

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor, Mich.,  
May 20, 1907.

Regular Session.

Meeting called to order by Pres. Walz.

Present: Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—14.

Absent: Ald. Hochrein, 1.

Moved by Ald. Abbott that the minutes be corrected to read on pamphlet page 295 following city attorney's report on Hammond Beef Co.'s position on North Fifth avenue.

"That the Hammond Beef Co. be directed by the City Clerk to vacate the north end of North Fifth avenue now occupied by their storage house or that they make such suitable arrangements with the city clerk to pay rent for such occupancy such arrangement to be approved by the common council before finally accepted.

Adopted.

Enter Ald. Hochrein.

**Communications from Mayor**

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—I regret to return you herewith without my approval an ordinance relative to a sanitary sewer on Broadway and Wall streets passed by your honorable body May 6th, 1907.

The city in violation of charter provisions is confronted with an overdraft in the neighborhood of \$23,000 and until this overdraft is made up, the city has no means from which to contribute to the expense of building a lateral sanitary sewer on Broadway and Wall streets, however desirable such a work might be. I am aware of no fund from which the \$2900 which is the real purpose of the ordinance to have the city pay towards the sewer, can now be drawn, without still further increasing this overdraft.

Neither do I see that it is of primary importance that the proposed sewer should be constructed this year, when

our city funds are in such bad shape, more especially as I realize that the part of the cost of the proposed sewer which the people living on Broadway and Wall streets, would be called upon to pay, should the sewer be built, would be about ten times the tax which the entire Fifth ward now pays for city purposes. It seems to me that it would be better to wait until the city street car lines are extended over into the Fifth ward and there consequently comes a demand for building sites in this section, when it would be easier for both the citizens on Broadway and Wall streets and the city at large to meet the heavy expense of building the proposed sanitary sewer. The average street frontage of the residences on Broadway is greater than in other parts of the city now sewered, so that the part of the cost which it is contemplated the lot owners should pay would bear down upon them with greater severity, even after the city has paid a portion, than it has in other portions of the city now sewered. I should be glad to see the values of property in the Fifth ward enhanced as it would be by the extension of the street car lines to that beautiful part of our city so that the expense of sewerage could be borne with less hardship.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES C. HENDERSON,  
Mayor.

Petition of James R. Murray et al remonstrating against construction of proposed Broadway and Wall street sewer read and ordered on file.

Moved by Ald. Fischer That the ordinance pass the Mayor's veto notwithstanding.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott.—12.

Nays—Ald. Maulbetsch, Markey and Pres. Walz—3.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 20, 1907  
To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—In accordance with the charter of the city of Ann Arbor I hereby nominate city officers. For patrolmen to serve until their successors are appointed: David Collins in place of Robert Whitney, Zenus Sweet in place of Harris Ball, Matthew Max in place of William Eldert, Thomas Blackburn in place of William Clark, Thomas O'Brien and George Weeks Jr. as new patrolmen.

J. C. HENDERSON,

Mayor.

Received and ordered on file.

#### Petitions

Of Peter Come, relative to water main on West Ann street. Received and referred to Water committee.

Of E. L. Seyler et al relative to water main on East Washington street. Received and referred to Water committee. To Hon. Mayor and Common Council:

The Park Commission begs leave to report that they have reached an agreement with Mrs. Jessie Millen with reference to her lot near the Huron River in Riverside Park.

Mrs. Millen has agreed to sell the lot to the city for \$300.

As this is only \$28.50 more than the city paid for adjacent property, we would recommend that this offer be accepted and that we be authorized to purchase the property, and further that the condemnation suit be dismissed.

D. F. ALLMENDINGER,

President of Board.

Received and the following resolution offered:

By Ald. Sherk:

Resolved, That the recommendation of the Park Commission be concurred in and that the city clerk be authorized to issue a warrant for \$300. payable to Mrs. Jessie Millen as soon as the city attorney approves the deed.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Fischer, Goodyear, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

Deeds of Ranney C. Scott, Edna K. Scott and Mary A. Day to city of land in College Hill addition, New Jersey avenue received and ordered recorded and accepted on motion of Ald. Fischer. as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

Matter of opening Brooks street referred to City Attorney.

Bids on printing charter received as follows: Ann Arbor Press, charter and ordinances 80 cents per page, index to charter \$1.14 per page, index to ordinances \$1.07 per page, crash cover, no additional charge.

Sid W. Millard: charter and ordinance \$1.05 per page, index to charter \$1.39 per page, index to ordinances \$1.32 per page.

Moved by Ald. Abbott that contract for printing charter and ordinances be let to the Ann Arbor Press.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

Moved by Ald. Manwaring that the bids on city printing be read and referred to the Finance Committee. Adopted.

Ann Arbor Times Co., 21c per folio; pamphlets, 25c per page.

The Argus Publishing Co., 18c per folio; pamphlets 24c per page.

News Publishing Co., 15c per folio, pamphlets 25c per page.

**Finance Committee**

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 20, 1907

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on finance have had the following bills under consideration and recommend their allowance and warrants drawn for the following amounts.

Wm. Goodyear,  
Horatio J. Abbott,  
V. L. Snauble,  
Finance Committee

**Fire Fund**

C. A. Edwards, salary . . . . .	\$ 37.50
Eugene Williams, salary . . . . .	33.00
Chas. Andrews, salary . . . . .	32.50
Herman Kirn, salary . . . . .	30.00
Fred Nordman, salary . . . . .	30.00
Ralph Edwards, salary . . . . .	30.00
Wm. Rettich, salary . . . . .	30.00
Dean Seabolt, salary . . . . .	30.00
Tom O'Brien, salary . . . . .	27.50
Fred Jolly, salary . . . . .	27.50
Rex Burnett, salary . . . . .	27.50
Carl Kuhn, salary . . . . .	27.50
John Flynn, salary . . . . .	27.50
Wm. Bernek, salary . . . . .	27.50
John Keefe, salary . . . . .	27.50
Jacob Gwinner, salary . . . . .	27.50
Fred Stein, salary . . . . .	30.00
Geo. Hoelzle, salary . . . . .	27.50
Chas. Carroll, salary . . . . .	20.00
Frank Kapp, salary . . . . .	20.00
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	\$ 570.50

**Police Fund**

Theodore Apfel, salary . . . . .	\$ 41.66
Geo. W. Weeks' Jr., salary . . . . .	17.00
Harris Ball, salary . . . . .	37.50
John O'Mara, salary . . . . .	30.00
Wm. Eldert, salary . . . . .	30.00
Wm. Clark, salary . . . . .	30.00
Wm. Walsh, salary . . . . .	30.00
Robert Whitney, salary . . . . .	30.00
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	\$ 246.16

**Park Fund**

J. W. O'Brien, labor . . . . .	\$ 9.99
T. R. Cassidy, labor . . . . .	7.43
W. J. Randall, labor . . . . .	14.60
Dewitt Hathaway, labor . . . . .	6.85
Burt Goodrich, labor . . . . .	10.38
Ed. Easterly, labor . . . . .	5.20
N. Woodmansee, team . . . . .	3.12
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	\$ 57.57

**Street Fund**

James Mason, labor . . . . .	\$ 2.25
Will Bury, labor . . . . .	4.11
Fred Ullrich, labor . . . . .	11.78
Will Kuehn, labor . . . . .	16.20
August Schmidt, labor . . . . .	18.80
L. W. Walker, labor . . . . .	3.70
Adolph Finkbeiner, labor . . . . .	3.60
John Holka, labor . . . . .	21.60
John Weinman, labor . . . . .	5.50
Geo. Hopkins, labor . . . . .	7.10
Matthew Beck, labor . . . . .	9.00
A. Saunders, labor . . . . .	3.70
Michael Herey, labor . . . . .	5.40
Geo. Collins, team . . . . .	36.00
Chas. Neithammer, team . . . . .	36.00
Will Hudson, team . . . . .	48.00
Geo. Weeks Sr., team . . . . .	16.45
Joe Wilker, team . . . . .	28.00
Geo. Lampher, team . . . . .	8.00
N. Woodmansee, team . . . . .	12.00
John McHugh, team . . . . .	11.79
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	\$ 308.98

**Sidewalk Fund**

James Mason, labor . . . . .	\$ 10.00
Will Bury, labor . . . . .	14.45
Fred Ullrich, labor . . . . .	2.89
Will Kuehn, labor . . . . .	1.80
L. W. Walker, labor . . . . .	13.20
Adolph Finkbeiner, labor . . . . .	11.80
Michael Hession, labor . . . . .	10.80
John Weinman, labor . . . . .	1.80
Geo. Hopkins, labor . . . . .	1.80
Matthew Beck, labor . . . . .	1.80
A. Saunders, labor . . . . .	13.20
Michael Herey, labor . . . . .	12.40
Joe Wilker, team . . . . .	7.56
N. Woodmansee, team . . . . .	27.56

John McHugh, team	28.00
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	\$ 159.06
<b>Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund</b>	
James Mason, labor	\$ 15.75
Sam O'Dett, labor	18.67
Fred Ullrich, labor	6.00
Michael Hession, labor	9.00
Matthew Beck, labor	3.70
John Phillips, labor	16.80
Joe Wilker, team	1.78
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	\$ 71.70

**Recapitulation**

Fire Fund	\$ 570.50
Police Fund	246.16
Park Fund	57.57
Street Fund	308.98
Sidewalk Fund	159.06
Bride, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund	71.70
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	\$ 1,413.97

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz,—15.

Nays—none.

**Budget for 1907 and 1908**

By Ald. Goodyear:

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered, that the sum of fifty-seven thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for and on account of the several funds of the city of Ann Arbor, for the fiscal year 1907 and 1908, and that the same be and is hereby appropriated and distributed to the several regular funds as follows:

Contingent fund	\$ 6,000.00
Cemetery fund	150.00
Fire fund	18,000.00
Poor fund	2,000.00
Police fund	6,000.00
Street fund	3,000.00
Water fund	7,500.00
Park fund	2,500.00

Street lighting fund	11,000.00
Sidewalk fund	850.00
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Total . . . . . \$ 57,000.00

Resolved, further, that the sum of one hundred forty dollars and seventy-nine cents (\$140.79) be appropriated for the uncollected city tax fund.

Resolved, further, that the sum of two thousand two hundred dollars (\$2,200.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated by virtue of the act of the legislature authorizing the same for the purpose of paying the interest and an installment of principal of the Main Sewer bonds.

Resolved, further, that the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1,200.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated by virtue of the act of the legislature authorizing the same for the purpose of paying the interest of the City Hall bonds.

Resolved, further, that the sum of four thousand nine hundred and forty-three dollars (\$4,943.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated by virtue of an act of the legislature authorizing the same, and distributed among the paving funds of the city of Ann Arbor as follows:

Paving District No. 4	\$ 1500.00
Paving District No. 5	1500.00
Paving District No. 6	200.00
Paving District No. 7	1235.00
Paving District No. 8	180.00
Paving District No. 9	328.00
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Total . . . . . \$ 4943.00

Resolved, further, and it appearing to this common council that to enable the city of Ann Arbor during the fiscal year aforesaid to keep, maintain in good order and repair the several bridges, culverts, sidewalks and corsswalks within the corporate limits of said city, a sum of money in excess of the per centum authorized to be raised under the authority of the city charter, is and

will be necessary, therefore,

Resolved, that by virtue of the authority granted to the common council by the general laws of the state, the sum of twenty thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of maintaining in good order and repair the several bridges, culverts sidewalks and crosswalks within the corporate limits of the city of Ann Arbor.

Resolved, further, and it is hereby ordered that the several sums of money aforesaid be and the same are hereby levied and assessed upon on and against the taxable property of the city of Ann Arbor, Michigan, and ordered to be spread on the tax rolls of the city for the year 1907 and 1908, A. D. for the said several purposes aforesaid and it is ordered that the several sums be assessed, levied and collected and paid to the City Treasurer for the several funds aforesaid.

Resolved, further, that the City Clerk do certify this resolution and order of appropriation and assessment to the City Assessor, and that when so certified, the City Assessor do spread the said several sums of money aforesaid on and upon the tax roll of the city of Ann Arbor, Michigan, for the year 1907 and assess the same against the taxable property of the city of Ann Arbor, as the same has been set down in the tax rolls, or as the same may be fixed or determined by the board of review of the said city, against the respective owners and occupants of the said taxable property pursuant to law.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

#### Ordinance Committee

Ald. Fischer presented An Ordinance to amend "An Ordinance Relative to

Licenses," which was given its first reading by title and passed to and given its second reading by the following vote:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

Moved by Ald. Fischer that the ordinance on Licenses be referred to the ordinance committee.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

#### Sewer Committee

To the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on Sewers have had the petition of W. J. Mummery et al. referred to them, and deeming the construction of a sanitary sewer in the following location a necessary public improvement, would recommend to your honorable body, that a Sanitary Sewer be constructed on Volland street, starting at 14th street, down Volland to West line Observatory street, starting from the South line of Fred Jolly property on Observatory street, north to Belser street; starting at the intersection of East Huron street south on Observatory street to Belser street; West on Belser street to 14th street, connecting with 14th street sewer.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. Stark,

J. W. Markey,

J. F. Maulbetsch,

E. L. Schneider,

Geo. H. Fischer,

Geo. Bliach,

Sewer Committee.

By Ald. Maulbetsch:

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: On Volland street starting at 14th street, down Volland street to West line of Observatory street; starting from the south line of Fred Jolly property on Observatory street, north to Belser street; starting at the intersection of East Huron street, south on Observatory street to Belser street; west on Belser street to 14th street, connecting with 14th street sewer.

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

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schnieder, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—None.

#### Side-Walk Committee

To the Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your committee on side walks respectfully recommend the construction and repair of the following side walks; all of which is deemed and declared to be a necessary public improvement.

#### Tar Walks to Be Constructed

North side Madison street, from Fourth to Fifth avenues: Henry Lelling, J. M. Kirn, Henry Otto.

West side South First street in front of property Ann Arbor Organ Co.

North side West Washington street, from R. R. tracks to Third street, Magdalena Rhode and H. J. Schlemmer and D. R. Shifferd.

North side of Krause street, from Third street to Clyde Kerr's: George J. Haller, W. J. Rainey and Clyde Kerr.

North side of West Liberty from 1022

to 1158: Ch. Stein et al. Matthew Lutz, John Haarer, George Schaible, Christian Seeger, Aaron Wiedman and H. J. Mann, trustee.

West side of South Seventh from Liberty street to Marquardt's: J. F. Neithammer, John Mayer, Emil Hackbarth, Herman Marquardt.

West side of South Seventh street, in front of property of Herman Markham and Gustav Walters.

East side of Fifth street, in front of property of Michael Duffy estate.

East side of Fifth street in front of property of Fred Schneeberger et al.

South side of Mosely street from Main street to 325 Mosely: J. W. Rogers, D. Laubengayer, Jacob A. Zebbs, Fredericka Bernhardt, John and Esther Conde John and Christian Koch, William Koch Christian Wiegand, John Walz and William C. Wiegand.

South side of Miller avenue in front of property of William Aiken.

West side of North Fourth avenue: Andrew Peterson and Wm. Guthrie estate.

603 and 605 North Fourth avenue: Kate Hanlin and Michael Ryan.

209 and 213 Beakes street: Clement W Gill.

North side of West Huron street in front of property of Magdalena Rhode,

South side of Summit street, corner of Main: Emma Ricketts. (new grade.)

South side of Catherine street in front of property of Margaret Cullinane.

West side of North Fifth avenue in front of property of Second Baptist church.

South side of Maiden Lane from Broadway to H. Kempfert's east line: John M. Wagner, (904) Geo. Spathelf (906) H. Kempfert.

On front of 1034 and 1036 Broadway; John M. Wagner.

Southeast of Pontiac street from 1128 to 1226: (1128) Wm. Acton, (1202) John J. Gutekunst and (1226) Abram Steffie.

South side of Geddes avenue from Walnut to Linden street: Frederick Schwan, Samuel W. Burchfield and H. T. Morton.

East side of Walnut street corner of Geddes avenue, Frederick Schwan.

South side of Belser street Fourteenth street to east end Mrs. Hall's property: Joseph H. Wickliffe, F. K. Cleaver, A. W. and Mary Fellows and Mrs. O. B. Hall.

East side of South Division street corner of Madison, Cora H. Wallace.

City agrees to build a 5 foot walk in front of Marshall Moore's on South Division street.

West side of Forest avenue in front of property of John P. Judson.

West side of Forest avenue, from 1117 to 1127, John J. Quincy.

Northeast side of Prospect street, in front of 9, 11 and 10 Miller's addition Horation J. Abbott, W. Brooks, M. M. Seabolt, Peoples National Bank of Jackson, Earl B. Stewart, Fred G. Schleicher and Emily C. Weaver.

North side of Wells street from Forest to Lincoln avenue; Robt. R. Martin, William Goodyear, D., J. & C. Ry.

North side of Israel avenue, from Lincoln to Olivia avenue: Mrs. Ella M. Hall and Mrs. Josephine D. Peterson.

East side of Olivia avenue in front of property of Mrs. Josephine D. Peterson.

West side of Forest avenue, in front of lot 7 Miller's add., Frederick G. Schleicher.

South side of Prospect street in front of lots 26, 27, 28 Miller add.: Harrison M. Randall and Ellen L. Randall.

South side of East Madison street from Main street to railroad right of way:

West side of Elm street between Geddes avenue and Wilnot street.

North side of William between Ann Arbor railroad and 1st street and south side William street between railroad and 1st street.

### Cement Walks to be Constructed

South side of East Washington street in front of 604, Lillian M. Follett and also in front of T. D. Kearney's lot.

315 South Fifth avenue, East side, Julia and Marie Rominger.

321 South Fourth avenue, Mrs. Dora Hanson.

West side of South State street in front of Wesleyan Guild property.

West side of Maynard street in front of 234, Frederick Schwan property.

North side of William street, corner of Maynard, John H. Lambert.

South side of East Ann street, along property of John F. Lawrence.

City to build walk on alley adjoining.

South side of Monroe street in front of May W. Murnan's property, also 620 Monroe street, Fred Sawyer.

South side of Madison street in front of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, B. 6, S. R. 8 E., Miss Pamela A. Noble.

724 East University avenue, West side, Clarence L. Meader.

East side East University avenue, property of Delta Building Co.

### Walks to Be Repaired

114 East Huron street, south side, G. F. & E. C. Allmendinger.

118 East Huron street, south side, Mrs. Mary Devaney.

West side of State and North side of Madison streets, Alpha Delta Phi property.

512 South State street, West side Zeta Psi property.

West side of South State in front of Newberry Hall property.

502 East Washington south side, Roswell Waterman estate.

306 East Washington street, South side, Geo. A. Peavey.

609 East Washington street, North side, Louise Fasquelle Hennequin.

513 East Washington street, North side, Charles M. Belding.

South Fifth avenue, West side, Marion Goodale.

- 308 Maynard, West side, Fred Marken.  
503 East Jefferson, north side, Chas. E. Mallory.  
North side of Jefferson, stone East side of A. M. Clark's vacant lot.  
508 to 512 South Division street, West side; W. M. Clark, Albert Fiegel, Caroline Stoll, Jacob Hauser.  
543 South Division, East side, Geo. Phelps.  
545 South Division, East side, L. P. Jocelyn.  
East side of South Division and North side of East Madison street in front and side of Robert Campbell's property.  
501 West Liberty street, Charles Steeb estate.  
509 West Liberty street, Christian Jenter.  
611 West Liberty street, Mrs. M. Greve.  
618 West Liberty street, Fred Kirn.  
622 West Liberty street, Fred Kirn.  
East side of West Seventh street in front of Fred Hoffman's property.  
543 South Seventh street, Mrs. Christian Hoerz.  
West side of Sixth street, corner Madison, in front of property of Wm. Arnold.  
East side of Third street, corner of Jefferson, G. Walter.  
606 Brooks street, west side, Catherine Cramer.  
612 Brooks street, West side, Jessie L. Smith.  
Lots 10 and 12 Spring Hill add., West side Brooks street, Frank Ratti, et al.  
East side of Main street, corner Summit, Emma Ricketts.  
105 Summit street, North side, Clarence H. Gainsley.  
116 Summit street, South side, Andrew Peterson.  
120 Summit street, South side, Willard S. Banfield.  
126 Summit street, South side, Andrew Peterson.  
611 North Fourth avenue, West side, Mary E. Huntley.  
219 Beakes street, N. W. side, Elizabeth Lantz.  
408 North Main street, East side, Fred Kern.  
401 North Main street, West side, Charles Kayser.  
402 North Main street, East side, William Kearns estate.  
405 North Main street, West side, Patrick McDonald.  
407 North Main street, West side, Albert Stonehouse.  
315 North Main street, West side, L. Gruner estate.  
514 North Fifth avenue, East side, Joseph Martin.  
East side of Thayer, corner Huron, Mrs. Ellen Burgh.  
410 North Thayer, Clyde B. Elliott.  
412 North Thayer, estate of Alice Condon.  
406 North State street, Anna Herrick, also on North side of Lawrence street, widen and raise on North end on Lawrence street.  
414 Lawrence street, Miss C. E. Corseus.  
921 East Huron street, Mrs. Bridget Foley.  
917 East Huron street, William Cleaver.  
915 East Huron street, William Cleaver.  
South side of Beakes street, in front of property of Second Baptist church.  
East side of South State street, in front of property of Mrs. M. B. Sumner.  
702 Forest avenue, West side, Harriet N. Cole.  
West side of Forest avenue in front of property of William J. Mummery.  
501 Forest avenue. West side, Thomas D. Kearney.  
502 Forest avenue, West side, Mrs. Mary V. Torrans.  
814 East Huron street, South side, Karl Edwin Harriman.



South side of East Madison street between Fourth and Fifth avenue, Ann Arbor railroad.

316 East Madison street, South side, Mrs. Gabriella Sutherland.

West side of East University avenue, in front of property of Walter Dennison. Point, Tappan, Oakland, and East University avenue, Minnie M. Root.

East side of East University avenue, Mrs. Catherine Anderson.

1014 Church street.

South side of Forest avenue, from 110 to 1124; Wm. W. Carpenter, Lewis Kurtz, et al, Elizabeth C. Bodner, William H. Murray, Frank W. Garlinghouse Albert Marsh.

1220 Prospect street, South side, Mary L. Hinsdale.

1124 Prospect street, Ida E. and Arthur Jones.

Horatio J. Abbott,  
Wm. Goodyear,  
I. L. Sherk,  
B. St. James,  
C. J. Sweet,  
E. L. Schneider,  
A. L. Snauble.

Recommendation received, accepted and following resolution offered:

By Ald. Abbott:

Resolved, That the construction and repair of the side-walks mentioned in the report and recommendation of the side-walk committee, is deemed and declared to be a necessary public improvement; therefore, be it resolved, that said report and recommendation is hereby concurred in and the construction and repair of said side-walks ordered.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Snauble:

Resolved, That Mr. J. H. Nichelos, owner of property on East side of Maynard street be instructed to pave private alley crossing at south line of his property with brick. Adopted.

**Report of Water Committee**

Your committee on water to whom was referred the petition of property owners on Hill and Oswego streets beg leave to report that we have had such petitions under consideration and recommend that a six inch water main be laid on Oswego street from Geddes avenue to Hill street and a sufficient distance on Hill street to make 700 feet and that the Hydrant be placed on the corner of Hill and Oswego streets.

E. B. Manwaring,  
Geo. Blaich,  
W. H. Stark,  
Committee

Moved by Ald. Abbott that the report and recommendation of the Water committee be accepted and concurred in.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

**Bond Committee**

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on bonds have had the following bonds under consideration and would respectfully recommend their approval.

**Plumber's Bonds**

Schumacher & Backhaus, principals; Phil. Schumacher, Jas. E. Harkins, sureties.

Kenney & Co. principals; Richard Kearns, Jr., Alfred J. Paul, sureties.

Hutzel & Co. principals; John A. Seyfried, surety.

Wm. R. Schneider, principal; John Volz, Jno. C. Fischer, sureties.

C. Ludwig Schneider, principal; F. W.

Bigalke, J. G. Fred Schmid, sureties.  
Sam C. Andres, principal; W. H. L. Rohde, W. J. Aprill, sureties.

Alfred H. Allmendinger, principal;  
Horatio J. Abbott, surety.

B. St. James,

I. L. Sherk,

Committee

Moved by Ald. Markey recommendation of Bond Committee be concurred in and bonds as presented be accepted. Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

#### Special Committee

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your committee appointed to investigate the matter of High Tension wires beg leave to make the following report: viz:

We find that the new wire being place on West Huron street by the D., J. & C. Railway is a feed wire to the trolley lines. Said wire is carrying a voltage of from 550 to 650 and as their franchise grants them permission to construct feed wires on such streets as their lines are built, the committee believes that the council has no jurisdiction in the matter.

In regards to the other wires which we believe are at present unsafe, we have been informed by Mr. Millspaugh that these lines are going to be generally overhauled and changed with the promise that when this is done they will secure such places as the committee thought dangerous and we ask that action be deferred for the present.

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. Schneider,

Horatio J. Abbott,

A. L. Snauble,

L. D. Wines,

Committee

Moved by Ald. Fischer that the report be accepted and adopted.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz—15.

Nays—none.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on flagmen for grade crossings on the Ann Arbor railroad passing through the city reports that it is an absolute necessity to have flagmen on the following streets where said railroad crosses, viz:

First street, William street, Jefferson street, Main street, Madison street.

Your committee request that immediate action be taken to have flagmen placed at the above crossings.

Respectfully,

E. L. Schneider,

Horatio J. Abbott,

Verner L. Snauble,

Moved by Ald. Schneider that the matter be referred to the City Attorney and action taken at once. Adopted.

To the Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your committee to whom the matter of Pound-master was referred, respectfully recommend that the position be given to Mr. Harris Ball. We further recommend that said Harris Ball be authorized to collect dog license and retain forty per cent of all collections, turning over balance to City Clerk each week, together with report of any dogs impounded.

J. W. Markey,

Committee

Moved by Ald. Schneider recommendation be concurred in.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—None.

**OFFICERS' REPORTS**

**Treasurer's Report**

From May 1, 1907 to May 6, 1907.

Condition of City funds on the sixth day of May, 1907.

Contingent fund—

Liquor Tax County Treas	\$ 6682.50
Ross Granger, clk per licenses	8.00
Ross Granger, clk, per plumb ers lincses	3.00

Total	\$ 6693.50
Bal. on hand May 1, 1907	19593.49

Bal on hand May 6, 1907	\$26286.99
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Disbursed, Warrants Paid

	On hand
Bridge, Culvert & Crosswalk	\$ 627.11
war. outst'ndng	\$323.34
Contingent fund	4993.48
war. outsn'dng	\$6454.44
City Cemetery fund	344.96
Tar. outstndng	\$29.16
Dog license fund	228.00
war. outstndng	\$7.25
State Dog Tax fund	100.00
Delinquent tax fund	
overdr'n	\$2,178.85
Fire Department fund	
overdr'n	\$4,475.18, war- rants outstanding, 1350.78
Poor fund	42.85
war. outstndng	\$328.32
Police fund	315.70
war. outstndng	\$474.02
Ltreet fund	1.01
war. outstndng	\$648.71
Uncollected City Tax fund	
overdr'n	\$140.79
Water fund	
overdr'n	\$1911.47
Storm sewer fund	60
Park fund	19.07
war. outstn'g	\$41.27
Street Lighting fund	1348.97
war. outst'ndg	\$1017.07.
Sidewalk fund	
overdr'n	\$364.88, warrants

outstanding \$17.80.

Sidewalk Building fund	259.73
City Hall tax fund	376.68
City Hall labor fund	26700.00

Total	\$ 35358.16
Total overdrawn	\$ 9071.17
Total warrants outstand- ing	\$ 10691.96

Condition of Paving Funds

Total on hand May 1, 1907	\$ 5940.54
On hand May 6, 1907	5940.54

Disbursements, Warrants Paid

Tax acct Pav. Dist. No. 4	\$ 1013.58
Tax acct. Pav. Dist. No. 5	1953.92
Tax acct. Pav. Dist. No. 6	162.29
Tax acct. Pav. Dist. No. 7	4456.78
Tax acct. Pav. Dist. No. 8	706.90
Tax acct. Pav. Dist. No. 9	31.53
Labor account Pav. Dist. No. 10, overdrawn	\$2384.46

Total	\$ 8325.00
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Total overdrawn	2384.46
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Bal. overdraft May 1, 1907	\$ 1126.77
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Bal. overdraft May 6, 1907	1126.77
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Disbursements, Warrants Paid

Tax acct Lat. Sewer No. 11	\$ 81.76
Tax acct. Lat. Sewer No. 12	221.39
Labor acct. Lat. Sewer No. 13, overdrawn	\$1648.16
Tax acct. Lat. sewer No. 14	101.90
Tax acct. Lat. Sewer No. 15	151.77
Lab. acct. Lat. Sewer No. 16 overdrawn	\$124.21
Lab. acct. lat. Sewer No. 17 overdrawn	\$170.53
Lab. acct. Lat. Sewer No. 17	170.53
Tax acct. Lat. sewer	348.71
Lab. acct. Lat. sewer No. 19 overdrawn	\$225.22
Tax acct. Lat. Sewer No. 20	135.81

Total	\$ 1041.35
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Total overdrawn	\$ 2168.12
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Bal. overdraft on hand	\$ 1126.77
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Respectfully submitted,

GEO. W. SAMPLE,  
Treasurer.

Ann Arbor Savings Bank.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 11, 1907  
To the Common Council of the City of  
Ann Arbor, Mich.

Gentlemen: This will certify that  
Geo. W. Sample has on deposit in this  
bank to his credit as city treasurer the  
sum of thirty one thousand one hundred  
and 76-100 dollars, (\$31,100.76)

Chas. E. Hiscock, Pres.

\$31,100.76

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 13, 1907

Received from George W. Sample, the  
outgoing City Treasurer of Ann Arbor,  
Michigan, the sum of Thirty-One Thou-  
sand One Hundred and 76-100 Dollars  
being the amount in full in his hands  
belonging to the City of Ann Arbor as  
shown by his last report dated May 6,  
1907, and as certified to by the City  
depository, The Ann Arbor Savings  
Bank, of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

D. A. HAMMOND,

City Treasurer of Ann Arbor, Mich.

May 6, 1907, City funds bal-  
ance ..... \$ 26286.99  
May 6, 1907 Paving funds  
balance ..... 5940.54

May 6, 1907 Sewer fund over  
draft ..... 1126.77  
\$ 32227.53

Bank Certificate herewith.. \$ 31100.76

To the Honorable the Common Coun-  
cil of the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan:

Gentlemen—In accordance with a  
resolution passed by your honorable  
body on the sixteenth day of May, 1904,  
requesting the City Treasurer to make  
his report up to and including the  
first Monday in May of each year of  
his doings in office for the year pre-  
vious, I, the undersigned, Treasurer  
of the City of Ann Arbor, herewith  
submit my second and last annual  
report, showing the receipts and dis-  
bursements in the several funds of

said city from the first Monday in  
May, 1906, to the first Monday in May,  
1907, together with the cash balances  
or the overdrafts in said several funds  
at the date of this report, to wit,  
the sixth day of May, 1907.

Respectfully submitted,  
GEORGE W. SAMPLE  
City Treasurer.

**City Funds**

Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk

1906 (Dr.)  
May 1, to balance..... \$ 796.90  
May 19, to sale cement.... 15.50  
June 30, to appropriation.. 12000.00  
\$ 12812.40

(Cr.)

Oct. 31, by transfer to side-  
walk fund ..... 500.00  
1907  
April 15, by transfer to street  
fund ..... 4000.00  
May 1, by warrants paid... 7685.29  
May 1, by balance ..... 627.11  
\$ 12812.40

**Contingent**

(Dr.)

1907  
May 1, to balance..... 213.81  
June 30, to appropriation.. 6000.00  
1907  
May 1, to saloon licenses... 36.00  
May 1, to liquor tax..... 9572.43  
May 1, to dray licenses... 37.00  
May 1, to peddlers licenses.. 76.00  
May 1, to city scale fees... 20.50  
May 1, to milk licenses..... 144.00  
May 1, to Minnis rent..... 6.00  
May 1, Circus license.... 50.00  
May 1, to Trades Council Lic. 25.00  
May 1, to billboard permit.. 2.00  
May 1, to popcorn wagon  
licenses ..... 100.00  
May 1, to donation from Col.  
Henry S. Dean..... 1.10

May 1, to fees from fruit and orchard committee . . . . .	189.09	(Cr.)	May 1, by warrants paid . . .	351.78
May 1, to interest on city deposit . . . . .	142.21		May 1, by cash to balance . .	344.96
May 1, to sale city hall bonds—reimbursement . . . . .	3300.00			<u>696.74</u>
May 1, to excess of rolls—summer tax . . . . .	83.75		<b>Dog, (Dr.)</b>	
May 1, to excess of rolls—winter tax . . . . .	182.71	1906	May, 1 to balance . . . . .	189.75
May 1, to penalty 5% on city taxes . . . . .	881.95	1907	May 1, to dog licenses . . . . .	81.25
May 1, to transfer from rejected tax fund . . . . .	103.25			<u>271.00</u>
May 1, to bowling alley licenses . . . . .	15.00		(Cr.)	
May 1, to billiard hall licenses . . . . .	35.00		May 1, by warrants paid . . .	43.00
May 1, to theater licenses . . . . .	150.00		May 1, by cash on hand to balance . . . . .	228.00
May 1, to fees on taxes from city treasurer . . . . .	2.88			<u>271.00</u>
May 1, to overdraft . . . . .	1700.02		<b>State Dog</b>	
	<u>\$ 23069.70</u>	1906	(Dr.)	
		May 1, Balance . . . . .	\$	100.00
				<u>\$ 100.00</u>
(Cr.)		1907	(Cr.)	
1906		May 1, By Balance . . . . .	\$	100.00
Nov. 1, by transfer to tax account sewer dist. 10 . . . . .	89.85			<u>\$ 100.00</u>
Nov. 1, by transfer to tax account sewer dist. 9 . . . . .	252.43			
1907				
May 1, by warrants paid . . . . .	22727.42		<b>Delinquent Tax</b>	
	<u>\$ 23069.70</u>	1907	(Dr.)	
		May 1, to amount from county treasurer . . . . .	\$	1718.82
		May 1, to overdraft . . . . .		2178.85
				<u>\$ 3897.67</u>
<b>Cemetery</b>				
(Dr.)		1906	(Cr.)	
1906		May 1, By overdraft . . . . .	\$	1339.01
May 1, to balance . . . . .	290.24	1907		
June 30, to appropriation . . . . .	150.00	Mar. 31, by transfer to uncollected city tax fund . . . . .		994.90
1907		Mar. 31, transfer to school tax fund . . . . .		844.07
May 1, to sale of cemetery lots . . . . .	87.50	Mar. 31, transefr to rejected tax fund . . . . .		40.37
May 1, to care of lots . . . . .	53.00			
May 1, to burial permits . . . . .	116.00			
	<u>696.74</u>			

Mar. 31, transfer to tax account sewer district 11...	20.32
Mar. 31, transfer to tax account sewer district 13...	109.79
Mar. 31, by transfer to tax account sewer district 14.	48.09
Mar. 31, by transfer to tax account sewer district 15	17.10
Mar. 31, by transfer to paving district 4.....	108.00
Mar. 31, by transfer to paving district 5 .....	57.10
Mar. 31, by transfer to paving district 8 .....	118.54
Mar. 31, by transfer to paving district 9 .....	65.37
Mar. 31, by transfer to sidewalk building fund.....	165.01
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	\$ 3897.67

**Fire Department**

1906 (Dr)	
May, 1 to Balance on hand..	\$ 263.04
June 30, to appropriation...	15000.00
1907	
Feb. 4, to sale horses.....	50.00
May 1, to overdraft.....	4475.18
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	\$ 19788.22
(Cr)	
May 1, by warrants paid ...	\$ 19788.22
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	\$ 19788.22

**Poor**

1906 (Dr)	
May 1, to balance .....	454.30
June 30, to appropriation...	2000.00
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	\$ 2454.30
1907 (Cr)	
May 1, by warrants.....	2,411.45
May 1 by balance on hand .	42.85
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	\$ 2454.30

**Police**

1906 (Dr)	
May 1, to balance .....	\$ 214.45
June 30, to appropriation...	5500.00
1907	
May 1, to fines from justices of the peace.....	216.00
May 1, to officers fees from justices of the peace.....	46.45
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	\$ 5976.90
(Cr)	
May 1, by warrants paid ...	\$ 5661.20
May 1, by balance on hand .	315.70
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	\$ 5976.90

**Street**

1906 (Dr)	
May 1, to balance .....	\$ 2283.04
June 30, to appropriation...	4850.00
1907	
Apr. 15, to transfer from bridge, culvert and cross-walk fund.....	4000.00
May 1, to sale of brick.....	53.50
May 1, to Gas Company-damage to pavement....	3.75
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	\$ 11190.29
(Cr)	
May 1, by warrants paid ...	\$ 11189.28
May 1, by balance .....	11.08
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	\$ 11109.29

**Uncollected City Tax**

1906 (Dr)	
June 30, to appropriation...	\$ 321.36
1907	
Mar. 31, to uncollected real to county treasurer.....	994.90
Mar. 31, to uncollected personal to county treasurer...	66.86
May 1, to collection of taxes	\$74635.84

May 1, to overdraft . . . . . 140.79  
 \$ 76159.75

1906 (Cr)  
 May 1, by overdraft . . . . . \$ 321.36  
 June 30, by appropriation . . \$ 74536.36

1907  
 Mar. 31, by penalty on summer tax . . . . . 881.98  
 Mar. 31, by excess of rolls—summer . . . . . 83.75  
 Mar. 31, by excess of rolls—winter . . . . . 182.71  
 Mar. 31, by uncollected personal tax to county treasurer . . . . . 153.59  
 \$ 76159.75

**Water**

1906 (Dr)  
 May 1, to balance . . . . . \$ 1263.74  
 June 30, to appropriation . . . 7500.00

1907  
 May 1, to overdraft . . . . . 1911.47  
 \$ 10675.21

(Cr)  
 May 1, by warrants paid . . . \$ 10675.21  
 \$ 10675.21

**Storm Sewer**

1906 (Dr)  
 May 1, to balance . . . . . \$ .60  
 \$ .60

1907 (Cr)  
 May 1, by balance on hand . \$ .60  
 \$ .60

**Rejected Tax**

1907 (Dr)  
 Mar. 31, to uncollected real to county treasurer . . . . . \$ 40.37

May 1, to tax collections . . . 68.67  
 \$ 109.04

(Cr)  
 Mar. 19, by amount paid county treasurer . . . . . 5.62

Mar. 19, by uncollected state and county tax returned . . .17  
 Mar. 31, by transfer to contingent fund . . . . . 103.25  
 \$ 109.04

**Park**

1906 (Dr)  
 May 1, to balance . . . . . \$ 84.93  
 June 30, to appropriation . . . 2500.00  
 Dec. 3, to J. L. Markey . . . . . 31.90  
 Dec. 3, to George P. Burns, donation . . . . . \$ 500.00

1907  
 Apr. 30, to M. C. R. R., donation . . . . . 2000.00  
 April 30, to G. P. Burns, donation . . . . . 700.00  
 \$ 5816.83

(Cr)  
 May 1, by warrants paid . . . \$ 3097.76  
 Apr. 30, by amount paid to Henning heirs by clerk . . . 2700.00  
 May 1, by balance . . . . . 19.07  
 \$ 5816.83

**Street Lighting**

1906 (Dr)  
 May 1, to balance . . . . . \$ 1291.93  
 June 30, to appropriation . . . 11000.00  
 \$ 12291.93

1907 (Cr)  
 May 1, by warrants paid . . . \$ 10942.96  
 May 1, by balance cash on hand . . . . . 1348.97  
 \$ 12291.93

Sidewalk	
1906	(Dr)
May 1, to balance . . . . .	\$ 240.30
June 30, to appropriation . . .	500.00
Aug. 31, to amount from John Wisner, street com- missioner . . . . .	5.00
Oct. 1, to transfer from bridge, culvert and cross- walk . . . . .	500.00
Oct. 31, to Alex. Dow, re- pairs . . . . .	13.13
1907	
May 1, overdraft . . . . .	364.88
	<u>\$ 1623.31</u>
	(Cr)
May 1, by warrants paid . . .	\$ 1623.31
	<u>\$ 1623.31</u>

Building Sidewalk	
1906	(Dr)
May 1, to balance . . . . .	\$ 33.94
1907	
May 1, to collections . . . . .	773.03
May 1, to uncollected re- turned to county treasurer	165.01
	<u>\$ 971.98</u>
1907	(Cr)
May 1, by warrants paid . . .	\$ 712.25
May 1, by balance . . . . .	259.73
	<u>\$ 971.98</u>

Main Sewer Tax	
1906	(Dr)
June 30, to appropriation . . .	\$ 2300.00
	<u>\$ 2300.00</u>

1907	(Cr)
May 1, by warrants paid . . .	\$ 2300.00
	<u>\$ 2300.00</u>

State Tax	
1907	(Dr)
May 1, to collections . . . . .	\$ 22162.28
Mar. 19, to uncollected real to county treasurer . . . . .	319.15
Mar. 19, to uncollected per- sonal to county treasurer	20.20
Mar. 19, to uncollected re- jected to county treasurer	.10
	<u>\$ 22501.73</u>
	(Cr)
May 1, by amounts paid county treasurer . . . . .	\$ 22182.58
Mar. 19, by uncollected real returned . . . . .	319.15
	<u>\$ 22501.73</u>

County Tax	
1907	(Dr)
May 1, to collections . . . . .	\$ 16397.62
Mar. 19, to real estate uncol- lected . . . . .	236.72
Mar. 19, to personal tax un- collected . . . . .	15.00
Mar. 19, to rejected tax un- collected . . . . .	.07
	<u>\$ 16649.41</u>

1907	(Cr)
Mar. 19, by uncollected real returned . . . . .	236.72
May 1, by amounts paid county treasurer . . . . .	16412.69
	<u>\$ 16649.41</u>

School Tax	
1907	(Dr)
May 1, to collections . . . . .	\$ 56502.44
Mar. 19, to uncollected real estate . . . . .	814.07



Mar. 19, to uncollected personal ..... 51.53  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 57368.04  
 \$ 57368.04  
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(Cr)  
 May 1, by payments to H. J. Brown, treasurer.....\$ 57368.04  
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 \$ 57368.04  
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**Labor Account City Hall**

1907 (Dr)  
 Mar. 23, to sale of city hall bonds .....\$ 26700.00  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 26700.00  
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(Cr)  
 May 1, by balance on hand ..\$ 26700.00  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 26700.00  
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**Tax Account City Hall**

1907 (Dr)  
 Mar. 23, to accrued interest on city hall bonds .....\$ 376.68  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 376.68  
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1907 (Cr)  
 May 1, by balance on hand ..\$ 376.68  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 376.68  
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**PAVING FUNDS**

**Tax Account District 4**

1906 (Dr)  
 May 1, to balance on hand ..\$ 1635.25  
 June 30, to appropriation... 1500.00  
 1907  
 May 1, to tax collections ... 1000.93  
 March 31, to uncollected to county treasurer..... 108.00  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 4244.18  
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(Cr)  
 Mar. 31, by warrants paid..\$ 3230.60  
 May 1, by balance cash on hand ..... 1013.58  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 4244.18  
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**Tax Account District 5**

1906 (Dr)  
 May 1, to balance on hand..\$ 2586.12  
 June 30, to appropriation... 1500.00  
 1907  
 May 1, to tax collections ... 1750.32  
 Mar. 31, to uncollected to county treasurer..... 57.10  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 5893.54  
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(Cr)  
 Mar. 31, by warrants paid..\$ 3940.62  
 May 1, by cash on hand to balance..... 1953.92  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 5893.54  
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**Tax Account District 6**

1906 (Dr)  
 May 1, to balance cash on hand .....\$ 255.29  
 June 30, to appropriation... 200.00  
 1907  
 May 1, to taxes collected ... 128.60  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 583.89  
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(Cr)  
 Mar. 31, by warrants paid..\$ 421.60  
 May 1, by cash to balance... 162.29  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 583.89  
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**Tax Account District 7**

1906 (Dr)  
 May 1, to balance .....\$ 5188.20  
 June 30, to appropriation...\$ 1235.00  
 1907

May 1, to taxes collected...	1265.79	
	<u>\$ 7688.99</u>	
1906 (Cr)		
Aug. 31, by warrants paid..	\$ 3232.21	
1907		
May 1, by cash to balance..	4456.78	
	<u>\$ 7688.99</u>	

**Tax Account District 8**

1906 (Dr)		
May 1, to balance on hand..	\$ 861.94	
June 30, to appropriation...	180.00	
1907		
May 1, to tax collections...	403.26	
Mar. 31, to uncollected to county treasurer.....	118.54	
	<u>\$ 1563.74</u>	

1906 (Cr)		
Aug. 31, by warrants paid..	\$ 856.84	
1907		
May 1, by cash on hand....	706.90	
	<u>\$ 1563.74</u>	

**Tax Account District 9**

1906 (Dr)		
June 30, by appropriation..	\$ 300.00	
1907		
May 1, to taxes collected...	592.24	
Mar. 31, to uncollected tax to county treasurer.....	65.37	
	<u>\$ 957.61</u>	

1906 (Cr)		
Oct. 1, by transfer to labor account district 9 .....	\$ 315.88	
August 31, by warrants paid	166.10	
1907		
Mar. 31, by transfer to labor account district 9 .....	444.10	
May 1, by balance cash on hand .....	31.53	

**Labor Account District 9**

1906 (Dr)		
Oct. 1, to transfer from tax account district 9 .....	\$ 315.88	
1907		
Mar. 31, to transfer from tax account district 9 .....	444.10	
	<u>\$ 759.98</u>	

1906 (Cr)		
May 1, by overdraft .....	\$ 223.98	
July 31, by warrants paid ..	\$ 536.00	
	<u>\$ 759.98</u>	

**Labor Account District 10**

1907 (Dr)		
May 1, to overdraft .....	\$ 2384.46	
	<u>\$ 2384.46</u>	
(Cr)		
Aug. 31, by warrants paid..	\$ 2384.46	
	<u>\$ 2384.46</u>	

**LATERAL SEWER FUNDS**

**Tax Account District 9**

1906 (Dr)		
Oct. 1, to transfer from contingent fund.....	\$ 252.43	
(Cr)		
May 1, overdraft .....	\$ 252.43	

**Tax Account District 10**

(Dr)		
Oct. 1, to transfer from contingent fund.....	\$ 89.85	
(Cr)		
May 1, by overdraft .....	\$ 89.85	

**Tax Account District 11**

(Dr)		
May 1, to balance on hand..	\$ 256.04	
1907		
May 1, to tax collections ..	121.18	

May 1, to uncollected to  
county treasurer..... 20.32

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\$ 397.54

1906 (Cr)  
Aug. 31, warrants paid.....\$ 315.78  
1907  
May 1, by cash to balance..\$ 81.76

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\$ 397.54

**Tax Account District 12**

1906 (Dr)  
May 1, to balance on hand..\$ 362.11  
1907  
May 1, to tax collections ... 317.54  
1906  
Oct. 1, to transfer from labor  
account district 12..... 104.15

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\$ 783.80

1906 (Cr)  
Aug. 31, warrants paid.....\$ 562.41  
1907  
May 1, to balance cash on  
hand ..... 221.39

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\$ 783.80

**Labor Account District 12**

1906 (Dr)  
May 1, to balance on hand..\$ 104.15

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\$ 104.15

1906 (Cr)  
Oct. 1, by transfer to tax ac-  
count District 12.....\$ 104.15

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\$ 104.15

**Tax Account District 13**

1906 (Dr)  
May 1, to balance on hand..\$ 327.54  
1907  
May 1, to tax collections ... 624.81

May 1, to uncollected taxes  
to county treasurer..... 109.79

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\$ 1062.14

1906 (Cr)  
Oct. 1, by transfer to labor  
account district 13 .....\$ 540.13  
1907  
Mar. 31, by transfer to labor  
account district 13..... 522.01

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\$ 1062.14

**Labor Account District 13**

1906 (Dr)  
Oct. 1, to transfer from tax  
account District 13.....\$ 540.13  
1907  
Mar. 31, to transfer from tax  
account District 13..... 522.01  
May 1, to overdraft..... 1648.16

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\$ 2710.30

1906 (Cr)  
May 1, by overdraft .....\$ 2710.30

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\$ 2710.30

**Tax Account District 14**

1906 (Dr)  
May 1, to balance on hand..\$ 333.70  
1907  
May 1, to tax collections ... 529.99  
May 1, to uncollected to  
county treasurer..... 48.09  
May 1, to accrued interest on  
sale of bonds 5 and 7..... 7.11

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\$ 918.89

1906 (Cr)  
Oct. 1, by transfer to labor  
account district 14..... \$521.17  
1907  
Mar. 31, by transfer to labor  
account district 14 ..... 295.81

May 1, by cash on hand to balance .....	101.91
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	\$ 918.89
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**Labor Account District 14**

1906 (Dr)	
Oct. 1, to transfer from tax account district 14.....	\$ 521.17
1907	
Mar. 31, to transfer from tax account district 14.....	295.81
Apr. 5, to sale of bonds numbers 5 and 7.....	1000.00
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	\$ 1816.98
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1906 (Cr)	
May 1, to overdraft.....	\$ 1707.84
Nov. 30, by warrants paid..	109.14
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	\$ 1816.98
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**Tax Account District 15**

1906 (Dr)	
May 1, to balance on hand..	\$ 169.21
1907	
May 1, to tax collections ...	437.28
Mar. 31, to uncollected returned to County treasurer	17.10
Mar. 31, to accrued interest on sale of bonds 3 and 4..	6.00
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	\$ 629.59
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1906 (Cr)	
Oct. 1, by transfer to labor account district 15.....	\$ 348.65
1907	
Mar. 31, by transfer to labor account District 15.....	129.17
May 1, by cash to balance..	151.77
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	\$ 629.59
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**Labor Account District 15**

1906 (Dr)	
Oct. 1, to transfer from tax account District 15.....	\$ 348.65

1907	
Mar. 31, to transfer from tax account district 15.....	129.17
Mar. 31, to sale of bonds 3 and 4.....	867.82
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	\$ 1345.64
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1906 (Cr)	
May 1, by overdraft.....	\$ 1258.86
Dec. 31, by warrants paid ..	86.78
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	\$ 1345.64
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**Tax Account District 16**

1907 (Dr)	
May 1, to tax collections ...	\$ 441.65
Mar. 31, to accrued interest on sale of bonds 3 and 4..	3.66
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	\$ 445.31
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(Cr)

Mar. 31, by transfer to labor account district 16.....	\$ 445.31
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	\$ 445.31
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**Labor Account District 16**

1907 (Dr)	
Mar. 31, to bonds 3 and 4 sold .....	\$ 632.78
Mar. 31, to transfer from tax account district 16.....	445.31
May 1, to overdraft.....	124.21
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	\$ 1202.30
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1906 (Cr)	
May 31, by warrants paid..	\$ 1202.30
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	\$ 1202.30
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**Tax Account District 17**

1906 (Dr)	
May 1, to balance on hand..	\$ 33.46
1907	
May 1, to tax collections ...	121.67

	\$ 155.13
1906 (Cr)	
Oct. 1, by transfer to labor account district 17.....	\$ 85.63
1907	
Mar. 31, by transfer to labor account district 17.....	69.50
	\$ 155.13

**Labor Account District 17**

1906 (Dr)	
Oct. 1, to transfer from tax account district 17.....	\$ 85.63
1907	
Mar. 31, to transfer from tax account district 17.....	69.50
May 1, to overdraft.....	170.53
	\$ 325.66

1906 (Cr)	
May 1, by overdraft.....	\$ 298.60
Dec. 31, by warrants paid..	27.06
	\$ 325.66

**Tax Account District 18**

1907 (Dr)	
May 1, to tax collections ...	\$ 1235.33
Mar. 31, to accrued interest on sale of bonds.....	\$ 19.33
	\$ 1254.66

(Cr)	
Mar. 31, by transfer to labor account district 18.....	\$ 905.95
May 1, by balance on hand .	348.71
	\$ 1254.66

**Labor Account District 18**

1907 (Dr)	
Mar. 31, by bonds 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, and 11 sold.....	\$ 3000.00
Mar. 31, to transfer from tax	

account district 18.....	905.95
	\$ 3905.95
(Cr)	
May 1, by warrants paid ...	\$ 3905.95

**Tax Account District 19**

(Dr)	
May 1, to tax collections ...	\$ 320.80
	\$ 320.80
(Cr)	
Mar. 31, by transfer to labor account district 19.....	\$ 320.80
	\$ 320.80

**Labor Account District 19**

(Dr)	
Mar. 31, to transfer from tax account district 19.....	\$ 320.80
May 1, to overdraft.....	225.22
	\$ 546.02

1906 (Cr)	
May 31, by warrants paid..	\$ 546.20
	\$ 546.20

**Tax Account District 20**

1907 (Dr)	
May 1, to tax collections ...	\$ 666.03
Mar. 31, to accrued interest on bonds 3, 5 and 7 sold..	9.69
	\$ 675.72

(Cr)	
Mar. 31, by transfer to labor account district 20.....	\$539.91
May 1, by cash to balance..	135.81
	\$ 675.72

<b>Labor Account District 20</b>	
1907	(Dr)
Mar. 31, to sale of bonds 3, 5 and 7.....	\$ 1500.00
Mar. 31, to transfer from tax account district 20.....	539.91
	\$ 2039.91
(Cr)	
May 1, by warrants paid ...	\$ 2039.91
	\$ 2039.91

**RECAPITULATION**

1907	Balance
May 1, Bridge, culvert and crosswalk .....	\$ 627.11
May 1, Contingent .....	
May 1, Cemetery .....	344.96
May 1, Dog .....	228.00
May 1, State Dog .....	100.00
May 1, Delinquent Tax.... overdraft \$2178.85.	
May 1, Fire Department overdraft \$4475.18	
May 1, Poor .....	42.85
May 1, Police.....	315.70
May 1, Street .....	1.01
May 1, Uncollected City tax overdraft \$140.79.....	
May 1, Water..... overdraft \$1911.47	
May 1, Storm Sewer .....	.60
May 1, Rejected Tax.....	.00
May 1, Park .....	19.07
May 1, Street Lighting.....	1348.97
May 1, Sidewalk, overdraft \$364.88.	
May 1, Building Sidewalk..	259.73
May 1, Main Sewer Tax. ...	.00
May 1, State Tax. ....	.00
May 1, County Tax .....	.00
May 1, School Tax .....	.00
May 1, School Tax .....	.00
May 1, Labor account City Hall .....	2670.00
May 1, Tax account City	

Hall .....	376.68
May 1, Tax Paving district 4	1013.58
May 1, Tax Paving district 5	1953.92
May 1, Tax Paving district 6	162.29
May 1, Tax Paving district 7	4456.78
May 1, Tax Paving district 8	706.90
May 1, Tax Paving district 9	31.53
May 1, Labor Paving district 9.....	.00
May 1, Labor Paving district No. 10 overdraft \$2384.46.	
May 1, Tax Sewer district 9	.00
May 1, Tax Sewer district 10	
May 1, Tax Sewer district 10	81.76
May 1, Tax Sewer district 11	221.39
May 1, Labor Sewer district 12.....	.00
May 1, Tax Sewer district 13	.00
May 1, Labor Sewer district 13, overdraft \$1648.16...	
May 1, Tax Sewer district 14	101.91
May 1, Labor Sewer district 14 .....	.00
May 1, Tax Sewer district 15	151.77
May 1, Labor Sewer district 15 .....	.00
May 1, Tax Sewer district 16	.00
May 1, Labor Sewer district 16 overdraft \$124.21	
May 1, Tax Sewer district 17	.00
May 1, Labor Sewer district 17, overdraft \$170.53	
May 1, Tax Sewer district 18	348.71
May 1, Labor Sewer district	.00
May 1, Tax Sewer district 19	.00
May 1, Labor Sewer district 19, overdraft \$225.22.	
May 1, Tax Sewer district 20	135.81
May 1, Labor Sewer district 20,.....	.00
	\$ 39731.03
Collections included in Supplemental report of May 6 .....	6693.50
	\$ 46424.53

Total overdraft . . . . . \$ 15323.77  
 Total balance cash in bank . . . . . 31100.76

\$ 46424.53

Since I have had the honor to serve you as your Treasurer there have been many improvements in the different departments of City government necessitating many unusual and extraordinary expenditures of public funds, the following of which is a partial list, not including however, any of the regular running expenses of said government, to wit:-

Additional hose for Fire Department . . . . .	\$ 1800.00
Sixth Ward Fire House . . . . .	857.42
Horses for Department . . . . .	935.00
Chemical Engine . . . . .	1625.00
Steam Engine . . . . .	5000.00
Salaries 9 additional men in Fire Department . . . . .	5867.52
Park Expenditures . . . . .	6630.93
Police 2 additional men . . . . .	2880.00
Additional street light service . . . . .	1700.00
New storm sewers . . . . .	7046.22
Engineer's salary . . . . .	300.00
Primary Elections (2) . . . . .	412.50
Paving District No. 10 . . . . .	2384.46
Seventh Ward Building . . . . .	500.00
Water suits and Richards cases . . . . .	979.50
Garbage Contracts—paid . . . . .	2482.60
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	\$ 41401.15

The following amounts have been paid by me on obligations contracted by former administrations, to-wit:

Paving District 4, bonds paid	\$ 6572.60
Paving District 5, bonds paid	8008.36
Paving district 6, bonds paid	856.82
Paving District 7, bonds paid	6484.52
Paving District 8, bonds paid	1656.48
Sewer District 11, bonds paid	643.26
Sewer District 12, bonds paid	604.07
Sewer District 13, debt . . . . .	3376.24
Main sewer bonds paid . . . . .	4700.00
Hinsdale Damage suit . . . . .	228.00
Mary Hawley Damage Suit	346.20

T. J. Keech, city property . . . . . 1100.00  
 Water Tax unpaid . . . . . 3500.63

\$ 38077.18

\$ 41401.15

\$ 79478.33

The amount of warrants unpaid and outstanding at this date in the several funds is \$10,691.96.

Ann Arbor, April 1, 1907.

To the Honorable Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of Ann Arbor.

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to herewith submit to your honorable body the annual report of the Fire Department for the year ending March 31, 1907. It being my first annual report and the eighteenth of of the paid Fire Department of the City of Ann Arbor.

**Apparatus**

There are in service at the present time:

- 1 second size hot steam fire engine.
- 1 two-horse hose wagon.
- 1 two-horse Seagrave hook and ladder truck.
- 1 two-horse combination wagon with 50 gallon chemical tank.
- 1 one-horse supply wagon.
- 8 hand chemical extinguishers, 3 and 6 gallon.
- 1 exercise buggy.

The above apparatus is in good condition excepting breaks on hose wagons, Nos. 1 and 2, which ought to be changed as soon as possible to a better kind of break also ladders on truck are in very poor condition for use.

**In Reserve**

- 1 two-horse hose wagon fully equipped.
- Two two-horse hose sleighs.

**Engine Houses**

There are two occupied by the department, Central Station, cor. Huron and Fifth avenue, valued at \$20,000;

No. 2 Station, East University avenue, valued at \$4,500.

Central station will need new front doors also new floors in apparatus rooms. No. 2 Station will also need repairs on the doors.

### Horses

At present there are ten horses in the service owned by the city and with the exception of one are in good condition. During the year 1906 one horse was sold and one purchased. In the year 1907 one horse was sold and two purchased, making in all ten in the department at this date with a valuation of \$1,860.00.

### Hose in Service

#### Station No. 1

4,300 feet of 2½ inch hose in good condition.

100 feet of 3 inch hose.

50 feet of 1 inch hose.

#### Station No. 2

2,000 feet of 2½ in hose in good condition.

250 feet of 1 inch chemical hose in good condition.

100 feet of 1 inch rubber hose.

### Hydrants

New hydrants placed in 1906 were 28—16 inch and 12—8 inch making a total today of 202 fire hydrants. The 12—8 inch were placed as follows:

1 corner Main and Miller avenue,

1 on Main at west entrance of Court House.

1 on East Huron street at South entrance of Court House.

1 corner Main and Washington Sts.

1 corner Main and Liberty streets.

1 East side of Main between Liberty and Williams.

1 corner West Huron and First Sts.

1 West Washington at R. R. bridge.

1 State street East side at W. entrance of high school.

1 East Washington between State and Thayer streets.

1 South Thayer between Huron and Washington streets.

1 South State street at head of Liberty street.

The six inch hydrants were placed in much needed districts in the residence portion of the city and more hydrants should be placed in other districts as soon as possible to insure the proper fire protection and all hydrants should be set at the curb line of the street so that we can make engine connections with one length of suction instead of two as it takes too long to make plug connections with two lengths of suction and causes engine to be placed in center of the street.

### Water Main Extensions

During the year of 1906 there were laid 700 feet of ten inch mains and 7,250 feet of six inch water mains.

### Overhead Street Wires

I would ask your honorable body that some provision be made for placing all wires under ground in the future as this is one of the greatest contentions of fire departments. in interfering with its efficiency, as in the business portions of the city it becomes almost impossible to raise ladders to the buildings besides the danger to life from contact with high charged electric wires at all times.

### The Cause of Fires and Alarms

The total number of fire alarms for the year ending April 1, 1907 were 61.

The cause was: Bonfires 6, sparks from locomotives 2, defective stoves 2, careless use of matches 2, defective fireplaces 3, lightning 5, tar kettle 1, gasoline stoves 3, incendiary 2, overheated tailor's iron 1, fumigating hen house 1, smoky furnaces 4, lamp explosion 1, ark light 1, rubbish burning 1, Gasoline tank 1, defective ovens 2, overheated stovepipes 4, grease boiling on stove 1, chimneys 9, high tension electric wires 1, coal bunkers 1, christmas tree 1, gas stove 1, steam escaping



1, clothes laid on stove 1, unknown 2. leaky gas pipes 1.

The amount of insurance carried on buildings where fires occurred was \$98,500.00. The amount of loss on buildings where fires occurred was \$5,535.00. The amount of insurance carried on contents where fires occurred was \$196,500.00. The amount of loss on contents where fires occurred was \$2,025.00.

During the year of 1906 this department travelled 20 1-8 miles in answering alarms and laid 8050 feet of 2½ inch hose and raised 650 feet of ladders and used 243 gallons of carbonic chemicals.

There were two buildings lost that carried no insurance. The city owned one on the Boulevard and the other was a shed in a peach orchard, the loss to which was small.

General summary of running expenses for the year commencing April 1st, 1906, and ending May 6, 1907.

The full amount expended \$21,348.64 as follows:

Salaries.....	\$ 12849.22
Hay, oats, feed and bedding	700.87
General supplies.....	443.10
Apparatus and repairs.....	119.58
Light .....	305.51
Lumber .....	92.21
Washing.....	151.00
Horse Shoeing.....	188.30
Building .....	199.00
Harness and repairs.....	38.80
New equipments.....	203.06
New horses.....	600.00
Fuel .....	308.09
New Apparatus.....	5129.90

**Recommendations**

I would ask that an aerial ladder truck be placed in service as soon as possible to take the place of the small truck now in service at station No. 1, also that hose wagon No. 3 now in reserve be changed to a combination wagon and placed on South Main street near

Hill street in service as that location has some large buildings and nearly all of them are frame and a long distance from central station.

Also as soon as convenient that your honorable body look well into the matter of an electrical Fire Alarm System that Ann Arbor needs.

I would recommend hereafter that that all apparatus purchased have standard sized wheels in front and rear so that one extra wheel will fit both front and rear.

That an appropriation be asked for to build stalls and barn for three horses for Engine and do other wood repairs on building necessary.

That the sixth ward engine house be removed to some location removed from 6th ward school. as that location is dangerous to life of school children.

That money be asked for to finish painting at Central station.

That some kind of steam heating be placed at Central station.

Would also recommend that old engine now stored at Central station be sold for junk as it is not worth repairing, also that all apparatus hereafter purchased be equipped with rubber tires, so as to avoid vibration and slewing of apparatus in turning corners, which is very dangerous to firemen and horses. All cities are adopting rubber tires regardless of pavement.

Engine Company 1, station 1:

- 1 Nott Engine, drawn by two bay horses.
- 1 set Hale harness and hangers
- 2 pieces of hard suction, 11 ft. each.
- 1 piece of soft suction 10 ft.
- 4 extra reducing connection.
- 1 Star heater and connections.
- 3 lanterns.
- 1 coal shovel
- 1 poker
- 15 ft. of 1 in. rubber hose.
- 1 whip,
- 1 lifting jack.

1 extra set of whiffle trees and even bars.

1 extra set of fire grates.

2 horse blankets.

Tools necessary to work engine.

Hose Co. No. 1, Station 1.

1 two-horse hose wagon drawn by two bay horses, carrying 1000 feet  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inch hose.

1 set Hale harness and hangers.

2 Three gallon extinguishers.

3 shut off play pipes.

1 straight away pipes.

1 Two-way  $3\frac{1}{4}$  gate.

2 lanterns.

4 rubber coats

16 feet extension ladder.

1 whip.

2 horse blankets.

4 spanners.

1 axe.

1 crow bar.

2 hydrant wrenches.

1000 feet of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inch hose in reserve.

Hook and Ladder Truck No. 1, Station 1

1 Seagrave truck, drawn by two horses.

1 set of Hale harness and hangers, equipped as follows:

1 Eighty-foot Extension ladder.

1 Forty-foot ground extension ladder.

1 Thirty foot ladder.

1 Twenty-foot ladder.

1 Sixteen foot ladder.

1 Fourteen foot scaling ladder.

1 Twelve-foot straight ladder.

2 pike poles.

2 axes.

2 crow bars

1 door opener

1 pair wire cutters

1 cellar pipe.

1 long coal bunker pipe.

1 Eastman set with 100 feet of 3-inch hose and 1 two-way simese.

2 six-gallon extinguishers.

2 three-gallon extinguishers.

4 lanterns.

1 two-way  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inch gate.

4 fire buckets.

2 horse blankets.

1 whip.

Supply Wagon Station 1:

1 supply wagon, drawn by one horse, 1 single harness.

6 bags of coal.

50 feet of 3 inch hose.

50 feet of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inch hose.

Hammers, wrenches, chains, 100 feet of rope, pull down hook and rope, extra set of whiffle trees and even bars, lifting jack.

#### Department Roster

C. A. Edwards, chief

Eugene Williams, 1st asst. chief

Charles Andrews, 2nd asst. chief

Herman Kirn, pipeman

Fred Nordman, pipeman

Ralph Edwards, asst. engineer

William Rettick, pipeman

Dean Seabolt, pipeman

Tom O'Brien, driver of truck

Geo. Hoelzle, driver of engine

Fred Jolly, driver of combination wagon

Rex Burnett, pipe man

Carl Kuhn, driver of supply

John Flynn, ladderman

William Bernick, ladderman

John Keef, driver of hose wagon.

Jacob Gwinner, ladderman

Fred Stein, engineer of engine 1

Charles Carroll, Watchman station 1

Frank Kapp, watchman station 2

The health of members of the department for the year has been exceedingly good. Only two members having been absent on account of sickness.

During the year 1906, five men reported for duty in the department and one man resigned. In the year 1907, Frank Kapp was appointed watchman at station No. 2, making twenty full paid men at this date in the department.

The expense of the department has increased with the raise of salaries and extra number of men, and the addition

to the department of new apparatus and equipments.

Combination wagon, station 2

- 1 Rex combination wagon with 50 gal. chemical tank, drawn by two horses.
- 1 set Hale harness

carries the following:

- 1200 feet of 2½ inch hose
- 250 feet of 1 inch chemical hose
- 2 extra charges for tank
- 1 axe
- 1 crow bar
- 1 two-way 3¼ inch gate
- 1 two-way 2½ inch gate
- 2 lanterns
- 2 shut off play pipes
- 2 hydrant wrenches
- 6 spanners
- 1 Twenty-foot ladder
- 1 Sixteen-foot ladder scaling
- 5 rubber coats
- 2 three-gallon exitnguishers
- 2 horse blankets
- 1 whip
- 1000 feet of 2½ inch hose in reserve

My acknowledgements are hereby tendered to His Honor the Mayor, and Commissioners, the Honorable City Council and Committee on Fire Department for the courteous treatment and support to the officers and members of the Department I wish to extend my thanks for their strict attention to duty.

Respectfully submitteed.

C. A. EDWARDS,  
Chief of Fire Department

Report of Treasurer for May 1st to 6th and annual report, also annual report of Chief of Fire Department, received and on motion of Ald. Fischer, ordered printed in the minutes and filed.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 10, 1907

To the Honorable Common Council:

City

Gentlemen:—In accordance with your resolution I herewith submit approximate estimate of the cost of constructing sanitary sewer on the following

streets: Ashley street from Jefferson street to Madison street; Jefferson street, 1st street to 7th street; Madison street, from Ashley street to 7th street; 1st street, Madison street to Mosley street; 2nd street, William street to Mosley street; 3rd street, Jefferson street to Mosely street; 4th street, Jefferson street to Madison street; 5th street, William street to Madison street, Sixth street, Jefferson street to Madison street; 7th street from Jefferson street to Madison street; William street, extended from 4th street to 5th street.

11730 ft. of excavation	at \$ .45	\$5278.50
1870 ft of 10in. pipe	at .20	374.20
9120 ft of 8 in. pipe	at .14	1276.80
70 4x10Y branches	at .75	52.50
300 4x8Y branches	at .60	180.00
22 Man holes	at 28.00	616.00
12 flush tanks	at 50.00	600.00

Total.....\$8377.80

Of this the city would pay for:

290 ft 10in pipe	at .20	\$ 58.00
880 ft. 8 in. pipe	at .14	123.20
1170 ft excavation	at .45	526.50

\$ 707.70

This is without extension of 4 inch pipe to the curb line.

E. W. GROVES,  
City Engineer.

By Ald. Sherk:

Resolved, that the matter of sewer district No. 26, including the report of the City Engineer thereon, be referred to the sewer committee, and that said committee meet in the rooms of the Board of Public Works at a time to be fixed by the chairman of the said committee for the purpose of making the inquiry relating to the said sewer district, and after hearing all persons interested therein, appearing and desiring to be heard, said committee report to

the common council at the next regular meeting.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 17, 1907.

To the Hon. Common Council, City:

Gentlemen:—In accordance with your resolution I herewith submit an approximate estimate of the cost of constructing a culvert over Allen's Creek, along the property of C. A. Sauer & Co. and across Madison street, This estimate is based on the assumption that we use the Wall of Sauer & Co.'s building for one side of the culvert:

2720 ft. cu. of concrete at 15c	\$408.00
Reinforcing steel.....	250.00
Curbing and casting.....	130.00

\$788.00

E. W. GROVES,  
City Engineer.

Moved by A,d. Markey that matter be referred to City Attorney, Engineer and Street Committee. Adopted.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 17, 1907

To the Common Council and Board of Public Works:

Gentlemen:—The following amounts are now due Lambert Gresselhouse:

5% of the cost of the Storm Water sewer through Judson's....	\$42.79
5% of the cost of the Sanitary sewer in district No. 19 .....	28.74

\$71.53

Yours,  
E. W. GROVES,

Moved by Ald. Fischer that rule 21 be suspended for evening and warrants drawn for amounts reported by Enginere in favor of Mr. Dresselhouse.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schnei-

der, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—none.

**Resolutions**

Moved by Ald. Abbott that the matter of creek washing out Wagner property be referred to same committee the Sauer property culvert was referred, this to include Allen Creek back of electric light Co. building. Adopted.

By Ald. Schneider,

That Christian Schlenker be reappointed fence viewer of the second ward.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Abbott:

Resolved. that the police force of the City of Ann Arbor be reduced from eight to six members.

Moved by Ald. Manwaring as an amendment that the question of reducing the police force be referred to the Police Committee. Lost as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Schneider, Maulbetsch, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Pres. Walz.—6.

Nays—Ald. Snauble, Hochrein, Sweet Markey, St. James, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—9.

Ald. Fischer was called to the chair.

Moved by Pres. Walz that the resolution be laid on the table. Adopted.

By Ald. Schneider:

Resolved, that the Gas Light on Liberty street, intersection of 2nd street, be moved about 4 feet north and 2 feet west.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring,

Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott,  
Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Fischer:

Resolved, that the gutter on the west side of Oakland avenue in front of the property of Fred Schairer be cut down so as to let the water down Arch street. Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Sherk:

Resolved, that the proposed sewer on Wall street and Broadway, covered by the ordinance passed by the council, be not commenced so as to require any more money before the latter part of August, 1907, but all preliminary action committee meetings, reports, etc. up to the actual commencement of the work may be had at any time. Adopted.

By Ald. Sweet:

Resolved, that it is the sense of this council to allow saloons to keep open until 11 o'clock Saturday nights.

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Fischer.—9.

Nays—Ald. Snauble, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Abbott and Pres. Walz.—6.

By Ald. St. James:

Resolved, that the Michigan State Telephone Co. be authorized to make the following changes of telephones for the city. From the residence of Frank Stivers to that of John W. Dwyer, from George Sample to D. A. Hammond, from Charles Masten to Theodore Apfel, and from Dr. John Wessinger to Dr. James F. Breakey. Adopted.

By V. L. Snauble:

Resolved, that the Street Commissioner and City Attorney be instructed to make an inspection of State street paving and notify contractors to remedy defects found in said paving according to contract and guarantee. Adopted. By Ald. Abbott;

Resolved, that the gutter in front of H. H. Seeley's property on East University avenue be repaired and the Street Commissioner be instructed to put said gutter and extension and the street in safe condition.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Schneider:

Resolved, that crosswalks be ordered built as follows:

North side of Madison, across Ashley, east side of 7 th, across Jefferson, across 1st street, at German parochial school. referred to street committee.

By Ald. Maulbetsch:

Resolved, that the following committee be appointed to attend the League of Michigan Municipalities at Detroit June 7th and 8th; The Mayor, Engineer, Clerk, President of Board of Public Works, Assessor, Treasurer, City Attorney, Marshal and members of the common council:

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Hochrein, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—15.

Nays—None.

The Council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER,

Clerk