

## COMMON COUNCIL—OCTOBER 21, 1907.

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor, Mich.  
Oct. 21, 1907.

Regular session.

Meeting called to order by Pres. Walz.

Present—Ald. Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—12.

Absent—Ald. Snauble, Hochrein and Shirk.—3.

Minutes of previous meeting approved.

#### COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS.

The City Assessor presented special assessment rolls of Sewer district No. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28 of the City of Ann Arbor, and the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Manwaring, Resolved that the 7th day of November, 1907 at 2 o'clock, p. m., at the council chamber be fixed and appointed as the time and place for the sitting of this council as a board of review for the consideration of the special assessment rolls of sewer districts No. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 28, of the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

That on the above date and at the place above specified, the said board of review shall proceed without adjournment to review said special assessment rolls; and that the city clerk shall forthwith cause notice of the time and place as fixed to be published in the Ann Arbor Daily Times and the Ann Arbor News-Argus, those being the official newspapers of said city, published in the City of Ann Arbor.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—12.

Nays—None.

Office of the Board of Public Works  
Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 19, 1907.  
To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—We submit to you our annual report of all walks constructed by this Board and charged to the pro-

perty owners, as per your order.

WIRT CORNWELL,

President of the Board.

#### SIDEWALKS BUILT BY THE CITY

##### CEMENT WALKS.

Delta Building Co., lots 1, 2 and 3 B. 2, Hill's addition, \$104.48.

Wesleyan Guild, lot 8 and the north 32 feet of lot 7, B. 2 S., R. 9 east, \$63.00.

Lillian M. Follett, the east ½ of lots 1 and 2, B. 2 S., R. 9 East, \$33.08.

Miss Pamela A. Noble. Lots 1 and 2, B. 6 S., R. 8 East, Maynard and Morgan's addition, \$55.65.

##### TAR WALKS.

Frank Inglis. A parcel of land, part of Sec. 28, Ann Arbor, bounded W. by University land, N. by University land, E. by Looker and McDonald land and S. by Geddes Ave., McDonald land and Inglis land, being land formerly owned by Frank Marks and George Blaich, \$63.75.

Regents of University of Michigan. A parcel of land, part of Sec. 28, Ann Arbor, bounded N. by a line drawn parallel to and 132 feet N. of Geddes avenue, E. by Inglis land, S. by Geddes Ave. and W. by Newcombe land, \$58.25.

Sophia Allmendinger. Land bounded N. by Nelson Rogers and Ann Arbor Brewing Co. land, E. by Traver addition, S. by Peter Egenolf land, and W. by Traver St., excepting right of way of Ann Arbor R. R., part of Sec. 21, Ann Arbor. \$67.50.

Mrs. L. J. Wright. Land bounded N. E. by McNally land, S. E. by Derow land, S W. by Ann Arbor Brewing Co. land, N. W. by Traver street, part of Sec. 21, Ann Arbor, 4 rods front by 5 rods deep. \$15.00.

Arthur E. Mummery. A parcel of land, part of Sec. 21, Ann Arbor, having a frontage of 97½ feet on Traver street, and being 66 feet deep, bounded N. W. by Traver street, N. E. by Prettyman land, S. W. by Stowell land and S. E. by Ann Arbor R. R. land. \$21.23.

Marcus A. Markham. Lots 14, 15 and 16, Thompson, Spoor and Thomp-

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sod addition. \$91.37.

George Bull, Jr. Lot 9, Block 6. Brown and Fuller's addition. except the W. 2 feet of the S. 36 feet. \$16.59.

North Side Union church. Fractional lot 11, Block 6, Brown and Fuller's addition. \$18.64.

George Weeks. Lot 12, Block 6. Brown and Fuller's addition. \$19.09.

John and Christian Koch. Lots 15, 16 and 19, Brown and Fuller's addition and a triangular piece of land adjoining lots 15 and 16 and bounded N. E. by Neithammer land, S. E. by lots 15 and 16 and N. W. by Traver street, part of Sec. 21, Ann Arbor. \$20.69.

Ann Arbor Brewing Co. A piece of land, part of Sec. 21, Ann Arbor, bounded N. W. by Traver street, N. E. by Wright land, S. W. by Neithammer land and S. E. by a line drawn parallel to and 132 feet S. W. of Traver street. \$35.68.

John and Margaret Morrison. Lot 72. James B. Gott's 2nd addition. 18.00.

Charles B. and Otis Wallace. Lot 73. James B. Gott's 2nd addition. \$18.00.

Mary Smalley. Lot 60. James B. Gott's 2nd addition. \$18.00.

H. G. Lodholz. Part of lot 1, B. S. Brown and Fuller's addition, commencing at the S. W. corner of Huron Block, thence S. E. at right angles to Broadway 28 feet, S. to the E. corner of brick building built by Asa L. Smith, westerly to a point on Broadway 19 feet S. W. of point of beginning, N. E. to beginning, having 19 feet frontage on Broadway. \$17.00.

Henrietta Lodholz. That part of lot 1, B. S. Brown and Fuller's addition, lying S. W. of Huron Block, excepting the triangular N. W. corner of the same belonging to H. G. Lodholz which has a frontage of 19 feet on Broadway. \$12.25.

Fred J. Wiedman. The S. E. 35 feet in width of lot 54, Samuel G. Miller's addition. \$9.00.

Michael Duffy estate. Lots 12 and 13, B. 5 S., R. 3 west, William S. Maynard's 2nd addition. \$36.00.

John and Christian Koch. Lot 8

and the W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of lot 77, B. 7 S., R. 1 and 2 east, William S. Maynard's 2nd addition. \$27.00.

Abram Steffee Estate. Land bounded N. by Smith's land, E. by Speechley's land and Armstrong's land, S. by Kowalski's land and W. by Pontiac street, part of Sec. 21, Ann Arbor. \$18.00.

John G. Fischer. A piece of land in B. 2 N., R. 1 east, bounded on the N. by Miller avenue, E. by Keppler land, S. by Kirn land and W. by Aiken land. \$8 05.

I, Ross Granger, City Clerk of said City, do hereby certify that the annexed is a true and compared copy of all walks constructed by the city and charged to the property owners, now on record in this office; that I have compared the same with the original record, and the same is a true transcript therefrom, and the whole of such original record.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said city of Ann Arbor, this 21st day of October, A. D. 1907.

ROSS GRANGER,

City Clerk.

(Seal)

Moved by Ald. Manwaring report be accepted and published in the minutes. Adopted by unanimous vote.

By Ald. Markey. Resolved, That the Common Council sit as board of review, to review the report and certificate of the Board of Public Works this day filed, said board to meet in the Council chamber on the 7th day of November, 1907, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—12.

Nays—None.

Action of Board of Public Works Oct. 9th, 1907.

Moved by Mr. Scott. That the matter of repairing Broadway bridge be referred to the Council with recommendation that a sum not to exceed \$500.00 be appropriated for same.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Messrs. Nichols, Hubbard,

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Scott, Howe, Schlenker and Pres. Cornwell.—6.

\$ 558 17

Nays—None.

Action of council:

Moved by Ald. Fischer be received and placed on file.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaisch, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—12.

Nays—None.

Petition of Arthur M. Smith, et. al. for gas lamp at the corner of Israel avenue and Martin street. Referred to light committee.

Petition of Carl Kōrzuck, et. al., for hydrant corner of Cherry and Fountain streets. Referred to water committee.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

FINANCE REPORT.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 21, 1907. To the Honorable the Common Council:

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

WM. GOODYEAR.

HORATIO J. ABBOTT.

Finance Committee.

FIRE FUND.

Chas. Andrews, salary.....	\$ 37 50
Chas. Edwards, salary.....	33 00
Eugene Williams, salary.....	33 00
Fred Stein .....	32 50
Herman Kirn, salary.....	30 00
Fred Nordman, salary.....	30 00
Ralph Edwards, salary.....	30 00
Wm. Rettich, salary.....	30 00
Dean Seabolt, salary.....	30 00
Henry McLaren, salary .....	30 00
Geo. Hoelzle, salary.....	27 50
Fred Jolly, salary.....	27 50
Rex Burnett, salary.....	27 50
Carl Kuhn, salary.....	27 50
Jacob Gwinner, salary.....	27 50
Wm. Beranek, salary.....	27 50
Arthur Clark .....	25 00
Don Golden, salary .....	25 00
Chas. Carroll, salary.....	20 00
Frank Kapp, salary.....	20 00

POLICE FUND.

Theo. C. Apfel, salary.....	\$ 41 66
Geo. W. Weeks, Jr., salary..	30 00
John O'Mara, salary.....	30 00
Wm. Walsh, salary.....	30 00
Zenus Sweet, salary.....	30 00
Tom O'Brien, salary.....	30 00
Mat Max, salary.....	30 00
Wm. E. Blackburn, salary...	30 00
Grant Gage, special .....	28 00
Harris Ball, sanitary .....	8 17

\$ 287 83

STREET FUND.

Will Bury, labor .....	\$ 12 89
Will Grafts, labor .....	6 00
Michael Herey, labor .....	6 80
Michael Hession, labor .....	23 60
Fred Himbinder, labor ..	2 80
James Mason, labor .....	9 00
Pat McDonald, labor .....	13 20
August Schmidt, labor .....	10 00
John Weinman, labor .....	11 80
Bennett French, team .....	8 00
Geo. Lanphear, team .....	12 89
John Markey, team .....	37 67
John McHugh, team .....	14 23
John Miller, team .....	32 00
Chas. Neithammer, team ....	37 67
John Schneider, team .....	22 23
Clinton Snyder, team .....	7 12
Geo. Weeks, Sr. ....	21 78

\$ 289 68

SIDEWALK FUND.

Will Bury, labor .....	\$ 6 00
Will Grafts, labor .....	5 40
Michael Herey, labor .....	5 20
Fred Himbinder, labor ..	3 60
John Holka, labor .....	1 80
James Mason, labor .....	13 50
Pat McDonald, labor .....	5 40
August Schmidt labor .....	8 00
Fred Ulrich, labor .....	2 00
John Weinman, labor .....	9 00
John Miller, team .....	12 00
John Schneider, team .....	18 23
Clinton Snyder, team .....	8 89
Geo. Weeks, Sr. ....	8 00

\$ 107 02

BRIDGE, CULVERT AND CROSS-WALK FUND.

Will Grafts, labor .....	\$ 7 20
James Mason, labor .....	4 50

Michael Herey, labor .....	1 80
John Holka, labor .....	19 20
Geo. Kern, labor .....	9 60
Pat McDonald, labor .....	1 80
Sam. O'Dett, labor .....	18 00
August Schmidt, labor .....	4 00
Fred Ullrich, labor .....	21 33
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	\$ 86 83

**PARK FUND.**

W. J. Randel, labor .....	\$ 21 00
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	\$ 21 00

**RECAPITULATION.**

Fire fund .....	\$ 558 17
Police .....	287 83
Street .....	289 68
Sidewalk .....	107 62
Bridge, Cul. & Crosswalk .....	86 83
Park .....	21 00
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	\$1,350 73

Approved and respectfully submitted to the finance committee.

**ROSS GRANGER,**

City Clerk.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—12.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Abbott. Resolved. That the sum of \$5,000.00 be and the same is hereby transferred from the Bridge, Culvert and Cross-walk fund to the Contingent fund and the sum of \$200.00 transferred from the Bridge Culvert and Cross-walk fund to the Park fund.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—12.

Nays—None.

Enter Ald. Snauble.

To the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your committee, to whom the cutting down of Spring street was referred, respectfully recommend that the work be done next spring. The money in the street fund will hardly keep the streets clean up to time of replenishing next July say

nothing of the necessary repairs that must go on.

**J. W. MARKEY,**

**W. H. STARKE,**

**E. B. MANWARING**

**GEO. H. FISCHER,**

Street Committee.

Moved by Ald. Manwaring that report be accepted.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Fischer. Resolved, That the D. J. & Chicago Railroad company be given permission to move their switch now located on Hill street to 1200 ft. west of its present location on Monroe street between Twelfth and Ingalls.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—13.

Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Fischer, that matter of vacating alley as per request of Mrs. Hall be referred to city attorney. Adopted.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—The fire committee, to which was referred the question of the necessity of purchasing a run-about wagon for the fire department, recommend that a sum not to exceed \$65.00 be appropriated for the purchase of a suitable wagon for the use of the fire department.

Respectfully submitted,

**GEO. BLAICH,**

**J. W. MARKEY.**

Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—12.

Nays—Ald. Manwaring.—1

Police committee reported on justice reports as being correct.

Moved by Ald. Sweet, That vote on appointment of Sanitary Police of-

ficer be reconsidered.

Lost as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Goodyear, Pres. Walz.—6

Nays—Ald. Schneider, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Fischer, Abbott.—7.

Ann Arbor, Oct. 21st, 1907.

The committee on cemetery respectfully report that it is necessary that the north fence to the cemetery needs to be rebuilt and therefore ask that \$50.00 be allowed from the cemetery fund to build this fence with a "Page" or "Equal" with "barb wire" on top. Said fence to be built under the directions and supervision of the sexton.

E. L. SCHNEIDER,

E. B. MANWARING,

Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—13.

Nays—None.

#### SEWER COMMITTEE REPORT.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on sewers, to whom was referred the estimate and report of the City Engineer relative to the construction of Lateral Sewers in sewer districts No. 30 and 31 beg leave to report that they have had such estimate and report as well as the resolution of the council under consideration, and have made due inquiries relating thereto, and have heard all persons desiring to be heard in the premises, and your committee is of the opinion that there is necessity for the construction of such Lateral sewers, and that special taxing or assessment districts ought to be fixed by the Common Council upon and against which the construction of such sewers may be charged, street crossings excepted, pursuant to the ordinance in such case made and provided.

Your committee further recommends that resolutions fixing the boundaries of said districts be prepared by the City Engineer, and the Board of Public Works ordered to advertise for bids for the construction of above named

sewers. Bids on No. 30 (Catherine street) to be in next February and on No. 31 (Fuller Street) to be asked for at once.

E. L. SCHNEIDER,

W. H. STARK,

J. W. MARKEY,

GEO. BLAICH,

J. B. MAULBETSCH,

Committee.

By Ald. Schneider. Resolved, That this common council still deeming it a necessary public improvement and expedient to cause to be constructed sanitary sewers in lateral districts No. 30 and 31. (Catherine and Fuller Sts.) the construction of the same is hereby ordered.

Resolved, further, that the City Engineer furnish proper boundaries by the next regular meeting of the Council, and this order and determination be certified to the City Assessor and the Board of Public Works, and the Board of Public Works advertise for bids on the construction of said sewers; bids to be in for Dis. No. 30 next February; bids for Dis. No. 31 to be asked for at once.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Blaich: Resolved, That a brick crosswalk be constructed on the east side of Oswego street across Geddes avenue and on New Jersey avenue across Hill street.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Sweet: Resolved, That a crosswalk be built across Brooks street on the north side of Hiscock street.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Sweet: Resolved, That the

sanitary policeman be paid out of the contingent fund.

Adopted.

By Ald. Goodyear: Resolved, That city attorney investigate in regard to closing alley between Main and Ashley, Huron and Washington by Hutzel, Eberbach and Schaeberlie, and if he finds that it is done illegally to instruct the street commissioner to remove same at once.

Adopted.

By Ald. Abbott. Resolved, That the sum of \$500 be and the same is hereby transferred from the bridge, culvert and cross-walk fund to the side-walk fund.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—13.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Abbott: Resolved, That the street commissioner be directed to do the necessary sidewalk grading on Martin street from the property of Arthur M. Smith to Israel avenue and

on New Jersey avenue in front of the property of George Rebec. Adopted.

By Ald. Fischer: Resolved that the present number of patrolmen be reduced from eight to seven men, and the office of patrolmanship lately filled by David Collins be and the same is hereby abolished.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Stark, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—12.

Nays—Ald. Schneider.—1

By Ald. Fischer. Resolved that the Mayor be empowered to appoint a clerk in the police office for night duty at a salary not to exceed \$25.00 per month.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Snauble, Schneider, Sweet, Maulbetsch, Markey, St. James, Manwaring, Blaich, Goodyear, Fischer, Abbott, Pres. Walz.—12.

Nays—Ald. Stark.—1

The council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER.

City Clerk.