## ORDINANCE NO. 27-45

By Mr. Stackhouse

To provide for the removal of dead trees from the streets and other public property, and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY, STATE OF OHIO:

section 1. That the Mayor and Auditor be, and they are, hereby authorized to enter into a contract, after advertisement according to law, for the removal of the dead trees and stumps, estimated at approximately 250 located on the streets and public property in the City of Bexley, and filling with good soil and leveling to the existing parkstrip or surrounding grade the holes or excavations caused by the removal of said trees and stumps, according to the specifications now on file in the Mayor's office, which are hereby approved.

Section 2. That the contractors shall be required to proceed diligently to remove all such dead, or diseased trees, and stumps, as shall be marked and designated for that purpose by the Mayor or Superintendent of Parks, which trees are approximately the number hereinabove estimated, and shall exercise care not to damage streets, sidewalks, curbs, wires, cables or other utilities or properties, private or public, and shall complete such work subject to the approval of the engineers of the city.

Section 5. That said contract shall provide that the contractor shall carry insurance for the protection of the city and public in not less than the following amounts, in a company or companies to the satisfaction of the Mayor, to-wit: Public Liability Insurance in the sum of not less than 10-20 thousand dollars; Property Damage Insurance in the sum of 5-50 thousand dollar limits; and Owners Protective Policy to be issued in the name of the City of Bexley, Ohio, covering Public Liability Insurance in the sum of not less than 10-20-thousand dollar limits and Property Damage in not less than 5-50 thousand dollar limits. Also said contractor shall be required to be insured under the

Workman's Compensation laws even though he may employ less than three men.

Section 4. The sum of \$8,000.00 is hereby appropriated from the general fund for the foregoing purposes.

Section 5. This ordinance is an emergency measure, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, said emergency being that many trees on public grounds are dead, or diseased, and in a dangerous condition, and should be removed at once, for which reason this ordinance shall go into immediate force and effect.

Passed November 13, 1945.

Pro Tempore

Attest S.

Approved November 13, 1945.

I, S. W. Roderick, Clerk of Council, City of Bexley, Ohio, do hereby certify that there is no newspaper published in said municipality and that publication of the foregoing ordinance was duly made by posting true copies thereof at five of the most public places in said municipality, as determined by the Council as follows: Main Street and Parkview Avenue, Main Street and College Avenue, Main Street and Drexel Avenue, Broad Street and Drexel Avenue, and Parkview Avenue and Clifton Avenue, each for a period of fifteen days commencing on the 14th day of November, 1945.

Clerk of Council, City of

Bexley