

COUNCIL CHAMBER,  
Ann Arbor, August 7, 1893. }

Regular session.

Called to order by President W. W. Watts.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent—Ald. Schairer, Herz, O'Mara, Prettyman, Kitson—5.

The journal of the last session was approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.  
SPECIAL ELECTION.

Special election held in the third ward of the city of Ann Arbor, July 31, 1893, for alderman to fill vacancy.

Whole number of votes cast, 196.

Republican Candidate—	
Frank Wood.....	101
Democratic Candidate—	
Thomas H. Godkin.....	91
Void Ballots.....	4
	196

STATE OF MICHIGAN, }  
County of Washtenaw. }

We do hereby certify the foregoing statement of votes cast at special election held in the third ward of the city of Ann Arbor, July 31st, 1893, is correct.

JAMES KEARNS, }  
W. G. SNOW, } Inspectors  
H. C. CLARK, }

Received and filed.

By Alderman Ferguson:

Whereas, And it appearing from the returns of the inspectors of the special election held in the Third Ward of this City, on July 31st, 1893, that Frank Wood received a majority of the votes cast at said election, for the office of alderman, therefore

Resolved, That Frank Wood be and is hereby declared to have been duly elected to the office of alderman from the Third Ward of said City, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Ariel A. Fillmore.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly, President Watts—7.

Nays—None.

Mr. Frank Wood was sworn in, took his seat, and participated in the further deliberations of the Council.

A petition signed by Wm. Biggs and eight other residents and property holders of the city of Ann Arbor, asking that a sidewalk be ordered built on

the south side of Geddes Avenue, from the line of walks already built from the city limits to Elm street.

Referred to Sidewalk Committee.

A petition signed by H. Banister and four other property holders on Seventh street, praying that owing to the present condition of financial affairs, the building of sidewalks on Seventh street be deferred for one year.

Referred to Sidewalk Committee.

Ald. Manly moved that the floor be granted to Mr. John F. Lawrence.

Adopted.

Mr. John F. Lawrence stated that Messrs. Alber offers through their counsel, A. J. Sawyer, to compromise all claims for damage to their property on Beakes street for the sum of \$250. He with the Mayor and City Attorney have considered the matter and would recommend a disposition of the matter at the sum stated.

By Alderman Taylor.

Resolved, That the sum of two-hundred and fifty dollars be appropriated and expended in the settlement of the case of Alber vs. the City. That the Clerk draw an order on the Contingent Fund therefor and deliver the same on a discontinuance of said suit.

Pres. Watts appointed Ald. Wood to act on all the committees that the late Ald. Fillmore had served on.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works would recommend the appropriation of \$500 to build a stone culvert on 5th street (2nd ward) according to plans and specifications now on file and also ask for an appropriation of \$75 to change the water course on Church street from Washtenaw Avenue to Willard street.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

Referred to Street Committee.

Ald. Taylor moved the rules be suspended and the Finance report be read. Adopted.

## REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

## FINANCE.

*To 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
P. O'Hearn, salary.....	83 34
Mrs. J. H. Stark, salary, janitor.....	6 26
Geo. H. Pond, one month's salary.....	8 33
Dr. E. A. Clark, 3 mo's salary.....	25 00
Martin Clark, " ".....	25 00
Dr. John Kapp, " ".....	37 50
James Kearns, registrat'n and elect.....	19 00
Wm. G. Snow, " ".....	10 00
C. H. Clark, inspector of election.....	5 00
Wm. A. Clark, clerk " ".....	5 00
Charles Dietas, " ".....	5 00
John J. Fischer, gate-keeper.....	2 00
John Jenkins, " ".....	2 00
Nick Glaser, 7 dinners.....	3 50
Washtenaw County, room rent for registration and election.....	15 00
W. J. Miller, supplies.....	2 70
Telephone and telegraph Construction Co., 3-mo's rental of 7 telephones.....	43 75
Ann Arbor Democrat, reg. and elect. notice.....	5 00
Ihling Bros., & Everard, docket.....	6 50
G. C. Rhodes, rubber stamp.....	1 00
Henry W. Imot, posting elect'n notices.....	1 50
Richmond & Backus Co., supplies.....	6 31
William G. Snow, horse hire.....	2 00
Charles Spiitt, gathering swill.....	25 40
Sid W. Millard, printing order books.....	16 75
Est. R. A. Beal, printing proceedings.....	30 85
Ann Arbor Argus, " ".....	30 85
Ann Arbor T.-H. Electric Co., street lighting.....	605 95
Ann Arbor T.-H. Electric Co., office lights.....	2 00
Beakes & Curtiss, printing.....	38 70
Total.....	\$1,151 84

## CEMETERY FUND.

Eli S. Manly, labor.....	6 00
John McNalley, labor.....	3 00
John Burlye, labor.....	4 50
Nicholas Kline, labor.....	1 50
Total.....	15 00

## STREET FUND.

Nelson Sutherland, salary.....	\$ 66 66
Geo. F. Key, salary.....	61 00
Michael Hession, labor.....	19 50
Hiram Kitredge, labor.....	9 00
Anton Spies, labor.....	4 50
D. Byeratt, labor.....	1 50
Patrick McCabe, labor.....	41 50
Chris. Jetter, labor.....	13 43
Michael Williams, labor.....	40 50
Frank Schultz, labor.....	13 50
Charles Hintz, labor.....	33 00
Edward Barnett, labor.....	39 90
Frederick Radke, labor.....	36 75
Albert Schoenman,.....	38 25
Michael Kenny, labor.....	7 50
Lawrence Hughes, labor.....	4 50
Robert Leonard, labor.....	7 50
Charles Colgrove, labor.....	36 75
Carlos Hill, labor.....	39 75
Jacob Kies, labor.....	7 50
Barney Langler, labor.....	38 25

Frank Dugdale, labor.....	20 32
Patrick O'Brien, labor.....	7 50
Harry Kayusko, labor.....	39 00
Gustave Walters, labor.....	30 00
Richard Zebbs, labor.....	9 00
Rembert Jones, labor with Engineer.....	25 50
P. D. Rogers, team labor.....	40 25
Richard Burns, team labor.....	57 00
Zenus Sweet, team labor.....	15 00
John Keedler, team labor.....	9 00
Elias Saddler, team labor.....	10 50
Israel Clark, team labor.....	41 12
Radie Marsh, team labor.....	23 55
Michael Herey, team labor.....	19 50
Abraham Voorhies, team labor.....	66 50
W. A. Allen, team labor.....	23 00
Nelson Sutherland, horse and cart.....	30 20
Schuh & Muehlig, supplies.....	7 40
Esslinger Bros., repairs.....	8 05
Eberbach Hardware Co., supplies.....	6 15
Allmendinger & Schneider, lumber.....	1 61
Caspar Kinsey, salt.....	7 00
Michael Staebler, supplies.....	8 00
Rinsey & Seabolt, salt.....	3 00
Sweet & Bycraft, gravel.....	3 90
Fred J. Bartlett, paving stones.....	3 50
Dean & Co., lantern.....	75
James Burchfield, building sidewalk.....	5 00
K. J. Rogers, supplies.....	10 17
Total.....	\$ 1,094 21

## BRIDGE, CULVERT AND CROSSWALK FUND.

S. Wood & Co., tile and lumber.....	57 16
Charles Hewitt, crossings at alleys at Runsey & Seabolt's and at Hangsterfer block, (cement).....	130 01
James Tolbert, tile and lumber.....	59 62
J. P. Judson, repairs on crossings.....	17 49
Charles Hewitt, 5 cement crosswalks.....	394 42
John Baumgardner, crossing slabs.....	33 00
Martin Nagle, team labor.....	33 00
P. D. Rogers, team labor.....	36 00
Clinton Snyder, team labor.....	8 50
Willis Clark, labor.....	11 25
Charles Stierle, labor.....	10 50
George Schlimmer, labor.....	7 50
Anton Otto, labor.....	6 00
William Kretlow, labor.....	6 00
John Pommering, labor.....	6 00
Lawrence Hughs, labor.....	15 00
Karl Joerndt, labor.....	19 27
William Kuehn, labor.....	29 08
Michael Kenny, labor.....	20 77
Michael Schurer, labor.....	12 00
Jacob Michelfelder, labor.....	36 00
Charles Hintz, labor.....	7 50
Frank Schultz, labor.....	26 77
Christian Jetter, labor.....	24 37
August Hart, labor.....	4 50
R. C. Barney, stone slabs, etc.....	51 52
Total.....	\$ 1,043 22

## 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.....	4 83
Max Wittlinger, salary.....	45 00
Frank Kapp, salary.....	4 25
Albert West, salary.....	45 00
Eugene Williams, salary.....	36 78
S. F. Granger, salary.....	36 12
Herman Kirn, salary.....	8 00
John Kenny, salary.....	8 00
Sam McLaren, salary.....	8 00
Wm. Rettich,.....	4 00
Noble Monroe, salary.....	4 00
Mrs. B. Ream, washing.....	5 00
John Braun, oats.....	19 95

Fred Chapin, oats .....	6 75
Total .....	\$ 445 78

POLICE FUND.

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

POOR FUND.

Fred Siple, salary .....	10 00
Edward Duffy, groceries .....	6 96
John Eisele, groceries .....	5 20
Mrs. Ann Evans, aid .....	5 00
John Goetz & Son, groceries .....	2 17
John Goetz Jr., groceries .....	1 70
William F. Lodholz, groceries .....	9 70
William H. McIntyre, groceries .....	4 81
O'Hara & Boyle, groceries .....	6 24
Caspar Rinsey, groceries .....	11 31
Rinsey & Seabolt, groceries .....	8 65
G. Fred Stein, meat .....	67
Wm. Stimson, groceries .....	8 00
Wahr & Miller, shoes .....	1 25
Total .....	\$ 81 66

RECAPITULATION.

Contingent Fund .....	\$1,151 84
Street Fund .....	1,094 21
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund .....	1,043 22
Fire Fund .....	445 78
Police Fund .....	165 00
Poor Fund .....	81 66
Cemetery Fund .....	15 00
Total .....	\$3,996 71

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER L. TAYLOR,  
Finance Committee.

Ald. Ferguson moved that the report be accepted and adopted, and warrants ordered drawn for the sums stated therein.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly, Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

SIDEWALK COMMITTEE REPORT.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Sidewalks would report that they have had the following sidewalks under consideration and find that the grading and construction of the sidewalks herein named are all a necessary public improvement and would respectfully recommend that the following sidewalks be ordered graded and constructed, viz.:

On Fifth Avenue along the west side, from Catherine to Detroit streets.

On Huron street along the south side, in front of the property of N. H. Drake, Jacob Haller, David Zimmerman and McMillen Hall property.

On Fourth Avenue, along the west side, from Ann street to Catherine street, said walk to be built ten feet in width.

On Liberty street, along the south side, from Main street to Fourth avenue, said walk to be built ten feet in width.

On Fourth avenue, along the east side, from Washington street to Liberty street.

On East Huron street, along the north side, in front of the Goodrich Estate's property, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

On Broadway, along the north-westerly side, from Mr. West's property north to the corporation line.

On Washington street, along the north side, from Thayer to Ingalls streets.

On Volland street, along the north and south sides, from Washtenaw avenue to Observatory street.

On Thayer street, in front of the property of Edwin Curtis.

On East University avenue, along the east side, from College to Willard streets.

On Miller avenue, along the north side, from Fountain street to Mr. Duncan's east line.

On Observatory street, along the west side, from Volland street to Ann street.

On W. Huron street, along the south side, from Main to the Toledo, Ann Arbor and North Michigan Railway Co.

On Detroit street, along the east side, from Fifth avenue to Fuller street.

On Liberty street, along the south side, from Fourth avenue to O. M. Martin's west line.

On Division street, along the west side, in front of the Roger's Estate property.

On Ann street, along the south side, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

On Geddes avenue, along the north side, from Washtenaw avenue to Observatory street.

The following sidewalks to be repaired:

On Fifth avenue, along the west side, in front of the Unity Block.



On Ann street, along the north side, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue. Respectfully submitted.

A. J. KITSON,  
C. H. MANLY,  
C. W. WAGNER,  
Sidewalk Committee.

Accepted and filed.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Sidewalks would respectfully report that they have had the following sidewalk grades under consideration, and would recommend that such grades be adopted and approved:

S. Fifth avenue, west side, from Huron to Washington streets.

E. Huron street, north side, from Fifth avenue to Division street.

Detroit street, east side, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

E. Ann street, south side, from Fifth avenue to Division street.

Washtenaw avenue, south side, from E. University avenue to Church street.

S. Division street, east side, from Jefferson to Madison streets.

W. Huron street, south side, from Seventh street to Jackson road.

W. Huron street, north side, from Seventh street to Dexter road.

Maynard street, east side, from Liberty to William streets.

E. Huron street, south side, from Ingalls to Thirteenth streets.

N. State street, east side, from Ann to Huron streets.

E. Catherine street, south side, from Clark to Thirteenth streets.

Kingsley street, south side, from Detroit to Ashley streets.

Detroit street, east side, from Fifth avenue to Depot street.

N. State street, east side, from Kingsley to Fuller streets.

N. State street, west side, from Kingsley street to Fuller street.

We herewith submit resolutions establishing the foregoing grades.

Respectfully submitted,

A. J. KITSON,  
C. H. MANLY,  
C. W. WAGNER,  
Sidewalk Committee.

Accepted and filed.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Pres. Watts, of special Water Com-

mittee reported progress and submitted the following report of Fire Chief Siple:

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

At the request of the Chairman of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of Ann Arbor, I caused to be thrown from the fire hydrants at the court house square six streams of water through 100 ft. of hose for each stream and I hereby certify that the maximum height of said streams was not to exceed fiftyfive feet, with a registered pressure of sixty pounds when said hydrants were first opened and forty pounds before same were closed. This was between 4 and 5 p. m. At 7:45 p. m. I caused one stream to be thrown from the same hydrant through fifty feet of hose and said stream was not thrown to exceed twenty-five feet in height at a registered pressure of fifteen pounds.

FRED SIPLEY,  
Chief Fire Department.

Ann Arbor, August 7, 1893.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

I hereby certify that the pressure guage at the engine house read as follows at times stated below:

	6 A.M.	12 A.M.	6 P.M.	12 P.M.	8 A.M.
August 1	15lb	40lb	20lb	40lb	
" 2	20lb	15lb	20lb	65lb	5lb
" 3	40lb	60lb	15lb	55lb	20lb
" 4	40lb	60lb	15lb	50lb	20lb
" 5	25lb	60lb	15lb	60lb	20lb
" 6	30lb	60lb	55lb	60lb	
" 7	50lb	50lb	15lb		

FRED SIPLEY,  
Chief Fire Department.

Ann Arbor, Aug. 7, 1893.

Ald. Wagner moved that the report be accepted and adopted. Adopted.

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING JULY 31, 1893.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Balance on hand as per last report..... \$ 15,038.69

MONEY RECEIVED.

Contingent Fund—	
P. G. Suekey, Co. Treas., liquor tax.....	585.76
W. J. Miller, licenses ....	9 00
Police Fund—	
Jas. Murray, fees.....	2 80
Street Fund—	
N. Sutherland, stone, labor, etc.....	13.12



City Cemetery Fund—		
N. Felch.....	20.00	
City taxes collected to date	7,571 42	
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 8,202 10</b>	<b>\$ 8,2 2.10</b>
		<b>\$ 23,240.79</b>

**MONEY DISBURSED.**

Contingent Fund.....	\$1,466 54	
Street Fund.....	1,008 23	
Firemen's Fund.....	490.85	
Police Fund.....	177.00	
Poor Fund.....	118.15	
Water Fund.....	2,692.76	
Cemetery Fund.....	22.50	
Soldiers' Relief Fund.....	30 00	
Bridge, Crosswalk and Culvert Fund.....	268.72	
<b>Total Disbursements.....</b>	<b>\$ 6,274.75</b>	
<b>Total on hand.....</b>		<b>16,966 04</b>

**BALANCE ON HAND.**

Contingent Fund, .....	2,620.73	
Street Fund, .....		3,801.62
Firemen's Fund.....	3,223 23	
Police Fund.....	842 38	
Poor Fund.....	867 11	
Water Fund.....	485.45	
Cemetery Fund.....	282.92	
Soldiers' Relief Fund..	959. 9	
University Hospital Aid Bond Fund.....	840.00	
Delinquent Tax Fund.....		1,400.81
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund,.....	4,430.04	
Dog Tax Fund.....	100.00	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 14,597.05</b>	<b>\$ 5,202 43</b>
		<b>\$ 9 394.62</b>
<b>Taxes collected to date.....</b>		<b>\$ 7,571 42</b>
<b>Total on hand.....</b>		<b>\$ 16,966.04</b>

Respectfully submitted,  
**GEO. H. POND,**  
 City Treasurer.

ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK. )  
 ANN ARBOR, MICH., Aug. 7, 1893. }

*To the Common Council:*

DEAR SIR:—This will certify that August 1, 1893, Geo. H. Pond had on deposit to his credit as City Treasurer the sum of sixteen thousand, nine hundred eighty-five and 93-100 dollars (\$16,985.93.)

CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier.

The monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, City Marshal and Poor Superintendent were read and ordered filed.

**MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.**

By Ald. Martin :

*Resolved*, That the City Clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for Sewer Bonds; bids to be reported the first meeting of the Common Council in October 1893.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By. Ald. Martin :

*Resolved*, That City Engineer George Key, be hereby requested to report all street grades that are wanted to the Board of Public Works so as said Board of Public Works be able to report the same to the Common Council at their next meeting.

Adopted.

By Ald. Snow:

*Resolved*, That the sidewalks on the north side of Ann street between Main street and Fourth ave be ordered to be made a uniform width.

Referred to Sidewalk Committee.

By Ald. Wagner :

WHEREAS, it appearing on inspection that the Water Company has failed to obey the order of this Council in the matter of cleaning its catch basins and reservoir, therefore,

*Resolved*, That said company be, and is hereby ordered to do so forthwith, and to complete the same within one week, draw off the water from its catch-basins and reservoirs and thoroughly clean and cleanse the same; that said work be done under the direction of the water committee, and the said committee be, and is hereby ordered to superintend the same and report to the Council at their next meeting, and that the City Clerk do deliver a copy of this resolution to the Superintendent of the Water Company as soon as practical.

Adopted.

By Ald. Ferguson :

*Resolved*, That the Sidewalk Committee report to this Council, on crosswalk at the junction of Detroit street and Fourth ave., at the next meeting.

Adopted.

By Alderman Manly :

*Resolved*, That the grading and construction of the sidewalks hereinafter mentioned is deemed and declared a necessary public improvement,

Therefore, it is hereby ordered that stone sidewalks be graded, built and constructed on and along the following streets and in front of the following property in the city of Ann Arbor, viz:

On E. Huron street along the south side in front of the property of N. H. Drake, Jacob Haller, David Zimmerman and McMillan Hall property.

On Liberty street along the south side from Main street to Fourth Avenue, said walk to be 10 feet in width.

On Fourth Avenue along the west side from Ann to Catherine streets, said walk to be built 10 feet in width.

On fourth Avenue along the east side from Washington street to Liberty street.

On E. Huron street along the north side between Fourth and Fifth Avenues, in front of the Goodrich Estate's property.

On Detroit street along the east side in front of the Morgan Estate's property.

On W. Huron street along the south side from Main to Ashley streets.

On East University Avenue along the east side from College street to Willard street

That all of such sidewalks be graded, built and constructed in the manner, within the time and of the material prescribed by the provision of an ordinance "Entitled an Ordi-

nance Relative to Sidewalks," and the grade established.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

*Resolved*, That grading and construction of the sidewalks hereinafter mentioned is deemed and declared to be a public necessity and a necessary improvement,

THEREFORE, It is hereby ordered that plank sidewalk be graded, built and constructed on and along the following streets and in front of the following property in the city of Ann Arbor, viz :

On Geddes avenue along the north side from Washtenaw avenue to Volland street.

On Fifth avenue along the west side from Catherine to Detroit street.

On Broadway along the northwesterly side from Mr. West's property north to the corporation line.

On Washington street along the north side from Thayer to Ingalls street.

On Volland street along the north and south sides from Washtenaw avenue to Observatory street.

On Thayer street in front of the property of Edwin Curtis.

On Miller avenue along the north side from Fountain street to Mr. Duncan's east line.

On Observatory street along the west side from Volland street to Ann street.

On Huron street along the south side from Ashley street to the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern Michigan Railroad Company land.

On Detroit street along the east side from Kingsley street to Fuller street.

On Liberty street along the south side from Fourth avenue to O. M. Martin's west line.

On Division street along the west side in front of the Rogers estate property.

On Ann street along the south side from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

That all of such sidewalks be graded, built and constructed in the manner, within the time and of the material prescribed by the provision of an ordinance "Entitled an Ordinance Relative to Sidewalks," and on the grade to be established.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the west side of South Fifth ave. 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 South Fifth ave. from south line of East Huron st. to north line of East Washington 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 s. w. cor. E. Huron and Fifth ave. 841.59 ft  
" 192 ft. from s. w. cor. E. Huron and

Fifth ave.-----845 14 ft  
At n. w. cor. Washington st. and Fifth  
ave.-----845 64 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the west side of North State 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 North State st. from north line of East Kingsley 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 n. w. cor. E. Kingsley st. and W.

State st.-----842.02 ft

" the angle in N. State st.-----825.92 ft

" 275 ft. north of angle in N. State st.-----806.83 ft

" s. w. cor. Fuller st. and N. State st.-----795.32 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the north side of E. Huron 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 E Huron st. from east line of Fifth ave. to west line of Division 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 n. e. cor. of Fifth ave. and E.

Huron st.-----840.93 ft

" 270 ft from the n. e. cor. of Fifth ave.

and E. Huron st.-----847.05 ft

" the n. w. cor. of Division st. and E.

Huron st.-----855.15 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow,

Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the east side of Detroit street, 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 east side of Detroit st. from east line of N. Fourth ave to west line of N. Fifth ave, 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 s. e. cor. N. Fourth ave. and Detroit st.....	829.89 ft
" s. e. cor. E. Catherine st. and Detroit st.....	828.65 ft
" n. e. cor. E. Catherine st. and Detroit st.....	828.10 ft
" 80 ft. from n. e. cor. E. Catherine st. and Detroit st.....	828.10 ft
" s. e. cor. N. Fifth Ave. and Detroit st.....	826.23 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of E. Ann 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 E. Ann st. from east line of W. Fifth ave. to west line of N. Division 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 s. e. cor. of N. Fifth ave. and E. Ann st.....	838.05 ft
" 270 ft east of the s. e. cor. of N. Fifth ave. and E. Ann st.....	842.38 ft
" the s. w. cor. of N. Division st. and E. Ann st.....	851.78 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Council

the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of Washtenaw Ave. 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 Washtenaw Ave. from east line of E. University ave. to west line of Church 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 s. e. cor. of E. University ave. and Washtenaw ave.....	841.99 ft
" 50 ft. from s. e. cor. of E. University ave. and Washtenaw ave.....	882.86 ft
" s. w. cor. of Church st. and Washtenaw ave.....	881.67 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the east side of S. Division street 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 east side of S. Division st. from south line of E. Jefferson st. to north line of E. Madison 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 s. e. cor. of E. Jefferson st. and S. Division st.....	865.56 ft
" north line of Hanover Square.....	865.56 ft
" 150 ft. north of north line of E. Madison st.....	865.10 ft
" n. e. cor. of E. Madison st. and S. Division st.....	859.34 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of W. Huron 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 sidewalk on and along the south side of W. Huron street from west line of S. Seventh st. to intersection of Jackson road with W. Huron 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 west line of S. Seventh st.....	837.15 ft
" 200 ft. west from west line of S. Seventh st.....	837.64 ft
" 650 ft. west from west line of S. Seventh st.....	843.02 ft
" 800 ft. west from west line of S. Seventh st.....	846.43 ft
" 1025 ft. west from west line of S. Seventh st.....	854.30 ft
" 1400 ft. west from west line of S. Seventh st.....	859.50 ft
" 1600 ft. west from west line of S. Seventh st.....	861.59 ft
" intersection of Jackson ave. and W. Huron st.....	867.76 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.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly:

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the north side of W. Huron 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 W. Huron st. from west line of north Seventh st. to intersection of Dexter road with W. Huron 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 west line of N. Seventh st.....	835.05 ft
" 500 ft. west from west line of N. Seventh st.....	841.31 ft
" 800 ft. west from west line of N. Seventh st.....	848.92 ft
" 950 ft. west from west line of N. Seventh st.....	851.65 ft
" 1050 ft. west from west line of N. Seventh st.....	854.09 ft
" 1150 ft. west from west line of N. Seventh st.....	855.90 ft
" 1450 ft. west from west line of N. Seventh st.....	859.15 ft
" intersection of Dexter ave. with W. Huron st.....	867.35 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.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly:

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the east side of Maynard 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 east side of Maynard st. from south line of E. Liberty st. to north line of E. Williams 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 s. e. cor. E. Liberty st. and Maynard st.....	870.37 ft
" n. e. cor. E. William st. and Maynard st.....	870.00 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.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly:

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of E. Huron 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 E. Huron Street, from east line of N. Ingalls street to west line of Thirteenth street 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 s. e. cor. Ingalls & E. Huron street.....	874.60 ft
" 400 ft. from s. e. cor. Ingalls & E. Huron st.....	879.10 ft
" 480 ft. from s. e. cor. Ingalls & E. Huron st.....	878.66 ft
" 560 ft. from s. e. cor. Ingalls & E. Huron st.....	876.00 ft
" 640 ft. from s. e. cor. Ingalls & E. Huron st.....	870.00 ft
" s. w. cor. Thirteenth & E. Huron st.....	866.00 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.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly:

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the east side of N. State street 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 east side of N. State street from south line of E. Ann street to north line of E. Huron street 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 s. e. cor. E. Ann & N. State street...867.98 ft  
 " n. e. " E. Huron & N. " " ---870 33 ft  
 the elevation given being above the official city datum and aud along the center line of such walk, and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points of stations above stated.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council, the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of E. Catherine street 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 E. Catherine from west line of Clark street to east line of Thirteenth street 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 s. w. cor. Clark & E. Catherine st. 878.63 ft  
 " 130 ft. w. from s. w. cor. Clark st. & E. Catherine st.----- 877.10 ft  
 " 290 ft. w. from s. w. cor. Clark st. & E. Catherine st.----- 873 63 ft  
 " 360 ft. w. from s. w cor. Clark st. & E. Catherine st.----- 869.34 ft  
 " 430 ft. w. from s. w. cor. Clark st. & E. Catherine st.----- 861.76 ft  
 " s.e. cor. Thirteenth & Catherine sts. 843.87 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of Kingsley street 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 Kingsley street from west line of Detroit street to east line of N. Ashley street 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 s. w. cor. Detroit & E. Kingsley st. 823.27 ft  
 " s. e. cor. N. Fifth ave. " " " 816.50 ft  
 " s. w. cor. " " " " " 815.38 ft  
 " s. e. cor. N. Fourth " " " " " 816 30 ft  
 " s. w. cor. " " " " " 816.18 ft  
 " s. e. cor. N. Main st. " " " " " 813.06 ft  
 " s. w. cor. " " " W. " " " 811.01 ft  
 " 125 ft. from s. w. cor. N. Main & W. Kingsley st.----- 804.81 ft  
 " s. e. cor. N. Ashley & W. Kingsley st. 790.37 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.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the east side of Detroit street 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 east side of Detroit street from east line of N. Fifth ave. to south line of Depot street 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 n. e. cor. N. Fifth ave & Detroit st. 825.23 ft  
 " s. e. cor. E. Kingsley st. " " " 823 66 ft  
 " n. e. " " " " " " 823.55 ft  
 " 220 ft. from n. e. cor. E. Kingsley & Detroit st.----- 819.10 ft  
 " 400 ft from n. e. cor. E. Kingsley & Detroit st.----- 814.99 ft  
 " s. e. cor. N. Division & Detroit st.----- 811.15 ft  
 " n. e. " " " " " " 807.39 ft  
 " s. e. cor. Fuller st. " " " " 805.27 ft  
 " n. e. cor. " " " " " " 802.68 ft  
 " s. line of Depot st. " " " " 787.38 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Manly :

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Council the grade on the east side of N. State street 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 east side of N. State street from North line of E. Kingsley street 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 n. e cor E. Kingsley & N. State st. 838.14 ft  
 " the angle in N. State st.----- 825.92 ft  
 " 275 ft north of the angle in N. State st. 806.88 ft  
 " s. e. cor. Fuller st. and N. State st. --795.80 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.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Martin, Snow, Wood, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly and Pres. Watts—8.

Nays—None.



By Ald. Manly :

*Resolved*, That the bill of Richmond & Backus Co., of \$12.00, for justice docket, be allowed.

Lost as follows, a majority of the aldermen not voting therefor :

Yeas—Alds. Wagner, Snow, Wood, Taylor, Manly, Pres. Watts—6.

Nays—Alds. Martin, Ferguson—2.

By Ald. Manly :

*Resolved*, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to remove the street signs on Mrs. McCollum's residence and barn and place the same on opposite side of street.

Adopted.

By Ald. Wagner :

*Resolved*, That the Chief of the Fire Department be, and is hereby instructed to take a reading of the pressure gauge at the engine house, from date, said reading to be taken four times each and every day, and the record of such reading be reported to the Common Council at each regular meeting when called for, and until further orders.

Adopted.

By Alderman Taylor:

WHEREAS, it having been made to appear to this Council that diseases known as the yellows and black knot prevail in certain fruit trees, within the city of Ann Arbor, therefore,

*Resolved*, That Charles C. Clark, Leonard Gruner, and Jacob Ganzhorn, freeholders, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners and shall constitute a board of commissioners in and for the city of Ann Arbor, empowered to take suitable action for the suppression of such diseases under the laws of the state.

Adopted.

Ald. Martin moved that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet Monday, Aug. 14, 93, at the usual time.

On motion the council adjourned.

W. J. MILLER,  
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER.  
ANN ARBOR, Aug. 9, 1893.

Special Session.

President Watts being absent, the Council was called to order by the Clerk.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent—Ald. Herz, Ferguson, Prettyman and Pres. Watts.—4.

On motion of Ald. Kitson, Ald. Manly was elected president pro tem.

Chairman Manly assumed the chair and announced that the first order of business would be to hear the call read for this meeting:

Following is the call:

Wm. J. Miller, City Clerk:

SIR—You will call a special meeting of the Common Council for this evening, August 9, at 8 o'clock, to consider the question of our present water supply with reference to fire protection.

B. M. THOMPSON,  
August 9, 1893. Mayor.

The call for special meeting having been read by the Clerk, the following communication from the Mayor was read:

Ann Arbor, Aug. 9, 1893.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: This city today is without any adequate fire protection. For a portion of each day during the past three weeks it has been wholly without protection from the water works. When we consider the danger from fire at this season of the year, at all times, and the present condition of the weather, and the additional fact that there is not a single fire-proof building in the city, the situation is full of alarm.

You have now under consideration the condition and character of our water supply with reference to its quality for culinary purposes. The city ought to have an abundant supply of pure and wholesome water. Pure water is a prime necessity both from a financial and sanitary point of view. Foul water promotes neither good health nor immigration. Upon this view of the subject there is no occasion to dwell, nor need I make any suggestion, since you have already taken prompt and efficient action in the matter.

I think it is agreed among all those who are familiar with the situation that the main reservoir is in as good a condition today as it can be put in until it is paved. In my judgement, we ought not to order it paved now and thus assume the increased fire risk involved. I am informed by the water company that if the use of water for sprinkling is discontinued for three days that the company can fill the reservoir full. If this can be done, it should be done, for then we shall have immediately ample fire protection. As soon as the reservoir is filled, then the water in the catch basins can be drawn off and those basins thoroughly cleansed without impairing or endangering our fire protection.