

mon Council shall direct. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that this Council accept the aforesaid offer of the Ann Arbor Water company, and that the city attorney be and is hereby instructed to prepare the necessary preliminary papers to submit the question of the purchase of said plant and property to the people, at a special election to be held October 13, 1913.

Adopted as follows: Yeas. Ald. Schultz, Fiegel, Hanselmann, Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, Rash, Groves, Lutz, Sink, Pres. Schmid, 15. Nays, none.

By Ald. Schultz: Whereas, the Ann Arbor Water company has, under date of August 25th and August 30th, 1913 through it's president, J. F. Lawrence, granted an option to the City of Ann Arbor on its water plant and property, said option to expire on January 1st, 1914, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the city clerk be and is hereby ordered to draw a warrant in favor of the Ann Arbor Water Company in the sum of one dollar in payment of said option.

Adopted as follows: Yeas. Ald. Schultz, Fiegel, Hanselmann, Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, Rash, Groves, Lutz, Sink, Pres. Schmid, 15. Nays, none.

**Officers' Reports.**

Report of Marshal for month of August, and Street Commissioner for month of July, received and ordered on file; Street Commissioner's report to be printed with minutes.

**Street Commissioner's Report.**

Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 9, 1913.

Hon. Board of Public Works: Wirt Cornwell, Esq., President: Gentlemen: The following is a report of the work done by the Street department during the month of July, 1913—

July 3-16: 17-30—Cleaning paved streets, labor .....\$456.41  
 Grading, graveling and patching dirt streets, labor .....\$207.05  
 (6th st.; Murray ave.; Packard east of Granger; South 7th st.; S. 8th st.; 5th st.; Spring st.; Chubb rd.; Austin ave.; S. University; Elizabeth; S. State; Hill between E. University and Tappan; Observatory; Elm st.)  
 Grading for sidewalks, labor.....\$ 6.00  
 (Vinewood ave. north of Washtenaw ave.)  
 Extensions and crosswalks, labor..\$213.86  
 (Extensions N. W. and N. E. corners 1st and Huron; N. W. and N. E. cors. Chapin and Huron; S. E. and S. W. cors. 2d and Liberty; N. W. and N. E. cors. 7th and Huron; S. W. and S. E. cors. 3d and Liberty; N. W. and N. E. cors.

3d and Liberty; S. E. and S. W. cors. 4th and Liberty; North side Liberty at 4th st.; N. E. and N. W. cors. Murray ave. and Liberty; S. E. and S. W. cors. 5th and Liberty and one extension north side Liberty at 5th st.; N. E. and S. E. cors. 7th and Liberty at 5th st.; N. E. and S. E. cors. 7th and Liberty; N. W. and S. W. cors. 7th and Liberty; repairs sidewalk 533 South 4th ave.; cement entrance to driveway south side Liberty between 2d and 3d sts.)

Repairs pavements and laying pavements at intersections with new paving work, labor .....\$ 35.63  
 (Repairs: Liberty between 5th ave. and Division; S. State st. holes with concrete; matching up with new paving; north and south sides 3d and Liberty; south side 4th and Liberty; and of paving at forks on Huron, north side; Murray ave. and Liberty; 5th and Liberty intersection.)  
 Unloading cars cement and handling empty cement sacks, labor..\$111.68  
 Miscellaneous work and repairs, labor .....\$ 54.76  
 (Foreman city yard and handling cement sacks, \$46.00—piling lumber, 1.78—flushing sanitary sewer, helper J. Loehrke (C. E. acct.) \$1.00—making barricades, \$1.63—work on cement slips, \$2.76—repairs sidewalk bet. M. C. bridge and No. 1 bridge, \$1.59—)  
 Cutting weeds from streets and lawn extensions in the several wards labor .....\$ 59.62  
 Cleaning inlets, labor ..... 6.50  
 Cleaning gutters on dirt streets, labor .....\$1,068.49  
 (Hill; S. Main; Packard east of Granger ave.; Wells; E. University; Michigan; Fuller; Glen; E. Huron; E. Ann; E. Catherine; S. University; Depot; Summit; Felch; N. Ashley; W. Kingsley; 1st st.; N. Ann; Broadway; 1st and William; Tappan; Oakland; Prospect; Cambridge rd.; Baldwin; Elm; Walnut; Linden; Oxford rd.; Geddes; N. State; Jones; Mill rd.; Maiden lane.)  
 Tarring pavements, labor, (C. E. acct.)— E. Liberty, State to Division.... 110.33  
 Completion E. Washington .....\$ 58.75  
 Total ..... \$169.08  
 Repairs storm sewer W. Huron at railroad bridge, labor (C. E. acct.) ..... 73.78  
 Setting inlets and laying spill connections at Forks W. Huron st. storm sewer, labor .....115.66  
 Laying drain tile W. Huron st. labor ..... 27.00  
 Setting inlets W. Liberty st. storm sewer, labor ..... 51.49  
 Connections and inlets Liberty and 1st st., labor ..... 52.15  
 Removing brick sidewalk west side 1st north of Liberty, front Mack & Co. warehouse, labor..... 2.00  
 Total (C. E. acct.) .....\$322.08  
 Repairs gutter boxes and inlets, labor .....\$ 33.73

Moved by Ald. Prochnow, that the chair appoint a committee to investigate the proposition of public convenience stations within the city. Adopted, and the sanitary committee, Ald. Groves, Sherk and Sink, appointed.

By Ald. Groves: Resolved, that the sum of \$20.00 be appropriated for the purchase and planting of shrubs on the triangle in front of the entrance to Forest Hill cemetery, and that the work be done under direc-

tion of the Park commission.

Lost by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Schultz, Rash, Groves, 3. Nays, Ald. Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, G. Lutz, Sink, P res. Schmid. 12.

Moved by Ald. Groves, that the Park commission be requested to plant shrubs on triangle in front of Forest Hill cemetery entrance. Adopted by unanimous vote.

The council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER, Clerk.

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor, Mich.,  
Sept. 2, 1913. Regular Session.

Meeting called to order by president. Present: Ald. Schultz, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, Rash, Groves, G. Lutz, Sink, Pres. Schmid, 15. Minutes of previous meetings approved.

#### Communications.

From committee of Jackson citizens, urging Ann Arbor to send representatives to League of Michigan Municipalities meeting at Jackson, Sept. 17, 18 and 19.

Moved by Ald. Koernke, that all members of the council, mayor, city clerk, engineer, street commissioner, assessor, treasurer and city attorney attend the convention of League of Michigan Municipalities at Jackson, if they care to, necessary expense to be paid by city.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schultz, Fiegel, A. Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, Rash, Groves, Sink, Pres. Schmid, 13. Nays, Ald. Hanselmann, G. Lutz, 2.

(From Board of Public Works.)

Moved by Mr. James, that inasmuch as E. L. Schneider is the lowest bidder on the construction of lateral sewers Nos. 55, 58, 59, 60 and 61 the board recommends to the council that he be awarded the contract; city attorney to see that proper contract and bond are furnished the city by Mr. Schneider.

(Council action.)

Moved by Ald. Groves, that recommendation be concurred in.

Adopted as follows: Yeas. Ald. Schultz, Fiegel, Hanselmann, Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, Rash, Groves, Lutz, Sink, Pres. Schmid, 15. Nays, none.

(From Board of Public Works.)

Moved by Ald. Schmid, that inasmuch as Hochrein & Reimold are lowest bidders on construction of lateral sewer No. 62 the board recommends to the council that they be awarded the contract; the city attorney to see that proper contract and bond is furnished by Hochrein & Reimold.

(Council action.)

Moved by Ald. Sink that recommendation be concurred in.

Adopted by unanimous vote of the council, 15.

#### Petitions.

Of W. A. BeGole, et al, asking that a street be laid out west from the west line of North Seventh st. received and referred to Street committee.

Of J. H. Stevenson, et al, asking that the Detroit, Jackson & Chicago Railway company be compelled to pave between their tracks west of Seventh st. during the present year, received and referred to city attorney.

Of George Klager, asking that tar sidewalk be constructed on south side of Woodlawn ave., received and referred to sidewalk committee.

Of Homer P. Finley, asking that city award him fair compensation for physical injuries claimed in consequence of accident on sidewalk, received and referred to city attorney and sidewalk committee.

#### Committee Reports.

##### FINANCE REPORT.

##### Contingent Fund.

Ross Granger, salary and clerk hire .....	\$166.66
Charles L. Miller, salary and clerk hire .....	108.38
Eugene G. Mann, salary and clerk hire .....	125.00
Frank B. Devine, salary .....	83.33
John A. Wessinger, salary .....	50.00
M. E. Easterly, salary .....	50.00
Napoleon Brough, salary .....	50.00
Geo. F. Muehlig, salary .....	25.00
M. C. Ryan, salary .....	30.00
Edward Besch, collecting garbage .....	300.00
Total salaries and services.....	\$988.32

##### Fire Fund.

Chas. J. Andrews, salary .....	\$41.66
Eugene Williams, salary .....	38.50
Geo. Hoelzle, salary .....	38.50
Ralph Edwards, salary .....	38.50
Henry McLaren, salary .....	36.50
Jacob Gwinner, salary .....	36.50
Arthur Clark, salary .....	35.00
Max Wittlinger, salary .....	35.00
Harley Wise, salary .....	35.00
Martin Noll, salary .....	35.00
Geo. Isbell, salary .....	35.00
Mat. Heininger, salary .....	35.00
John Behr, salary .....	35.00
Frank Markey, salary .....	35.00
Thomas Shamp, salary .....	35.00
Clyde Carpenter, salary .....	35.00
Arthur Snyder, salary .....	30.00
Arthur Prince, salary .....	18.00
Chas. Carroll, salary .....	23.00
Frank Kapp, salary .....	23.00

Total salaries for 1-2 month of

August .....

##### Police Fund.

John T. Kenny, salary .....	\$41.66
Thos. O'Brien, salary .....	40.00
Wm. J. Aprill, salary .....	35.00

Gustave Meyer, salary .....	35.00	John Ryan, special .....	2.25
Rex Burnett, salary .....	35.00	The Western Union Telegraph Co., services .....	2.76
Ruben Armbruster, salary .....	35.00	Standard Oil Co., gasoline .....	9.60
Edward Kuhn, salary .....	35.00	The Detective Pub. Co., supplies..	1.00
Wm. Blackburn, salary .....	35.00	Eastern Mich. Edison Co., supplies	.60
Freeme Stark, salary .....	32.50	Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies .....	10.30
<b>Total salaries for 1-2 month of August .....</b>		Ann Arbor Taxicab Co., supplies, etc .....	37.37
<b>Poor Fund.</b>		Clyde C. Kerr, printing, etc. ....	15.55
J. H. Shadford, salary .....	\$ 35.00	Walker & Co., repairs .....	4.85
<b>Cemetery Fund.</b>		Smith Tire Repair Co., repairs....	1.75
Matthias Luippold, salary .....	\$ 45.00	<b>Total supplies, etc. ....</b>	
<b>Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.</b>		<b>Poor Fund.</b>	
John Wisner, salary .....	\$125.00	Theurer & Walker, supplies .....	\$ 6.15
Manley Osgood, salary .....	125.00	J. A. Brown, supplies .....	7.44
R. M. Caughey, salary .....	60.00	Bigalke & Reule, supplies .....	7.56
Julius Loehrke, salary .....	80.00	Schultz Bros., supplies .....	3.50
W. R. Drury, salary .....	85.00	R. A. Dolph, ambulance .....	2.00
<b>Total .....</b>		Polhemus Transfer Line, livery....	1.50
<b>Contingent Fund.</b>		E. W. Shadford, hauling wood ..	1.25
Eastern Mich. Edison Co., city hall and clock .....	\$ 38.60	<b>Total supplies, etc. ....</b>	
Washtenaw Gas Co., tar and pipe ..	.50	<b>Poor fund including salary .....</b>	
Michigan State Tel. Co., rental and tolls .....	62.47	<b>Dog License Fund.</b>	
McOmbler & Miner, insurance ....	24.00	John Traver, burial of dogs .....	\$ 2.00
Gauntlett & Sellman, insurance..	15.00	C. R. Davis, burial of dog .....	.50
Underwood Typewriter Co., desk ..	36.00	John W. Herrst, burial of horse..	5.00
Keuffel & Esser Co., supplies....	1.42	<b>Total .....</b>	
Eugene Dietzgen Co., supplies6...	1.87	<b>Street Lighting Fund.</b>	
J. P. Parsons, supplies .....	9.00	Eastern Mich. Edison Co., light...\$1,278.95	
Mayer-Schairer Co., supplies ....	24.85	<b>Park Fund.</b>	
The Times News Co., printing....	278.30	Ray E. Bassett, labor .....	\$ 24.00
Davis & Ohlinger, printing .....	5.75	Geo. Collins, team .....	42.00
James Jackson, cleaning vaults....	25.00	Wm. Edwards, labor .....	25.88
Edward Bros., services .....	1.20	James Hammel, labor .....	25.00
<b>Total supplies, etc. ....</b>		J. W. Markey, supt. ....	75.00
<b>Contingent fund including salaries .....</b>		J. W. O'Brien, labor .....	25.00
<b>Fire Fund.</b>		W. J. Randel, labor .....	25.00
Eastern Mich. Edison Co., light...\$	7.74	Walter Wickliffe, labor .....	23.63
Washtenaw Gas Co., light .....	6.30	<b>Total labor .....</b>	
C. H. Kittredge & Co., supplies..	21.40	<b>Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies .....</b>	
Paton & Scott, supplies .....	1.75	<b>Jno. C. Fischer Co., supplies....</b>	
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies .....	1.90	<b>Bailey &amp; Edmunds, repairs .....</b>	
Henry Denuc, hay .....	32.66	<b>Total supplies, etc. ....</b>	
Adolph Walter, hay .....	26.52	<b>Park fund total .....</b>	
U. of M. Athletic Asso., straw... 59.24		<b>Sprinkling Districts.</b>	
A. C. Hetsler, horseshoeing..... 1.60		John Gutekunst, No. 11 .....	\$253.80
<b>Total supplies, etc. ....</b>		No. 12 .....	124.00
<b>Fire fund including salaries .....</b>		No. 13 .....	125.10
<b>Police Fund.</b>		<b>Total .....</b>	
Marland Howard, special .....	\$ 2.25	<b>LABOR.</b>	
Michael Kenny, special .....	2.25		
Harry Saunders, special .....	2.25		

	PAY. No. 20.	PAY. No. 28.	PAY. No. 29.	PAY. No. 30.	Sidewalks.	B. C. & C. W.	Total.....
Don Beckler .....						5.11	5.11
A. Beltz .....		20.22					20.22
Howard Beltz .....						4.00	4.00
Harold Binder .....		2.00					2.00



Jake Braun					15.33	15.33
John Brough					.60	.60
Geo. Brown	20.25	6.75				27.00
Andrew Caughey	23.75		2.25		1.00	27.00
N. Charlan					13.50	13.50
Wm. Ciark	13.62	17.77				31.39
J. Dalgliesh					22.89	22.89
Siami DeGarro	19.25	2.25	2.25			23.75
C. S. Elmer					24.00	24.00
Ben Filippi	27.59		2.25			29.84
Frank Filippi	21.39	2.25	2.25			25.89
Paul Filippi	15.00	17.34				32.34
Dominick Gentil		2.00				2.00
Felix Gentil	11.25	12.75				24.00
J. F. Glosser					27.00	27.00
Wm. Graf					24.00	24.00
Geo. Greening					24.00	24.00
W. A. Grove					79.50	79.50
A. D. Groves	5.00	30.00				35.00
Chris Hanselmann			2.25	2.25	19.25	23.75
Edwin Henne		6.00				6.00
Max Hentz	11.25	12.75				24.00
Mike Hession					23.11	23.11
Geo. Higgins					24.00	24.00
Arthur Hoffman					12.89	12.89
Dudley Hoffman	19.25	2.25				21.50
H. L. Hudson					26.70	26.70
L. E. Hutchison	11.25	15.75				27.00
W. Hutchison			2.25		8.50	10.75
Wm. Isbell	13.50	12.75				26.25
Frank Jemis	7.25	14.25	2.25			23.75
Henry John	11.25	13.75				25.00
Geo. Johnson	3.06	9.73			16.38	29.17
Sam Kalmbach					24.00	24.00
Mat Koch	2.45	.75			12.89	22.89
Jim Koravias	19.25	2.25				21.50
Fred Kraus			2.25	2.25	12.25	16.75
Wm. Kuehn			2.50	2.78	21.11	26.39
Theo. Kurtz	11.25	12.13				23.38
Louis Levis	2.75	6.50			14.38	23.63
Mike Lewis		4.50			13.75	18.25
G. J. Mack					24.00	24.00
Alcide Maitre					13.50	13.50
James Mason		30.00		3.00		33.00
Joe Matsiga	12.50	14.17				26.67
Hugh McGuire	4.00	5.00	5.00			14.00
Fd. Metcalf	2.45	1.87			5.55	9.78
Geo. Miley					22.45	22.45
Victor Mullett		18.50		2.25		20.75
Albert Nimpz	11.25	6.00	2.25		4.50	24.00
Geo. Nunn	15.14	13.89				29.03
Frwin Overbeck	10.00	9.33				19.33
Harry Paras		21.50		2.25		23.75
Alex Perry	4.50	13.50				18.00
R. Pipp					6.00	6.00
John Poulos	11.25	6.75				18.00
Ernest Rapp					.89	.89
C. J. Rash					47.88	47.88
R. J. Raymond	6.63					6.63
Harvey Rettich	17.11	2.00				19.11
Andrew Reule	9.25	2.25			10.00	21.50
John Romasé	11.25	12.50				23.75
W. H. Romig			2.00		20.22	22.22
Andrew Root	11.25	14.75				26.00
Sam Rubino	21.88		2.25			24.13
Sando Rubino, Jr.	19.25	2.25	2.25			23.75
W. C. Russell					55.95	55.95
Mike Ryan	16.25	2.25		3.00		21.50
Lawrence Schmidt	11.25	12.75				24.00
A. G. Schneeberger					23.11	23.11
Oscar Schumaker	22.23			.89		23.22
Adam Seyfried	.78				16.33	17.11
Walter Seyler	23.06			1.39		24.45
Anth. Sicas	19.25					19.25

Sam Sisto	14.75					14.75
Geo. Smith	2.88	9.00			14.25	26.13
Much. Soldatis		21.50		2.25		23.75
Adam Stoll		25.00		2.50		27.50
J. E. Summer			2.50			2.50
Geo. Thomas		6.00			3.00	9.00
John Thomas					26.00	26.00
Fred Ulrich					36.00	36.00
F. R. Ulrich		6.42				6.42
Martin Walsh	11.25		13.75			25.00
Chris. Walz					8.33	8.33
Mike Weidman		7.78			13.11	20.89
R. S. White					15.13	15.13
C. M. Williams					39.15	39.15
John Williamson					27.00	27.00
Elmer Wisner		25.50		1.00	1.63	28.13
Geo. Wisner	14.03		17.50			31.53
Chas. Youngbauer					18.22	18.22
Joe Youngbauer		9.50			12.25	21.75
Herman Zulz		12.00				12.00

**TEAM.**

Benz Bros.	33.60*		36.80*			70.40
W. J. Bird				4.50	2.00	6.50
Lu Bucholz	5.50	5.75			42.75	54.00
E. S. Dunbar	19.55*	4.50		6.00	23.00	53.05
S. A. Elsifor					5.40	5.40
Dan Finkbeiner		32.20*	13.80*			46.00
Ernest Forsyth	11.50	31.00			61.50	104.00
F. G. Hanselmann	1.50	6.50	6.00	33.50	6.50	54.00
David Henning	21.50	3.00	23.25		4.75	52.50
F. D. Hiscock	4.25	7.00	8.75		11.50	31.50
John U. Huber					34.67	34.67
Chris Koch		9.00		4.50		13.50
John McHugh			1.00	19.50	33.50	54.00
John Moore	22.40*	39.10*	83.95*		*2.80	148.25
C. F. Niethammer	12.75	13.25	1.00	4.50	10.25	41.75
H. C. Perkins	21.00*		16.10*			37.10
Roy Perkins	12.00*	*4.60	8.50*	4.50	9.00	42.75
Oscar Reiff	1.00	38.25	1.50	4.50	4.50	52.75
Ray Rowe			27.60*		.50	28.10
Geo. Schaible					36.00	36.00
Walter Schneider	14.00*	100.05*	8.05*	9.00		131.10
W. H. Seeley	24.05*	46.00*	54.05*			124.10
Julius Zahn	11.20*	17.25*				28.45

Totals ..... 505.66 915.82601.7822.50120.921,221.103,396.78

\*Gravel.

<b>Bridge, Culvert and Sidewalk Fund.</b>		labor and salaries	\$2,232.94
Footo Manufacturing Co., supplies	\$ 45.72	<b>Labor Acct. Paving Dist. No. 20.</b>	
The Carey Co., supplies	27.20	G. F. Allmendinger, Agt., gravel	\$ 3.00
W. L. McCullough Co., supplies	144.55	Jos. K. Clinton, gravel	.50
W. H. L. Robde, supplies	48.91	<b>Total gravel</b>	<b>\$ 3.50</b>
Albert Lutz, supplies	4.50	<b>Total including labor</b>	<b>\$509.16</b>
Koch Bros., supplies	13.31	<b>Labor Acct. Paving Dist. No. 28.</b>	
Schrmacher Hardware Co., supplies	17.60	C. A. Sauer & Co., supplies	\$ 23.80
Christian Schlenker, supplies	52.88	Hertler Bros., supplies	18.15
Standard Oil Co., oil	5.75	<b>Total supplies</b>	<b>\$ 41.95</b>
Michigan Milling Co., oats	47.00	<b>Total including labor</b>	<b>\$957.77</b>
August F. Sutter, repairs, etc.	20.40	<b>Labor. Acc. Paving Dist. No. 29.</b>	
Hutzel & Co., repairs, etc.	1.73	C. A. Sauer & Co., supplies	\$ 3.00
Cus Vogel, repairs, etc.	.45	Hutzel & Co., supplies	3.92
Ann Arbor Garage, repairs, etc.	.48	Jos. K. Clinton, gravel	1.25
Ann Arbor Machine Co., repairs, etc.	8.40	<b>Total supplies</b>	<b>\$ 8.17</b>
Manley Osgood, expenses paid	1.50	<b>Total including labor</b>	<b>609.95</b>
Michigan Central Railroad Co., freight	96.46	<b>Recapitulation.</b>	
<b>Total supplies, etc.</b>	<b>\$536.84</b>	Contingent fund	\$1,512.28

Bridge, Cul. and C. W., including

Fire .....	833.27
Police .....	416.94
Poor .....	64.40
Cemetery .....	45.00
Dog license .....	7.50
St. Lighting .....	1,278.95
Park .....	270.79
Sidewalk .....	129.92
Bridge, Cul. and Crosswalks ....	2,232.94

Total City funds .....\$3,791.99

**Paving Funds.**

Labor acc. Dist. No. 20.....	509.16
Labor acc. Dist. No. 28.....	957.77
Labor acc. Dist. No. 29.....	609.95
Labor acc. Dist. No. 30.....	22.50

Total Paving funds .....\$2,099.38

**Sprinkling Funds.**

Dist. No. 11 .....	253.80
Dist. No. 12 .....	124.00
Dist. No. 13 .....	125.10

Total Sprinkling funds .....\$ 502.90

Grand total .....\$9,394.27

Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 2, 1913.

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.

ROSS GRANGER, City Clerk.

To the Honorable, the Common Council.

Gentlemen—Your Finance committee have reviewed the foregoing report of the City Clerk and recommend that same be approved and that warrants be ordered drawn for the foregoing accounts.

GEORGE LUTZ, ALBERT FIEGEL,

THEO. PROCHNOW, Finance Committee.

Ald. George Lutz moved the adoption of the report.

Adopted as follows: Yeas. Ald. Schultz, Fiegel, Hanselmann, Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, Rash, Groves, Lutz, Sink, Pres. Schmid, 15. Nays, none.

**Engineer's Estimates.**

Balance due C. M. Thompson & Son for curbing in Paving Dist. No. 20, \$317.73.

Balance due M. G. Richmond for curbing in Paving Dist. No. 28, \$164.71.

Balance due M. G. Richmond for curbing in Paving Dist. No. 29, \$71.66.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 2, 1913.

To the Hon. Common Council: Sirs

—I present the following estimate of the amount due Mr. E. L. Schneider, for work completed on East Summit st., Sanitary Sewer Dist. No. 51 and recommend the payment of the same.

4 manholes at \$32.00 .....	\$128.00
41 8 inch branches at 60c..	24.60
1200 lin. ft. of 8 inch sewer tile at 17c .....	204.00

440 lin ft. excavation 6 to 8 ft. deep at 40c .....	176.00
855 lin. ft. excavation 8 to 10 ft. deep at 52c .....	444.60

Total .....\$977.20  
 Less 10 percent retained ..... 97.72  
 Amount now due contractor ..\$879.48  
 Respectfully submitted, Manley Os-

good, City Engineer.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 2, 1913.

To the Hon. Common Council: Sirs—  
 I present the following final estimate of the cost of the sanitary sewer on Hiscock st. between Miner st. and Fountain st., District No. 52, and recommend the payment of the amount now due to Mr. E. L. Schneider, the contractor.

372 lin. ft. of excavation at 42c .....	\$156.24
16 8 inch branches at 60c....	9.60
346 lin. ft. of 8 inch sewer tile at 17c .....	58.82
1 4 inch bend at 20c .....	.20
4 4 inch tile at 9c .....	.36
Flush tank .....	60.00
Lighthole cover .....	3.50

Total .....\$288.72  
 Less 5 percent retained for one year .....

14.44  
 Amount now due contractor ..\$274.28  
 Respectfully submitted, Manley Os-

good, City Engineer.

Ald. George Lutz moved that the foregoing estimates be allowed and warrants ordered drawn for amounts now due.

Adopted as follows: Yeas. Ald. Schultz, Fiegel, Hanselmann, Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, Rash, Groves, Lutz, Sink, Pres. Schmid, 15. Nays, none.

**Ordinance Committee.**

Ald. Schultz presented an ordinance entitled "An ordinance relative to naming streets," which was given its first reading by title, passed to and given its second reading, and referred to the ordinance committee by unanimous vote, 15.

**Sidewalk Committee.**

To the Council: Gentlemen—Your sidewalk committee have had the following matters under consideration and recommend that the engineer present proper grade resolutions and sidewalks be ordered built on both sides of Martin Place in front of all property where there is not now good walks, and also on East Huron st. between Glen av. and 14th st.

Chas. Rush, Chairman of Sidewalk Committee.

Ald. Rash moved the adoption of the report.



Adopted as follows: Yeas. Ald. Schultz, Fiegel, Hanselmann, Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, Rash, Groves, Lutz, Sink, Pres. Schmid, 15. Nays, none.

#### Special Committees.

Ald Schultz presented the following as a report of the special committee to secure lowest price on water plant: Ann Arbor, Michigan, Aug. —, 1913. To Aldermen Schultz, Pipp and Groves, as a committee representing the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Gentlemen—We have your communication of August 19th, 1913, reading as follows:

Ann Arbor, Michigan, August 19th, 1913.

Ann Arbor Water Co., Ann Arbor, Mich:

Gentlemen:—At a regular meeting of the common council of this city, held August 18th, 1913, the undersigned were appointed a committee to confer with your company and secure your lowest price for the plant you now own, you to furnish and prepare the bonds which the city will issue and accept them as payment for the plant. These bonds will draw four per cent annual interest.

It is understood that you are to furnish detailed inventory of all property and merchantable titles together with abstracts of all real estate at earliest possible date.

This committee is anxious to have an answer as soon as convenient, inasmuch as it is desired to place the proposition before the people without further delay.

(Signed): William Schultz, E. W. Groves, Henry G. Pipp.

That pursuant to a resolution passed by the board of directors of this company on the 25th day of August, 1913, we hereby make the following offer, and should it be accepted by the common council and by a proper vote of the people, at an election to be held for that purpose, this company will execute and deliver to the city a good and sufficient conveyance of all its real estate and interest in real estate, including chattels real situate in the city of Ann Arbor and in the township of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw county, Michigan, owned or possessed by it, to the extent of its interest therein, and all of the corporal personal property of every kind and nature, belonging to the said Ann Arbor

Water company and actually being used by it or subject to use by it in supplying the city of Ann Arbor and the inhabitants thereof with water. (Except unused fuel and unlaid water pipe and pipe connections and supplies and cash on hand.) And all franchises, licenses, contracts, easements, privileges and incorporeal rights of every kind and nature, except such bills and accounts receivable as said company shall possess on the day of sale.

That hereto attached and marked Exhibit A is a full and complete description of the real estate owned by this company, and if this offer is accepted by a vote of the people, the company will within 20 days thereafter obtain and furnish to the city complete abstracts showing marketable title thereto.

Interest on the bonds of this company are due and payable on the first days of February and August of each year, and those bonds are subject to call on these dates by giving proper notice of the intention to pay them at that time.

The company hereby offers to sell all of its property to the city for the sum of \$450,000, and accept in payment therefor the four per cent bonds of the city, interest to be payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August of each year, transfer of property to be made and accounts adjusted as of August 1st, next, bonds to be due and payable at the office of the city treasurer of the city of Ann Arbor, in from one to 20 years, as the common council shall direct.

In adjusting accounts on the day of transfer, this company is to pay the city, the city taxes for the year 1914, and the city is to pay in cash the actual value of such fuel, unlaid water pipes and unused supplies as the company shall then have on hand.

If the city decides to purchase the property, the company will immediately thereafter commence the work of making the additions and extensions to the present mains as the common council shall order, and will continue to make such extensions and additions until the day of transfer, the city at that time to pay the company in cash the actual cost of such extensions and additions.

This company does not care to undertake the preparation and the printing of the bonds that the city is to issue in payment for this prop-



erty, but is willing to confer with the legal representatives of the city in reference to the proceedings that the common council should take in connection with said bond issue.

If there is anything in this answer that is not clear to your committee or to the common council, we think that the same can be readily cleared up by a conference between the representatives of the city and those of this company. This option to be in force until January 1st, 1914.

Respectfully, Ann Arbor Water Company. By J. F. Lawrence, President.

#### EXHIBIT A.

##### FIRST PARCEL. Being Pumping Station Number One.

“That portion of the southwest fractional quarter of the northwest fractional quarter of section number seventeen, town two south, range six east, lying on the southwest side of the Michigan Central Railroad track, described as follows: Commencing at the point where the quarter line intersects the center line of the Michigan Central Railroad track; thence west along said section line, twelve hundred and thirty-one feet; thence north ten and one-half degrees east along the east line of the ditch, ten chains and eighty links; thence north forty-two and one-half degrees east along the east line of the ditch four chains and seven links to the center of the railroad track; thence southeasterly along the center line of said railroad track, twelve hundred and ninety-eight feet to the place of beginning, containing twelve and one-fourth acres, except the right-of-way of the Michigan Central Railroad and reserving to Harvey and Henry Cornwell, their heirs or assigns, the right-of-way over said land.

Also, a right-of-way one rod wide over and across the southwest quarter of section seventeen, town two south, range six east, starting from a point nine feet east of the southwest corner of section seventeen; thence north twenty-nine degrees and forty-three minutes east, twelve hundred and sixty-three feet; thence deflecting twelve degrees and fifty minutes west and running five hundred and eighty-seven feet to the line between Mrs. Bird's farm and the old railroad, which line continued on the same course ten hundred and eighty-one and one-half feet will intersect the east and west quarter section line at a point eleven hundred and three feet east of the quarter stake and four hundred and seventy-nine feet from the middle of the Michigan Central Railroad track, said right-of-way to be used for the purpose of laying one or more lines of water pipes and maintain the same by said Ann Arbor Water company or its successors.

Also that part of the southwest frac-

tional quarter of section number seventeen, town two south range six east, commencing at a point where the east and west quarter line of said section intersects the center line of the Michigan Central right-of-way; thence west along said quarter line ten rods; thence southeasterly parallel with the Michigan Central Railroad track to the west bank of the Huron river; thence northeasterly along said bank to the center of the railroad right-of-way; thence northwesterly along the center line of said right-of-way to the place of beginning, excepting and reserving a right-of-way to pass and re-pass over said land with teams and to continue the fence along the southern part of said lands to the railroad; also excepting and reserving all rights of flowage.

Also the exclusive privilege of ingress and egress for the purpose of sinking and driving wells and laying and maintaining pipes to and from the same in and upon the following described land: A piece of land on section seventeen of said township of Ann Arbor, bounded on the north by the highway running east and west across the west half of said section, on the east by the Huron river; on the west by the old railroad grade, running southward from said highway three hundred feet and on the south by a line drawn from said grade at a point three hundred feet south from said highway east to the Huron river, all in town two south, range six east.

##### SECOND PARCEL. Being the Reservoir.

“Commencing at a point on the section line between sections nineteen and twenty town two south, range six east, nine hundred and forty-five feet north of the quarter post; thence west at right angles with said section line three hundred and fifty feet; thence north parallel to said section line five hundred feet to the J. Hiscock road; thence east along said road to the section line; thence south along said section line to the place of beginning, containing four acres of land; also the right-of-way twelve feet in width over and across the north part of the northwest quarter of section twenty in said township of Ann Arbor, commencing at the J. Hiscock road and running thence north along the east side of the section line to the north along the east side of the section line to the south line of section seventeen, said right-of-way to be for the purpose of laying and maintaining water pipes and also for a road-way to cross or pass from the reservoir to the pumping works.

##### THIRD PARCEL. Being Pumping Station Number Two.

“Commencing at a point in the east and west quarter line of section number thirty, town two south, range six east, ten chains and fourteen links west of the east quarter post; thence east on said quarter line seven chains and sixty-four links; thence north four hundred and fifty-four and 27-100 feet; thence

east two chains and fifty links to the east line of said section; thence south on said east line of section, ninety-eight feet; thence east one hundred and thirty-two and 41-100 feet; thence south three hundred and seventy-one and 45-100 feet; thence west one hundred and thirty-two and 84-100 feet to said east line of section thirty; thence south eighty-eight and 95-100 feet; thence deflecting to the left at an angle of one hundred and twenty-nine degrees, fifty minutes and thirty seconds three hundred eighty-six and 46-100 feet; thence deflecting to the left at an angle of one hundred and fifty-four degrees thirty-one minutes and forty-five seconds, sixty-five and 50-100 feet; thence deflecting to the left at an angle of one hundred and ninety-five degrees, forty-six minutes and thirty seconds, seventy-three feet; thence deflecting to the left at an angle of one hundred and sixty-five degrees, thirty-nine minutes and fifteen seconds, sixty-nine and 88-100 feet; thence deflecting to the left at an angle of two hundred and fifty-two degrees, forty-six minutes, thirty-seven and 3-100 feet; thence deflecting to the left at an angle of one hundred and four degrees, fifty-eight minutes and thirty seconds, one hundred and eighty-three and 45-100 feet; thence north parallel to the east line of said section, four hundred and ninety-four and 67-100 feet to the place of beginning, being a part of the east half of the northeast quarter and the east half of the southeast quarter of section thirty, and a part of the west half of the north west quarter and of the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-nine, town two south, range six east.

Also certain water rights and privileges on the following described lands: Commencing at a point on the east and west quarter line of section number thirty, town two south, range six east, seven chains and fifty links from the east quarter post and at the northwest corner of a lot of land sold by Eber White to Fitch Hill; thence west along the quarter line eighteen chains and seventy-five links to a stake from which a hickory tree bears south forty degrees west thirty and one-half links; also east thirty-one links; thence south parallel to the east section line, thirteen chains and fifty-three links to the center of the Eber White road; thence north seventy-three degrees east along the center of said road nineteen chains and forty-five links; thence north along a line parallel to the east section line eight chains and forty-two links to the place of beginning, excepting six acres of land on the east side thereof heretofore conveyed to John Rauschenberger, John Koch and George Laubengayer, respectively, the lands hereby conveyed being fourteen and 57-100 acres. Said Charles Buehler and wife hereby conveying to said Ann Arbor Water company, its successors or assigns the right to enter upon said premises and by any means to take

and convey all the water thereon to the land of the said Ann Arbor Water company, also the right to put down drive wells on said premises and conveying water therefrom to the premises of the Ann Arbor Water company in such way and manner as said water company may see fit, and the right to lay tile or pipe to any springs on said premises, according to a deed from Charles Buehler and wife to the Ann Arbor Water company as recorded in liber 162 of deeds, page 247.

Also the right and privilege to lay an iron pipe and a crock tile by the said thereof within three hundred feet of the creek running through the premises of Mary L. Crookston, fronting on West Liberty street one hundred and ten feet and running northerly thirty-five rods and upwards, said creek being the stream of water running to what was formerly known as the Rauschenberger Furniture Factory. Said Ann Arbor Water company agrees to furnish said Mary L. Crookston water for domestic use in the house now owned by her on West Huron street as long as she or her husband, B. G. Crookston, or their daughter, Margery, shall own said premises.

Also the south six hundred and sixteen feet of the following described land:—The east five chains wide of that part of the east half of the north east quarter of section thirty, town two south, range six east, south of Huron street, excepting such part as has been heretofore sold and deeded by George W. Allen, deceased, to Sylvia Isbell and John Rauschenberger said above description containing four and 27-100 acres of land. Excepting from this conveyance also three lots off from the north end thereof heretofore deeded by Delevan E. Doane, one to William Robison and two to Miles H. Winans, each of said lots being four by eight rods.

Also part of the south east quarter of section thirty, town two south, range six east beginning on the east and west quarter line, eleven chains and seventy-three and one-half links west of the quarter stake between sections twenty-nine and thirty; thence south one degree east along the west line of land deeded by Jacob Beck to John Koch about four hundred feet to a point that is fourteen rods and five feet north of the center line of the Eber White road, now Liberty street, and to the north east corner of land now owned by Wiedmayer; thence west along said Wiedmayer's north line continued two chains and two links; thence north one degree west four hundred feet and to the east and west quarter line of said section; thence east along said quarter line two chains and two links to the place of beginning.

Also the right and privilege of entering upon all that part of the land described in a deed from Martha P. Gott to William J. Herdman recorded in lib 114 of deeds page 109, lying south of Washington street, for the purpose of driving wells thereon and of taking water from

said wells by means of underground piping through and across said lands to the adjoining properties and of maintaining in order and repair said wells and piping, according to a deed from William J. Herdman and wife to the Ann Arbor Water Company as recorded in liber 142 of deeds page 195.

Also four rods off from the east side of lot number eighty two and a strip of land off from the east side of lot number sixty-nine, four rods wide and eight rods long north and south, commencing at the north end of lot sixty-nine in Samuel P. Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor, excepting a right of way heretofore reserved ten feet wide on the south end of the last described strip of land.

Also lots number sixty-four, seventy, sixty-seven and sixty-eight and all of lots sixty-five and sixty-six, except such parts as have been heretofore deeded and conveyed to Jacob Werner and Christian Helber, all in Samuel P. Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor and all the water rights and privileges therein or thereto appertaining.

Also that part of lot number sixty-five in Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor lying south of a line drawn across said lot, four rods from the south line thereof and parallel with said south line and north of lands heretofore deeded to said Water Company together with all water rights.

Also that part of lot number sixty-six of Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor lying south of line drawn across said lot four rods from the south line thereof and parallel with said south line and north of lands heretofore deeded to said Water Company together with all water rights.

Also the right to enter upon the following described lands:—lot number eighty-four and the east thirty-three feet of lot number eighty-six of Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor commencing at the north east corner of said lot eighty-six; thence west thirty-three feet; thence south parallel with the east line of said lot eighty-six to the south line of said lot; thence east thirty-three feet; thence north to the place of beginning, and put down drive wells, lay pipes from said wells underground for the purpose of taking water from said wells and conducting the same to the pumping stations of said Ann Arbor Water Company; also the right to lay pipes across said land underground for the purpose of conducting water from any place or places said Ann Arbor Water Company may see fit. It is understood that said Ann Arbor Water Company shall do no unnecessary damage in digging trenches or laying pipes and shall restore the surface of the ground to the condition in which it was found as far as possible and do no injury to any buildings that may be on the same.

Also the right and privilege of entering upon the following described lands:—Lots number thirty-two, thirty-four, eighty-three, eighty-five and eighty-six

in Samuel P. Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor for the purpose of driving wells thereon and of taking water from said wells by means of underground piping through and across said lands to lands of said Ann Arbor Water Company and maintaining in order and repair said wells and piping. Pipes to be laid at such depth as will not interfere with the full use and enjoyment of said premises. All labor, except that of necessary repairing to be done as such time and in such manner as will not interfere with gardening or building operations upon said premises. Ground to be left in as good condition as before entering thereon. Said Mathias Lutz reserves the right in case of erection of dwelling houses on any or all of the above lots to put down one well for each dwelling house thereon according to deed from Mathias Lutz to the Ann Arbor Water Company recorded in liber 142 page 196.

Also the north two rods in width of the following described parcel of land:—Commencing on the line of the street called Jewett avenue or Seventh street at the northwest corner of lot seventy-two of S. P. Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor; thence north on the line of said street to the center of a creek and on a line with the center of tunnel crossing said Jewett Avenue; thence east parallel with the north line of said lot seventy-two to land owned by the heirs of Steele Mulholland, deceased, thence south on the line of said Mulholland's land to the northeast corner of lot seventy-two; thence west on the line of lot seventy-two to the place of beginning.

Also lots thirty-six, thirty-seven, thirty-eight and thirty-nine of Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor

Also lots eighty-three, eighty-five and the west six rods of lot eighty-six of Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor.

Also lot eighty-one and a strip of land between the east line of said lot eighty-one and the west line of land owned by the Ann Arbor Water Company on lot eighty-two, hereby releasing and surrendering all rights of way on said lot eighty-two Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor.

Also the strip of land lying between the east line of lot sixty-eight and the west line of land owned by the Ann Arbor Water Company on lot sixty-nine of Jewett's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor, hereby releasing and surrendering all rights of way on lot sixty-nine of said Addition.

**FOURTH PARCEL.** Being the Stand-Pipe in the Eastern Part of the City.

Lots number nine, ten and eleven in block number two of J. S. Baldwin's Eastern Addition to the City of Ann Arbor.

Also lots number three and ten and the west half of lots number two and eleven of block number four of J. D. Baldwin's Eastern Addition to the City of Ann Arbor.



Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 30th, 1913.

To Aldermen Schultz, Pipp and Groves, representing the Honorable Mayor and the Common Council of the city of Ann Arbor: Gentlemen—We hereby acknowledge receipt of copy of motion passed by the committee of the whole of the common council of the city of Ann Arbor on August 27th, last, in reference to the purchase of the property of the Ann Arbor Water company, said motion reading as follows:

“Moved by Alderman Lutz, that the matter be referred back to the committee and have them confer with water company again, and make known to it that it is the sense of the council, acting as a committee of the whole, that the city get possession of the plant, in case it purchases same, on February 1st, 1914, instead of August 1st, 1914; and that the plant be kept in as good repair by the company as of the date of purchase; and that the company furnish inventory of all unlaid pipe and unused supplies on hand on or before October 1st, 1913.”

And pursuant to a resolution of our board of directors, passed on this date, we make the following reply:

That if the city shall decide to purchase our property, we will keep and maintain it, between the date of purchase and the date of transfer in as good condition of repair as it is at the present time, without extra cost to the city. That we will furnish you between this date and October first next, a complete inventory of the unlaid water pipe, pipe connections and supplies that we will expect the city to take over and pay for, provided same has not been used before the date of transfer, or we will leave it optional with the city as to whether it purchases the unlaid water pipe and pipe connections or not. We shall want it understood, however, that the city will purchase at actual value, all unused fuel and pumping station supplies that he have on hand at the date of transfer, the company hereby agreeing that it will not then have on hand more than the normal supply of such material.

We also desire to assure your committee and the common council, that the present property of the company, which is hereby offered to the city, not only consists of all the property inventoried and appraised by Prof. Williams, but all of the property that has been added to the plant subsequent to the date of his report, except such as may have been

used in the operation and maintenance of the plant.

We also agree to accede to the wishes of the council and make the transfer as of February 1st, 1914, settlement to be made and accounts adjusted as of that date. The company to accept the bonds of the city in the sum of four hundred and fifty thousand dollars, with interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August of each year, said bonds to be due and payable at the office of the city treasurer of the city of Ann Arbor in from one to twenty years, as the common council shall direct.

This offer to accept bonds in payment for the property, is of course contingent upon the bonds being legally issued, that is to say, all proceedings to acquire the utility and issue the bonds must strictly conform to our present state constitution and the statutes controlling the matter.

Exhibit A attached to our former answer should be corrected so as to describe the property occupied by the stand pipe in the eastern part of the city as lots nine, ten and eleven, in block two of J. D. Baldwin's Eastern addition to the city of Ann Arbor.

Respectfully submitted, The Ann Arbor Water company, by J. F. Lawrence, President.

By Ald. Schultz: Whereas, at a regular meeting of the Common Council, held July 18, 1913, a committee, composed of William H. Schultz, Henry G. Pipp and Edwin W. Groves, was appointed to confer with the Ann Arbor Water company and procure the lowest possible price on its plant, and

Whereas, the Ann Arbor Water company, in a communication of August 25th, 1913, supplemented by a communication of August 30, 1913, through its president, J. F. Lawrence, made an offer to sell all of its property to the city of Ann Arbor for the sum of four hundred fifty thousand dollars, and take in payment therefor the four per cent bonds of the city, interest to be payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August of each year, transfer of property to be made and accounts adjusted as of February 1, next, bonds to be due and payable at the office of the city treasurer of the city of Ann Arbor, in from one to twenty years as the Com-



(1st and William; Packard east of Granger; Tshley and Kingsley, sidewalk Broadway bet. bridges; Elizabeth and Fuller; Falch and Ashley; Olivia and Wells; Jefferson and Maynard; 5th ave. and Madison; Geddes and Linden; Jefferson and Thompson.)  
 Filling Oswego street, labor .... 194.05  
 Cleaning culvert Hill and Division, labor ..... 4.75  
 West Liberty street paving No. 23, labor acct. .... 4,351.22  
 West Huron street, paving No. 29, labor acct. .... 1,536.64  
 Total .....\$8,831.55  
 Respectfully submitted, J. WISNER, Street Commissioner.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 30, 1913.  
 Ross Granger, Esq., City Clerk: Dear Sir—The following is a statement of the number of brick taken out when old crosswalks were torn up, and how employed—

Crosswalks taken out—	No. of brick
First and Huron, 4 crosswalks; Chapin and Huron, 3; Huron and 7th, 3; 8th, 1; 9th, 1.....	7,200
Liberty and 1st, 4 crosswalks; 2d, 1; 3d, 4; 4th, 3; 5th, 3; 7th, 4; 8th 1 .....	12,000
Total .....	19,200
Used as follows—	
6 new (wide) crosswalks built—Walnut and Mack rd.; Pearl, Miner; 5th ave. Hill; Madison, 5th; Madison, 7th; Oswego, Geddes.....	5,700
Laying pavements to match with new paving at intersections—Huron and 1st, N. and S. sides; Huron and Chapin; Huron and 7th, N. side; Huron at Forks, N. side .....	1,800
Liberty and 1st, N. and S. sides; Liberty and 3d; Liberty and 4th; Liberty and 7th, N. and S. sides; Liberty and 8th (1-2 intersect.) Liberty at end paving, S. side .....	3,750
Oswego and Geddes; Myrtle (Hill) and Oswego .....	1,000
Building manholes W. Liberty street, storm sewer....	5,500
Building manholes W. Huron street, storm sewer...	5,000
Total .....	10,500
Less brick bought from Rohde .....	5,550—5,910
Total .....	19,200

Very respectfully, J. WISNER, Street Commissioner.

To the council: Gentlemen—I respectfully submit this and ask that it be published with council proceedings.  
 ROSS GRANGER, City Clerk.

**City Attorney's Report on Dieterle Property.**

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—The communication received from A. Dieterle, un-

der date of August 4th, 1913, relative to the change of grade at corner of W. Liberty and First sts. and referred to me by your Honorable Body at your adjourned meeting of August 14th, 1913, has been carefully considered by me and I find that there is no legal liability on the part of the City for any damage done by the change of the grade, since there has been no trespass nor no taking of property in making the change. In establishing or changing the grade of a street the Council exercises legislative power and authority, and the City is not liable for any damage to the lot owner resulting therefrom.

Respectfully submitted, Frank B. Devine, City Attorney.

Ordered on file. Moved by Ald. Groves, that matter of change of grade at corner of Liberty and First sts. and communication from A. Dieterle be referred to the street and sidewalk committees for further investigation. Adopted.

By Ald. Hubbard: Resolved, that the Poor Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized to purchase a car of soft coal for city poor.

Moved by Ald. Groves, that resolution be amended to read city clerk in place of poor commissioner. Adopted.

Original resolution, as amended, adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schultz, Fiegel, Hanselmann, Lutz, Prochnow, Koernke, Pipp, Flynn, Sherk, Hubbard, Rash, Groves, Lutz, Sink, Pres. Schmid, 15. Nays, none.

Moved by Ald. Sherk, that City Engineer furnish plans, specifications and estimate of cost for cement sidewalk on the east side of Broadway from the river bridge to the railroad bridge and present same at next meeting of the council. Adopted.

By Ald. Groves: Resolved, that the ordinance committee be requested to prepare an ordinance to amend the sidewalk ordinance so as to prohibit construction of tar sidewalks within the city of Ann Arbor. Adopted by unanimous vote.

By Ald. Prochnow: Resolved, that the petitioners on West Huron st. be assured that it is the sense of the council that the Detroit, Jackson and Chicago Railway Company be compelled to pave their part of West Huron st. according to the franchise granting the said railway company use of West Huron st. from Main st. to Jackson av. and the city limits. Adopted by unanimous vote, 15.