

# COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[OFFICIAL]

COUNCIL CHAMBER,  
Ann Arbor, Sept. 5th, 1892. }

Regular meeting.

The Council was called to order by the President the Hon. Mortimer E. Cooley.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent—Ald. Martin, O'Mara, Rehberg, and Prettyman.—4.

The journal of the last session was approved.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR.

City of Ann Arbor, }  
Mayor's Office. }

Ann Arbor Mich, Sept. 5th, 1892.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—August 30th ult., I had the honor to address to the Board of Health a communication urging immediate attention to the sanitary condition of the city and advising prompt and decisive precautionary measures to ward off the threatening approach of Asiatic cholera. The communication was as follows:

City of Ann Arbor, }  
Mayor's Office, Aug. 30, 1892. }

To the Honorable the Board of Health of said City:

GENTLEMEN:—It seems to me that it is imperatively necessary that your honorable board take immediate and if necessary summary proceedings to place our city in proper sanitary condition to ward off the scourge of Asiatic cholera which now menaces the land. Almost any morning we may read of cholera making its appearance upon the Atlantic seaboard. And then it will be only a question of days for it to reach the great distributing centers of the northwest to be carried from thence along the arteries of travel to the cities and towns which invite its devastating presence. So far as human wisdom and approved sanitary precaution can protect our beautiful city, it is our duty as officials and good citizens and lovers of our fellow men to exert ourselves to the utmost limit of our authority, to protect the precious lives, committed, in a degree at least, to our official keeping. Permit me, therefore, to suggest that you inaugurate a house to house inspection of the

city's sanitary condition, noting particularly the cesspools, drains, closets, ponds, alleys, gutters, etc., and demanding and enforcing the proper cleansing and disinfecting, or even destruction and eradication of all things and conditions which menace the public health and safety.

Prompt municipal and domestic precaution now will cause the disease if it reaches us to fall upon sterile soil. It is said that previous epidemics of cholera have been most virulent in undrained and filthy cities and those with a polluted water supply. It is possible that the peculiar soil upon which our city rests and its natural drainage will afford us some immunities from noxious exhalations, far beyond those of other unsewered cities of our class. But it is not possible that filth and polluted water will be any different in their dangerous character in Ann Arbor than in any of our sister cities. Therefore, while I urge upon your honorable board and upon our municipal authorities generally prompt and decisive and harmonious efforts to minimize our danger, I am reminded that our labors will avail but little unless the citizens themselves assist by such wise and provident domestic precautions as your honorable body may see fit to recommend and which sanitarians have approved.

It can do no harm at least, to boil all suspected water used for drinking and culinary purposes, to prepare and liberally apply disinfectant solutions to closets and gutters and to cleanse and purify wherever offensive odors betray the germs of disease.

Let us remember that "cholera is not caused by fear," neither is it to be apprehended from any particular article of diet alone, but from the germs which directly or indirectly spread from the person or persons infected. Let us sterilize the soil upon which these germs will seek to find a resting place. Let us hope that God's mercy will avert from our shores "this pestilence which walketh in darkness and this destruction which waste that noonday."

Respectfully,

WM. G. DOTY, Mayor.

Upon consultation with the President of the Board of Health I am informed

that the Board is somewhat embarrassed by lack of funds for the proper prosecution of sanitary reforms. As the present emergency will not admit of delay, it is my opinion that the Board ought to be authorized to appoint a sufficient number of competent men to undertake a house to house inspection under the direction of the Board, that the purchase of disinfectants be authorized, and generally that the Board of Health be authorized and directed to take all necessary and proper proceedings to place the city in good sanitary condition.

I sincerely hope that your honorable body will authorize Board of Health to make such necessary expenditures as will accomplish the foregoing object. It is also to be hoped the various departments and officials of the city government will co-operate for the sanitary inspection and purification of the city.

Respectfully,  
WM. G. DOTY, Mayor.

Accepted and placed on file.

#### PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

*To the Common Council:*

We respectfully recommend and ask for an appropriation of \$75 00 for the grading of Felch street, at the new culvert over mill race.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

Accepted and referred to the Street Committee.

A petition signed by Wm. C. Jacobs and eight others, residents and property holders on Clark and Catherine streets, Fourth ward, city of Ann Arbor, asking that sidewalks be ordered built on the west side of Clark street, from Ann to Catherine streets, and on the south side of Catherine street, from Clark to Thirteenth streets. Accepted and referred to the Committee on Sidewalks.

A petition signed by J. C. Preston and ten others, residents and property holders on W. Huron street, city of Ann Arbor, asking that sidewalks be ordered built on the north and south sides of W. Huron street, also asking for the erection of two more electric lights west of Seventh street. Accepted

and that part as to sidewalks referred to the Committee on Sidewalks and that part asking for lights referred to the Committee on Lighting.

A petition signed by Louis P. Hall and twenty others, residents and property holders of the Sixth ward, asking for an electric light on the corner of Olivia avenue and Hill street. Accepted and referred to the Committee on Lighting.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES. FINANCE.

*To the Honorable the Common Council:*

Your committee on Finance respectfully report that they have had the following bills under consideration and would recommend their allowance at sums stated.

#### CONTINGENT FUND.

W. J. Miller, salary.....	66 66
E. B. Norris, salary.....	25 00
Mrs. Jacob H. Stark, janitor.....	6 26
Sid W. Millard, printing.....	3 00
Ihling Bros. & Everard, justice dockets	14 50
Telephone & Telegraph Construction	
Co., for 3rd Ward telephone at W. H.	
McIntyre's house.....	8 28
Wm. G. Snow, hack and horse hire....	3 00
Dr. John Kapp, 4 mos. salary.....	50 00
W. J. Miller, supplies.....	6 20
Ann Arbor T.-H. Electric Co., street	
lighting.....	540 00
Ann Arbor T.-H. Electric Co., office	2 00
Total.....	\$ 724 90

#### STREET FUND.

Nelson Sutherland, salary,.....	66 66
Geo. F. Key, salary.....	60 00
James Nelson, labor.....	4 50
Chauncey Dugdale, labor.....	41 40
Clarence Pray, labor.....	6 75
Anton Otto, labor.....	10 50
Geo. Johnson, labor.....	4 50
Peter Carey, labor.....	9 30
Jacob Michelfelder, labor.....	12 00
Patrick McCabe, labor.....	27 00
William Kuehn, labor.....	13 20
Orville Sage, labor.....	6 00
Ezra Bowen, labor.....	1 75
Charles Long, labor.....	3 00
Willis Clark, labor.....	9 75
Michael Kenny, labor.....	35 40
Lawrence Hughes, labor.....	10 65
Joseph Hutzel, labor.....	16 05
Frank Schultz, labor.....	33 82
Frank Heary, labor.....	4 95
Andrew Ziegler, labor.....	14 25
Karl Joerndt, labor.....	3 00
Gustave Walters, labor.....	16 95
Christian Jetter, labor.....	15 00
Frank Sutherland, labor.....	43 50
Thomas East, labor.....	3 00
Henry Teamann, labor.....	3 00
Seth Drake, labor.....	15 75
Albert Pettys teaming.....	12 25
George Weeks, ".....	1 40
Nelson Sutherland, horse and cart,....	35 75
Israel Clark, teaming.....	16 45
Michael Heary, ".....	22 75
Emil Baur, street cleaning.....	18 00
Clancy & Co., labor.....	4 00

John Allen, teaming.....	1 75
Thomas Eagle, teaming.....	17 50
Seth Drake, ".....	11 55
William Mason, paving stones.....	15 25
Ann Arbor Agricult'l Co., plow point.....	40
Oscar O. Sorg, supplies.....	70
Sweet & Bycraft, sand.....	65
F. M. Hallock, lumber.....	110 77
Schuh & Muehlig, supplies.....	64 68
Louis Rohde, brick and cement.....	4 50
Rinsey & Seabolt, supplies.....	1 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 830 98</b>

**BRIDGE, CULVERT AND CROSSWALK FUND.**

Christian & Henry Koch, Felch street culvert.....	475 00
John Baumgardner, crossing stone.....	173 02
H. Hammond, labor.....	7 50
Christian Jetter, ".....	6 00
Peter Carey, ".....	4 50
Patrick McKabe, ".....	2 25
Wm. Kuehn, ".....	26 10
Michael Williams, ".....	27 45
Joseph Hutzel, ".....	25 35
Lawrence Hughs, ".....	12 22
Michael Kinne, ".....	1 50
Willis Clark, ".....	10 80
Christian Eberbach, supplies.....	6 05
James G. Burchfield, labor.....	10 00
Gustave Walters, labor.....	75
Michael Williams, labor.....	15 60
James Tolbert, lumber.....	210 29
George Walker, building tar crossings.....	31 50
William Nimitz, labor.....	6 38
Newton Felch, labor.....	8 25
Claramon, Pray, labor.....	5 25
James Tolbert, lumber for Bridge No. 1.....	118 13
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 1,183 89</b>

**FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.**

Fred Siple, salary.....	60 00
C. A. Edwards, salary.....	50 00
Henry McLaren, salary.....	50 00
Louis Hoelzle, salary.....	50 00
Charles Carroll, salary.....	45 00
Max Wittlinger, salary.....	40 00
Frank Kapp, salary.....	40 00
Albert West, salary.....	40 00
Herman Kirn, salary.....	8 00
Louis Weinmann, salary.....	8 00
John Kenny, salary.....	8 00
Sam McLaren, salary.....	8 00
Morgan Williams, salary.....	8 00
Albert Weimer, sub.....	6 00
Aatrck Reed, sub.....	2 00
Allmendinger & Schneider, bran.....	2 10
Heinzmann & Laubengayer, oats.....	19 00
Charles Cubitt, straw.....	3 68
Mann Bros, supplies.....	3 20
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 442 98</b>

**POLICE FUND.**

James R. Murray, salary.....	65 00
David Collins, salary.....	50 00
Noble C. Tice, salary.....	50 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 165 00</b>

**CEMETERY FUND.**

Eli S. Manly, labor.....	7 50
Samuel Owen, labor.....	7 88
Matthew Luippold.....	3 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 18 00</b>

**POOR FUND.**

Fred Siple, salary.....	10 00
Edward Duffy, groceries.....	2 00
Mrs Ann Evans, aid.....	5 00
C. Eberbach & Son, medicine.....	1 75
John Goetz, & Son, groceries.....	2 17
John Goetz, jr., groceries.....	85

Jacob Henne, groceries.....	2 00
W. F. Lodholz, groceries.....	4 49
William H. McIntyre, groceries.....	10 45
O'Hara & Boyle, groceries.....	2 93
Rinsey & Seabolt, groceries.....	3 90
Caspar Rinsey, groceries.....	4 62
Wm. G. Snow, hack to County House.....	1 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 51 16</b>

**RECAPITULATION.**

Contingent Fund.....	\$ 724 90
Street Fund.....	830 98
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.....	1,183 89
Fire Fund.....	442 98
Police Fund.....	165 00
Cemetery Fund.....	18 38
Poor Fund.....	51 16
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$3,417 29</b>

Respectfully submitted.

WALTER L. TAYLOR,  
WILLIAM HERZ,  
A. H. FILLMORE,  
Finance Com.

Ald. Wines moved that the report be accepted and adopted and warrants ordered drawn for the sums stated therein. Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson, and Pres. Cooley.—9.

Nays.—None.

Ald. Wines moved that the bills for three years' insurance on Firemen's hall be allowed and warrants be ordered drawn in favor of Jas. R. Bach for the sum of \$67.50 and Beal & Pond at the sum of \$37.50.

Lost as follows, a majority of the Council not having voted therefor:

Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Kitson.—6.

Nays—Ald. Herz, Taylor, and President Cooley.—3.

Ald. Wines moved that the bill of the Ann Arbor Gas Co. be allowed at the amount of \$107.40 and a warrant be ordered drawn for said amount. Which motion was lost, a majority of the Council not having voted therefor.

Yeas.—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Snow, Ferguson, Kitson, and Pres. Cooley.—6.

Nays.—Ald. Herz, Fillmore, and Taylor.—3.

**ORDINANCE.**

Ald. Wines, leave having been granted, introduced an ordinance en-

titled an ordinance relative to nuisances and to regulate the confinement of swine within the city limits. Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Ordinance.

Ald. Wines, leave having been granted, introduced an ordinance to amend section three of an ordinance entitled an ordinance relative to the use of streets, alleys, and public places. Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Ordinance.

Ald. Wines, leave having been granted, introduced an ordinance entitled an ordinance relative to nuisances and to prevent the burning of refuse matter after twelve o'clock, noon, within the city limits. Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Ordinance.

#### REPORT OF LIGHTING COMMITTEE.

*To the Common Council:*

Your Committee on Lighting, to whom was referred the petitions asking for electric light on the corner of Main and Catherine streets, on corner of Gott and Summit streets, on the corner of Brooks and Summit streets, on Spring street, half way between Summit and Chubb streets, on Geddes avenue, on the corner of Hill street, on East University avenue, corner of Hill street, respectfully report that they visited the different localities on Tuesday evening, August 23rd, in a body, fully inspected the same and would recommend the following, namely:

That the petition for light on corner of Main and Catherine streets be denied for the reason that there is on all four corners one block away a light and by putting the light on the corner of Fourth avenue and Catherine street on a pole 60 feet it would light that vicinity well.

That the petition for light on corner of Gott and Summit streets be granted and the light located on the northwest corner of Gott and Summit streets on a 60 foot pole.

That the petition for light on corner of Brooks and Summit streets be denied.

That the petition for light on Spring street be denied, and light on corner of Summit and Spring streets be raised 12 feet.

That the petition for light on Geddes avenue, corner of Hill street, be granted, said light be placed on a 60 foot pole, and that light on Geddes avenue, in front of A. F. Martin's residence, be also placed on a 60 foot pole.

That the petition for a light on corner of East University avenue and Hill street be denied, and a light be placed on the corner of Hill street and Forest avenue, said light be placed on a 60 foot pole, and that the light at the intersection of Hill and Ingalls streets be placed on a 60 foot pole.

And we further recommend that at the intersection of Clark and Ann streets, Observatory and Ann streets, and Belser and Observatory streets, three 65 candle power incandescent lights be placed.

We would also recommend that the light on the corner of Division and Detroit streets be placed on a 60 foot pole.

Your committee noticed in driving over the city that there were many localities where the lights were too low, the heavy foliage preventing the streets from receiving the full benefit of the lights.

Respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM HERZ,  
ARTHUR J. KITSON,  
D. FRED SCHAIRER,  
Lighting Committee.

Ald. Ferguson moved that the report be, and the same is hereby approved and confirmed. Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson, and Pres. Cooley.—9.

#### REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS.

##### CITY TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING AUGUST 31, 1892.

*To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:*

Balance on hand as per last report..... \$ 7,062.79

#### MONEY RECEIVED.

Contingent Fund—		
Miller, licenses .....	\$	24 50
Firemen's Fund—		
Sipfley, building permit .		1.00
Police Fund—		
Murray, officers' fees....		1.45
Delinquent Tax Fund—		
County Treasurer.....		15.60
Total .....		42.55
		\$7,105.34

MONEY DISBURSED.

Contingent Fund.....	\$ 898.55	
Street Fund.....	940.87	
Firemen's Fund.....	468.29	
Police Fund.....	167.00	
Poor Fund.....	108.28	
Soldiers' Relief Fund.....	23.00	
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.....	246.71	
<b>Total.....</b>		<b>2,852.70</b>

**4,252.64**

BALANCE ON HAND.

Contingent Fund.....	1,257.66	
Street Fund, over-drawn.....		3,821.02
Firemen's Fund.....	1,533.57	
Police Fund.....	644.23	
Poor Fund.....	1,211.97	
Water Fund.....	1,094.71	
Cemetery Fund.....	167.55	
Soldiers' Relief Fund.....	803.64	
University Hospital Aid Bond Fund.....	840.00	
Delinquent Tax Fund overdrawn.....		1,036.27
Dog Tax Fund.....	100.00	
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund,....	1,456.60	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 9,109.53</b>	<b>\$4,857.29</b>

Total Balance on hand \$ 4,252.64

Respectfully submitted,  
S. W. BEAKES,  
City Treasurer.

Ann Arbor City, September 1, 1892.

ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK, )  
ANN ARBOR, MICH., September 5, 1892. }

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

This will certify that S. W. Beakes has on deposit to his credit as City Treasurer the sum of Four Thousand, Eighty-Six and 38-100 dollars, (\$4,086 38).

CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier.

The reports of the City Clerk, Marshal, and Superintendent of the Poor, were read and placed on file.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Ald. Kitson:

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the north side of Hill St. ought to be changed and fixed and established, to the end that such street may be made suitable and safe for public travel, therefore

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered that the grade of the sidewalk on and along the north side of Hill St., from west line of S. State St. to north line of Packard St., be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, so that the grade of said sidewalk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:

At Northwest corner of S. State and Hill Sts.....	846.95 ft.
At northeast corner of Packard and Hill Sts.....	839.87 ft.

the elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of such walk, and the grade lines to consist of straight lines

between the several points or stations above stated.

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson and Pres. Cooley—9.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Kitson:

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of Hill St. ought to be changed and fixed and established, to the end that such street may be made suitable and safe for public travel, therefore

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered that the grade of the sidewalk on and along the south side of Hill St., from south line of Packard St. to east line of South Main St., be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, so that the grade of said sidewalk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:

At the south line of Packard St.....	835.02 ft.
" 375 ft. from south line of Packard St	820.57 ft.
" 450 ft. " " " " " "	818.54 ft.
" 750 ft. " " " " " "	814.34 ft.
" 1275 ft. " " " " " "	818.73 ft.
" T. & A. A. R R.....	817.78 ft.
" southeast corner S. Fourth Ave and Hill St.....	820.84 ft.
At southwest corner S. Fourth Ave and Hill St.....	821.80 ft.
At southeast corner Brown St. and Hill St.....	828.77 ft.
At southwest corner Brown St. and Hill St.....	830.05 ft.
At southeast corner S. Main St. and Hill St.....	836.94 ft.

the elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of such walk, and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points or stations above stated.

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson, and Pres. Cooley—9.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Kitson:

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of Hill St. ought to be changed and fixed and established, to the end that such street may be made suitable and safe for public travel, therefore

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered that the grade of the sidewalk on and along the south side of Hill St., from west line of Forest Ave. to east line of E. University Ave., be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, that the grade of said sidewalk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:

At southwest corner Forest Ave. and Hill St.....	862.21 ft.
At a point 50 ft. from southwest corner Forest Ave and Hill St.....	860.66 ft.
At a point 100 ft. from southwest corner Forest Ave. and Hill St.....	859.06 ft.
At a point 150 ft. from southwest corner Forest Ave. and Hill St.....	857.56 ft.
At a point 200 ft. from southwest corner Forest Ave and Hill St.....	856.21 ft.

At a point 250 ft. from southwest corner Forest Ave. and Hill St.-----	856.61 ft.
At a point 300 ft. from southwest corner Forest Ave. and Hill St.-----	857.55 ft.
At a point 350 ft from southwest corner Forest Ave. and Hill St.-----	858.77 ft.
At southeast corner E. University Ave. and Hill St.-----	867.05 ft.

the elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of such walk, and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points or stations above stated.

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wines, Schairer, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson and Pres. Cooley—9.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Kitson:

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the west side of Thirteenth St. ought to be changed and fixed and established, to the end that such street may be made suitable and safe for public travel, therefore

*Resolved*, and it is hereby ordered that the grade of the sidewalk on and along the west side of Thirteenth St., from north line of E. Catherine St. to south line of Fuller St., be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, so that the grade of said sidewalk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:

At northwest corner E. Catherine and Thirteenth St.-----	840.81 ft.
At 132 ft. from N. West corner E. Catherine and Thirteenth Sts.-----	834.78 ft.
At 260 ft. from northwest corner E. Catherine and Thirteenth Sts.-----	823.51 ft.
At 385 ft. from northwest corner E. Catherine and Thirteenth St.-----	810.74 ft.
At 600 ft. from southwest corner of Fuller and Thirteenth St.-----	800.05 ft.
At 300 ft. from southwest corner of Fuller and Thirteenth Sts.-----	791.86 ft.
At southwest corner of Fuller and Thirteenth St.-----	782.20 ft.

the elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of such walk, and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points or stations above stated.

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wines, Schairer, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson and Pres. Cooley—9.

Nays—None.

Ald. Kitson moved that the vote to lay the resolution of Ald. Schairer on table in reference to grade on Chapin St. be reconsidered.

Adopted.

Ald. Kitson moved that the resolution be referred to the Street and Sidewalk Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Taylor:

*Resolved*, That the sum of seventy-five dol-

lars be and is hereby appropriated from the Street fund for the purpose of grading Traver St. adjacent to the property of Nelson Rogers and Mr. Allmendinger.

Referred to Street Committee.

By Ald Herz:

*Resolved*, That the City Clerk notify the Ann Arbor T. H. Electric Company that their contract for lighting this city expires January 1st. 1893 and advertise for bids to light the city for the next ensuing year from Jan. 1 '93 to Jan. 1 '94.

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wines, Schairer, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson, Pres. Cooley.—9.

Nays—None.

By Alderman Wines:

*Resolved*, That and this Common Council does hereby declare, that the outlet of the University sewer, is and has become a nuisance and detrimental to the public health.

Therefore it is ordered, that such nuisance be forthwith abated by the authorities of University of Michigan, that such nuisance be abated in the following manner: That the river at such outlet be cleaned, all sewage and other refuse matter deposited thereat be removed and that the tile be extended into the river at least twenty feet and turned down stream.

It is further ordered, that a certified copy of this order be personally served on James H. Wade, Esq., Secretary of Board Regents and that proof of such service be filed in the office of the City Clerk, and it is further ordered, that in the event of the neglect or failure of the said authorities to abate such nuisance within twenty days after such personal service, then that such nuisance be abated by the Board of Public Works and the cost thereof certified to this Council.

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wines, Schairer, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson, Pres. Cooley.—9.

Nays—None.

By Alderman Wines:

*Resolved*, That the finance committee be directed to investigate the question of insurance rate on Fireman's Hall, and to report with recommendations at the next meeting.

Adopted.

By Ald. Ferguson:

*Resolved*, That the sum of fifty dollars be appropriated from the Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund to finish the crosswalk along Detroit St. crossing Division St.

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wines, Schairer, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson, and Pres. Cooley.—9.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Kitson:

*Resolved*, That the sum of \$150.00 be appro-

priated from the Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund to build three crosswalks on North University Ave., at Thayer, Ingalls, and Twelfth Sts., respectfully.

Referred to Sidewalk Committee.

By Ald. Wines:

*Resolved*, That the lighting committee be directed to make a contract with the A. A. Gas Light Co. for supplying gas to this city for the remainder of this fiscal year.

The President declared the resolution out of order.

By Ald. Wines:

*Resolved*, That in case it may be deemed necessary the Board of Public Works is hereby ordered to sprinkle the following streets during the four days of the County Fair, Huron St. from Fourth Ave. to State St., State St., from Huron St., to Monroe St., Monroe St., from State St., to East University Ave., North University Ave., from State St., to East University Ave., East University Ave., from North University Ave., to Hill St., also Detroit St., from M. C. R. R. bridge to Fourth Ave.

Which resolution was lost, a majority of the aldermen elect not having voted therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wines, Schairer, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson, Pres. Cooley.—6.

Nays—Ald. Herz, Fillmore, Snow.—3.

By Ald. Ferguson:

*Resolved*, That the sum of \$50.00 be appropriated from the Street Fund to grade South University Ave., at corner between State St and E. University Avenue.

Referred to the Street Committee.

By Alderman Snow:

*Resolved*, That the sum of fifty dollars be appropriated for the construction of a stone crosswalk on the North side of Ann St. crossing Main St.

Referred to the Street Committee.

By Ald. Snow:

*Resolved*, That John Kluis be permitted to

cut down a dead tree in front of his house on South Fourth Avenue.

Adopted.

By Ald. Ferguson:

*Resolved*, That the City Clerk notify the Western Union Telegraph Co and A. A. St., R. R. Co. to remove their poles that are on the point at junction of Detroit and Beakes Sts

Adopted.

By Ald. Wines:

*Resolved*, That the sum of five hundred dollars be appropriated from the Contingent fund and set apart for the use of the Board of Health in carrying out the recommendation of the Mayor.

Ald. Herz moved to adjourn, which motion was lost. The resolution of Ald. Wines was then adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wines, Schairer, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson, Pres. Cooley—8.

Nays—Ald. Herz.—1.

By Ald. Kitson:

*Resolved*, That the Board of Health be directed to report to this Council at their next meeting, and to submit recommendations upon the question of Slaughter houses inside the city limits.

Adopted.

By Ald. Schairer:

*Resolved*, That the sum of One hundred dollars be appropriated for the purpose of revising the ordinances and be set a side for the Committee to employ assistance in said work

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wines, Schairer, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Kitson, Pres. Cooley—8.

Nays—None.

On motion the council adjourned.

WM. J. MILLER, Clerk.