

(Official Report)

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 1, 1907.

Regular Session.

Meeting called to order by the clerk.

Present—Ald. St. James.

There being no quorum present, the council adjourned to meet Thursday, April 4, 1907, at 7:30 p. m.

ROSS GRANGER,
City Clerk.

Council Chamber,

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 4, 1907.

Adjourned Regular Session.

Meeting called to order by Pres. Gilmore.

Present—Alds. Gill, Snaubel, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Good-year, Blaich, Fischer, President Gilmore.—15

Minutes of previous meetings approved.

Mayor Hamilton made a verbal report on railway matters and read a letter from Commissioner of Railroads Glasgow which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS

Communication from the mayor received and ordered on file.

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 4, 1907.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen I take this opportunity to thank you for your hearty co-operation and the kindness and courtesy shown me during the past two years, in our mutual endeavor for the public good; and I bespeak for my successor like kind consideration, which I am sure you will all gladly accord. As all of the members of your honorable body, except three, will continue in the service of the city in official capacity during the coming year, allow me to express the hope and belief that the motto of the new council will also be, "No step backward."

Progress means life and growth, stagnation means death and decline.

And it behooves every citizen, whether in office or out of office, to do his full share in making this beautiful home city of the great University, in every way worthy of its distinguished resident.

Administrations come, make their contribution of public service, wise or otherwise, and pass away, but the city remains to tell what its public and private servants have wrought. We feel that what you have already accomplished and that which is now under way, will be appreciated more and more as time goes on. Let the good work continue; and though some of us will not remain with you, yet we will not by any means lose our interest in public affairs; and those who take our places shall have our earnest, hearty support in every endeavor for the common welfare.

FRANCIS M. HAMILTON,
Mayor.

Communication from president of D., J. & C. Ry., relative to connecting track on Packard street with State street track, received and Alderman Fischer presented an ordinance entitled "An ordinance relative to street railways," which was given its first reading by title and passed to and given its second reading with the following vote:

Yeas—Alds. Gill, Snaubel, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Good-year, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore.—15.

Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Fischer that the ordinance be referred to the ordinance committee.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Gill, Snaubel, Kurtz, Schnieder, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Good-

year, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore.—15.

Nays—None.

Communication from John B. Corliss, relative to Vinewood boulevard, received and referred to street committee.

Petition of C. F. Pardon et al., for water main, referred to water committee.

Deed for Fuller street property presented by Mrs. Mary C. Markey and following report read:

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the city of Ann Arbor:

Gentlemen—Pursuant to the direction of your honorable body, I have investigated relative to the title of the land proposed to be conveyed to the city for the purpose of a detention hospital. I would report that in my opinion the title to said premises is unencumbered except that the same is subject to rights of flowage.

Whether or not the flowage rights would ever cause serious complications is a practical rather than a legal question, depending altogether upon the intention of the owners of the flowage rights. Having no personal knowledge of the subject, I will not venture any opinion as to future possibilities, but from the legal standpoint it seems clear to me that the prudent course is to insist that they city be given a clear title before accepting the deed of this land. For this reason I do not deem it wise to recommend this title unless a release shall first be obtained from the owners of the flowage rights, at least as to those proportions of the premises where buildings are located or are to be located. By so doing all possible chances of future complications may be avoided.

Respectfully submitted this 4th day of April, A. D., 1907.

FRANK A. STIVERS,
City Attorney.

Moved by Ald. Miller that deed be accepted.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Gill, Snaubel, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—13.

Nays—Alds. Manwaring, Sherk—2.
To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor.

Gentlemen—The board of park commissioners desire to request that they be allowed to execute a deed to the Edison Power Company, granting them the flowage rights along these city grounds recently acquired for park purposes in sections 27 and 28. Subject to the following conditions:

1. The water shall not be raised higher than 755 feet above sea level, U. S. geological survey.

2. That all bridges, roads, buildings, etc., which may be interfered with shall be moved or replaced according to directions of park commissioners.

3. That said deed shall convey only flowage rights.

4. Consideration, \$1,300.

Moved by Ald. Snaubel, that report be concurred in.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Gill, Snaubel, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, President Gilmore—15.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Snaubel.

Resolved, that warrants are hereby authorized drawn, one in favor of Claramon L. Pray for four hundred and twenty dollars (\$420.00), and one in favor of J. W. Howard for four hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$425.00) in payment of the so-called Alber land to be conveyed to the city for park purposes, said warrants, however, not to be delivered until after conveyance to the city of the

Henning property, and approval of the deeds of all of said lands by the city attorney.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Gill, Snaubel, Kurtz, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Good-year, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—15.

Nays—None.

Ald. Kurtz retired.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Finance Report

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 4, 1907.

To the Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your committee on finance have had the following bills under consideration and recommend their approval and that warrants be drawn for the following amounts.

E. B. MANWARING,
WM. GOODYEAR,
C. W. GILL,

Finance Committee.

Contingent Fund

George W. Sample, salary ..\$	8.33
M. E. Easterly, salary	20.00
Marvin Davenport, salary ..	6.25
Frank Stivers, salary	50.00
S. W. Beakes, salary	125.00
Ross Granger, salary	125.00
E. W. Groves, salary	125.00
John Wisner, salary	83.00
Napoleon Brough, salary	35.00
Mrs. C. A. Green, rent	37.50
T. P. Manwaring, services (fruit and orchard)	39.61
F. M. Dyer, services (fruit and orchard)	48.74
Emanuel Beck, services (fruit and orchard)	29.00
Victor Benz, services (fruit and orchard)	14.20
Henry Long, services (fruit and orchard)	24.00
M. G. Richmond, services (fruit and orchard)	36.00
Ira Long, services, (fruit and orchards)	15.2a

Ben Ransom, services (fruit and orchard)	28.35
Geo. Schlimmer, services (fruit and orchard)	32.10
S. F. Garvin, services, (fruit and orchard)	15.50
G. W. Inman, services, (fruit and orchard)	5.40
Albert Rhode, services (fruit and orchard)	12.30
Adolph Bethke, services (fruit and orchard)	9.60
W. J. Randall, services (fruit and orchard)	11.89
L. D. Grosse, services (fruit and orchard)	2.20
George Randall, services (fruit and orchard)	3.20
Chas. Canwell, services (fruit and orchard)	6.40
Geo. Hubbard, services (fruit and orchard)	14.50
J. W. Rogers, services (fruit and orchard)	9.20
Muehlig & Schmid, supplies (fruit and orchard)	206.74
Sid Millard, printing (fruit and orchard)	13.50
John Heinzmann, supplies (fruit and orchard)	320.00
Chas. A. Sauer & Co., sup- plies (fruit and orchard) ..	1.00
Washtenaw Light & Power Co., clock and supplies	9.60
A. A. Gas Co., city offices light	3.00
Richmond Backus Co., sup- plies	12.00
The Detroit Free Press, ad....	3.30
John C. Fischer, supplies	50.94
Sheehan & Co., supplies	5.00
Michigan State Tel. Co., ser- vice	74.90
Ross Granger, express and freight	2.15
Sid Millard, printing	22.50
Ann Arbor Argus, printing ...	39.90
Ann Arbor News, printing	34.3
Ann Arbor Times, printing ...	9.10

Charles, F. Meyers, printing ..	2.00
H. J. Brown, supplies	15.00
E. G. Hoag, supplies	3.00
Herrick & Bohnet, supplies ..	3.15
Frederick L. Schleede, sup- plies	58.00
A. E. Mummery, supplies	1.25
Niagara Fall Stamp Works, supplies	16.50
George Wahr, supplies	8.85
A. A. Milling Co., supplies	3.30
John Lawson, registering deeds	4.00
Engineering Record, ad	4.20
Geo. Spathelf, rent	210.00
Martin Haller, supplies	44.29
George J. Haller, insurance ..	11.13
Smith Typewriting Co., over- hauling typewriter	8.30
E. C. Stretch, coal	30.00
F. A. Stivers, services and supplies paid for	38.85
H. R. Mallow, services	1.00
Frank Perkins, collection of garbage	200.00
R. W. G. Owen, services	5.00

Election Pay Roll

Four and One-half Days

George Wagner, registration and election	10.00
Chas. L. Miller, registration and election	22.50
Ed. T. Ryan, registration and election	10.00
C. J. Sweet, registration and election	22.50
C. W. Gill, registraiton and election	22.50
Verner L. Snaubel, registration and election	22.50
George Blaich, registration and election	22.50
Emanuel Schneider, registra- tion and election	22.50
I. L. Sherk, registration and election	22.50
Herman Krappf, registration and election	10.00

Three Days

George Weeks, registration ..	
Eugene Oesterline, registra- tion	6.00
A. F. Marten, registration....	10.00
B. F. Schumacher, registra- tion	6.00
L. Kurtz, registration	15.00
B. St. James, registration	15.00
J. W. Markey, registration .. and election	22.50
E. B. Manwaring, registra- tion	15.00
Wm. Goodyear, registration..	15.00
H. J. Abbott, registration	15.00
G. H. Fischer, registration ...	15.00
Ernest Eberbach, election clerk	4.00
Wm. Binder, election clerk ..	4.00
Wm. Morton, election clerk..	4.00
Wm. Dancingburg, election clerk	4.00
Geo. Spathelf, election clerk..	4.00
Fred Luebke, election clerk..	4.00
Henry G. Lodholz, election clerk	4.00
John H. Shadford, election clerk	4.00
H. J. Brown, election clerk...	4.00
Henry B. Dodsley, election cler	4.00
John Baumgartner, election clerk	4.00
Milton M. Steffy, election clerk	4.00
Richard Kearns, election clerk	4.00
Sid Millard, election clerk....	4.00
Christian Schlenker, election clerk	4.00
Julian Haarer, election clerk	4.00
John Gehringer, election clerk	4.00
Wm. C. Hollands, election clerk	4.00
T. P. Stow, election clerk	4.00
John W. Bennett, election clerk	4.00
A. B. Wines, election clerk ...	4.00
Edward Duffy, election clerk	4.00
Chaning Smith, election clerk	4.00

Fred Gakle, gate keeper.....	2.00
Lambert Dresselhouse, gate keeper	2.00
Matthew Dalton, gate keeper.....	2.00
Thomas Burk, gate keeper.....	2.00
W. K. Childs, gate keeper	2.00
Geo. Fiener, gate keeper	2.00
Jacob Shaw, gate keeper.....	2.00
Wm. Ferrier, gate keeper	2.00
Wm. Weinmann, gate keeper	2.00
Sebastian Seyfried, gate keeper	2.00
Louis Clark, gate keeper	2.00
Matthaus Luippold, gate keeper	2.00
Jacob Frank, gate keeper	2.00
Joseph Donnelly, gate keeper	2.00
Eugene Mann, election commission	5.00
John T. Kenney, election commission	5.00
D. W. Springer, election commission	5.00
O. M. Martin, rent, registration	5.00
J. E. Beal, rent, election.....	10.00
J. G. Fred Schmidt, rent, election	10.00
Mrs. C. A. Green, rent, election	10.00
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	\$2946.13

FIRE FUND.

C. A. Edwards, salary.....\$	37.50
Eugene Williams, salary.....	33.00
Charles Andrews, salary.....	32.50
Herman Kern, salary.....	30.00
Fred Nordman, salary.....	30.00
Ralph Edwards, salary.....	30.00
William Rettich, salary.....	30.00
Fred Stein, salary.....	30.00
Dean Seabolt, salary.....	27.50
Tom O'Brien, salary.....	27.50
George Hoelze, salary.....	27.50
Fred Jolly, salary.....	27.50
Rex Burnett, salary.....	27.50
Carl Kuehn, salary.....	27.50
John Flynn, salary.....	27.50
William Bernick, salary.....	25.00

John Keefe, salary.....	25.00
Jacob Gwinner, salary.....	25.00
Charles Carroll, salary.....	20.00
Frank Kapp, salary.....	20.00
Geo. W. Sweet, supplies.....	9.20
Cornell & Slater, supplies....	18.90
John Heinzman, supplies....	12.95
Mr. Throop, supplies (oats)..	15.70
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	4.08
Mr. Throop, supplies (hay)..	9.75
E. M. Wurster, supplies.....	23.50
M. Staebler, supplies (coal)..	15.00
Wm. H. L. Rohde supplies (coal)	21.00
C. H. Kittredge, supplies....	1.20
Muehlig & Schmid, supplies..	16.84
H. Otto & Son, supplies....	8.85
Casper Rinsey, supplies.....	6.78
Fred Harpst, supplies (hay)..	29.25
Mr. Drake, supplies (hay)....	13.05
Washtenaw L. & P. Co., light	6.13
Ann Arbor Gas Co., light....	6.60
Mrs. Ream, washing.....	11.00
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	\$ 790.28

POLICE FUND.

Charles B. Masten, salary.....\$	41.66
Harris Ball, salary.....	37.50
David Collins, salary.....	30.00
John O'Mara, salary.....	30.00
William Eldert, salary.....	30.00
William Clark, salary.....	30.00
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	7.20
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	\$ 236.36

DOG LICENSE FUND

Sam Smith, board and fee of dogs	\$ 3.25
Lee Bush, burying 2 cats....	1.00
Paul Gabler, burying 5 cats..	2.50
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	\$ 6.75

POOR FUND.

Rinsey & Kyer, supplies....\$	12.00
Herrick & Bohnet, supplies..	4.00
Miller & Pray, supplies.....	19.29
John Wahr, supplier.....	3.50

Haas & Heibein, supplies..	8.90
Gruner & Co., supplies.....	1.00
Casper Rinsey, supplies.....	15.80
Jacob Eschelbach, supplies..	2.25
D. C. Prochnow, supplies.....	14.60
M. M. Seabolt, supplies.....	5.46
C. H. Overbeck, supplies.....	7.17
M. Staebler & Son, supplies..	14.63
Shadford & Ziegler, supplies..	3.08
J. Hoeisel, supplies.,	11.00
C. H. Overbeck, supplies.....	3.72
George Weeks, supplies.....	8.00
Fischel & Finnel, supplies....	6.74
Frank I. Cornwell, supplies..	7.50
H. J. Brown, supplies.....	9.15
Matilda Brown ,care of old lady	6.00
M. J. Andres, care of old lady	7.00
M. J. Martin, salary.....	10.00
Chas. Morrison, wood.....	66.50
Edward Stollsteimer, wood..	67.50

\$ 313.88

PARK FUND.

Geo. P. Burns, personal expenses	\$ 10.00
Wm. Herz, paint.....	1.30

\$ 11.80

STREET LIGHTING FUND.

Welshbach, Street Lighting Co light.....	\$ 163.17
Washtenaw L. & P. Co., light	853.90

\$1017.07

STREET FUND.

L. Dresselhouse, labor	\$ 3.56
Julius Loehrke, labor	20.00
E. M. Wurster, labor and supplies	7.65
A. C. Hetsier, labor and supplies	5.60
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	3.05
Jacob Beck, team	3.50
John Markey, team.....	8.44
S. A. Elsfer, team	44.73
Greoge Schaible, team	7.00
Frank Hogan, team	36.56

Chas. Neithammer, team....	29.95
James Mason, labor	11.55
Joseph Hertchen, labor.....	5.87
George Moran, labor	55
John Holke, labor	19.07
Joe Wiliker, labor	3.50
Mathew Dalton, labor	17.97
Matt Leyppold, labor.....	3.30
Chas. Neithammer, labor.....	14.12
George Collins, labor	33.31
Julius Nine, labor	5.14
Barney Mast, labor	1.00
Wm. Bury, labor	16.50
John Weinmann, labor	3.30
W. E. Howe, labor	7.20

\$ 312.42

Cemetery Fund

L. D. Gross, salary	\$ 29.16
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund	
John Wenimann, labor	\$ 5.14
Wm. Bury, labor.....	4.95

\$ 10.09

Recapitulation

Contingent fund	\$2946.13
Fire fund	790.28
Police fund	236.36
Dog license fund.....	6.75
Poor fund	313.88
Park fund	11.80
Street lighting fund	1017.07
Street fund	312.42
Cemetery fund	29.16
Bridge, culvert and cross-walk fund	10.09

Total

\$5673.94

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore.—14.
Nays—None.

Sewer Committee

To the Honorable the Common Council:
Gentlemen—Your committee on sewers, to whom was referred the

estimate and report of the city engineer relative to the construction of lateral sewers in district No. 21, beg leave to report that they have had such estimate and report as well as the resolution of the common council under consideration, and have made due inquiries relating thereto, and that we have heard all persons desiring to be heard on the premises, and your committee is of the opinion that there is necessity for the construction of such lateral sewer, and that special taxing or assessment districts ought to be filled by the common council upon and against which the construction of such sewer may be charged, street crossings excepted, pursuant to the ordinance in such case made and provided.

Your committee further recommends that resolution fixing the boundaries of said district be prepared by the city engineer and the board of public works ordered to advertise for bids for construction of above named sewer.

Received and the following resolution offered:

By Ald. Sweet:

Resolved, that this common council still deeming it expedient to cause to be constructed a lateral sewer in lateral sewer district No. 21, (Spring street) the construction of the same is hereby ordered.

Resolved further, that the city engineer furnish proper boundaries by the next regular meeting of the council and this order and determination be certified to the city assessor and board of public works, and the board advertise for bids on construction of such sewer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore.—14.

Nays—none.

The lighting committee would recommend that gas lamp in front of Third ward school be removed to corner of Summit and Fountain street, and that gas lamp be placed on Fifth street between Liberty and Jefferson, also that electric arc lamp be placed in front of Third ward school.

Wm. Goodyear,

J. W. Markey,

Committee

Moved by Ald. Abbott that recommendation be concurred in.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore.—14.

Nays—none.

Officers' Reports

The reports of Justices Doty and Gibson received and ordered on file.

Moved by Ald. Fischer that the clerk request justices to pay fine money to treasurer as soon as collected.

Adopted.

By Ald. Miller:

Resolved, that clerk be ordered to draw a warrant for \$2,000 in favor of Mrs. Mary Markey in payment for property on Fuller street.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore.—14.

Nays—none.

By Ald. Schenider:

Resolved, that the council resolve itself into a board of election canvassers and canvass the vote on the election held in this city Monday, April 1, 1907.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore.—14.

Nays..none.

City Clerk on Election

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 4, 1907
 To the Board of Election Canvassers
 of the City of Ann Arbor:

Gentlemen—The following is a tabulated list of the votes received by the several candidates for city and ward offices at the election held in and for the city of Ann Arbor, Monday, the first day of April, 1907.

Mayor

James C. Henderson,—First ward, 197; Second ward, 351; Third ward, 320; Fourth ward 267, Fifth ward 80, Sixth ward 93, Seventh ward 186. Total, 1494.

Francis M. Hamilton—First ward 210, Second ward 115, Third ward 129, Fourth ward 149, Fifth ward 69, Sixth ward 160, Seventh ward 219. Total, 1051.

Henderson's majority 443.

President of the Council

William L. Walz—First ward 194, Second ward 378, Third ward 302, Fourth ward 223, Fifth ward 75, Sixth ward 67, Seventh ward 141. Total, 1380.

Eugene S. Gilmore—First Ward 213, Second ward 88, Third ward 148, Fourth ward 193, Fifth ward 74, Sixth ward 187, Seventh ward 265. Total, 1168.

Walz' majority, 212.

City Clerk

Ross Granger—First ward 251, Second ward 331, Third ward 272, Fourth ward 263, Fifth ward 66, Sixth ward 142, Seventh ward 209. Total, 1534.

Lewis F. Roberts—First ward 155, Second ward 134, Third ward 178, Fourth ward 152, Fifth ward 84, Sixth ward 112, Seventh ward 197. Total, 1012.

Granger's majority, 522.

City Assessor

S. W. Beakes—First ward, 249, Second ward 351, third ward 261,

Fourth ward 265, Fifth ward 76, Sixth ward 145, Seventh ward 204. Total 1551. No opposition.

Justice of the Peace

William G. Doty—First ward 245, Second ward 331, Third ward 268, Fourth ward 241, Fifth ward 76, Sixth ward 101, Seventh ward 174. Total, 1435.

Victor E. Van Amerigen—First ward 161, second ward 133, Third ward 182, Fourth ward 175, Fifth ward 74, Sixth ward 154, Seventh ward 231. Total 1110.

Doty's majority, 325.

Supervisor

First ward—
 Edward D. Hiscock 236
 Emanuel Wagner 172
 Hiscock's majority 64

Second ward—
 Eugene Oesterlin 308
 Edward Lohr 158
 Oesterlin's majority 152

Third ward —
 Frank Pardon 236
 Clinton Snyder 214
 Pardon's majority 22

Fourth ward—
 Herman Krapf 229
 Bert Reynolds 186
 Krapf's majority 43

Fifth ward—
 George W. Weeks 78
 No opposition.

Sixth Ward—
 Azariah F. Martin 197
 Wm. James 56
 Martin's majority 141

Seventh ward—
 Burt F. Schumacher 215
 Clark F. Mills 191
 Schumacher's majority 24

Alderman

First ward—
 William Stark 224
 Louis P. Jocelyn 183
 Stark's majority 41

Second ward—	
Henry Hochrein	243
Lewis Kurtz	222
Hochrein's majority ..	21
Third ward—	
Fred Maulbetsch	229
Wm. Aprill	221
Maulbetsch's majority	8
Fourth ward—	
Bruno St. James	261
Wm. H. Hawkes	155
St. James' majority ...	106
Fifth ward—	
E. B. Manwaring	87
No opposition.	
Sixth ward—	
Wm. Goodyear	197
Geo. P. Ottley	55
Goodyear's majority ..	142
Seventh ward—	
Horatio J. Abbott	216
John Young	189
Abbott's majority. ...	27
Constable	
First ward—	
George Moran	216
Gotlob Raiser	188
Moran's majority	33
Second ward—	
Gottlob Maulbetsch	284
Fred Huhn	18
Maulbetsch's majority ...	101
Third ward—	
Martin Davenport	234
George Decker	216
Davenport's majority .	18
Fourth ward—	
Frank Kopf	247
Ernest White	167
Kopf's majority	80
Fifth ward—	
George Kelley	84
Lewis Nowland	67
Kelley's majority	15
Sixth ward—	
Charles S. Fox	174
L. B. Allen	78
Fox's majority ———	96

Sixth ward—
 Peter Hines 280
 No opposition.
 Respectfully submitted,
 ROSS GRANGER,
 City Clerk
 Report received and following resolution offered:
 By Ald. Snaubel:
 Resolved, that we adjourn as a board of election canvassers and resume in session of common council.
 By Ald. Snaubel:
 Adopted.
 Resolved, that the common council of the city of Ann Arbor, at a regular session of the common council, at the council chambers in said city, on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1907, found the following named persons were duly elected to the following city and ward offices:
 Mayor, James C. Henderson, president of council William L. Walz, city clerk Ross Granger, city assessor, Samuel W. Beakes, justice of the peace, William G. Doty.
 Supervisors—First ward Edward D. Hiscock, Second ward Eugene Oesterlin, Third ward Frank Pardon, Fourth ward Herman Krapf, Fifth ward George W. Weeks, Sixth ward Azariah F. Martin, Seventh ward Bert F. Schumacher.
 Aldermen—First ward—Wm. Stark, Second ward Henry Hochrein, Third ward Fred Maulbetsch, Fourth ward Bruno St. James, Fifth ward E.B. Manwaring, Sixth ward Wm. Goodyear, Seventh ward Horatio J. Abbott.
 Constables—First ward George Moran, Second ward Gottlob Maulbetsch, Third ward Marven Davenport, Fourth ward Frank Kopf, Fifth ward Geo. Kelley, Sixth ward Charles S. Fox, Seventh ward Peter Hines.
 Adopted as follows:
 Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider;

Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore.—14.

Nays—none.

By Ald. Blaich:

Resolved, that John R. Miner be employed to audit the city accounts and report to the council the first meeting in May.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, St. James, Markey, Manwaring, Sherk, Goodyear, Braich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—14.

Nays—none.

By Ald. Abbott.

Resolved, that this council hereby petitions the county drain commissioner of Washtenaw county to cause the drain which is now filled in Ann Arbor township, next adjacent to the

city limits on the south, near the property of Thomas Shirley, to be cleaned so that the property of said Shirley shall not be affected by reason of said water backing onto said Shirley's property to his damage and to the peril of the health of himself and family.

Resolved further, that a copy of this resolution be served upon said drain commissioner.

Adopted.

Moved by Ald. Markey, that the matter of filling in "cat hole" be referred to the health officer, city attorney and engineer, they to report back to council as as soon is possible.

Adopted.

The council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER,
City Clerk