

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor, Mich., August 5, 1912. Regular session. Meeting called to order by Pres. Mills. Present: Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Absent: Ald. Lindenschmitt, 1. Minutes of previous meetings approved.

#### Petitions.

Petition of Julius H. Koernke, et al, for a sanitary sewer on Hiscock st., received and referred to Sewer committee.

Petition of Geo. Kusterer, et al, asking that sidewalk committee visit Brown st. and investigate present conditions, received and referred to Sidewalk committee.

Petition of M. W. Judd, et al, for street light on Dewey, av., received and referred to Lighting committee.

#### Committee Reports.

##### FINANCE REPORT.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 1st, 1912.

To the Finance committee of the Common Council: Gentlemen—I have examined the following accounts against the city of Ann Arbor, and I hereby certify that they are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted, ROSS GRANGER, City Clerk.

##### Contingent Fund.

Ross Granger, salary and clerk hire	\$166.66
Eugene G. Mann, salary and clerk hire	103.33
S. W. Beakes, salary	125.00
John W. Dwyer, salary	83.33
Jas. F. Breakey, salary	50.00
Harris Ball, salary	55.00
M. E. Easterly, salary	50.00
Napoleon Brough, salary	50.00
R. G. MacKenzie, salary	25.00

Total salaries for June .....\$713.32

##### Fire Fund.

Chas. J. Andrews, salary	\$41.66
Eugene Williams, salary	36.30
Fred Jolly, salary	36.30
Ralph Edwards, salary	36.30
Henry McLaren, salary	34.37
George Hoelzle, salary	34.37
Jacob Gwinner, salary	33.00
Arthur Clark, salary	33.00
Max Wittlinger, salary	33.00
Harley Wise, salary	33.00
Martin Noll, salary	33.00
George Isbel, salary	30.00
Mat. Heininger, salary	30.00
John Behr, salary	30.00
James Smith, salary	30.00
Frank Markey, salary	30.00
Thomas Shamp, salary	27.50
Clyd Carpenter, salary	27.50
Chas. Carroll, salary	22.00
Frank Kapp, salary	22.00

Total salaries for 1-2 month of July .....\$633.30

##### Police Fund.

Theo. C. Apfel, salary .....\$41.66

Thos. O'Brien, salary	37.40
Wm. Blackburn, salary	33.00
Wm. J. Aprill, salary	33.00
Gustave Meyer, salary	33.00
Rex Burnett, salary	33.00
Ruben Armbruster, salary	33.00
Edw. Kuhn, salary	33.00

Total salaries for 1-2 month of July ... ..\$277.06

##### Poor Fund.

J. H. Shadford, salary .....\$25.00

##### Cemetery Fund.

Matthias Luippold, salary .....\$40.00

##### Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.

Manley Osgood, salary .....\$100.00

John Wisner, salary .....125.00

W. M. Fitzgerald, salary ..... 75.00

R. M. Caughey, salary ..... 60.00

Total .....\$360.00

##### Contingent Fund.

Edw. Besch, collecting garbage .....\$225.00

King's Daughters, for visiting nurse. 200.00

Ann Arbor Gas Co., city hall ..... 1.25

Eastern Mich. Edison Co., city hall

clock, etc. .... 38.33

Washtenaw Home Tel. Co., rentals.. 38.25

Chas. L. Miller, entry fee ..... 3.00

G. F. Willey, analyses ..... 14.00

Robison & Co., liveries ..... 9.00

The American Contractor, printing.. 3.90

The Times News Co., printing ..... 226.10

Sid. W. Millard, printing ..... 41.75

Clyde C. Kerr, printing ..... 11.50

The Athens Press, printing ..... 9.75

Davis & Ohlinger, printing ..... 3.25

J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., supplies ... 9.90

George Wahr, supplies ..... 12.25

Sheehan & Co., supplies ..... 5.00

Mayer, Schoettle & Schairer Co.,

supplies ..... 4.75

Herrick & Bohnet, supplies ..... 3.25

Mrs. Melissa Easterly, laundry ..... 6.00

Chas. E. Godfrey, freight and cart-

age..... .50

Ross Granger, express paid ..... 1.70

Total supplies, etc ... ..\$898.43

Contingent fund (including salaries) .....\$1,611.75

##### Fire Fund.

Ann Arbor Gas Co., light, etc.....\$14.66

Eastern Mich. Edison Co., light... 3.16

Varsity Laundry Co., laundry ..... 7.63

Chas. S. Millen, supplies ..... 26.33

Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies. 6.88

Muehlig & Schmid, supplies ..... 2.15

Dean & Co., supplies ..... 10.49

H. G. Ehnis, supplies ..... 8.85

Artificial Ice Co., supplies ..... 6.00

Ray Burdick, hay ..... 33.00

Perry Townsend, oats ..... 47.99

Michigan Milling Co., bran ..... 7.50

Seybold & Esslinger, horseshoeing.. 10.35

C. W. Cornell horseshoeing ..... 3.90

Total supplies, etc... ..\$188.89

Fire fund (including salaries).....\$822.19

##### Police Fund.

Michigan State Tel. Co., tolls .....\$ .35

Washtenaw Home Tel. Co., tolls... .35

Schumacher Hardware Co., sup-

plies ..... 3.30

J. A. Brown, supplies ..... 6.02

Muehlig & Schmid, supplies .....	26.95	G. W. Weeks, team .....	31.50
White's Photo Studio, supplies .....	7.50	Total labor .....	\$378.39
W. L. Henderson, livery .....	1.50	Seybold & Esslinger, repairs, etc. . . . .	\$ 6.95
Robison & Co., livery .....	6.00	W. H. Donegan, hay .....	30.76
George Sanzi, livery .....	1.75	Michigan Milling Co., oats .....	14.50
Rothwell Garage and Sales Co., repairs, etc. ....	13.13	Total supplies, etc. ....	\$52.21
Staebler & Sons, repairs, etc. ....	13.59	Street fund total .....	\$430.60
Theo. C. Apfel, attending convention, etc. ....	49.33	<b>Sidewalk Fund.</b>	
Total supplies, etc. ....	\$129.77	Wm. Bury, labor .....	\$8.75
Police fund (including salaries) ..	\$406.83	Wm. Clark, labor .....	2.25
<b>Poor Fund.</b>		Ed. Donahue, labor .....	2.70
A. Lemble, Jr., supplies .....	\$18.69	Wm. Graf, labor .....	1.20
John Wagner, supplies .....	6.12	F. Kraus, labor .....	3.00
J. F. Niethammer supplies .....	5.40	R. Thayer, labor .....	3.00
Theurer & Walker, supplies .....	20.75	Wm. Wild, labor .....	2.70
Staebler & Son, supplies .....	4.25	David Henning, team .....	6.75
Robison & Co., livery .....	1.50	Vanatta Bros., team .....	4.50
Total supplies, etc. ....	\$56.71	Geo. Weeks, team .....	9.00
Poor fund (including salary) .....	\$81.71	Total labor .....	\$43.85
<b>Dog License Fund.</b>		<b>Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund.</b>	
George Decker, burial of dog .....	\$ 50	Joe Braun, labor .....	\$2.00
<b>Street Lighting Fund.</b>		J. A. Burg, labor .....	17.64
Eastern Mich. Edison Co., light .....	\$1,244.86	Andrew Caughey, labor .....	29.20
<b>Park Fund.</b>		Wm. Clark, labor .....	24.13
Lee Bush, labor .....	\$1.80	John Dalgliesh, labor .....	30.60
Toward Chambers, labor .....	4.00	Ed. Donahue, labor .....	2.90
Geo. Collins, team .....	36.84	Francis Dwyer, labor .....	21.48
Clifford Hamilton, labor .....	5.40	Jacob Graf, labor .....	2.00
Edw. Hrdv., labor .....	8.70	Wm. Graf, labor .....	11.30
L. Latson, labor .....	13.60	Mike Heist, labor .....	31.70
Bernard Markey, labor .....	20.00	Chris. Helber, labor .....	5.00
J. W. Markey, supt. ....	75.00	Mike Hession, labor .....	31.70
Chas. Nichols, labor .....	11.00	Gerald Hinch, labor .....	7.20
J. W. O'Brien, labor .....	25.00	Felix Hoheisel, labor .....	7.11
W. J. Randel, labor .....	25.00	John Holka, labor .....	26.30
Wm. Smith, labor .....	7.11	Sam. Kalmbach, labor .....	6.20
John Thornton, labor .....	6.00	Harry Koch, labor .....	7.71
Total labor .....	\$239.45	Carl Kolmesh, labor .....	13.51
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies ..	\$8.25	Wm. Kuehn, labor .....	20.98
The Hartman Garage Co., liveries ..	4.00	Julius Loehrke, labor .....	52.67
Total supplies, etc. ....	\$12.25	J. G. Mack, labor .....	31.60
Park fund total .....	\$251.70	Erwin Masine, labor .....	6.00
<b>Street Fund.</b>		Geo. Miléy, labor .....	31.00
Joe Braun, labor .....	\$ 1.80	Harry Mills, labor .....	19.57
Wm. Bury, labor .....	29.20	John Osborn, labor .....	12.78
Wm. Clark, labor .....	11.25	Ernest Rapp, labor .....	31.60
Ed. Donahue labor .....	18.30	Albert Reichert, labor .....	13.20
Francis Dwyer, labor .....	1.80	A. G. Schneeberger, labor .....	30.60
Jacob Graf, labor .....	15.56	Adam Stoll, labor .....	3.11
Wm. Graf, labor .....	12.50	Wm. Wild, labor .....	3.50
Felix Hoheisel, labor .....	1.80	John Williamson, labor .....	1.80
Sam. Kalmbach, labor .....	5.40	Elmer Wisner, labor .....	20.00
Harry Koch, labor .....	3.60	Elmer Wisner, labor (eng. dept.) ..	12.00
Carl Kolmesh, labor .....	1.80	Geo. Wisner, labor .....	21.44
F. Kraus, labor .....	18.11	Geo. Wisner, labor (eng. dept.) ..	8.22
Wm. Kuehn, labor .....	19.02	Joe Youngbauer, labor .....	16.00
D. J. Moncrief, labor .....	10.00	John McHugh, team .....	58.25
John Moran, labor .....	25.50	G. L. Mullison, team .....	41.00
John Osborn, labor .....	2.00	Geo. Schaible, cart .....	54.00
Albert Reichert, labor .....	1.80	Jos. Wallacker, cart .....	54.00
Adam Stoll, labor .....	4.00	G. W. Weeks, team .....	13.50
R. Thayer, labor .....	19.45	Total labor .....	\$834.60
Wm. Wild, labor .....	13.90	Peerless Portland Cement Co., cement .....	\$197.75
Geo. Wisner, labor .....	2.00	E. J. McHarg & Co., supplies .....	2.75
Joe Youngbauer, labor .....	12.00	Ann Arbor Machine Co., supplies ..	34.50
David Henning, team .....	54.75	S. Wood & Co., supplies .....	43.88
John McHugh, team .....	18.25	Wm. H. L. Rohde, supplies .....	2.80
G. L. Mullison, team .....	29.50	Muehlig & Schmid, supplies .....	15.25
Vanatta Bros., team .....	13.50	Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies ..	1.30
		Standard Oil Co., supplies .....	4.00

Ann Arbor Gas Co., supplies .....	15.11
R. Simmons, supplies .....	20.51
Ann Arbor Water Co., supplies .....	20.75
Julius H. Koernke, sewer .....	18.40
Geo. W. Lake, sewer .....	9.02
Davis & Ohlinger, printing .....	3.00
Michigan Central Railroad Co., freight .....	33.25
Total supplies, etc. ....	\$422.27
Bridge, culvert and crosswalk, (in- cluding salaries) .....	\$1,616.87
<b>Labor Acct. Paving Dist. No. 26.</b>	
Andrew Caughey, labor .....	\$1.80
Ed. Donahue, labor .....	3.60
Geo. D. Eddy, labor .....	5.40
Jacob Graf, labor .....	6.00
Wm. Graf, labor .....	1.20
Gerald Hinch, labor .....	3.80
F. Kraus, labor .....	6.00
D. J. Moncrief, labor .....	5.40
John Osborn, labor .....	6.00
Albert Reichert, labor .....	5.10
Adam Stoll, labor .....	6.00
R. Thayer, labor .....	6.00
Wm. Wild, labor .....	5.40
John Williamson, labor .....	5.40
John Young, labor .....	9.00
David Henning, team .....	13.50
E. D. Hiscock, team .....	9.00
Vanatta Bros., team .....	13.50
C. M. Thompson & Son, curb .....	198.00
Total labor .....	\$310.10
<b>Labor Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 44.</b>	
Hutzel & Co., final payment .....	\$10.21
<b>Labor Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 45.</b>	
Hutzel & Co., final payment .....	\$12.36
<b>Labor Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 46.</b>	
Hutzel & Co., final payment .....	\$26.92
<b>Labor Acct. Sewer Dist. No. 47.</b>	
Hutzel & Co., final payment .....	\$26.63
<b>Sprinkling Dist. No. 11.</b>	
Wm. J. Clancy, sprinkling .....	\$110.00
<b>Sprinkling Dist. No. 12.</b>	
Wm. J. Clancy, sprinkling .....	\$165.00
<b>Sprinkling Dist. No. 13.</b>	
Wm. J. Clancy, sprinkling .....	\$81.00
<b>Recapitulation.</b>	
Contingent fund .....	\$1,611.75
Fire .....	822.19
Police .....	406.83
Poor .....	81.71
Dog license .....	50
Street lighting .....	1,244.86
Park .....	251.70
Cemetery .....	40.00
Street .....	430.00
Sidewalk .....	43.85
Bridge, cul. and crosswalk .....	1,616.87
Total city funds .....	\$6,550.86
Labor acct. paving dist. No. 30 .....	310.10
<b>Labor Acct. Sewer Districts—</b>	
No. 44 .....	\$10.21
No. 45 .....	12.36
No. 46 .....	26.92
No. 47 .....	26.63
Total sewer funds .....	\$76.12
<b>Sprinkling Districts—</b>	
No. 11 .....	\$110.00
No. 12 .....	165.00
No. 13 .....	81.00
Total sprinkling funds .....	\$356.00

Grand total .....\$7,293.08  
Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 5th, 1912.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:  
Gentlemen—Your Finance committee have reviewed the foregoing report of the city clerk. Warrants for salaries were drawn Aug. 1st, 1912. We recommend that same be approved and that warrants be ordered drawn for the other foregoing accounts. Geo. Lutz, Wm. H. Murray, E. E. Schmid, Finance Committee.

Ald. Lutz moved the adoption of the report.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

#### Ordinance Committee.

Michigan State Telephone Company,  
Ann Arbor, Aug. 5, 1912.

City of Ann Arbor: Gentlemen—In consideration that the ordinance of the Washtenaw Home Telephone Company in Ann Arbor is repealed to-night by the common council, the Michigan State Telephone Company, which intends to purchase the physical property, hereby agrees to furnish the city of Ann Arbor with the same number of free telephones, to be used in the administration of the city's business, as is now furnished by the Michigan State Telephone Company, and also furnish the same number as is now furnished by the Washtenaw Home Telephone Company, eliminating all duplication.

We also agree to remove all unused property as rapidly as possible, this includes poles, wires and fixtures not necessary for the conduct of the business for the Michigan State Telephone Company.

We agree to continue the present schedule of rates in Ann Arbor, which is in use by the Michigan State Telephone Company, copy of which is on file with the Railroad Commission at Lansing, making no change in this schedule without first submitting the matter to the Railroad Commission or such body as may succeed them.

We have delayed adding to our plant contemplating using the plant of the Home Company and unless we can use this plant immediately so as to be in shape to care for business before the school year, the plant will be of little value to us as we will have to go ahead with the construction of our plant. We are now holding orders for service that should be taken care of promptly.

Respectfully, A. von Schlegell, General Manager.

#### Repeal of Telephone Ordinance.

Ald. Manwaring presented an or-

ordinance entitled, "An ordinance to repeal an ordinance granting Charles W. Wagner and Walter C. Mack the right to operate a telephone plant," passed June 2nd, 1902, and approved June 10th, 1902, for its third reading as follows:

An ordinance to repeal an ordinance granting Charles W. Wagner and Walter C. Mack the right to operate a telephone plant, passed June 2, 1902, and approved June 10, 1902.

The Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor ordain:

Section 1. That the ordinance passed on the 2nd day of June, 1902, approved on the 10th day of June, 1902, and amended on the 9th day of April, 1903, granting permission to Charles W. Wagner and Walter C. Mack of Ann Arbor, to construct, operate and maintain a telephone plant in the City of Ann Arbor, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force upon the filing of acceptance of this ordinance by the Washtenaw Home Telephone Company, at any time within a period of four (4) months from this date.

The Chair put the question, "Shall this ordinance pass?"

Passed by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Pres. Mills, 13. Nays, Ald. Lutz, 1.

#### Sewer Committee.

To the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your committee on sewers, to whom was referred the estimates and reports of the engineer relative to the construction of lateral sewers in sewer districts Nos. 48, 49 and 50, beg leave to report that we have had such estimates and reports, 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 be ordered to

advertise for bids for the construction of above named sewers.

I. L. Sherk, Chairman of Sewer committee.

Ald. Sherk moved the adoption of the report.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

By Ald. Sherk: Resolved, that this council, still deeming it a necessary public improvement, and expedient to cause to be constructed lateral sewers in lateral sewer districts No. 48 (on Murray av. between Liberty and Washington sts.); No. 49 (on Olivia av. from Minerva road north 268 ft.) and No. 50 (on Myrtle st. from Oswego st. to city limits); 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 that this order and determination be certified to the city assessor and the board of public works, and the board of public work advertise for bids for the construction of said sewers, city to furnish men to cement joints and see that sewer pipe is properly laid.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

To the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your Sewer committee, to whom the following matter was referred, respectfully reports and recommends that a sanitary sewer be constructed on Summit st. from Main st. to Spring st.

I. L. Sherk, Chairman of Sewer committee.

Ald. Sherk moved the adoption of the report.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

By Ald. Sherk: Resolved, that the construction of a sanitary sewer, hereinafter designated, is deemed and declared to be a necessary public improvement, and the construction of the same is hereby ordered, that is to say: on Summit st. from Main st. to Spring st.

Resolved, further, that the city engineer cause all needful surveys, maps, measurements and estimates to

be made and report to the council with all convenient dispatch.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

**Sidewalk Grade Resolution.**

By Ald. Rash: Whereas, in the opinion of the council the grade of the sidewalk on the north side of Pearl 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 north side of Pearl st. from the west line of Miner st. to the east line of Gott st. be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, so that the grade of said sidewalk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:

At the west line of Miner St	El. 895.8
40 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	895.6
50 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	895.47
60 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	895.2
80 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	894.65
100 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	893.9
120 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	892.6
160 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	890.2
170 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	889.5
180 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	888.6
250 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	882.0
260 ft. west of the west line of Miner st. ....	881.2
At the east line of Gott st. ...	880.7
B. M. on S. E. cor. of porch of house at S. W. cor. Miner and Summit sts. El. ....	873.89

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. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

By Ald. Rash: Resolved, that the grading and construction of the sidewalks hereinafter mentioned is deemed and declared to be a neces-

sary public improvement. Therefore, it is hereby ordered that tar sidewalks be graded, built and constructed in the city of Ann Arbor on and along the north side of Pearl st. from Miner st. to Gott st.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

**Water Committee.**

To the Council: Gentlemen—Your Water committee have had the following under consideration and recommend that a water main be laid on 1st st. from Mosley to Madison st. and on Mrytle st. from Oswego st. east to city limits. Your committee further recommends that fire hydrants be placed under the direction of the city engineer and the chief of fire department.

Jas. D. Ramsay, E. B. Manwaring, Wm. P. Flynn, Water committee.

Ald. Ramsay moved the adoption of report.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

**Lighting Committee.**

To the Council: Gentlemen—Your Lighting committee have had the following under consideration and recommends that a tungsten street light be placed on the east side of North State st. between Kingsley and Fuller sts.

E. E. Schmid, Jas. D. Ramsay, Julius H. Koernke.

Ald. Schmid moved the adoption of the report.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

**Bond Committee.**

To the Council: Gentlemen—Your Bond committee have had the following plumbers' bonds under consideration: George W. Lake, principal, and F. D. Forsyth and Chas. P. Bancroft as sureties; Sam. C. Andres, principal, and W. H. L. Rohde and O G. Andres as sureties, and recommend approval of same.

Wm. P. Flynn, Theo. Prochnow, E. E. Schmid.

Ald. Flynn moved the adoption of report.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Sc: ultz, Murray,

Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

**Officers' Reports.**

Marshal's report for month of July received and ordered on file.

Street Commissioner's report for month of June received and ordered printed in the minutes.

**Street Commissioner's Report.**

Street Commissioner's Office, Ann Arbor, Mich., July 10, 1912.

Hon. Board of Public Works, Wirt Cornwell Esq., President; Gentlemen—The following is a report of the work done under my charge during the month of June, 1912: May 31-June 12; June 13-26—Cleaning paved streets, labor .....\$471.30

Grading, graveling and patching streets, labor ..... 442.95

(Oxford ro., S. University, Washtenaw, east of Oxford road, Forest, E. University, S. Ingalls, Miller av., Catherine W. Huron, Liberty, Ashley, Hill, Church, N. State, Packard, east of Granger; Geddes av., McKinley, Madison.)

Extensions and crosswalks, labor ... 101.60

(Extension and crosswalk across Spring, south side Cherry, across Catherine bet. Glen av. and Clark, across Geddes av. west side Observatory; repairs gutter box and crosswalk Belser; repairs sidewalk Broadway and Wall; extensions, N. Main and Felch, Cross and Packard; cement gutter box across street south side Washtenaw av. east of Ferdon road; small repairs extensions 4th av. and Packard and other points.)

Cleaning gutters, labor .....1,340.72

(W. Huron, Jackson av., Dexter road, Miller av., Brooks, Gott, Summit, Fountain, Spring, Felch, N. Ashley S. 4th st., S. 1th st., S. 6th st., Jefferson, 7th st., 3rd st., 2nd st., 1st st., Madison, W. Washington, Chapin, S. Ashley, Hill, S. Thayer, Oakland, Mosely, S. Main, S. 4th av., Mary, Edwin, Monroe, E. Huron, Glen av., Catherine, E. Ann, Fuller, Wall, Moore, Pontiac, Kellogg, Wright, Traver, Kingsley, Detroit, N. 4th av., N. 5th av., Beakes, N. State, Elizabeth, Broadway, Tappan, Arch, Forest, Wells, Church Prospect, Willard, E. University, Vaughn, Greenwood, Michigan, Arbor, Elm, Geddes, Volland, 14th st., E. Washington, Maiden Lane.)

Repairs inlets and spills, labor ... 19.85

(Madison and 5th av., Madison and 4th av., 3rd st. and Madison, 1st and Ann, Division and Detroit, water trough State and Fuller.)

Miscellaneous work and repairs, labor ... 7.45

(Repairs bridge No. 1, \$195; work at city yard and tar tank, \$5.50.)

Cutting weeds in streets and on lawn extensions in the several wards, labor ..... 174.42

Flushing sanitary sewers, labor .. 2.39

(Martin av., Well st.)

Repairs cement and block pavements, labor ..... 28.18

(Washington east of 5th av., Washington west of 5th av., E. and W. Huron,

Huron and 4th av. intersection, cleaning up tar Packard st.)

Heating city tar tank, labor ..... 10.00

Tarring cement pavements, labor.. 60.22

(N. Main, 5th av. south of city hall to Washington, E. Washington, alley fronts S. Main st.)

Unloading gravel from cars, labor... 11.33

Sprinkling streets during U. of M. anniversary, labor ..... 22.50

Grading sidewalks, labor ..... 16.20

(Olivia east of Cambridge road and Cambridge road.)

Total .....\$2,709.11

Respectfully submitted, J. WISNER, Street Commissioner.

**City Clerk on Board of Review.**

To the Common Council: Gentlemen—The undersigned city clerk begs leave to submit the following report of the board of review proceedings on the special assessment rolls of sprinkling districts Nos. 11, 12 and 13 of the city of Ann Arbor, Mich.

The council, sitting as such board of review, in pursuance to its order and appointment for that purpose, met at the council chamber on August 5th, 1912, at 7 o'clock p. m. The roll was called of the aldermen and the following members were found present: Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz and Pres. Mills; and the council entered upon the review of said special assessment rolls, due proof of the publication of notice of meeting was filed. After hearing all persons desiring to be heard and computing the review of such special assessment rolls in sprinkling districts Nos. 11, 12 and 13 the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Murray: The special assessment rolls of sprinkling districts Nos. 11, 12 and 13 having been duly certified to us and this day having been appointed and assigned for a review thereof, and all persons appearing having been heard and the said special assessment rolls having been fully considered and the review thereof completed, therefore be it

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered, that the city clerk do report the proceedings of this board of review on special assessment rolls to the common council at its next regular meeting.

Resolved, further, that said special assessment rolls be and the same are fixed and determined as presented.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz,

Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

The Board adjourned.

Ross Granger, Clerk.

By Ald. Prochnow: Resolved, that the special assessment rolls for sprinkling districts Nos. 11, 12 and 13 of the city of Ann Arbor, Michigan, as fixed and determined by the board of review and certified to this common council, do stand in all things confirmed.

Resolved, further, and the city assessor is hereby ordered and required to assess and spread thereon and against the lands, tenements and premises mentioned therein, the sum of \$528.00, Dist. No. 11; \$792.00, Dist. No. 12; and \$351.00, Dist. No. 13; being the estimated cost of such improvement, street crossings excepted, and also to levy, assess and spread the sum of money on and upon each and every year in and during which any of such assessment shall or may be payable, and to levy and assess the said lands, tenements and premises and against the owners and occupants thereof, as mentioned therein according to law.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

#### Engineer's Report.

Ann Arbor, Mich., July 31st, 1912.

To the Hon. Common Council, Ann Arbor, Mich.: Sirs—On July 15th, 1912, I was instructed to prepare an estimate of the cost of taking up and relaying with a larger size of pipe the storm water sewer on Jefferson st. from Second st. to the creek. Upon investigation, however, I found that this sewer was a good 24-inch vitrified tile sewer, which should be ample to care for all the water which is emptied into it. This led to further investigation, and a stoppage was located in the sewer leading from the two catch basins on Second st. between Jefferson st. and Madison st. to the sewer on Jefferson st. Upon digging up a part of this sewer it was found to contain one small paint keg, about half a dozen tin cans varying in size from the ordinary canned fruit size to a large square maple syrup can, quite a number of sticks and small pieces of board, and a large supply of mud. All this has been cleaned out and the catch basins fixed with grating to remove such things from the water before it enters the sewer, and I believe that the condition will be relieved without the ex-

pense of relaying the sewer on Jefferson st.

Respectfully submitted, Manley Osgood, City Engineer.

The matter was left with the engineer for further investigation.

#### Resolutions.

By Ald. Sherk: Resolved, that the board of public works be and are hereby ordered to repair the driveway in John Koch's sidewalk on Broadway.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

By Ald. Pipp: Whereas, it has come to the attention of this council that the Board of Regents of the University of Michigan, contemplate the erection of a heating plant in the block between Huron and Washington streets and Felch Park and Fourteenth street, and the construction of a tramway leading from the Michigan Central railroad across Fuller, Catherine, Ann and Huron streets for the purpose of hauling coal to said heating plant and freight for the University, and

Whereas, it is the opinion of this council that the construction of said heating plant and tramway will materially interfere with the growth of that part of this city and will deteriorate the value of property in that vicinity, thereby doing great damage to the owners thereof, and lowering the assessments and lessening the taxes now paid to the city thereon, and

Whereas, this city has spent, and is spending, large sums of money on its public parks, and a tramway across Huron street, which is to be made the main entrance to the Glen Park, would greatly mar the beauty thereof, and

Whereas, the University has heretofore purchased, and now own, land on Fuller street upon which to build a heating plant where it will not effect the value of property, nor encumber our streets, nor interfere with our park plans, therefore,

Resolved, that we respectfully request the Honorable Board of Regents to locate their heating plant on its Fuller st. site, and

Resolved, that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to serve a copy of these resolutions upon the said Board of Regents.

Moved by Ald. Manwaring, that the resolution be laid on the table.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Prochnow, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, 10. Nays, Ald. Flynn, Murray, Pipp, Pres. Mills, 4.

Ald. Prochnow moved that the matter of University power plant site be referred to the Street committee for investigation. Adopted.

By Ald. Schultz: Resolved, that the city clerk make necessary arrangements for registration of voters to be held in the several ward voting rooms on Wednesday, August 21st, 1912, 8 o'clock a. m. to 8 o'clock p. m., and also for the special election and general primary election to be held in the city, August 27th, 1912, 7 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

By Ald. Manwaring: Resolved, that the plat known as "Huron Crest Allotment," dedicated to the city of Ann Arbor, be and the same is hereby accepted, subject to the approval of the Street committee and the board of public works.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

Moved by Ald. Koernke, that the matter of a water main on Hiscock st. from Fountain st. to Miner st. be referred to the Water committee. Adopted.

#### Miscellaneous Business.

Petition of Wm. Frey, et al, asking that Eighth st. be cut down and graded between Washington and Liberty sts., received and referred to Street committee.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 5, 1912.

We, the undersigned, being residents and property owners on North Main st., do hereby protest to the honorable body of the Common Council of the city of Ann Arbor against permitting the operation of the Rendering Plant now located within the city limits on North Main st.

The foul odors and stench arising from this plant makes it a nuisance not only to the surrounding community but to the entire city, its location now being on one of the main thoroughfares of the city and on one of the main roads completing the beautiful new park system.

Economy Baler Company, per G. W. Langford, Pres.; Ann Arbor Machine Co., per G. W. L., Secy.; Paul G. Tessmer, Godfrey Neff, Ludwig Welke

Moved by Ald. Manwaring, that the matter be referred to the Board of Health and City Attorney. Adopted.

Moved by Ald. Sherk, that the city clerk advertise for bids on collection of garbage for ensuing year.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Schmid, Hochrein, Koernke, Flynn, Manwaring, Ramsay, Schultz, Murray, Prochnow, Pipp, Sherk, Rash, Lutz, Pres. Mills, 14. Nays, none.

The Council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER, Clerk.