

COUNCIL CHAMBER, }
 Ann Arbor, August 15th, 1898. }
 Regular session.
 Called to order by Glen V. Mills,
 City Clerk.
 Roll called. Quorum present.
 Absent Ald. Dieterle, Exinger,
 Brown, Weeks and Pres. Luick.
 Ald. Coon moved that Ald. Cady act
 as president pro tem.
 Adopted.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works respectfully recommend that the bill of Mrs. Flynn for \$25 be allowed for damage to garden in securing right of way across her property for storm sewer.

Respectfully submitted,
 Glen V. Mills,

Clerk of the Board of Public Works.
 Referred to the Finance Committee.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works would recommend the acceptance of the bond of the Massillon Stone and Fire Brick Co. that the brick furnished for the pavement shall be as good as the sample.

Respectfully submitted,
 Glen V. Mills,

Clerk of the Board of Public Works.
 Referred to the Bond Committee.

To the Common Council:

Having examined the intersection of Main and Packard sts. with respect to the matter of a crosswalk on the south side of Packard st. and report that a crosswalk is entirely feasible by constructing cement steps between sidewalk and curb line.

Geo. F. Key,
 City Engineer.

Referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

ENGINEER'S FOURTH ESTIMATE.

Paving District Nos. 1 and 2, Storm Sewer.

Excavation and Backfilling 599 lineal ft. at 15c per ft.	\$ 89 85
Excavation and Backfilling 64 lineal ft. at 20c per ft.	12 80
10 in. pipe 505 lineal ft. at 9c per ft.	45 45
12 in. pipe 94 lineal ft. at 15c per ft.	14 10
15 in. pipe 64 lineal ft. at 16c per ft.	10 24
Inlets 16 at \$13 each.	208 00
Manholes 4 at \$25 each.	100 00
Catch Basins 4 at \$25 each.	100 00
Lamp-hole Covers 5 at \$2.50 each.	12 50
Manhole Covers 5 at \$7.00 each.	35 00
Total estimate	\$627 94
Less 10 per cent.	62 79
Amount due contractor	\$564 15

Geo. F. Key,
 City Engineer.

Ald. Coon moved to suspend Rule 21 for this session.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Spathelf, Coon, Howell, Cady, Stevens.—10.

Nays—None.

Ald. Coon moved that the estimate be allowed by the Council.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Spathelf, Coon, Howell, Cady, Stevens.—10.

Nays—None.

A communication from Joshua Hill relative to public parks was read and referred to the Park Committee.

A petition signed by Fred J. Bartlett and 10 others asking for a sidewalk on E. University ave. was read and referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

A petition signed by Leonhard Gruner and 11 others asking for the opening of Catherine st. was read and referred to the Street Committee.

A petition signed by Conrad Georg and 16 others asking for the abatement of the nuisance at the curve at the corner of Williams and Main sts. was read and referred to the Ordinance Committee.

A petition signed by Wm. Cleaver and 27 others asking for an arc light at the corner of S. University ave. and Oxford st. was read and referred to the Lighting Committee.

A petition signed by J. G. Burchfield and 6 others asking that certain rights be granted the licensed draymen of the city was read and referred to the Ordinance Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

STREETS.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Streets would recommend that tile be laid on W. Liberty st. in the alley between Main and Ashley. Engineer's estimate \$25.

Also extend the culvert on First st. in front of Schlenker's property. Engineer's estimate \$55.

Also that Vaughn st. be opened at a cost of \$150.

Your Committee would also recommend that two box culverts be built across the Boulevard to prevent wash-out on Mr. Gardner's property.

Respectfully submitted,

John Koch,
 Emmett Coon,
 F. M. Hamilton,

C. H. Cady,
Geo. Spathelf, Jr.,
Geo. W. Sweet,
Frank Vandawarker,
Committee on Streets.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards,
Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Spathelf,
Coon, Howell, Cady, Stevens—10.

Nays—None.

SIDEWALKS.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Sidewalks would recommend that the following new stone walk be built:

On the east side of Detroit st., property of Mrs. Eisele also repair old stone walk.

And that the following plank walks be built:

On N. Fourth ave. in front of Nos. 645, 651, 701, 705, 709.

That the Engineer give estimate for sidewalk grade on Belser st.

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. Hamilton,
A. B. Stevens,
C. Howell,

Committee on Sidewalks.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards,
Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Spathelf,
Coon, Howell, Cady, Stevens—10.

Nays—None.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Sidewalks would recommend that the following tar sidewalks be mopped and repaired:

On S. Main st. in front of Gill's lumber yard and in front of 544.

On W. Huron st. in front of Herdman's hospital.

On Washtenaw ave. in front of 1226.

On Hill st. corner E. University ave

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. Hamilton,
A. B. Stevens,
C. Howell,

Committee on Sidewalks.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards,
Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Spathelf,
Coon, Howell, Cady, Stevens—10.

Nays—None.

Ald. Brown entered.

Ald. Hamilton moved that a brick crosswalk be ordered across Main st. on the south side of Packard.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards,
Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown,
Spathelf, Coon, Howell, Cady, Stevens—11.

Nays—None.

WATER.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Water to whom was referred the petition of our citizens asking for a drinking fountain would recommend that fountain No. 476, of J. W. Fiske manufacture, be purchased at a cost of \$57.

Respectfully submitted,

Emmett Coon,
John Koch,
Arthur Brown,

Committee on Water.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards,
Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown,
Spathelf, Coon, Howell, Cady, Stevens—11.

Nays—None.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS.

The monthly report of the City Clerk and City Treasurer were read and ordered filed.

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT.

Month ending July 30, '98.

MONEY RECEIVED.

Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk fund	
Appropriation.....	\$5000 00
Contingent fund	
Money returned from Massilon, O., trip.....	10 50
Appropriation.....	1000 00
City Cemetery Fund	
Lot sold to C. S. Ward.....	5 00
Part payment from Harriet Barnett	3 00
Fire Fund	
Appropriation.....	8000 00
Poor Fund	
Appropriation.....	2000 00
Police Fund	
Sweet, Z. Fees for June, '98.....	1 50
Taking man to Pontiac, Mich.....	6 50
Appropriation.....	3000 00
Street fund	
Ross D. J., from J. E. Travis for gutter paving.....	10 00
Appropriation.....	15000 00
Water Fund	
Appropriation.....	5000 00
Excess of Rolls	
City Tax Rolls.....	204 83
Main Sewer Fund	
Appropriation.....	3100 00
Bond and Int. Acct.	
Total.....	\$42341 33

MONEY DISBURSED, WARRANTS PAID.

Bridge, culv't and crossw'lk fund.....	\$ 227 22
Contingent fund.....	1363 13
City cemetery ".....	26 25
Fire fund.....	642 95
Poor ".....	131 67
Police ".....	288 35
Street ".....	1307 05
Uncollected city tax.....	3206 32
Water fund.....	3098 90
Total ...	\$39490 94
Balance overdraft.... last report.....	\$12341 09
Total.....	\$51832 03
Balance overdraft.....	9490 70

Condition of City funds Aug. 1 '98.

	On hand	Over-drawn
Bridge, culv't' crossw'k fund		\$1149 72
Contingent fund.....		578 11
City cemetery fund.....	68 60	
Dog license fund.....	271 00	
State dog tax ".....	584 25	
Delinquent tax fund.....		1554 27
Fire fund.....	7221 15	
Poor ".....	2454 85	
Police ".....	2429 40	
Street ".....	3758 69	
University aid bond fund.....	300 00	
Uncollected city tax.....		32406 32
Water fund.....	3472 40	
Sidewalk tax uncollected.....	29 61	
Rejected ".....	3 59	
Excess of city rolls.....	204 83	
Main sewer Appropriation.....	3100 00	

Total.....	\$25048 00	34538 70
Balance overdraft.....		\$9490 70

MONEY RECEIVED.

Tax acc't lat sewer no 1.....	\$29 08
" " " " " 2.....	103 25
" " " " " 3.....	412 38
" " " " " 4.....	44 34
" " " " " 5.....	133 46
" " " " " 6.....	132 92
" " " " " 7.....	46 13

Total.....	901 56
Balance on hand last report.....	9818 06

Total.....	10719 62
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MONEY DISBURSED, WARRANTS PAID.

	Amt	Cr
Main Sewer Fund.....	\$ 616 08	
Total.....	\$ 616 08	
Balance on hand.....	10103 54	

Condition of sewer funds Aug. 1 '98.

	Dr	Cr
Main sewer fund.....	\$	\$4720 53
Labor acc't lat sewer no 1....	39 90	
Tax " " " " 1....	542 46	
Labor " " " " 2....		27 28
Tax " " " " 2....	42 91	
Labor " " " " 3....	5805 82	
Tax " " " " 3....		2693 76
Labor " " " " 4....	836 21	
Tax " " " " 4....		719 53
Labor " " " " 5....	980 24	
Tax " " " " 5....		4495 29
Labor " " " " 6....		2950 24
Tax " " " " 6....		2232 41
Labor " " " " 7....		147 15
Tax " " " " 7....		379 40
Delinquent sewer tax.....	451 60	
Uncollected " ".....		437 09

Total.....	\$8699 14	18802 68
Balance on hand.....		\$10103 54

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. SEYLER,

City Treasurer.

Ann Arbor, Aug. 1, 1898.

This is to certify that E. L. Seyler, treasurer, has on deposit to the credit of the city of Ann Arbor on the morning of Aug. 1, 1898, the sum of seven hundred and fifteen and thirteen one-hundredths dollars (\$715.13).

J. C. WALZ, Asst. Cashier,
State Savings Bank.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Ald. Cady.

Resolved that the City Clerk notify the Michigan Central R.R. Co. and the Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor Ry. Co. to comply with the ordinances of the City of Ann Arbor relative to the speed of running trains and cars within the limits of the City of Ann Arbor.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Howell, Cady, Stevens—11.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Sweet.

Resolved, That \$141.72 be appropriated for grading and paving alley between Main and Ashley running between Ann and Catherine.

Ald. Hamilton moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Lost as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Vandawarker, Coon, Stevens—5.

Nays—Ald. Koch, Sweet, Brown, Spathelf, Howell, Cady—6.

Whereupon the original motion was adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Richards, Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Howell Cady.—8

Nays—Ald. Hamilton, Coon, Stevens—3.

By Ald. Sweet.

Resolved that \$200.00 be appropriated for grading and graveling the block on N. Main street from Catherine to Kingsley street.

Referred to the Street Committee.

By Ald. Vandawarker:

Resolved that the petition asking for cross-walks across Detroit street be granted and the same ordered built.

Referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

Ald. Brown moved that the subject of Baldwin ave be referred to the Street Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Koch:

Resolved, that the city of Ann Arbor purchase a new committee wagon and the old one turned in part payment of the same.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Howell, Cady, Stevens—11.

Nays—None.

On motion the council adjourned.

GLEN V. MILLS,
City Clerk.