

Council Chambers,  
Feb. 4, 1901.

Regular meeting called to order by the Clerk.

On motion of Ald. Brown, Ald. Jenney was made president pro tem. for the remainder of term, by the following vote:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Schlenker, Rohde, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Bliton, Fischer—9.

Nays—None.

Roll call—Present: Ald. Hamilton, Schlenker, Rohde, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Jenney, Bliton, Fischer—10. Absent: Ald. Richards, Koch, Kearns, Weeks, Pres. Seabolt—5.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

A communication to the Mayor from the American Transvaal League was read and ordered filed.

FINANCE.

Ann Arbor, Mich.,  
Feb. 2, 1901.

To the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Finance have had the following bills under consideration and would recommend their allowance and that warrants be drawn for the same:

CONTINGENT FUND.

E. L. Seyler, salary.....	\$83 34
E. B. Norris, salary .....	50 00
Oscar D. Luick, salary .....	8 34
J. E. Harkins, salary .....	83 34
E. W. Groves, salary .....	100 00
M. E. Easterly, salary .....	20 00
Marvin Davenport, salary....	6 25
Dr. E. A. Clark, quar. salary	37 50
Dr. Wm. Spitzley, quar, salary	37 50
Nelson Garlinghouse, quar. sal	12 50
Henry B. Dodsley, quar. sal..	25 00
Mrs. C. A. Green, rent .....	29 17
D. J. Ross, justice and court fees in Crawford case.....	7 45
The New State Tel. Co., telephoning .....	10
John Gillen, in alley opening case .....	21 40
Bradley M. Thompson, attorney in alley opening case..	28 20
Richmond & Backus Co., election register books.....	24 50
The Athens Press, printing..	2 75

Carolyn H. Gates, stenographic work .....	8 00
Frank E. Jones, attorney in alley opening case .....	27 10
A. J. Sawyer & Son, attorneys in alley opening case.....	25 00
Karl E. Gauss, binding books for assessor .....	40
O. D. Luick, stamps and rubber stamp .....	12 60
A. A. Electric Co., lighting for January .....	692 15
E. B. Norris, stenographic work done by Mrs. Gates..	1 00
Martin Schaller, supplies.....	2 35
F. & M. Bank, int. on city money to Jan. 1, 1901.....	431 78
Board of Health, postage and stationery .....	4 50
R. A. Jenney, services with voting machines .....	2 00
George W. Weeks, coal .....	14 00
Cavanaugh & Wedemeyer, attorneys in alley opening case	30 50
Henry Richards, coal .....	14 00
Washtenaw Times, printing..	28 59
Mina M. Davison, stenographic work .....	3 00
F. & M. Bank, interest on accounts assigned .....	64

\$1874 95

STREET FUND.

D. J. Ross, salary .....	\$66 66
James Donegan, repair work	2 85
Wuster & Kirn, repairs and supplies .....	17 20
The Moore Hdw. Co, supplies	30
Luick Bros., supplies.....	28 66
Wm. Herz, oil .....	75
S. J. Beardsley, 4 doz. brooms, at \$3.50 .....	14 00

\$130 42

F. & M. Bank, accounts assigned as follows:

Wm. Bury .....	\$ 60
Edward Eberbach...	25 00
Godfried Gokenbach.	8 10
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Christ Larmee .....	8 10
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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS,

Michael Williams ..	8 10
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Michael Williams ..	8 10
James Mason .....	11 25
James Mason .....	10 25
James Mason .....	9 50
James Mason .....	11 25
John E. Travis .....	3 00
North side Union Church .....	2 90
Michael Heary .....	3 00
Michael Heary .....	75
John Kittle .....	2 00
George W. Weeks..	12 15
Julius Weinburg ....	4 00
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	192 85
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	\$323 27

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.

Fred Siple, salary .....	\$ 60 00
C. A. Edwards, salary .....	55 00
W. H. McLaren, salary ....	50 00
Max Whitlinger, salary ....	50 00
Albert West, salary .....	50 00
Eugene Williams, salary ....	50 00
Herman Kirn, salary .....	50 00
Samuel McLaren, salary....	50 00
Charles Andrews, salary ....	50 00
Charles Carroll, salary .....	25 00
Ed Hill, salary.....	8 00
Geo. Hoelzle, salary .....	8 00
Ralph Edwards, salary .....	8 00
Fred Nordman, salary .....	8 00
Carl Sneirle, salary.....	8 00
Mrs. Ream, washing.....	6 00
Wm. Mulholland, straw .....	2 88
A. A. Argus, advertising ....	54
C. M. Martin, straw .....	17 04
Eberbach Pharmacy, sulphuric acid .....	4 80
George W. Seybold, shoeing and repairing .....	10 84
Geo. Sweet, corn .....	1 00
D. J. Malloy, repairs and supplies .....	10 75
Luick Bros., lumber .....	91
Wurster & Kirn, setting box in wheel .....	75
Muehlig & Schmid, polish....	2 50
Henry Richards, coal .....	40 50
James Donegan, horse shoeing	1 00
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	\$629 51

POLICE FUND.

Wm. Gerstner, salary .....	\$ 75 00
David Collins, salary .....	50 00
George Isbel, salary.....	50 00
John Armbruster, salary ....	50 00
John O'Mara, salary .....	50 00
Leo Kennedy, special police..	1 00
Mich. Tel. Co., telephoning..	60
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	\$276 60

POOR FUND.

Fred Siple, salary .....	\$ 10 00
James Boyle, groceries .....	4 73
J. Goetz, jr., groceries.....	4 28
J. Goetz & Son, groceries....	9 86
Gruner & Lutz, shoes .....	1 50
G. Hoeffler, groceries .....	4 00
A. Kearney, groceries .....	3 00
A. G. Koch, groceries .....	7 96
Wm. F. Ludholz, groceries...	8 20
Geo. Miller, shoes .....	2 75
Rinsey & Seabolt, groceries..	8 50
Caspar Rinsey, groceries ....	7 91
Robison & Co., to County House and Hospital .....	1 50
Louis Rhode, coal .....	14 25
Henry Richards, coal .....	6 50
George Spathelf, meat .....	1 00
M. M. Seabolt, groceries .....	6 89
John Wahr, shoes .....	3 50
George Weeks, coal .....	9 75
L. C. Weinmann, meat .....	1 46
C. Zeurn, meat .....	1 58
Eberbach Pharmacy, prescriptions .....	1 20
Geo. W. Seybold, repairs ....	6 00
A. Ryan, wood .....	191 25
Wm. Spitzley, 197 vaccinations .....	49 25
E. A. Clark, 282 vaccinations.	70 50
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	\$437 32

DOG LICENSE FUND.

Emmett McMahon, burying one dog .....	\$ 50
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RECAPITULATION.

Contingent Fund.....	\$1874 95
Street Fund .....	323 27
Fire Department Fund .....	629 51
Police Fund .....	276 60
Poor Fund .....	437 32
Dog License Fund .....	50
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	\$3542 15

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Respectfully submitted,  
F. M. HAMILTON,  
EMMETT COON,  
ARTHUR BROWN,  
Finance Committee.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Schlenker, Rohde, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Jenney, Bliton, Fischer—10.

Nays—None.

Petition of Geo. W. Bullis for return of taxes overpaid on Ford estate was received and referred to Finance Committee, City Attorney and City Assessor.

ORDINANCE.

Ald. Brown offered the following ordinance by title:

An ordinance to amend Sec. 13 of an ordinance entitled an ordinance relative to disorderly persons and conduct.

On motion the ordinance passed to and received its second reading.

An ordinance relative to the naming of streets was presented for its third reading, as follows:

The Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor ordain:

Section 1. That the name of the street heretofore known as Oxford street, running from Washtenaw ave. to Geddes ave. be and the same is hereby changed, and said street shall hereafter be known and designated as Oxford Road.

Ald. Coon moved the ordinance pass.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Schlenker, Rohde, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Jenney, Bliton, Fischer—10.

Nays—None.

The ordinance granting to Thomas Muir and P. M. Kinsella, a franchise for an electric railroad was on motion of Ald. Hamilton laid on the table for the present, Ald. Schlenker voting no.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Ald. Schlenker presented his report with the engineers' report and plans for a new second ward voting or public building, whereupon the matter was laid on the table for two weeks.

Ald. Brown, chairman of the new city office building committee, reported that the committee would recommend

that the chair appoint a committee of three, consisting of Ald. Koch, Bliton and the City Engineer, whereupon the chair appointed the above committee, with directions to submit floor plans of the proposed building as soon as possible and to secure an architect if necessary.

Enter Ald. Koch.

Ann Arbor, Mich.,

Feb. 4, 1901.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen—Your Special Committee appointed at our last meeting to confer with the local manager of the Michigan Telephone Co. relative to the city's interest in the matter of telephone service, beg leave to report that such conference has been had with the following result: Said company will furnish our citizens at \$18 per 'phone in residences and \$24 in business places; or with two business 'phones in different places, but on one line at \$18 each per year; long distance rates same as at present. And will furnish the city 30 'phones, 10 of them free, until the service can be changed to a metallic basis (which will probably not be completed before next fall); then five free, the others at \$9 each in residences and \$12 each in business places. All of them may be placed in residences, if desired.

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. HAMILTON, Chairman.

By Ald. Brown:

That the report be received and committee continued, and Ald. Koch and Bliton be added thereto, and that they be instructed to hold further conference with the manager of the telephone company relative to a more suitable contract with the city. **Adopted.**

By Ald. Brown:

That this Council reconsider the previous action taken relative to the second ward public building or voting booth. **Carried.**

By Ald. Brown:

That the plans of the Engineer as submitted by the committee be accepted and that the Board of Public Works be instructed to advertise for bids for the same, to be considered at our next meeting.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS,

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Hamilton, Koch, Schlenker, Rohde, Vandawarker, Brown, Grose, Coon, Jenney, Bliton, Fischer—11.

Nays—None.

OFFICERS' REPORTS.

Report of City Marshal received and order filed.

Report of City Physician received and order filed.

Report of City Clerk received and ordered filed.

REPORT OF CITY TREASURER.

TREASURER'S REPORT for month ending Jan. 31, 1901.

CITY FUND.

Receipts.

Dog Fund—	
Harkins, J. E., Licenses....\$	2 00
Police Fund—	
Gerstner, W., fees .....	15 70
School Dis. No. 15—	
Tax collected during January	5 74
City Cemetery Fund—	
Harkins J. E., lot sold to V. Crawford .....	5 00
School Dis. No. 1—	
Tax collected during January	7189 47
Uncollected City Tax—	
Tax collected during January	1956 10
Contingent Fund—	
Harkins, J. E.....	6 50
Washtenaw Co. Treas—	
State Tax .....	3201 10
County Tax .....	1108 63
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Total .....	\$13490 24
Total amt. on hand last rep	61146 13
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	\$74636 37

Disbursed, Warrants Paid.

Contingent fund .....	\$ 2690 80
Dog License fund .....	50
Fire fund .....	409 89
Poor fund .....	186 75
Police fund .....	9 38
Street fund .....	1143 91
School Dist. No. 15 fund....	15 13
Water fund .....	3339 47
School Dis. No. 1 (check)....	12000 00
State and County Tax—	
State .....	16125 62

County .....	5133 87
School .....	450 83
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Total .....	\$41506 15
Bal. on hand .....	33130 22
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	\$74636 37

CONDITION OF CITY FUNDS.

On the first day of February, 1901.

On Hand. Ovdwn.

Bridge, Culvert & Crosswalk fund.	\$16870 15	
Contingent fund .....	\$ 9086 96	
City Cemetery fnd	229 29	
Dog License fund.	345 25	
State Dog Tax fnd	516 25	
Delinquent Tax...		2270 76
Fire fund .....	3084 35	
Poor fund .....	1250 73	
Police fund .....	407 70	
Street fund .....		10117 17
School Dis. No. 1..	28399 58	
Uncoll. City Tax.		2964 47
Water fund .....		2590 83
Excess of Rolls ..	557 10	
Uncoll. Sidwtk tax	29 61	
Uncol. rejected tax	1 26	
Street Open'g fund (Catherine st)...	1122 00	
State and Co. tax	2497 14	
Tax acct. Pav Dis. No. 1 .....	2500 00	
Tax acct. Pav Dis. No. 1 .....	1100 00	
Tax acct. Pav Dis. No. 1 .....	1250 00	
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Totals .....	\$60160 41	\$27030 19
Bal. on hand ....		33130 22
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SEWER FUND.

Receipts.

Tax act. Lat. Sewer No. 5..	\$ 96 12
Tax act. Lat. Sewer No. 6..	271 02
Tax. act. Lat. Sewer No. 7..	27 14
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Total .....	\$ 394 28
Bal overdraft .....	14203 16
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	\$14597 44

Disbursed, Warrants, Paid.

Main Sewer Fund .....	\$	8	00
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Total .....	\$	8	00
Total overdraft last report		14589	44
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	\$	14597	44

CONDITION OF SEWER FUND.

	Dr.	Cr.
Main Sewer fnd..	\$19460	44
Lab. Acct. Lateral Sewer No. 1...	39	90
Tax acct. Lateral Sewer No. 1....	159	80
Lab. Acct. Lateral Sewer No. 2....		27 28
Tax acct. Lateral Sewer No. 2....		729 59
Lab. Acct. Lateral Sewer No. 3...	5805	82
Tax acct. Lateral Sewer No. 3....		5210 09
Lab. Acct. Lateral Sewer No. 4....	836	21
Tax acct. Lateral Sewer No. 4....		947 20
Lab. Acct. Lateral Sewer No. 5....	1375	24
Tax acct. Lateral Sewer No. 5....		2579 40
Lab. Acct. Lateral Sewer No. 6....		2442 95
Tax acct. Lateral Sewer No. 6....		726 03
Labor act Lateral Sewer No. 7....		57 73
Tax acct. Lateral Sewer No. 7....		291 82
Delinq. Sew. Tax		181 48
Labor Sewer No. 8	8	96
Tax Sewer No. 8..		290 64
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Totals .....	\$27686	37 \$13483 21
Overdraft .....		14203 16
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	\$27686	37 \$27686 37

PAVING FUND.  
Receipts.

Tax acct. Paving.	
Dis. No. 1.....	\$ 100 27

Tax acct. Paving	
Dis. No. 3.....	116 53
Accrued int. on bonds, Dist.	
No. 4.....	24 75
Premium on bonds, Dist.	
No. 4.....	30 00
Co. share of paving on south side of co. building.....	1588 62
Bonds sold .....	27850 00
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Total .....	\$29710 17

CONDITION OF PAV. FUND.

	Dr.	Cr.
Labor acct. Paving		
Dis. No. 1.....		\$ 2162 14
Tax acct. Paving		
Dis. No. 1.....	\$ 4707	87
Labor act. Paving		
Dis. No. 2 .....		897 55
Tax acct. Paving		
Dis. No. 2.....	1332	81
Labor act. Paving		
Dis. No. 3.....		518 65
Tax acct. Paving		
Dis. No. 3 .....		2027 52
Labor act. Paving		
Dis. No. 4.....		1585 69
Tax acct. Paving		
Dis. No. 4.....		1643 37
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Totals .....	\$ 6040 68	\$8834 92
On hand .....	\$ 2794 24	
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Respectfully submitted,  
OSCAR D. LUICK, Treas.

This is to certify that Oscar D. Luick, Treasurer of the City of Ann Arbor, had on deposit at the Farmers & Mechanics' Bank, at the close of business, Feb. 1, 1901, the sum of twenty-one thousand eight hundred seventy dollars and ninety-seven cents (\$21870.97).

F. H. BELSER.  
Adopted and ordered filed.  
On motion the Council adjourned.  
JAS. E. HARKINS,  
City Clerk.