

Council Chamber,
Ann Arbor, Mich.
Nov. 2, 1925.

Regular Session

Meeting called to order by President Woodbury.

Present. Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14.

Absent: Ald. Bursley, 1.

Minutes of Sept. 11, 21 and 25, and Oct. 5 and 19, 1925, approved.

Communications

From Board of Police

Commissioners

Ann Arbor, Mich.
Nov. 2, 1925

To the Honorable, the Common Council,
Gentlemen:

We respectfully recommend that beginning January 1, 1926, the salaries of employees of the Police department be fixed per year as follows: First year policemen, each, \$1,740.00; policemen after one year of service in department, each, \$1,896.00; two sergeants, each, \$2,100.00; city marshal, \$2,700.00.

Respectfully submitted,

C. R. SNYDER,
GEORGE J. BURKE,
JOHN E. SWISHER.

Board of Police Commissioners.

Referred to Budget Committee.

To the Honorable, the Common Council,
Gentlemen:

Complying with your recommendation adopted October 19, 1925, three special policemen have been appointed as follows: Julius G. Ehnis, Harry C. Brayton and Walter E. Schmid.

We have also appointed Fred Dupper as a special policeman to assist the regular force on Oct. 31, Nov. 14 and Nov. 21, 1925.

Respectfully submitted

Board of Police Commissioners.
by C. R. Snyder.

Moved by Ald. Lucas, that appointments be confirmed.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14. Nays, none.

From Board of Park Commissioners

Oct. 31, 1925.

To the Honorable, the Common Council,

Ann Arbor, Mich.
Gentlemen:

The Board of Park Commissioners have received an offer from the Abbott Gasoline company to lease a parcel of City property situated on the Northeast corner of South Main and East Madison streets. **The offer and a plat are attached to this communication.**

It is the opinion of the Park Board that the terms of this offer are very advantageous to the city. The corner in question has long been in an unsightly condition due to the fact that satisfactory arrangements could not be made with the C. A. Sauer Lumber company who own a portion of the land. The area is not large enough to make a park which would be of any particular use to the neighborhood. The proximity of the Railroad with its attendant smoke, soot, and dust would also detract from the health and beauty of any plantings which might be made there.

With full consideration of the acts the Park Board has made and passed the following motion:

“Moved that the Park Board recommend to the Common Council that they pass a resolution authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to execute a lease embodying the terms as offered by the Abbott Gasoline company. The proceeds from this lease to be paid into the Park fund to be used in the acquisition of Park property.

Seconded and carried.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. D. KEARNEY,

President.

Oct. 29, 1925.

To the President and Members of the Park Commission, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

The City of Ann Arbor is the owner of a parcel of land located on the northeast corner of Madison and South Main streets with a frontage of approximately 38 feet on Madison and approximately 100 feet on Main street and tapering to a point at the intersection of the right of way of the Ann Arbor railroad. There is nothing upon this property except some piles of stone.

This company would like to lease or purchase this property. If it leases from the city it would ask for a lease covering a fifteen year

period and is willing to pay to the city the sum of fifty dollars on the first day of the month of every month during the term of the lease. The company will agree to erect upon the property a handsome filling station and will beautify the grounds under the direction of the city forester.

We ask, that the necessary steps be taken by your commission to bring about the consummation of a lease as above suggested.

Respectfully yours,
The Abbott Gasoline Company,
By Horation J. Abbott,
President.

Moved by Ald. Sweet, that the recommendation of the Board of Park Commissioners be concurred in.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14. Nays, none.

E. A. Gallup, superintendent of Parks, submitted a report of the 26th annual convention of the American Institute of Park Executives held Sept. 14th to 17th inclusive at Rockford, Illinois, and Sept. 18th at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, which report was ordered on file.

Communication from John A. Wessinger, health officer, stating that the health officer of Ypsilanti has tendered \$600 per annum to Ann Arbor Health department for service of one day per week of the dairy inspector, received and referred to Budget Committee.

Nov. 2, 1925.

To the Common Council.
Gentlemen:

During tax collection periods this office is obliged to employ extra clerk service, and I will employ only such help as is necessary, strictly confining such service to provision made in the budget. All bills for said clerk hire will state name of person employed, number of hours and rate per hour as provided in resolution of May 4th, last.

I respectfully request that this be approved.

ROSS GRANGER,
City Treasurer.

Moved by Ald. Lutz that request be granted.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas: Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman,

Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14. Nays, none.

Petitions

Of Aaron L. Walker and nine other freeholders to cause to be officially closed that certain portion of the public alley in Siple's subdivision in the City of Ann Arbor as follows, to wit: that part on the east side of lot 1 and extending along the north line of lots 1 and 2 to a point 14 feet east of the west line of lot 2 in said Siple's subdivision; and also a petition signed by six freeholders, who are immediately affected, waiving any rights in and to the said certain portion of alley and consenting to the vacation thereof, provided the Artificial Ice company deed to the city of Ann Arbor for the purpose of a public alley a parcel of land described as follows: the west 14 feet of lot 2, siple's subdivision, received and referred to Street committee.

Petition of Arthur F. Marquardt, et al, requesting that the following named streets be graded, gravelled and sidewalk grades established: Hall ave., Carhart ave., Devolson ave., Thompson ave., Ferdon road, Burke ave., South Blvd., Frieze ave. received and referred to Street committee.

Petition of C. A. Mertz, et al, for street light at corner of Davis ave. and Third st. received and referred to Lighting committee.

Pavement Petition

Of Mrs. Wm. Stoll, et al, for pavement on W. Jefferson st. between Main st. and Seventh st., received and referred to Street committee.

Claim

Of Benjamin M. Anspaugh for expenses amounting to \$14.00 due to alleged stepping into an unguarded hole on State st., received and referred to City Attorney.

Protest

Of Ann Arbor Floral company, relative to payment for licenses issued Oct. 31, 1925, to sell flowers, received and referred to Ordinance committee.

Committee Reports

Finance Report

Contingent Fund

R. A. Campbell, salary ..	\$41.66
I. G. Reynolds, salary ...	275.00
H. W. Crippen, salary ...	250.00
Ross Granger, salary	250.00
Geo. H. Sandenburgh,	
salary	350.00

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Ralph Edw
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H. R. Scovill, salary	225.00	Albert Heusel, salary	74.64
R. O. Bonisteel, salary . . .	183.33	Irwin Keebler, salary . . .	74.64
C. F. Hartman, salary . . .	165.00	Harold Gee, salary	74.64
John A. Wessinger, salary	166.66	Benj. Ball, salary	67.96
F. C. Perry, salary	150.00	Harry Smith, salary	67.96
Owen E. Stricklen, salary	150.00	Roland Wooster, salary . .	67.96
Julius Lohrke, salary	145.00	Herman Suma, salary . . .	67.96
Chas. Stoll, salary	130.00	Oscar Weir, salary	67.96
Marcia M. Minnis, salary	120.00		
Jessie Crippen, salary . . .	115.00	Police Fund total salaries	
Clara Mast, salary	105.00	1-2 mo. Oct.	\$1,339.68
Florence Conlin, salary . .	100.00	Poor Fund	
Ned R. Smith, salary	75.00	John Shadford, salary . . .	\$50.00
Victor H. Lane, jr., salary	75.00	Dr. Edwin Ganzhorn, sal.	50.00
Dorothy Wright, salary . .	24.00		
Frank Marz salary 1-2 mo.	74.64	Poor Fund total salaries .	\$100.00
Fred J. Staeb, sal. 1-2 mo.	50.00	Park Fund	

Contingent Fund total salaries 1-2 mo. Oct. . . . \$3,220.29

Fire Fund

Chas. Andrews, salary . . .	\$95.16
Henry McLaren, salary . .	81.48
Ralph Edwards, salary . .	81.48
Jacob Gwinner, salary . . .	77.65
Herman Kruse, salary . . .	77.65
Frank Markey, salary . . .	74.64
Emil Damman salary	74.64
Mat. Heininger, salary . . .	74.64
Floyd Naylor, salary	74.64
Earl Arnold, salary	74.64
Benj. Zahn, salary	74.64
Henry Nevroth, salary . .	74.64
Arthur Clark, salary	74.64
Clyde Carpenter, salary . .	74.64
John Comiskey, salary . . .	74.64
Chas. Smith, salary	74.64
Walter Fieldcamp, salary	74.64
Percy Whitlock, salary . .	74.64
Edward Zeeb, salary	74.64
Geo. Schmid, salary	74.64
Henry Kolander, salary . .	74.64
Albert Hoffman, salary . .	74.64
Elmer Rintz, salary	74.64
Oscar Rintz, salary	74.64
Ernst Heller, salary	74.64
Ira Nevarre, salary	74.64
Frank Ryan, salary	74.64
Harold Gauss, salary	74.64
Laurence Chatterton sal.	74.64
John Waterman, salary . .	74.64
Chas. Carroll, salary	42.61

Fire Fund total salaries 1-2 mo. Oct. \$2,322.03

Police Fund

Thos. O'Brien, salary	\$95.16
Frank Keihl, salary	79.16
Louis Fohey, salary	79.16
W. J. Aprill, salary	74.64
Ed. Blumhardt, salary . . .	74.64
M. G. Howard, salary	74.64
Chas. Kapp, salary	74.64
Arnold Busch, salary	74.64
Normal Cook, salary	74.64
Sherman Mortensen salary	74.64

Albert Heusel, salary	74.64
Irwin Keebler, salary . . .	74.64
Harold Gee, salary	74.64
Benj. Ball, salary	67.96
Harry Smith, salary	67.96
Roland Wooster, salary . .	67.96
Herman Suma, salary . . .	67.96
Oscar Weir, salary	67.96

Police Fund total salaries 1-2 mo. Oct. \$1,339.68

Poor Fund

John Shadford, salary . . .	\$50.00
Dr. Edwin Ganzhorn, sal.	50.00

Poor Fund total salaries . \$100.00

Park Fund

E. A. Gallup, salary	\$229.16
Clara Mast, salary	10.00

Park Fund total salaries . \$239.16

Water Works Fund

Geo. S. Vandawarker, salary	\$260.00
Leslie Bush, salary	216.66
Dr. Ned R. Smith, salary	50.00
E. Cornell, salary	10.00
Geo. Mann, salary	20.00
John Lindenschmidt, sal.	20.00
Robert Norris, salary	20.00

Total monthly salaries . . . \$596.66

Harry Willsher, salary . . .	\$67.95
Emanuel Sott, salary	83.33
Fred Linde, salary	75.00
Robert Rowe, salary	65.83
Robert Young, salary	60.83
Durward Young, salary . . .	53.33
A. E. Hawkes, salary	65.00
C. W. Shetterly, salary . .	89.58
Donna Woodward, salary	60.00
William Groves, salary . .	65.00
J. C. Ledwidge, salary . . .	65.00

Total semi-monthly salaries \$750.85

Water Works Fund total salaries \$1,347.51

Street Fund

A. J. Paul, salary	\$216.66
John Weber, salary	100.00
Edna Spiegelberg, salary .	83.33

Street Fund total salaries \$399.99

CONTINGENT FUND**Municipal Garage**

Denby Motor Truck Corp. supplies	\$33.50
Monarch Mfg. Co., supplies	54.24
Wood Hydraulic Hoist & Body Co., supplies	3.95
Jno. C. Fischer Co., supplies	1.10
Harris Tire Co., supplies .	71.11
Muehlig & Schmid, supplies	4.13

Henry S. Platt, supplies	21.54
Quality Paint & Trim Shop, supplies	3.50
Staebler Oil Co., supplies	431.93
The Welding Shop, repairs	3.75

Municipal Garage total .. \$628.75

Engineer Dept.

Jim Acque, services	\$45.60
Wm. J. Chambers, services	87.50
K. W. Donnell, services	59.48
Geo. E. Hodgins, services	75.00
Dorland Howey services	42.00
D. Lamet, services	22.00
Don H. Mann, services	36.50
Harold Marquardt services	44.00
V. W. McAdam, services	87.50
Paul Minnis, services	4.00
F. Schmid, services	75.00
S. J. Vorheis, services	15.25
C. Preston Witcher, serv's	75.00

Total Engineer Dept. \$668.83

Washtenaw Gas Co., city hall \$4.43

The Detroit Edison Co., city hall, etc. 52.15

Edward Besch, collecting garbage 1350.00

Timothy Stowe, services 53.90

Wm. Seery, services 22.40

Emma Crippen, services 24.05

Wm. Kuehn, services at dump 50.00

Charles Bucholz, services at dump 50.00

James Coon, services 37.50

Otto E. Haab surety bonds 300.00

Chas. L. Brooks, insurance 10.00

Wolverine Insurance Co., insurance 931.94

The Dayton Stencil Works Co., supplies 4.13

Rex Products & Mfg. Co. supplies 25.51

I. E. Rodgers Co., supplies 1.75

The W. S. Tyler Co., supplies 20.15

Koch & Henne, supplies etc. 62.33

Municipal Garage, (Eng. Dept.) 113.44

Schumacher Hardware Co. supplies 2.05

Swisher Grocer Co., supplies 6.25

Water Works Dept., supplies 3.84

Ann Arbor Typewriter Exchange, repairs 2.00

H. J. Hochrein, repairs 3.80

Rogers Poster Service, bill posting 5.00

John J. Engelfried, labor 11.50

S. A. Elsifor, cartage 4.40

American Railway Express Co., express48

R. O. Bonisteel, expense paid 5.86

H. W. Nichols, attending convention 11.08

Total supplies etc \$3,169.94

Contingent Fund total including salaries \$7,687.81

Fire Fund

The Detroit Edison Co. supplies \$1.50

Kyer Laundry Co., laundry 21.29

Fischer's Pharmacy, supplies50

Wm. Goodyear & Co., supplies, etc. 1.79

The Michigamme Oil Co. supplies 8.25

G. A. Raiser, supplies etc. 23.60

Washtenaw Motor Co. supplies 1.05

Chas. Andrews, expenses paid 10.75

Total supplies, etc. 68.73

Fire Fund total including salaries \$2,390.76

Police Fund

Mich. Bell Telephone Co., tolls \$14.95

Walter Clark, services 60.00

John Shankland, services 22.50

The Greenwood-Atkinson-Armstrong Co., supplies 9.00

L. M. Hengesbaugh & Co., supplies 2.20

Ann Arbor Photo Shop, supplies 2.50

Economy Baler Co., supplies 49.29

Jno. C. Fischer Co., supplies 2.20

Hutzel & Co., supplies etc 12.94

C. H. Kittredge, supplies etc. 2.02

Maedel Studio, supplies 5.00

The Mayer-Schairer Co. supplies, 8.00

The Michigamme Oil Co. supplies51

Municipal Garage, supplies etc. 73.99

Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies 15.65

Smith Tire Repair Co. supplies 16.55

Geo. Wahr, supplies 1.25

J. F. Wuerth Co., supplies 13.70

Carl H. Swickerath, signs 24.60

Clyde C. Kerr & Sons, printing 4.50

L. G. Bird, labor 29.25

P. B. Harding, repairs 1.00

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Wolf & Colvin, repairs .. 1.35
 Detroit United Lines,
 freight50
 Thos. O'Brien, expenses
 paid 10.88

Total supplies etc \$384.33

Police Fund total including
 salaries \$1,724.01

Poor Fund

Elmer Fritz, supplies \$18.00
 Herrick & Bohnet supplies 5.90
 Christina Kirn, rent 15.00
 R. F. Bross, supplies 25.00
 Ann-A Fuel Co., supplies 324.87
 Ann Arbor Taxi & Trans.
 Co. services 4.00

Total supplies etc \$392.77

Poor Fund total including
 salaries \$492.77

Cemetery Fund

Jim Acqui, services \$4.80

Building Sidewalk Fund

Wm. Niethammer, services \$20.00

Water Works Fund

Pruner Coal Co., supplies \$12.00
 Standard Oil Co., supplies. 24.33
 Staebler Oil Co., supplies. 10.00
 Schumacher Hardware Co.
 supplies 3.60
 Michigan Valve & Foundry
 Co., supplies 299.40
 The Buckeye Traction
 Ditcher Co., supplies .. 47.50
 Russel Wheel & Foundry
 Co., supplies 110.00
 Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co.,
 supplies 3,346.20
 John Volz & Son, repairs. 60.15
 City of Ann Arbor Street
 Dep't., repairs 29.35
 Haner Cartage Co., cartage 22.46
 Water Works Dep't. ex-
 pense 14.96
 City treasurer, renewal &
 replacement expense ... 2,500.00

Total supplies, etc. \$6,479.95

L. Gerrick, labor \$ 57.85
 A. Gerstler, labor 65.65
 L. Furthmueller, labor ... 51.35
 W. Western, labor 57.85
 A. Jedele, labor 60.00
 H. Maier, labor 70.00
 J. Dean, labor 53.40
 C. Sauer, labor 55.90
 A. Glausnapp, labor 51.60
 J. Dubolski, labor 28.20
 M. Wilson, labor 34.20
 M. Soldato, labor 53.40

Geo. Rogosh, labor 52.20
 H. Gerstler, labor 60.60
 Waldo Eisemann, labor .. 57.60

Total labor \$ 809.80

Water Works Fund total
 including salaries \$8,637.26

Park Fund

Geo. Davis, labor \$ 56.93
 Ben Foster, labor 56.93
 Henry Mager, labor 25.03
 Joe Martin, labor 56.93
 Ezra Moore, labor 47.50
 Geo. Potter, labor 15.75

Total labor \$ 259.07

Julius F. Haarer, ins., .. \$ 16.25
 Geo. Walterhaus, building
 sidewalk, 70.82
 E. A. Gallup, option paid. 5.00

Total supplies, etc. \$ 92.07

Park Fund total includ-
 ing salaries \$ 590.30

Street Fund

Alonzo Baker, labor \$ 31.00
 L. G. Bird, labor 81.20
 Emanuel Cook, labor ... 6.50
 Milburn Embury, labor .. 60.00
 Adolph Finkbeiner, labor. 26.80
 Fred Hanselman, labor .. 65.00
 John Hanselman, labor .. 54.60
 Frank Hartsuff, labor ... 15.50
 John Herrst, labor 38.00
 Emanuel Holzapfel, labor .. 42.60
 Sam Horning, labor 43.20
 Sam Kalmbach, labor ... 17.50
 Wm. Keppler, labor 60.00
 Matt Koch, labor 35.50
 Geo. Mack, labor 26.80
 James Mason, labor 57.85
 Fred Malke, labor 41.85
 Chas. Meabon, labor 18.00
 Clyde Meabon, labor 51.60
 Geo. Menice, labor 60.00
 Julius Nimz, labor 40.50
 Chris Paul, labor 54.60
 Chris Pfaus, labor 40.50
 Ed. Roehm, labor 55.80
 Fred Schaeberle, labor ... 46.00
 Walter Schaible, labor .. 60.00
 Otto Schantz, labor 62.40
 Ed. Schweickert, labor .. 44.25
 Carl Seeger, labor 45.00
 Theo. Stollsteimer, labor 45.00
 Fred Ulrich, labor 77.35
 Martin Walsh, labor 51.00
 Wm. Wayman, labor 38.50
 Jim Cummings, team 75.56

Leo Gutekunst, team	67.56
Ernie Jones, team	10.67
Carl Rehberg, team	80.89
Jacob Young, team	9.78

Total labor	\$1,738.86
Elgin Street Sweeper Co., supplies	\$ 31.40
Mich. Equipment Co., sup- plies	5.20
The Ohio & Mich. Sand & Gravel Co., gravel	45.22
Municipal garage, sup- plies, etc.	471.98
John J. Sauer, supplies . .	11.70
Ann Arbor Asphalt Con- struction Co., brick	17.20
Frank Ryan, curb and gut- ter	671.00
American Railway Express Co., express	1.03
The Ann Arbor Railroad Co., freight	3.78
Mich. Central Railroad, freight92
The Welding Shop, re- pairs	10.00

Total supplies, etc.	\$1,269.43
Street Fund total in- cluding salaries	\$3,408.28

Bridge, Cul. & C. W. Fund

W. S. Housel, services . . . \$	83.75
Geo. Walterhouse, exten- sions,	149.54
Bridge, Cul. & C. W. fund total	\$ 233.29

Fuller St. Bridge Fund

M. R. Fuller, services . . . \$	100.00
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RECAPITULATION

Contingent	\$ 7,687.81
Fire	2,390.76
Police	1,724.01
Poor	492.77
Cemetery	4.80
Building Sidewalk	20.00
Water Works	8,637.26
Park	590.30
Street	3,408.28
Bridge, Cul & C. W.	233.29
Fuller St. Bridge	100.00

City Funds total	\$25,289.28
Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 2, 1925.	

To the Finance Committee of the
Common Council,
Gentlemen:

I have examined the foregoing

accounts against the City of Ann
Arbor and I hereby certify that
they are correct to the best of my
knowledge.

ISAAC G. REYNOLDS,

To the Honorable, the Common
Council,
Gentlemen:

Your Finance Committee has re-
viewed the foregoing report. War-
rants for salaries were drawn Nov.
2, 1925. We recommend that same
be approved and that warrants be
ordered drawn for foregoing ac-
counts.

H. W. NICHOLS,
H. M. SLAUSON,
GEO. J. LUTZ, jr.

Finance Committee.

Ald. Nichols moved the adoption
of report, which was adopted by
following vote: Yeas, Ald. Jocelyn,
Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas,
Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware,
Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz,
Pres. Woodbury, 14. Nays, none.

Ald. Nichols presented bills of
Owen E. Stricklen for \$52.50 for
expenses attending convention and
bill of V. H. Lane, jr. for \$13.53
for expenses attending convention.

Moved by Ald. Nichols, that bills
be allowed and City Clerk instruct-
ed to draw warrants in payment of
same.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas:
Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maul-
betsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols,
Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman,
Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14.
Nays, none.

Ald. Nichols presented City En-
gineer's progress estimates, which
were approved by Board of Public
Works Oct. 21, 1925, as follows:

Fuller Street bridge—Third esti-
mate, Price Brothers, Inc. contrac-
tors, amount due, \$1,353.60.

Curb and Gutter Dist. 73—Third
estimate, C. H. Eldred, contractor,
amount due, \$166.50.

Curb and Gutter Dist. 82—First
estimate, C. H. Eldred, contractor,
amount due, \$799.20.

Sanitary Sewer Dist. 153—Sec-
ond estimate, John Baker, contrac-
tor, amount due, \$514.35.

Sanitary sewer Dist 161—First
estimate, John Brogan & Sons, con-
tractors, amount due. \$1,058.63.

Pavement District 70—Second es-
timate, Conrad Dennison, contract-
ors, amount due, \$1,793.87.

Storm sewer—Second estimate,

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Geddes ave, from Awixia ave. to Oswego St. John Baker, contractor, amount due, \$1,161.64.

Moved by Ald. Nichols that estimates be allowed and City Clerk instructed to draw warrants for amounts due.

Adopted by following vote Yeas: Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14. Nays, none.

Railway Committee

Ald. Ware announced that Railway Committee will meet with representatives of Peoples Motor Coach company before next meeting of Council and committee desired to receive suggestions from other members of Council.

Lighting Committee

Ald. Jocelyn made oral report that the Lighting committee recommends that street lights be ordered installed as follows:

100 c. p. a corner of Dexter ave. and Arbor st.

100 c. p. on Division st. between William and Jefferson sts.

250 c. p. on Wildwood ave. near ravine.

Ald. Jocelyn moved that the recommendation of Lighting committee be adopted.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14. Nays, none.

Mayor Campbell informed Council that Maury and Gordon were making survey of water question and expected to submit report by January 1st.

Bond Committee Report

To the Honorable, the Common Council,
Gentlemen:

Your Bond Committee has had the following bonds under consideration and respectfully recommends approval of the same:

For Erection and Installation of Electric Sign

Hudson Sales and Service, principal; Grover F. Burg and Clyde Tessmer, sureties.

William Notes, principal Fidelity and Deposit company of Maryland, surety.

Respectfully submitted,
BENJ. H. GRAF,
H. M. SLALUSON,

E. E. LUCAS,
Bond Committee.

Ald. Graf moved the adoption of report which was adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14. Nays, none.

Special Committee on Traffic Conditions

Ald. Nichols made oral report that in company with City Marshal and Assistant City Attorney he attended the meeting held at Grand Rapids Oct. 27th, at which meeting the matter of uniform traffic regulations of the state was considered. He reported a very interesting meeting and that an ordinance was being drafted which would be presented to the various cities.

City Officers

Report of Public Hearing on Proposed Closing of Alley

To the Honorable, the Common Council,
Gentlemen:

The undersigned submits the following report of public hearing relative to proposed closing of a certain part of an alley, which was originally platted in block 3 south, range 3 east, said certain portion being from the north line of the south half of lot 6 in said block to the north line of William street.

The Common Council, sitting in pursuance to its order and appointment for that purpose, met at the Council Chamber on October 19, 1925, at 7:00 o'clock p. m. The roll was called and the following members found present: Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Moore, Bursley, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 9.

Due proof was filed of the publication, service and posting of notices of meeting. Protest against closing alley was received from John Kleis, et al.

Enter Ald. Graf, Ware, Freeman and Young.

After hearing all persons desiring to be heard, Alderman Sweet moved that the hearing be adjourned until 7:30 o'clock p. m., November 2, 1925, which motion was adopted by unanimous vote of those present.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Common Council met at the Council Chamber on November 2, 1925, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. The roll was called and the following members

found present: Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14.

Ald. Sweet presented a report from Street Committee as follows:

Your Street Committee, to whom was referred the matter of the discontinuance and vacation of the following described alley, to wit:

A certain public alley which was originally platted in block 3 south of Huron street, range 3 east, from the north line of the south half of lot 6 in said block, to the north line of William street, begs leave to report to the Common Council that they have given this matter consideration and find that there is a question of fact regarding the matter of the use of said alley and that the questions of fact in connection therewith should be fully determined before any effort is made to determine the legal status of the alley as contemplated by the petitioners who have asked that the alley be closed. The committee further feels that this is a matter which should not be determined by the Common Council and that the respective rights of the proponents and opponents of the closing of said alley and of the city should be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, wherein the facts may be fully and completely ascertained and that the court can apply the law thereto.

In view of this condition we would respectfully recommend that the Common Council deny the petition to have the alley discontinued and vacated and leave the matter to the determination of the circuit court.

C. J. SWEET,
W. S. MOORE,
W. C. MAULBETSCH,
L. P. JOCELYN,
H. W. NICHOLS,
L. J. YOUNG,
Street Committee.

Ald. Sweet moved the adoption of report, which was adopted by following vote: Yeas. Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14. Nays, none.

On motion of Ald. Lucas, public hearing adjourned.

ISAAC G. REYNOLDS,
City Clerk.

Moved by Ald. Jocelyn, that report of City Clerk be adopted.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14. Nays, none.

Resolution for Public Hearing on Closing Alley

Ald. Lucas, on behalf of the Street Committee, presented the following resolutions:

Whereas, there has been presented to the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor an application in writing, signed by ten freeholders of the city, to discontinue and vacate a certain portion of a public alley in Siple's subdivision in said city as follows, to-wit:

That part of the East side of lot 1 and extending along the North line of lots 1 and 2 to a point 14 feet East of the West line of lot 2 in said Siple's subdivision; and

Whereas, the Common Council has hereby determined the proposed improvement advisable, therefore

Be It Resolved, that the Common Council shall give notice of the pendency of the question of ordering such proposed improvement to the owners, occupants or persons interested, or his, her or their agents or representatives, by personal service if they reside within the said city. If they shall reside without the said city, then said notice shall be made by posting up notices in five or more public places in said city, which notices shall state the time and place when and where the common council will meet to consider the same and shall designate to a common certainty the alley to be discontinued and vacated, which said notice shall be posted at least ten days before the time of the hearing at which said meeting the Common council shall hear the persons interested therein. And the Common Council does hereby designate the time and place of said meeting as the 7th day of December, A. D., 1925 at 7:15 o'clock p. m. Eastern Standard time, in the Council Chamber of the City Hall in said city of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman,

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Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14.
Nays, none.

Moved by Ald. Dwyer, that the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to sign a quit-claim deed on behalf of City of Ann Arbor to Mabelle L. Douglas, which deed is given to correct a deed recorded in Liber 165, page 497.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Dwyer, Ware, Moore, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 14.
Nays, none.

Ald. Lutz informed Council that complaints had been received relative to use of the Mary st. voting place by an organization which had been granted permission to hold Sunday school services in said building, and moved that one of the aldermen of the Seventh ward be authorized to investigate, which motion was adopted by unanimous

vote of those present and chair appointed Ald. Lutz to investigate.

Moved by Ald. Sweet, that the matter of removing the outside stairway which encroaches on the sidewalk on Swift st. along the building owned by George Spathelf at northerly corner of Swift st. and Broadway, and also the matter of condemning the building, known as the Washtenaw hotel, situated on Broadway and owned by Mattie R. Peavey, be referred to the Board of Health, City Attorney, City Engineer and Board of Fire Commissioners with power to act.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas: Ald. Jocelyn, Slauson, Graf, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Sweet, Nichols, Ware, Moore, 9. Nays, Ald. Dwyer, Freeman, Young, Lutz, Pres. Woodbury, 5.

On motion of Ald. Sweet, Council adjourned.

ISAAC G. REYNOLDS,
City Clerk