

Council Chamber, Oct. 15, 1900.

Regular session.

Called to order by Pres. Seabolt.

Roll Call: Present—Ald. Hamilton, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—10. Absent—Ald. Richards, Rohde, Vandawarker, Weeks, Jenney—5.

COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS.

The appointment of Warren E. Walker, George Scott and Wm. C. Jacobus by the mayor as building inspectors was received and confirmed.

The petitions of H. J. Mann et al., for crosswalks, was received and referred to sidewalk committee.

Enter Ald. Vandawarker.

The following estimate of the Engineer was then submitted:

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By Mr. Schleicher:

Resolved, That the estimate No. 2 submitted by the Engineer of \$12,780.80 for the completed work on Huron from the east line of Main st. to 500 feet east of the center of Fifth ave., be accepted by the Board and recommended to the common council to be paid.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Pres. Keech, Schleicher, McIntyre. Nays—None.

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Approximate estimate No. 2 of work done and material furnished by Geo. H. Kneal under his contract with the city of Ann Arbor, dated July 2, 1900: 5,732.10 sq. yds. paving block

at \$2.17 .....	\$12,438 66
1,784.7 sq. ft. Medina curbing at \$0.44 .....	785 27
1,573.35 sq. ft. Berea curbing at \$0.28 .....	440 54
162.2 sq. ft. headers at \$0.48	77 86
1,433 cu. yds. excavation at \$0.32 .....	458 56

\$14,200 89

Less 10 per cent..... 1,420 09

\$12,780 80

This estimate is for finished work

from the east line of Main st. to 500 feet east of the center of Fifth ave.

E. W. GROVES,  
City Engineer.

Ald. Coon moved that rule 21 be suspended.

Carried.

By Ald. Coon:

That the report of the board be concurred in and a warrant ordered drawn for the amount of estimate.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

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I herewith submit to you the second estimate for sewer work on East Catherine st. between N. Division and N. State.

BERNHARD MAST,  
Contractor.

631 ft. of 8 in. sewer pipe at 20c .....	\$126 20
256 ft. of 4 in. sewer pipe at 10c .....	25 60
787 ft. of trenching from 8 to 10 ft. deep at 35c.....	275 45
100 ft. of trenching from 10 to 12 ft. deep at 45c.....	45 00
One flush tank at \$55.....	55 00
One lamp hole.....	6 00

\$533 25

Less 5 per cent..... 26 66

\$506 59

Amount paid contractor.....\$479 93

Amount due .....

\$506 59

E. W. GROVES,  
Per F. L. Sutherland.

Enter Ald. Richards.

By Mr. Keech:

That the balance due Bernard Mast on the East Catherine st. sewer, amounting to \$26.66, be accepted by this Board and recommended to the Council to be paid.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Pres. Keech, Schleicher, McIntyre.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Brown:

That the recommendation of the Board of Public Works be concurred in and warrant for \$26.66 be ordered drawn.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

FINANCE.

The Clerk presented a bill duly certified to for the construction of a cement walk in front of the property of Wm. M. Durand on Geddes ave. amounting to \$26.66.

Also a cement walk in front of Mrs. H. A. Newman on Thompson st., amounting to \$36.66.

Ald. Brown moved that the above certified bills for sidewalk construction be received and the third Monday in October, at 9 o'clock a. m. be the time appointed to hold the Board of Review and review the same.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton Richards, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

ORDINANCE.

Ald. Brown presented the following ordinance by title:

Ordinance granting Wm. A. Boland, successors and assigns permission and authority to construct, maintain, own and operate an electric street railway in the City of Ann Arbor.

Ald. Coon moved that the ordinance pass to its second reading.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton Richards, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

Whereupon Ald. Brown gave it its second reading, section by section.

Report of Board of Review on E. Catherine st. sewer received and ordered filed.

By Ald. Schlenker:

Resolved, that the special assessment roll of lateral sewer assessment district No. 8 in the city of Ann Arbor, as certified to this Council by the Board of Review, be and the same is hereby confirmed and the City Assessor of said city is hereby ordered to assess and spread upon such lateral sewer assessment roll the sum of five hundred and two dollars and seventy-three cents (\$502.73), and the same being the sum of money fixed and determined upon as the estimated cost of lateral sewer No. 8 (street crossings excepted) as provided by law and an ordinance of said city entitled "An Ordinance Relative to Sewers," providing for the construction of lateral and connecting sewers in the city of Ann Arbor, passed the 21st day of May, 1894, and approved the 23d day of May, 1894, and on and upon each and every of the regular annual assessment rolls of the city of Ann Arbor for the year in and during which any such special assessment shall or may be payable, and to levy and assess against the owner or occupants of the lands set down therein the said sums of money on and upon and against the lands set down in and valued upon said special assessment roll.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton Richards, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

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Cash of East Catherine st. sewer between Division and State:

Amount paid Contractor . . . . .	\$479 93
Amount paid for inspection . . . . .	47 50
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Total cost . . . . .	\$527 43
City to pay (in street) . . . . .	24 70
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Property to pay . . . . .	\$502 73

E. W. GROVES, City Engr.

**SIDEWALK GRADE RESOLUTION.**

By Ald. Vandawarker:

Whereas in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of East Huron st. ought to be changed and fixed and established, to the end that such street may be suitable for public travel. Therefore

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered that the grade of the sidewalk on and along the south side of E. Huron st. from east line of Main st. to the west line of Fourth ave. be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, so that the grade of said sidewalk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:

At S. E. cor. Main and Huron. . 823.10  
At S. W. cor. Huron and Fourth 836.50  
the elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of such walk, and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points or stations above stated.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton Richards, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Vandawarker:

Resolved, that the construction, reconstruction and rebuilding of the sidewalks hereafter mentioned is deemed and declared to be a necessary public improvement.

Therefore, Resolved, and it is hereby ordered that a stone sidewalk be constructed and rebuilt, extending from the curbstone to property line on and according to the grade this day fixed on and along the south side of East Huron st. from the west line of Fourth avenue, westerly, to the east line of the Sullivan property, and in front of the property of Nowlin Bros., William H. McIntyre, Mary A. Devaney, Andrew J. Sawyer, G. Frank Allmendinger, Elizabeth C. Allmendinger, Ann Wilson, Alex. Ratti, J. J. Goodyear and Mrs. Eliza M. Lewis.

By Ald. Brown:

That the above resolution be amended to include the east side of South Main st., according to the grade pre-

viously established in front of the following property: J. J. Goodyear, Mrs. Phillip Stinson, Augusta Darling, Noah W. Cheever, Mrs. Richmond, and Goodspeed, and the estate of Mr. Grove.

The resolution as amended was adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton Richards, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Brown:

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered, that the Abbott voting machines, lately purchased, be and are hereby required to be used at and in all of the wards and voting precincts of the city of Ann Arbor at the general election to be held therein on the 6th day of November, 1900, and at all other elections, general or special, to be held in the city of Ann Arbor, until otherwise ordered by the Common Council.

Section 3809, Compiled Laws of 1897.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Brown:

That the Abbott Voting Machine Co. be requested to hold schools of instruction for the voters on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday previous to the day of election:

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

On motion of Mr. Hamilton the chair appointed the following instructors to be at the schools of instruction in the several wards:

First ward—John R. Miner.

Second ward—Eugene Oesterlin.

Third ward—John Naylor.

Fourth ward—Frank Vandawarker.

Fifth ward—L. D. Grose.

Sixth ward—Royal A. Jenney.

Seventh ward—C. H. Cady.

By Ald. Brown:

Resolved, That the general election to be held on the 6th day of November next be, and the same is hereby ordered and appointed to be held in the several wards and voting precincts in the city of Ann Arbor at the following places, viz.:

First ward—At the German school building on E. Washington st.

Second ward—At Pratt store on S. Main st.

Third ward—At basement of court house.

Fourth ward—At Firemen's Hall.

Fifth ward—At Engine House.

Sixth ward—At Engine House.

Seventh ward—at Weinburg's shop.

Resolved, further, That the Board of Registration in each of the several wards of the city are appointed to be held at the following named places, namely:

First ward—At German school building on E. Washington st.

Second ward—At Pratt store on S. Main st.

Third ward—Basement of the Court House.

Fourth ward—Firemen's Hall.

Fifth ward—Engine House.

Sixth ward—Engine House.

Seventh ward—Weinburg's shop.

Resolved, further, That the City Clerk do give notice of the said election and of the meeting of the several Boards of Registration pursuant to law.

By Ald. Coon:

That the instruction ballot used in the machines for voting be not the genuine legal ballot.—Carried.

By Ald. Brown:

That the Board of Public Works be instructed to look after the grading on Fuller st. and the different approaches thereto.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Schlenker, Kearns, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer, Pres. Seabolt—12.

Nays—None.

On motion the Council adjourned.

JAS. E. HARKINS, Clerk.