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Possible Acquisition - 5238(42) Artz Street

MOVED by Alderman Sullivan, seconded by Alderman Abbott that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee, the sum of \$4,500.00 be paid to the Estate of Arthur W. Judge as settlement in full of all claims arising from the acquisition by the City of the property at 5238 Artz Street, located within the Uniacke Square Redevelopment Area. Motion passed.

Property Acquisition - Nos. 95, 96 and 99 Africville

MOVED by Alderman Connolly, seconded by Alderman Sullivan that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee:

1. the City consider Mr. and Mrs. Albert (Muriel) Sparks as the alleged owners of Property Nos. 95, 96 and 99, City Plan P500/46, Africville;
2. the City purchase Property Nos. 95, 96 and 99 for the sum of \$10,139.85; such amount to include \$1,000.00 for necessary household items;
3. assistance be granted in the movement of household effects of Mr. and Mrs. Sparks to their new address;
4. a Quit Claim Deed be signed by Mr. and Mrs. Sparks in favour of the City for their interest in Property Nos. 95, 96 and 99;
5. Property Nos. 95, 96 and 99 be demolished as soon as it can be conveniently vacated.

Motion passed.

Property Acquisition - No. 109 Africville

MOVED by Alderman Sullivan, seconded by Alderman Connolly that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee:

1. the City consider Mr. and Mrs. Howard Byers as the alleged owners of Property No. 109, City Plan P500/46, Africville;

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2. the City purchase Property No. 109 for \$15,011.25; such an amount to include \$1,000.00 for necessary household furniture;
3. assistance be offered to Mr. and Mrs. Byers in acquiring suitable accommodations;
4. a Quit Claim Deed be signed by Mr. and Mrs. Byers in favour of the City for their interest in Property No. 109, City Plan P500/46, Africville;
5. Demolition of Property No. 109 as soon as it can be conveniently vacated.

Motion passed.

Compensation for Acquisition - 2373-75 Gottingen Street

Deferred at the request of the owner.

Supplementary Appropriations - Section 316C - City Charter

MOVED by Alderman Matheson, seconded by Alderman Meagher that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee, the following supplementary appropriations be approved, funds to be provided under the authority of Section 316C of the City Charter:-

1. Maintenance, North Common	- \$ 4,100.00
2. Maintenance, Saunders Park	- 900.00
3. Maintenance, Grand Parade	- 1,000.00
4. Installation of Guard Rail, Curb and Gutter and Paving - Bicentennial Drive	- 3,500.00
5. Salary - Additional Court Reporter	363.00
6. Transcription of Evidence - Annexation Hearings	597.50

Motion passed.

Supplementary Appropriation - Section 316C City Charter - Loan - Halifax Mental Hospital

MOVED by Alderman A. M. Butler, seconded by Alderman LeBlanc that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee, under the authority of Section 316C of the City Charter, the City of Halifax make available funds to an amount of \$25,000.00 as a loan to the Halifax Mental Hospital and that it be permitted

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Furniture Allowance - Mr. Robert Cassidy, Africville

MOVED by Alderman Connolly, seconded by Alderman Sullivan that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee, a furniture allowance in the amount of \$200.00 be approved for Mr. Robert Cassidy, a former resident of Africville, who is now a tenant at Mulgrave Park. Motion passed.

Accounts - MacDonald, Currie Company and Speed and Speed Ltd.,
Re: Connor Property Expropriation

MOVED by Alderman Abbott, seconded by Alderman LeBlanc that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee, the following accounts, arising out of the expropriation of the Clayton Block and subsequent claim of Ralph H. Connor Limited, be approved for payment:

MacDonald, Currie Company, Chartered Accountants	\$1,875.00
Speed and Speed Limited Real Estate Appraisers	\$1,160.00

Motion passed.

Collective Bargaining Agreement - Local Union No. 108, City
Field Workers

MOVED by Alderman A. M. Butler, seconded by Alderman LeBlanc that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee, the proposed agreement between the City of Halifax and the Union #108 covering hourly paid workers at City Field be approved, effective January 1, 1967 to December 31, 1968, and that the Mayor and the City Clerk be authorized to sign the agreement on behalf of the City of Halifax. Motion passed.

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NOTICES OF MOTION

Notice of Motion - Alderman Black Re: Legislation - Composition
Town Planning Board

Alderman Black gave notice that at the next regular meeting of City Council, to be held on December 29, 1966, he will move that legislation be sought to amend the City Charter so as to permit the Council to name up to fourteen members plus the Mayor to the Town Planning Board notwithstanding the provisions of the Town Planning Act.

9:20 p.m. Council adjourned in order to permit the Finance and Executive Committee to meet to consider the matter of a furniture allowance for certain residents at Africville.

9:25 p.m. Council reconvened, the same members being present.

Report Finance and Executive Committee Re: Furniture Allowance
for Certain Residents at Africville

MOVED by Alderman Matheson, seconded by Alderman Connolly that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee, (1) the City Staff be authorized to contact a reputable furniture store and order the necessary household items in relation to the size of the family for residents in Africville in cases where the condition of the tenant's furniture is such that most items should be destroyed; (2) such authorization not to exceed an expenditure of \$1,000.00; (3) an itemized account of the items purchased be received from the store in question before the account is passed for payment to the Finance Department; and (4) the Staff endeavour to process such expenditures through the Welfare Budget of the City of Halifax. Motion passed.