

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor,
Mich., Mar. 5, '23.

Regular session ,

Meeting called to order by Ald.
Sugden, Pres. pro. tem.

Present: Ald. Johnson, Graf,
Henderson, Lucas, Groves, Markey,
Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman,
Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden, 13.

Absent. Ald. Haarer, 1.

Minutes of Feb. 5 and 19, 1923,
approved.

Communications

From Board of Public Works

Plat of Buell subdivision pre-
sented.

Moved by Mr. Scott, that the
portion of Buell Subdivision which
lies within the corporate limits of
the City of Ann Arbor be approved
and referred to Council.

(Council action).

Moved by Ald. Henderson, that
such portion of plat of Buell Sub-
division which is within the cor-
porate limits of the City of Ann
Arbor be approved.

Adopted by following vote:
Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Hender-
son, Lucas, Groves, Markey,
Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman,
Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden, 13.
Nays, none.

(From Board).

To the Board of Public Works,
Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

We wish to make the following
report on the several ways of fi-
nancing the Allen's Creek storm
sewer:

1. A general bond issue on the
city at large.

2. A bond issue and the estab-
lishing of an assessment district.
A certain part of the cost to be as-
sessed against all property in the
district and the balance on the city
at large.

3. A certain portion of the pro-
ject could be built each year and
the money raised in the general
tax for that year.

4. The project could be con-
structed as a county drain under
the direction of the County Drain
Commissioner. By this method
ten (10) year bonds may be issued
and an assessment district created.
A certain portion of the cost will
be assessed against the assessment
district and the balance against
the city at large. This method re-
lieves the city of bonding on a
bond issue as the County Drain
Commissioner has power to issue

bonds against the district without
recourse to an election.

Considering the fact that Allen
Creek drains considerable territory
outside of the city and is the main
drain of such territory it would
seem that a county drain would be
desirable and satisfactory to the
city and to its citizens as well as
all property owners in the terri-
tory. This method would be equit-
able and fair to all concerned and
after all due consideration we rec-
ommend that Allen's Creek be con-
structed as a county drain.

H. H. Atwell, Geo. H. Sanden-
burgh, Roscoe O. Bonisteel.

Moved by Mr. Rehberg, that re-
port be accepted and recommenda-
tion adopted and same be referred
to Council.

(Council action).

Referred to Sewer Committee.

(From Board).

City Engineer presented prelimi-
nary estimates, plans and specifi-
cation for lateral sewers as follows:
District No. 120, Davis-av. from
Main to Wilder place, Wilder place
from Davis-av. to Hoover-av.,
Hoover-av. from Wilder place to
Fifth-st., and Fifth-st. from
Hoover-av. to Davis-av., estimated
cost \$4 905.72; District No. 121,
Third-st. from Washington st. to
Huron-st., estimated cost \$525.25;
District No. 122, Grand View drive
estimated cost \$1,525.97; District
No. 123, Medall on-st. from Os-
wego to Onondaga-st., estimated
cost \$975.64; District No. 124,
Maxwell-av. from Soule boulevard
west 300 feet and Wakefield-av.
from Soule boulevard west 300 feet,
estimated cost \$1 472 90; District
No. 125, Eighth-st. from Liberty-
st. to Seventh-st., estimated cost
\$2,586.37; District No. 126, Cedar
and Wright-sts., estimated cost,
\$3,596.39.

Moved by Mr. Scott, that plans,
specifications and estimates be ap-
proved and referred to Council.

(Council action).

Referred to Sewer Committee.

Communication from Ann Arbor
Branch of Detroit Automobile
club, relative to condition of side
walks, received and referred to
Sidewalk Committee.

Communication from A. R.
Bailey, relative petition for water
main on Day-st. received and re-
ferred to Water Committee.

Petitions

Of A. R. Bailey for sidewalk to

the north side of Day-st from end of present walk easterly to end of the block received and referred to Sidewalk Committee.

Of G. W. Fletcher et al., requesting that name of Medallion-st. be changed to Seneca Lane, received and referred to Ordinance Committee.

Petition for Pavement

Petition of C. H. Schroen et al. for pavement in alley in block 2 South Range 5 East received and referred to Street Committee

Curb and Gutter Petitions

Petition of W. A. Heimerdinger et al. for curb and gutter on Ferdon-rd. from Granger-av. to Brooklyn-av. and petition of Ida and Emma Weitbrecht et al. for curb and gutter on Second-st. between Mosley and Liberty-sts., received and referred to Street Committee.

Committee Reports

Finance Report

Contingent Fund

Geo. E. Lewis, salary.....	\$41.66
L. G. Reynolds, salary	208.33
Ross Granger, salary	208.33
Herbert W. Crippen, salary	208.33
Alfred J. Paul, salary.....	208.33
Geo. H. Sandenburgh, salary	250.00
Roscoe O. Bonisteel salary	166.66
H. R. Scovill, salary	166.66
C. F. Hartman, salary	160.00
John A. Wessinger, salary.	150.00
Julius Lohrke, salary	125.00
Philip O'Hara, salary	125.00
Marcia M. Munnis, salary.	115.00
John Weber, salary	100.00
Chas. Stoll, salary	100.00
Henrietta Disderide, salary	105.00
O. J. Warner, salary.....	90.00
Jessie, Crippen salary	83.33
Florence Hallen, salary....	83.33
Ned R. Smith, salary	75.00
Frank Marz salary	74.64
Edwin Ganzhorn, salary ..	50.00
Dorothy Wright, salary.....	24.00

Contingent Fund total salaries \$2,918.60

Fire Fund

Chas. Andrews, salary	\$95.16
Eugene Williams, salary ...	81.48
Ralph Edwards, salary	81.48
Henry McLaren, salary	77.64
Jacob Gwinner, salary	77.64
Frank Markey, salary	74.64
Herman Kruse, salary	74.64
Emil Damman, salary	74.64
Mat Heininger salary	74.64
Clayd, Naylor, salary	74.64

Earl Arnold, salary	74.64
Fred Nordman, salary	74.64
Benj. Zahn, salary	74.64
Henry Nevroth, salary.....	74.64
Raymond Gillespie, salary..	74.64
Arthur Clark salary	74.64
Clyde Carpenter, salary	74.64
John Comiskey, salary	67.96
Arthur Luke, salary	67.96
Walter Feldcamp, salary ..	67.96
Chas. Carroll, salary.....	42.61

Fire Fund total salaries 1-2 month Feb. \$1,655.59

Police Fund

Thos O'Brien, salary	\$95.16
Jacob Andres, salary	79.16
W. J. Aprill salary	74.64
Ed Blumhardt salary ..	74.64
Frank Keihl, salary	74.64
Marland Howard, salary ..	74.64
Chas Splitt, salary	74.64
Joseph Gast, salary	74.64
Geo Handel, salary	74.64
Louis Fobey, salary	74.64
Chas. Kapp, salary ..	74.64
Jenn Osborn salary	74.64
Earl Arnold salary	74.64
Glenn Sheldon, salary	67.96

Police Fund total salaries 1-2 month Feb. \$1,063.32

Poor Fund

John Shadford, salary ...	\$50.00
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Cemetery Fund

Herman Zulz, salary	\$95.00
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Park Fund

Ed. A. Gallup, salary	\$208.33
Henrietta Disderide, salary	10.00

Park Fund total salaries.. \$218.33

Water Works Fund

Geo. S. Vanderwarker, salary	\$208.33
Leslie Bush salary	192.50
Dr. H. Emberson salary...	50.00
E. Cornell salary	10.00
Geo. Mann, salary	20.00
John Linden chmitt, salary	20.00
Wirt Carnwell, salary....	20.00

Total monthly salaries .. \$520.83

Henry Willsher, salary.....	\$64.62
Emanuel Sadt, salary	77.55
Fred Linde, salary	68.75
Robt. Rowe, salary	51.70
Robt. Young, salary	48.47
A. E. Hawkes salary	55.00
Cliff Shetterly, salary	77.55
Louise Malloy, salary	55.00
Wm Groves, salary	55.00
J. C. Ledwidge, salary.....	50.00

Total semi-monthly salaries \$603.64

Water Works Fund total salaries \$1,124.47

Contingent Fund**Municipal Garage**

The Detroit Edison Co., supplies	\$ 1.60
H. D. Edwards & Co., supplies	2.60
The Harr's Tire Co., supplies	15.00
Muehlig & Schmid, supplies	40.87
E. M. Wurster, supplies	4.65
Monson Pattern & Machine Works, repairs	1.10

Municipal Garage Fund
total \$65.82

Engineer Dept.

Jim Acqui, services	\$12.50
H. H. Bartlett, services	75.00
H. J. Colyer, services	2.00
V. W. McAdam, services	78.00
W. L. Rye, services	75.00
Fred Schmid, services	9 50
Wm. Tullidge services	2.00

Total Engineer Dept. . . \$254.00

The Detroit Edison Co., city hall	\$37.80
Washtenaw Gas Co., city hall	2.13
Water Works Dept., city hall	5 91
Edwin C. Ganzhorn M. D., services	5.00
Fred L. Arner, M. D., services	11.00
Besch & Gutekunst, collecting garbage	1,271 83
J. D. Scott collecting garbage	1.50
R. L. Polk & Co., directories	60.00
Ditto, incorporated ditto machine, etc	210 54
Frederick P. St. Co. supplies	6.36
Herick & Bohnet supplies	3.40
Geo. Wahr, supplies	4 35
The Artificial Ice Co., ice	3 25
City of Ann Arbor Municipal Garage, Engineer Dept	30.00
City of Ann Arbor Municipal Garage Health Dept	58.58
Davis & Ohlinger, printing	9.25
Washtenaw Post printing	18.60
Rogge's Poster Service, pasting notices	5 00
J. D. Scott, burial animals	2.50
Chas. Henning labor dumping ground	48.00
John M. Feiner, repairs	10 75
Dell Keefer, repairs	1 25
City Treasurer, Texas City property	4 59
R. O. Bonisteel, expenses paid	7 21

Total supplies, etc. . . . \$1,818.85

Contingent Fund total including salaries \$5,057.27

Fire Fund

Washtenaw Gas Co., light, etc.	\$ 7.05
Water Works Dept, water	6.97
The Detroit Edison Co., light	11.88
White Swan Laundry Co. Ltd., laundry	18 03
Banner Laundering Co., laundry	4.80
Fire and Water engineering subscription	4.00
Wm. Goodyear & Co., supplies	28.50
Henry S. Platt, supplies	2.88
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	18.80
City of Ann Arbor Municipal Garage, supplies	3 28
C. E. Godfrey, cartage, etc.	1.50

Total supplies, etc . . . \$107.69

Fire Fund total including salaries \$1,663.28

Police Fund

Mich. State Tel. Co., tolls	\$ 2.15
The Western Union Telegraph Co. telegrams	3.20
Eberbach & Son Co., supplies	20.00
E. G. Hoag, supplies	1.78
The Mayer-Schairer Co., supplies	6.45
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	33.00
Clyde C. Kerr & Sons printing	4 50
H. J. Richards, signs	14 00
City of Ann Arbor Municipal Garage	15.52

Total supplies, etc . . . \$100 60

Police Fund total including salaries \$1,163.92

Poor Fund

A. M. Spathoff, supplies	\$ 2.19
Ann-A Fuel Co. supplies	7.75
Wm. H. L. Rohde, supplies	16 00
Ann Arbor Taxi & Transfer Co., ambulance	7 00

Total supplies, etc. . . . \$32 94

Poor Fund total including salary \$82.94

Street Lighting Fund

The Detroit Edison Co., light	\$1,915 60
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Water Fund

Water Works Dept. general services	\$2,477 66
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Water Works Fund

Crane Co., supplies	\$312.16
Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co., supplies	14 71
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	2 10
L. E. Wenzel, supplies	1.60
The Detroit Edison Co., services	30.00
Municipal Garage, services	62.05
N. A. Ottmar, garage rent	4.00
American Express Co., express	2.85
Ann Arbor Railroad Co., freight	1.71
Mich. Cent Railroad, freight	\$52.76
City Treasurer, renewal and replacement exp.	1,500.00
Total supplies, etc.	\$1,983.94
A. Gerstler, labor	\$39.60
L. Gerrick, labor	48.40
T. Schwab, labor	2.00

Total labor\$90.00
Water Works Fund including salaries\$3,198.41

Park Fund

Ezra Moore, labor	\$15.00
Water Works Dept., water	2 25
The Monroe Nursery, trees	96.00
M. D. Larned, supplies	1 20
The Mayer-Schairer Co., supplies	3 20
City of Ann Arbor Municipal Garage, supplies	3.99
R. A. Steward, supplies and labor	21.37
Total supplies, etc.	\$128.01

Park Fund total including salaries\$361 34

Street Fund

L. G. Bird, labor	\$44 00
Mike Costello, labor	8.50
Fred Hanselman, labor	48.40
Emanuel Hozapfel, labor	12.00
Carl Janke, labor	13.20
Sam Kalmbach, labor	8.00
Fred Malke, labor	6.40
Chris Paul, labor	12.00
Adam Schlecht, labor	8.00
Geo. Schmid, labor	38 00
Carl Seeger, labor	1 80
Fred Ulrich, labor	12.00
John Wendland, labor	7.00
Joe Youngbauer, labor	3.60
John Herrst, team	7.12
Jacob Young, team	10.67

Total labor\$240.69
The Osborn Mfg. Co., supplies\$31 82
The Ann Arbor Asphalt

Construction Co., paying brick	\$222.94
City of Ann Arbor Municipal Garage, supplies repairs	190.03
Alfred J. Paul, express paid	1 57

Total supplies, etc.\$446 36

Street Fund total\$687.05

RECAPITULATION

Contingent	\$5 057.27
Fire	1,663.23
Police	1,163 92
Poor	82.94
Cemetery	95.00
Street Lighting	1,915.60
Water	2,477.66
Water Works	3 198 41
Park	361.34
Street	687.05

City Funds total\$16 702.47
Ann Arbor, Mich., March 5, 1923
To the Finance Committee of the
Common Council,

Gentlemen:—

I have examined the foregoing accounts against the City of Ann Arbor and I hereby certify that they are correct to the best of my knowledge

Isaac G. Reynolds,
City Clerk.

To the Honorable, the Common
Council,

Gentlemen:

Your Finance Committee has reviewed the foregoing report. Warrants for salaries were drawn March 16, 1923. We recommend that same be approved and that warrants be ordered drawn for foregoing amounts.

Albert D. Groves,

Robert Norris

Mark B. Sugden

Finance Committee.

Ald Groves moved the adoption of report, which was adopted by following vote: Yes, Ald. Johnson, Graf Henderson Lucas, Groves, Markey Moore Spathelf, White, Freeman Lutz, Norris, Pres Sugden 13. Naye none

Sewer Committee

By Ald. Lutz:

Resolved, that the matter of lateral sewers in lateral sewer Districts No. 120 on Davis-av. from Main-st. to Wilder place, on Wilder Place from Davis-av. to Hoover-av. on Hoover-av. from Wilder place to Fifth-st. and on Fifth-st. from Hoover-av. to Davis-av.; No. 121, on Third-st. from Washington-st.

to Huron-st; No. 122, on Grand View Drive; No. 123, on Medallion-st. from Oswego to Onondaga-st.; No. 124, on Maxwell-av. from Soule Blvd. west 300 ft. and on Wakefield-av. from Soule blvd. west 300 ft. No. 125, on Eighth st. from Liberty-st. south to the north line of Thompson, Spoor and Thompson addition and across private property to Seventh-st.; and No. 126, on Cedar-st. from Pontiac-st to Wright-st. and on Wright-st. from Cedar-st. to entrance to Fair View cemetery; including the reports thereon of the City Engineer, be referred to the Sewer Committee and said committee meet in the room of the Board of Public Works at a time to be fixed by the chairman of said Committee for the purpose of making due inquiry relative to said Sewer Districts, and after hearing all persons interested therein and desiring to be heard, said committee report to Council at next regular meeting.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves, Markey, Moore Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays none.

Water Committee

Ald. Norris made oral report that the Water Committee had met with the Water Commission and after consideration of question of water rates the committee believes that the present rates are adequate and recommends that rates of Water Dept. stand as they now are. Ald. Norris moved adoption of the recommendation, which was adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves, Markey, Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays, none.

Moved by Ald. Norris that the City Attorney present at next meeting a resolution providing for payment by abutting property owners of 50c a foot on either side of street where new water mains are to be laid.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves, Markey, Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays, none.

Police Committee

By Ald. Lutz:

Resolved, That the Acting Marshal be instructed to trade old

1921 Motorcycle in for new Harley Davidson, 1923 Model.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves, Markey, Moore Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays, none.

Bond Committee Report

To the Honorable the Common the following plumber's bond under consideration and respectfully recommends its approval:

George S. Woodward and Kav O. Eighth principals and South and State-sts., Dexter-av and Jackson-av. Eighth-st. and W. Huron-Council.

Gentlemen:

Your Bond Committee has had ern Surety company of Des Moines, Iowa, surety.

I beg leave to submit the following report on the petitions for gasoline filling stations on Packard To the Honorable Common Council, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

Respectfully submitted, Benj. H. Graf, Jerome Markey, Bond Committee.

Ald. Graf moved the adoption of report which was adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves, Markey, Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden 13. Nays, none.

Officers' Reports

Report of Acting Marshal for month of February received and ordered on file

City Engineer's Report on Petitions for Oil Filling Stations

st. The district affected by the location at Packard and State-sts. contains 55 properties, of which 35 have signed for the filling station. The number of signers necessary according to the ordinance is 37. I therefore certify that the required number of signatures have not been secured.

For the location at Dexter-av. and Jackson-av. I find that there are 48 properties in the district. There are 27 properties who have signed in favor of the gasoline station and 21 signed against it. The number of signers necessary according to the ordinance is 32. I therefore certify that the required number of signatures have not been secured.

The petition for the location of

the gasoline filling station at the southeast corner of W Huron and Eighth-sts. does not contain a sufficient number of signers to comply with the ordinance.

Respectfully submitted, Geo. H. Sandenburgh City Engineer.

Moved by Ald. Lutz, that report be accepted and placed on file.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves Markey, Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays, none.

Resolution Relative Raising Funds for Erection of Comfort Station

By Ald. Johnson:

Whereas, the city of Ann Arbor is in need of the erection and maintenance of a building to be commonly known as a comfort station, to be used by the public and,

Whereas the Board of Supervisors of the County of Washtenaw has granted the right, by resolution of the said Board, to erect such comfort station on the following described property, to wit:—

Beginning at the southeast corner of Block one north, range four east, (Court House Square), thence westerly along the north line of East Huron Street, 64 39 feet; thence northerly perpendicular to the north line of East Huron Street, 31 17 feet; thence easterly parallel to East Huron Street 23 18 feet; thence northeasterly at an angle of 45 deg with the north line of East Huron Street 14 2 feet thence northerly parallel to the west line of Fourth Avenue, 23 18 feet; thence easterly perpendicular to the west line of Fourth Avenue, 31 17 feet; thence southerly along the west line of Fourth Avenue 64 39 feet to the place of beginning, according to the proposed agreement made the third day of January A. D. 1923, and now on file with the city clerk, and,

Whereas, the Council is of the opinion that the erection of such a building for the use of the public, is a public necessity and should be erected, and,

Whereas, the said cost of construction and erection of said building will be Ten Thousand (\$10 000) dollars, and

Whereas the funds for the construction and erection of said building are not at the present time available, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that a special election be and the same is hereby called and will be held on the second day of April, A. D. 1923, in pursuance of the State Law and the charter of this city, to vote upon the question of raising the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars by taxation, such funds to be used for the construction and erection of said comfort station.

Resolved, further, that said election be held in the several wards of the City of Ann Arbor as follows:

First ward voting room, basement of City Hall; Second ward, ward building on South Ashley Street; third ward, ward building on Miller avenue; Fourth ward, voting room in basement of Armory, N. Fifth avenue; Fifth ward, ward building corner of Swift and Pontiac streets; sixth ward, voting room, in old engine house, East University avenue; seventh ward, first precinct, city building on Mary street; seventh ward, second precinct voting room in Eberbach school, corner Wells street and Forest avenue.

Resolved further, that the City Clerk of said City be and is hereby authorized to issue the usual call for said special election pursuant to the State Law and charter of the City of Ann Arbor, and to cause to be printed ballots for the use of the electors at said election, which ballots shall be printed upon white paper of equal width and length and shall read:

For raising the sum of Ten Thousand dollars by taxation for the construction and erection of a building commonly known as a comfort station. Yes. ()

For raising the sum of Ten Thousand dollars by taxation for the construction and erection of a building commonly known as a comfort station. No. ()

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves Markey, Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays, none.

By Ald. Johnson:

Resolved that the Board of Public Works, City Engineer and Street Commissioner make arrangements so as to be able to build and repair all sidewalks so ordered by the Council during the season of 1923.

Adopted by following vote Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf Henderson

Lucas Groves, Markey, Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays, none.

Proposed Amendment to Section 171 of the Charter

By Ald. Lutz:

WHEREAS, the aggregate amount which the council may raise for the purpose of general funds shall not exceed in any one year three fourths of one percent of the assessed value of all real and personal property in the city, as provided by Section 171 of the charter of the city, and,

WHEREAS, this amount is not sufficient to permit the raising of funds necessary for the operation of the several departments of the city unless the said Section 171 of the charter is amended now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that Section 171 of the charter of the city of Ann Arbor, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 171. The common council shall have the authority to assess levy and collect taxes on all the real and personal estate taxable in said city, which tax shall be and remain a lien upon the property so assessed until the same shall be paid; provided that the aggregate amount which the council may raise by general tax upon the taxable real and personal property for the purposes for which the several general funds are hereinafter constituted shall not, except as herein otherwise provided, exceed in any one year one per cent on the assessed value of all the real and personal property in the city made taxable by law; and provided further: That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prohibit the common council of said city from regulating by tax or otherwise the business of dealing in malt, spirituous or intoxicating liquors.

Resolved, that a special election be and the same is hereby called and will be held on Monday, the second day of April, A. D. 1923, in pursuance of the state law and charter of this city to vote upon the question of an amendment to section 171 of the charter of the city of Ann Arbor as aforesaid.

Resolved, further, that said election be held in the several wards of the City of Ann Arbor as follows: First ward, voting room, basement of City Hall; Second ward, ward

building on South Ashley street; Third ward, ward building on Miller avenue; Fourth ward, voting room, basement of Armory, North Fifth avenue; Fifth ward, ward building, corner of Swift and Pontiac streets; Sixth ward, voting room in old engine house, East University avenue; Seventh ward, first precinct, city building on Mary street; Seventh ward, second precinct, voting room in Eberbach School, corner Wells street and Forest avenue.

Resolved further that the city clerk of said city be and is hereby authorized to issue the usual call for said special election pursuant to the state law and charter of the city of Ann Arbor, and to cause to be printed ballots for the use of the electors at said election, which ballots shall be printed upon white paper of equal width and length and shall read:

"Section 171. The common council shall have authority to assess levy and collect taxes on all the real and personal estate taxable in said city, which tax shall be and remain a lien upon the property so assessed until the same shall be paid: Provided, That the aggregate amount which the council may raise by general tax upon the taxable real and personal property for the purposes for which the several general funds are hereinafter constituted shall not, except as herein otherwise provided, exceed in any one year one per cent on the assessed value of all the real and personal property in the city made taxable by law. And provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prohibit the common council of said city from regulating by tax or otherwise the business of dealing in malt, spirituous or intoxicating liquors.

For amendment of Section 171 of charter Yes ().

For amendment of Section 171 of charter. No. ().

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves, Markey, Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays, none.

Moved by Ald. Lutz that Robert A. Campbell, Chas. A. Sink and Maria Peel be appointed inspectors of election for Seventh Ward for the election to be held April 2, 1923.

Adopted by following vote Yeas,

Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves, Markey, Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays, none.

By Ald. Lutz:

Resolved, That the question of encroachments on sidewalks be referred back to the Board of Public Works with the recommendation that no permits be hereafter granted by the City Engineer or Board of Public Works in any building now encroaching said walks until such time as the plans call for the complete set back on the property lines.

Further, that, all movable en-

croachments be removed from the walks in accordance with the ordinance.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Johnson, Graf, Henderson, Lucas, Groves, Markey, Moore, Spathelf, White, Freeman, Lutz, Norris, Pres. Sugden, 13. Nays, none.

Ald. Freeman called attention to advisability of constructing sidewalks on a grade higher than the curb to prevent water from standing in the walks.

On motion of Ald. Lutz, council adjourned.

Isaac G. Reynolds,
City Clerk.