

COUNCIL CHAMBER,)
Ann Arbor, Dec. 5th, 1898. (

Regular session.

Called to order by Pres. Luick.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent—Ald. Exinger, Weeks, Howell.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

A petition, signed by the Eberbach Hardware Co. and ten others, asking for the establishment of the width of Washington street, was read and referred to the Street Committee.

A petition, signed by Andrew Muehlig and 13 others, asking for an electric light at the corner of Beakes st. and 5th av., was read and referred to the Lighting Committee.

A petition, signed by J. A. Polhemus, asking for damages for alleged injuries sustained by paving brick being piled in front of his place of business, was read and referred to the Finance Committee and City Attorney.

A petition, signed by John C. Burns, asking for use of steam from the city heating-plant, was read and referred to the Fire Department Committee.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works presents to your honorable body the report of the Street Commissioner of the expense of building the storm sewers ordered by your honorable body.

Respectfully submitted,

Glen V. Mills,

Clerk of the Board of Public Works.

NOV. 11, 1898.—SOUTH MAIN STREET SEWER.

220 ft. 15 in. pipe.....	\$55 00
13 days' work.....	19 50
	\$74 50

This includes one catch-basin.

NOV. 19.—DETROIT STREET SEWER.

600 ft. 15 in. pipe.....	\$ 150 00
One 15 in. elbow.....	1 00
18 ft. 12 in. pipe.....	3 06
24 ft. 19 in. pipe.....	3 12
2 pieces 30 in. pipe.....	2 80
55 days' work.....	82 50
1700 brick.....	13 13
12 sacks cement.....	3 00

Total.....\$258 61

This includes five catch-basins and taking up and relaying paved gutter.

NOV. 23.—JEFFERSON STREET SEWER.

700 ft. 12 in. pipe.....	\$ 119 00
64 ft. 20 in. pipe.....	28 80
8 pieces 30 in. pipe.....	11 02
50 ft. 20 in. pipe.....	22 50
372 ft. 18 in. pipe.....	126 48
216 days' hand labor.....	324 00
6 days' mason-work.....	21 00
Brick and cement.....	47 48

Total.....\$700 46

This bill includes the building of 1,186 ft. of sewer on Jefferson, First and Second streets, including three man-holes and eight catch-basins, and taking up and lowering 225 ft. 18 in. sewer on Jefferson street, between Ashley and First streets.

Total expense.....\$1,033 37

Received and placed on file.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works would recommend that they be authorized to purchase a street-sweeper; also, that \$50 be appropriated to purchase manure for the parks of the city.

Respectfully submitted,

Glen V. Mills,

Clerk of the Board of Public Works.

Referred to the Street and Park Committees.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

FINANCE.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report that they have had the following bills under consideration and would recommend their allowance and that warrants be drawn in payment of the same.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur Brown,

F. M. Hamilton,

Emmett Coon,

Committee on Finance.

CONTINGENT FUND.

Glen V. Mills, salary.....	\$ 83 34
Patrick O'Hearn ".....	83 34
O. E. Butterfield, ".....	50 00
Edward L. Seyler ".....	8 34
Mrs C. A. Greene, rent.....	29 17
Marvin Davenport, janitor.....	6 25
M. E. Easterly, janitor.....	20 00
Geo. F. Key, salary.....	100 00
Eberbach Hardware Co., supplies.....	60 00
Mack & Co., Furn., nails.....	45
E. James, meals.....	1 00
John M. Feiner, signs.....	4 80
Walker & Spalding, costs.....	135 23
Robt. W. Benz, rent.....	1 50
Frederick Schmid, lighting.....	2 50
J. A. Polhemus, livery.....	4 00
Mack & Co., string.....	27
Martin Haller, rent of chairs.....	25
Ann Arbor Argus, printing.....	9 39
Robison & Co., livery.....	4 00
Glen V. Mills, student's directory—	
City Attorney, City Marshal, Justice	7 50
Ann Arbor Electric Co., lighting.....	585 90
Ann Arbor Savings Bank, acct. as-	
signed.....	22 26
W. W. Wetmore, supplies.....	1 80
J. A. Polhemus, use of wagon.....	2 00
H. J. Brown, supplies.....	5 00
Henry C. Wilmot, posting.....	2 00
Holmes Livery, hack.....	1 00
O. E. Butterfield, telephoning.....	50
Dr. E. A. Clark, postage and stationery	4 80
Hausfreund und Post, advertising.....	4 20
H. P. Danforth, inspector.....	12 00
Geo. A. Craig, hack.....	3 00
Glen V. Mills, postage.....	1 75
Schairer & Millen, canvas.....	56
Hausfreund und Post, notices.....	3 50

Grace A. Bowen, stenographer for City Attorney.....	3 25
State Savings Bank, accts. assigned.....	21 98
Total	\$1,286 83

SEWER FUND—GENERAL.

State Savings Bank, accts. assigned.....	\$ 552 51
Wesley Hicks, inspector.....	25 00
Total	\$ 577 51

STREET FUND.

State Savings Bank, accts. assigned.....	\$ 518 84
Daniel J. Ross, salary.....	66 66
Schumacher's Hardware, hatchet.....	50
Muehlig & Schmid, supplies.....	18 73
A. R. Schmidt, repairs.....	5 58
Eberbach Hardware Co., supplies.....	42 26
Koch Bros., labor.....	48 15
James A. Harkins, supplies.....	3 01
S. Wood & Co., supplies.....	179 51
Louis Rohde, supplies.....	209 43
James Tolbert, lumber and pipe.....	184 06
R. C. Barney, flagging.....	48 53
Herman Krapf, sawing.....	7 65
Clarcken & Clancy, brick.....	12 75
Geo. Miller & Son, repairs.....	4 50
Geo. H. Fischer, labor.....	30 45
F. L. Sutherland, labor.....	21 45
Total.....	\$1,332 06

BRIDGE, CULVERT AND CROSSWALK FUND.

State Savings Bank, accts. assigned.....	\$ 120 45
Total.....	\$ 120 45

POLICE FUND.

Zenus Sweet, salary.....	\$ 75 00
George Isbell, salary.....	50 00
David Collins, salary.....	50 00
John O'Mara, salary.....	50 00
Reuben Armbruster, salary.....	50 00
Thomas Blackburn, special.....	2 00
Paul Schall, special.....	1 00
J. A. Polhemus, livery.....	1 50
Total.....	\$ 279 50

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.

Fred Siple, salary.....	\$ 60 00
C. A. Edwards, salary.....	55 00
W. H. McLaren, salary.....	50 00
Albert West, salary.....	50 00
Eugene Williams, salary.....	50 00
Herman Kirn, salary.....	50 00
Samuel McLaren, salary.....	50 00
C. S. Andrews, salary.....	40 00
Charles Carroll, salary.....	20 00
A. W. Sorg, salary.....	8 00
Michael Ryan, salary.....	8 00
Ed. Hill, salary.....	8 00
Fred Nordman, salary.....	8 00
Ralph Edwards, salary.....	8 00
Mrs. Ream, washing.....	6 00
D. J. Malloy, harness.....	11 55
Henne & Stanger, quilts.....	3 20
Geo. Klager, pasturing horse.....	3 75
J. E. Harkins, supplies.....	8 11
Chas. Rose, oats.....	47 58
Koch Bros., repairs.....	2 05
Goodale & Co., supplies.....	1 92
H. J. Brown, supplies.....	2 60
Patrick Gibney, hay.....	14 26
Eberbach Hardware Co., supplies.....	18 26
State Savings Bank, accts. assigned.....	9 30
Total	\$ 593 58

POOR FUND.

Fred Siple, salary.....	\$ 10 00
W. W. Wetmore, books.....	25
Ann Arbor Railroad Co., freight.....	37 11
Eberbach Hardware Co., supplies.....	65

E. C. Bradford, wood.....	54 39
J. A. Brown, groceries.....	3 58
F. Bigalke, groceries.....	6 25
Davis & Seabolt, groceries.....	4 54
Doty & Feiner, shoes.....	3 90
John Goetz & Son, groceries.....	6 86
J. E. Harkins, pick and shovel.....	1 40
G. Hoefler, groceries.....	4 00
Mrs. Hillman, board for Mrs. Evans.....	5 00
John Goetz, Jr., groceries.....	5 78
A. G. Koch, groceries.....	3 88
A. Kearney, groceries.....	1 50
W. F. Lodholz, groceries.....	9 46
C. Lutz, meat.....	1 00
H. Lodholz, groceries.....	1 00
J. H. Maynard, groceries.....	7 12
M. C. R. R., error in June for ticket.....	1 00
E. P. Mason, livery.....	75
F. C. Miller, groceries.....	7 00
C. Rinsey, groceries.....	4 82
Rinsey & Seabolt, groceries.....	10 21
H. Richards, coal.....	10 09
W. F. Stimson, groceries.....	7 20
Geo. Spathelf, Jr., meat.....	2 00
C. W. Vogel, meat.....	1 59
Wahr & Miller, shoes.....	3 75
L. C. Weinmann, meat.....	58
Wadhams, Ryan & Reule, clothing.....	2 25
C. Zuern, meat.....	50
Total	\$ 219 41

RECAPITULATION.

November Bills, December Orders.

Contingent Fund.....	\$1,286 83
Sewer Fund, general.....	577 51
Street Fund.....	1,332 06
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.....	120 45
Police Fund.....	279 50
Firemen's Fund.....	593 58
Poor Fund.....	219 41
Total	\$ 4,409 34

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—12.

Nays—None.

ORDINANCE.

Chairman Cady presented an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance Relative to Licenses, approved July 15th, 1891, as amended by an Ordinance approved February 15th, 1895, as amended by an Ordinance approved March 17th, 1896,' " which was given its third reading by sections.

Ald. Brown moved to amend the Ordinance by substituting the words "the sum of \$5.00," in place of the words "the sum of \$25.00," in line 21, section 1.

Lost as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Brown.

Nays—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—11.

Ald. Coon moved to amend the Or-

dinance by substituting the words "10 p. m." in place of "10:30 p. m." in line 23, section 1.

Lost as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Coon, Stevens—5.

Nays—Ald. Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Cady, Pres. Luick—7.

Ald. Stevens moved to amend the Ordinance by inserting the words "or billiard hall" after the words "bowling alley," in lines 8, 21, and 24, and the words "billiard playing" after the word "bowling" in line 24.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Sweet, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—9.

Nays—Ald. Dieterle, Vandawarker, Brown—3.

Ald. Brown moved to postpone action on the final passage of the ordinance until the next regular session.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Pres. Luick—8.

Nays—Ald. Koch, Coon, Cady, Stevens—4.

SEWERS.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Sewers would recommend that action on the storm sewer on Huron street be postponed until the petition for the pavement on said street is acted on by the Council.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. W. Sweet,
Simon Dieterle,
Henry Richards,
A. B. Stevens,
Committee on Sewers.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—12.

Nays—None.

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT.

Month ending Nov. 30, '98.

MONEY RECEIVED.

Bridge, culv't and crossw'lk fund.	
D. J. Ross, Sidewalk built	
Fred Hoffman	\$ 52 32
Wm. Lamborn	6 00
Michael Williams	5 77
City Cemetery Fund.	
G. V. Mills from Chas. West, part payment on lot 11 block 11.	3 00
Police Fund	
Sweet, Marshall,	
Trans. prisoner to Penal Inst.	17 20
Fees for Nov. '98.	3 30
School District No. 1.	

Primary and Library money from State	2767 00
Total	\$ 2852 59

MONEY DISBURSED, WARRANTS PAID.

Bridge, culv't and crossw'lk fund	\$ 308 75
Contingent fund	2070 08
City cemetery	10 95
State Dog tax	3 50
Fire fund	655 89
Poor	86 09
Police	290 00
Street	1971 53
School District No. 1	
Trans. Check to J. E. Beal, Treas.	2767 00

Total	\$8235 79
Balance overdraft last report	\$ 671 44

8907 23

Balance overdraft	6054 64
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Condition of City funds Dec. 1 '98.

	On hand	Over-drawn
Bridge, culv't' crossw'k fund	\$527 20	
Contingent fund	6522 72	
City cemetery fund	13 44	
Dog license fund	301 50	
State dog tax	580 75	
Delinquent tax fund	1554 27	
Fire fund	4706 92	
Poor	1787 32	
Police	1323 10	
Street	2972 66	
University aid bond fund	300 00	
Uncollected city tax	10274 28	
Water fund	3472 40	
Excess of city rolls	204 83	
Sidewalk tax uncollected	29 61	
Rejected	3 59	
Main sewer Appropriation	3100 00	

Total	\$15809 93	21864 57
Balance overdraft		\$6054 64

MONEY RECEIVED.

Tax acc't lat sewer no 3	\$21 91
Balance on hand last report	11325 19

Total	\$11347 10
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MONEY DISBURSED, WARRANTS PAID.

	Amt	Cr
Main Sewer Fund	\$ 111 46	
Labor acc't lat sewer No. 7	89 42	

Total	\$1206 88
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Balance on hand	10140 22
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Condition of sewer funds Dec. 1 '98.

	Dr	Cr
Main sewer fund	\$	\$2303 68
Labor acc't lat sewer no 1	39 90	
Tax	430 83	
Labor	2	27 28
Tax	2	278 72
Labor	3	5805 82
Tax	3	3553 81
Labor	4	836 21
Tax	4	897 49
Labor	5	980 24
Tax	5	4798 04
Labor	6	2950 24
Tax	6	2958 45
Labor	7	57 73
Tax	7	422 29
Delinquent sewer tax	451 60	
Uncollected		487 09

Total	\$8544 60	18684 82
Balance on hand		\$10140 22

PAVING FUND—MONEY RECEIVED.

Tax Acct. pay Dis. No. 1.....	\$ 307 04
" " " " 2.....	317 79
Labor Acct. pay Dis. No. 1	
Total issue of bonds sold by	
Farmers & Mechanics Bk.....	21256 60
Labor acct pay dist No. 2	
Total issue of bonds sold by	
Farmers & Mechanics Bk.....	8982 93
Tax acct pay dist No. 1	
Int. on bonds from Sept. 27 to	
Nov. 27 '98.....	177 14
Premium on bonds sold.....	305 00
Tax acct pay dist No. 2.	
Int. on bonds from Sept. 27 to	
Nov. 27 '98.....	74 86
Premium on bonds sold.....	100 00

Total.....	\$31521 36
Overdraft last report.....	\$24477 96
Balance on hand.....	7043 40

DISBURSED, WARRANTS PAID.

Condition of Pav. Fund Dec. 1 '98

	Dr	Cr
Labor Acct Pav. Dis No. 1...\$	4578 12	
Tax Acct. pay. Dis. No. 1....		1809 95
Lab'r " " " 2.....		8982 93
Tax " " " 2.....		828 64

Total.....	\$ 4578 12	\$11621 52
On hand.....		7043 40
On hand, Sewer Fund.....		10140 22
On hand, Paving Tax.....		7043 40

Overdraft per report city		17183 62
fund.....		6054 64

On hand.....	\$11128 98
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Respectfully submitted,

E. L. SEYLER,

City Treasurer.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 3, 1898.

This is to certify that E. L. Seyler, treasurer, had to his credit on the night of Nov. 30, the sum of eleven thousand one hundred twenty-eight and ninety-eight one-hundredths dollars (\$11,128.98).

JOHN C. WALZ, JR.

Assistant Cashier.

STREETS.

To the Common Council:—

Your Committee on Streets would recommend that George A. Peavey be permitted to put a set of bay scales in the street on Broadway under direction of the City Engineer; further that the subject of fencing the Boulevard and the subject of an alley in the rear of Illi's store be referred to the City Attorney to secure a right of way; and further that Michael Staebler and Frederick Rettich be ordered to remove the scales in front of their respective property on Washington street prior to April 1st 1899.

John Koch,

F. M. Hamilton,

George Spathelf jr.

C. H. Cady,
Emmett Coon,
Frank Vandewarker,
Geo. W. Sweet,
Committee on Streets.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton. Richards,
Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker,
Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens
Pres. Luick—12.

Nays—None.

STREET GRADE RESOLUTION.

By Alderman J. Koch.

Whereas, in the opinion of the Council the grade on Oxford street ought to be changed and fixed and established, to the end that such street may be made suitable for public travel and traffic. Therefore

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered that the grade on Oxford street from center line of Hill street to the center line of Geddes ave. be, and the same is hereby changed from the present grade and fixed and established, so that the grade on and along such street shall be as follows, that is to say:

	At Center line of Hill st	886.00 ft.
At 85 ft N of " " "	" " "	889.00
385 " " " "	" " "	908.50
485 " " " "	" " "	912.00
535 " " " "	" " "	912.50
585 " " " "	" " "	912.00
At Center line of S. Uni. ave.	910.00	
Geddes " "	914.80	

the elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of said street, and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points or stations above stated, the roadway to conform thereto.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards,
Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker,
Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens,
Pres. Luick.—14.

Nays—None

SIDEWALKS.

To the Common Council.

Your Committee on Sidewalks would recommend that a plank sidewalk be ordered on the north-west side of E. University ave, between Tappan and Packard. Also on the south side of Prospect between E. University ave. and Wells, not already built.

Respectfully

F. M. Hamilton,

Simon Dieterle.

A. S. Stevens,

Arthur Brown,

Committee on Sidewalks.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—12.

Nays—None.

To the Common Council.

Your Committee on Poor presents the bill of W. F. Breakey for \$15 for operation on D. Kuebler's son.

Respectfully submitted

Charles Howell,

F. M. Hamilton,

Committee on Poor.

Referred to the Finance Committee.

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

Ald. Stevens moved to recind the action of the council taken on the motion of Ald. Brown November 21st 1898, as recorded on page 112 of the printed proceeding directing the City Attorney to file a bill of interpleader in the case of Sharp & Schultz.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—11.

Nays—Ald. Brown—1.

Ald. Cady moved that the city Attorney take such action relating to the settlement of the case as he may deem necessary

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Sweet, Vandawarker, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—10.

Nays—Ald. Dieterle, Brown—2.

Ald. Stevens moved that the treasurer be directed to remit 68½ cents per foot in pavement District No. 1.

The motion not having the necessary majority of all members elect was lost as follows.

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Cady, Stevens—7.

Nays—Ald. Koch, Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Pres. Luick—5.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Brown.

Resolved that \$7,685.83 be transferred from Pavement Fund No. 2 to Pavement Fund No. 1. Also that \$300 be transferred from the Hospital Aid Bond Fund to the Contingent Fund.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—12.

Nays—None.

By Alderman Brown.

Resolved, that John F. Lawrence be employed to assist the City Attorney in the case of Corey vs the City of Ann Arbor.

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—12.

Nays—None.

Ald. Brown moved that the estimate of the engineer in pavement District No 3 be referred to the Street committee.

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Dieterle, Sweet, Exinger, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Weeks, Coon, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—15.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Vandawarker:

Resolved, that the City Engineer be directed to prepare plans and estimated cost for laying out paths through the Court House square and submit the same at the next regular session.

Ald. Hamilton moved to lay the resolution on the table until the next regular session.

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Richards, Koch, Sweet, Cady, Stevens, Pres. Luick—7.

Nays—Dieterle, Vandawarker, Brown, Spathelf, Coon—5.

On motion the Council adjourned.

GLEN V. MILLS, City Clerk.