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Wormleysburg, Pa, July 6, 1908.

The first meeting of the Borough Council of Wormleysburg, Pa, was called to order by the Chief Burgess J. Fred Hummel.

After prayer by Rev. L. C. Golin Mr. Linwood B. Wanbaugh was chosen temporary Chairman and S. S. Bear temporary Secretary.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Brown, and Wolfley committee to collect the credentials of the newly elected members of Council.

After the reading of the credentials by the Secretary, Burgess Hummel administered the oath of office to the following Councilmen:

John D. Hipple, to serve one year.  
Daniel S. Brown " " "  
Carroll W. Burkholder, " two years.  
Jacob S. Ort " "  
Frank S. Wolfley, " three "  
William S. Miller, " "  
Linwood B. Wanbaugh, " "

Nominations were declared open for permanent Presidents of Council. L. B. Wanbaugh was named and elected with no opposition.

After some well chosen remarks by the President Council proceeded to elect a Secretary. S. S. Bear was nominated and elected with no opposition.

Nominations for Treasurer next being in order, resulted in naming A. J. Wright and Edwin Jauss, which resulted as follows:

A. J. Wright, 1.  
Edwin Jauss, 2.

A. J. Wright was declared elected Treasurer.

Mr. Wolfley presented the following resolution:

Whereas, since the incorporation of the Borough of Wormleysburg, Pa, on March 13, 1908, one P. C. Coble, a resident of the aforesaid Borough, without warrant or title at law, has knowingly and wilfully trespassed upon and attempted to appropriate to his private use and benefit certain common public ground or land situate on the East side of Front street in said Borough and has erected and is erecting a two-story and basement structure thereon contrary to law and public decency.

Therefore, Be and it is hereby resolved and ordered by the Town Council of the Borough of Wormleysburg, Pa, that like said P. C. Coble be and he hereby requested to forthwith cease said trespass, appropriation and construction and likewise remove said building, appurtenances and debris from the said common public ground or land, and restore the same to the condition in which said common public ground or land was at and before the said trespass and attempted appropriations.

And, Be it further resolved and ordained that upon the passage of this resolution a copy thereof, duly approved and certified, be immediately served upon said P. C. Coble by the Secretary of the Town Council; and that as a warning and safeguard of the public rights for the future, a copy of this said resolution be posted on the door of Council Hall for the customary legal period.

Mr. Wolfley moved the adoption of the resolution, seconded by Mr. Heipple. After some remarks by Messrs. Burkholder, Brown, Ort and the President, Mr. Ort moved to lay over, seconded by Mr. Miller, and also that a committee be appointed to ascertain Mr. Cobles right and title to construct said building. Mr. Wolfley moved to amend that the right of all properties to remain along the river front be investigated at the same time, also relative to the title of said properties running to low water mark. The motion as amended was agreed to. Messrs. Ort, Miller and Brown were appointed on said committee.

Moved by Mr. Burkholder and seconded by Mr. Wolfley that President appointed the following Committee on Rules: Messrs. Burkholder, Wolfley and Miller.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Robert Wilson for the bouquets presented to the members of Council and the Burgesses. Council adjourned to meet Friday at 8 P.M.

S. S. Bear  
Clerk.