

COUNCIL CHAMBER }

Ann Arbor, May 26th, 1897. }

Special Session.

Called to order by Pres. Luick.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent Ald. Brown, Vandawarker, Spathelf, Coon.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR.

Glen V. Mills, City Clerk.

Call a special session of the Common Council tonight at 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of considering the advisability of asking the legislature to pass an Enabling Act authorizing the City of Ann Arbor to issue bonds for paving purposes.

CHAS. E. HISCOCK,
Mayor.

By Ald. Koch.

Resolved that a committee of three be appointed, of which the Mayor shall be chairman, to procure the passage of an act by the Legislature which will authorize the Common Council to provide by ordinance for the pavement of streets and alleys assessing the cost of the same or a part thereof, upon the adjacent and benefited property and to provide for the payment of the same by installments.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Moore, Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Rhodes, Soule, Danforth, Cady, Pres. Luick—11.

Nays—None.

Pres. Luick appointed Mayor Hiscock, City Attorney Kearney and Ald. Cady as such committee.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor, Mich.

The National and Department Headquarters of the G. A. R. have designated Monday, May 31st, 1897, as Memorial Day and I earnestly request that all citizens join in assisting the local Post in a proper observance of the exercises of the day. While we can all unite in the sentiment:

“No more shall the war cry sever
Nor the running rivers be red
They banished our anger forever
When they laureled the graves of our dead.”

Let us show by our presence that the heroes of the war are held in grateful remembrance and that we are always ready to accord them honor for their great struggle for liberty and the freedom of mankind.

I respectfully request that all business houses close from two until four p. m.

CHAS. E. HISCOCK,
Mayor.

Captain C. H. Manly as a committee from the G. A. R. extended an invitation to the Common Council to take part with them in the observance of Decoration day.

Ald. Cady moved that the Council accept the invitation.

Adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

GLEN V. MILLS,
City Clerk.