

COUNCIL CHAMBER, April 2, 1894.

Regular meeting.

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

Roll called.

No quorum being present, on motion of Ald. Kitson the Council meeting was adjourned to Tuesday evening, April 3, 1894, at 8 o'clock.

W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,  
ANN ARBOR, April 3, 1894.

The Common Council met in an adjourned session.

Called to order by Pres. Watts.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent—Ald. Wagner and Herz—2.

The Journal of the last session was approved.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE TOMSON-HOUSTON ELECTRIC CO.

March 29th, 1894.

To the Common Council City of Ann Arbor.

GENTLEMEN: We will accept your proposition for lighting the City of Ann Arbor (\$73.00 per year per light), with the exception that the contract date from March 1st, '94, to January 1st, '95, instead of from January 1st, '94, to January 1st, '95.

Yours respectfully,

ANN ARBOR T-H. ELECTRIC CO.

Per W. P. Stephens, Supt.

Received and filed.

FROM THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

To the Common Council:

The annual report of the street commissioner, containing the expenses of the Street Fund and Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund, for the year 1893, is hereby respectfully submitted.

THOMAS J. KEECH,

President Board of Public Works.  
W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works.

I herewith submit my report of expenditure of Street and Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Funds for the past year.

1893.	Table of Expenditure by Months.
January, street, labor and materials, \$	450 28
February " " " "	3 6 28
March " " " "	405 48
April " " " "	107 18
May " " " "	1234 43
June " " " "	1775 97
July " " " "	2137 43
August " " " "	1084 59
Septemb'r " " " "	90 46
October " " " "	536 35
November " " " "	615 82
December " " " "	2 6 48
Total .....	\$10814 75

TABLE OF PURPOSE FOR WHICH FUNDS WERE EXPENDED.

General Street Work .....	\$ 2289 30
Cleaning Streets and Alleys .....	1287 45
Lumber .....	711 06
Hardware and Supplies .....	121 95
Blacksmithing and Repairs .....	71 42
Repairs on Sidewalks .....	14 35
Artificial Stone Walks and Stone Crossings .....	817 94
Gravel and Delivering same .....	706 31
Snow Plowing and Carting Snow and Ice from Gutters .....	559 81
Cutting Weeds and Dock .....	231 63
Hanover Park .....	40 47
Sewer Pipe .....	211 38
Paving Stone .....	48 25
Street Signs and putting them up .....	165 33
Stone Culvert on West Fifth street .....	385 00
Filling in Dirt over the same .....	78 15
Stone Slabs and Four Stone Crossings, Repairs on Tar Crossings .....	216 44
Thirty-three Plank Crossings (the labor on same) .....	95 41
Labor South State street, south of Packard street .....	107 25
Grading on East Huron and Filling of 13th street .....	320 70
Grading on West Madison .....	419 75
Grading on Gott and Brook streets .....	235 81
Grading on South Fourth avenue, south of Packard .....	328 13
Grading on North Broadway street .....	98 75
Grading on North Main street .....	28 75
Trees around the Campus and Planting them .....	41 80
City Engineer and help .....	17 85
Street Commissioner's Salary .....	631 03
Total .....	533 28
Total .....	\$10814 75

NELSON SUTHERLAND,  
Street Commissioner.

Ald. Prettyman moved that the report be considered read, and spread on the journal.

Adopted.

To the Common Council:

The undersigned members of the Board of Election Commissioners of the city of Ann Arbor beg leave to report as follows:

An examination and count of the official ballots before they were delivered to the inspectors of election, and after they were returned to the City Clerk, shows that there were delivered in all to the various wards four thou-



**STREET FUND.**

Nelson Sutherland, salary.....	66 66
George F. Key, engineer.....	60 00
Frederick Radtke, labor.....	3 00
Wm. Enkemann, labor.....	4 95
Gottfried Schuon, labor.....	75
August Tessmer, labor.....	1 50
Frank Schultz, labor.....	5 25
Frank Sutherland, labor.....	5 25
Patrick McCabe, labor.....	1 50
Michael Williams, labor.....	9 75
Willis Clark, labor.....	27 00
Robert Leonard, labor.....	1 50
Chris. Jetter, labor.....	1 50
Lawrence Hughs, labor.....	3 00
Charles Winkle, labor.....	6 00
Chris. Jetter, labor.....	10 50
Dean & Co., oil and red globes.....	7 40
Esslinger Bros. blacksmithing.....	3 75
John Mahlke, 364 loads of gravel.....	54 60
Henry Otto, repairs.....	3 00
Solomon Armstrong, filing 3 saws.....	45
N. Sutherland, horse and cart.....	5 50
Louis Rohde, teaming.....	9 45
Israel Clark, teaming.....	1 50
Daniel Crawford, labor.....	9 90
William Wheeler, horse and cart.....	11 00
Michael Heary, teaming.....	10 50
John Nowlan, 16 piek handles.....	4 00
Thomas Hewett, building sidewalk.....	7 20
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 336 36</b>

**BRIDGE, CULVERT AND CROSSWALK FUND.**

Patrick McCabe, labor.....	8 85
Frank Schultz, labor.....	11 25
August Tessmer, labor.....	2 18
Gottfried Schuon, labor.....	6 00
William Inkemann, labor.....	1 50
Fred Radke, labor.....	13 73
Gustav Wolters, labor.....	2 25
Charles Winkle, labor.....	6 75
Michael Williams, labor.....	14 25
Michael Kusterer, teaming.....	15 00
John A. Robison, snow plowing.....	1 50
George Schlimmer, snow plowing.....	1 50
Thomas Hannon, snow plowing.....	1 50
Michael Herey, snow plowing.....	1 50
Julius Weinberg, snow plowing.....	1 50
Fred Bartlett, snow plowing.....	1 50
Bennett French, snow plowing.....	1 50
John McHugh, snow plowing.....	1 50
Martin Nagle, teaming and snow plow- ing.....	15 50
Hiram Kittredge, teaming.....	1 50
Michael Kusterer, labor.....	6 00
William Wheeler, horse and cart.....	15 00
James Tolbert lumber.....	45 81
Ann Arbor Savings Bank, ac- counts assigned them as follows:	
William Enkemann, labor.....	2 85
Jacob Moegle, labor.....	6 75
Wm Kue n, labor.....	6 45
<b>Total due the Ann Arbor Savings Bank.....</b>	<b>16 05 16 05</b>
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 193 62</b>

**FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.**

Fred Siple, salary.....	\$ 60 00
C. A. Edwards, salary.....	50 00
Louis Hoelzle, salary.....	50 00
Henry McLaren, salary.....	50 00
Max Wittlinger, salary.....	50 00
Albert West, salary.....	45 00
Herman Kirn, salary.....	40 00
Eugene Williams, salary.....	40 00
John Kenny, salary.....	8 00
Samuel McLaren, salary, two months,	16 00

Wm. Rettich, salary.....	8 00
Edward Hoelzle, salary.....	8 00
William L. Schnierle, salary.....	8 00
Mrs. B. Ream, washing.....	5 00
Henry Kleinschmidt, hay.....	9 85
Adton Teufel, supplies.....	2 70
H. J. Brown, supplies.....	2 15
Bailey & Dow, supplies.....	1 16
Rinsey & Seabolt, supplies.....	39 26
Eberbach Drug & Chemical Co., sup- plies.....	16 88
Fire & Water Pub. Co. one year's sub- scription for "Fire and Water,".....	3 00
Hutzel & Co., supplies.....	48 24
William Herz, supplies.....	6 85
Esslinger Bros., repairs.....	2 00
Louis Rohde, coal.....	6 50
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 576 53</b>

**POLICE FUND.**

Charles Wheeler, salary.....	65 00
David Collins, salary.....	50 00
Noble C. Tice, salary.....	50 00
William G. Snow, use of hack.....	1 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 166 00</b>

**POOR FUND.**

Fred Siple, salary.....	\$ 10 00
W. H. Wilson, 34 cords basswood.....	39 10
Fred Siple, freight on wood.....	21 00
Edward Duffy, groceries.....	10 68
Doty & Feiner, shoes.....	3 00
Eberbach Drug Co., medicine.....	7 80
Mrs. Ann Evans, aid.....	5 00
John Eisele, groceries.....	14 46
John Goetz Jr., groceries.....	5 10
John Goetz & Son, groceries.....	8 99
L. Gruner, shoes.....	3 00
William F. Lodholz, groceries.....	15 46
Fred Siple, one fare to Jackson (Mrs. Willis).....	1 15
William H. McIntyre, groceries.....	14 17
O'Hara & Boyle, groceries.....	14 19
J. A. Polhemus, hack to hospital.....	50
Rinsey & Seabolt, groceries.....	18 38
Caspar Rinsey, groceries.....	15 99
Louis Rohde, coal.....	9 00
W. F. Stimson, groceries.....	11 64
C. W. Vogel, meat.....	2 83
W. D. Vogel, meat.....	50
Wahr & Miller, shoes.....	10 50
C. Zirn, meat.....	4 14
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 246 58</b>

**RECAPITULATION.**

Contingent Fund.....	\$ 410 16
Sewer Fund.....	177 95
Street Fund.....	336 36
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.....	193 57
Fire Fund.....	576 53
Police Fund.....	166 00
Poor Fund.....	246 58
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 2,105 70</b>

Respectfully submitted.

WALTER L. TAYLOR  
FRANK WOOD,  
WILLIAM HERZ,  
Finance Committee.

Accepted and recommendation con-  
curred in as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Schairer, Martin, Snow,  
Wood, O'Mara, Ferguson, Taylor,  
Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, President  
Watts—11.  
Nays—None.





REPORT FROM THE SIDEWALK COMMITTEE.

*To the Common Council:*

Your committee on Sidewalks, to whom was referred the communication from the Board of Public Works, asking that an appropriation of \$200.00 be made for the construction of two crosswalks on and along the east side of Fourth avenue across Liberty and south sides of east Liberty street across Fourth avenue, one on and along the north side of east Ann street across Fourth avenue, also a resolution which was referred to your committee at our last meeting, asking that \$150.00 be appropriated for the construction of two crosswalks, one on along the north side of Washington street across Thayer street and one on and along the east side of Thayer street across Washington street.

Your committee find that the above crosswalks are a necessity, we therefore recommend that the appropriation of \$450.00 be made from the Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund, for the construction of the above crosswalks.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR J. KITSON,  
C. H. MANLY,  
J. O'MARA,  
FRANK WOOD,  
Sidewalk Committee.

Accepted and recommendation concurred in as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Schairer, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.

Nays—Ald. Martin—1.

FROM THE SAME.

*To the Common Council:*

Your Committee on Sidewalks, to whom was referred the petitions asking for the construction of sidewalks on and along the north side of East Catherine street from Ingalls to Thirteenth street, and on and along the south side of Geddes avenue from the line of walks already built to the city limits. We would report and recommend that the grading and construction of the walks are a necessary public improvement and your committee caused to be prepared and herewith submit the proper resolution ordering the same.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR J. KITSON,  
C. H. MANLY,  
J. O'MARA,  
FRANK WOOD,  
Sidewalk Committee.

Accepted and leave being granted, the following resolution was offered:

By Alderman Kitson:

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 plank 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 and along the north side of East Catherine street, from Ingalls to Thirteenth street.

On and along the south side of Geddes avenue, from the line of walk already built, and extending easterly to the city limits.

That all 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—Ald. Schairer, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—11. Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

*To the Common Council:*

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Sidewalks, to whom was referred the specifications for the construction of cement walks, submitted by City Engineer Key, respectfully report that your committee have carefully considered the same and find such specifications are very necessary. hereafter, in our sidewalk ordinance so that all artificial stone walks may be built alike and uniform, we therefore recommend that the matter is hereby submitted to the ordinance committee to report such amendment to the side walk ordinance to the council.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR J. KITSON,  
C. H. MANLY,  
J. O'MARA,  
FRANK WOOD,  
Sidewalk Committee.

Accepted and recommendations concurred in as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Schairer, Wood, O'Mara, Ferguson, Prettyman, Kitson—6.

Nays—Ald. Martin, Snow, Taylor, Manly, Pres. Watts—5.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS.

The monthly reports of the city clerk, city treasurer, poor superintendent and marshal were read and ordered filed.

Poor Superintendent Siple reported the following expenditures during the month of March: 1st ward, \$26.40; 2d ward, \$29.53; 3d ward, \$78.23; 4th ward, \$59.86; 5th ward, \$66.00; 6th ward, \$9.21.

CITY CLERK'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING MARCH 31, 1894.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Balance on hand as per last report..... \$16,357 16

MONEY RECEIVED.

Uncollected Tax Fund.....	\$ 9,164 42	
Contingent Fund— W. J. Miller, license.....	\$ 16 00	
Cont. Fund plus rolls.....	110.49	
Penalty tax.....	441.08	
	\$567.57	567 57
Fire Fund— Fred Siple, building permit.....		3 00
Police Fund— Chas. Wheeler, officer's fees.....		5 90
E. B. Pond, fines.....		1 00
Cemetery Fund— Manly lot sold.....		3 00
Soldiers' Fund— By appropriation.....		558 26
Total.....	\$10,303 15	10,303 15

MONEY DISBURSED.

Contingent Fund.....	\$1,158 20	
Street Fund.....	27.40	
Firemen's Fund.....	471.90	
Police Fund.....	165.00	
Poor Fund.....	257.65	
Water Fund.....	62 05	
Sewer Fund.....	3,621.52	
Soldiers' Relief Fund.....	20.00	
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.....	73.81	
Total.....	\$ 5,857.53	

BALANCE ON HAND.

Contingent Fund.....	\$1,398 39
Street Fund.....	717.84

Firemen's Fund.....	3,338.67	
Police Fund.....	1,544 07	
Poor Fund.....	365 97	
Water Fund.....	2,608.40	
Cemetery Fund.....	274.26	
Soldiers' Relief Fund.....	1,263.63	
University Hospital Aid Bond Fund.....	840.00	
Delinquent Tax Fund.....		293.48
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.....	6,432.97	
Dog Tax Fund.....	100 00	
Sewer Fund.....	2,212.06	

Total.....\$21,962.26

City Clerk's Balance.....	\$20,802 78
Amount of Outstanding Orders.....	185 37

Total Treasurer's Balance.....\$20,988 15

Respectfully submitted,

WM. J. MILLER,  
City Clerk.

Ann Arbor, April 1st, 1894.

Ann Arbor Savings Bank,  
Ann Arbor, Mich., April 3, 1894.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

DEAR SIRS—This will certify that Geo. H. Pond has on deposit to his credit as City Treasurer, the sum of Twenty one Thousand, Two Hundred and Seven'y-three and 10-100 Dollars, (\$21,273.10).

CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier.

Chief of Police Wheeler, reported seven arrests during the month as follows: Drunk, 3; violating city ordinance, 1; insane, 3.

ANN ARBOR, MICH., April 3d, 1894.

To the Honorable Common Council:

I hereby certify that the water guage at engine house has registered 65 pounds or more, at all times since February 19th, the date of last report.

FRED SIPLEY,  
Chief of Fire Department.

Received and filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Ald. Manly moved that the proposition made by the Ann Arbor Thomson-Houston Electric Co. be accepted.

Lost as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snow—1.

Nays—Ald. Schairer, Martin, Wood, O'Mara, Ferguson, Taylor, Manly, Prettyman, Kitson, Pres. Watts—10.

By Ald. Manly:

Resolved, That the Electric Light Company be given until Thursday, April 4, 1894, at 5 o'clock p. m., to accept the proposition of this Council, made March 5. 1894.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald Schairer, Martin, Snow,

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