

Council Chamber,  
Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 15, 1909.  
**Regular Session.**

Meeting called to order by Pres. Walz.

Present—Ald. Stark, Georg, Hochrein, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Smith, Lutz, Pres.—Walz—12.

Absent—Ald. St. James, Abbott 2.  
Minutes of previous meeting approved.

**Communications.**

Communication from Michigan State Telephone Co. relative to placing poles on certain streets, received and, on motion of Ald. Goodyear, was referred to Street committee, Park committee and Board of Public Works with power to act.

(Enter Ald. Abbott.)

To the Honorable Common Council:

In accordance with your request we submit the survey of the extension of Huron street from Fourteenth street to Observatory, and request that your honorable body authorize the Mayor and City Attorney to consummate the deal with the Board of Regents.

L. D. WINES, President.

Board of Park Commissioners.

Received and following resolution offered:

By Ald. Murray—

Resolved, that Huron street, between Fourteenth street and Observatory street, be conveyed to the Regents of the University of Michigan upon the following conditions:

First—The Regents of the University of Michigan to convey to the City of Ann Arbor a strip of land 30 feet wide for street purposes, said strip to be immediately north (see deed) of the present street.

Second—The Regents of the University of Michigan to agree to erect no fence or other obstruction on the south line of the proposed street.

Third—The Regents of the University of Michigan to agree to grade and build on and along the south side of and parallel with the proposed street a five foot cement walk, said walk to be put in as soon as said street is opened up and on the request of the Street committee.

Fourth—The Mayor and City Clerk to sign and deliver a proper conveyance from the city to the Regents of the University of Michigan upon compliance with the above conditions to the satisfaction of the Street committee and Park commission.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Hochrein, Mur-

ray, Sweet, Pipp, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Lutz, Pres. Walz.—12.

Nays—Ald. Georg, 1.

Deed from Edward H. Waples of land for street near Eberbach addition received and referred to the Street committee.

**Petition.**

Of Wm. E. Clark et al relative to water main on South Division street, received and referred to Water committee.

**Committee Reports.**

**Finance Report.**

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 15, 1909  
To the Honorable the Common Council:

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

WM. GOODYEAR,

HORATIO J. ABBOTT,

Finance Committee.

**Fire Fund.**

|                         |       |         |
|-------------------------|-------|---------|
| Chas. Andrews, salary   | ..... | \$37.50 |
| Eugene Williams, salary | ..... | 33.00   |
| Dean Seabolt, salary    | ..... | 33.00   |
| Ralph Edwards, salary   | ..... | 33.00   |
| Henry McLaren, salary   | ..... | 31.25   |
| Fred Jolly, salary      | ..... | 31.25   |
| Herman Kirn, salary     | ..... | 30.00   |
| Geo. Hoelzle, salary    | ..... | 30.00   |
| Rex Burnett, salary     | ..... | 30.00   |
| Carl Kuhn, salary       | ..... | 30.00   |
| Jacob Gwinner, salary   | ..... | 30.00   |
| Wm. Beranek, salary     | ..... | 30.00   |
| Max Wittlinger, salary  | ..... | 30.00   |
| Arthur Clark, salary    | ..... | 27.50   |
| Dow Golden, salary      | ..... | 27.50   |
| Archie Waggott, salary  | ..... | 25.00   |
| Frank Markey, salary    | ..... | 25.00   |
| Geo. Holzhauer, salary  | ..... | 25.00   |
| Chas. Carroll, salary   | ..... | 20.00   |
| Frank Kapp, salary      | ..... | 20.00   |

Total salaries for ½ month  
of February .....\$579.00  
Harry Kuhn, substitute ..... 1.00

Total Fire fund .....\$580.00

**Police Fund.**

|                        |       |         |
|------------------------|-------|---------|
| Theo. C. Apfel, salary | ..... | \$41.66 |
| John O'Mara, salary    | ..... | 30.00   |
| Thomas O'Brien, salary | ..... | 30.00   |
| Matthew Max, salary    | ..... | 30.00   |
| M. J. Martin, salary   | ..... | 30.00   |
| Geo. Schanz, salary    | ..... | 30.00   |
| Wm. Blackburn, salary  | ..... | 30.00   |
| Zenus Sweet, salary    | ..... | 30.00   |
| Don. McIntyre, salary  | ..... | 20.00   |

Total salaries for ½ month  
of February .....\$271.66

**Cemetery Fund.**

John McHugh, snow plowing. \$1.12

**Street Fund.**

Wm. Bury, labor ..... \$13.56  
 John Hession, labor ..... 2.00  
 Michael Hession, labor ..... 13.80  
 James Mason, labor ..... 17.89  
 S. A. Elsifor, team and snow plowing ..... 37.56  
 Bennett French, snow plowing 16.00  
 E. R. Schaffer, snow plowing 22.00  
 Albert Steffen, snow plowing. 15.00  
 Joe Wallaker, snow plowing. 10.10  
 Geo. W. Weeks, snow plowing 13.50

Total .....\$161.41

**Sidewalk Fund.**

King Bruce, labor ..... \$5.50  
 Wm. Bury, labor ..... 1.11  
 George Haist, labor ..... 1.60  
 Michael Herey, labor ..... 11.50  
 August Herman, labor ..... 1.30  
 John Holla, labor ..... 2.90  
 John Radford, labor ..... 7.40  
 Wilfred Trainor, labor ..... 1.60  
 John Weinman, labor ..... 4.60

Total ..... \$37.51

**Bridge, Culvert & Crosswalk Fund.**

Wm. Bury, labor ..... \$1.78

**Recapitulation.**

Fire fund .....\$580.00  
 Police fund ..... 271.66  
 Cemetery fund ..... 1.12  
 Street fund ..... 161.41  
 Sidewalk fund ..... 37.51  
 Bridge, Cul. and Crosswalk... 1.78

Total .....\$1,053.48

Approved and respectfully submitted to the finance committee.

ROSS GRANGER,

City Clerk.

Finance report adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Georg, Hochrein, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Manwaring, Sherk Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Lutz, Pres. Walz, 13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Goodyear: Resolved, that the sum of seven dollars be transferred from the Judgment Contingent fund to the Contingent fund.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Georg, Hochrein, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Manwaring, Sherk Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Lutz, Pres. Walz, 13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Goodyear: Resolved, that the bill of Theo. C. Apfel, \$19.35, be allowed, and clerk draw warrant for same.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Georg, Hochrein,

Murray, Sweet, Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Pres. Walz, 9.

Nays—Ald Pipp, Manwaring, Sherk, Lutz, 4.

Moved by Ald. Manwaring: That the Ordinance committee be excused from any further consideration of smoke ordinance. Adopted.

**Sewer Committee.**

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen..Your committee, to whom the petition of L. D. Carr et al was referred, would respectfully report that, deeming the construction of the said sanitary sewer a necessary public improvement, we recommend to your honorable body that a sanitary sewer be constructed as follows: Starting at intersection of Wells and Packard streets S. E. to Granger avenue; east on Granger avenue to Ferdon road; north on Ferdon road 1600 feet; on Baldwin avenue from Wells street to a point 1100 feet north; on Martin avenue from Wells street 1100 feet north; on Lincoln avenue from Wells street 650 feet north; on Olivia avenue from Granger avenue to Wells street; on Forest ave. from Granger ave. to Wells st.; on Woodlawn ave. from Packard st. to Forest ave., and on Wells street from Forest avenue to Baldwin avenue.

Respectfully submitted,

I. L. Sherk, Conrad Georg Jr.,

George Lutz, Henry Hochrein,

Sewer Committee.

By Ald. Pipp: Resolved, that the construction of the sanitary sewer hereinafter designated is deemed and declared a necessary public improvement, and the construction of the same is hereby ordered, that is to say: Starting at intersection of Wells and Packard streets S. E. to Granger avenue; east on Granger avenue to Ferdon road; north on Ferdon road 1600 feet; on Baldwin avenue from Wells street to a point 1100 feet north; on Martin avenue from Wells street 1100 feet north; on Lincoln avenue from Wells street 650 feet north; on Olivia avenue from Granger avenue to Wells street; on Forest avenue from Granger avenue to Wells street; on Woodlawn avenue from Packard street to Forest avenue and on Wells street from Forest avenue to Baldwin avenue.

Resolved, further, that the city engineer cause all needful surveys, maps, measurments and estimates to be made and report the same to the

council with all convenient dispatch.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald Stark, Georg, Hochrein, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Lutz, Pres. Walz, 13.

Nays—None.

**Engineer's Estimate.**

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 15, 1909.  
Hon. Common Council, City:

Gentlemen—In accordance with your resoluition, I herewith submit approximate estimate of the cost of constructing sanitary sewer in Lateral Sewer District No. 34 (Packard street, Granger avenue, Ferdon road, etc.):

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| 7200 ft of 8 in pipe at .14..               | \$1,008.00 |
| 2220 ft of 10 in. pipe at .20.              | 444.00     |
| 300 4 in. x 8 in. Y branches at .60 ..      | 180.00     |
| 100 4 in. x 10 in. Y branches at .90 ..     | 90.00      |
| 1420 ft. of excavation 0 to 6 ft. at .34 .. | 482.80     |
| 8800 ft. of excavation 6 to 3 ft at .45 ..  | 3,960.00   |
| 25 manholes at \$25.00...                   | 625.00     |
| 7 rishtanks at \$55.00...                   | 385.00     |
| <hr/>                                       |            |
| Total .....                                 | \$7,174.80 |

Of this sum the city would pay for—

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| 315 ft 10 in. pipe laid at .65. | \$204.75 |
| 246 ft 8 in. pipe laid at .59.. | 141.60   |
| <hr/>                           |          |
|                                 | \$346.35 |

Respectfully submitted,

E. W. GROVES,  
City Engineer.

Received, accepted, and following resolution offered:

By Ald. Lutz: Resolved, that the matter of sewer district No. 34 (Packard street, Granger avenue, Ferdon road, Baldwin avenue, Martin avenue, Lincoln avenue, Olivia avenue, Forest avenue, Woodlawn avenue and Wells street), 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 said committee for the purpose of making due inquiry relating to 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. Stark, Georg, Hochrein, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Lutz, Pres. Walz, 13.

Nays—None.

**Special Committee Report.**

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Finance committee, to whom information desired by Committee on City Corporations, House of Representatives, was referred, respectfully recommend the following answers to questions.

Wm. Goodyear, Horation J. Abbott, R. Granger, Committee.

Name of city?—Ann Arbor.

Populaiton last census?—17,149 by city census of 1904; 14,599 by state census taken three months before.

Assessed valuation roll for 1908?—\$11,994,243.

Assessed valuation of real estate for 1908?—\$9,180,685.

Valuation personal property for 1908?—\$2,813,558.

Limit of taxation for city purposes?—Five mills under charter provisions, besides what may be necessary to care for any bonded indebtedness and interest. Besides this the city has been raising for the past few years from one mill to one and three quarter mills under a state law for bridges, culverts and crosswalks.

What do you consider should be the maximum rate for taxation for city purposes exclusive of school taxes?—Seven and a half mills, if the right to raise an almost indefinite amount under the Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk law is taken away.

If the revenue from the liquor tax is eliminated?—One mill extra.

What is the per cent of the bonding limit of your city as fixed by law?—The city cannot bond for any purpose without consent of the legislature under the charter, except that they may bond for not exceeding \$150,000.00 for paving, and for not exceeding \$40,000.00 for sewers.

Total bonded indebtedness for all purposes except school bonds?—\$109,904.23.

Of this bonded indebtedness how much incurred for local improvements met by special assessment on the property benefitted?—\$79,904.23, of which \$57,312.81 is for paving and \$22,591.42 for lateral sewers.

What do you consider should be the maximum rate of bonded indebtedness for all purposes outside of school debt?—The present arrangements work very well here and have kept down the debt of the city.

Does city constitute single school district?—It is districted with outside territory.

What is the total bonded indebted-

ness of city for school purposes?—  
\$220,000.

Remarks: If the limit of the tax rate for this city without a vote of the electors could be fixed at three quarters of one per cent, and the amount of money in the Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk fund at any one time could be limited to \$10,000.00 and the use of this fund by transfer or otherwise for any other purpose could be absolutely prohibited, an excellent condition of things would be attained.

Moved by Ald. Manwaring: That report be taken as sense of this council.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Georg, Hochrein, Murray, Sweet, Fipp, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Lutz, Pres. Walz, 13.

Nays—None.

**Officers' Reports.**

**CITY FUNDS**—To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor: Treasurer's Report for month ending January 30, 1909:

Money Received—  
Contingent fund—

|   |          |           |
|---|----------|-----------|
| Int. on daily bal.  | \$121.24 |           |
| Int on delin taxes  | 14.51    |           |
| Billiard and pool licenses  | 92.00    |           |
| Peddler's licenses  | 3.00     |           |
| Bowling alley licenses  | 80.00    |           |
| Theater licenses  | 65.00    |           |
| Billposter license.   | 25.00    |           |
| Dray license  | .50      |           |
| Milk license  | 1.00     |           |
| Plumber license   | 5.00     |           |
| Fees on taxes collected   | 289.17   |           |
| Penalty on uncollected taxes  | 954.77   |           |
| Excess of winter rolls  | 597.33   | \$2248.52 |
| Police fund—  |          |           |
| Officers fees and fines   | 26.15    |           |
| Delinquent Tax fund—  |          |           |
| Delinquent taxes from county treasurer                                | 122.28   |           |
| Uncollected City Tax fund—taxes collected                             | 2967.71  |           |
| Judgment Contingent—Flood judgment                                    | 3656.99  |           |
| Cemetery fund—Burial permits, \$10; paid on lot \$1; care of lot, \$1 | 12.00    |           |
| Fire Department fund—Payment on horse                                 | 75.00    |           |
| Dog License fund—From city clerk                                      | 1.25     |           |

Street fund—Sale of stone and plank

|                            |                         |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|
|                            | 11.25                   |
|                            | <u>\$9121.15</u>        |
| On hand Jan. 1st           | 5798.76                 |
|                            | <u>\$14,919.91</u>      |
|                            | 9619.63                 |
|                            | <u>On hand Feb. 1st</u> |
|                            | \$5,300.28              |
| Disbursed, Warrants Paid—  |                         |
| Contingent fund            | \$674.54                |
| Dog License fund           | 13.00                   |
| Fire Department fund       | 771.15                  |
| Poor fund                  | 120.80                  |
| Police fund                | 299.44                  |
| Street fund                | 93.29                   |
| Water fund                 | 1,290.00                |
| Street Lighting fund       | 1,138.09                |
| Sidewalk fund              | 61.23                   |
| City Hall Labor fund       | 40.00                   |
| Uncollected City Tax fund— |                         |
| Penalty on                 | 954.77                  |
| Excess of rolls            | 597.33                  |
| Flood judgment             | 3,656.99                |

Total \$9619.63  
Condition of City Funds on the first day of February, 1909.

On Hand—

|                          |            |
|--------------------------|------------|
| Contingent fund          | \$2,963.78 |
| City Cemetery fund       | 286.32     |
| Dog License fund         | 116.73     |
| State Dog Tax fund       | 100.60     |
| Fire Department fund     | 3,611.57   |
| Poor fund                | 15.82      |
| Police fund              | 1,208.25   |
| Street fund              | 1.53       |
| Water fund               | 25.45      |
| Storm Sewer fund         | .60        |
| Park fund                | 3.43       |
| Street Lighting fund     | 2,145.76   |
| Sidewalk fund            | 38.59      |
| Sidewalk Building fund   | 82.76      |
| City Hall Labor fund     | 126.43     |
| Judgment Contingent fund | 7.00       |

Total \$10,734.02

Overdrawn—  
Uncollected City Tax fund \$4,154.68  
Delinquent Tax fund 1,279.06

Total \$5.43

|                       |                |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| Balance on hand       | \$5,300.28     |
| Warrants outstanding— |                |
| Contingent fund       | \$15.20        |
| Fire Department fund  | 8.50           |
| Police fund           | 20.00          |
| Sidewalk fund         | 2.22           |
| Total                 | <u>\$45.92</u> |

**STATE, COUNTY AND SCHOOL FUNDS**—To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor: Treasur-

er's Report for the month ending  
January 30, 1909:

Money Received—  
State Tax fund—  
Taxes col. in January . . . \$3,598.32  
County Tax fund—  
Taxes col. in January . . . 2,109.36  
School Tax fund—  
Taxes col. in January . . . 8,695.39

Total . . . . . \$14,403.07  
On hand Jan. 1st . . . . . 70,394.92  
Disbursed . . . . . \$84,797.99  
57,673.85

On hand Feb. 1st . . . . \$27,124.14  
Disbursed, Warrants Paid—  
State Tax fund . . . . . \$20,598.73  
County Tax fund . . . . . 12,075.12  
School Tax fund . . . . . 25,000.00

Total . . . . . \$57,673.85  
Condition of State, County and School  
Funds on the first day of February,  
1909:

On Hand—  
State Tax fund . . . . . \$3,598.32  
County Tax fund . . . . . 2,109.36  
School Tax fund . . . . . 21,416.46

Total . . . . . \$27,124.14  
Balance on hand . . . . . \$27,124.14

PAVING FUNDS—To the Common  
Council of the City of Ann Arbor:  
Treasurer's Report for month end-  
ing January 30, 1909:

Money Received—  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 4—  
Taxes col. in January . . . . \$56.00  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 5—  
Taxes col. in January . . . . 66.72  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 7—  
Taxes col. in January . . . . 146.59  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 9—  
Taxes col. in January . . . . 23.18  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 10—  
Taxes col. in January . . . . 41.03

Total . . . . . \$333.52  
On hand Jan. 1st . . . . . 12,901.68  
Disbursed . . . . . \$13,235.20  
954.60

On hand Feb. 1st . . . . \$12,280.60  
Disbursed, Warrants Paid—  
Labor Acct. Paving Dist.  
No. 10 . . . . . \$954.60

Total . . . . . \$954.60  
Condition of Paving Funds on the first  
day of February, 1909:  
On Hand—  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 4. \$2,681.30

Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 5. 3,606.45  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 6. 280.78  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 7. 3,072.22  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 8. 503.03  
Tax Acct. Paving Dist. No. 9. 1,104.91  
Labor Acct. Paving Dist. No.  
9 . . . . . 1,839.46

Total . . . . . \$13,088.15  
Overdrawn—  
Labor Acct. Paving Dist. No.  
11 . . . . . \$807.55

Total . . . . . \$807.55  
Balance on hand . . . . . \$12,280.60

LATERAL SEWER FUNDS—To the  
Common Council of the City of Ann  
Arbor: Treasurer's Report for the  
month ending January 30, 1909.

Money Received—  
Labor Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 27—  
Sale of Bonds . . . . . \$3,500.00  
Labor Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 30—  
Sale of Bonds . . . . . 287.09  
Labor Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 31—  
Sale of Bonds . . . . . 235.90  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 27—  
Accrued Int on

Bonds sold . . . \$24.16  
Taxes collected . . 185.11 209.27  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 30—  
Accru'd Int. on Bonds sold . . . 2.06  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 31—  
Accru'd Int. on Bonds sold . . . 1.66

Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 13—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 39.75  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 14—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 9.08  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 16—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 19.96  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 18—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 13.37  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 19—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 4.47  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 20—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 70.05  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 21—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 10.99  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 22—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 55.84  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 25—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 6.30  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 26—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 90.17  
Tax Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 28—  
Taxes collected . . . . . 105.28

Total . . . . . \$4,661.24  
On hand Jan. 1st . . . . . 336.38

Disbursed . . . . . \$4,997.62  
29.25  
\$4,968.37

Disbursed, Warrants Paid—  
Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 27 \$20.29

Total ..... \$29.25  
 Condition of Lateral Sewer Funds on  
 the first day of February, 1909:  
 On Hand—

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 13. | \$970.42 |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 14. | 732.09   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 15. | 519.26   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 16. | 339.07   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 17. | 146.90   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 18. | 749.79   |
| Tax Acct. Int. Sewer No. 19. | 138.25   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 20. | 417.69   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 21. | 473.21   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 22. | 1609.10  |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 24. | 867.68   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 25. | 1002.12  |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 26. | 1758.23  |
| Tax Acct. Int. Sewer No. 27. | 3308.11  |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 28. | 659.37   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 29. | 211.23   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 30. | 543.01   |
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 31. | 440.39   |

Total ..... \$14,885.92

Overdrawn—

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Tax Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 11. | \$109.43 |
| Tax Acct. Int. Sewer No. 12. | 123.09   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 13 | 1648.16  |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 16 | 187.49   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 17 | 170.53   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 18 | 205.57   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 19 | 253.96   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 20 | 107.36   |
| Lab. Acct. Int. Sewer No. 21 | 269.98   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 22 | 592.25   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 24 | 382.67   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 25 | 521.25   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 26 | 1224.08  |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 27 | 2084.25  |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 28 | 473.88   |
| Lab. Acct. Int. Sewer No. 29 | 600.71   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 30 | 508.27   |
| Lab. Acct. Lat. Sewer No. 31 | 424.62   |

Total ..... \$9,917.55

Balance on hand ..... \$4,968.37

January, 1909—Condition of Funds—

|                          |            |
|--------------------------|------------|
| City Funds—on hand.....  | \$5,300.28 |
| Paving Funds—on hand...  | 12,280.60  |
| Sewer Funds—on hand...   | 4,968.37   |
| School Funds—on hand ... | 21,416.46  |
| County Funds—on hand ..  | 2,109.36   |
| State Funds—on hand ...  | 3,598.32   |

\$49,673.39

Cash in treasury at close  
 of business January 30,  
 1909 . . . . \$2,692.09

Bank Cashier's

certificate .. 46,981.30 \$49,673.39

Respectfully submitted,

D. A. HAMMOND,

City Treasurer.

State Savings Bank,  
 Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 8, 1909  
 To whom this may concern:—

This is to certify that there was on  
 deposit in this bank to the credit of  
 D. A. Hammond, city treasurer, at the  
 close of business Jan. 30th, 1909, the  
 sum of \$46,981.30.

Respectfully,

C. J. WALZ,

Cashier.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY  
 CLERK.**

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—In accordance with  
 the city charter, I submit the annual  
 statement of accounts and finances of  
 the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, for  
 year ending January 31st, 1909.

I desire to take this opportunity to  
 extend to your honorable body my  
 sincere thanks for the confidence you  
 have reposed in me, and the manner  
 in which you have sustained me in  
 the performance of my duties.

**ACTUAL CASH RECEIPTS.**

City Clerk's Office.

From February 1st, 1908, to January  
 31st, 1909.

**Contingent Fund.**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Billiard and pool table li-<br>censes ..... | \$ 92.00  |
| Bowling alley licenses .....                | 120.00    |
| Theater licenses .....                      | 135.00    |
| Peddler licenses .....                      | 90.00     |
| Plumber licenses .....                      | 10.00     |
| Dray and hack licenses ....                 | 34.50     |
| Saloon licenses .....                       | 37.00     |
| Milk licenses .....                         | 127.00    |
| Bill poster's license .....                 | 25.00     |
| Fruit and orchard spraying.                 | 299.65    |
| Cleaning walk and rent of<br>barn .....     | 2.00      |
| Total .....                                 | \$ 972.15 |

**Fire Fund.**

Sale of horse ..... \$ 150.00

**Police Fund.**

Damaged property ..... \$ 41.35

**Park Fund.**

Sale of trees, etc. .... \$ 5.80

**Dog License Fund.**

Collected by city clerk ..... \$ 103.75  
 Collected by Harris Ball ... 50.25

Total ..... \$ 154.00

**Cemetery Fund.**

Sale of lots ..... \$ 109.00  
 Burial permits ..... 174.00  
 Care of lots ..... 101.00

Total ..... \$ 384.00

**Street Fund.**

Repairs ..... \$ 3.75  
 Sale of brick ..... 44.35  
 Sale of stone and old plank 11.25

Total ..... \$ 59.35

Report of the City Clerk for Month Ending Jan. 31, 1909.

| CITY FUNDS             | BAL. JAN. 31, 1909. |                  | Liabilities Contracted | Available       | Deficit           |
|------------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
|                        | On Hand             | Overdrawn        |                        |                 |                   |
| Contingent . . . . .   | \$2948.58           |                  | \$7482.42              |                 | \$4533.90         |
| City Hall—Labor        | 126.43              |                  | 126.43                 |                 |                   |
| City Cemetery..        | 286.32              |                  | 174.96                 | 111.36          |                   |
| Dog License . . .      | 116.73              |                  |                        | 116.73          |                   |
| State Dog Tax..        | 100.00              |                  |                        | 100.00          |                   |
| Delinquent Tax .       |                     | \$1279.06        |                        |                 |                   |
| Fire Department        | 3603.07             |                  | 6369.00                |                 | 2765.93           |
| Poor . . . . .         | 15.82               |                  | 60.00                  |                 | 44.18             |
| Police . . . . .       | 1188.25             |                  | 2988.32                |                 | 1800.07           |
| Street . . . . .       | 1.53                |                  |                        | 1.53            |                   |
| Uncol. city tax..      |                     | 4154.68          |                        |                 |                   |
| Water . . . . .        | 25.45               |                  | 7235.00                |                 | 7209.55           |
| Storm sewer . . .      | .60                 |                  |                        | .60             |                   |
| Park . . . . .         | 3.43                |                  | 20.00                  |                 | 16.57             |
| Street Lighting.       | 2145.76             |                  | 6801.00                |                 | 4655.24           |
| Sidewalk . . . . .     | 36.37               |                  |                        | 36.37           |                   |
| Sidewalk Build'g       | 82.76               |                  |                        | 82.76           |                   |
| Judgm't con . .        | 7.00                |                  |                        | 7.00            |                   |
| <b>Total . . . . .</b> | <b>\$10,688.10</b>  | <b>\$5433.74</b> | <b>\$30757.13</b>      | <b>\$456.35</b> | <b>\$21025.44</b> |

Respectfully submitted,

ROSS GRANGER, City Clerk.

**Sidewalk Fund.**  
 Sale of stone, cement, etc...\$ 59.35

**Sidewalk Building Fund.**  
 Walks built by city . . . . . \$ 484.10  
 Total receipts city clerk's office . . . . . \$2,310.10

**EXPENDITURES.**  
 Actual Warrants Drawn from February 1st, 1908, to January 31st, 1909.

**CITY FUNDS.**  
**Contingent Fund.**  
 Regular salaries . . . . . \$11,023.02  
 Collecting garbage . . . . . 2,750.00  
 Printing and publishing . . . 1,354.15  
 Revision of charter and ordinances . . . . . 565.00  
 Litigation . . . . . 4,761.71  
 Extra services—city attorney, assessor, water census, etc. . . . . 596.06  
 Labor on sewers, tending flushtanks, etc., . . . . . 598.75  
 Boards of review . . . . . 291.00  
 Elections, etc.—  
 Two elections . . . . . \$759.70  
 Primary election.. 341.70  
 Enrollment . . . . . 168.00  
 Two registrations. 604.60  
 Total . . . . . 1,874.00  
 Board of health—  
 Milk analyses . . . \$128.00  
 Supplies, etc. . . . 89.93  
 Total . . . . . 217.93

Fruit and orchard, labor and supplies . . . . . 638.16  
 Ambulance calls and wood for poor . . . . . 477.50  
 Payment and interest on city yard property . . . . . 550.00  
 Final payment on 7th ward building . . . . . 175.00  
 Balance on Burroughs adding machine . . . . . 275.00  
 Furnishing mayor's office, city hall . . . . . 149.00  
 Finishing G. A. R. rooms, city hall . . . . . 119.64  
 City telephones . . . . . 572.65  
 Insurance . . . . . 108.34  
 Coal for city hall . . . . . 315.55  
 Light—City hall, council chamber and clock . . . . . 340.83  
 Liveries for committees . . . . . 95.50  
 Sprinkling streets . . . . . 240.00  
 Water—City hall and cleaning pavements . . . . . 71.35  
 Bookbinding . . . . . 114.65  
 General supplies . . . . . 969.54  
 G. A. R. for memorial day. . . . . 60.00  
 Repairs . . . . . 47.05  
 Express, freight and cartage . . . . . 9.61

Contingent fund total . . . \$29,367.99

**Judgment Contingent Fund.**  
 Settling flood cases . . . . . \$ 3,649.99

**Fire Fund.**

Regular salaries .....\$14,142.65  
 Supplies, care of horses, etc. 2,428.48  
 Total .....\$16,571.13

**Police Fund.**

Regular salaries .....\$ 3,483.35  
 Supplies, special police, etc. 593.53  
 Total .....\$ 7,076.88

**Poor Fund.**

Salary .....\$ 120.00  
 Supplies, etc ..... 2,167.56  
 Total .....\$ 2,287.56

**Dog License Fund.**

Services .....\$ 110.25  
 Supplies ..... 6.76  
 Total .....\$ 117.01

**Cemetery Fund.**

Salary .....\$ 349.92  
 Supplies ..... 39.96  
 Total .....\$ 389.88

**Park Fund.**

Labor .....\$ 1,459.00  
 Payments on contracts ... 1,115.25  
 Supplies, etc. .... 366.16  
 Total .....\$ 2,940.41

**Street Fund.**

Labor .....\$ 3,475.46  
 Supplies, etc. .... 1,212.75  
 Total .....\$ 4,688.21

**Sidewalk Fund.**

Labor .....\$ 1,581.20  
**Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.**  
 Labor .....\$ 2,317.68  
 Supplies, etc. .... 2,795.91  
 Total .....\$ 5,113.59

**Sidewalk Building Fund.**

Walks built by city .....\$ 659.07

**Street Lighting Fund.**

Electric lights .....\$ 10,576.30  
 Gas lights ..... 2,223.70  
 Total .....\$12,805.00

**Water Fund.**

Hydrants and water .....\$ 7,975.58

**City Hall Labor Fund.**

Janitor salary .....\$ 240.00  
 Final payment on contract. 110.80  
 Supplies, etc. .... 263.45  
 Total .....\$ 614.25

**City Hall Tax Fund.**

Interest on bonds .....\$ 1,200.00

**Main Sewer Bond Fund.**

Final payment bond and interest .....\$ 2,100.00

Total expenditure city funds .....\$104,137.75

**PAVING FUNDS.**

**Tax Account Paving District No. 4.**

Bonds redeemed .....\$ 2,785.00  
 Interest ..... 334.20

Total .....\$ 3,119.20

**Tax Account Paving District No. 5.**

Bonds redeemed .....\$ 3,177.90  
 Interest ..... 635.60

Total .....\$ 3,813.50

**Tax Account Paving District No. 6.**

Bonds redeemed .....\$ 340.00  
 Interest ..... 68.00

Total .....\$ 408.00

**Tax Account Paving District No. 7.**

Bonds redeemed .....\$ 2,448.61  
 Interest ..... 587.70  
 Remitted tax ..... 2.22

Total .....\$ 3,039.53

**Tax Account Paving District No. 8.**

Bonds redeemed .....\$ 649.08  
 Interest ..... 153.82

Total .....\$ 804.90

**Tax Account Paving District No. 9.**

Interest .....\$ 200.00

**Tax Account Paving District No. 10.**

Bonds redeemed .....\$ 1,909.21  
 Interest ..... 541.10

Total .....\$ 2,450.31

**Labor Acc't Paving District No. 10.**

Final payment on contract.\$ 954.60

**Labor Acc't Paving District No. 11.**

Labor .....\$ 285.89  
 Supplies ..... 521.66

Total .....\$ 807.55

Total expenditures paving funds .....\$15,597.59

**SEWER FUNDS.**

**Tax Account Sewer District No. 14.**

Interest .....\$ 40.00

**Tax Account Sewer District No. 15.**

Interest .....\$ 34.72

**Tax Account Sewer District No. 16.**

Interest .....\$ 25.36

**Tax Account Sewer District No. 18.**

Bonds redeemed .....\$ 1,000.00  
 Interest ..... 120.00

Total .....\$ 1,120.00

**Tax Account Sewer District No. 20.**

Bonds redeemed .....\$ 500.00  
 Interest ..... 60.00

Total .....\$ 560.00

**Tax Account Sewer District No. 21.**

Interest .....\$ 14.24



**Labor Account Sewer District No. 21.**  
 Final payment on contract. \$ 51.40  
**Tax Account Sewer District No. 22.**  
 Interest ..... \$ 31.58  
**Labor Account Sewer District No. 22.**  
 Final payment on contract. \$ 376.67  
**Tax Account Sewer District No. 24.**  
 Interest ..... \$ 10.20  
 Remitted tax ..... 16.49

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Total ..... \$ 26.69

**Labor Account Sewer District No. 24.**  
 Final payment on contract. \$ 82.21  
**Tax Account Sewer District No. 25.**  
 Bond redeemed ..... \$ 38.86  
 Interest ..... 41.15

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Total ..... \$ 83.01

**Labor Account Sewer District No. 25.**  
 Final payments on contract. \$ 995.71  
**Tax Account Sewer District No. 26.**  
 Interest ..... \$ 93.22  
**Labor Account Sewer District No. 26.**  
 Final payments on contract. \$ 1,859.76  
**Tax Account Sewer District No. 27.**  
 Remitted tax ..... \$ 29.25

**Labor Account Sewer District No. 27.**  
 Payments on contract ..... \$ 7,572.23  
 Inspecting ..... 48.00

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Total ..... \$ 7,620.23

**Tax Account Sewer District No. 28.**  
 Interest ..... \$ 35.15  
**Labor Account Sewer District No. 28.**  
 Payment on contract ..... \$ 94.77  
**Labor Account Sewer District No. 29.**  
 Payments on contract ..... \$ 600.71

**Labor Account Sewer District No. 30.**  
 Payment on contract. .... \$ 1,043.45  
 Inspecting ..... 39.00

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Total ..... \$ 1,082.45

**Labor Account Sewer District No. 31.**  
 Payment on contract ..... \$ 732.80  
 Total expenditures sewer funds ..... \$15,581.87

**Recapitulation of Expenditures.**  
 City funds ..... \$104,137.75  
 Paving funds ..... 15,597.59  
 Sewer funds ..... 15,581.87

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Total ..... \$135,317.21

**RECAPITULATION.  
 CITY FUNDS.**

**Receipts.**

Balance on hand Feb. 1st, 1908 ..... \$ 4,059.19  
 Cash received by clerk... 2,310.10  
 Other cash reported by treasurer ..... 103,096.03

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Total ..... \$109,465.32

**Expenditures.**  
 Outstanding warrants Feb. 1st, 1908 ..... \$ 73.21  
 Warrants drawn during year ..... 104,137.75

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\$104,210.96  
 Less outstanding warrants, Feb. 1st, 1909 ..... 45.92

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Actual warrants paid .... \$104,165.04

Actual cash balance on hand Feb. 1st, 1909.. \$ 5,300.28

**PAVING FUND.**

**Receipts.**

Balance on hand Feb. 1st, 1908, ..... \$ 17,162.53  
 Reported by treasurer ... 10,715.66

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Total ..... \$ 27,878.19

**Expenditures.**

Warrants drawn during year ..... \$ 15,597.59

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Actual cash balance on hand Feb. 1st, 1909.. \$ 12,280.60

**SEWER FUNDS.**

**Receipts.**

Reported by treasurer.... \$ 26,780.68

**Expenditures.**

Overdrawn Feb. 1st, 1908. \$ 6,230.44  
 Warrants drawn during year ..... 15,581.87

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Total ..... \$ 21,812.31

Actual cash balance on hand Feb. 1, 1909.. \$ 4,963.37

**APPENDIX.**

**Bonds Sold During the Year.**

Sewer district No. 21..... \$ 809.94  
 Sewer district No. 22..... 1,092.26  
 Sewer district No. 24..... 765.35  
 Sewer district No. 25..... 1,033.86  
 Sewer district No. 26..... 3,496.62  
 Sewer district No. 27..... 5,535.98  
 Sewer district No. 28..... 1,421.62  
 Sewer district No. 30..... 574.18  
 Sewer district No. 31..... 471.80

Total ..... \$15,197.61

**Redemption of Bonds and Interest Paid During the Year.**

Main sewer bonds, \$2,000; interest, \$100.00.  
 City hall bonds, interest, \$1,200.  
 Paving bonds Dist. No. 4. \$2,785.00; interest, \$334.20.  
 Paving bonds Dist. No. 5, \$3,177.90; interest, \$635.60.  
 Paving bonds Dist. No. 6. \$340.00; interest, \$68.00.

Paving bonds Dist. No. 7, \$2,448.61; interest, \$587.70.  
 Paving bonds Dist. No. 8, \$649.08; interest, \$155.82.  
 Paving bonds Dist. No. 9, interest, \$200.00.  
 Paving bds., Dist. No. 10, \$1,903.21; interest, \$541.10.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 14, interest, \$40.00.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 15, interest, \$34.72.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 16, interest, \$25.30.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 18, \$1,000.00; interest, \$120.00.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 20, \$500.00; interest, \$60.00.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 21, interest, \$14.24.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 22, interest, \$31.58.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 24, interest, \$10.20.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 25, \$38.86; interest, \$44.15.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 26, interest, \$93.22.  
 Sewer bonds Dist. No. 28, interest, \$33.15.  
 Total bonds redeemed, \$14,848.66; total interest, \$4,328.98.

**BONDS OUTSTANDING.**

Feb. 1st, 1909.

General City Bonds—  
 City hall .....\$ 30,000.00  
 District bonds—  
 Paving ....\$57,312.81  
 Sewer ..... 22,591.42—\$ 79,904.23  
 Total .....\$109,904.23

**LIABILITIES NOW CONTRACTED.**

For Year Ending Jan. 31st., 1910.

(City Funds.)

Forty-four employes of city  
 —salary .....\$32,400.72  
 Garbage contract ..... 3,600.00  
 213 fire hydrants ..... 8,100.00  
 Drinking fountains, flush-  
 ing sewers, etc. .... 335.00  
 196 electric street and alley  
 lights ..... 11,106.00  
 112 gas street lights ..... 2,492.00  
 72 telephones in use ..... 723.60  
 Land contracts — principle  
 and interest ..... 1,822.23  
 Aerial truck—first payment  
 and interest ..... 1,623.75  
 Total .....\$62,181.30  
 Add to the foregoing contracts an  
 estimate of other expenses, not at  
 present contracted for, such as:—  
 Street and sidewalk work..\$16,000.00  
 Care of horses, harness, re-  
 pairs, etc. .... 3,000.00

Care of city poor ..... 2,500.00  
 Fuel, light, postage, park  
 work, registration and  
 elections, printing, pub-  
 lication of council pro-  
 ceedings and other con-  
 tingent expenses ..... 15,000.00  
 And we have an approxi-  
 mate estimate of the cost  
 of running the city for  
 the year ending January  
 31, 1910 of .....\$98,681.30  
 Deduct treasurer's  
 fees .....\$1,800.00  
 Clerk's coll'tions 2,300.00  
 Liquor licenses. 9 194.50—\$13,294.50  
 And it leaves a balance of.\$85,386.80  
 To be raised for natural running ex-  
 penses, city funds.

This has nothing to do with the  
 pavement or sewer districts. The ex-  
 act amount to be raised for these  
 funds will be known, and raised by  
 spreading the same on the tax rolls  
 next July by virtue of the acts of the  
 legislature authorizing the same.

By looking this report over care-  
 fully you will see that the amount of  
 money that can be raised under the  
 tax limit is not sufficient to take care  
 of the natural running expenses of  
 the city, and if any unusual improve-  
 ment is contemplated money should  
 be raised for same by vote of the peo-  
 ple.

Respectfully submitted,  
 ROSS GRANGER,  
 City Clerk and Comptroller.

Reports of Treasurer and Clerk for  
 month ending January 31st, and  
 Clerk's annual report for year ending  
 January 31st, 1909, received and or-  
 dered printed in minutes and filed.

**Resolutions.**

Moved by Ald. Abbott, That Dr. E.  
 K. Herdman be and is hereby appoint-  
 ed to act as City Physician for ensu-  
 ing year.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Georg, Hochrein,  
 Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Manwaring,  
 Sherk, Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Lutz,  
 Pres. Walz, 13.

Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Sweet, That the sal-  
 ary of City Physician be placed at  
 \$300 for ensuing year.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Georg, Hochrein,  
 Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Manwaring,  
 Sherk, Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Lutz,  
 Pres. Walz, 13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manwaring: Resolved, that  
 the City Clerk be authorized and he  
 is hereby ordered to draw warrants

for all bonds and interest due against  
the City of Ann Arbor March first,  
1909.

Sherk, Goodyear, Smith, Abbott, Lutz,  
Pres. Walz, 13.

Nays—None.

Adopted as follows:

The Council adjourned.

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Georg, Hochrein,  
Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Manwaring,

ROSS GRANGER,  
Clerk.