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**RIVERMONT STREET RAILWAY COMPANY MINUTE BOOK**

The minute book records the general operations of the company involved with purchases of land and maintenance of equipment and powerhouse. The accompanying pamphlet contains the act of incorporation (1891), a deed of trust for the company to Lynchburg Trust and Savings Bank, and a statement of assets and balance sheet (1892).

**RIVERMONT STREET RAILWAY COMPANY**

Facing financial difficulties in 1891, the Rivermont Land Company divested itself of its streetcar system which was reorganized and renamed the Lynchburg and Rivermont Street Railway Company. The Company was incorporated Dec. 17, 1891 "to construct, own, purchase, hold and operate a street railway in the counties of Campbell and Bedford and in the city of Lynchburg." The capital stock of the company was not to exceed \$200,000. As the Company expanded its streetcar system from its original Rivermont route through the city of Lynchburg, the name was changed to The Lynchburg and Rivermont Street Railway Company on March 24, 1892. The corporate name was again changed to Lynchburg Traction and Light Company on April 30, 1901.

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