

(Official.)

Council Chamber

Ann Arbor Mich. Oct. 1 1906.

Regular Session.

Meeting called to order by President Gilmore.

Present—Ald. Gill Snaubel Schneider Sweet Markey Sherk Goodyear Blaich Abbott Fischer Pres. Gilmore—11.

Absent—Ald. Miller Kurtz St. James and Manwaring—4.

Minutes corrected and approved (typographical error in pamphlet: word "passed" used in place of "lost" following resolution to grade Geddes avenue).

Enter Ald. Miller.

**Communications.**

Deed of land for street from John Ferdon and wife received and on motion of Ald. Fischer referred to street committee.

The matter of sanitary condition of No. 1316 Belser street as presented by the board of health referred to street committee and city attorney.

**Petitions.**

Of Sam Heusel et al. relative to sidewalk at 115-17 and 19 East Liberty street. Referred to sidewalk committee.

Of Mrs. Neff et al relative to grading Miner street. Referred to street committee.

Of Frank E. Jones et al relative to a street light at corner of Main and Packard streets. Referred to light committee.

Of George Spathelf et al. relative to sanitary sewer on Broadway. Referred to sewer committee.

Communication received at this time:

Detroit Sept. 13 1906.

Mr. Thomas D. Kearney

Attorney at Law

Ann Arbor Mich.

Dear Mr. Kearney—

I wish you would make the follow-

ing proposition to the Ann Arbor city council:

That in consideration of the naming of the proposed park "by the Michigan Central railroad" the "Daniel S. Millen Park" which will commemorate the memory of my father who was located for over thirty years on this cite I will donate said lot (that is now being condemned) to the city of Ann Arbor.

I sincerely hope that the other property holders interested will make arrangements that will enable the city to purchase this property for the purpose intended as it is an eye-sore and disgrace to your beautiful city.

Yours very truly

Geo. W. Millen.

Received and ordered on file.

**Committee Report.**

Ann Arbor Mich. Oct. 1 1906.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your committee on finance have had the following bills under consideration and would recommend their approval and that warrants be drawn for same.:

C. W. Gill

Wm. Goodyear

Committee.

**Contingent Fund.**

Geo. W. Sample salary . . . . .	\$ 8.33
M. E. Eastely salary . . . . .	20.00
Marvin Davinport salary . . . . .	6.25
Frank A. 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
James L. Otis salary . . . . .	102.08
Charles R. Horton salary . . . . .	41.66
Henry Schwab salary . . . . .	45.83
Mrs. C. A. Green salary . . . . .	37.50
Michigan Central Ry. Co. freight . . . . .	100.18
F. A. Stivers expenses . . . . .	24.10
Niagara Falls Metal Stamp- ing Co. . . . .	7.50



Bailey & Edmunds supplies	5.25
S. Wood & Co. supplies....	3.50
H. Otto & Son horse shoeing.....	2.80
Washtenaw Light & Power Co. lights.....	2.59
Charles A. Sauer Co. lumber.....	3.11
Geo. W. Sweet supplies ...	2.10
Schumacher Hardware Co. supplies .....	9.25
Mrs. Ream washing.....	19.00
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**Police Fund.**

David Collins salary.....	\$ 60.00
Charles B. Masten salary ..	83.33
John O'Mara salary.....	60.00
Harris Ball salary.....	75.00
William Eldert salary.....	60.00
William Clark salary.....	60.00
William Walsh salary.....	60.00
Schumacher Hardware Co. supplies .....	5.50
W. L. Henderson livery...	1.50
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	\$465.33

**Poor Fund.**

Fred Sipley salary.....	\$ 10.00
Fred Sipley 2 fares to Battle Creek and two meals ..	3.30
H. J. Brown supplies .....	3.95
H. J. Brown supplies .....	6.45
Miss M. Brown services ...	6.00
Bigalke & Reule supplies. .	5.35
C. R. Davis supplies.....	3.50
J. Eschelbach supplies.....	1.07
Fischer & Finnell supplies..	3.45
William Goetz supplies....	1.19
Haas & Heibein supplies...	1.20
Miller & Pray supplies.....	8.12
C. Rinsey supplies.....	10.73
Rinsey & Kyer supplies... ..	9.00
William L. Rohde supplies.	13.50
W. F. Stimson supplies ...	3.00
M. M. Seabolt supplies....	1.92
N. J. Stewart supplies .....	8.00
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	\$99.73

**Dog Fund.**

Samuel Smith boarding and disposing of 2 dogs. ....	\$ 3.00
E. McMahon burying three cats.....	1.50
John Robinson burying one dog.....	.50
Lee Burt burying one cat. .	.50
J. W. Green burying two cats two dogs.....	2.00
William Freeman burying 3 cats.....	1.50
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	9.00

**Street Lighting Fund.**

Welsbach Street Lighting Co. lights .....	\$ 150.34
Washtenaw Light & Power Co. lights.....	833.45
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	\$983.79

**Cemetery Fund.**

L. D. Grose salary.....	29.16
Christian Schlenker supplies	6.02
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	\$35.18

**Street Fund.**

Nathan Woodmansee gravel.....	\$ 32.80
Chas. Neithammer stone ..	12.00
Sara Wisner services.....	15.00
A. C. Hetsler horse shoeing etc. ....	6.80
J. C. Fischer supplies.....	7.55
C. Schlenker supplies .....	1.00
Koch Brothers supplies ...	39.50
Fred C. Weinberg supplies.	95.12
Benz Brothers supplies....	19.50
Phillip Reinfrank man labor	1.47
John Staebler man labor...	1.65
Chris. Larmee man labor. .	4.95
Adam Ritz man labor.....	6.60
L. Schneider man labor....	8.25
Michael Heary man labor .	8.25
Matt Leopold man labor ..	9.90
Walter Warren man labor..	13.20
William Grafts man labor. .	14.85

Joe Hertchen man labor. . .	16.50
August Schmidt man labor.	18.15
Fred Lutz man labor . . . .	18.15
L. W. Walker man labor. . .	19.80
John Weinmann man labor	19.80
Michael Steeb man labor. . .	19.80
W. J. Brown man labor. . .	21.65
John Holka man labor. . . .	21.82
Julius Lohrke skilled labor.	2.00
James Mason skilled labor. .	2.00
Fred Ulrich skilled labor. . .	12.00
William Bury skilled labor.	24.00
James Blades team labor. . .	6.23
George Weeks team labor. . .	7.00
Bennett French team labor.	10.50
Frank Hogan team labor. . .	10.50
E. Beck man labor. . . . .	9.90
John McHugh team labor. . .	14.50
Marion Wheelock team labor	17.50
John Markey team labor. . .	28.00
Geo. Collins team labor. . . .	36.35
John Miller team labor. . . .	38.50
Will Hudson team labor. . . .	41.62
John Goff team labor. . . . .	42.00
John Seyfried team labor. . .	42.00
Jacob Hauser team labor. . .	46.28

\$845.84

**Bridge, Culvert & Crosswalk Fund.**

F. B. Stevens brick. . . . .	\$154.02
Louis Rohde pipe and cement.	148.27
W. L. McCullough Co. inlets. .	29.00
Sam C. Andres laying sewer .	16.10
Ann Arbor Water Co. con- necting flush tank. . . . .	9.85
S. Wood & Co. pipe . . . . .	2.71
Matt Leopold man labor. . . .	2.75
E. Beck man labor. . . . .	8.25
L. Schneider, man labor. . . .	9.90
Adam Ritz, man labor. . . . .	9.90
Chris Larmee, man labor. . . .	11.55
Henry Kuehn, man labor. . . .	16.50
Fred Hintz, man labor . . . . .	18.15
James Mason, skilled labor . . .	8.00
William Kuehn, skilled labor .	18.88
Julius Lohrke, skilled labor. . .	20.00
James McHugh, team . . . . .	10.50

\$494.33

**Sidewalk Fund.**

C. N. Thompson & Son, build- ing extensions. . . . .	\$114.71
Judson & Son, extensions. . . .	61.00
E. Beck, man labor. . . . .	1.65
L. Schneider, man labor. . . . .	1.65
Henry Kuehn, man labor. . . . .	1.65
Fred Lutz, man labor . . . . .	1.65
Joe Hertchen, man labor. . . . .	3.30
Chris Larmee, man labor. . . . .	3.30
Will Grafs, man labor. . . . .	4.95
Walter Warren, man labor. . . .	6.60
Fred Ulrich, skilled labor . . . .	2.00
James Blades, team. . . . .	3.50
Marion Wheelock, team. . . . .	10.50
John Markey, team . . . . .	14.00
John McHugh, team . . . . .	14.00

\$244.46

**Building Sidewalk Fund.**

C. M. Thompson & Son, build- ing sidewalks. . . . .	\$206.25
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**Park Fund.**

William Herz, supplies . . . . .	\$ 20.90
Chas. A. Sauer Co., supplies. . .	3.75
Ed. Easterly, labor. . . . .	5.14
Geo. Randall, labor. . . . .	1.65
O. M. Evans, labor. . . . .	7.00
John Lapold, labor. . . . .	19.80
W. J. Randall, labor . . . . .	19.80
Fred Garvin, labor. . . . .	24.02
J. W. O'Brien, labor . . . . .	35.40
Geo. Schlimmer, labor. . . . .	39.11
Sidney Garvin, labor. . . . .	39.11
Joseph Walaker, team. . . . .	35.00
J. W. Markey, team. . . . .	71.96

\$322.64

**Recapitulation.**

Contingent fund. . . . .	\$2,386.57
Fire. . . . .	1,094.72
Police. . . . .	465.33
Poor. . . . .	99.73
Dog. . . . .	9.00
Street lighting. . . . .	983.79
Cemetery. . . . .	35.18
Street. . . . .	845.84
Bridge, Cul. Crosswalk. . . . .	494.33



Sidewalk.....	244.46
Building sidewalk.....	206.25
Park.....	322.64
	\$7,187.84

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12. Nays—None.

Ann Arbor, Mich.,

October 1, 1906.

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:

Gentlemen—In the matter of the bill presented by Mr. H. J. Brown for material furnished and used for fumigating, referred to me by your committee, I would report that after investigating the matter I am of the opinion that this is not a valid claim against the city but should properly be presented against the county.

Respectfully submitted,

Frank A. Stivers,

City Attorney.

Received, accepted and ordered on file.

By Ald. Goodyear:

Resolved, That in accordance with the agreement made with the city in 1893 for the construction of the main sewer, the city clerk is hereby instructed to draw warrants on the contingent fund in favor of George Sample, city treasurer, for \$29.53 to pay the sewer tax and interest in district No. 14 of George Schaible, and for \$29.53 to pay the sewer tax and interest in district No. 14 of Mrs. Elizabeth Lanz.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12. Nay—None.

By Ald. Goodyear:

Resolved, That the following transfer of funds be made:

\$500.00 from bridge and culvert fund to sidewalk fund.

\$315.88 from tax account district 9 to labor account paving district 9.

\$252.43 from contingent fund to tax account lateral sewer district No. 9.

\$89.85 from contingent fund to tax account lateral sewer district No. 10.

\$104.15 labor account lateral sewer district 12 to tax account sewer district No. 12.

\$540.13 from tax account lateral sewer district 13 to labor account sewer district No. 13.

\$521.17 from tax account sewer district 14 to labor account sewer district No. 14.

\$348.65 from tax account lateral sewer district 15 to labor account sewer district No. 15.

\$85.63 from tax account lateral sewer district 17 to labor account sewer district No. 17.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12. Nays—None.

Bill of Sam Smith for commission of dog license collected at clerk's office received and referred to finance committee and city clerk.

### Committee Reports.

Ald. Geo. H. Fischer presented and ordinance regulating the posting of bills, which was given its first reading by title and passed to its second reading by the following vote: Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Fischer that the ordinance be referred to the ordinance committee. Supported by Ald. Abbott and adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich,

Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.  
Nays—None.

### Sewer Committee.

By Ald. Schneider—

Resolved, That this common council still deeming it expedient to cause to be constructed a lateral sewer in lateral sewer district No. 22 and the construction of the same is hereby ordered.

Resolved, Further, That each and all of the lands, tenements and premises hereinafter mentioned are deemed and declared to be benefited by the construction of such lateral sewer to the extent of the cost thereof, street crossings excepted, and all such lands shall constitute and all of the said lands hereinafter mentioned is fixed and determined as the district and special assessment district upon and against which shall be assessed and charged all the costs and expenses of construction of such lateral sewer, that is to say—

All of that part of the city of Ann Arbor and all of the lands, tenements and premises situated in the city of Ann Arbor, state of Michigan, known, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of West Washington street with the west line of the right of way of the Ann Arbor railway; thence west along north line of West Washington street to the southeast corner of lot 60, Jewett addition; thence north to the northeast corner of said lot 60; thence east parallel to the north line of West Washington street to the right of way of the said Ann Arbor railway; thence southeasterly to the place of beginning; also beginning at the southwest corner of lot 59, Jewett's addition; thence west along the north line of West Washington street to the southeast corner of lot 58, said Jewett's addition; thence north 122 feet; thence east to the northwest corner of said lot 59; thence to place of beginning; also lots 3, 4, 91, 92, 26, 27, 57, 58, 59, 60, 94, 95, 6, 7, 28,

29 and north  $\frac{1}{2}$  of lots 30, 31, 61, and east  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 62, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82; also beginning at the northeast corner of lot 82, Jewett addition; thence east along the south line of West Washington street to the northwest corner of lot 27, Krause addition; thence south to the southwest corner of said lot 27; thence west to the southeast corner of said lot 82; thence north to place of beginning; also lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, Krause addition; also beginning at the intersection of the south line of West Washington street with the west line of the right of way to the Ann Arbor railway; thence west to the northeast corner of lot 1, Krause addition; thence south to the southeast corner of said lot 1; thence east parallel to West Washington street 170 feet; thence north to a point 67.3 feet south of the south line of West Washington street; thence east to the right of way of the Ann Arbor railway; thence north to place of beginning. All streets excepted from the above description. All of which is deemed and declared to be a necessary public improvement.

Resolved, Further, That this order and determination be and the same is hereby certified to the board of public work and city assessor, respectively.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—none.

Petition of Walter H. Dancer and Wm. H. McIntyre relative to extension of plans for sanitary sewer district No. 21, Spring street, was received and referred to the sewer committee.

By Ald. C. J. Sweet—

Resolved, That the city engineer furnish estimate of cost and the board of public works advertise for bid for the construction of a storm sewer on Gott

street, from Pearl street to Hiscock street as per recommendation of the sewer committee concurred in by the council September 17, 1906. Supported by Ald. Miller and adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—none.

**Police Committee.**

To the Common Council—

Gentlemen—Your police committee recommend that the city purchase a patrol wagon, president to appoint a committee of three to report at our next regular council meeting the cost of same.

C. L. Miller,  
V. L. Snauble,  
H. J. Abbott.

Moved by Ald. Markey that report be concurred in Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore.—12. Nays—None.

**Light Committee.**

By Ald. Goodyear:

Resolved, That gas lamp be placed in front of school house on Miller avenue.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12. Nays—None.

To the Common Council:

Your committee on streets have had the following matters under consideration and respectfully recommend that Miner street be cut down and properly graded. That a cross walk be constructed on the north side of Madison street crossing Ashley street, and that the cross walk on the east side of Ashley street crossing Jefferson street be raised and put in the proper condition for travel.

We further recommend that the street

commissioner furnish stone for the repair of the alley between East University avenue and Church street near the north side of Oakland avenue, it being understood that the residents in said locality will make necessary repairs in said alley if this is done.

J. W. Markey,  
E. L. Schneider,  
Geo. H. Fischer,  
Wm. Goodyear,  
I. L. Sherk,  
C. L. Miller,

Committee.

Moved by Ald. Sherk that report be accepted and concurred in. Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12. Nays—None.

**Cemetery Committee.**

To the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your cemetery committee recommend that the sexton of the city cemetery be and is hereby authorized to purchase and place sufficient earth to do filling in. The sum not to exceed \$25.00.

E. L. Schneider,  
C. L. Miller,

Committee.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—None.

**Officers' Report.**

City engineer presented estimate for Spring street sewer as requested. Ald. Fischer moved that the matter of said sewer be referred back to sewer committee, they to consider extension of same. Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—None.

Reports of Justice Doty and city marshal received and ordered on file.



Ann Arbor, Mich.,  
Oct. 1, 1906.

To the Honorable the Mayor and the Common Council of the city of Ann Arbor:

Gentlemen:—The deed of William H. L. Rhode and wife conveying lot on Huron street to the city, was referred to by the Mayor with a request that I report as to the sufficiency of said deed in form and also as to the state of the title of the land. I would report that the deed is, in my opinion, sufficient in form, and as to the title, I find that Mr. Rhode has a clear title with the exception of one encumbrance by mortgage in the sum of \$800 given to the Ann Arbor Savings Bank June 26, 1897, and not discharged of record.

Respectfully submitted,  
Frank A. Stivers,  
City Attorney.

Dated at Ann Arbor, October 1st,  
A. D. 1906.

Received, accepted and the following resolution offered:

Resolution by Ald. Abbott:

Whereas, The Mayor has accepted on behalf of the city the deed of Wm. H. L. Rhode conveying lot to the city for the purpose of a city hall in accordance with the terms of his option, now therefore,

Resolved, That the action of the mayor is hereby ratified and approved.

Resolved, further, That a warrant is hereby authorized to be drawn and paid out of the contingent fund in favor of said Wm. H. L. Rhode in the sum of \$3,297.50, being the amount due as agreed.

Resolved, further, That upon the sale of bonds authorized for the purpose of said city hall, said contingent fund be reimbursed to the extent of the amount of said warrant.

Resolved, further, That the city clerk is hereby directed to deliver such warrant to said Wm. H. L. Rhode when

the mortgage of Ann Arbor Savings Bank upon said premises shall be discharged.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12. Nays—None.

City Treasurer Sample reported that the Ann Arbor Savings bank had offered the city the use of vaults for the sewer tax books and on motion of Ald. Abbott, the matter was left to option of treasurer.

### Resolutions.

By Ald. Blaich—

Whereas, it is the sense of this council that the grade of Geddes avenue east of Oxford road should at sometime be lowered, and

Whereas, The property owners on said street are desirous of building sidewalks, now, therefore,

Resolved, That the city engineer establish grades for said sidewalks on said street to conform with said proposed lowering of the grade of the street, forthwith, so that the property owners may build their sidewalks this fall.

Referred to sidewalk committee.

By Ald. Fischer—

Resolved, That M. J. Martin be appointed poor commissioner at a salary of \$10.00 per month, his term of office to begin October 8, 1906.

Supported by Ald. Sweet and adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Goodyear, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—none.

By Ald. Abbott—

Resolved, That the board of public works be directed to extend the sewer in alley in block bounded by Main street, Fourth avenue, Liberty street and Washington street, to Liberty street.



Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Good-year, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—none.

By Ald. Gill—

Resolved, That the city clerk make the necessary arrangements for registration of the electors of the city of Ann Arbor as provided in section 3 of the charter. Said registration to take place in the several wards of the city, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 30 and 31, 1906, from 8 o'clock in the forenoon to 8 o'clock in the afternoon, at the following places:

First ward—O. M. Martin's store, 209 Fourth avenue.

Second ward—Second ward building, 310 South Ashley street.

Third ward—Council chamber, court house.

Fourth ward—Engine house, corner Huron street and Fifth avenue.

Fifth ward—Fifth ward engine house, Swift street.

Sixth ward—Sixth ward engine house, 437 East University avenue.

Seventh ward—Seventh ward building, Mary street.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Good-year, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—none.

By Ald. Gill—

Resolved, That the board of public works be ordered to re-advertise for bids for the construction of South Division street sewer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Good-year, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

By Ald. Sherk—

Resolved, That the grade be established for a sidewalk from the east end of the tar walk in front of 1066 Wall street to the Wall street bridge the grading to be done this fall.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Good-year, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—none.

Moved by Ald. Fischer that \$150 be appropriated to grade and gravel Church street from Oakland avenue to Prospect street.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Gill, Snaubel, Schneider, Miller, Sweet, Markey, Sherk, Good-year, Blaich, Abbott, Fischer, Pres. Gilmore—12.

Nays—none.

On motion the council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER,  
Clerk.