

COUNCIL CHAMBER, }
Ann Arbor, February 10th, 1896. }
Adjourned session.

Called to order by President Hiscock.
Roll called. Quorum present.
Absent, Ald. Shadford, Prettyman.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The 5th estimate of the City Engineer upon completed work in sewer district No. 3, amounting to \$2315.04 was presented to the Council and referred to the Finance Committee.

FROM THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.
To the Common Council:

WHEREAS, one Henry Collins, did on the 19th day of June A. D. 1895, enter into certain contracts with the City of Ann Arbor, through its duly authorized representatives, for the construction of two certain lateral sewers known and designated as the Hill street lateral sewer, situate in lateral sewer district number three, and the Huron street lateral sewer, situate in lateral sewer district number four of the said City of Ann Arbor, and

WHEREAS, section 113 of the sewer specifications of the City of Ann Arbor the same being a part of said contract of Henry Collins with the City of Ann Arbor, provides.

The contractor shall well and truly and promptly pay as the same may become due and payable, all indebtedness which may become due to any person, firm or corporation on account of any labor performed, or material furnished in the construction of any sewer for the City of Ann Arbor, and in case any claim or claims for failure to so well, and truly pay for materials and labor as above the Board shall retain from any monies due or to become due to the contractor, a sufficient sum to pay such claim or claims and shall pay the same therefrom when such claim or claims is, or are fully proven to the satisfaction of the Board.

And whereas said contractor, Henry Collins has failed to pay certain claims

material used in the construction of said sewers, which failure has been brought to the attention of this Board therefore,

Be it Resolved, That this Board deem it expedient to exercise the authority vested in it by said section 113 of the sewer specifications of the said City of Ann Arbor, and hereby declare that the Board does retain all money due or to become due said contractor Henry Collins for the construction of said sewers said money to be held for the benefit of said claims for labor and materials furnished in the construction of said sewers said money to be paid on such claims as the Board may deem expedient, when the same are to be proven to its satisfaction, and

Be it further Resolved, that the Clerk be instructed to notify the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor and said contractor Henry Collins, of this declaration.

Board of Public Works,
Glen V. Mills, Clerk.

Received and placed on file.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works hereby certify that they have examined and audited labor bills, for work claims during the month of December 1895 and January 1896 on Sewers in District No. 3 as follows:

Individual accounts.....	\$2132.27
Accounts assigned State Savings Bank.....	76.28
Accounts assigned to Mrs Pike.....	58.37
Total.....	\$2266.92

and we certify that they are true labor bills and we hereby ask the Council to order warrants drawn to the respective holders of the same pursuant to the resolution passed by this Board Monday February 10th 1896, retaining monies due or to become due Contractor Henry Collins, for the purpose of paying labor claims.

Board of Public Works,
Glen V. Mills,
Clerk.

To the Common Council.

The Board of Public Works herewith submits the resolution of the Board relative to the combination of the office of Street Commissioner and Plumbing Inspector to your honorable body for consideration.

By Pres. Clark.

Whereas, the Common Council of the City Ann Arbor, has by resolution unanimously declared that the offices of street commissioner and plumbing inspector ought to be combined, and

Whereas, this Board heartily approve of the sentiment of that resolution and have for a long time been of the opinion that such a combination was desirable and for the best interests of the city for the reason that one thoroughly competent and well paid official will perform better service at less expense to the city than a number of poorly paid, inexperienced and incompetent men, and

Whereas, it has been suggested that this change should not be made until a new board has taken office, but as no change will necessarily occur in the membership of the board for three months and then only of one member and as such action can be changed at any time that this or a new board deems expedient for the best interests of the city to do so we think it best to make use of the experience we have gained as members of this Board and act upon the suggestion of the Council at once and give this combination of duties a trial.

Therefore be it Resolved, that the offices of plumbing inspector and street commissioner be and are hereby united in one office and that the street commissioner be charged with the duties which have heretofore devolved upon the plumbing inspector.

Yeas—Pres. Clark, Bullis—2.

Nays—Mr. Ross—1.

Received and placed on file.

To the President and Honorable Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Gentlemen:—I hereby call your attention to the fact that there is now over 700 cubic yards of stone in the city yard on Main street and that when a 1000 yards have been piled there the room will all be occupied, and the city must have some other place to pile stone or refuse to receive any more. At the rate they are now being delivered the yard will be full in 2 or 3 days more.

Respectfully,

A. M. Clark.

President Board of Public Works.

Received and placed on file.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the petitions of J. A. Miller and P. A. Wilson for alleged injuries received upon the public streets of the City of Ann Arbor, would refer the same back to this Council, without recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

H. J. Brown.

C. H. Cady.

Emmett Coon.

Committee on Finance.

Adopted.

Chairman Brown presented the bill of Glen V. Mills for 10 directories at \$35 00 with the recommendation that the same pass.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Moore, Maynard, Allmendinger, Koch, Snyder, Laubengayer, Brown, Taylor, Coon, Butterfield, Cady, Pres. Hiscock—12.

Nays—None.

Chairman Brown presented the following bills for stone with the recommendation that the same be allowed.

F J Bartlett.....	18 loads at 60c	\$10 80
H Braun.....	4 " "	2 40
Edward Bycraft.....	8 " "	4 80
Edward Bycraft.....	22 " 90c	19 80
Chester Duran.....	11 " 60c	6 60
Joseph Frederick.....	19 " "	11 40
Bennett French.....	30 " "	20 40
D D Grose.....	10 " "	6 00
George Haas.....	12 " "	7 20
D Hiscock & Son.....	1 " "	60
Edward Hurst.....	22 " "	13 20

C L Tuomey.....	57	“	“	34 20
W J Randall.....	10	“	“	6 00
Charles Splitt.....	8	“	“	4 89
Christian Rauser to Heinzmann & Laub- engayer.....	1	“	90c	90
Benjamin Schallhorn	4	“	80c	3 20
E R White.....	7	“	60c	4 20
David F Taylor.....	9	“	“	5 40
State Savings Bank: W J Cochran.....	27	“	“	16 20
F W Buss to F J Bart- lett.....	5	“	80c	4 00
	7	“	60c	4 20
	296			\$186 30

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Moore, Maynard, All-
mendinger, Koch, Snyder, Laubengay-
er, Brown, Coon, Butterfield, Cady.
Pres. Hiscock—12.

Nays—None.

Ald Prettyman entered.

FINANCE.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Finance would
report that they have had the follow-
ing bills under consideration and
would recommend their allowance,
and that warrants be ordered drawn
for the same.

Respectfully submitted,

H. J. Brown,
C. H. Cady,
Emmett Coon,
Committee on Finance.

F A Ainsworth, labor.....	\$	4 06
L Bleshel “.....		2 97
John Brown “.....		6 00
Chas Barte “.....		5 55
Chas Barte “.....		4 27
J Brown “.....		2 25
J Brown “.....		5 40
W Brough “.....		4 80
W Brough “.....		6 15
Ed Barnett “.....		14 85
E Bethe “.....		1 35
E Blackledge “.....		22 20
C Buckels, assigned to Star Clothing House.....		6 37
Al Butler, labor.....		5 75
Al Butler, assigned to Star Clothing House.....		3 52
A B Crosby, assigned to Stabler & Co. Matt Chively assigned to Gottfreid Schoettle.....		3 00
F Coquillard, assigned to Alex Ratti..		8 92
S Culebeck, labor.....		2 00
W H Collins “.....		2 47
J Deagon “.....		6 19
Chas Derosky “.....		1 35
Frank Demay, assigned to Wm. Goetz.....		4 35
Frank DeMay.....		24 86
Esslinger Bros., labor.....		94
Geo Flowers, assigned to J. W. May- nard.....		55 50
Chas Freeman, labor.....		10 65
G Finkbinder “.....		14 70
A Freeman “.....		4 72
Wm Fox, assigned to A C Gibson.....		3 75
A Freeman, labor.....		3 6-
		16 25

Lewis Golchirtres, assigned to Gott- freid Schoettle.....	6 37
J Green, labor.....	6 57
John Green, assigned to H C Meuth	2 00
J Green, labor.....	6 00
John Green, labor.....	21 62
John Green assigned to J W Maynard	6 00
Ed Here, labor.....	3 90
Ed Here, assigned to M Staebler.....	1 00
A Henach, labor.....	1 75
John Horn, labor.....	6 97
Chris Heinsman, labor.....	4 27
C Heince “.....	1 32
R Howard, “.....	4 18
John Hertz, assigned to Fred Siple..	3 00
Fred Siple, by J Hertz.....	10 46
J Hertz, assigned to L Gruner.....	5 02
J Hertz, assigned to Fred Siple.....	5 02
D Hurley, labor.....	11 55
John Holki “.....	9 50
Chas Huddy “.....	10 37
F Molki “.....	3 60
F Heintz “.....	3 37
Chicago Shoe House, labor assigned..	8 00
B Hall, labor.....	1 12
D Hurley “.....	6 30
Ed Here “.....	9 87
Bud Hall, assigned to J W Maynard	5 00
Paul Holki labor.....	5 47
Chas Huddy “.....	4 20
Bud Hall, assigned to J W Maynard	3 25
John Holki, labor.....	24 07
J Hertz, assigned to Fred Siple.....	3 00
C Howeso labor.....	94
George Jones “.....	2 10
Jake Kies “.....	19 50
H Kornke “.....	3 00
A Key “.....	6 15
A Key “.....	4 80
J Kornke “.....	5 47
C Long “.....	17 31
C Larmie “.....	4 95
Wm Lourthe “.....	15 43
J G Lynds, M. D., assigned to L C Stocking.....	35 00
Lindenschmitt & Apfel.....	10 50
Wm Louthre, labor.....	20 25
J Miller, labor.....	23 64
J Meogle, assigned to Chicago Shoe Store.....	5 10
Pat McGlin, assigned to Emil Goltz...	3 00
H Moran, labor.....	3 60
H Moran, assigned to Mrs Spade.....	17 70
John Miller, labor.....	9 68
F Morke “.....	1 35
J Meogle, assigned to Martin Vogel...	4 72
Geo Moran, assigned to H Moran.....	9 37
Emil Milcher, labor.....	5 10
N Mitchell “.....	8 02
Ed F Meyers “.....	10 87
Aug Morgantine, labor.....	4 80
Fred Morke “.....	24 75
Emil Milcher “.....	23 55
A Morgantine, assigned to Linden- schmitt & Apfel.....	7 05
Ed Meyers, labor.....	1 12
John Miller “.....	18 37
J Nimce, assigned to J Schneider, Jr..	4 95
Mrs. Neumann.....	7 00
Julius Nimce, labor.....	5 40
Julius Nimce “.....	5 47
F Olmstead, assigned to P F Reimold.	2 70
F Olmstead, assigned to F E D Kel- logg.....	7 95
A Otto, assigned to H C Meuth.....	5 15
C Pagel, assigned to Knapp & Lauben- gayer.....	2 85
Geo W Sweet, labor.....	96 00
Sam Pike, labor.....	16 00
Aug Panke “.....	4 72
Henry Putzig “.....	8 33
A Panke “.....	4 80
Henry Putzig, assigned to P F Rei- mold.....	5 02
Theo Ratke, assigned to Oswald Dietz	4 05

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Theo Ratke, labor.....	19 57
Mrs L D Niles.....	6 00
John Slater, assigned to Star Cloth- ing House.....	27 90
Geo W Sweet.....	59 00
Mrs. W B Smith.....	8 50
A Shultz, assigned to Emil Goetz.....	8 92
F Smith, labor.....	2 43
C Snyder, assigned to Gottlieb Knap... G Snyder, assigned to C G Orcutt.....	4 27 6 05
J Sneider, assigned to V D Garwood.....	10 27
G Snyder, assigned to L Rohde.....	16 00
John Slater, assigned to Goodspeed & Son.....	10 33
W Stone assigned to Star Clothing House.....	1 00
A E Gibson.....	19 30
Louis Stock, labor.....	5 03
Geo Scheible.....	24 10
John Schoenenberger, labor.....	12 15
L Stock, assigned to P F Reimold.....	10 05
Louis Steck, assigned to P F Reimold.....	5 02
Geo W Seybold.....	4 50
Geo Scheible, assigned to Star Cloth- ing House.....	14 00
W B Smith, labor.....	20 17
Sohn Slater.....	15 30
G Seigler.....	3 37
Lee Shunk.....	2 10
Chas Snyder.....	12 95
G Snyder assigned to L Rohde.....	11 95
J Shirley, labor.....	5 17
Wm Turner, labor.....	1 50
Jas Thayer.....	4 68
Frank Tobins.....	41 00
Mrs Lydia Thompson.....	2 16
A Villeax labor.....	6 37
A Villeax.....	6 37
A Villeax.....	29 85
Henry Robbins.....	10 00
C Wright, labor.....	1 35
John Wilson, labor.....	1 19
A Welk.....	2 47
A Walter.....	5 25
C Warren.....	10 75
Mrs. Wagner.....	28 00
A Walter, labor.....	24 45
Chas Warren, labor.....	28 27
J Yonce.....	4 95
Geo Ziflie.....	6 62
J Yonge.....	19 95
N Mitchell, labor.....	9 30
J Muirer.....	12 82
J Sleter.....	60 00
Geo Schaible.....	60 15
Jas Shirley.....	23 55
John Herz \$5.00 to Fred Siple.....	16 12
C Seiger.....	4 80
J Hertz, assigned to J. C. Herbert.....	10 05
John Hertz " " J Q A Sessions.....	5 02
Chas Hertz, labor.....	8 35
Mrs Wagner.....	15 00
Ed Barnett.....	34 42
W E Smith.....	35 62
C Freeman.....	3 37
G Finkbeiner.....	31 50
F Demay.....	36 70
J Deagon.....	27 07
Frank Tobins.....	50 62
Mrs Shetterly.....	6 72
Wm H Collins.....	17 75
Alex Ratti, assigned to A E Gibson.....	17 00
V G McClay, labor.....	25 20
John Burns.....	46 00

Accounts assigned to the State Sav-
ings Bank:

Gottlob Snyder, labor.....	16 00
John Deagon.....	2 35
Ern Erving.....	6 45
J Hertz.....	2 00
Wm Fox.....	9 22
Geo Moran.....	3 00
C Block.....	6 37
W Shultz.....	9 93

F Meshinki.....	8 55
Jos Silke.....	8 32
G Toepel.....	5 20
Total.....	\$ 76 28

Accounts assigned to Mrs. Pike:

A L Lathrop, labor.....	4 65
Henry Austin.....	2 50
Frank Hamilton.....	15 65
Chas Hamilton.....	15 00
Joseph Fitzgerald.....	3 50
Patrick McGlynn.....	1 50
Wm Rowe.....	2 50
Harry Smith.....	1 50
T McMennus.....	4 06
Henry Austin.....	1 53
Henry Smith.....	1 53
C Hamilton.....	4 45
Total.....	\$ 58 37

Ann Arbor, Mich.,

February 1st, 1896.

I hereby certify that all bills above scheduled the day and year above written and endorsed by me are true labor bills and were given by me for labor performed on sewers in this City and I hereby request the city of Ann Arbor to pay the same and retain the amount thereof out of any money's my due or to become due me from the city of Ann Arbor for Sewer District

No. 3. Henry Collins,
per. W. H. Collins, atty.

Ann Arbor, Mich.,

February 10, 1896.

To the Common Council:

You will please to take notice and notice is hereby given that Henry Collins late contractor for the construction of sewers in the City of Ann Arbor is justly indebted unto the Flush Tank Company, of Chicago, Ill., for material furnished and used in the construction of such sewers, in the sum of twelve hundred (1200.00) dol-
lars.

You will further please to take notice that for the purpose of securing the prompt and punctual payment, the said Henry Collins on or about the first day of September last by an instrument in writing under his hand duly assigned to the said flush tank company the sum of twelve hundred (\$1200.00) dollars and upwards of the money then due or thereafter to be

come due to him, the said Henry Collins from the City of Ann Arbor, on account of construction of such sewers, and the said flush tank company hereby makes claim for such sum of money from the City of Ann Arbor by virtue of such assignment.

The assignment above referred to was duly filed in the office of the City Clerk on the 5th day of December last.

Yours truly,

The Flush Tank Co.,

By M. J. Cavanaugh, Atty.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Gentlemen.—In the matter of the Collins Sewer contract and claims for labor and assignments made by Mr. Collins, allow me to say that there are now on file in the office of the City Clerk assignments from Mr. Collins to the Farmers and Mechanics Bank of this city, and the Union Sewer Tile Company and the Flush Tank Company, amounting to \$7708.00 and thirty-three cents. also an order from Mr. Collins for the payment of some \$2800 for labor claims. The total amount of the orders and assignments is \$10,508.00. There will be due him, when the sewer is completed, less than \$6000 00, if we now honor the order for payment of the labor claims and disregard the assignments now on file it will place the City in the position of a corporation usurping the functions of a court of chancery. The conditions are these: These assignments were made covering any money which, at the date of making them, might be due Mr. Collins, or which thereafter become due. These assignments were duly filed, they have been acknowledged by Mr. Collins, and I do not believe that the City can go on and exhaust this fund without taking into consideration these assignments. I beg leave to say that some two months ago, when the first trouble was had by Mr. Collins on account of labor claims, I advised the Board of Public Works to have Mr Collins come before them

and show his ability to complete this sewer and not to lend encouragement and the credit of the City, by agreeing further to pay labor claims, as from the showing made at that time this same condition of affairs which exist at the present time, was bound to come about, but that advise was disregarded upon the plea that six or eight hundred dollars would complete the sewer. In stead of that amount doing the work we are met with a claim of something over three thousand dollars and all claims are not on file as yet, and still the sewer is not completed

The fund you asked to dispense and which you have been dealing with is a special fund, created by a special tax and great care must be exercised in dispensing it.

In view of the fact that Mr. Collins was unable to meet the labor claims as they came due and had not paid the claims for material, and the fact that they were advised to declare the work abandoned when the contractor left the City, the Board of Public Works had no right to take such steps as would lead the laboringmen to believe that the City would in the future pay labor claims. They have no right now to ask your honorable body to pay these labor claims, for the reasons that had they declared the work abandoned the City would have been protected by Mr^d Collins' bond filed for the purpose of securing to the City his faithful performance of his contract; also that the fund they were asking you to dispense was being exhausted and others were claiming the same money. Further, the sum they ask you now to expend is largely in excess of the amount they had said would finish the work.

As far as our duty goes and the only duty we owe to any one is the duty we owe to the tax-payers, and all that the tax-payers desire is that the sewer in that district be completed for the amount which Mr Collins contracted to complete the work for.

If you go on and pay out all monies which remain unpaid upon the contract and disregard these assignments you will place the City in a position which I am afraid will call for paying these same amounts over again.

In my opinion the legal position of the City of Ann Arbor is a mere naked trustee or stake-holder against which there are conflicting claims. The only remedy now that I can see is that the whole matter be thrown into a court of chancery, the City taking the position that it is ready and anxious to pay over this money to the parties really entitled, it being impossible for it to ascertain who these parties are. The City is a mere naked trustee, without interest, a mere stake-holder. Let the City say to the claimants that it has no objection to their litigating or settling their respective claims to this fund between themselves. That it is ready and anxious to comply with such judicial determination, or such settlement, and to pay over the fund accordingly. But, that it objects to being forced, not only to participate in the battle between the claimants, and its risks and embarrassment, but especially to occupying a position between their respective lines, where the thrusts intended for each other will only reach the other through the City. Let it say to the claimants, this is your own battle, not ours. We ask to be permitted to step aside, and allow you to aim your blows directly at each other, and take upon yourselves all the risk and responsibility incident to the contest. Let it ask to be allowed to place the fund, which these claimants are endeavoring to reach, in the hands and custody of the court, who may regulate and direct the contest between them in such manner as shall be found best to secure their respective rights, allowing the City to retire from the contest with the cost of litigation to come out of the fund, which the City holds in good faith, for

the benefit of the parties who may be entitled to it, or any portion of it. I therefore ask that you empower me to file a bill of interpleader and thus save harmless the City of Ann Arbor.

Yours,

Chas H. Kline,
City Atty.

Whereupon the report was adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allmendinger, Koch, Laubengayer, Brown, Cooon, Butterfield, Cady, Pres. Hiscock—8.

Nays—Ald. Moore, Maynard Snyder, Taylor, Prettyman—5.

ORDINANCE.

Chairman Prettyman introduced an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance Relative to Sidewalks" which was given its first reading by title.

Ald. Butterfield moved that the ordinance be placed on its second reading.

Adopted.

Ald. Moore excused.

Whereupon an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to Amend an Ordinance to amend an Ordinance Relative to Sidewalks" was given its second reading by sections.

Chairman Prettyman introduced "An Ordinance Relative to the Naming of Streets and Numbering of Houses" which was given its first reading by title.

BONDS.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

The Bond Committee recommend approval of Bond of Chas. A. Ward, Street Commissioner with E. G. Mann and Gottlob Luick as sureties.

Respectfully submitted,

O. E. Butterfield,
H. G. Prettyman,
W. L. Taylor,

Committee on Bonds

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Maynard, Allmendinger, Koch, Snyder, Laubengayer, Brown,

Taylor, Prettyman, Coon, Butterfield, Cady, Pres. Hiscock—12.

Nays—None.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

To the Common Council:

Your special committee to whom was referred the report of the Board of Public Works beg leave to report that they have found the same under consideration in connection with the members of the Board of Public Works and have found some errors which the Board has had corrected and also, upon request of your committee the Board has consented to cut out their objectionable features and make alterations which your committee deem advisable.

Your committee would therefore recommend that the request of the Board of Public Works be granted and that fifty dollars be appropriated from the contingent fund to print and circulate the same.

Respectfully submitted.

H. G. Prettyman,

H. J. Brown.

Majority of Special Committee.

To the Common Council:

Your special committee to whom was referred the annual report of the Board of Public Works, has had the same under consideration and has been unable to agree upon a report thereon. The undersigned, being the minority of said committee, begs leave to report that he is not in favor of the expenditure of (\$50) fifty dollars or any other sum of money by the city for the publication of the annual report of the Board of Public Works in pamphlet form; that he does not believe that Section 140 of the City Charter contemplate the publication of such a report in the form of a pamphlet.

In the report as it appears to me, the Board, through the convenient medium of a literary clerk has undertaken to demonstrate its own infallibility and has assured us of the high standard of excellence which obtains in all its vari-

ous departments and has alluded to your Honorable Body, the Common Council, as a body of political heelers, and as an apology for its failure to entirely ignore every mandate or resolution of that body, has complained that its hands are tied, while it has been compelled to imbibe its bitter instructions piece-meal, like paregoric, as the infant of the nursery at its loving mother's knee.

Every appointee of the Board has its warm approval and much space is devoted in setting forth the merits of the Street Commissioner, Plumbing Inspector, Engineer and others.

In so far as the report contains tabulated statements of the expenditure of public money of the cost of various kinds of improvement, I should be glad to lay it in the hands of every one of my constituents but I have yet to be convinced that the citizens of this City who earn their bread by the sweat of their brows, will thank me for voting to expend their hard earned money, over which they have placed me a guardian, to publish in pamphlet form, and circulate among its admirers this egotistical effusion called the annual report of the Board of Public Works.

Let it be placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk, duly labelled, where reports of other city officers are placed, and there it may remain as an immortal testimonial of the undying devotion and shining virtues of the august body whose signatures it bears.

Respectfully submitted,

John Koch,

Minority of Special Committee.

The minority report failed as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allmendinger, Koch, Snyder, Laubengayer, Butterfield—5.

Nays—Ald. Maynard, Brown, Taylor Prettyman, Coon, Cady, Pres. Hiscock—7.

Whereupon the majority report failed as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Brown, Taylor, Coon, Cady, Pres. Hiscock—5.

Nays—Ald. Maynard, Allmendinger, Koch, Snyder, Laubengayer, Prettyman—7.

Ald. Maynard moved that the report of the Board of Public Works be referred back to said body for revision and further consideration.

Ald. Butterfield moved as a substitute to the resolution of Ald. Maynard that the report of the Board of Public Works be referred to a special committee to select the tabulated and financial portions thereof for publication.

Lost.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS.

The reports of the City Treasurer, City Marshal, Chief of the Fire Department and Superintendent of the Poor, were read and ordered placed on file.

The State Savings Bank,

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 3, 1896.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

This is to certify that C. H. Manly treasurer had to his credit on Jan. 31, 1895, \$68,289.55.

Respectfully submitted,

State Savings Bank,

Walz.

SEWER ACCOUNT.

MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1896.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Balance on hand in sewer account last report..... \$16406 32

MONEY RECEIVED.

Main sewer, City Clerk Tap license	\$	4	50
Tax ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 1.....		68	21
Tax ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 2.....		183	08
Tax ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 3.....		529	91
Tax ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 4.....		319	62
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 1, transfer from general sewer fund.....		50	00
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 2, transfer from general sewer fund.....		650	00

Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 5, transfer from general sewer fund.....	50	00
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 6, transfer from general sewer fund.....	100	00
Total.....		\$ 18361 64

MONEY DISBURSED.

Main sewer warrants paid..	77	00
Labor ac't later sewer Dist. No. 1 warrants paid	28	55
Labor ac't later'l sewer Dist. No. 2 warrants paid.....	698	15
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 3, warrants paid	653	76
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 6 warrants paid	37	50
Main Sewer transfer to other funds.....	850	00
Total.....		\$16016 68

BALANCE ON HAND.

Main sewer	\$	9272	14
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 1.....		17	43
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 2.....		35	76
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 3.....		82	65
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 4.....		31	13
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 5.....		25	80
Labor ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 6.....		3	95
Tax ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 1.....		364	86
Tax ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 2.....		526	11
Tax ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 3.....		4372	16
Tax ac't lateral sewer Dist. No. 4.....		1284	69
Total.....		\$16016 68.	16016 8

Respectfully submitted,

C. H. Manly,

Treasurer

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT.

MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1896.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Balance on hand, last report..... \$19335 57

MONEY RECEIVED.

Glen V. Mills.....			
Rose sidewalk.....	26	00	
Cocker sidewalk.....	32	00	
Dog license.....	10	00	
Bridge, Colvert and Crosswalk.....	15	08	
Police fund			
Peterson, Chief of Police. Service for January.....	10	50	93 58
Total.....			\$19929 15

MONEY DISBURSED.

Contingent fund.....	\$1066 89	
Int. on Main Sewer Bond fund.....	100 00	
Street fund.....	555 98	
Poor fund.....	296 48	
Bridge, Culvert, and Cross-walk fund.....	264 64	
Police fund.....	271 00	
Firemen's fund.....	683 76	
Soldier's Relief fund.....	40 00	
Water fund.....	2985 00	
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	6263 75	6263 75
Total.....		\$13665 40

BALANCE ON HAND.

Contingent fund.....	\$ 1493 12	
Int. on Main Sewer Bond fund.....	100 00	
Street fund.....	1417 20	
Poor fund.....	1958 57	
Bridge, Culvert, and Cross-walk fund.....	2997 89	
Police fund.....	2364 34	
Firemen's fund.....	4156 84	
City Cemetery fund.....	122 86	
Soldier's Relief fund.....	519 90	
Water fund.....	2512 40	
Dog Tax fund.....	162 00	
University Hospital Aid Bond fund.....	4200 00	
Delinquent tax fund.....		1354 34
Uncollected City Tax.....		11985 38
City Building site.....	5000 00	
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	\$27005 12	\$13339 72
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Total.....	\$13665 40	

Respectfully submitted,

C. H. Manly,
Treasurer.

RESOLUTION.

By Ald. Brown.

Resolved, that the sum of \$5.00 be or-

dered drawn from the contingent fund payable to the order of David Crawford to apply on rental of ground for dog pound.

Adopted.

By Ald. Brown.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-five dollars is hereby appropriated from the contingent fund for the purpose of furnishing the Mayor's Office with a desk and chair and other needed furniture.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Maynard, Allmendinger, Koch, Synder, Laubengayer, Brown Taylor, Prettyman, Coon, Butterfield. Cady, Pres. Hiscock—12.

Nays—None.

Ald. Prettyman moved that a committee of three with Power to Act be appointed by the chair to secure a suitable place for the storage of stone for the crusher.

Adopted.

President Hiscock appointed the following as such committee.

Ald. Prettyman, Maynard, Snyder. On motion the Council adjourned.

GLEN V. MILLS,

City Clerk.