

Wood, O'Mara, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, and Pres. Watts—11.

Nays—None.

Ald. Prettyman moved that a special committee, consisting of President W. W. Watts and three members of this council, President Keech of the Board of Public Works and five business men be appointed to confer with the officials of the M. C. R. R. company about lowering viaduct over their tracks, at the foot of Detroit street.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Schairer, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—11.

Nays—None.

Pres. Watts appointed the following committee: Ald. Prettyman, Ald. Manly and Ald. Wood and Messrs. L. D. Wines, Moses Seabolt, G. F. Allmendinger, N. J. Kyer and John F. Lawrence.

Ald. Martin moved that the street commissioner do proceed at once to repair and make safe for public travel M. C. Railway bridge.

Adopted.

Ald. Kitson moved that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion the council adjourned.

W. J. MILLER,  
City Clerk.

Council Chamber.

Ann Arbor, April 5, 1894.

Adjourned session.

Called to order by Pres. Watts.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent—Alds. Wagner, Ferguson and Taylor—3.

A petition signed by John Haarer and eighty other residents and property holders of the city of Ann Arbor, asking that a lateral sewer be put on Liberty street from the main sewer east to Main or State street.

Referred to the committee on sewers.

Ald. Kitson moved that we now proceed to a canvass of the votes, as provided in Section 26, of the city charter.

Which motion prevailed.

Tabulated statement of the votes cast in the various wards of the city of Ann Arbor, Michigan:

|                                      | 1st. | 2nd. | 3rd. | 4th. | 5th. | 6th. | Total. |
|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--------|
| C. G. Darling,--                     | 298  | 129  | 166  | 165  | 70   | 268  | 1096   |
| W. E. Walker, --                     | 199  | 285  | 253  | 173  | 90   | 58   | 1058   |
| Majority for Darling                 |      |      |      |      |      |      | 38     |
| For President of the Common Council: |      |      |      |      |      |      |        |
|                                      | 1st. | 2nd. | 3rd. | 4th. | 5th. | 6th. | Total. |
| Levi D. Wines,--                     | 298  | 133  | 164  | 161  | 75   | 267  | 1098   |
| Wm. W. Watts,--                      | 193  | 271  | 231  | 175  | 82   | 82   | 1002   |
| Majority for Wines                   |      |      |      |      |      |      | 96     |

WARD OFFICERS.

FIRST WARD.

|                         |     |
|-------------------------|-----|
| <i>For Supervisor:—</i> |     |
| John R. Miner,-----     | 268 |
| James Kearns,-----      | 187 |
| Joshua G. Palmer,-----  | 25  |
| Miner's plurality,----- | 81  |
| <i>For Alderman:—</i>   |     |
| Pearson L. Bodmer,----- | 291 |
| Ross Granger,-----      | 199 |
| Bodmer's majority,----- | 92  |
| <i>For Constable:—</i>  |     |
| William E. Eldert,----- | 289 |
| Willis L. Clark,-----   | 177 |
| Eldert's majority,----- | 11  |

SECOND WARD.

|                                |     |
|--------------------------------|-----|
| <i>For Supervisor:—</i>        |     |
| Eugene Oesterlin,-----         | 249 |
| John Schmid,-----              | 153 |
| Herman Markham,-----           | 1   |
| Oesterlin's plurality,-----    | 92  |
| <i>For Alderman:—</i>          |     |
| David F. Allmendinger,-----    | 233 |
| Michael Grossman,-----         | 168 |
| Calvin Boylan,-----            | 1   |
| Allmendinger's plurality,----- | 65  |
| <i>For Constable:—</i>         |     |
| Paul Schall,-----              | 247 |
| Frederick Huhn,-----           | 155 |
| Schall's majority,-----        | 92  |

THIRD WARD.

|                          |     |
|--------------------------|-----|
| <i>For Supervisor:—</i>  |     |
| John J. Fisher,-----     | 223 |
| Robert Shannon,-----     | 183 |
| Fisher's majority,-----  | 40  |
| <i>For Alderman:—</i>    |     |
| Clinton J. Snyder,-----  | 218 |
| Andrew R. Peterson,----- | 190 |
| Snyder's majority,-----  | 28  |
| <i>For Constable:—</i>   |     |
| Jeremiah Walsh,-----     | 210 |
| Jasper Imus, Sr.,-----   | 194 |
| Walsh's majority,-----   | 16  |

FOURTH WARD.

|                         |     |
|-------------------------|-----|
| <i>For Supervisor:—</i> |     |
| George H. Pond,-----    | 167 |
| Joseph Donnelly,-----   | 153 |
| Daniel Strickler,-----  | 13  |
| Pond's plurality,-----  | 14  |

|                             |     |
|-----------------------------|-----|
| <i>For Alderman:—</i>       |     |
| Henry J. Brown, .....       | 323 |
| No other candidates.        |     |
| <i>For Constable:—</i>      |     |
| Thomas F. Leonard, .....    | 312 |
| No other candidates.        |     |
| FIFTH WARD.                 |     |
| <i>For Supervisor:—</i>     |     |
| Thomas Speechly, .....      | 98  |
| Herman Hardinghouse, .....  | 58  |
| Elliot Williams, .....      | 1   |
| Speechly's plurality, ..... | 40  |
| <i>For Alderman:—</i>       |     |
| Walter L. Taylor, .....     | 82  |
| William M. Shadford, .....  | 75  |
| Taylor's majority, .....    | 7   |
| <i>For Constable:—</i>      |     |
| Rudolph Kern, .....         | 72  |
| C. Winslow, .....           | 1   |
| Kern's majority, .....      | 71  |
| SIXTH WARD.                 |     |
| <i>For Supervisor:—</i>     |     |
| Evart H. Scott, .....       | 217 |
| George Hempl, .....         | 68  |
| Benjamin J. Conrad, .....   | 28  |
| Scott's plurality, .....    | 149 |
| <i>For Alderman:—</i>       |     |
| Horace G. Prettyman, .....  | 258 |
| Farwell A. Wilson, .....    | 71  |
| Prettyman's majority, ..... | 187 |
| <i>For Constable:—</i>      |     |
| Henry Marsh, .....          | 279 |
| Richard Jewell, .....       | 65  |
| Marsh's majority, .....     | 144 |
| W. J. MILLER, City Clerk.   |     |

Accepted and leave being granted the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Manly:

*Resolved*, That the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor at a regular session at the Council Chamber, in said city, on the 5th day of April, A. D., 1894, do declare and hereby certify that at the municipal election held in and for said city of Ann Arbor, on the 2nd day of April, A. D., 1894, the following named persons were duly and lawfully elected to the following named city offices, viz.:

- For Mayor—Cyrenus G. Darling.
- For President of the Common Council—Levi D. Wines.
- For Supervisors:—
  - First Ward—John R. Miner.
  - Second Ward—Eugene Oesterlin.
  - Third Ward—John J. Fisher.
  - Fourth Ward—George H. Pond.
  - Fifth Ward—Thomas Speechly.
  - Sixth Ward—Evart H. Scott.
- For Aldermen:—
  - First Ward—Pearson L. Bodmer.
  - Second Ward—David F. Allmendinger.
  - Third Ward—Clinton J. Snyder.
  - Fourth Ward—Henry J. Brown.
  - Fifth Ward—Walter L. Taylor.
  - Sixth Ward—Horace G. Prettyman.
- For Constables:—
  - First Ward—William E. Eldert.
  - Second Ward—Paul Schall.
  - Third Ward—Jeremiah Walsh.
  - Fourth Ward—Thomas F. Leonard.
  - Fifth Ward—Rudolph Kern.
  - Sixth Ward—Henry Marsh.

Which resolution, declarations and certificate prevailed by a yea and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Schairer, Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.  
Nays—None.

REPORT FROM THE SEWER COMMITTEE.

TO THE COMMON COUNCIL:

Your Committee on Sewers to whom was referred the petition and claim of Jerome A. Freeman, administrator of the estate of G. W. Henry praying for damages, for the death of said Geo. W. Henry, beg leave to report that they have fully considered the matter of said petition and find that the city was not in fault in the premises and is not responsible or legally liable to pay damage to said claimant or to any person for the death of George W. Henry, and we further find and report that the person represented in said petition as widow of said deceased is not entitled to compensation for the death of said George W. Henry in any event.

You committee, therefore, recommend that the prayer of said petition be denied.

All of which is respectfully submitted and your committee beg to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Dated April 5, 1894.

CHRISTIAN MARTIN,  
H. G. PRETTYMAN,  
C. H. MANLY,  
W. G. SNOW,  
Sewer Committee.

Accepted and recommendation concurred in as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Schairer, Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.  
Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

TO THE COMMON COUNCIL:

Your Committee on Sewers to whom was referred the petition and claim of Ambrose Kearney, administrator of the estate of Richard Suppel, for damage for the death of said Richard Suppel, beg leave to report that they have fully considered the matter of said petition and claim and find that the city was not in fault and is not responsible or legally liable to pay damage to the said claimant or to anyone for the death of said Richard Suppel, and we further find and report that Mrs. Kennedy, in whose behalf said claim was filed, is not entitled to compensation for the death of said Suppel in any event.

Your committee, however, found that Mrs. Kennedy is very poor and in destitute circumstances and is deserving of assistance, and it would be an act of deserving charity if some suitable provision could be made for her, so that in old age she would not be left to suffer, which question your committee would recommend be referred to the new council.

All of which is respectfully submitted and your committee beg to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

Dated April 5, 1894.

CHRISTIAN MARTIN,  
H. G. PRETTYMAN,  
C. H. MANLY,  
W. G. SNOW,  
Sewer Committee.

Accepted and recommendation concurred in as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Schairer, Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Wood :

Resolved, That the city clerk is hereby directed to secure a gold dollar, the amount of the mayor's salary for the past year, and have it suitably engraved.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Schairer, Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Prettyman :

Inasmuch as the final adjournment of this council is at hand, therefor be it

Resolved, That we, the aldermen, members of said council, do hereby extend out sincere thanks to Pres. W. W. Watts for the able and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office ; and be it further

Resolved. That in the retirement of Pres. Watts the city loses the services of an efficient officer and his assistants a genial companion and safe adviser.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Schairer, Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Manly, Prettyman and Kitson—9.

Nays—None.

Ald. Manly moved that the vote by which this council, on March 5th, '94, made a proposition to the Ann T. H. Electric Company, for lighting this city, be reconsidered.

Adopted as follows

Yeas—Alds. Schairer, Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.

Nays—None.

Ald Martin moved that the propo-

sition made to this council April 3d '94, by the Ann Arbor T. H. Electric Company, be accepted and a contract be exchanged with said company under the same condition as last year contract to be dated from March 1st, 1894, to Jan. 1st, 1895.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Schairer, Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Wood :

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars be appropriated from, and warrant drawn from the contingent fund, to pay Wm. Miller for arranging, assorting and filing old papers, and other extra labor performed by himself and assistants.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Schairer, Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.

Nays—None.

Ald. Herz moved that a warrant be ordered drawn on the contingent fund to the amount of \$535.25 in favor of the Ann Arbor Thompson-Houston Electric Company, being the amount due them for March street lighting.

Adopted as follows :

Yeas—Alds. Schairer, Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.

Nays—None.

Pres. Watts introduced Prof. L. D. Wines, the new president of the council. Prof. Wines made a few pleasant remarks.

On motion the Council adjourned.

WM. J. MILLER.

City Clerk.