

Ordinance No. XII.

Enacted January 10th, 1907.
 Regulating the opening of streets for gas
 or other pipes, or any other purposes,
 and prohibiting the opening of the same
 for such purposes without a permit from
 the street committee, and providing a
 penalty for violation thereof.

Be it enacted and ordained by the
 Town Council of the Borough of Patterson
 Heights, and it is hereby enacted and
 ordained by the authority of the same,

That from and after the passage of
 this ordinance it shall be unlawful for
 any person or persons to make any ex-
 cavations in any of the streets or alleys
 of the said Borough for the purpose
 of laying gas, water or sewer-pipe, or
 for any other purpose whatever, without
 first getting permission of the street com-
 mittee so to do.

When any person or persons shall desire to make any excavation or tear up the streets as aforesaid, they shall first obtain a written permit from the Street Committee before any excavation is commenced, and for each permit issued they shall pay a fee of 25[¢] (cents) for the use of the Borough.

Further, when any person or persons shall desire to make an excavation or tear up the street as aforesaid, they shall first deposit a forfeit to the amount of 25 cents per foot for any such excavation, which shall either be in cash or a bond with approved security, with the Secretary of Council, who shall retain the same until the work is satisfactorily completed.

When any person shall make any excavation as aforesaid, he shall construct ample barricades about the same, and place sufficient red lights at or about the excavation, after dark, so as to at all times protect the traveling public from possible injury.

It shall be the duty of the street
commissioners of the said borough to make
information before the Burgess against
any person or persons found violating
any provisions of the above ordinance, and
the Burgess shall, upon conviction of
the same, fine the offender or offenders
in any sum not exceeding Fifty = 50
Dollars, together with the costs of the
suit and like fines and penalties
are now by law collected.

L. G. Townsend
Pres. Council

Henry S. Townsend,
Sec of Council

F. A. M. Cram
Burgess.

I hereby certify the above to
be a true and correct copy of an
ordinance passed by the Council of
the Borough of Patterson Heights,
January 10th, 1907.

Henry S. Townsend,
Clerk of Council