

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
ANN ARBOR, Sept. 3, 1894. }

Regular session.

Called to order by President Wines.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent—Alds. Wagner, and Ferguson

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The journal of the last session was approved.

COMMUNICATIONS.
FROM THE MAYOR.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen,—The relations which the Ann Arbor Water Co. has sustained to the city and citizens of Ann Arbor from its inception to the present day, have been such as call for careful deliberation on the part of the common council in determining the future policy to be pursued in securing for all purposes a sufficient supply of wholesome water, the purity of which shall be above question and the quantity abundant for all our needs.

When the city of Ann Arbor in the year 1885, entered into contract with the Ann Arbor Water Co., they formed an obligation as favorable to the company as could well be made; exacting no restrictions in constructing or maintaining of the waterworks which were not only just but positively necessary for the protection of the citizens. On the other hand, they left little opportunity for redress in case of failure of the party of the second part to perform their portion of the contract.

It is not necessary to begin at the springs and pumping station, proceeding by way of the various points in the contract that were broken at the time of construction, the reservoir remaining unfinished to the present day.

The statement that "the inlet pipe to the reservoir shall be so arranged that the water pumped into said reservoir shall pass in a pipe up through the same, above the level of the water and then fall over on a stone rockery so as to give the water more aeration" has been a little misleading. Any person who believes that all the water used in this city passes through the process of aeration described should spend a few hours at the reservoir to satisfy himself that such is not the case.

The quantity of water has always been a matter of great concern to the citizens who have been promised protection in case of fire.

It is not necessary to go into the numerous violations of that portion of the contract which relates to fire protection, but call attention to the condition of affairs existing one year ago. The contract states: "That the works

shall at all times be capable of throwing by reservoir pressure, six streams, 80 feet high at the court house at one time; and by direct pressure, the same number of streams at the same place 110 feet high." Aug 7, 1893, the chief of the fire department made the following statement: "I caused to be thrown from the fire hydrants at the court house square six streams of water through 100 feet of hose for each stream, and I hereby certify that the maximum height of said stream was not to exceed 55 feet with a registered pressure of 60 pounds when hydrants were first opened and 40 pounds before same were closed." He further states that about three hours later, thrown through 50 feet of hose, the stream did not exceed 25 feet in height. If you will examine the chief's report you will find that in those days a registered pressure of 20 pounds was very common. The chief recently informed me that there are times at present when the pressure is not sufficient for fire protection.

When the common council met on July 17, 1893, the water committee, consisting of Ald. Ferguson, Martin and Manly, presented a report citing the criminal negligence of the Water Co. and that report was unanimously adopted. It was about this time that the citizens, driven almost to despair concerning the scarcity and quality of the water, circulated a petition and besought the council to do something for their relief. More water had been promised in previous seasons but scarcely any attempt had been made to secure it. The mayor issued a proclamation calling upon the water takers to limit the use of water to the smallest possible amount in order that enough might be gained for fire protection. Days and weeks passed at this time, when the city would have been at the mercy of the flames had any considerable fire once started. The Water Co. evidently became aware that something must be done to quiet the people for at the next meeting of the council, Aug. 24, 1893, Dr. Hale appeared before that body and stated in a plausible speech, that in the future there would be plenty of water if the council would only trust them. I want to ask if the gentlemen of the council supposed that plenty of water meant spring water, river water, or the indefinite mixture of these which has been forced upon us.

In the springtime the members of the council were invited to visit the waterworks, which they did. At that time one of your number warned Dr. Hale of the lack of water that would be certain in case of drouth, but the doubtful member was assured that he need have no fear concerning the abundance and quality of the supply. Not being

able to be present at this inspection of the works, Dr. Hale visited me a few days later and extended a personal invitation to visit the works with him. At this interview the question of using river water was discussed and he assured me that it would not be necessary to use it, and furthermore, he assured me that their machinery was not capable of pumping any considerable amount from the river. He neglected to state, however, that they would immediately put the machinery in such order that 50 per cent of the supply for our city could be taken from the river when, in the opinion of the company, it was necessary.

Gentlemen, we are at present engaged in constructing a sewer system which will, when completed, compel every householder to pay tribute to the Water Co., thus adding from five to ten thousand dollars yearly to their income. The rates for closets should be very low in order that the poor may not be oppressed by this necessity which all must bear alike, and that at a very high price according to the present water rate. This should be properly adjusted at once.

The contract expressly states that "the company shall furnish at all times, a sufficient supply of water suitable for domestic purposes." This portion of the contract has been frequently violated. We have abundant evidence to show that for some time the water has not been wholesome or fit for domestic use. At the second July meeting of the council the chairman of the water committee reported to you that 20 per cent of river water was being used in our city supply. The Huron flows through many small towns that either directly or indirectly drain into it; only a short distance above the pumping station a large paper mill discharges its refuse into the stream and dead animals are frequently found floating in the water or lodged along the banks. When the stream is low, as it is at the present time, contamination may easily result. Our citizens can and should protect themselves by boiling all drinking water, and children in the public schools should be warned to drink the smallest amount of water possible from the school drinking fountains, until it is announced that the Water Co. has ceased to use river water in maintaining the supply.

The time has come when a contract so frequently broken as that of the Water Co. with the city of Ann Arbor should be declared null and void. Our citizens have been long suffering and their only hope for redress or protection is through you. Your efforts in the past with the Water Co. have been only partially successful. The annual

tour of inspection for increase of water supply has been announced through the press and several springs have been sighted from afar. We are told of the sweetness and abundance of waters gushing from the hillside, but like thirsty travelers in the desert we wonder if we will ever live to taste them. Meanwhile the Huron river makes up the deficiency as it has in years past. Let us thank God for the never failing Huron.

It is to be hoped that no one will underestimate the importance of the question, the quality of our water supply. It means much to us, so much that it should not be trusted to a private corporation except under the most binding obligations. The promises of the Water Co. remain unfulfilled. Why should you trust them again? The time has come when we must act.

(Signed) C. G. DARLING,

Mayor.

Ald. Prettyman moved that the Mayor's message be referred to a committee consisting of the Water Committee of this Council and five citizens, and make a report on the Mayor's recommendations, at our next regular meeting.

Adopted.

President Wines appointed the following citizens as such committee: Messrs. H. S. Dean, Dr. A. C. McLaughlin, Dr. David Zimmerman, J. E. Beal, George W. Bullis.

FROM THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works beg leave to submit the following report of its doings in the matter of bids for the construction of plank walks.

The Board caused the Street Commissioner to advertise and ask for sealed proposals, and as a result on the day set for closing such offers, had four bids as follows:

For building walk of John V. Sheehan, on Mary street, Fred J. Gaeckle bids \$3.15 per rod, George Kirn bids \$2.50 per rod and Chas. Stevens bids \$2.90 per rod. For building walk in front of the property of Herman Markhan, on Seventh street, Fred Gaeckle bids \$2.95 per rod, Charles Stevens bids \$2.75 per rod, D. Hunt bids \$2.70 per rod. For building walk in front of the Edmunds property on W. Huron street, Charles Stevens bids \$2.85 per rod, Geo. Kirn bids \$2.50 per rod. For building walk in front of William M. White's property, on Hill street, Geo. Kirn bids \$2.50 per rod, D. Hunt, bids \$2.85 per rod.

Geo. Kirn is the lowest bidder on building the walks on Hill street, Mary street and West Huron street, and D. Hunt is the lowest bidder on building the walk on Seventh street, all things considered, we recommend that the bids of Geo. Kirn and D. Hunt be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Board of Public Works.
W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

Received and filed.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works, as directed by resolution of your honorable body, beg leave to submit the following report of its doings in the matter of bids for the construction of a new floor at the Sixth Ward Engine house.

The Board caused notice of its wants to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus and the Washtenaw Evening Times, and as a result, on the day set for closing such offer, had four bids as follows: James A. Wells, \$120.00; J. J. Ferguson, \$120.00; Charles Saur, \$87.0 and Arthur J. Kitson, \$81.00. Arthur J. Kitson asked permission to withdraw his bid. All things considered, the Board recommend that the bid of Charles Saur be accepted and contract be made with said Saur at his bid, \$87.00.

Respectfully submitted,
By order of the Board of Public Works,
W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

Accepted, and recommendation concurred in as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, President Wines—11.

Nays—None.

Mr. Andrew Gibson was granted the floor and presented and read a petition from Mrs. Carl Edmonds, asking that the time for building her sidewalk on W. Huron street be extended to Dec. 1, 1894; also that the surface water at said locality be taken care of by the city.

Ald. Manly moved, that the first part of said petition be granted and time extended. Adopted.

Mr. J. V. Sheehan was granted the floor and asked to have the building of his walk at his stores on State street postponed until next April, 1895.

Ald. Manly moved the time of building Mr. Sheehan's walk is hereby extended until Sept. 1, '95. Adopted.

FROM THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor, Mich.

Gentlemen: Herewith please find a set of Sewer specifications for your approval or disapproval. Respectfully,

Board of Public Works,
W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Ald. Prettyman moved that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet in an adjourned session to-morrow eve., Sept. 5, '94, at 7:30 o'clock, local time.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Almendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Tavior, Kitson, Prettyman, President Wines.—11.

Nays—None.

FROM THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

To His Honor the Mayor, President of the Council, City Clerk and Alderman of the City of Ann Arbor, Mich.

Gents:

Your Board of Health respectfully beg of your Honorable Body to make an appropriation for the purpose of ascertaining the condition of the various water supplies in the various schools in this city, inasmuch as there will be a large amount used by the scholars and teachers during the hot weather. And as a board we recommend immediate action.

E. W. MOORE,
Pres. Board of Health and Chairman of Building and Grounds.
JOHN KAPP, Health Officer.
H. B. DODSLEY, Health Inspector.

Referred to Committee on Water.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Of R. W. Newton and forty-five others asking the Common Council to order grading and filling, to its lawful width, E. Ann st., in the vicinity of 13th st.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Of Frederick G. Schleicher and nineteen others, asking for the construction of a cement crosswalk along the south side of W. Liberty st., across Second st.

Referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

We, the undersigned residents and property holders residing on the north side of Madison street, between Thompson and State streets, hereby agree with the the Common Council and with each other to build the coming fall a five-foot artificial stone walk along the north side of Madison street, aforesaid, between Thompson and State, provided, the Common Council will fix the north line of said sidewalk three feet south of the property line. Such location of the sidewalk will preserve the trees already growing on the street, and avoid a large expense and inconvenience to property holders along the line.

Dated, August 27, 1894.

LILLIE M. NICHOLS,
EUGENE E. BEAL,
W. J. HERDMAN,

Pres. of Peninsular Society, agrees to build walk from State street to side entrance of Alpha Delta Phi House.

ROBERT POPKIN,
D. A. MACLACHLAN,
E. M. O'BRIEN.

Leave being granted, the following resolution was offered:

By Alderman Manly :

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to the property owners along the north side of E. Madison street, between State street and Thompson street to construct a five-foot artificial stone sidewalk three feet from the property line.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, Pres. Wines.—10.

Nays.—Ald. Martin.—1.

A petition signed by John C. Fischer, and fourteen others, asking for the construction of two stone crosswalks along the north side of Kingsley street, across Main street, and along the east side of Main street, across Kingsley street.

Referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have had the following bills under consideration, and recommend their allowance and warrants ordered drawn, at sums stated.

CONTINGENT FUND.

W. J. Miller, 1 month's salary	\$ 66 66
John W. Bennett, " "	25 00
P. O'Hearn, " "	83 34
Geo. H. Pond, " "	8 33
Marvin Davenport, janitor salary	6 25
Dr. John Kapp, 3 month's salary as health officer	37 50
Henry B. Dodsley, 3 month's salary, inspector	25 00
Eli W. Moore, 3 month's salary, President board of health	12 50
Sid W. Millard, job printing	
Estate of Rice A. Beal, publishing council proceedings	4 75
Stenographic Institute, work done for city attorney	36 10
Clay A. Greene, rent, assigned to F. G. McCaffory	1 10
Richmond, Backus & Co., supplies	29 17
W. J. Miller, supplies	4 90
S. D. Childs & Co., supplies	1 95
Ann Arbor Agr'l Co., supplies	20 00
E. B. Pond, work on ordinances	80
Nathan D. Corbin, 120 hours' work on ordinances	40 90
Peter Hertchen, burying dog	42 00
Clarence Sweet burying cat	50
Ann Arbor Argus, publishing council proceedings	50
Estate of Rice A. Beal, printing, etc.	36 10
Mrs. Kuhn, cleaning offices	49 25
Ann Arbor T.-H. Electric Co., 2 mo's street lighting bills (July & August)	3 20
Ann Arbor Argus, printing	1157 16
	25 7)
Total	\$1717 82

STREET FUND.

Nelson Sutherland, salary	\$ 66 66
George F. Key, labor	30 80
Ann Arbor Savings Bank, accounts assigned them as follows:	

P. D. Rogers, team labor	\$ 12 00	
Martin Adamschek	6 00	
Charles Stevens, building walk.	22 50	40 50
The Farmers' & Mechanics' Bank, accounts assigned them as follows:		
Elias Sadler, building walk	\$ 31 72	
Joseph Glasser, labor	1 50	
Jacob Kies, labor	4 50	
George Lavere, labor	4 50	42 22
State Savings Bank, accounts assigned them as follows:		
Martin Nagle, team labor	\$ 4 50	
Charles Stevens, building walk	\$ 6 25	
Fred Ulrich, labor	4 50	15 25
Nelson Sutherland, accounts assigned him as follows:		
Frank Schultz, labor	\$ 1 50	
John Krumrie, labor	1 50	
Albert Glassenapp, labor	1 50	4 50
G. Schuon, labor, assigned to J. Goetz & Son		4 50
Frank Dugdale, labor, assigned to G. Spathelf		3 00
Mat Luppold, labor		2 25
Ernest Gutekunst, labor		2 25
Charles Hintz, labor		3 00
Fred Radke, labor		31 20
William Brough, labor		1 50
Geo. Quintal, labor		1 50
Gustave Walters, labor		10 50
William Darrow, labor		1 50
Chris. Jetter, labor		5 25
Patrick McCabe, labor		9 00
Charles Glaser, labor		5 25
Albert Glassenapp, labor		2 25
Peter Hinderlong, labor		7 80
William Kretlow, labor		2 25
Frederick Gakle, labor		7 50
Michael Williams, labor		15 00
Charles Winkle, labor		10 95
Willis Clark, foreman		32 37
Andrew Taylor, labor		2 25
George Fisher, labor		16 20
Rembert Jones, labor		1 05
Frank Sutherland, labor		21 75
Jacob Micheifelder, labor		12 00
August Herrmann, labor		1 50
Elias Sadler, team labor		30 90
P. D. Rogers, team labor		6 00
F. J. Bartlet, team labor		9 00
George Schaie le, team labor		1 50
Abraham Voorheis, team labor		3 00
John Freeman, cartage		15
Dean & Co., supplies		2 57
Total	\$ 466 62	

SEWER FUND.

Ann Arbor Savings Bank, accounts assigned them as follows:		
Charles Stevens, labor	\$11 75	
Albert Schoemin, labor	16 25	\$ 28 00
The State Savings Bank, accounts assigned them as follows:		
Charles Stevens, labor	\$ 8 00	
Gottlieb Kuyath, labor, assign to F. & M. Bank		1 35
George F. Key, salary		69 20
Mortimer G. Barnes, asst. engineer		55 75
Charles H. Spencer, office work eng		40 25
Frank Sutherland, labor		2 25
Rembert Jones, labor		1 50
George Fischer, labor		2 25
Albert Schoemin, labor		3 00
Camp Brothers, supplies		1 00
Stenographic Institute, work for special sewer committee		18 56
C. F. Stabler, polished plate 42x100 in.		15 00
Schairer & Millen, supplies for Mrs. Mary Kennedy		25 03
Total	\$ 271 14	

BRIDGE, CULVERT AND CROSSWALK FUND.

Ann Arbor Savings Bank, accounts assigned them as follows.

Charles Hewitt, cement crosswalks.....	\$	66	28
P. L. Bodmer, lumber.....		21	43
S. Wood & Co., lumber.....		62	39
James Tolbert, lumber.....		39	96
Jacob Michelfelder, labor.....		12	00
Joe. Hutzel, labor.....		21	75
Fred Ulrich, labor.....		29	25
William Kuehn, labor.....		27	75
John Holk, labor.....		7	50
Wm. Wheeler, horse and cart.....		25	00
Fred Wolf, labor.....		3	00
Frank Sutherland, labor.....		11	25
Jacob Beck, labor.....		12	75
Charles Winkle, labor.....		8	25
Albert Schoemin, labor.....		13	20
Michael Williams, labor.....		6	75
Albert Glassenap, labor.....		7	50
Patrick McCabe, labor.....		6	00
Chris. Jeeter, labor.....		24	00
William Darrow, labor.....		6	00
Hiram Kittredge, team labor.....		6	75
Elias Sadler, team labor.....		24	00
Geo. Weeks, sand.....		4	50
Chas. F. Stabler, oil.....			60
John Baumgardner, stone slabs.....			9 95
Total.....	\$	457	81

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND

Fred Sibley, salary.....	\$	60	00
C. A. Edwards, salary.....		50	00
Henry McLaren, salary.....		50	00
Louis Hoelzle, salary.....		50	00
Max Wittlinger, salary.....		50	00
Albert West, salary.....		50	00
Eugene Williams, salary.....		45	00
Herman Kirn, salary.....		40	00
Samuel McLaren, salary,.....		8	00
Wm. Rettich, salary.....		8	00
Edward Hoelzle, salary.....		8	00
William L. Schnierle, salary.....		8	00
M. C. Ryan, salary.....		8	00
Mrs. B. Ream, washing.....		5	00
Fred Chapin, oats.....		28	05
John F. Lawrence, hay and oats.....		37	19
C. Eberbach, supplies.....		8	87
Walker & Co., repairing wagon.....		23	20
Geo. W. Sweet, straw.....		4	26
J. H. Andrews, oats.....		27	76
Geo. W. Seybold, blacksmithing.....		7	10
Total.....	\$	576	43

POLICE FUND

P. S. Banfield, salary.....		65	00
David Collins, salary.....		50	00
Reuben Armbruster, salary.....		44	00
William Eldert.....		50	00
George Isbell.....		50	00
Total.....	\$	259	00

CEMETERY FUND.

Eli S. Manly, labor.....		6	00
A. Hammond, labor.....		15	00
Total.....	\$	21	00

POOR FUND.

Fred Sibley, salary.....	\$	10	00
C. Eberbach, supplies.....			57
J. Burg, shoes.....		2	00
Edward Duffy, groceries.....		4	95
Mrs. Ann Evans, aid.....		5	00
John Eisele, groceries.....		6	20
J. J. Goodyear, medicine.....		1	15

John Goetz & Son, groceries.....		3	83
John Goetz, Jr., groceries.....		1	89
William F. Lodholz, groceries.....		11	43
William H. McIntyre, groceries.....		14	61
O'Hara & Boyle, groceries.....		10	41
Caspar Rinsey, groceries.....		11	96
Rinsey & Seabolt, groceries.....		8	61
Wm. Salyer, groceries.....		3	00
Charles Zurn, meat.....		1	22
Geo. Seybold, repairing wood wagon.....		2	25
Total.....	\$	99	08

WATER FUND.

The Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co. for making quantitative analysis of water from the A. A. Water Co. reservoir by order of B. of H.....		20	00
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RECAPITULATION.

Contingent Fund.....	\$	1,717	82
Street Fund.....		466	62
Sewer Fund.....		271	14
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.....		457	81
Fire Fund.....		576	43
Police Fund.....		259	00
Poor Fund.....		99	08
Cemetery Fund.....		21	00
Water Fund.....		20	00
Total.....	\$	3,888	90

Respectfully submitted.

FRANK WOOD,
C. H. MANLY,
Finance Committee.

Accepted, and recommendation concurred in as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, President Wines.—11.

Nays—None.

FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Common Council:

Your committee on finance to whom was referred the bids for furnishing the city's coal this season, would respectfully report that your committee found four bids as follows:

M. Staebler, egg, stove and nut delivered, at.....	\$5.50
M. Staebler, grate.....	5.25
E. B. Hall, egg, stove, grate, nut, and mixed, delivered, at.....	5.40
Louis Rhode, egg, stove, nut and mixed, delivered, at.....	5.60
Louis Rhode, grate, delivered, at.....	5.45
Hiscock & Son, grate, delivered, at.....	5.00
“ “ egg, delivered, at.....	5.40
“ “ stove and nut.....	5.50

All things considered, we recommend that the bid of E. B. Hall, be accepted and contract be made.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK WOOD,
C. H. MANLY,
Finance Committee

Accepted, and recommendation concurred in as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, President Wines.—11.

Nays—None.

FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Common Council:

Your committee on finance respectfully report on the matter of printing the special sewer committee's report and testimony annexed to said report, after a careful consideration of the matter your committee would recommend that the said report and testimony be printed in pamphlet form. We have asked for bids from all the local printers and found the bid of Sid. W. Millard the lowest—at \$1.23 per page. It is estimated that said report will make about 35 pages. We therefore recommend that a contract be made with said Millard for printing 1000 copies according to specifications on file at the city clerk's office.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK WOOD,
C. H. MANLY,
Finance Committee.

Accepted, and recommendation concurred in as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, President Wines—11.

Nays—None.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS.

The monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Poor Superintendent and Chief of Police and Board of Health were read and ordered filed.

Poor Superintendent Siple reported the following expenditure during the month of August: 1st ward, \$5.00; 2d ward, \$13.56; 3d ward, \$38.22; 4th ward, \$9.42; 5th ward, \$29.96; 6th ward, none.

Chief of Police Banfield reported twenty arrests during the month of August as follows: Drunk, 6; violating city ordinances, 11; assault and battery, 2; violating liquor law, 1.

The Board of Health reported 12 deaths during the month: One case of scarlet fever, abated 13 filthy or unlawful privies, 6 pig pens, 60 filthy alleys, lots or premises. The health of the city is exceptionally good; there is only one case of contagious disease in the city, and but few cases of summer diseases.

The clerk reported deed executed by Isaac Dunn and wife for a 50 foot roadway, extending northerly from Broadway to Mill street.

On motion the Clerk was directed to

have the same put on record in the Office of Register of Deeds.

The Clerk reported that he had been served with notice of a \$5,000 damage suit by Mrs. Ann G. Walker for damage sustained on sidewalk on Geddes avenue.

On motion the City Attorney was directed to take charge of the case.

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING AUGUST 31, 1894.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Balance on hand as per last report.....\$11,634.56

MONEY RECEIVED.

Police Fund—		
P.S. Banfield, fees...	17.10	
J. W. Bennett, fines	2.00	
Contingent Fund—		
W. J. Miller lic.	17.50	
Plus of Roll.....	418.21	
Appropriation.....	5,000.00	
Street Fund—		
Appropriation.....	7,500.00	
Fire Fund—		
Appropriation.....	6,500.00	
Police Fund—		
Appropriation.....	3,200.00	
Poor Fund—		
Appropriation.....	1,250.00	
Water Fund—		
Appropriation.....	5,000.00	
Cemetery Fund—		
Appropriation.....	50.00	
Univ. Hosp. Aid Bond Fund—		
Appropriation.....	3,480.00	
Bridge, Culvert & Crosswalk Fund—		
Appropriation.....	5,000.00	
Main Sewer Fund—		
Appropriation.....	3,500.00	
Sewer Fund—		
Appropriation.....	5,000.00	
Total	\$45,934.81	
Less uncollected		
city tax	8,230.17	
	<u>37,704.64</u>	<u>49,339.20</u>

MONEY DISBURSED.

Contingent Fund.....	\$ 756.03	
Street Fund.....	442.23	
Firemen's Fund.....	498.22	
Police Fund.....	295.00	
Poor Fund.....	118.94	
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk		
Fund.....	880.17	
Sewer Fund.....	430.68	
Soldiers' Relief Fund.....	30.00	
Total.....	\$ 3,451.27	<u>3,451.27</u>

\$45,887.93

BALANCE ON HAND.

Contingent Fund,.....	10,024.23
Street Fund	5,151.17

Firemen's Fund.....	7,276.93	
Police Fund.....	3,757.86	
Poor Fund.....	712.40	
Water Fund.....	4,793.40	
Cemetery Fund.....	238.76	
Soldiers' Relief Fund.....	1,143.63	
University Hospital		
Aid Bond Fund.....	4,320.00	144.39
Sewer Fund.....	5,690.66	
Main Sewer Fund.....	3,500.00	
Bridge, Culvert and		
Crosswalk Fund.....	7,553.45	
Dog Tax Fund.....	100.00	
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Total.....	\$54,262.49	
Less uncollected city		
tax.....	8,230.17	
	144.39	
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	8,374.56	8374.56
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	45,887.93	

Total Treasurer's Balance.....\$45,887 93

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. H. POND,
 City Treasurer.

Ann Arbor, Aug. 31, 1894.

Ann Arbor Savings Bank,)
 Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 1, 1894. }

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

DEAR SIRS—This will certify that Geo. H. Pond has on deposit to his credit as City Treasurer, the sum of Forty-five Thousand, Nine Hundred Seventy and 43-100 Dollars, (45,970.43).

Yours truly,
CHAS. E. HISCOCK,
 Cashier.

City Engineer Key submitted report with drawing and estimated cost for building an addition to the Engine House, which was referred to the Fire Department Committee.

ORDINANCES.

The third reading by sections of "An Ordinance for the Protection of Squirrels and Birds within the Limits of the City of Ann Arbor," after which the chair having stated the question to be: "Shall this ordinance pass? the yeas and nays being called, the ordinance, as amended, passed as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—11.

Nay—None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Ald. Manly moved that the report made by the Board of Public Works as to building plank walks be adopted and the Board proceed with the construction of the walks, excepting the

walk of Mrs. Edmunds on West Huron street.

Adopted as follows:

Yea—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—11.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Taylor:

Resolved, That the telephone now located at the residence of James Murray is hereby ordered placed in George Spathelf's meat market, in such manner as to afford free access to the public both day and night; said Spathelf to pay one half the telephone rental.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—11.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Kitson:

Resolved, That the sum of \$40.00 be appropriated from the Street Fund for the grading of Elm street from Geddes avenue to South University avenue.

Referred to the Committee on Streets.

By Ald. Wood:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the President of the Council to secure a lease of premises for the city offices for the ensuing year.

Adopted.

Pres. Wines appointed the following committee: Ald. Wood, Prettyman, Manly.

By Ald. Brown:

Resolved, That the sum of fifty dollars be and is hereby appropriated from the Contingent Fund to be used in the discretion of the Water Committee for the purpose of having the city water analyzed from time to time.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—11.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Wood:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and are hereby instructed to proceed at once to put the main sewer in condition to receive the laterals, as

recommended by special Sewer Committee.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—11.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Brown:

Resolved, That the Poor Commis-

sioner be and is hereby authorized to pay to Daniel Flynn the sum of eight dollars per month from the Poor Fund.

Ald. Prettyman moved that the resolution be laid on the table until our next regular meeting.

Adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

W. J. MILLER,
City Clerk.