financial issues were a constant and significant focus of the Board's work, with careful tracking of balances, debts, and expenditures at nearly every meeting. Early in the year the Village faced limited funds, with a treasury balance of just \$90.09 in January, prompting borrowing and the restructuring of existing notes to cover interest payments and operating expenses. To address ongoing indebtedness and infrastructure needs, the Board proposed and secured voter approval for a \$1,500 bond issue in April, specifically intended to pay outstanding debts and repair roads and streets. The successful bond sale later provided a substantial infusion of funds, temporarily increasing the treasury balance to over \$1,700 before large payments were made to retire notes and interest obligations.

As the year progressed, Board actions reflected a balance between fiscal responsibility and necessary spending for village operations. Ordinances were passed to set official salaries, establish a tax levy, and appropriate funds for the coming fiscal year, clearly allocating money for bond interest, officer salaries, street lighting, and miscellaneous expenses. Regular monthly bills show ongoing costs for public lighting, road work, salaries, and health-related services, with trustees consistently approving detailed payment lists to keep the village functioning. Together, the minutes illustrate a Board grappling with limited resources, public health emergencies, and infrastructure demands while maintaining formal oversight of finances and village welfare throughout 1918.

AI Instruction - Perform verbatim transcription, with minor mechanical grammar corrections only, no added formatting, no editorial changes, and carriage returns removed only when sentences continue within a paragraph. Only preserve line breaks that represent separate Sections or list items. Preserve page numbers in the upper corner. Proceed with a continuous batch transcription.

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Regular Meeting January 5, 1918

State of Illinois
Rock Island County ss
Village of Hampton

Jan. 5th 1918

Regular meeting of the Village Board

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by the President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following trustees present: R.E. Lee, Charles Oltman, Les Ottman, Ed R.H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his report showing a balance in the Treasury Jan. 5/18 of \$90.09 which was on motion of Trustees Les Ottman and R.H. Johnson approved and placed on file.

Moved by Trustees R.H. Johnson and R.E. Lee that an order be drawn on the Treasurer for \$500 in payment for the interest due on the Endara in Stoddard note up to Aug. 9th 1917, and that the President and Clerk be authorized to take up the old note and issue a new note to be dated Aug. 9th 1917 in the sum of \$100.00 payable one year after date with interest at the rate of 5% per annum until paid. Roll call resulted as follows: R.E. Lee yes, Charles Oltman yes, Les Oltman yes, and R.H. Johnson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Geo Oltman and R.H. Johnson that the Village borrow \$200.00 from J.J. Young and that the President and Clerk be authorized to issue warrants to be dated Jan. 1st 1918 in payment for the same, said warrants to be payable May 1st 1918 and to draw interest at the rate of 6%. Roll call resulted as follows: R.E. Lee yes, Charles Oltman yes, Les Oltman yes, R.H. Johnson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees R.H. Johnson and Charles Oltman that Chas. S Likes be notified to turn over to the Village of Hampton all dockets, law books, and papers belonging to the office of Police Magistrate. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Charles Oltman and R.H. Johnson that the Peoples Power Company's light bills for the months of Oct., Nov., Dec. be allowed. Roll call resulted as follows: R.E. Lee yes, Charles Oltman yes, Les Oltman yes, R.H. Johnson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Les Oltman and R.H. Johnson to adjourn. (Carried)

G.F. McNabney
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting March 2, 1918

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

March 2nd 1918
 Regular meeting of the Village Board

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by the President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R.E. Lee, Lehar Ott, Charles Oltman, and Geo. Oltman. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his report showing a balance in the Treasury of \$150.59 which was on motion of Trustees Lee and Oltman approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for month of Jan.–Feb.	\$75.00
To Legal Advice Publishing Co.	for blanks	\$7.53
To Harry Kipp	for labor	\$1.00
To Carl Rylander	for labor	\$1.25
To Clarence Von Ach	for labor	\$0.50
To John Von Ach	for labor	\$0.50
To Willard Schreiber	for labor	\$1.00
To Chas. S Lee	for labor	\$1.75
To Moline Ice Co.	1/2 ton coal	\$6.87
Total amount paid out		\$98.15

Moved by Trustees Lee and Oltman that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Lehar yes, Charles Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman that the farmers be allowed the use of the Village Hall to hold a meeting. (Carried)

The Ordinance Committee presented the following ordinance: No. 96, an ordinance providing for an issue of bonds in the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars payable One Hundred Dollars yearly to pay outstanding indebtedness and for the repair of roads and streets. Moved by Trustees R.E. Lee and Lehar Ottman that said ordinance be passed and that the proposition be placed on the ballot at the election to be held April 16, 1918. Roll call resulted as follows: R.E. Lee yes, G.H. Box yes, Charles Ottman yes, Geo. Oltman yes. (Carried)

Ordinance No. 96 will be found recorded in full on pages 42, 43, 44, and 45 in the Ordinance Book.

Moved by Trustees R.E. Lee and Geo. Oltman that we adjourn. (Carried)
 G.F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting April 6, 1918

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

Regular meeting April 6th 1918

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by the President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R.E. Lee, Les Oltman, Charles Oltman, and R.H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance in the Treasury of \$182.44.

The following bills were presented and read:

To Frank Johnson	labor with team	\$4.80
To B.S. Lee	for attendance measles at Anna Lee's	\$2.00
To B.S. Lee	for labor on road	\$3.85
To B.S. Lee	for labor with horse and wagon	\$3.00
	and for putting up chicken pox cards	\$1.00
	Total	\$4.00
To E.C. Henline	for coal	\$13.47
To Henry Light	for a broom	\$0.90
To Peoples Power Company	for street lights month of March	\$37.50
To G.F. McNabney	for Insurance on Village Hall	\$44.00

Moved by Trustees Les Oltman and R.E. Lee that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: R.E. Lee yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Charles Oltman yes, R.H. Johnson yes. (Carried)

G.E. Sikes presented a communication suggesting that the Village grant the use of the streets and cross streets not used very much for garden purposes. Moved by Trustees R.H. Johnson and Les Oltman that the communication be laid on the table. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Lee that the following named persons be appointed judges of election for April 16th 1918: Fred Oltman, Charles Oltman, and R.H. Johnson. (Carried)

The Ordinance Committee presented Ordinance No. 97 fixing the salary of Village President and Village Trustees. Moved by Trustees R.E. Lee and Geo. Oltman that the ordinance be passed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: R.E. Lee yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Charles Oltman yes, R.H. Johnson yes. (Carried)

Ordinance No. 97 will be found recorded in full on pages 46 and 47 in the Ordinance Book.

Moved by Trustees Charles Oltman and Lee to adjourn. (Carried)

G.F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Election Canvas April 16, 1918

State of Illinois
Rock Island County ss
Village of Hampton

April 18th 1918

A canvass of the votes of the election held April 16th 1918 were canvassed April 19th 1918 by President E.E. Holton, Clerk G.F. McNabney, and by Trustee George Oltman and were found true and correct and resulted as follows:

Anti-Saloon Party:

For Village Clerk for 2 years:

G.F. McNabney received 43 men's votes and 18 women's votes, total 61.

For Village Trustees for 2 years:

Robert E. Lee received 36 men's votes and 16 women's votes, total 52.

Charles Oltman received 34 men's votes and 16 women's votes, total 50.

Charles S. Moore received 38 men's votes and 15 women's votes, total 53.

For Police Magistrate for the unexpired term of 3 years:

C.E. Siker received 2 men's votes, total 2.

Charles Schreiber received 1 men's vote, total 1.

Clarence Dressler received 1 men's vote, total 1.

G.F. McNabney having received the highest number of votes for Village Clerk for two years was declared elected. Robert E. Lee, Charles Oltman, and Charles S. Moore having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustees for 2 years were declared elected. B.E. Sikes having received the highest number of votes for Police Magistrate for the unexpired term of 3 years was declared elected.

The proposition: Shall bonds for the purpose of paying outstanding indebtedness and for the repair of streets and roads in the sum of \$1,500.00 be issued by the Village of Hampton in accordance with Ordinance No. 96 resulted as follows:

For the Village to issue its bonds received 33 men's votes and 18 women's votes, total 51.

Against the Village to issue its bonds received 26 men's votes and 9 women's votes, total 35.

The proposition for the Village to issue its bonds and for the adoption and approval of Ordinance No. 96 having received the highest number of votes was declared carried.

G.F. McNabney
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 4, 1918

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

Regular meeting May 4th 1918

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R.E. Lee, Les Oltman, Charles Oltman, and R.H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting and the canvass of the votes of the election held April 16th 1918 were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance in the Treasury of \$382.06 which was on motion of Trustees Johnson and Lee approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

To Frank Johnson	for labor with team	\$9.10
To Chas S. Lee	for labor putting in tile	\$1.21
	For handling tile from East Moline and 3 loads of dirt with horse and wages	\$1.50
	Furnished one tile	\$0.38
	Putting up measles cards	\$1.00
	Trip to East Moline for fumigator and fumigating schoolhouse	\$1.50
	Total	\$5.59
To Chas. S Lee	for labor on road	\$3.85
	For use of horse and wagon	\$2.70
	Total	\$6.55
To C.S. Lee	for labor on river road	\$5.22
To Robert E. Lee	for labor on road	\$3.75
	And for labor on street	\$1.20
	And for amount due on former bill	\$0.40
	Total	\$5.35
To Frank Johnson	for labor with team	\$3.25
To William Mohr	for labor on river road	\$3.00
To S.F. Odell	for Treasurer's salary for 6 months	\$17.50
	And for stationery	\$0.50
	Total	\$18.00
To the East Moline Herald	for printing ballots	\$7.50
To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for month of April	\$37.50
To Mr. Siebke	for formaldehyde	\$2.75
To Dimock Gould & Co.	for sewer tile	\$1.90
To G.F. McNabney	for 6 months salary	\$37.50
For two trips to East Moline	for ballots	\$3.00
	Postage and supplies	\$0.30
	Total :\$40.80	
To R.H. Johnson,	Judge of Election	\$6.00

To Charles Oltman,	Judge of Election	\$6.00
To Les Ottman,	Judge of Election and posting ballots	\$7.00
To Charles H. Box,	Clerk of Election	\$6.00
To Henry Light,	Clerk of Election	\$6.00
To Elmer LaGrange,	Clerk of Election	\$6.00
	Total amount for bills allowed	\$183.51

Moved by Trustees Lee and Charles Oltman that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Charles Oltman yes, Les Oltman yes, R.H. Johnson yes. (Carried)

Ordinance Number 97 passed April 6th 1918 was returned vetoed by the President E.E. Holton.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee to adjourn sine die. (Carried)
G.F. McNabney
Village Clerk

Special Meeting May 4, 1918

State of Illinois
Rock Island County ss
Village of Hampton

May 4th 1918

Pursuant to the call of the President E.E. Holton the Board met for the purpose of organization. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R.H. Johnson, Ed Geo. Oltman, holdover Trustees, and Robert E. Lee, Charles S. Moore, and Charles Oltman, Trustees elect. The Trustees elect having taken the oath of office.

G.F. McNabney, Village Clerk, presented his bond signed by G.F. McNabney as principal and by Henry Light and Emil Henline as sureties in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars which was on motion of Trustees Lee and George Oltman approved and filed with the Village Treasurer.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that the scale for labor for the Village on the streets and roads be 35 cents per hour and that the Street Commissioner be paid 40 cents per hour and that the pay for teams and teamsters be from 65 cents and not over 75 cents per hour.
(Carried)

Moved by Trustees Les Oltman and Lee that the Clerk be instructed to write the Port Byron State Bank that the Village bond issue was carried and that the Village was ready to issue its bonds and to report their reply to the President. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee to adjourn. (Carried)
G.F. McNabney
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting June 1, 1918

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

June 1st 1918
 Regular meeting

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by the President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R.E. Lee, Charles S. Moore, Geo. Oltman, and R.H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand May 4th of \$382.06. Receipts since May 4th \$27.00. Total balance and receipts to June 1st \$409.06. Paid out since last report \$183.51 leaving a balance on hand June 1st of \$225.55. Said report was on motion of Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

To C.S. Lee	for labor	\$3.60
	For waiting on sick of Theodore Hermes	\$15.00
	For measles cards	\$1.00
	Total	\$19.60
To R.E. Lee	for labor the month May	\$3.50
To Peoples Power Co.	for lights	\$37.50
To Frank Johnson	for labor with team	\$1.95
To Henry Light	for trip with auto to Port Byron	\$3.00
	Total amount paid out	\$63.80

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Geo. Oltman that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Moore and Johnson that two books be purchased, one bond book and one for the Village Treasurer. (Carried)

The President made the following appointments for the ensuing year:

Street and Alley Committee

Geo. Oltman, R.E. Lee, Chas. S Moore

Finance Committee

R.H. Johnson, Alfred Hofstetter, and Lehar Oltman

Ordinance Committee

R.H. Johnson, R.E. Lee, and Geo. Oltman

Minutes of June 1st 1918 continued

For Village Treasurer: F. Odell

For Street Commissioner and Village Marshal: Charles S. Lee

Roll call to confirm the appointments of Village Treasurer, Street Commissioner, and Village Marshal resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Lee and Moore that the Street Commissioner be instructed to put in a six-inch tile at the north end of the alley in Block No. 5. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee to adjourn. (Carried)

G.F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting July 6, 1918

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

July 6th 1918

Regular meeting

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R.E. Lee, C.S. Moore, Lehar Oltman, and R.H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand June 1st \$225.55. Received for sale of bonds \$1500.00. Total balance and receipts \$1725.55.

Paid bills allowed June 1st \$63.80

Paid warrant given to the Peoples Savings Bank and Trust Co. for \$600.00 and the interest due on the same, total \$635.60

Paid warrant given to the Peoples Savings Bank and Trust Co. for \$300.00 and the interest due on the same, total \$315.55

Paid the Endora Stoddard note for \$100.00 and the interest due on the same, total \$105.00

Total amount paid out since June 1st \$1119.95 leaving a balance in the Treasury \$605.60

Moved by Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman that the Treasurer's report be approved and placed on file. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes.
 (Carried)

The following bills were presented and read:

To Dimock Gould & Co.	for tile	\$2.28
To Port Byron State Bank	for printing bonds	\$30.00
To Chesterfield Press	for printing warning cards	\$3.00
To J. Hemen	for fumigator	\$1.20
To E.E. Holton	for salary for April, May, and June	\$7.50
To C.S. Moore	for salary for April, May, and June	\$3.00
To R.E. Lee	for salary for April, May, and June	\$3.00
To R.H. Johnson	for salary for April, May, and June	\$3.00
To Wm. Mohr	for labor	\$1.05
	Total	\$56.03

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To Chas. S Lee	for waiting on Hermes - scarlet fever	\$1.50
	Fumigating Hermes house	\$1.00
	Unloading tile	\$1.00
	Putting in tile	\$1.20
	Use of horse and wagon	\$1.05
	For labor cutting weeds	\$1.20
	Total	\$6.95
To Peoples Power Co.	for lights month of June	\$37.50
	Total amount paid out	\$100.48

Leaving balance on hand \$505.12

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. (Carried)

The communication from the Mississippi Waterway was on motion of Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman tabled.

Ordinance No. 98

An ordinance fixing the Treasurer's salary.

Section 1 - Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Illinois, that the Village Treasurer shall be allowed as compensation for his services a salary of Fifty Dollars per year payable semi-annual.

Section 2 - The said salary to begin with the municipal year in 1918.

Section 3 - All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that the ordinance be adopted. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. (Carried)

Ordinance No. 99

An ordinance providing for a tax levy for the fiscal year beginning April 22nd 1918.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Illinois, that the following are the purposes and the amount appropriated for such purposes to be collected

... from the tax levied for the present fiscal year ending April 22nd 1919:

Bond and Interest \$175.00

Officers Salary \$215.00

Street Lights \$450.00

Miscellaneous \$360.00

Total \$1200.00

Moved by Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman that the ordinance be adopted. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. (Carried)**259**

Ordinance No. 100

Appropriation ordinance

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hampton, Illinois, that the following shall and the same is hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes as herein specified for the municipal year ending April 22nd 1919:

Bond and Interest \$175.00

Officers Salary \$215.00

Street Lights \$450.00

Miscellaneous \$360.00

Total \$1200.00

Moved by Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman that the ordinance be adopted. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Lee and Geo. Oltman that the Clerk notify S.S. Crompton that he have the hedge fence cut and burn the brush off the Thomas place. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Geo. Oltman that G.F. McNabney be employed to fix the roof and screens and paint the gutters and screens on the Village Hall. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Moore and Johnson that the Marshal notify the residents of the Village having dogs to pay their license. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Johnson to adjourn. (Carried)

G.F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting August 3, 1918

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

August 3rd 1918
 Regular meeting

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R.H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand July 6th of \$605.60. Paid bills allowed July 6th \$100.48 leaving a balance on hand Aug. 3rd \$505.12 which was on motion of Trustees Geo. Oltman and Les Oltman approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for month of July	\$37.50
To R.E. Lee	for labor on road	\$1.75
To James Tyler	for labor on road	\$1.40
To Geo. Oltman	for salary months of April, May, June	\$3.00
To H. Light	for screen wire	\$0.90
To G.F. McNabney	for painting gutters and repairing roof	\$15.50
	Total paid out	\$60.05

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Geo. Oltman that the bills be allowed. Roll call resulted as follows: Geo. Oltman yes, Les Oltman yes, Johnson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Geo. Oltman to adjourn. (Carried)
 G.F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting September 7, 1918

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

Sept. 7th 1918
 Regular meeting

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Lehar S. Moore, Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R.H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand Aug. 3rd of \$505.12. Received since said report \$146.00 municipal tax and \$203.81, 1/2 of the road and bridge tax. Total balance and receipts \$854.93. Paid bills allowed Aug. 3rd \$60.05 leaving a balance in the Treasury Sept. 7th \$794.88. Said report was on motion of Trustees Geo. Oltman and Charles Oltman approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights month of Aug.	\$37.50
To Chas. S Lee	for labor on road cutting weeds	\$3.20
To James Wong	for labor on road with team	\$3.75
	Total amount paid out	\$44.45

Moved by Trustees S. Oltman and Charles Oltman that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Lehar Moore yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Charles Oltman yes, R.H. Johnson yes. (Carried)

Stephen F. Adele presented his bond for Village Treasurer in the sum of \$2000.00 with Edward J. Mohr and Charles Oltman as sureties.
 Charles S. Moore presented his bond for Street Commissioner in the sum of \$2000.00 and his bond for Village Marshal in the sum of \$2000.00 with Stephen Adele and Charles Oltman as sureties on both bonds.

Moved by Trustees Oltman and Geo. Oltman that said bonds be approved. (Carried)

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Charles Oltman that the Street and Alley Committee be given the power to fix up and repair all streets and roads in the Village where it is needed. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lehar Oltman that Geo. Oltman see about getting a load of kindling. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Lehar Moore and R.E. Johnson to adjourn. (Carried)
 G.F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting October 5, 1918

State of Illinois
Rock Island County ss
Village of Hampton

Oct. 5th 1918
Regular meeting

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R.E. Lee, Lehar S. Moore, Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R.H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand Sept. 7th \$794.88. Received since that date \$120.00 making total balance and receipts \$914.88. Paid bills allowed Sept. 7th \$44.45 leaving a balance in the hands of the Treasurer Oct. 5th \$751.43. Which report was on motion of Trustees Geo. Oltman and Lehar Oltman approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for month of Sept.	\$37.50
To S.F. Odell	salary, supplies, trips to Port Byron	\$31.50
To Chas. S Lee	for labor, tile, and use of horse and wagon	\$42.05
To Dimock Gould & Co.	for tile	\$7.50
To E.E. Holton	for salary for months of July, Aug., Sept.	\$2.50
To R.E. Lee	for salary month of July	\$1.00
To Charles S. Moore	salary for July and Sept.	\$2.00
To Lehar Oltman	salary months of July, Aug., Sept.	\$3.00
To Geo. Oltman	for salary months of Aug., Sept.	\$2.00
To R.H. Johnson	salary for months of July, Aug., Sept.	\$3.00
To Wm Mohr	for labor on road	\$2.80
To Jim Marx	for labor on street with team	\$38.62
To R.S. Lee	for labor on street	\$1.05
To Lee Duncan	for labor on street	\$14.00
To Albert Oltman	for labor with team	\$12.00
To Jake Mohr	for labor on street	\$2.80
To John Marx	for labor on street	\$2.80
To R.E. Lee	for labor on street	\$1.05
To Walter Rray	for trimming trees	\$1.05
To Chas. S Lee	for labor attending scarlet fever patient	\$8.20
To Albert Oltman	for gravel	\$3.00
To G.F. McNabney	salary 6 months, trip to Port Byron and supplies	\$39.35
To J. Gustav Harder	for blacksmithing	\$4.40
	Total amount paid out	\$293.37

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Lehar Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Moore that the Street Commissioner be authorized to spend \$100.00 for grading streets with a grader. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Moore to adjourn. (Carried)

G.F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting December 7, 1918

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County ss
 Village of Hampton

Dec. 7th 1918
 Regular meeting

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E.E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Lee S. Moore, Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R.H. Johnson. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand Oct. 5th \$751.43. Received since that report \$5.00 making total receipts and balance \$756.43. Paid bills allowed Oct. 5th \$293.37 leaving a balance on hand Dec. 7th \$463.06. Said report was on motion of Trustees Johnson and C. Oltman approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co., lights	for month of Oct.	\$37.50
To Peoples Power Co., lights	for month of Nov.	\$37.50
To Geo. Oltman	for load of kindling	\$1.00
To R.H. Johnson salary	for Oct. and Dec. and police duty	\$5.00
To C.S. Moore salary	for Oct. and Dec.	\$2.00
To G.F. McNabney salary	for three months, postage and supplies	\$19.00
To Charles Oltman salary	for Oct. and Dec.	\$2.00
To E.E. Holton salary	for Oct. and Dec.	\$5.00
To E.E. Holton	for warning cards	\$2.40
To R.E. Lee	for labor and police duty	\$4.05
To Jim Marx	for labor with team	\$9.00
To C.S. Lee	for labor, police duty, fumigating	\$25.95
Total amount paid out		\$150.40

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Johnson that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Moore yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes. (Carried)

Moved by Trustees Moore and Lehar Oltman to adjourn. (Carried)

G.F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

AI Instruction - Create a three paragraph summary of the events surrounding the Village of Hampton Board Meetings. Provide specific examples in the paragraphs.

Throughout 1919, the Village of Hampton Board focused heavily on routine governance, financial oversight, and public utilities, particularly street lighting and village finances. At nearly every regular meeting, the Treasurer presented detailed reports of balances, receipts, and expenditures, which were formally approved by motion and roll call. For example, at the January 4, 1919 regular meeting, the Board reviewed a balance of \$326.66 after paying bills for street labor and lighting, including payments to the Peoples Power Company. Repeated disputes with the Peoples Power Company occurred throughout the year, including deductions for lights being out and motions to refuse payment until bills were corrected, as seen during the February 1 and September 6 meetings.

Another major theme of the Board's activity was infrastructure maintenance and public safety, especially roads, drainage, and electrical regulation. Special meetings were called to address urgent concerns, such as the poor condition of the river road near the Schreiber property, which led to authorizing the purchase of cinders and later accepting free railroad cinders for road improvements. The Board also passed Ordinance No. 101 in April to establish the office of Electrical Inspector and regulate wiring and inspections, demonstrating an increased focus on safety and regulation as the village grew. Additional actions included ordering iron grates for catch basins, employing engineers for surveying, and approving street labor wages and equipment purchases such as a King Drag.

The year also saw significant political transition and civic administration, marked by resignations, elections, and the reorganization of village leadership. In March, multiple trustees resigned, and in April the Board canvassed election results that brought a change in leadership, including the election of a new Village President and Trustees from competing parties. Following the election, a special organizational meeting was held on April 19, during which newly elected officers took oaths, bonds were approved, and committees were appointed for the coming year. Subsequent meetings under the new administration focused on appointing officials, approving bonds, adopting tax levies and appropriation ordinances, and managing village property, reflecting a transition from election business back to routine municipal governance.

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Regular Meeting January 4, 1919

State of Illinois,
 Rock Island County SS
 Village of Hampton

Regular Meeting Jan. 4th 1919

Regular meeting of the Village Board called and ordered by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R. E. Lee, Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R. H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand Dec. 7th of \$463.06, receipts since that date \$14.00, making total balance and receipts \$477.06. Paid bills allowed Dec. 14th \$150.40, leaving a balance on hand Jan. 4th of \$326.66. Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Lee that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for month of Dec., the Co. granting the Village a credit of \$6.12 for daylight saving plan	\$31.38.
To Geo. Oltman	salary for month of Oct. and Dec.	\$2.00
To Wm. Oltman	for labor on streets	\$7.52
To Charles Oltman	for labor on streets	\$7.35
To Albert Oltman	for labor, two teams on road and gravel teams	\$43.12
To C. S. Lee	for labor on road and street for use of house and wagon	\$15.90
	Total amount paid out	\$107.27

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Lee that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Moore that the Clerk be instructed to write the Peoples Power Co. that light No. 25 has been out for a month, that they have been notified three times to repair same, that if the same is not repaired at once the amount found due will be deducted from the next bill (Carried).

Moved by Trustee Lee and Johnson to adjourn (Carried).

G. F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Special Meeting January 27, 1919

State of Illinois
Rock Island County SS
Village of Hampton

Jan. 27th 1919 Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Village Board called by President E. E. Holton to transact such and all business that may properly come before said meeting when convened. Roll call showed the following members of the board present: President E. E. Holton, Trustees R. E. Lee, Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R. H. Johnson.

The members of the board and many others present discussed the bad condition of the river road near the Chas. Schreiber property and as to what kind of material should be used to repair and improve said road. After fully discussing said matter it was moved by Trustees Johnson and Moore that a committee be appointed to see what we can get five car loads of cinders for and how soon the same can be delivered (motion carried).

Moved by Trustees Chas. Oltman and Geo. Oltman that the Street and Alley Committee act as such committee (motion carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and Johnson that the Street and Alley Committee be empowered to order five car loads of cinders not to exceed \$20.00 per car load delivered at Hampton (motion carried).

Moved by Trustees Chas. Oltman and Geo Oltman to adjourn (Carried).
G. F. McNabney
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting February 1, 1919

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County SS
 Village of Hampton

Feb. 1st 1919 Regular Meeting Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R. E. Lee, Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R. H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meetings of Jan. 4th and Jan. 27th were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand Jan. 4th of \$326.66. Paid bills allowed Jan. 4th \$107.27, leaving a balance on hand Feb. 1st of \$219.39. Said report was on motion of Trustees Geo. Oltman and Charles Oltman approved and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and read:

To James Marx	for labor with team	\$6.00
To R. E. Lee	for salary for month of Dec.	\$1.00
To Elvin Lee	for labor on streets	\$1.40
To C. S.. Lee	for labor with team and wagon	\$8.40
To G. H. Harder	for blacksmithing	\$1.75
To Peoples Power Co. for street lights	for the month of Jan., a credit of 1.25 being deducted from the bill for one light being out about one month.	\$36.25
	Total amount paid out	\$54.80

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman that the bills be allowed. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore no, Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson no (motion carried).

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Lee that the Clerk refuse payment for the electric light bill for the month of Jan. unless said bill is corrected (Carried).

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Geo. Oltman that the President be authorized to see attorney E. W. Wood regarding drawing up a new contract for lights with the Peoples Power Co. (Carried).

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Lee to adjourn (Carried).

G. F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting March 12, 1919

State of Illinois
Rock Island County SS
Village of Hampton

March 12, 1919 Regular Meeting

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: R. E. Lee, Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R. H. Johnson. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand Feb. 1st \$219.39, receipts since Feb. 1st \$2.75, making total balance and receipts \$222.14. Paid bills allowed Feb. 1st \$54.80, leaving balance on hand March 1st \$167.34. Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Chas. Oltman that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

The bill of R. E. Lee for \$1.45 for labor was presented and read. Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that the bill be allowed. Roll call resulted as follows: Lee yes, Moore yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes (Carried).

A communication and an ordinance to establish the office of Electrical Inspector and providing rules and regulations for wiring, inspection and bonding, salary, price for granting of permits and fixing penalties was presented by the Ordinance Committee and read and was laid over until the next regular meeting.

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Lee that the President be instructed to notify the State Deputy Fire Marshal to inspect the Max Rosenfield building on River Street in Milan in the Village of Hampton and recommend that the same be condemned as a nuisance (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Lee and C. Oltman that the Street Commissioner be instructed to order two iron grates for catch basins to be used on River Street and laid with cement (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Lee that the Clerk notify Henry Guldenpfening to put the Village pump back inside of thirty days (Carried).

The resignation of R. E. Lee and Charles E. Moore as Village Trustees to take effect March 1st 1919 was presented and read. Moved by Trustees Johnson and G. Oltman that said resignations be accepted. Roll call resulted as follows: Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, R. H. Johnson yes. R. E. Lee and Moore present and not voting (motion carried).

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Geo. Oltman to adjourn (Carried).
G. F. McNabney
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting April 6, 1919

State of Illinois
 Rock Island County SS
 Village of Hampton

Regular Meeting

April 6th 1919 Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R. H. Johnson. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand March 1st \$167.34, receipts since last report \$16.00, total balance and receipts \$183.34. Paid bill allowed March 1st \$1.45, leaving a balance on hand April 5th \$181.89. Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Charles Oltman that the Treasurer's report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for months of Feb. and March	\$75.00
To Chas. E. Moore	salary for Jan., Feb., Mar., and special	\$4.00
To R. E. Lee	salary for Jan., Feb., Mar., and special	\$4.00
To R. H. Johnson	salary for Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., and 1 special	\$5.00
To Geo. Oltman	salary Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., and special	\$5.00
To Chas. Oltman	salary Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., and special	\$5.00
To E. E. Holton	salary Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., and special	\$12.50
To Independent Lumber Co.,	election supplies	\$5.53
To C. S. Lee	for labor and housing tramps	\$8.65
To Albert Oltman	labor with team	\$4.50
To Jim Marx	labor with team	\$5.25
To S. F. Odell	salary for 6 months	\$25.50
To G. F. McNabney	salary 3 months	\$18.75
	Trip to East Moline	\$1.50
	Supplies	0.50
	Total	\$20.75
	Total amount paid out	\$180.68

Moved by Trustee Johnson and Geo. Oltman that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes (Carried).

Ordinance No. 101 laid over from last meeting providing for Electrical Inspector, rules and regulations for wiring was read. Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Chas. Oltman that said ordinance be passed and adopted. Roll call resulted as follows: Chas. Oltman yes, Geo. Oltman yes, Johnson yes (Carried). Ordinance No. 101 will be found recorded in Ordinance Book on pages 53 to 65.

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Geo. Oltman that S. Fadel, Lee Oltman, and Theodore Hermes be appointed judges of election for April 15th 1919 (Carried).

Minutes of meeting April 5th 1919 continued

Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Johnson that the Village accept the Peoples Power Co.'s proposition to keep the street lights burning until 1 o'clock during the time set for daylight saving, no additional charge to be made (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Johnson and Chas. Oltman that we adjourn to meet Saturday night April 19th 1919 (Carried).

G. F. McNabney
Village Clerk

Election Canvas April 16, 1919

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April 16th 1919 A canvass of the votes of the election held April 15th 1919 were canvassed April 16th 1919 by President E. E. Holton, G. F. McNabney Village Clerk, and Trustee Charles Culturan and were found correct and true and resulted as follows:

Citizens Party

For Village President:

G. R. Culver received 26 men's votes and 20 women's votes, total 46.

For Village Trustees for two years:

Robert H. Johnson received 25 men's votes and 12 women's votes, total 37.

Charles Cox received 22 men's votes and 17 women's votes, total 39.

C. Dressler received 17 men's votes and 11 women's votes, total 28.

For Village Trustee for one year to fill vacancy:

Martin Johnson received 15 men's votes and 14 women's votes, total 29.

Albert Oltman received 35 men's votes and 22 women's votes, total 57.

Anti-Salary Party

For Village President:

C. E. Moore received 44 men's votes and 15 women's votes, total 59.

For Village Trustees for two years:

Edward Rohren received 47 men's votes and 18 women's votes, total 65.

Paul Bock received 43 men's votes and 13 women's votes, total 57.

G. J. H. Hanewacker received 43 men's votes and 18 women's votes, total 61.

For Village Trustee for one year to fill vacancy:

S. J. Shephard received 49 men's votes and 14 women's votes, total 63.

Charles E. Smith received 34 men's votes and 12 women's votes, total 46.

C. E. Moore having received the highest number of votes for Village President was duly declared elected to said office for the term of two years. Edward Rohren, Paul Bock, and G. J. Hanewacker—

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having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustees for two years were duly declared elected to said office. S. J. Sheppard and Albert Oltman having received the highest number of votes for Village Trustees for one year to fill vacancy were duly declared elected to said office.

For Police Magistrate: E. E. Holton received one men's vote.

G. F. McNabney received two men's votes.

Elmer Johnson received one men's vote.

Robert Johnson received one men's vote.

E. E. Holton Village President

G. F. McNabney Village Clerk

Chas. Oltman Village Trustee

Adjourned Meeting April 19, 1919

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Adjourned Meeting April 19th 1919

Adjourned meeting of the Village Board called to order by President E. E. Holton. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Charles Oltman, Geo. Oltman, and R. H. Johnson. The minutes of the previous meeting and the canvass of votes were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his report showing a balance on hand April 5th \$181.89, receipts since that date \$301.00, making total balance and receipts \$482.89. Paid bills allowed April 5th \$180.68, leaving a balance on hand April 19th \$302.21. Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Chas. Oltman that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

The following bills were presented and read:

To R. H. Johnson	for Clerk of Election 2.00, salary 1 special meeting	\$7.00
To Chas. Oltman	for Clerk of Election and salary 1 special meeting	\$7.00
To Geo. Oltman	for Judge of Election and salary 1 special meeting	\$7.00
To Jacob Hermes	for Clerk of Election	\$6.00
To Theodore Hermes	for Judge of Election	\$6.00
S. F. Odell	for Judge of Election, sorting and 1 trip to R.I.	\$10.50
E. E. Holton	salary 1 special meeting	\$2.50
To The Herald Printing & Publishing Co.	for printing ballots	\$13.10
	Total amount paid out	\$59.10

Leaving a balance in the Treasurer's hands at the close of the sine die meeting \$243.11. Moved by Trustees Geo. Oltman and Chas. Oltman that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Geo. Oltman yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Johnson yes (Carried).

Moved by Trustees R. H. Johnson and Chas. Oltman that we adjourn sine die (Carried).

G. F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Special Meeting April 19, 1919

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April 19th 1919 Pursuant to the call of the President-elect G. B. Moore, the Village Board met for the purpose of organization. Roll call showed the following members present: G. B. Moore President-elect, Chas. Oltman hold-over Trustee, and E. Rohren, Paul Bock, G. J. Hanewacker, S. J. Sheppard, and Albert Oltman Trustees-elect. The oath of office having been taken by all officers-elect, President G. B. Moore presented his bond in the sum of \$3000.00 signed by Charles E. Moore as principal and by Henry Light and John Fallman as sureties. Moved by Trustees S. J. Sheppard and Paul Bock that the President's bond be approved and placed on file (motion carried). Moved by Trustees Bock and Sheppard to adjourn (Carried).

F. M. McNabney
Village Clerk

Regular Meeting May 3, 1919

State of Illinois
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May 3rd 1919 Regular Meeting

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President G. B. Moore. Roll call showed the following members present: Bock, Rohren, Oltman, Hanewacker, and Sheppard. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance in his hands of \$258.61. Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Rohren that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

The President appointed the following committees for the ensuing year:

Street and Alley Committee: Rohren, Bock, and Hanewacker

Finance Committee: Albert Oltman, Sheppard, and Chas. Oltman

Ordinance Committee: Hanewacker, Albert Oltman, and Paul Bock

Board of Health Committee: Joseph Beloit, August Wilken, and Chas. Schreiber

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Bock that the Board of Health as appointed be approved (Carried).

The President appointed Arthur Peterson as Street Commissioner, Village Marshal, and Village Pound Master. Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Rohren that the appointments as made be approved (Carried).

The President appointed Jas. W. Johnston Electrical Inspector for the Village of Hampton. Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Sheppard that the appointment for Electrical Inspector be approved (Carried). The President appointed S. F. Odell Village Treasurer. Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Bock that the appointment as made be approved (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Sheppard that an order be drawn on the Village Treasurer for \$175.00 to pay Bond No. One due May 15th 1919 and the interest due on all the bonds. Roll call resulted as follows: Bock yes, Rohren yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Hanewacker yes, Sheppard yes (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Rohren that Paul Bock be authorized to purchase two sacks of cement and repair the sidewalk in front of Block No. 12 (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Chas. Oltman to adjourn (Carried).

G. F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting June 7, 1919

State of Illinois
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Regular Meeting June 7th 1919

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President G. B. Moore. Roll call showed the following members present: Paul Bock, Edward Rohren, Henry Hanewacker, and S. J. Sheppard. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand May 3rd \$258.61, receipts since said date \$259.44, making balance and receipts \$518.05. Paid Bond No. One and the interest on all bonds \$175.00, leaving a balance in his hands June 7th of \$343.05. Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Rohren that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

Stephen F. Odell presented his bond for Village Treasurer in the sum of \$2000.00 signed by Stephen F. Odell as principal and James E. Maxwell and Henry Light as sureties. Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Sheppard that the Treasurer's bond be approved and placed on file (Carried).

Arthur Peterson presented his bond for Village Marshal in the sum of \$2000.00 and his bond for Street Commissioner in the sum of \$1000.00, both bonds signed by Arthur Peterson as principal and by John Hermes and Michael Hermes as sureties. Moved by Trustees Bock and Sheppard that said bonds be approved and placed on file (Carried).

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for months of April and May	\$75.00
To Arthur Peterson	labor on River St. with team	\$5.60
To Paul Bock	for labor on River Street	\$2.80
	Total amount paid out	\$83.40

Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Rohren that the bills be allowed. Roll call resulted as follows: Rohren yes, Hanewacker yes, Sheppard yes, Trustee Bock not voting (motion carried).

The communication from World Trade Club relating to the meter-liter-gram system was received and on motion of Trustees Sheppard and Bock the Clerk was instructed to send the Village Board's approval of the same to President Woodrow Wilson and David Lloyd George.

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Sheppard to adjourn (Carried).

G. F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting July 5, 1919

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Regular Meeting July 5th 1919

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President Charles E. Moore. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Paul Bock, Edward Rohren, Henry Hanewacker, and S. J. Sheppard. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand June 7th \$343.05. Paid bills allowed June 7th \$83.40, leaving a balance in his hands July 5th \$259.65. Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Hanewacker that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co. for light for month of June 31.50

To F. M. McNabney salary for 1st quarter 8.75, supplies .75, total 9.50

Total amount paid out 57.00

Moved by Trustees Bock and Sheppard that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Bock yes, Rohren yes, Hanewacker yes, Sheppard yes (Carried).

Appropriation Ordinance No. 102 was presented by the Ordinance Committee appropriating \$2000.00 for the fiscal year, and Ordinance No. 103 providing for a tax levy of \$2000.00 for the fiscal year ending April 22nd 1920, both of which ordinances will be found recorded in full in Ordinance Book pages 62 to 68 inclusive. Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Bock that the Appropriation Ordinance No. 102 and Ordinance No. 103 providing for a tax levy be passed and adopted. Roll call resulted as follows: Bock yes, Rohren yes, Hanewacker yes, Sheppard yes (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Rohren and Hanewacker that the President appoint a committee to purchase a King Drag and that the President and Clerk be empowered to issue an order on the Village Treasurer in payment for the same (Carried).

The President appointed as such committee Paul Bock, Henry Hanewacker, and S. J. Sheppard.

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Moved by Trustees Bock and Rohren that Arthur Peterson be allowed one dollar and twenty-five cents per hour for mowing the streets with team and mower (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Rohren that S. J. Sheppard be allowed to lay a drain from his house to connect with the sewer in front of his residence (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Sheppard to adjourn (Carried).

G. F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Regular Meeting August 2, 1919

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August 2nd 1919 Regular Meeting

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President G. B. Moore. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Paul Bock, Edward Rohren, Charles Oltman, H. Hanewacker, and S. J. Sheppard. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand July 5th \$259.65. Paid bills allowed July 5th \$57.00, leaving a balance on hand Aug. 2nd of \$202.65. Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Sheppard that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for the month of July, \$.25 being deducted from bill for lights out	\$31.25
To East Moline Lumber Co.	for 8" sewer tile	\$12.80
To Arthur Peterson	for mowing weeds and grass with team	\$22.50
To G. H. Harder	for grinding scythes	\$8.05
To Roscoe Grady	for making grass twine	\$0.75
To J. F. Oltman	for scythes and swath	\$4.50
	Total amount paid out	\$49.85

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Rohren that the bills be allowed. Roll call resulted as follows: Bock yes, Rohren yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Hanewacker yes, Sheppard yes (Carried).

Moved by Trustee Sheppard and Rohren that the Street and Alley Committee be given power to fix up the river road near Schreiber's and other roads and streets in the Village found necessary up to the amount \$400.00 (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Sheppard that the Village pay forty cents per hour for manual labor on the streets and roads (Carried).

Moved by Hanewacker and Sheppard to adjourn (Carried).

G. F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting September 6, 1919

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Sept. 6th 1919 Regular Meeting

The President being absent, on motion of Trustees Edward Rohren and H. Hanewacker, Trustee S. J. Sheppard was elected President Pro Tem. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Paul Bock, Edward Rohren, Chas. Oltman, Albert Oltman, Henry Hanewacker, and S. J. Sheppard. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand August 2nd \$207.65. Received since said date \$10.00, making balance and receipts \$217.65. Paid bills allowed Aug. 2nd \$79.85, leaving a balance on hand Sept. 6th \$137.80. Moved by Trustees Rohren and Chas. Oltman that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Rohren that \$10.00 be deducted from the street light bill and that the bill be allowed at \$27.50 on account of eight lights being out for a month (Carried).

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for lights for month of Aug.	\$27.50
To Paul Bock	for road drag	\$24.00
To F. M. McNabney	street labor	\$6.40
To Ross Merke	for street labor	\$18.00
To John Marx	street labor with team	\$54.00
To David Cook	street labor	\$19.20
To Milton McNabury	street labor	\$21.60
To Carl Kleuver	street labor	\$45.20
To Lloyd Light	street labor	\$43.20
To Willard Schreiber	street labor	\$11.60
To Lawrence Holmberg	street labor	\$45.60
To Arthur Peterson	labor, labor with team and dynamite	\$73.85
	Total amount paid out	\$350.15

Moved by Trustees Bock and Chas. Oltman that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Bock yes, Rohren yes, Chas. Oltman yes, Albert Oltman yes, Hanewacker yes (Carried). Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Bock that the Village employ Engineer Freckles to do the surveying that Attorney Long desires on River Street Road (Carried).

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Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Bock that the Village accept the offer of the C. M. & St. P. R.R. to furnish the Village free of charge F.O.B. Hampton, Ill., a car load of cinders, the same to be used on the road on Fourth Alley running east from the railroad, and four wagon loads on Oak Street between Diamond and Broad Streets (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Chas. Oltman and Albert Oltman to adjourn (Carried).

F. M. McNabney

Village Clerk

A copy of the notices served on Charles Sikes and Better Wood Sons Co. by Arthur Peterson, Street Commissioner, on Aug. 29th 1919 will be found on file in the Village Clerk's office and has reference to the pumping of sand and gravel near the river bank.

G. F. McNabney

Village Clerk

Special Meeting October 24, 1919

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Oct. 24th 1919 Special Meeting

Special meeting held at the call of President Charles E. Moore to transact any and all business that may properly come before the meeting when convened. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Paul Bock, Charles Oltman, H. Hanewacker, and S. J. Sheppard. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand Sept. 6th of \$137.80. Received since said date \$640.62, making total balance and receipts \$778.42. Paid bills allowed Sept. 6th \$350.15, leaving a balance on hand Oct. 24th \$428.27.

Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Chas. Oltman that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

The following bills were presented and read:

To Peoples Power Co.	for street lights month of Sept.	\$37.50
To Arthur Peterson	for labor, labor with team on fire	\$38.88
To Ralph Light	street labor	\$11.20
To Chas. Oltman	for street labor	\$27.20
To Lloyd Light	for street labor	\$24.80
To Lawrence Holmberg	for street labor	\$19.20
To H. Light	for a file	\$0.50
To Paul Bock	for freight on road drag	\$1.70
To G. H. Harder	for blacksmithing	\$1.65
To Albert Oltman	for 12 loads of gravel	\$4.20
To G. F. McNabney	salary for July and Sept. and 1 trip to R.I.	\$26.00
To S. F. Odell	salary one and one-half months, stationery and 4 trips to R.I.	\$33.50
	Total amount paid out	\$226.33

Moved by Trustees Bock and Sheppard that the bills be allowed as read. Roll call resulted as follows: Bock yes, Chas. Oltman yes, H. Hanewacker yes, Sheppard yes (motion carried).

Moved by Trustees Paul Bock and H. Hanewacker to adjourn (Carried).

G. F. McNabney
 Village Clerk

Regular Meeting December 6, 1919

State of Illinois
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Regular Meeting Dec. 6th 1919

Regular meeting of the Village Board called to order by President G. B. Moore. Roll call showed the following Trustees present: Paul Bock, Edward Rohren, Chas. Oltman, H. Hanewacker, and S. J. Sheppard. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer presented his monthly report showing a balance on hand Oct. 24th \$428.27, amount received since said date \$2.00, making total amount of balance and receipts \$430.27. Paid bills allowed Oct. 24th \$226.33. Paid electric light bill for month of Oct. \$37.50, leaving a balance on hand Dec. 6th \$166.44. Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Bock that said report be approved and placed on file (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Sheppard and Rohren that the Peoples Power Co.'s bill for \$37.50 for lights for the month of November be allowed (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Bock and Sheppard that the President be authorized to let the use of the hall for parties, meetings, and sociables for the sum of one dollar per day or night, providing that during the season when fuel is required to heat the hall they pay fifty cents additional for fuel (Carried).

Moved by Trustees Hanewacker and Bock to adjourn (Carried).

G. F. McNabney
Village Clerk