

Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—None.

Ald. Goodyear was named to take the place of Ald. Coon on special committee to investigate matter of con-

structing gutters and storm sewers. There being no further business the Council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER,
Clerk.

Council Chamber,
Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.
Regular Session.

Meeting called to order by President Gilmore.

Present—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Absent—Ald. Kurtz, Sweet and St. James—3.

Minutes of previous meetings approved.

Communications from Mayor.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.
Honorable Common Council.

Gentlemen:—I make the following appointments and respectfully request that you approve them:

For the ensuing year—

Geo. W. Sample, city treasurer.

Frank A. Stivers, city attorney.

For three years—

Henry J. Brown, member of board of health.

For five years—

Royal S. Copeland, member of board of park commissioners.

Wesley E. Howe, member of board public works.

FRANCIS M. HAMILTON,
Mayor.

Moved by Ald. Goodyear that appointments by Mayor be approved. Supported by Ald. Snauble.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—None.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.
Honorable Common Council.

Gentlemen:—I hereby report the appointment, for the present, of Wm. A. Clark patrolman, in place of George B. Isbell, deceased. Other appointments will be made later.

I also appoint as special policemen, to serve without pay from the city,—

At the University of Michigan—

Hamilton Reeve, Reuben Armbruster, George Lutz, N. C. Perkins, Rembert Jones and David White.

At Ferry Field—Charles Hafner, R. N. Thomas, Edward Weinman, Richard Bucholz.

At parks and boulevard—J. W. O'Brien, Geo. W. Weeks, W. J. Randall.

In fifth ward—Harry Johnston.

FRANCIS M. HAMILTON,
Mayor.

Received and on motion of Ald. Schneider, ordered on file.

Communications

From Board of Public Works in form of resolutions, were presented as follows:

“Resolved, that the common council be asked to authorize the Board of Public Works to purchase a street sweeper.”

Moved by Ald. Abbott, supported by Ald. Miller, that \$300 be appropriated for purchase of street sweeper.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—None.

Communication from Board of Public Works in form of resolution, plans, specifications and estimates for paving William street presented as follows:

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.
By Mr. Nichols—

Resolved that the plans, specifications and estimates submitted by the city engineer for paving William street upon the basis of the several materials commonly used for paving in this section be and are hereby approved.

Resolved further, that said plans, specifications and estimates be referred to the common council for approval; further that the council be asked to authorize this board to re-advertise for bids, said bids to be based upon the several kinds of materials men-

tioned in said plans, specifications and estimates.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.

Board of Public Works, Wm. Reinhardt, Pres't.

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit approximate estimate of cost of paving William street with the several kinds of paving material commonly used for street paving. I also submit plans and specifications:

and specifications in engineer's office. Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—None.

The engineer presented the final estimate for construction of Sanitary Sewer No. 16, as follows:

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.

Board of Public Works, Wm. C. Reinhardt, Pres.,

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit final estimate of work done and material furnished by E. L. Schneider in building sewer in Sewer Dist. No. 16 (West Liberty west of Seventh street)

1352 feet 8 in. pipe at 16c... \$216.32
 726 feet 4 in. pipe at 6c 43.56
 2008 feet excavation 6-8ft deep at 40c..... 803.20
 150 feet excavation 8-10 feet deep at 45c..... 67.50
 40 Y branches at 50c..... 20.00
 3 manholes at \$25.00..... 75.00
 1 flush tank at \$40.00..... 40.00

Total cost\$165.58
 Less 5 per cent for one year 63.28

Amount due\$1202.30
 E. W. GROVES,
 City Eng'r.

Distribution of cost—

Total cost\$1265.58
 City pays 36.56

Property pays.....\$1229.02
 E. W. GROVES,,
 City Eng'r.

And Mr. Scott of the Board of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the Board of Public Works recommend to the council payment to Mr. Schneider amount due on Sewer No. 16, according to plans and final estimate as presented by the city engineer.

Adopted by the board.

By Ald. Abbott—

Resolved, that recommendation be concurred in and clerk draw warrant in favor of Mr. Schneider for amount due him.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Quantity of Material.	Cost of brick Pavement	Cost of Bitu- mastic Pavement	Cost of Kre- solone Pavement	Cost of Sheet Asphalt Pavement	Cost of Bitu- minous Ma- cadam Pavement.
5000 cu. yds. Excavation.....	.33 1650.00	.33 1650.00	.33 1650.00	.33 1650.00	.33 1650.00
1600 yds. concrete.....	3.30 5280.00	3.30 5280.00	3.30 5280.00	3.30 5280.00	3.30 5280.00
9272 yards Paving.....	1.00 9272.00	1.48 13722.56	1.95 18080.40	3.12 28831.76	1.25 11590.00
9272 sq. yards Sand cushion.....	.03 278.16	.03 278.16	.03 278.16	.03 278.16	.03 278.16
9272 sq. yards Filler.....	.07 649.04	.07 649.04	.07 649.04	.07 649.04	.07 649.04
4800 lineal feet curb.....	.50 2400.00	.50 2400.00	.50 2400.00	.50 2400.00	.50 2400.00
:50 lineal feet Headers.....	.50 150.00	.50 175.00	.50 175.00	.50 175.00	.50 175.00
30 Inlets.....	8.50 255.00	8.50 255.00	8.50 255.00	8.50 255.00	8.50 255.00
	\$19959.20	\$23482.56	\$28118.56	\$22091.76	\$21350.00

E. W. GROVE, CITY ENGINEER.

By Ald. Gill—

Resolved, that the plans, specifications and estimates for paving William street be accepted and approved.

Resolved, further that the Board of Public Works be and are hereby authorized to advertise for bids on paving William street according to plans

Nays—None.

The engineer presented a bill for Mr. Schneider for laying 1075 feet galvanized pipe on West Liberty and Eighth streets \$107.50, the Board of Public Works adopted the following resolution: By Mr. Nichols—Resolved that the bill of Mr. Schneider for galvanized pipe be referred to the council with recommendation that it be laid.

Ald. Abbott moved recommendation be concurred in. Supported by Ald. Fischer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—None.

Communication from Bishop Foley relative to McDonald property received and ordered on file.

Recommendation from Fire Commissioners.

“Moved and supported that Assistant Chief Charles Edwards be recommended to the council as chief of the fire department and ask for his confirmation by said body.”

Moved by Ald. Markey, supported by Ald. Snauble, that recommendation of fire commissioners be concurred in. Moved as a substitute by Ald. Manwaring, supported by Ald. Goodyear, that the matter be referred to the fire committee.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—None.

Communication from Mich. Telephone Co. received and ordered on file.

(Enter Ald. Kurtz.)

Bids on Printing.

Bids as advertised for on city printing, received as follows:

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.

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

Gentlemen:—In accordance with the resolution adopted by the common council April 16, 1906, we hereby submit the following bid for publishing the proceedings of the common council and printing 60 copies of the same in pamphlet form:

For publishing the proceedings .15 cents per folio.

For printing the same in pamphlet, .25 cents per page, 60 copies of the same to be furnished the city clerk.

As a guarantee of good faith on the part of the Ann Arbor News, said paper pledges itself not to submit a bid for the same work in excess of .28 cents per folio during the next five years, and with the present bid guarantees a circulation of not less than 3,500 copies daily.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

The Ann Arbor News Publishing Co.
G. C. Stimson, Mgr.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.

Hon. Ross Granger, City Clerk,

Dear Sir:—In accordance with the resolution of the city council asking for bids for the city printing for the ensuing year, the Daily Argus and the Daily Times submit the following:

The Times and the Argus will publish the proceedings of the city council, the board of public works and all legal notices required at the rate of twenty-seven cents (\$.27) a folio for each paper, and will print the proceedings in pamphlet form for twenty five cents (\$.25) per page.

Respectfully submitted,

Argus Pub. Company,

D. A. Hammond, Sec.-Treas.

Ann Arbor Times Co.

R. L. Warren, Sec. & Treas.

Moved by Ald. Fischer, supported by Ald. Schneider, that contract be awarded the Ann Arbor News.

Ald. Markey moved that Times and Argus be awarded contract. Ald. Manwaring offered as a substitute that the matter of city printing be referred to a committee of three for investigation said committee to report back to council as soon as possible. Supported by Ald. Abbott.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Kurtz, Miller, Manwaring, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer—7.

Nays—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Schneider, Markey, Sherk, Pres. Gilmore—6.

Committee appointed—Ald. Manwaring, Fischer, Abbott.

Petitions.

Of Aaron Long relative to sidewalk on Miller avenue. Referred to Finance committee and city attorney.

Of Frank Minnis et al relative to old house on Catherine street. Referred to city attorney.

Of F. C. Newcomb:

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

Gentlemen:—Hereby I wish to petition your honorable body to be allowed, under the direction of the city engineer, to grade down to the sidewalk level in front of my lot on Geddes avenue, and to use the earth thus removed for filing on my lot.

Very respectfully yours,
F. C. NEWCOMB.

Moved by Ald. Goodyear, supported by Ald. Blaich, that petition be granted.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor.

Gentlemen: The undersigned, owner of the property on the corner of Oxford road and Geddes avenue, respectfully petitions your honorable body:

1st. That the grading for sidewalk and extension on both west and north sides of said property be done as soon as practicable.

2nd. That the top soil which must be removed for this purpose be put at a convenient place on the adjoining property to be used as top dressing for extension. Replacing soil on extension after grading is to be done by owner of property.

3rd. That, of the row of maple trees along Geddes avenue, four (the first, third, fourth and seventh counting from the west) be lowered to level of sidewalk, under the direction of park commission; the expense (not to exceed \$10.00 for each tree) of lowering said trees to be paid by the owner of the property.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPH L. MARKLEY.

Moved by Ald. Goodyear, supported by Ald. Markey, petition be granted. Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Of Philip Blum et al relative to reinstatement of Max Wittlinger in fire department referred to fire committee.

Of H. W. Douglas et al relative to

Baldwin avenue being cut down and graveled, referred to street committee.

Of Ernest Rehberg et al relative to street light on Broadway, referred to light committee.

Of Wm. H. Mummery et al relative to sanitary sewer on West Washington street referred to sewer committee.

Of Catherine Staeb et al relative to sanitary sewer on Third street, referred to sewer committee.

Of Mary Kearns relative to claim for rebate on taxes, referred to finance committee and city attorney.

Committee Reports.

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

Gentlemen:—Your committee on finance have had the following bills under consideration and would respectfully recommend their approval and that warrants be drawn for same.

E. B. MANWARING,
WM. GOODYEAR,
C. W. GILL,

Committee.

Contingent Fund.

E. K. Herdman, salary.....	\$37.50
John Wessinger, salary.....	37.50
H. B. Dodsley, salary.....	25.00
H. J. Brown, salary	25.00
James L. Otis, collecting garbage	102.08
Charles R. Horton, collecting garbage	41.66
Henry Schwab, collecting garbage	45.83
George W. Sample, salary.....	8.33
M. E. Easterly, salary.....	20.00
Marvin Cavenport, salary.....	6.25
Frank Stivers, salary.....	50.00
E. L. Seyler, 9 days salary...	36.95
S. W. Beakes, from Apr. 9.....	88.05
Ross Granger, salary.....	125.00
Ed Groves, salary.....	100.00
John Wisner, salary.....	83.00
Frank Mason, salary.....	35.00
Mrs. C. A. Green, rent.....	37.50
William H. McIntyre, services	50.00
Homer R. Mallow, services...	1.00
Frank A. Stivers, supplies.....	20.00
John Lawson, recording deeds	6.00
George H. Pond, supplies....	10.00
W. G. Doty, fees.....	1.00
Welch Post G. A. R., appropriation	50.00
L. C. Hammond, services.....	5.60
Julius Loerke, services.....	36.00
Ross Granger, paid express...	.40
Geo. W. Weeks & Son, ½ cord	

blocks	1.50
Barney Mast, freight & cartage	1.00
Robert A. Rayer, supplies.....	1.50
Washtenaw Light & Power Co. supplies	20.93
George Wahr, supplies.....	30.05
E. D. Hiscock, coal.....	1.50
A. E. Mummery supplies.....	1.10
Robison & Co., carriages.....	8.50
Harvey Stoiflet, supplies.....	7.85
Martin Haller, supplies.....	23.75
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	2.10
William Bolgas, hay.....	27.27
Luick Brothers & Co., supplies	5.37
J. T. Skinner, binding books..	19.50
Frederick Schleede, binding books	2.00
James Green, hauling ashes...	1.50
Henne & Stanger, supplies...	21.20
Miller & Curran Co., supplies.	.75
The Athens Press, printing...	13.50
Washtenaw Post, printing.....	1.00
Charles F. Meyers, printing..	22.35
Sid W. Millard, printing.....	62.50
Richmond & Backus Co., print- ing	7.50
Ann Arbor Times Co., printing	59.81
The Argus Pub'g Co., printing	53.85
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	\$1470.03

Fire Fund.

Fred Siple, salary.....	28.80
C. A. Edwards, salary.....	66.00
W. H. McLaren, salary.....	23.83
Eugene Williams, salary.....	60.00
Herman Kirn, salary.....	60.00
Fred Nordman, salary.....	60.00
Charles Andrews, salary.....	60.00
Ralph Edwards, salary.....	60.00
Charles Carroil, salary.....	34.77
Dean Seabolt, salary.....	50.00
William Rettich, salary.....	51.53
Tom O'Brien, salary.....	50.00
George Hoelzle, salary.....	50.00
Fred Joly, salary.....	50.00
Joseph Seabolt, salary.....	50.00
J. Flynn, salary.....	50.00
Rex Burnett, salary.....	50.00
Carl Kuhn, salary.....	50.00
J. Keefe, salary.....	33.33
Jacob Gwinner, salary.....	5.00
William Beranek, salary.....	1.66
Bailey & Edmunds, repairs...	3.60
Washtenaw Light & Power Co.	3.50
Luick Brothers, lumber.....	5.07
B. St. James, supplies.....	6.75
H. Richards, hay.....	32.42
Geo. W. Sweet, supplies.....	8.18
Seybold & Esslinger, repairs..	28.95

Mrs. Ream, washing.....	11.00
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	\$1044.39

Police Fund.

Charles Masten, salary.....	83.33
Harris Ball, salary.....	75.00
David Collins, salary.....	60.00
William Eldert, salary.....	60.00
William Walsh, salary.....	60.00
John O'Mara, salary.....	60.00
William Clark, special police..	10.00
George Isbell, salary.....	60.00
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	15.50
M. C. Lilley Co., supplies.....	16.50
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	\$500.13

Poor Fund.

Fred Siple, salary.....	10.00
The Goodyear Drug Co., sup- plies	11.65
L. O. Cushing, supplies.....	2.00
H. J. Brown, supplies.....	8.80
Enoch Dieterle, ambulance....	2.00
Miss M. Brown, services.....	6.00
Bigalke & Reule, supplies.....	2.00
Dorrow & Rockol, supplies....	2.46
J. Eschelbach, supplies.....	.53
Fischer & Finnell, supplies...	7.83
Gruner & Co., supplies.....	3.00
M. S. Henderson, supplies.....	2.00
Haas & Heibain, supplies.....	2.18
Mrs. Lodholz, supplies.....	7.26
George Miller, supplies.....	3.00
Miller & Pray, supplies.....	5.79
G. B. Ottmer, supplies.....	7.62
C. Rinsey, supplies.....	12.42
Rinsey & Kyer, supplies.....	12.70
M. M. Seabolt, supplies.....	2.23
George Sample, supplies.....	5.00
W. F. Stimson, supplies.....	4.00
John Wahr, supplies	1.50
L. Rohde, supplies.....	5.05
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	\$127.07

Dog Fund.

Lee Busch, burying chicken...	.50
Williams Simmons, burying 1 dog, 3 cats.....	2.00
James Green, burying 5 cats 1 dog.....	3.00
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	\$5.50

Street Lighting Fund.

Washtenaw Light & Power Co.	817.08
Welsbach Street Lighting Co..	137.50
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	\$954.58

Park Fund.

Detroit, Ypsilanti, A. A. & J. Ry	2.74
A. C. Hansch, drayage.....	1.00

W. A. Diotheition, 550 shrubs. 21.50

 \$25.24

Street Fund.

The W. L. McCullough Co.,
 manhole cover..... 4.00
 Ed. Easterly, cleaning flush
 tanks 1.65
 Frank Pope, one load cinders. .50
 William Mason, labor..... 1.85
 William Ryan, labor..... 9.90
 Charles Haase, labor..... 10.55
 Fred Gakle, labor..... 10.55
 W. J. Brown, labor..... 12.29
 August Schmidt, labor..... 15.50
 L. W. Walker, labor..... 17.89
 George Hopkins, labor..... 18.80
 Adolph Christman, labor..... 18.80
 Michael Heary, labor..... 19.54
 E. Beck, labor..... 19.54
 Patrick McCabe, labor..... 19.54
 Edward Barnett, labor..... 19.54
 George Moran, labor..... 21.19
 Henry Keuhn, labor..... 21.19
 Michael Hession, labor..... 22.37
 William Keuhn, labor..... 22.94
 Lou Bucholz, team labor.... 25.28
 Jacob Hauser, team labor.... 30.93
 John Markey, team labor.... 37.55
 Joe Wilker, team labor..... 39.87
 George Weeks, team labor.... 39.87
 Marion Wheelock, team labor. 42.00
 John McHugh, team labor.... 44.55
 S. A. Elsifor, team labor..... 45.50
 William Bury, foreman..... 17.65
 James Mason, skilled labor.... 20.00
 Samuel O'Dett, labor..... 14.00

Sidewalk Fund.

Mast & Weimann, extension. 6.00
 Charles Haase, man labor.... 1.65
 W. J. Brown, man labor..... 1.65
 August Schmidt, man labor... 1.65
 George Hopkins, man labor... 1.65
 William Bury, foreman..... 2.00
 Jacob Hauser, team..... 3.50
 Joe Wilker, team..... 3.50
 George Weeks, team..... 3.50
 Marion Wheelock, team..... 3.50

Bridge, Culvert & Crosswalk Fund.

E. L. Schneider, pipe..... 107.50
 Ann Arbor Water Co., repairs. .85
 Aetna Cement Co., cement... 165.30
 Ann Arbor R. R. Co., freight.. 15.20
 Harry Warren, man labor.... 1.65
 August Schmidt, man labor... 3.30
 Fred Gakle, man labor..... 6.60
 James Mason, man labor.... 6.88

Charles Haase, man labor.... 8.25
 John Phillips, man labor..... 11.55
 Jacob Hauser, team labor..... 3.50

\$330.58

Sewer Dist. No. 16 Fund.

E. L. Schneider, bldg sewer 1202.30

Cemetery Fund.

L. D. Grose, salary..... 29.16

Recapitulation.

Contingent Fund.....\$1470.03
 Fire Fund... 1044.39
 Police Fund..... 500.33
 Poor Fund..... 127.07
 Dog Fund..... 5.50
 Street Lighting Fund..... 954.58
 Street Fund..... 645.33
 Sidewalk Fund..... 28.60
 Bridge, Cul. & Crosswalk Fund 344.58
 Park Fund..... 25.24
 Cemetery Fund..... 29.16
 Sewer Dis. No. 16 Fund..... 1229.02

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

To the Honorable the Common Council.

Gentlemen:—Your committee on finance to whom the matter of uncollected city tax was referred, respectfully recommend that the city attorney be instructed to collect, if possible, the unpaid tax of the Twitchell estate, Eugene Oesterlin (trustee) and Maria A. Kitson. In the matter of demand of Mr. J. V. Sheehan for refund of \$12.80 tax paid on South State property, your committee respectfully recommend that claim be disallowed.

E. B. MANWARING,
 WM. GOODYEAR,
 C. W. GILL,

Committee.

On motion of Ald. Goodyear, supported by Ald. Gill, the report was adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Sewer Committee.

To the Honorable the Common Council.

Gentlemen:—Your committee on

sewers to whom the petition asking for a sanitary sewer on Miller avenue was referred, respectfully recommend that the same be granted and that sewer as asked for, from First to Seventh street, be ordered built.

LEWIS KURTZ,
J. W. MARKEY,
Committee.

Received, accepted and following resolution offered:

By Ald. Schneider—

Resolved, that the construction of lateral sewer hereinafter designated is deemed and declared to be a necessary public improvement and the construction of the same is hereby ordered, that is to say: Along Miller avenue from the main sewer near First street to Seventh street.

Resolved further, that the City Engineer cause all needful surveys, maps, measurements and estimates to be made and report the same to council with all convenient dispatch.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Street Committee.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.

To the Honorable the Common Council.

Gentlemen:—Your committee on streets have had the following matters referred to them by you under careful consideration and respectfully recommend that Miller avenue from Chapin to First street; Fuller street from Detroit to State street; State street from Fuller street to Seerey house; Main street from Catherine street to Depot street; State street from Packard to city limits; Edwin street from State street to Division street; Third street from William street to Jefferson street; Fuller street from Observatory street to School Girls' Glen, (about twenty rods) be graveled. That South Ashley street between Madison and Hill streets be turn-piked. That Fuller be widened west of Thirteenth street. That gutter be cut out on the east side of the road on State street from Fuller street to Seerey house. That the knoll on Broadway in front of the Taylor property be cut down and Broadway bridge be raised according

to the plans to be furnished by the City Engineer. That a twenty-four inch tile be laid across Fuller street at the intersection of Thirteenth street and plank culvert removed. That the matter of inlets at the corner of State and Fuller streets be left with committee for further consideration, and that the Hammond Beef Company matter be referred to the city attorney and that the following crosswalks, together with those already ordered, be constructed as soon as possible in rotation ordered by the council: Across Fourth avenue at the intersection of Lincoln street; across Hill street at foot of Brown street; across Packard street at foot of Arch street; across Packard street at East University avenue; across Packard street at Dewey avenue; across Jones street at the intersection of Pontiac street; on Pontiac street at intersection of Plum and Apple streets; across Dewey avenue at intersection of State street; across Fourth avenue at Philip street; across Fuller street from Brahm's grocery to Henry G. Pipp residence; across Mary street at intersection of Benjamin street; across Apple street at intersection of Pontiac street; across Pear street at intersection of Pontiac street and across Cary street at the foot of Detroit street

We further recommend that a flag-man be placed at the foot of Main street about two hundred feet north of Madison street by Ann Arbor Railroad Company and be requested to take such other steps as is necessary for the protection of life at other crossings in the city.

We also recommend that Detroit street from Ann street to Depot street be sprinkled at least three times a day until ordered to stop by the Board of Public Works.

J. W. MARKEY,
E. L. SCHNEIDER,
GEO. H. FISCHER,
WM. GOODYEAR,
I. L. SHERK,
C. L. MILLER,

Committee.

Moved by Ald. Sherk that report and recommendations of the street committee be accepted and adopted. Supported by Ald. Kurtz.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwar-

ing, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Sidewalk Committee.

To the Honorable the Common Council.

Gentlemen:—Your committee on sidewalks respectfully recommend the construction of the following sidewalks, together with the establishment of the sidewalk grades mentioned, all of which is deemed and declared to be a necessary public improvement.

Cement Walks—

On the north side of Arbor street in front of Samuel Alexander property.

South side of Arbor street in front of Phoebe Howells property and 35 foot on Oakland avenue.

In front of property of Mrs. Caspary on North State street between Kingsley and Catherine streets.

On Main street in front of Dr. Kapp's property.

On Washtenaw avenue in front of Mrs. Olivia B. Hall property, 1129, and in front of 1145 Washtenaw and extending on Geddes avenue as far as this property runs.

Repair cement walk in front of No. 545 East University avenue, on south side of Liberty street in front of 520 and 514, also on north side of Washington street, second house east of Zion church.

Tar walks.

On Mary street in front of Samuel Baylis property, corner Mary and Edwin streets.

On Fourth avenue (west side) in front of St. Clair property.

On north side of Wells street between Martin street and Lincoln avenue.

On Second street in front of Nos. 513, 517, 609, 613, and 623.

On Third street in front of Nos. 549, 541, 537, 531 and 525.

Corner of Third street and Madison street, two vacant lots on east side of Third street.

On Fifth street, Nos. 510, 516 and in front of vacant lot between Nos. 525 and 539.

On Fifth street in front of Nos. 433, 426 and 444.

On Third street in front of No. 221 and two lots south on same side of street.

On Liberty (west) in front of 630.

Gas Company to put in brick across alley east of Henning block on Huron street.

Sidewalk Grades and Extensions.

Establish a grade on north side of Krause street, full length.

Extension on corner of Liberty and State streets, in front of Groves block, be rounded out same as that in front of Reinhardt property. Also same to be constructed in front of Methodist church and one diagonally across from Methodist church.

Grade to be established on east side of Fifth street, between No. 543 and corner of Madison street.

HORATIO J. ABBOTT,
C. W. GILL,
WM. GOODYEAR,
I. L. SHERK,
J. W. MARKEY,
E. L. SCHNEIDER,
C. L. MILLER,

Committee.

By Aid. Sherk—

Resolved, that the report of the sidewalk committee be accepted and adopted.

Resolved further, that the establishment of the grades and the construction of the sidewalks named in said report is deemed and declared to be a necessary public improvement, therefore it is hereby ordered that the aforesaid sidewalks be graded and constructed and that grades be established according to recommendation of sidewalk committee.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Fire Committee.

Anr. Arbor, May 7, 1906.

To the Honorable the Common Council.

Gentlemen:—Your committee appointed April 16, 1906, to refer the recommendations of the Special Committee to the Board of Fire Commissioners, beg leave to report as follows:

On April 23, 1906, your committee met with the Board of Fire Commissioners at Station No. 1 and submitted to said board the following recommendations:

1st. That Mr. Whitlinger be reinstated as a fireman. To this request the answer was there is no vacancy, but when your committee asked the commissioners if there would not be a vacancy soon, Mr. Seabolt said "Well, we might as well be fair boys." And then Mr. Apfel said, "Mr. Whitlinger will never go back on the fire department." Your committee then asked the fire commissioners the question: "Why not?" This brought Mr. Apfel to his feet and, aided by Mr. Seabolt, Mr. Apfel proceeded to give the council, the special committee and the fire committee a severe scoring. He, Mr. Apfel, said it was an outrage, a disgrace and a damned insult to the fire commissioners for the council to make an investigation after the fire commissioners had done their work and done it well.

Your committee does not believe that the work done by the fire commissioners in the Siple-McLaren-Whitlinger altercation was done well, but on the contrary we have good reason to believe it was done for the benefit of the parties interested at the expense of the third one.

The only reason given by the fire commissioners for discharging Mr. Whitlinger and refusing to reinstate him was that he used vile language and for that reason they did not consider him a good man for the department. Your committee then asked the commissioners why they did not discharge the chief of the department for using the same language and striking the first blow in this altercation. This question the fire commissioners did not answer and probably never will, but right here Mr. Apfel gave your committee to understand that the fire commissioners were supreme.

2d. As to raising Mr. Carroll's salary the fire commissioners thought this was a good move and Mr. Apfel said the fire commissioners had thought of doing the same thing, but why they never did your committee is unable to state.

3d. As to the equipment, we find the truck department in bad shape, the truck broken and the back wheels have become so weak that they are unsafe. The ladders are in bad shape, those that are not broken have been weakened by tightening up the bolts and drawing the heads into the wood

so far that they are unsafe. There is not a ladder in the department that would reach the fourth story window of the Cook house or any other four story building in our city and in case of fire and the fire escape and exit being cut off anybody unfortunate enough to be on those floors would be cremated. This your committee think a deplorable state of affairs. The hose wagons are in very good condition. The hose is in good condition.

4th. As to drill the fire commissioners think this a good thing and have instructed Chief Edwards to drill the men as often as possible.

5th. As to giving the men every eleventh day, this the commissioners favored providing it can be done without impairing the service of the department.

Respectfully submitted and signed by the committee.

I. L. SHERK.

On motion of Ald. Goodyear the report was accepted and ordered on file. By Ald. Sherk—

Resolved, that hydrants be and are hereby ordered in the following places:

1 on the corner of Washington street, east of the railroad bridge.

1 on the corner of Huron and First street.

1 on the corner of Washington and Division street.

1 on the corner of State and Edwin streets.

1 on East University avenue in front of the fire department. This main should be put in so that there would be no dead end. It should be connected with mains at both ends so the hydrant can be fed from both ways.

1 hydrant at the corner of Detroit street nad Fifth avenue.

2 hydrants near the furniture works those to be located by the fire commissioners and the water committee.

1 on the corner of Catharine and Division streets.

Resolved, that the Board of Public Works be and is hereby ordered to pave the driveway in front of department No. 4 from the house to the sidewalk; also to build a fence between the department and the sixth ward school to keep the children off th's driveway when the department is called out.

We would further recommend that ladder truck be repaired and the ladders put in shape for service. This we think can be done by cutting down the long ladders and making short ones of them but the short ladders that are unsafe are beyond repair. When this has been done we would recommend that this truck be placed at Station No. 4 and that an aerial truck be purchased for Station No. 1 on Huron street.

Supported by Ald. Abbott.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Fischer—

Resolved, that clerk advertise for bids on steamer and aerial hook and ladder truck. Supported by Ald. Markey.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Schneider, Miller, Markey, Sherk, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—7.

Nays—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Manwaring, Goodyear, Blaich—6.

Moved by Ald. Manwaring that fire commissioners be authorized to purchase a 72-foot ladder. Supported by Ald. Abbott.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—Ald. Markey—1.

Fire Committee Report on Buildings.
To the Honorable the Common Council.

Gentlemen:—Your committee beg leave to report as follows:

That on April 27, 1906, your committee met at Station No. 1 on Huron street, to inspect the building and found the following conditions: the floors are in bad shape downstairs and new ones should be laid; the outer door frames in this part of the building are rotten next to the brick work and let the doors drag, if the doors are closed when the department is called out it requires a man at each door to open them. Those doors should open automatically so as soon as the horses are hitched the men could get on the wagon instead of wasting their time opening doors. We

also found the walls and ceiling in the lower part of this department needs painting. The walls in the reading and sleeping rooms should be painted, also the wall and the ceiling in the hall upstairs and in the main entrance downstairs needs a coat of paint. We also found that the sanitary condition of the bath room is bad, so bad that the department have been forced to put a ventilator in the ceiling of the room and another in the attic to get rid of the foul air. This could be overcome by spending a few dollars for a new closet.

We also found the department has no apparatus for fighting a large fire, the largest nozzle is inch which would not make a black mark in a big fire. This deficiency your committee will recommend to be taken care of at once.

We also learned that on April the 23d, at 4:00 a. m., this department was called to a fire on Miller avenue. When they reached this fire the chief found there was only one nozzle out of the three that was on the hose wagon that would fit the hose. This was the first fire that Chief Edwards had been called upon to respond to after being placed in charge of the department. Both wagons were loaded with this new hose in the Huron street department and only one nozzle that would fit, the rest had to be taken to a machinist and cut down to fit.

These are a few of the conditions existing in our fire department which your committee wish to submit for your consideration.

I. L. SHERK,

C. W. GILL,

Committee.

Received and following resolution offered:

By Ald. Manwaring—

Resolved that the board of fire commissioners be and are hereby ordered to purchase one hundred feet of three inch hose, one two-way automatic Siamese connection with two and one-half inch feeds with a three inch outlet and one two-inch Eastman nozzle, also that \$50 be appropriated to purchase paint for interior of house on Huron street.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott,

Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Water Committee.

Ann Arbor, May 7, 1906.

To the Honorable Common Council.

Gentlemen:—Your committee on water have had the request for the extension of water main on Packard, south from Wells street, under consideration and find two parties that want water for domestic use, but your committee found they did not necessarily need same for fire protection and your committee would respectfully refer the matter to your honorable body without recommendation.

C. W. GILL,

GEO. BLAICH,

E. B. MANWARING,

Committee.

On motion of Ald. Snauble report accepted and ordered on file.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 7, 1906.

To the Honorable Common Council.

Gentlemen:—Your committee on lighting would recommend that the Washtenaw Light & Power Co. be ordered to put in the following arc lights:

On corner of Plum and Pear streets.

On Spring street opposite Mr. Ganzhorn's.

On Fuller street, between railroad bridge and river bridge.

On Dexter avenue in front of Shaffer property.

And that the Welsbach Street Lighting Co. be ordered to put in the following gas lamps:

Greenwood avenue near East University.

Corner of Hiscock and First, north.

Corner Packard and Hill streets.

Corner Hill and Fifth avenue.

Corner Baldwin and Washtenaw.

WM. GOODYEAR,

V. L. SNAUBLE,

J. W. MARKEY,

Committee.

Moved by Ald. Sherk that report of light committee be accepted and adopted. Supported by Ald. Manwaring.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Fischer, that an arc light be placed on State street at intersection of Dewey avenue. Supported

ed by Ald. Kurtz.

Lost as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Kurtz, Miller, Manwaring, Sherk, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer—7.

Nays—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Schneider, Markey, Goodyear, Pres. Gilmore—6.

License Committee.

The license committee reported favorably on the application for city saloon license of Edward C. Zachmann and Edward T. Alber and recommended the approval of same, which was done by following vote:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Ald. Fischer, for the bond committee, presented the following saloon bonds and recommended their approval:

Edward C. Zachmann, principal; Wm. A. Bradley and Xavier Zachmann, sureties.

Erhard T. Alber, principal; Matthias Lutz and P. Fred Reimhold, sureties.

And the liquor bonds of

Edward C. Zachman, principal; Richard Kearns Sr. and Xavier Zachmann, sureties.

Erhard T. Alber, principal; P. Fred Reimhold and Matthias Lutz, sureties.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Officers' Reports.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

For Month Ending April 30 1906.

CITY FUNDS.		
MONEY RECEIVED.		AM'T
Contingent fund—		
Int. on Deposit.....		\$ 197 84
City clerk—From city scales..	4 50	
Peddler's licenses.....	9 00	
Plumber's licenses.....	1 00	
Minnis Rent.....	2 00	
Building permit.....	1 00	
Dray licenses.....	50	
Milk licenses.....	5 00	23 00
City Cemetery Fund		
From city clerk—care lots...	3 00	
Burial permits and burials...	11 00	14 00
Dog License Fund		
From city clerk, dog licenses.		1 25
Delinquent Tax Fund		
From County treasurer.....		598 56
Fire Fund		
From city clerk—sale scraps	5 33	
Trans from B.C. and crosswk	4,000 00	4,005 33
Street Fund		

Trans. from B. C. and crosswk Police Fund	3,000 00
From city marshal, officer's fees, March and April, 1906..	7 60
Total.....	7,847 58
On Hand April 1, 1906.....	10,525 87
Expenditures.....	18,373 45
On Hand May 1, 1906.....	12,312 85
On Hand May 1, 1906.....	6,060 60

DISBURSEMENTS, WARRANTS PAID

	Am't	On Hand
Bridge, Culvert and Cross- walk Fund,	\$7,015 49	\$ 796 90
Contingent Fund.....	1,985 89	213 81
City Cemetery Fund.....	29 16	290 24
Dog License Fund.....	4 50	189 75
State Dog Tax Fund.....		100 00
Delinquent Tax Fund Over- drawn..... 1,339 01		
Fire Department Fund....	1,286 82	263 04
Poor Fund.....	177 82	454 30
Police Fund.....	464 08	214 45
Street Fund.....	390 24	2,283 04
Uncollected City Tax Fund Overdrawn..... 321 36		
Water Fund.....		1,263 74
Storm Sewer Fund.....		60 60
Park Fund.....		84 93
Street Lighting Fund.....	955 00	1,291 93
Sidewalk Fund.....	3 85	240 30
Sidewalk Building Fund		33 94
Total.....	\$12,312 85	\$7,720 97
Overdrawn.....		1,660 37

PAVING FUNDS.

On hand Apr. 1, 1906.....	10,302 82
On hand May 1, 1906.....	10,302 82

DISBURSED, WARRANTS PAID,

Condition of Paving Funds on the 1st day of May 1906.		
	On hand	Over- dr'wn
Tax Acc't Pav. Dis. No. 4...	\$ 1,635 25	
Tax Acc't Pav. Dis. No. 5....	2,586 12	
Tax Acc't Pav. Dis. No. 6....	255 29	
Tax Acc't Pav. Dis. No. 7....	5,188 20	
Tax Acc't Pav. Dis. No. 8....	861 94	
Lab Acc't Pav. Dis. No. 9....		223 98
	10,526 80	223 98

LATERAL SEWER FUNDS.

Moneys Received.

Overdraft Apr. 1, 1906.....	4,731 67	
Overdraft May 1.....	4,731 67	
Condition of Lat. Sewer Funds on the 1st day of May, 1906.		
	On hand	Over- dr'wn
Tax Acc't Lat. S'r No. 9.....		152.43
Tax Acc't Lat. S'r No. 10.....		89.85
Tax Acc't Lat. S'r No. 11.....	256.04	
Tax Acc't Lat. S'r No. 12.....	362.11	
Lab Acc't Lat. S'r No. 12.....	104.15	
Tax Acc't Lat. S'r No. 13.....	327.54	
Lab Acc't Lat. S'r No. 13.....		2,710.30
Lab Acc't Lat. S'r No. 14.....		1,707.84
Lab Acc't Lat. S'r No. 15.....		1,258.86
Lab Acc't Lat. S'r No. 17.....		298.60
Tax Acc't Lat. S'r No. 14.....	333.70	
Tax Acc't Lat. S'r No. 15.....	169.21	
Lab Acc't Lat. S'r No. 17.....	33.46	
Total.....	1,586.21	6,317.88

RECAPITULATION.

City Funds On Hand.....	\$ 6,060 60
Paving Funds On Hand.....	10,302 82
	16,363 42
Sewer Funds overpaid.....	4,731 67
	11,631 75
Certificate Herewith.....	11,388 29
Cash on hand.....	243 46
	11,631 75

Respectfully Submitted,
GEO. W. SAMPLE.
City Treasurer.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 1, 1906.

This is to certify that there was on deposit to the credit of George W. Sample, city treasurer, at the close of business April 30th, 1906, eleven thousand and three hundred eighty-eight and 29-100 dollars (\$11,388.29).

C. J. WALZ, Cashier.

Treasurer's and clerk's reports for April received and ordered on file.

Treasurer's annual report, marshal's annual report, physician's report for March and April, also marshal's report for April were by order laid over to next meeting.

City Attorney's Report.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor.

Gentlemen:—It seems proper at this time to make some report concerning the litigation now pending in which the city is interested.

Nine cases are pending, growing out of claims for alleged damages by reason of the disastrous flood which occurred in the city on the 7th day of July, 1902. These cases are as follows:

Henry Richards vs. the City of Ann Arbor.

John M. Bird and Florence E. Bird vs. the City of Ann Arbor.

Ella L. Schroeder vs. the City of Ann Arbor.

George A. Smith and Ellen A. Smith vs. the City of Ann Arbor.

Adolph P. Kern vs. the City of Ann Arbor.

Lawrence T. Sutter vs. the City of Ann Arbor.

George W. Sweet vs. the City of Ann Arbor.

Thomas J. Keech vs. the City of Ann Arbor.

It is reported that a number of other suits will be brought by various parties for the same alleged cause of action.

All of the above mentioned cases are on the docket for the present term of court, except the case of Thomas J. Keech vs. the city.

Another case which is on the docket at the present term of court is the case of Lorne A. Webb vs the City of Ann Arbor, asking for a permanent injunction restraining the city from enforcing the provision to the Street Ordinance Relative to Signs.

The case of John McNally and Nettie E. McNally vs. the City of Ann Arbor and the Ann Arbor Railroad Company is also on the docket at the present term of court. This is a damage suit wherein the claim is made that the city and the railroad company were jointly negligent in the matter of a change of grade on Traver street.

In the case of Chas. A. Sauer et al vs. the City of Ann Arbor, asking for a permanent injunction restraining the city from enforcing its ordinance relative to the regulation of skating rinks, a temporary injunction has been issued restraining the city from enforcing said ordinance, and the demurrer to the bill has been overruled. It is now open to the city to either appeal to the supreme court, or to file an answer and contest the matter on the merits in the circuit court.

Pursuant to the authority given by the council, proceedings have been commenced to condemn the land lying east of Broadway and between the Michigan Central right of way and the Huron river for purposes of a public common or park. As soon as service of process can be obtained on all the parties interested in this land, the matter can be brought on for hearing in the circuit court. It is probable that the matter can be disposed of during the month of June.

The Ann Arbor Water Company has filed its bill of complaint, asking for an injunction to restrain the city from enforcing the ordinance fixing the rates to be charged by the Water Company. The court has authorized a temporary injunction in this suit.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK A. STIVERS,

City Attorney.

Received and following resolution offered:

By Ald. Fischer—

Resolved, that the city attorney be

authorized to retain E. B. Norris as special counsel to assist in the trial of the case of Henry Richards vs. the city.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manwaring—

Resolved, that the city attorney be authorized to retain Prof. Thomas A. Bogle as special counsel in all litigation between the Ann Arbor Water Company and the city.

Ald. Abbott moved to amend the resolution by adding the name of Mr. Wiigus to assist Mr. Bogle and the city attorney in Water Co. cases. Supported by Ald. Goodyear and

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Original resolution as amended adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

Resolutions.

By Ald. Schneider—

Resolved that the storm sewer on West Jefferson street be extended westerly to accommodate the surface water from the several streets west of Second street.

Referred to street committee.

By Ald. Abbott—

Resolved, that a special committee be appointed by the chair to investigate relative to the rate of speed of electric cars on Packard street. Also as to sprinkling between the tracks or other methods of allaying the dust caused by the cars on said street.

Adopted and the following committee appointed—Ald. Abbott, Fischer and Gill.

By Ald. Fischer—

Resolved, that the Michigan State Telephone Co. are hereby ordered to change the telephone from the residence of E. L. Seyler to the residence of S. W. Beakes. Adopted.

By Ald. Sherk—

Resolved, that a sidewalk be built

on Maiden Lane in front of No. 921 and that a crosswalk be built at the west end of this walk.

Referred to sidewalk committee.
By Ald. Sherk—

Resolved, that Murray S. White be appointed by this council as fence viewer for the Fifth ward.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snauble, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Sherk—

Resolved, that the city attorney and

city engineer be requested by this council to ascertain whether that part of Mill street lying back of the Shadford property belongs to the city or to the Shadford estate and report to the council at our next meeting.

Adopted.

Moved by Ald. Manwaring, that city marshal look after wires strung on lawn extension and lawns within eighteen inches of sidewalk and order same down. Supported and adopted.

On motion council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER,

Clerk.