

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 21st, 1910.

REGULAR SESSION.

Meeting called to order by Pres. Mills. Present, Ald. Georg, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Blaich, Lutz, Paton, Pres. Mills, 8. Absent, Ald. Stark, Hochrein, Staffan, St. James, Sherk, Manwaring, Smith, 7. Minutes of previous meeting approved.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FROM THE MAYOR.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 1st, 1910.

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—I desire to inform you that I have appointed Mr. William J. Aprill as a patrolman, to fill the vacancy on the police force. Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM L. WALZ, Mayor.

Received and ordered on file.

FROM BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

Moved by Mr. Nichols: That the matter of gratings over areas on south and west sides of city hall be referred to Pres. of Board, City Engineer and Street Commissioner, and that the council be requested to make an appropriation to cover cost of same.

Moved by Ald. Lutz: That action of the Board be concurred in and request granted.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Georg, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Blaich, Lutz, Paton, Pres. Mills, 8. Nays, none.

PETITIONS.

Of Fred Walter, et al., relative to sanitary sewer on Summit street and Fifth av. referred to Sewer committee.

Of W. D. Schmidt, et al., relative to sanitary sewer on N. Ashley st., referred to Sewer committee.

Of M. M. Steffy, et al., relative to water main and hydrant on N. Ashley st., referred to Water committee.

Of Leo Gruner, et al., relative to sidewalk on N. Seventh st., referred to Sidewalk committee.

Petition of Arthur Brown, et al., relative to vacating alley in Olivia B. Hall's Second subdivision, received and following resolution offered:

By Ald. Murray: Whereas, The Common Council of the city of Ann Arbor has been applied to in writing by ten or more freeholders residing within the city of Ann Arbor, praying that a part of a certain alley in Olivia B. Hall's Second subdivision of the city of Ann Arbor, running parallel to and midway between Martin av. and Lincoln av., as shown on the recorded plat of said subdivision, be

vacated, discontinued and closed, which said portion so sought to be vacated is more particularly described as follows: All that part of said alley which lies north of a line parallel to and twenty (20) feet north of the south line of lots 43 and 44 in said subdivision and which extends from said line to the south line of Israel av.;

Resolved, that this Common Council does hereby determine that it is advisable to vacate, discontinue and close all that part of said alley above described:

Resolved, further, that Monday, March 7th, 1910, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., is hereby fixed and appointed as the time when, and the council chamber in the city of Ann Arbor as the place where, the Common Council will meet to consider the proposed improvement and to hear all persons interested therein;

Resolved, further, that the City Clerk do give notice to all persons interested therein of the pendency of the question of ordering the said public improvement, and of the time and place of the said hearing fixed above, in accordance with section one hundred and twenty-seven of the city charter.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Georg, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Blaich, Lutz, Paton, Pres. Mills, 8. Nays, none.

Moved by Ald. Blaich: That the request of Mr. Beakes, relative to purchase of long carriage typewriter for use in City Assessor's and City Treasurer's offices, be granted and Mr. Beakes and committee of two council members be authorized to purchase machine.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Georg, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Blaich, Lutz, Paton, Pres. Mills, 8. Nays, none.

Ald. Paton and Blaich appointed on committee.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

FINANCE REPORT.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 21st, 1910.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your Finance committee have had the city bills under consideration, and respectfully recommend their allowance and warrants ordered drawn for the following amounts.

George Blaich, Wm. H. Murray, Finance Committee.

Fire Fund—

Chas. Andrews, salary	\$ 37.50
Eugene Williams, salary	33.00

Fred Jolly, salary	31.83
Ralph Edwards, salary	33.00
Henry McLaren, salary	31.25
Geo. Hoelzle, salary	30.42
Herman Kirn, salary	30.00
Rex Burnett, salary	30.00
Jacob Gwinner, salary	30.00
Wm. Beranek, salary	30.00
Max Wittlinger, salary	30.00
Arthur Clark, salary	30.00
Dow Golden, salary	30.00
Arch. Waggott, salary	27.50
Frank Markey, salary	27.50
Geo. Holzhauser, salary	27.50
James Sumner, salary	25.00
Harley Wise, salary (8 days)	13.33
Chas. Carroll, salary	20.00
Frank Kapp, salary	20.00
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Total salaries for 1-2 month of February .. \$	567.83
Police Fund—	
Theo. C. Apfel, salary	\$ 41.66
John O'Mara, salary	34.00
Thos. O'Brien, salary	30.00
Zenus Sweet, salary	30.00
Matthew Max, salary	30.00
George Schanz, salary	30.00
Wm. Blackburn, salary	30.00
Wm. Aprill, salary	30.00
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Total salaries for 1-2 month of February .. \$	255.66
Contingent Fund—	
Wm. A. Robinson, labor .. \$	4.00
Street Fund—	
King Bruce, labor	\$ 5.60
George Co burn, labor	2.00
Michael Hession, labor	15.50
William Kuehn labor	1.78
Matthias Luippold, labor ..	3.20
Fred Ulrich, labor	7.11
Jos. Wallaker, labor	2.40
Elsifor Bros., snow plowing	17.00
John Herrst, snow plowing	10.00
Jos. Wallaker, snow plowing	4.50
Jos. Williams, snow plowing	2.50
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Total Street fund	\$ 71.59
Bridge, Culvert & Crosswalk Fund—	
Michael Herey, labor	\$ 8.80
John Herrst, labor	10.67
William Kuehn, labor	6.45
John Radford, labor	5.40
Fred Ulrich, labor	11.33
Jos. Wallaker, labor	4.00
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Total	\$ 46.65
Recapitulation—	
Fire fund	\$567.83
Police	255.66
Contingent	4.00
Street	71.59
Bridge, Cul. & Crosswalk....	46.65
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Total	\$945.73

Approved and respectfully submitted to the Finance committee.
 ROSS GRANGER, City Clerk.
 Ald. Blaich moved the adoption of the report.
 Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Georg, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Blaich, Lutz, Paton, Pres. Mills, 8. Nays, none.

SEWER COMMITTEE.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your committee on sewers, to whom was referred the estimates and report of the City Engineer, relative to the construction of lateral sewers in Lateral Sewer districts Nos. 37, 38 and 39, beg leave to report that they have had such estimates and report, as well as the resolutions 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 cases 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.

George Lutz., C. J. Sweet, Sewer Committee.

Ald. Lutz moved the adoption of the report.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Georg, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Blaich, Lutz, Paton Pres. Mills, 8. Nays, none.

By Ald. Lutz: Resolved, that this Council still deeming it a necessary public improvement, and expedient to cause to be constructed lateral sewers in Lateral Sewer districts Nos. 37, 38 and 39, 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 for the construction of said sewers, city to furnish man to cement

joints and see that sewer pipe is properly laid.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Georg, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Blaich, Lutz, Paton, Pres. Mills, 8. Nays, none.

OFFICERS' REPORTS.

STREET COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works, Wirt Cornwell, Pres. Work done in the month of January, 1910.

Jan. 1-31, Cleaning snow off sidewalks	\$130.46
Jan. 1-31, Cleaning out inlets	73.73
Jan. 7, Sanding extensions and sidewalks	6.75
Jan. 1-31, Cleaning gutters..	29.80
Jan. 1-31, Ploughing snow from sidewalks	181.50
Jan. 8, Repairing snow plow	3.45
Jan. 8., Repairing box carts	3.75
Jan. 8, Painting wagon	1.78
Gill lumber bill,	7.20
Fischer, shovels	3.25
Schlenker, supplies	6.00
Staebler, salt	5.70
Garage, repairs45

Total

J. WISNER, Street Commissioner.

Street Commissioner's Report for month of January received from the Board of Public Works and, on motion of Ald. Lutz, ordered printed in the minutes and filed.

RESOLUTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Paton, that the election of City Physician be deferred to next regular meeting. Adopted.

By Ald. Pipp: Resolved, that the time for collecting taxes be extended from the 15th of February to the close of the month.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Georg, Murray, Sweet, Pipp, Blaich, Lutz, Paton, Pres. Mills, 8. Nays, none.

By Ald. Sweet: Resolved, that the Police committee investigate purchasing a patrol wagon. Referred to Police Committee.

By Ald. Lutz: Resolved, and it is hereby ordered, that the City Clerk draw warrants in payment of all bonds and interest due March 1st, 1910.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Georg, Murray, Sweet Pipp, Blaich, Lutz, Paton, Pres. Mills, 8. Nays, none.

The Council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER, Clerk.