

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 21, 1916. Regular session.

Meeting called to order by the president. Present: Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, G. Lutz, Sink, Pres. Wurster, 11. Absent: Ald. Koernke, Manwaring, McGregor, Freeman, 4.

Minutes of previous meeting approved.

Communications.

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—I hereby announce the appointment of Duncan Currie as special police for police duty at the University, and without pay from the city. This appointment is necessary because of a change in the night watch service at the University.

Respectfully yours, E. M. Wurster, Acting Mayor.

Received and ordered on file.

To the Council from the Board of Public Works, February 21, 1916.

Proposals for construction of new doors for Engine House No. 1, as per plans and specifications furnished by the City Engineer and approved by the Council, received by Board of Public Works as follows: L. F. Zells, \$335.00; Luick Bros., \$368.00; John J. Sauer, \$374.00; H. G. Pipp, \$435.00; C. A. Sauer & Co., \$448.00.

Moved by Mr. Schmid, that the Board recommends to the Council that the contract for Engine House doors be awarded to L. F. Zells as per his proposal at \$335.00. Adopted by Board.

(Council action.)

Moved by Ald. A. Lutz, that recommendation be concurred in.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, G. Lutz, Sink, 10. Nays, none. President not voting.

Communication from Edward D. Rich, State Sanitary Engineer, calling attention to Public Act 98, requiring maps and descriptions of the water supplies and sewer systems of all incorporated municipalities in the state to be filed with Engineering Division of the State Board of Health and asking that arrangements be made for full compliance with the provisions of the law before the spring rush comes on, received and referred to the Sewer committee and City Engineer.

Petitions.

Of F. Schmid, et al, for paving Greenwood ave., received Feb. 7, 1916, and referred to the City Eng-

neer, returned to Council as follows:

To the Common Council: Gentlemen--The undersigned property owners on Greenwood avenue between Packard street and East University avenue petition your Honorable Body to have said avenue within above named district graded and paved. This petition is signed with the understanding that the city pays 20 percent of the cost of such pavement.

Property owner.	Number of feet owned.
F. Schmid	140 feet
W. J. Masten	40 feet
Thos. Horen	80 feet
Koy R. Seeley	90 feet
Sarah Hallen	40 feet
Mrs. A. S. Reynolds	40 feet
Mrs. E. A. Eddy	40 feet
Geo. W. Sweet	40 feet
A. H. Cady	50 feet
Mary J. Stark	40 feet
Horatio J. Abbott	21 1-2 feet
Joseph W. Sliwinski	40 feet
Carrie S. Wagner	80 feet
G. W. Langford	40 feet
50.13 per cent O. K. Manley Osgood, City Engineer.	

Moved by Ald G. Lutz, that petition for paving Greenwood ave. between Packard st. and East University ave. be received and filed. Adopted.

Committee Reports.

FINANCE REPORT

Fire Fund

Chas. J. Andrews, salary	\$ 50.00
Eugene Williams, salary	38.50
Geo Hoelzle, salary	38.50
Ralph Edwards, salary	38.50
Henry McLaren, salary	36.50
Jacob Gwinner, salary	36.50
Arthur Clark, salary	35.00
Harley Wise, salary	35.00
Martin Noll, salary	35.00
Geo. Isbel, salary	35.00
Frank Markey, salary	35.00
Thomas Shamp, salary	35.00
Harold Darling, salary	35.00
Herman Kruse, salary	35.00
Ed. Kleinschmidt, salary	35.00
Emil Damman, salary	30.00
Mat. Heininger, salary	30.00
Al. McNamara, salary	30.00
Nelson Hoppe, salary	30.00
James Sumrer, salary	30.00
Charlie McLaren, salary	30.00
Chas. Carroll, salary	23.00
Frank Kapp, salary	23.00

Total salaries for 1/2 month of

February \$779.50

Police Fund

Frank Pardon, salary	\$ 41.66
Thomas O'Brien, salary	40.00
Wm. Blackburn, salary	35.00
Wm. J. Aprill, salary	35.00
Gustave Meyer, salary	35.00
Ruben Armbruster, salary	35.00
Ed. Blumhardt, salary	35.00
Frank Keihl, salary	35.00
Emanuel Sodt, salary	32.50

Earl Walker, salary \$2.50
 Marlena Howard, salary 32.50

Total salaries for ½ month of
 February\$389.16

Contingent Fund

M. C. Ryan, salary ½ month\$ 30.00
 Engineer Dept.—
 Fred G. Hanselman, team\$ 3.50
 James Mason, labor 23.67
 Horace H. Person labor 33.34
 F. E. Williams, labor 13.50

Total Engineer Dept.\$ 74.01
 City Treasurer taxes on parks pur-
 chased\$ 82.50

J. C. Goss Company, supplies 9.05
 Home Laundry laundry60
 E. David Walker, lumber 463.81
 Ann Arbor Railroad Co., freight... 85.76
 Michigan Central R. R. Co., freight. 27.20

Total supplies, etc.\$668.96
 Contingent fund total\$772.97

Water Works Fund

W. H. Willsher, services\$ 37.50
 Joel West, services 37.50
 Leslie Bush, services 37.50
 Robert Stoll, services 30.00
 Fred Schwikert, services 30.00
 John Ford, services 30.00
 J. Schwikert, services 32.50
 Henry Linde, services 32.50
 John Wood, services 30.00
 A. E. Hawkes, services 37.50
 Cliff Shetterly, services 41.66
 Louise Malloy, services 25.00

Total services for ½ month of
 February\$401.63
 F. Rhodenbecker, labor 2.50
 Joe Glazier, labor 1.25

Total labor\$ 3.75
 Ohio & Michigan Coal Co., supplies.\$150.00
 The Mayer-Schairer Co., supplies.. 3.00
 H. Mueller Mfg. Co., supplies1,405.43
 Electro Bleaching Gas Co., supplies. 52.83
 Standard Oil Co., supplies 20.68
 Staebler & Co., supplies 1.52
 Schumacher & Baekhaus, supplies.. .65
 Geo. Wahr, supplies 2.50
 Washtenaw Electric Shop, supplies. .82
 Chas. A. Sauer & Co., supplies..... 3.36
 Mechanical Electrical Garage, sup-
 plies 5.50
 Neptune Meter Co. 5.40
 Crane Co., supplies 12.70
 Eaton Clark Co., supplies 11.85
 Mich. Central R. R. Co., freight.... 263.68
 H. J. Richards, services 2.50
 Archie Miller, services 20.00
 C. E. Godfrey, cartage 15.46
 Water Works Dept., expenses 29.76

Total supplies, etc.\$2,007.64
 Water Works fund total\$2,413.05

Street Fund

Fmanuel Holzappel, labor\$.75
 Sam Kalmbach, labor 4.00
 James Mason, labor67
 W. H. Romig, labor 6.33
 Geo. A. Schaible, labor 2.00
 Eugene Schlenderer, labor 22.00
 Fred Ulrich labor 2.67
 Martin Walsh, labor 8.00
 John Wendland, labor 11.67
 Max Bethke, snow plowing 3.50
 James Blades, snow plowing 7.00
 Mrs. Ernest Duckette, snow plow-

ing 4.00
 Fred G. Hanselman, team 16.25
 John Herrst, Sr., snow plowing 7.00
 John Milier, snow plowing 6.00
 Carl Rehberg, snow plowing 6.00
 E. R. Schaffer, snow plowing 8.00
 M. M. Wheelock, snow plowing.... 4.00
 Jos. Williams, snow plowing 2.50
 Claud Young, snow plowing, etc. .. 8.75

Street fund total\$131.09

Recapitulation

Contingent fund\$ 772.97
 Fire fund 779.50
 Police fund 389.16
 Water Works fund 2,413.05
 Street fund 131.09

Total\$4,485.77

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 21, 1916.

To the Finance committee of the Com-
 mon Council: Gentlemen—I have exam-
 ined the foregoing accounts against the
 city of Ann Arbor, and I hereby certify
 that they are correct to the best of my
 knowledge. ROSS GRANGER, City Clerk.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:
 Gentlemen—Your Finance committee has
 reviewed the foregoing report. Warrants
 for salaries were drawn Feb. 16, 1916. We
 recommend that same be approved and
 that warrants be ordered drawn for the
 foregoing accounts.

GEO LUTZ, ALBERT FIEGEL, WM. P.
 FLYNN, Finance Committee.

Ald. G. Lutz moved the adoption
 of the report.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald.
 Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz,
 Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, G. Lutz,
 Sink, 10. Nays, none, President not
 voting.

Ordinance Committee.

Ald. Sink presented an ordinance
 entitled, "An ordinance to prevent
 the operation of defective and dan-
 gerous street cars and to secure peace
 and safety in the streets," which was
 given its third reading as follows:

An ordinance to prevent the opera-
 tion of defective and dangerous
 street cars and to secure peace and
 safety in the streets.

The Common Council of the City
 of Ann Arbor Ordain:

Section 1. That it shall not be law-
 ful for any person or corporation to
 operate upon any track laid in any
 street within the City of Ann Arbor,
 any street car which shall not be
 equipped with suitable and efficient
 fenders and air brakes, in good re-
 pair and in working order for the pro-
 tection of the lives and limbs of
 pedestrians in the streets; or any
 street car having a defective truck
 or trucks, wheel or wheels, by reason
 of which the operation of such car
 is rendered dangerous, or by reason
 of which an unusual and unnecessary
 pounding upon the rails, and noise is
 created; and the operation of any

such street car is hereby declared to be a nuisance.

Section 2. It is hereby made the duty of the chief of police and of any patrolman in the city, who shall find any street car being operated in any street within the city and not equipped with suitable and efficient air brakes and fenders in good repair and in working order, or having defective truck or trucks, wheel or wheels, as set forth in section one of this ordinance, to order the motorman and conductor, or other person in charge of said car, to immediately remove the same from the streets, and if the motorman, conductor or other person in charge of such car shall refuse or neglect to remove such car from the streets within one hour from the time he shall be ordered so to do, then it shall be the duty of the chief of police to cause such car to be immediately removed from the streets.

Section 3. Any motorman, conductor or other person in charge of any such car, who shall refuse or neglect to remove such car from the streets within one hour after notice so to do from the chief of police or any patrolman of the city, or who shall, after one hour from the time of such notice, operate such car while still in a defective condition with knowledge that the same has been ordered removed from the streets, shall on conviction thereof, be punished by a fine not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) and costs of prosecution; and the court before whom such conviction shall be had, may make a further sentence that in default of such payment of fine and costs, within time to be fixed by such court, the person convicted shall be imprisoned in the county jail or city prison, until such fine and costs be paid, for a term not exceeding thirty (30) days.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of any person or corporation owning or operating any such defective street car, as described in section one of this ordinance, which may hereafter be ordered removed from the streets of the city as hereinbefore provided, to cause such car to be equipped with suitable and efficient air brakes and fenders, in good repair and in working order, and to cause the trucks and wheels of such car to be repaired or replaced, as may be necessary, to cause such car to run smoothly, and without unusual and unnecessary noise and pounding upon the rails, before such car shall be again used or

operated on any of the streets of the city, and any person or corporation which shall cause any such car to be operated on the streets of the city, after notice to remove such car from the streets as hereinbefore provided, without having equipped or repaired such car in accordance with the terms of this ordinance, shall forfeit to the city of Ann Arbor, the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for each and every day that such car shall be operated in a defective condition. Such forfeiture to be recovered in an action of assumpsit.

Section 5. Notice to remove any such car from the streets, may be either oral or written, and notice to the conductor, motorman or other person in charge of such car, shall be deemed to be notice to the person or corporation owning and operating such car.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after ninety days from legal publication.

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

Passed by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, G. Lutz, Sink, 10. Nays, none. President not voting.

Ald. Sink presented an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance relative to the use of streets and other public places,'" which was given its first reading by title, passed to and given its second reading and referred to the ordinance committee by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, G. Lutz, Sink, 10. Nays, none. President not voting.

Enter Ald. Manwaring and Freeman.

Moved by Ald. G. Lutz, that Mr. John Shadford be elected Poor Commissioner for ensuing year at a salary of \$35.00 per month. Adopted by unanimous vote, except President not voting, 12.

By Ald. Fiegel, Resolved, that Dr. Conrad Ganzhorn be and is hereby elected City Physician for the ensuing year at a salary of \$25.00 per month.

Adopted by unanimous vote, except President not voting, 12.

By Ald. Geo. Lutz, Resolved, That Section 3 of Local Acts, 1895, No. 313, entitled: An act to authorize and empower and enable the City of Ann Arbor to construct and maintain a system of sewers and to raise the

necessary money therefore, and to legalize the proceedings and acts of the Common Council and officers of the City of Ann Arbor had by virtue of act number four hundred thirteen of the local acts of eighteen hundred ninety-three be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3. The Common Council of said City is hereby authorized and empowered to raise by loan on the taxable property of said city such sums of money as they shall deem necessary for the purpose of enabling said city to construct said sewer system, said loan to be for a period not longer than five years and at a rate of interest not greater than five per cent. per annum:

Provided, That not more than forty thousand dollars of such bonded indebtedness shall be outstanding at any one time.

Ald. G. Lutz moved that resolution be laid on table for thirty days. Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, Manwaring, Freeman, G. Lutz, Sink, 12. Nays, none. President not voting.

By Alderman George Lutz:

Whereas an initiatory petition containing the required number of names and duly certified as required by law has been filed with the city clerk asking that the question of a general revision of the charter of the city of Ann Arbor be submitted to the electors of said city at the general election to be held on April 3rd, 1916, therefore be it

Resolved, that the proposition of a general charter revision of the city charter be submitted to the electors at the election to be held on April 3rd, 1916, be it further

Resolved, that the polls will be held in the following places: First ward, voting room basement of City Hall; Second ward, ward building on S. Ashley street; Third ward, ward building on Miller avenue; Fourth ward, voting room basement of New Armory on Fifth avenue; Fifth ward, ward building on the corner of Swift and Pontiac street; Sixth ward, basement of Tappan school on E. University avenue; Seventh ward, ward building on Mary street.

Resolved, further, that the polls shall open at 7 o'clock a. m. and remain open until 8 o'clock p. m. and the supervisors and aldermen act as election inspectors according to the charter:

Resolved, further, that the ballots shall be of white paper of equal width and length and shall read:

For a general revision of the City Charter: Yes (—).

For a general revision of the City Charter: No. (—).

Resolved, further, that at said election there shall be elected a charter commission, as follows: One commissioner from each ward of said city, and four commissioners at large;

Resolved, further, that the canvass and termination of the said votes be made pursuant to state law and city charter.

Resolved, further, that the city clerk is hereby directed to prepare the ballots for said election and to make all necessary arrangements therefor.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Heck, Sherk, Manwaring, Freeman, G. Lutz, Sink, 8. Nays, Ald. Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Markey, Flynn, 4. President not voting.

By Alderman George Lutz:

Whereas the proposition of a general charter revision is to be submitted to the electors at the general spring election to be held on the 3rd day of April, 1916, and

Whereas, charter commissioners are to be elected at said election, now therefore be it

Resolved, that in the event of the proposition of a general charter revision receiving the required number of votes in favor of such revision that said commission so to be elected shall hold all meetings in the Council Chamber of the City hall, of the city of Ann Arbor;

Resolved further, that the compensation of said commission shall be one cent per day for each day actually spent in the revision of said charter, provided, that no commissioner shall receive compensation for a longer period than ninety days;

Resolved further, that there is hereby appropriated from the contingent fund of this city the sum of \$1,000.00 to defray all the expenses of said charter revision, including the cost of holding a special election, in the event that the revised charter is submitted to the electors for adoption or rejection at a special election.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselmann, A. Lutz, Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, Manwaring, Freeman, G. Lutz, Sink, 12. Nays, none. President not voting.

Officers' Reports.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY CLERK
FISCAL YEAR 1915-16**

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 1, 1916.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:
Gentlemen—In accordance with the charter, I present a statement of the financial transactions of the city for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1916.

**GENERAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT
RECEIPTS**

**In City Clerk's Office from February 1,
1915, to January 31, 1916**

Contingent Fund

Peddler licenses	\$ 605.50
Theater licenses	172.00
Circus licenses	85.00
Billiard and pool table licenses..	118.00
Bowling alley licenses	69.00
Dray, hack and taxi licenses.....	33.50
Plumber licenses	9.00
Skating rink license	24.50
Distributing licenses	7.00
Rent 2nd ward building	55.00
Rent Detention hospital	48.00
Refund on telephones	60.99
Refund on freight	19.44
Refund on insurance	6.21
Sale of stakes	1.95
Sale of old hose25
Engineering labor	43.47
Sewer connections	74.92
Steere farm line fence	47.12
Total	\$1,480.85

Cemetery Fund

Sale of lots	\$182.00
Burial permits and single inter-ments	145.00
Care of lots	45.00
Total	\$372.00

Dog License Fund

Licenses collected by J. K. M. Schmid	\$ 89.00
Licenses collected by clerk.....	213.75
Total	\$302.75

Park Fund

Concessions of parks	\$380.00
Rent of house at West park.....	20.00
Rent of mower	2.50
Shrubbery campaigns	375.00
Tree trimming	30.00
Payment on backstop at West park	12.50
Labor, etc.	11.13
Sale of paint35
Total	\$831.48

Building Sidewalk Fund

Walks built by city	\$882.23
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Poor Fund

Sale of coal	\$5.00
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Street Fund

Sale of old iron	\$ 35.53
Sale of brick	1.95
Sale of stone	5.00
Sale of wood	5.00
Repairs paving	282.63
Repairs sidewalks	4.23
Cleaning sidewalks50
Preparing street for calcium chlor-ide	4.00
Driveways	12.87
Crosswalks, etc.	20.04
Sewer connection	8.59
Total	\$381.34

Steere Farm Fund

Rent	\$800.00
Refund on auto	50.00
Total	\$850.00

Labor Acc. Paving Dist. No. 32

Refund on installing bars.....	\$64.00
Raising manhole	2.50

Total \$66.50

Labor Acc. Paving Dist. No. 35

Received from property owners...	\$3,449.50
Total receipts in City Clerk's office	\$8,621.68

EXPENDITURES

**Actual warrants drawn from Feb. 1, 1915,
to January 31, 1916**

CITY FUNDS

Contingent Fund

Regular salaries	\$15,034.84
Collecting garbage	4,800.00
Boards of review	308.00
Printing and publishing.....	4,224.18
Elections, registrations, etc.	2,666.85
Bookbinding	22.65
Telephone rentals and tolls.....	215.61
Insurance—fire	86.03
Insurance—laborers on pavements	107.52
Insurance—boiler	14.27
Insurance—auto	6.00
Extra services—Assessor's office.	141.00
Services—typewriting for city at- torney's office	3.25
Litigation	307.61
Recording deeds	11.16
Auditing books	125.00
Posting tax notices	7.00
Milk analyses, etc.	351.50
Light for city hall, court house clock, etc.	565.98
Fuel	770.73
Postage	134.52
Storm sewers	2,163.33
Sewer connections	20.00
City hall plans	85.00
Sprinkling intersections not in sprinkling districts	240.00
Snow plowing	103.00
Labor	14.75
Labor in City Engineer Dept.....	2,827.12
Liveries, etc., for committees....	85.50
Committee expenses	234.88
Repairs	52.26
Auto repairs	112.51
Oil and gasoline	78.00
Repairs City Hall	0
Repairs to mixer	177.94
Repairs voting machines	44.50
Repairs 4th ward voting room....	20.44
Repairs city scales	75.00
Gasoline tank and pump	91.48
Care spring N. State st.	10.00
Water from Steer farm	23.65
Ice	12.80
Water tap	10.00
Power and water for fire	15.00
Stop-cocks for flushtank.....	19.31
Tile	275.65
Sand and gravel	2.50
Use of horse	6.00
Sidewalks built	133.20
Curbing	24.98
Cartage	4.15
Freight	77.96
Express	7.91
Dues to League of Michigan Mu- nicipalities	75.00
Dues to Association of City Clerks	3.00
Attending Clerk's convention ...	7.00

G. A. R. for Memorial Day	100.00
Appropriations for charity.....	400.00
Appropriation Boys' Conference.	150.00
Interest on warrants	13.71
Sale of bonds	125.00
General supplies for all depart- ments	1,732.05

Contingent fund total

Fire Fund

Regular salaries	\$18,128.89
Substitutes	176.00
Horses	665.00
Horse feed	822.54
Horseshoeing	208.75
Veterinary services	2.00
Cartage	3.50
Freight and express	3.08
Laundry	69.01
Lighting and lighting supplies..	182.90
Fuel	101.11
Ice and water	45.00
Printing	5.10
Telephone tolls	1.08
Dues to International Assn.	5.00
Subscription for paper	3.00
Traveling expenses	17.24
Repairs	13.85
Gas heater	59.44
Supplies	494.67

Fire fund total

Police Fund

Regular salaries	\$ 9,002.35
Special police	74.00
Taxi service	33.50
Rent of autos	121.00
Auto repairs and supplies	359.50
Gasoline	226.68
Printing	49.00
Postage	6.68
Subscriptions for publications...	9.50
Installing lights	10.00
Telephone tolls	43.40
Telegrams	11.37
Repairs	1.00
Supplies	189.31

Police fund total

Poor Fund

Regular salary	\$ 420.00
Patients at hospitals	240.40
Care of infirm	53.50
Burials	10.00
Ambulance and livery services...	34.00
House rent	31.00
Traveling expenses	12.87
Cartage	2.50
Labor	67.00
Telephone tolls66
Fuel	61.32
Supplies	448.87

Poor fund total

Street Lighting Fund

Eastern Michigan Edison Co.....	\$17,496.85
Turning on and off boulevard lights	79.17

Street Lighting fund total.....

Cemetery Fund

Regular salary	\$600.00
Labor	14.50
Repairs	1.50
Trees and shrubs	35.52

Cemetery fund total

Dog License Fund

Burials of dogs and cats	\$54.25
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Supplies

Dog License fund total

Building Sidewalk Fund

Walks built by city to be paid by
property owners

Park Fund

Regular salary	\$ 1,400.00
Labor	2,508.93
Payment and interest on land contract	265.00
Livery service	22.60
Use of horse	37.50
Use of wagon	5.50
Typewriting services	7.20
Postage	9.39
Printing	4.40
Telephone tolls	2.85
Cartage	77.88
Freight and express	9.06
Repairs	41.07
Repair grand stand	47.75
Cement walk	5.00
Fence at Fair grounds	50.00
Well at West park	42.66
Water	4.15
Dirt	26.46
Gravel	172.25
Trees and shrubs	159.30
Motor lawn mower	320.00
Insurance	52.05
Parks purchased	5,900.00
Supplies	421.64

Park fund total

Street Fund

Labor	\$14,919.37
Cement	231.03
Gravel and sand	1,019.55
Repairs	96.84
Curbing	50.13
Extensions	101.11
Freight and express	190.82
Horse feed	359.18
Horseshoeing	41.65
Snow plowing	47.50
Water	3.08
Oil	7.70
Oak plank	64.92
Postage	21.36
Tap fee	10.00
Boiler insurance	44.00
Casualty insurance	371.98
Seventh st. railing	50.93
Miller ave. railing	77.87
W. Washington st. railing	17.69
Supplies	539.90

Street fund total

Sidewalk Fund

Labor ..	\$948.01
Extension ..	11.20

Sidewalk fund total

Entertainment Fund

Band concerts

Delinquent Tax Fund

Error in return

Overcharge

Total

Water Works Fund

Regular salaries and services...	\$14,931.49
Labor	5,421.95
Supplies, etc.	26,440.17
Interest on bonds	18,040.00

Water Works fund total

Water Fund	
Water for fire hydrants	\$ 9,959.98
Engine house No. 1	50.00
Engine house No. 2	25.00
Flushing sewers	100.00
Felch park	15.00
Detroit st. park	5.00
Drinking trough, Broadway.....	75.00
Drinking trough, E. Huron.....	75.00
Drinking trough, E. and S. Univ.	75.00
Drinking trough, W. Liberty....	52.12
Drinking trough, S. Main st....	37.50
City yard	12.00
City hall	20.00
Fairview cemetery	20.00
Construction hydrant	82.98
N. Univ. ave. standpipe—water..	30.74
N. Main st. standpipe—water....	26.86

Water fund total\$10,662.18
Total expenditures City funds..\$199,112.72

SPECIAL FUNDS

Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund

Labor	\$ 248.24
Storm sewers	3,099.04
Driveway paid twice	8.54
Bridge plank	349.01
Supplies	115.56

Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk fund total\$3,820.39

Steere Farm Fund

Labor	\$ 997.89
Bonds and interest	3,216.00
Construction of well	4,488.60
Pumping test	2,118.94
Litigation	263.68
McCalla damages	60.00
Ford runabout	440.00
Auto license	3.00
Township taxes	134.16
Telephone	8.68
Use of horse	52.50
Fuel	7.00
Repairs	4.85
Cartage50
Express	3.92
Postage50
Supplies	489.52

Steere Farm fund total.....\$12,269.74

Detention Hospital Fund

Bonds redeemed	\$2,500.00
Interest on bonds	900.00

Detention Hospital fund total..\$3,400.00
Total expenditures Special funds..\$19,490.13

DISTRICT FUNDS

Street Sprinkling Districts

District No. 11	\$1,460.00
District No. 12	840.00
District No. 14	700.00

Sprinkling funds total.....\$3,000.00

PAVING DISTRICTS

Tax Accounts

	Bonds Redeemed	Interest	Tax Re-fund
No. 9	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 40.00	
No. 10	1,909.20	229.11	
No. 12	193.01	30.88	
No. 13	135.13	32.46	
No. 14	727.61	174.60	
No. 15	818.97	196.56	
No. 16	1,450.00	406.00	
No. 17	270.00	75.60	
No. 18	2,320.00	649.60	
No. 19	1,049.00	283.92	

No. 20	849.34	258.13	
No. 21	1,140.00	319.20	1.45
No. 24		24.00	
No. 25	327.50	91.70	
No. 26	272.80	87.28	
No. 27	971.80	310.96	
No. 28	2,083.69	790.78	
No. 29	1,925.76	693.27	
No. 30	1,393.30	501.57	

Totals\$18,837.11 \$5,195.62 \$1.45
Total Paving Tax Accounts.....\$24,034.18

PAVING LABOR ACCOUNTS

District No. 32

Labor	\$ 565.41
Cement	718.89
Gravel	517.25
Coal	11.50
Water	27.36
Freight	749.77
Supplies	318.65
Use of mixer	142.05

Total\$2,450.88

District No. 33

Paid contractor	\$6,883.68
Water	65.88

Total\$6,949.56

District No. 34

Paid contractor	\$19,015.76
Water	193.14
Repairs	3.90

Total\$19,212.80

District No. 35

Paid contractor	\$5,112.99
Water	46.19
Supplies	6.75

Total\$5,165.93

Total Labor Paving Accounts ...\$33,779.17
Total Expenditure Paving Funds..\$57,813.35

SEWER DISTRICTS

Tax Accounts

	Bonds Redeemed	Interest	Tax Re-fund
No. 38	\$	\$	\$116.56
No. 42	170.04	6.80	
No. 43	161.64	6.47	
No. 48	192.50	15.40	
No. 49	80.45	6.42	
No. 50	400.89	32.06	9.84
No. 51	340.00	40.80	
No. 52	86.00	10.32	
No. 53	797.00	95.64	
No. 54	199.50	23.94	
No. 55	788.82	94.65	
No. 56	1,815.04	217.80	
No. 57	74.06	8.88	
No. 59	143.46	17.19	
No. 60	652.90	78.33	
No. 61	977.85	117.33	
No. 63	1,238.00	198.08	
No. 64	171.45	13.72	
No. 65	59.39	4.76	
No. 66	95.52	7.64	
No. 67	145.81	11.68	

Totals\$8,590.32 \$1,007.91 \$126.40
Total Sewer Tax Accounts.....\$9,724.63

Sewer Labor Accounts

Payment on contracts—	
No. 51	\$ 50.17
No. 55	146.09
No. 56	357.98
No. 57	27.18
No. 60	128.84
No. 61	232.03
No. 62	7.53

No. 63	210.44
No. 64	34.21
No. 65	11.88
No. 66	19.10
No. 67	29.16
No. 68	2,997.00
No. 71	93.62
No. 72	947.88

Total Sewer Labor Accounts....	\$5,293.24
Total Expenditures Sewer Funds.	\$15,017.87
Total Expenditures of All District Funds	\$75,831.22
Total Amount of Warrants Drawn On All Funds	\$294,434.07

**RECAPITULATION
City Funds**

Receipts—	
Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1915...	\$ 20,530.61
Cash reported by Treasurer, including receipts from all departments	241,112.87
Transfers from Paving Labor Accounts	1,296.30
Transfer from Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk fund	600.00
Total receipts	\$263,539.85
Expenditures—	
Outstanding warrants Feb. 1, 1915	\$ 600.93
Cancelled warrant No. 782 paid.	1.50
Warrants drawn during year....	199,112.72
Total	\$199,715.15
Less warrants cancelled	\$ 7.04
Less Outstanding warrants Jan. 31, 1916	\$ 751.44
Total warrants paid during year.	\$198,956.67
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1916..	\$64,583.18

SPECIAL FUNDS

Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund

Receipts—	
Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1915....	\$ 279.67
Cash reported by Treasurer, including receipts from all departments	15,706.22
Total receipts	\$15,985.89
Expenditures—	
Warrants drawn during year	\$3,820.39
Transfer to Street fund	600.00
Total expenditures	\$4,420.39
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1916....	\$11,565.50

STEERE FARM FUND

Receipts—	
Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1916....	\$ 601.59
Cash reported by Treasurer, including receipts from all departments	12,036.00
Total receipts ..	\$12,667.59
Expenditures—	
Warrants drawn during year....	\$12,269.74
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1916....	\$397.85

DETENTION HOSPITAL FUND

Receipts—	
Appropriation ..	\$3,400.00
Expenditures—	
Warrants drawn during year....	\$3,400.00

Margaret Morrison Judgment Fund

Receipts—	
Cash reported by Treasurer.....	\$219.55
Expenditures—	
Overdrawn Feb. 1, 1915	\$219.55

**DISTRICTS FUNDS
Sprinkling Districts**

Receipts—

Cash reported by Treasurer.....	\$2,920.81
Expenditures—	
Overdrawn Feb. 1, 1915	\$ 360.66
Warrants drawn during year.....	3,000.00
Total ..	\$3,360.66
Overdrawn Jan. 31, 1916	\$439.89

Paving Districts

Receipts—	
Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1915 ..	\$17,583.48
Cash reported by Treasurer	59,648.08

Total receipts	\$77,231.56
Expenditures—	
Outstanding warrants Feb. 1, 1915 ..	\$ 32.79
Warrants drawn during year...	57,815.59

Total warrants paid	\$57,846.14
Transfers to Contingent fund...	1,296.30

Total expenditure	\$59,142.50
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1916..	\$18,089.03

Sewer Districts

Receipts—	
Cash reported by Treasurer.....	\$24,740.99
Expenditures—	
Overdrawn Feb. 1, 1915	\$ 5,423.42
Warrants drawn during year	15,017.87

Total expenditure	\$20,441.29
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1916....	\$4,299.70

SUMMARY

Of City Special and District Funds

Receipts—	
Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1915....	\$ 32,991.73
Cash reported by Treasurer, including receipts from all departments ..	359,814.52
Total receipts	\$392,806.25
Expenditures—	
warrants paid during year....	\$294,310.81
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1916..	\$98,495.44

BONDS SOLD DURING YEAR

Paving

District No. 32	\$ 2,845.00
District No. 33	8,370.00
District No. 34	24,360.00
District No. 35	1,435.50

Total Paving

Sewer

District No. 64	\$ 685.83
District No. 65	237.59
District No. 66	382.08
District No. 67	583.24
District No. 68	3,628.00
District No. 69	230.00
District No. 70	440.00
District No. 71	242.00
District No. 72	10,880.00

Total Sewer	\$17,308.74
Fire Department	\$15,000.00
Park ..	\$ 5,900.00

Total bonds sold during year..

BONDS REDEEMED DURING YEAR

Detention Hospital	\$ 2,500.00
Steere Farm	2,000.00
Paving ..	18,837.11
Sewer ..	8,590.32

Total bonds redeemed

INTEREST ON BONDS PAID DURING YEAR

Detention Hospital	\$ 900.00
Steere Farm ..	1,216.00
Paving ..	5,195.62
Sewer ..	1,007.91

Water Works	18,060.00
Total coupons redeemed	\$26,379.53
BONDS OUTSTANDING JAN. 31, 1916	
City Bonds	
Water Works	\$450,000.00
Detention Hospital	20,000.00
Steere Farm	18,000.00
Fire Department	15,000.00
Park	5,900.00
Total City bonds	\$508,900.00
District Bonds	
Paving	\$147,798.29
Sewer	32,973.68
Total District bonds	\$180,771.97
Total Bonds Outstanding.....	\$689,671.97

BUDGET**Fiscal Year 1915-16**

Contingent fund	\$ 23,800.00
Fire fund	21,700.00
Police fund	9,500.00
Poor fund	1,200.00
Park fund	5,000.00
Cemetery fund	300.00
Street Lighting fund	18,000.00
Street fund	23,000.00
Sidewalk fund	1,000.00
Water fund	10,500.00
Uncollected City Tax fund.....	500.00
Steere Farm fund	11,216.00
Detention Hospital fund	3,400.00
Paving funds—city portion	6,844.27
Sewer funds—city portion.....	1,059.63
Entertainment fund	1,000.00
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk fund (storm sewers)	15,000.00
Total budget	\$152,019.96

SPECIAL AND CITY FUNDS

Balance on hand Feb. 1st, 1916—	
Contingent fund	\$ 2,429.90
City Cemetery fund	426.32
Dog License fund	48.26
State Dog Tax fund	100.00
Fire Department fund	18,445.92
Poor fund	1,512.03
Police fund	4,101.45
Street fund	900.31
Park fund	739.08
Street Lighting fund	4,470.52
Sidewalk fund	48.50
Entertainment fund	520.00
Steere Farm fund	391.85
Water Works Dept. fund	42,429.94
Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk fund	11,565.50
Overdrawn Feb. 1st, 1916—	
Water fund	\$ 794.08
Sidewalk Building fund	391.47
Uncollected City Tax fund	8,429.01

As the time for collecting taxes extends to February 29th, 1916, it is very likely the overdrawn condition of the Uncollected City Tax fund will be greatly reduced by that date.

ELECTIONS DURING 1915

January 25th, 1915—Special election for raising \$8,000.00 to sink and pump well on Steere farm. Registration on preceding Wednesday.

March 3rd 1915—Primary election for City officers.

April 5th, 1915—Annual City election and proposition for raising \$1,000.00 for Entertainment fund. Also repeal of Theater Ordinance. Registration on preceding Tuesday and Wednesday.

September 16th, 1915—Special election for raising \$5,900.00 to purchase park

lands and \$15,000.00 for motor equipment for fire department. Registration on preceding Wednesday.

Respectfully submitted: ROSS GRANGER,
City Clerk and Comptroller.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WATER-
WORKS DEPARTMENT FROM FEB.**

1, 1915, TO FEB. 1, 1916

Expense, Station 1—Salaries and supplies	\$ 5,872.80
Expense, Station 2—Salaries and supplies	2,409.82
Fuel, No. 1, coal	4,159.25
Electricity, Station 1	459.40
Fuel, Station 2, coal	1,064.42
Office expense, salaries and sup- plies	3,580.72
General expense	5,589.64
Repairing mains	138.42
Repairing service	294.10
Repairing Meters	1.35
Repairs, Station 1	268.76
Repairs Station 2	38.67
Refunds and transfers	700.80
Setting meters	35.81
Insurance — fire, boiler, bonds work. liab.	1,036.31
Taxes, Station 1	221.46
Misc. large taps	399.40
Total	\$26,271.13
Water rates col., flat	\$58,633.99
Water rates col., meter	23,429.60
Water rates col., mason	1,770.14
Water rates col., taps	3,622.82
Water rates col., meter rent....	122.24
Turning off and on	31.25
Misc. rev. large taps	399.40

Total income	\$88,045.44
Operating expenses	26,271.13

Operating profit	\$61,774.31
Interest paid on bonds	18,000.00

Net profit	\$43,774.31
Value added to plant, 1915—	
Construction	\$ 9,472.25
Construction, Station 1	6,970.26
Construction, Station 2	11.20
Construction, service	3,860.95
New meters	918.62

Total	\$21,233.28
Value added to plant, 1914.....	\$25,584.87
Value added to plant, 1915.....	21,233.28

Total	\$46,818.15
Income, 1915	\$88,045.44
Income, 1914	80,489.45

Increase	\$ 7,555.99
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1916, in drawer	\$ 431.48
On deposit, City Treasurer.....	42,449.93

Total	\$42,881.41
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**The Following Extensions Have Been Made
During the Past Year:**

384 feet of 16 inch pipe at Station No. 1.
337 feet of 6 inch pipe on Olivia from
Granger ave. to hydrant, north.
436 feet of 6 inch pipe on Olivia from
Wells to Minerva.
675 feet of 6 inch pipe on W. Ann st.,
from Main st. west to First st.
1052 feet of 6 inch pipe on Division st.,
from Liberty to Ann st.
927 feet of 6 inch pipe on Division st.,
from Hill st. to Packard st.

448 feet of 6 inch pipe on First st., between Madison and Moseley st.
 333 feet of 6 inch pipe on E. Jefferson st., from State to Maynard st.
 584 feet of 6 inch pipe on E. Jefferson st., from Thompson to Hamilton.
 525 feet of 6 in. pipe on Crest ave., south of Washington st.
 383 feet of 6 inch pipe on Eighth st., from W. Washington st., south.
 317 feet of 6 inch pipe on Hiscock st., from Spring st. toward Summitt.
 617 feet of 6 inch pipe on Granger ave., from Olivia east toward Ferdon road.
 554 feet of 6 inch pipe on McKinley from Packard to White st.
 600 feet of 6 inch pipe on Cedar from Pontiac to Wright, thence south to Swift.
 998 feet of 6 inch pipe on Norway road from Ferdon road to Austin ave.
 777 feet of 6 inch pipe on White st., between Arch and Dewey ave.
 124 feet of 6 inch pipe on White st., from Arch st.
 36 feet of 3 inch pipe on Sixth st.
 148 feet of 2 inch pipe on Huron Crest from Washington st. north.
 78 feet of 2 inch pipe on Sauer Court.
 88 feet of 2 inch pipe on Felch st., from Fountain st.
 190 feet of 1½ inch pipe on Second st., between Jefferson and W. Liberty st.
 93 feet of 1½ inch pipe on Thompson st., south of Madison st.
 117 feet of 1¼ inch pipe on First st., from Miller ave. toward Ann st.
 29 feet of 1¼ inch pipe on Walnut st. between S University ave. and Geddes.
 137 feet of 1 inch pipe on W. Washington st. north on Ninth st.
 267 feet of 1 inch pipe on E. Summitt from N. Fifth ave. east.
 50 feet of ¾ inch pipe on Miner from Hiscock st.
 61 feet of ¾ inch pipe on Monroe st. between E. University ave. and Twelfth st.
 Also 34° taps were made.

During the Past Year the Following Improvements Have Been Made at Pumping Station No. 1:

The erection of one 3,500,000 gallon centrifugal pump for emergency, electrically driven.
 Laying of 384 feet of 16 inch main from receiving well to Station Reservoir.
 Building roofed with asbestos shingles and entire buildings painted.
 Installation of water purifying apparatus.
 New vacuum pump.
 Bottom of coal shed and outside storage for coal concreted.
 A new transformer has been installed which reduces the cost in lighting.
 These improvements place Station No. 1 in better shape than ever.
 Station No. 2 is in fine condition and needed but little repair.
 Respectfully submitted: WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF ANN ARBOR, by Geo. D. Vandawarker, Manager.

The annual reports of City Clerk and the Water Department received and ordered to take usual course and filed.

To the Honorable Common Council, Ann Arbor, Michigan: Sirs—I present the following distribution of

cost of sanitary sewer district No. 68, Seventh, Bath and Willow streets:
 Total cost\$3,593.14
 City's portion 1,544.56

Property portion\$2,048.58

I submit the following distribution of cost for the construction of sanitary sewer on Roosevelt avenue, district No. 71:

Contract cost\$180.75
 Engineering 9.31
 Inspection 13.26

Total cost\$203.32
 City's share 18.68

Property share\$184.64

Respectfully submitted, Manley Os-good, City Engineer.

Received and ordered on file.

To the Honorable Common Council: Sirs—In accordance with your instructions of Dec. 13, 1915, I beg to submit the following estimate of the cost of grading Edward street, from Summitt street to Charles street: 5,300 cu. yds. excavation at

45c\$2,385.00
 Engineering and contingencies 100.00

Total\$2,485.00
 Plans and specifications also are herewith submitted.

Respectfully submitted, Manley Os-good, City Engineer.

Moved by Ald. Manwaring, that it be referred to Street committee. Adopted.

By Ald G. Lutz:

Resolved, that the sum of \$149.29 be and is hereby transferred from the Contingent fund to the Park fund.

Adopted as follows: Yeas, Ald. Heusel, Fiegel, Hanselman, A. Lutz, Heck, Markey, Flynn, Sherk, Manwaring, Freeman G. Lutz, Sink, 12. Nays, none. President not voting.

By Ald A. Lutz:

Resolved, that the proposition of raising eight hundred dollars by special tax be placed before the electors of the city of Ann Arbor, and be voted on at the election to be held in the city the third day of April, A. D., 1916, such funds when raised to be used for the purpose of furnishing such public amusement and entertainment as the Common Council may from time to time order.

Resolved, further, that the polls will be held in the following places: First ward, voting room, basement of

y Hall; Second ward, ward building on S. Ashley street; Third ward, ward building on Miller avenue; Fourth ward, voting room in basement of New Armory on Fifth avenue; Fifth ward, ward building on the corner of Swift and Pontiac streets; Sixth ward, basement of Tappan school on E. University avenue; Seventh ward, ward building on Mary street.

Resolved, further, that the polls shall open at 7 o'clock a. m. and remain open until 8 o'clock p. m., and the supervisors and aldermen act as election inspectors according to the charter.

Resolved, further, that the ballots shall be of white paper of equal width and length and shall read:

For public entertainment fund special tax: Yes (—).

For public entertainment fund special tax: No (—).

Resolved, further, that canvass and termination of the vote be made pursuant to state law and city charter.

Adopted by unanimous vote of those present, except president not voting, 12.

By Ald. Freeman:

Resolved, that the city enter into a land contract, subject to approval of Council, with E. A. Ransom, land owned by him and lying between Pontiac street and Wright street and adjacent to the cemetery, said land to be used for cemetery purposes, for \$2,000.00.

Adopted by unanimous vote of those present, except president not voting, 12.

The Council adjourned.

ROSS GRANGER,
Clerk.