

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor, Mich., April 26, 1915. Adjourned regular session.

Meeting called to order by the president. Present: Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Koernke, Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, Manwaring, McGregor, Freeman, G. Lutz, Sink, Pres. Wurster, 15. Absent, none.

**Communications.**

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 26, 1915.

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the city of Ann Arbor: Gentlemen—I have to call the attention of your honorable body to the fact that the fence along the north and east side of West Park, which adjoins my garden, is not kept up as promised and specified in the deeds when the land was sold to the city for park purposes. I must therefore insist that the committee in charge will see to it that this is corrected as I cannot allow any more trespassing on the grounds. I also must insist that no more balls are allowed to fly over in my greenhouse and garden, and that boys in hunting for them tramp on and ruin plants. I trust that this be given your kind and immediate attention and no more complaints or other steps made necessary.

Very respectfully yours, Geo. Bishoff.  
Referred to Park committee.

**From Board of Public Works.**

To the Board of Public Works of the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan: Since a new ordinance for oiling streets which is under discussion by Common Council at the present time will be in operation too late for this year, if passed, and since sprinkling district No. 13 has been abolished, we, the residents on Oakland avenue between Hill street and East University avenue, being desirous of having this portion of Oakland avenue oiled at our own expense, respectfully petition for permission to have this done under the supervision of the street department.

Name.	Street frontage.
Carl F. Braun .....	112 feet.
A. W. Smith .....	65 feet.
E. A. Boucke .....	104 feet
Sigma Nu Fraternity, C. C.	
Steck .....	132 feet
C W. Wagner .....	150 feet
T. Diekhoff .....	66 feet
Chas. F. Meyers .....	66 feet
Alice Woodbridge .....	132 feet

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streets which is under discussion by Common Council at the present time will be in operation too late for this year, if passed, and since sprinkling district No. 13 has been abolished, we, the residents on Tappan street between Hill street and East University avenue, being desirous of having this portion of Tappan street oiled at our own expense, respectfully petition for permission to have this done under the supervision of the street department.

Name.	Street frontage.
Arthur G. Hall .....	168 feet
Isabelle B. Kelsey .....	106 feet
B. A. Finney .....	127 feet
M. J. Cavanaugh .....	90 feet
Clada G. Sturgis .....	66 feet
Mrs. Ida C. Wheat .....	150 feet

Moved by Mr. Cornwell, that the requests be granted on approval of the Council.

(Council action.)

Moved by Ald. Sink, that council approve action of the board of public works and requests be granted. Adopted.

Moved by Ald. Sherk, that the matter of purchasing an oil sprayer be referred to the board of public works, city engineer and street commissioner to report back to council. Adopted.

Deed of 66 feet of land, extending from the south line of Wood and Brooks' 1st subdivision to the north line of Wells st., for the purpose of extending Olivia ave., from Rudolph E. Rickert and Christine J. Rickert, to the city of Ann Arbor, Michigan, received.

Moved by Ald. Fiegel, that deed be accepted. Adopted by unanimous vote of the council, 15.

Communication from High School Athletic Association, asking that the west 132 feet of Edwin st. be opened for public travel and extended and graded to Philip st., received and ordered on file, on motion of Ald. Fiegel.

Communication from Carolyn H. Trueblood, et al., asking that a provision be incorporated in the sprinkling ordinance, or, if necessary, in the charter, to provide for sprinkling or oiling of the streets of the entire city, and that the expense incurred be spread upon the taxable property of the city, received, and on motion of Ald. Koernke, ordered on file.

Petition to Emanuel Holzapfel, et al., for sidewalks on both sides of Eighth st. between Huron and Washington sts., received and referred to Sidewalk committee.

### Committee Reports. Street Committee.

To the Council: Gentlemen—Your street committee has had the following matters under consideration and respectfully recommends:

1. That the petition of F. C. Newcombe and others, asking that Geddes ave., between Oswego st. and Oxford road, be paved this year, be granted, under the conditions of said petition, provided an assurance of payment of University property portion is furnished the Council.

2. That the board of public works present to the council plans, specifications and estimate of the cost for paving Geddes ave., from Oswego st. to Oxford road, with reinforced concrete.

3. That crosswalk be constructed across Phillip st. on the west side of Brown st., street to be cut down and crosswalk widened out five feet, the extra cost in width to be paid by property owners.

4. That crosswalks be constructed as follows: On the west side of Observatory st. across Ann st., on the north side of Minerva road across Forest ave., and on the west side of Fourteenth st. at intersection of E. Washington st.

Respectfully submitted, Albert Fiegel, E. B. Manwaring, Frank E. Heck, Chas. A. Sink, J. W. Markey, John McGregor, Albert S. Lutz, street committee.

Ald. Fiegel moved the adoption of the report, which was adopted by unanimous vote of the council, 15.

### License Committee.

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your license committee respectfully reports that the following applications for saloon licenses comply with the requirements of the ordinance and we recommend that, upon the filing of the proper bonds, licenses be issued to the applicants: Erhard T. Alber and Nathan Horning, Fred Brown, Lawrence J. Damm, Oswald Dietz and Edwin Dietz, Fred Dupper, William Frey and George Frey, William Goetz and Oscar Goetz, Daniel Haas and Henry W. Heibein, Fred G. Haas, George Heibein, Howard F. Heldenbrand, William F. Kapp and Charles A. Kapp, Richard Kearns, Jr., Charles F. Klais, Frank S. Marz, Henry J. Mayer, William C. Nowlin, Joseph S. Parker, Erle D. Ross, George A. Schaible, J. G. Fred Schmid, William Seagert, Sherman S. Sears and Charles R. Hires, Albert H. Staebler and Willis G. Johnson, George E.

Stadleman, Fred W. Wagner, J. August Waidelich and Ernest W. Waidelich, John George Walz.

Respectfully submitted, Sam. Heusel, John McGregor, I. L. Sherk, License Committee.

Ald Heusel moved the adoption of the report. Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Koernke, Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, Manwaring, McGregor, G. Lutz, Sink, Pres. Wurster, 14. Nays, Ald. Freeman, 1. Exit Ald Manwaring.

### Bond Committee.

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your committee on bonds have had the following bonds under consideration and respectfully recommend their approval:

### City Official Bonds.

Ross Granger, city clerk, principal; Sid. W. Millard and John R. Miner, sureties.

### Constable Bonds.

Orin B. Swezey, principal; M. M. Wheelock and Henry Bliton, sureties. Herman Volz, principal; Gottlieb Volz and Clarence F. Kensler, sureties. Julius Lohrke, principal; Fred Brown and Fred G. Haas, sureties. John Shankland, principal; Robert Shankland and Leslie J. Bush, sureties. Walter Koebnick, principal; Gottlob Illi and Joseph Bischoff, sureties. Marion M. Wheelock, principal; F. W. Bigalke and S. J. Salyer, sureties. John Young, principal; Jacob F. Fahrner and Frank A. Stivers, sureties.

### Druggists' Bonds.

E. E. Calkins, principal; A. E. Mummery and J. J. Goodyear, sureties. Arthur E. Crippen, principal; David A. Killins and Geo. W. Gillespie sureties. L. O. Cushing, principal; Fred W. Lamb and O. W. Cushing, sureties. Chas. H. Dawson and Wm. L. Dawson, principals; William H. Stark and Edward C. Krapf, sureties. Ottmar Eberbach, principal; Edward Eberbach and Martin Haller, sureties. Edgar C. Edsill, principal; Southern Surety company of St. Louis, Mo., surety. J. J. Goodyear, principal; E. E. Calkins and A. E. Mummery, sureties. Herman F. Miller, principal; Michael J. Fritz and John Schmid, sureties. Arthur E. Mummery, principal; J. J. Goodyear and E. E. Calkins, sureties. Quarry Drug company, principal; John R. Miner and Fred T. McOmber, sureties. Sugden Drug company, principal; Fred W. Lamb and Mrs. Ella Sugden, sureties. Ray J. VanDoren, principal; James W. Fin-

nell and Rebecca Van Doren, sureties.

#### Sa'oon Bonds.

William Frey and George Frey, principals; John W. Illi and Frederick Frey, sureties. William Goetz and Oscar Goetz, principals; Fred S. Chapin and J. Herman Goetz, sureties. J. G. Fred Schmid, principal, G. Fred Stein and Emanuel Luick, sureties, and the following principals with the Michigan Bonding and Surety company of Detroit, Mich., as surety for each: Erhard T. Alber and Nathan Horning, Fred Brown, Lawrence J. Damm, Oswald Dietz and Edwin Dietz, Fred Dupper, Daniel Haas and Henry W. Heibein, Fred G. Haas, George Heibein, William F. Kapp and Charles A. Kapp, Richard Kearns, Jr., Charles F. Klais, Frank S. Marz, Henry J. Mayer, William C. Nowlin, Joseph S. Parker, George A. Schaible, William Seagert, Sherman S. Sears and Charles R. Hires, Albert H. Staebler and Willis Johnson, George E. Stadleman, Fred W. Wagner, J. August Waidelich and Ernest W. Waidelich, John George Walz.

#### Liquor Dealers' Bonds.

William Goetz and Oscar Goetz, principals; Fred S. Chapin and J. Herman Goetz, sureties. J. G. Fred Schmid, principal; G. Fred Stein and Emanuel Luick, sureties, and the following principals with the Michigan Bonding and Surety company of Detroit, Mich., as surety for each: Erhard T. Alber and Nathan Horning, Fred Brown, Lawrence J. Damm, Oswald Dietz and Edwin Dietz, Fred Dupper, William Frey and George Frey, Daniel Haas and Henry W. Heibein, Fred G. Haas, George Heibein, William F. Kapp and Charles A. Kapp, Richard Kearns, Jr., Charles F. Klais, Frank S. Marz, Henry J. Mayer, William C. Nowlin, Joseph S. Parker, George A. Schaible, William Seagert, Sherman S. Sears and Charles R. Hires, Albert H. Staebler and Willis Johnson, George E. Stadleman, Fred W. Wagner, J. August Waidelich and Ernest W. Waidelich, John George Walz.

#### Brewers' Bonds.

The Michigan Union Brewing company, principal; the Michigan Bonding and Surety company of Detroit, Mich., surety.

#### Plumbers' Bonds.

John Ferne, principal; W. H. L. Rohde and Harry H. Gillen, sureties. Gottlob A. Raiser, principal; J. Herman Goetz and George E. Apfel, sureties. Wm. R. Schneider, principal;

John C. Fischer and John Voltz, sureties.

Respectfully submitted, J. W. Markey, F. E. Heck, Chas. A. Sink, Bond Committee.

Ald. Markey moved the adoption of the report, which was adopted by unanimous vote of those present, 14.

#### Special Committee.

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your special committee, appointed during the last council for the purpose of investigating the advisability of establishing a public market, begs to report that they have given considerable attention to the matter but have been unable to find any well defined demand for such a market, or any considerable assurance that it would be regularly patronized if established, and for these reasons recommend that the matter be dropped for the present and further that the committee be discharged.

Respectfully submitted, Chas. A. Sink, I. L. Sherk, Special Committee

Ald. Sink moved the adoption of the report, which was adopted by unanimous vote of those present, 14.

#### From Board of Public Works.

Board of Public Works, City of Ann Arbor: Gentlemen—This is an acknowledgement that I hereby agree to sprinkle District number 11 for \$1,460.00; District number 12 for \$840.00; and District number 14 for \$700.00.

Yours respectfully, John J. Gutekunst. Moved by Mr. Reule, that Mr. Gutekunst be awarded the contract to sprinkle Districts Nos. 11, 12 and 14, from May 1st to November 1st, 1915. Adopted.

Council action—Moved by Ald. Markey, that action of board be concurred in.

Adopted by unanimous vote of those present, 14.

#### Resolutions.

By Ald. Fiegel: Whereas, the city of Ann Arbor did under date of July 6th, 1909, execute to the International Manufacturing company a quit claim deed of the west 132 feet of Edwin street in said city, and

Whereas, said quit claim deed contained a reservation that in the event that said International Manufacturing company cease to use said land for manufacturing purposes said land was to revert to the city of Ann Arbor, and

Whereas, said International Manufacturing company no longer uses said land for manufacturing purposes, therefore be it

Resolved, that this Council does hereby declare said deed void in ac-

cordance with the reservation contained in said deed executed as aforesaid.

Adopted by unanimous vote of those present, 14.

The matter of gutter on the south side of Madison st. between First and

Second sts. was referred to Street committee.

The Council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER,  
Clerk.