

COUNCIL CHAMBER. }  
Ann Arbor, Oct. 18th, 1897. }

Regular Session.

Called to order by Glen V. Mills,  
City Clerk.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent, Ald. Sweet, Brown, Coon,  
Pres. Luick.

Ald. Moore moved that Ald. Cady  
act as President pro tem.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR.

To the Honorable, the Common Council  
of the City of Ann Arbor.

Gentlemen:—I hereby appoint Mar-  
tin Clark special policeman without  
cost to the city, to serve in connection  
with his duties as truant officer of this  
district.

Very respectfully,  
Chas. E. Hiscock,  
Mayor.

Filed October 7th, 1897.

Glen V. Mills,  
City Clerk.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Common Council.

The Board of Public Works would  
recommend that the contract for con-  
structing the building back of the  
Engine House, be let to Wm. Copeland  
& Son, at \$957, they being the lowest  
bidders, and that the bond be fixed at  
\$1000.

Respectfully submitted,  
Glen V. Mills,

Clerk of the Board of Public Works.

Ald. Moore moved that the Council  
concur in the recommendation of the  
Board.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Moore, Hamilton, Gross-  
man, Koch, Dell, Vandawarker, Rhodes,  
Spathelf, Soule, Danforth, Cady,—11

Nays—None.

BIDS FOR SEWER BONDS IN LATERAL SEWER  
DISTRICT NO 6.

Farmers and Mechan- ics Bank on whole issue, Ann Arbor, Mich.....	\$200.00 premium.
The State Savings Bank on whole issue Ann Arbor, Mich....	1.05 per cent per year
Ann Arbor Savings Bank on whole issue Ann Arbor, Mich....	150.00 premium.
Farson Leach & Co., on whole issue Chi- cago, Ill.....	5.00 premium
S. A. Kean on whole issue Chicago, Ill....	100.50
W. J. Hayes and Sons on whole issue Chi- cago, Ill.....	1 per cent per year
City to pay \$125.00 for blanks	

J. W. Knight on \$2000 Ann Arbor, Mich.....	5.00 premium
Miss L. Kress on \$1000 4 year bonds Ann Arbor, Mich.....	10 00

Ald. Koch moved that the bids be  
referred to the Finance Committee.

Adopted.

A petition signed by B. A. Hinsdale  
and 16 others asking for an electric  
light on Washtenaw Ave. was read and  
referred to the Lighting Committee.

A petition signed by D. A. Tinker  
and 18 others asking for a fire hydrant  
at the corner of Church and Willard  
streets was read and referred to the  
Water Committee.

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ENGINEER'S SEVENTH ESTIMATE.

Lateral Sewer Dist. No. 6,

Pipe.....	756 ft @ 5c per ft	} \$ 244 70
	1130 " 11c "	
	590 " 14c "	

Excav. and

Bk. fill.. 100 ft @ 10c per ft

325 " 12c "	} \$ 722 94
732 " 23c "	
923 " 31c "	
66 " 40c "	
165 " 52c "	
165 " 65c "	

Manholes, 4 @ \$25.00 each... 100 00

Flushtanks, 3 @ \$54.00 each... 162 00

Lampholes, 1 @ \$ 5.00 each... 5 00

Total Estimate.....\$1234 64

Less 10 per cent per contract 123 46

Am't due contractor ..... \$1111 18

Geo. F. Key, City Eng.

Ald. Koch moved that Rule 21 be  
suspended for this session. Adopted.

Ald. Koch moved that the bill of  
Schneider Bros. be allowed.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Moore, Hamilton, Gross-  
man, Koch, Dell, Vandawarker, Rhodes  
Spathelf, Soule, Danforth, Cady—11.

Nays—None.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

ORDINANCE.

Chairman Cady presented an  
ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Rel-  
ative to Livery, Feed and other Barns"  
which was given its second reading by  
sections.

STREETS.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Streets would  
recommend that Christian Brenner be  
permitted to build a hay scales in front

of his property on Ashley street, the same not to extend beyond the curb line, and further your Committee would recommend that Ashley street be graveled for six rods south from Liberty street and that \$10 be appropriated to grade the gutter on the north side of Washington street west of the Ann Arbor Railroad.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. L. Moore.  
Harrison Soule.  
Michael Grossman,  
G. C. Rhodes,  
C. H. Cady,  
J. A. Dell,  
Arthur Brown,  
Committee on Streets.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Moore, Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Danforth, Cady—12.

Nays—None.

#### SIDEWALKS

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Sidewalks would recommend that the grade on Arbor st. be changed and herewith submit the proper resolution fixing and establishing the same.

And further your Committee would recommend that a brick crosswalk be ordered built on the north side of Liberty across First. (Built diagonally).

Also that the following plank crosswalks be laid:

On the east side of Pontiac st. across Plum.

On the east side of Pontiac st. across Apple.

Also that the cement crossing on the north side of William st. across Main st. be repaired.

And further that the stone approach at the northwest corner of State and William sts. be replaced with cement.

And that the following crossing be repaired with tar:

On the east side of Detroit across Fuller.

And further that the Street Commissioner be instructed to do the necessary grading for the new walks on the east side of Detroit st.

Your Committee would also recommend that Mack & Co. be ordered to build a plank sidewalk on the west side of First st. in front of their property known as the wool house.

Respectfully submitted,  
F. M. Hamilton,

John Koch,  
Frank Vandawarker,  
George Spathelf, Jr.,  
H. P. Danforth,  
Committee on Sidewalks.

Ald. Moore moved that the portion relative to a diagonal walk be voted on separately.

Adopted.

Whereupon the report was adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Moore, Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Danforth, Cady—12.

Nays—None.

The following sidewalks be repaired:

West Fifth st. in front of following property: 510, 515, 516, 520, 521, and on S. First st. in front of 400, also in front of Julius Krueger's, and new sidewalk be ordered built in front of Julius Radke's property.

#### SIDEWALK GRADE RESOLUTION.

By Alderman Hamilton:

Whereas, it is the opinion of the Council that the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of Arbor st. ought to be changed and fixed and established, to the end that such street may be suitable for public travel. Therefore,

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered that the grade of the sidewalk on and along the south side of Arbor st. from east line of State st. to the southwest line of Oakland ave. be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, so that the grade of said side walk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:

At s e cor. State and Arbor st. .... 832.00 ft.  
At west line of lot 39, Tappan Park ... 840.50 ft.  
At s w cor. Oakland ave. and Arbor st. 846.00 ft.

the elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of such walk, and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points or stations above stated.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Moore, Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Danforth, Cady—12.

Nays—None.

That portion of the report relative to the diagonal walk was adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Danforth, Cady—10.

Nays—Ald. Moore, Dell, Sweet—3.

## RESOLUTIONS.

By Ald. Soule:

Resolved, that the Committee on Ordinance and the City Attorney are requested to prepare an ordinance which shall require all bicycle riders to carry a light while riding wheels in the corporate limits of this city after dark and that a proper penalty be provided for any infringement of this ordinance and report the same to this council at the next meeting of this council.

Referred to the Ordinance Committee.

Ald. Rhodes moved that the Board of Public Works be instructed to rake the stone off Pontiac, Broadway and south First, and draw the same to the stone yard.

Adopted.

Ald. Koch moved that the Board of Public Works be instructed to build or repair all sidewalks ordered by this council where the term of notice has expired.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Moore, Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Danforth, Cady—13.

Nays—None.

Ald. Brown moved that the Street Commissioner be instructed to repair the sidewalk on W. Huron st. across Allen's Creek.

Adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

GLEN V. MILLS,  
City Clerk.