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A regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council room on Monday the 5th day of October A. D. 1891. Mayor Longyear presiding.

The were present at roll call, aldermen Gillette Hennessey Johnson, Kearney, Mc Gregor Moore Penditt Sigel Stafford Todd and Werner.

Aldermen Agnew Desjardines Tollis & Young appeared and took their seats.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication of C. G. Osburn - Custodian, relating to the Hydrant by the Courtmunk Building, was read, but no action was taken in relation thereto.

Communication of Chas E. Brown was read, except that Thomas Heffernan neglects to build a side walk in front of his property on Division Street, and was referred to the Street Committee.

The time for collection of the Special Assessment roll for the Washington Street Sewer, was on motion, extended to the 2nd day of November 1891.

The time for collection of the Special Assessment roll for grading curbing and macadamizing Fifth Street, from Superior Street to the North line of Fisher Street; and of the Special Assessment roll for grading, curbing and macadamizing Fair Avenue from Piquette Isle Road, were on motion extended to the 19th day of October A. D. 1891.

The Street Commissioners pay roll was, on motion approved and accepted.

The bid of Peterson and Hall to construct Sewer along Front Street from the Manhole in Hewitt Avenue to the South line of Ohio Street at eighty cents (80¢) per linear foot of sewer, one dollar and fifty cents (\$1 50) per lamp hole, and two dollars and fifty cents (\$2 50) per cubic yard of rocks removed by blasting, was on motion accepted, being the lowest bid, and they were awarded the contract. There being but one bid for the Prospect Street improvement, said bid was not opened.

Alderman Sigel said he understood the Prospect Street improvement can be done at a much less cost if a change of grade were be made.

Moved by Alderman Moore and carried that the

the matter of changing the grade of Prospect Street be referred to the Street Committee to report at next meeting.

Alderman Stafford called attention to the wall at the City Park on north side Bleiff Street and moved that the Street Committee be instructed to put a capping on said wall.

Alderman Hennessey moved as an amendment that the Park Committee be instructed to attend to the matter, carried.

The Street Commissioners report was read and accepted.

A number of bills were presented and laid over and on motion of Alderman Hennessey the labor and Lumber bills were ordered paid.

On motion of Alderman Pindick the following bills and amounts were ordered paid and the Mayor and Recorder instructed to issue orders for same:

✓ John P. Finlayson, St. Annisians' Baps pay, 1200	\$ 657	98
✓ Christ Peterson, South Park St Sewer Contract	294	52
✓ Christ Peterson connecting gutter to sewer	3	00
✓ James Lattrell, on aft Adams St Contract	200	00
✓ Byrne and Blackwood, work on Rock St Sewer	1	50
✓ Thomas Broderick Special police at Fair 5 days	10	00
✓ Rose Treweky " " " " "	10	00
✓ Daniel Sullivan " 4 "	8	00
✓ Erick Johnson " "	8	00
✓ James Greenen " "	8	00
✓ William Braden " 3 "	6	00
✓ Peter Schepfer " 2 "	4	00
✓ Edward O'Brien " "	4	00
✓ E. L. Fraser Lumber - Sep -	78	03
✓ F. W. Sambrook " "	93	18
✓ Kimmet Roberts on Res " "	9	56

Also, Alderman Agnew Desjardines Jollis Gilbert Hennessey, Johnasus Kearney McGeogor Moore Pindick Siegel Stafford J. F. Todd Werner and Young have more.

On motion of Alderman Desjardines seconded by Alderman Moore the ^{following} preamble and resolution was adopted, by the following vote:

Whereas, the Board of Water Power and Electric lighting have shown beyond a doubt a total disregard for the wishes of the Council by not placing the Street

This preamble & Resolution ordered to be printed October 20th 1891.

lights repeatedly asked of them by the Council, and

Whereas it appears to this Council that the best interests of the City would be better served by placing the management of the City lighting both public and private in the hands of a committee of the Council appointed for that purpose

Resolved, that the ordinance adopted May the 6th 1889 for the creation of said Board, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Resolved, that a Committee of five members of the Council having the same powers and the same duties to perform as the present Board, be appointed by the Mayor, subject to satisfaction by the Council.

Ayes, Aldermen Agnew, Desjardins, Follis, Gillette, Johnson, Kearney, McEugor, Moore, Siegel, Stafford and Todd, Traup, Aldermen Hennessy, Pendill, Warner and Young.

On motion of Alderman Follis the following Resolution was adopted:

That this Council disapproves of the action of the Board of Water and Fire Commissioners in suspending the Water Service on Washington Street between 3rd and Front and vicinity, while Jackson Street, Horton Street & West Washington Streets are left without any water service whatever.

Ayes Aldermen Agnew, Desjardins, Follis, Gillette, Hennessy, Johnson, Kearney, McEugor, Moore, Pendill, Siegel, Stafford, Todd, Warner and Young. Traup none.

On motion of Alderman Hennessy the following Resolution was adopted:

Resolved. That the City Attorney and two aldermen to be appointed by the Mayor be constituted a Special Committee on Ordinances, whose duty it shall be to prepare and recommend to the Common Council such revision, change and amendment of the general ordinances of the City now in force and such new ordinances as they shall deem best suited to the full exercise of the powers conferred by law upon the Common Council

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. M. Longyear
Mayor.

This Resolution ordered to be printed October 20th 1891.

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October
20th

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Tuesday the 20th day of October A.D. 1891. Mayor Longyear presiding.

There were present at Roll call Alderman Agnew Desjardines Tollis Hennessey Johnson Mc Gregor Moore Pendill Powell Todd and Young.

Alderman Gillett Siegel Stafford and Werner appeared and took their seats.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Petition of Jacob Brown, asking permission to lay sewer between Curbston and fence to connect his house on with Front street with Front street sewer, was granted.

Petition of Carl Rohd, for permission to build new veranda at Merchants Hotel was also granted.

Proposition of Anthony Pingo to rent the City farm was referred to the Committee of Parks Amusement Public Grounds.

on motion of Alderman Hennessey it was, Resolved that the time for collection of the special Assessment Roll for Sewer on Hewitt Avenue from Front Street to center of Front Street be and is hereby extended to the 23rd day of November A.D. 1891.

Alderman Hennessey stated that the Sisters of St. Josephs Convent had petitioned for exemption of payment of the special assessment for the Fifth Street improvement fronting the orphan Asylum and moved that their prayer be granted and that the Mayor and Recorder be authorized to issue an order for the amount, to wit, \$191²⁸/₁₀₀ to balance city assessment Roll. Ayes Alderman Agnew Desjardines Tollis Gillett Hennessey Johnson Mc Gregor Moore Pendill Powell Siegel Stafford Todd, Werner and Young. Nay, none.

\$191²⁸/₁₀₀

Sundry bills were laid over till the regular meeting.

Two reports from the Electric Light Board were referred to the Finance Committee.

Alderman Tollis introduced a resolution relative to the public printing which was, on motion of Alderman Hennessey ordered placed on file.

Alderman Desjardines moved the adoption of an Ordinance relative to the management of the Board of Water Power and Electric Light Commissioners.

Whereupon Alderman Powell moved that the following preamble an Resolution be adopted, as a substitute, which motions

was carried by the following vote; Ayes, Aldermen Sillitt⁵, Hennessy, Johnson and McGregor; Nays, Board, Seiger, Stafford, Todd, Werner and Young. Ayes, Aldermen Agnew, Desjardins, Tollie and Moore.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Council held October 5th, a preamble and Resolutions were adopted the preamble of which recited that "the Board of Water Power and Light Commissioners had shown beyond a doubt a total disregard of the wishes of the Council in not placing street lamps asked of them by the Council," and the resolutions of which aimed to repeal an ordinance of this City properly passed and approved, and

Whereas, The preamble was an unjust censure on the said Board, its failure to meet the demands of the Council arising from circumstances beyond its control, while the Resolutions were of no force and effect, inasmuch as an ordinance cannot be legally amended or repealed save by an amending or repealing ordinance properly passed and approved,

Therefore be it Resolved, That the said preamble and Resolutions are hereby rescinded, and that the Recorder be directed to expunge the same from the Records of this Council.

On motion of Alderman Hennessy the following preamble and Resolution was adopted:

Whereas, At a meeting of this Council held on the 5th inst, a Resolution was adopted censuring the Board of Water and Fire Commissioners for having voted to place a larger main on Washington Street, between Front and Third on the ground that the proposed improvement should not be made while residence portions of the City were unprovided with water and in urgent need of the same, and

Whereas, This Council is satisfied upon more thorough investigation that the said Board is doing all in its power to extend the water service to all parts of the City as rapidly as can be done consistently with the best interests of the whole City, having due regard to the protection of the City from fires and the maintenance of the works on a self supporting basis,

Therefore be it Resolved: That the said Resolutions

is hereby rescinded and withdrawn, and that the Recorder be directed to erase the same from the Records of this Council. Ayes Aldermen Gillett Hennessey Johnson Mc Gregor Pindell Powell Siegel Stafford Werner and Young. Nays, Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Follis Moore and Todd.

The Council then on motion adjourned

Thomas Meade
Recorder

J. M. Longyear
Mayor.

1891. A Regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday November 2nd the 2nd day of November A. D. 1891. Mayor Longyear presiding.

Those were present at Roll Call, Aldermen Desjardins Follis Gillett Hennessey Johnson Kearny Mc Gregor Pindell Powell Siegel and Stafford.

Aldermen Agnew Werner and Young appeared and took their seats.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and as amended, approved.

Petition of Nagusitt and Erbelding for permission to connect the Vanderstem Block with Washington Street Sewer by tapping the same was granted.

Communication of the Proprietors of the Longyear Addition, by Richard Black, asking the Council to formally accept the Croquet Isle drive, High, Second, Marquette Specular and Stematite streets in said addition, was referred to the Street Committee.

The liquor bonds of Arthur D. Holland, Daniel George Kerner and Albert Hunsinger, of Samuel S. Knapton, Daniel Philip Hopkins and Peter Kasimus, and of George P. Doreilly, Currier, were on the table. accepted

The special assessment roll for grading, curbing and macadamizing Adams Street from Jackson Street to Green Street was presented and on motion approved and the

Recorder instructed to give notice as required by the Charter that the Council will meet on the 7th day of December A. D. 1891 at 8.0. clock P. M. to consider the final confirmation of said Roll.

The chairman of the Street Committee submitted the following report.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of J. E. Reaw and nine others asking that a sewer be laid in Prospect street from the Front Sewer to a point 100 feet west of Pine street should recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted and that the City Engineer be instructed to prepare a profile of said sewer.

The report was on motion accepted and the Engineer instructed to prepare a profile of the sewer.

The time for collection of the special assessment Roll for Sewer in Washington Street from Fifth Street to the centre of Garfield Avenue was on motion extended to the 7th day of December A. D. 1891.

The Street Commissioners report was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Alderman Siegel moved that the bill of Dr. A. Desjardins of \$108.⁰⁰ for services as Health Officer since Oct 15th be not allowed.

Alderman Pendill seconded by Alderman Gillett, moved as a substitute that said bill be paid. Ayes, Aldermen Agnew, Follis, Gillett, Hennessy, Johnson, Kearney, McEugor, Pendill, Powell, Stafford, Werner and Young. Nays, Alderman Siegel.

Moved by Alderman Follis, that all the bills incurred in the Hogan case be not allowed.

Alderman Pendill moved as a substitute that said bills be paid. Ayes, Aldermen Agnew, Desjardins, Gillett, Johnson, Kearney, McEugor, Pendill, Powell, Siegel, Stafford, Werner and Young. Nays, Aldermen Follis and Hennessy.

The following bills and amounts were allowed and the Mayor ^{is} instructed to issue orders for the same.

✓ John P. Sinclair, St Com ^{rs} Oct pay roll	558	54
✓ Sanit Board an ap ^{ts} Park St Contract	350	00
✓ Peterson an Hall " Front " sewer "	350	00
✓ James Lattreil Bal ^{rs} duo on Adams St Ch	119	06
✓ F. W. Sambrook Lumber - Oct	71	47

✓ E. L. Fraser Lumber - Oak	2	66
✓ The Jopling Hardware Co, Rep Z Oil Lamp & C		75
✓ Dr A Desjardins Services as Health Officer	108	00
✓ James Moloney, Board of Prison Augt 44p	8	13
✓ A. O. Jopling & Co Sewer pipe etc	24	60
✓ Lake Shore Iron Works, Sundries for Rock Crusher	20	66
✓ Geo L. Burtis Lumber	2	14
✓ The Mankant Hardware Co, Sundries - Rock Crusher	35	01
✓ The Mining Journal Co, printing City Charter, proceedings & notices	101	90
✓ James Pickands & Co, Coal for Crusher	4	50
✓ James Pickands & Co, " Recorder's Office	19	50
✓ The Jopling Hardware Co, Sundries for Streets & C	12	75
✓ G. A. Smith, Recording Deed	1	00
✓ Lake Shore Iron Works, wedges, for R. Crusher	1	56
✓ James Moloney, Living, bringing witness	1	00
✓ R. A. French g. Cords Ropes	18	00
✓ B. Tidhearth & Co, Hammer & axe	1	60
✓ J. Meads Justice fees	20	80
✓ L. P. Beary " "	4	80
✓ Th. A. French, Juror fees	1	00
✓ Charles Schock " "	1	00
✓ Fred Frei " "	1	00
✓ James F. Kehoe " "	1	00
✓ Thomas Tracy " "		50
✓ Henry Siegel " "		50
✓ Albin Croubs " "		50
✓ William Hicks " "		50
✓ John Fassbinder " "		50
✓ Charles Schock " "		50
✓ A. R. Morgan " "		50
✓ Henry Russell " "		50
✓ A. H. Holland " "		50
✓ John Helmuth " "		50
✓ C. E. Deane " "		50
✓ Arick Barth " "		50
✓ Jacob Gillitt " "		50
✓ J. H. Young " "		50
✓ William Cleary Witness fees		96
✓ Michael Rand " "		96
✓ Abbie Jellison " "		96
✓ Emma Rose " "		96
✓ Isabel Hunt " "		47
✓ Robert Sparling " "		47

	Witness Fee		9
✓ Olef Johnson			47
✓ Enoch Johnson	"		47
✓ Dennis Hogan	"		47
✓ John E. Olson	"		47
✓ Robert Steens	"		47
✓ Jacob Werner	"		48
✓ George Sebler	"		48
✓ W. F. Dorney	"		48
✓ Louis Gabyour	"		48
✓ Theoman Metz	"		48
✓ Jessie Board	"		48
✓ Ferdinand Bending	"		48
✓ Geo Goutier	"		48
✓ A. D. Jacobs	"		48
✓ D. B. Vanclous	"		48
✓ Timothy Lepere	"		48
✓ Will A. Brown	Transcribing Testimony	2	25
✓ Dan Sullivan	Special Polic at Fair	2	00
✓ H. H. Stafford & Son	Stationary Ink penst c	11	05
✓ August Schwalm	Drayage	1	00

Ayes Aldermen Agnew Desjardines Follis Gillitt Hennessy
 Johnson Kearney Mc Gregor Pendill Powell Sigel Stafford
 Werner and Young. Ayes none.

The bill of R. P. French of \$3,084.50 for balance due
 on Fruit Truck Contract, was laid over.

On motion of Alderman Follis the following resolution
 was adopted:

Resolved, That this Council authorizes the
 Board of Water and Fire Commissioners to offer the faith
 and credit of this City as security to a loan of
 \$2600. to Peter White for the purpose of laying Water
 Mains on Morton Street and West Washington Street.

Ayes, Aldermen Agnew Desjardines Follis Hennessy Johnson
 Kearney Mc Gregor and Stafford. Ayes Aldermen Gillitt
 Pendill Powell Sigel Werner and Young.

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Thomas Meads
 Recorder

J. M. Haugan
 Mayor.

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1891.
November
23rd

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday the 23rd day of November A. D. 1891. Mayor Longyear presiding.

Those were present Aldermen Desjardins, Tollis, Gilbert, Hennessy, Thomas, Mc Gregor, Moore, Powell, Siegel, Stafford and Todd. Alderman Young appeared and took his seat.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Mayor appointed Charles N. Russell as a member of Board of Health, to fill the vacancy caused by the removal from the City of R. J. Wilson, said appointment was on motion confirmed.

The time for collection of the Special Assessment Roll for Sewer on Hewitt Avenue from Trunk Sewer to Center of Front Street was on motion extended to the 19th day of December A. D. 1891.

The Street Committee to whom was referred the Trunk Sewer matter reported as follows.

Your Committee to whom was referred the matter of ascertaining whether the City had secured the right of way for the extension of Trunk Sewer from its present terminus to Third Street would respectfully report that they have looked up the records of the matter and find that the City is in possession of deeds for same, The report was on motion accepted.

The said Committee also reported favorably on the petition of J. E. Reaw & others for sewer in Prospect Street, and on William Burt & others petition to grade curb and macadamize portion of street one block west of Allen Street.

The profile of the Trunk Sewer extension from the center of Prospect Street, northerly to Third Street; and the profile of the Prospect Street Sewer from the Trunk Sewer to a point 108 feet west of Pine Street, were on motion adopted.

The following Ordinance was on motion adopted:

An Ordinance for the Construction of a Sewer in Prospect Street, from the Trunk Sewer to a Point 108 feet west of Pine Street.

It is hereby ordained by Common Council of the City of Marquette.

1. That a Sewer be laid in the center of Prospect ^{Street} from the Manhole in the Trunk Sewer crossing said Street to a point one Hundred eight feet (108 feet) west of the west line of Pine Street, and that six (6) inch lateral sewers be laid and constructed from said Sewer to the lot lines on each side of said Street; one of said laterals to and for each lot of fifty feet frontage on said Street on each side thereof.

Sewer in
Prospect St.

2. That said Sewer be constructed of best eight inch (8") sewer pipe, with six inch (6") "y's" and laterals, and be laid in accordance with the grade and profile heretofore established therefor, and with two (2) manholes and one Lamp-holes where indicated on said profile, and in all respects said sewer and laterals shall be constructed in strict accordance with the plans and specifications of the Davis Sewer System, so called, and be entirely completed on or before the first day of March 1892, and said street to be left in good condition upon the completion of said works.

3. That the Recorder be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for a period of ten (10) days in the Daily Mining Journal, and once in the Weekly Mining Journal, for bids to furnish all materials and perform all labor necessary for the construction of said sewer and laterals, the Common Council reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

4. That each bid shall be accompanied by two bonds, each in the penal sum of the total amount of the bid, one running to the City, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract, if awarded and the other running to the people of the State of Michigan, conditioned for the payment of all claims for labor and materials arising under such contract.

5. That the expense and cost of said sewer and laterals be assessed upon the property benefitted thereby, and the City Assessor be and is hereby instructed to prepare a Special Assessment Roll for that purpose, as soon as such expense and cash have been ascertained.

On motion, the following Ordinance was adopted:

An ordinance, for the Extension and construction of a Trunk Sewer; from the center of Prospect Street, Northwesterly to Third Street.

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

1. That a Trunk Sewer, the westerly terminus of which is now located in the center of Prospect Street, be extended, constructed and laid northwesterly to Third Street, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the City Recorder.

2. That said sewer be constructed of best vitrified twelve inch (12") sewer pipe with six inch (6") "y's" and be laid in accordance with the grade and profile heretofore established therefor, and with eight (8) manholes where indicated on said profile, and two (2) lamp-holes, if required by the City Engineer, and in all respects said sewer shall be constructed

Trunk Sewer
2nd Division

in strict accordance with the plans and specifications of the Davis Sewer System, so called, and be entirely completed on or before the First day of April next.

3. That the Recorder be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for a period of ten (10) days in the Daily Mining Journal and once in the Husky Mining Journal, for bids to furnish all materials and perform all labor necessary for the construction of said sewer, the Common Council reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

4. That each bid shall be accompanied by two bonds, each in the penal sum of the total amount of the bid, one running to the City, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract, if awarded, and the other running to the People of the State of Michigan, conditioned for the payment of all claims for labor and materials arising under such contract.

5. That the expense and cost of said sewer be assessed upon the property benefitted thereby, and the City Assessor be and is hereby instructed to prepare a special assessment roll for that purpose, as soon as such expense and cost has been ascertained.

The Committee on Parks Cemeteries and public grounds to which was referred the matter of renting the City farm reported and recommended that it be rented to the highest bidder but after considerable discussion it was moved by Alderman Kennedy and carried that the City farm be rented to Antony Dings at fifty dollars (\$50.) per year.

The City attorney reported as follows:

Marquette Michigan Nov 23rd/91.

To the Common Council of the City of Marquette.

Gentlemen:-

At the request of your Committee on Water Power and Electric Lights, I have examined the question as to the rights of the City to the enjoyment of the natural flow of the Stream on which is located the Electric Light plant of this city.

As I understood the facts, Dead River, on which the plant is located, is a small stream on which logs are sometimes floated by lumbermen, that in order to make it available for that purpose it has been found necessary to erect dams at different points, so as to raise the water to a sufficient height to enable the logs to float.

The effect has been a stoppage of the water supply for the Plant, and the question is as to the rights and remedies of the City.

In the case of Koopman v. S. Black et al., 70 Mich, 610, defendants were complained of for maintaining several dams

City attorney's report on stopping the natural supply of Dead River.

on a small stream above the Complainant's mill for the purpose of facilitating the moving of logs by storing up and letting out water to float the logs. The effect on the Complainant's mill was an interference with, and in some cases a stoppage of the water supply, and it appears that the mill and dam were actually endangered by a sudden escape of the water from defendant's dams. Upon this state of ^{fact} it was held that the Complainant was entitled to an injunction restraining the defendants from retaining water by their dams to such an extent as to prevent the mill from getting constantly the natural flow of the stream, and from letting out floods which would injure the Complainant's dam.

It seems to me, upon the authority of this and other cases, the City has a full and complete remedy for the injury complained of, and that it is fully warranted in taking the necessary steps to protect its property, and to enforce its right to the natural and continued flow of the stream.

Said report was accepted and ^{Respectfully, Geo. P. Brown, City Attorney.} Alderman Desjardins moved that the City attorney be instructed to take the necessary steps to enjoin further interference with the natural flow of water in Dead River, to the detriment of the Electric Light plant, which was carried.

Moved by Alderman Moore that the City attorney be instructed to have the city pounds properly recorded.

The City attorney stated that before that could be done it was necessary to pass an ordinance properly locating the public pounds, and on motion of Alderman Hemmery the aldermen in each ward were instructed to look up suitable places for public pounds and report at next meeting.

The following communication, was on motion referred to the Street Committee:

Marquette November 23rd 1891.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Marquette.

The undersigned desiring to occupy that part of Jackson Street between Albion and Mountain Street as a park and for business purposes, asks that said part of Jackson Street be closed or vacated for street purposes and that the title of the land on said street so vacated be vested in us.

Signed, The Marquette Lake Superior Hotel Sanitarium Association

By R. C. Mansfield, Pres.

On motion of Alderman Desjardins, the following preamble and resolution was adopted:

Resolution relating to Washington St School property

Whereas: at the annual meeting of the School District it was voted to sell and convey the Washington Street School lot to the City for City Hall purposes, for the consideration of \$1.00, possession to be given at the close of the present school year; therefore

Be it Resolved, that the City does hereby accept said lot for the purpose named, and that the Recorder be and he is hereby directed to draw an order on the City Treasurer for the sum of \$1.00 to pay for the same:

And be it further resolved: That the School Board may at its discretion remove the school house now on said lot to a suitable site at any time prior to July 1st 1892.

And aldermen Desjardins, Ellis, Feltus, Hennessy, Johnson, McGregor, Moore, Peoub, Seigt, Stafford, Todd and Young. Say: none.

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. M. Languear Mayor

1891
December
7th

A Regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday the 7th day of December A. D. 1891. Mayor Longyear presiding.

There were present Aldermen Sollis Hennessy, Johnson, Kearney, McGeer, Moore, Pundit, Powell, Siegel, Stafford and Werner.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The petition of Property owners on Crescent Street asking said Street be graded, curbed and macadamized from Third Street to the East line of Moore's addition was ordered filed.

The petition of Widow Anna M. Beyer asking exemption from taxation was read, but it being considered the Council had no jurisdiction in the matter no action was taken.

A Communication from the Board of Health asking the Council to pass an ordinance empowering the Board Superior over all plumbing, both public and private, done in the city, and for licensing plumbers; also an ordinance requiring all physicians to give certificate of death and prohibiting undertakers or others to bury any one without a burial permit, and to prohibit the removal of the dead without a permit, was ordered placed on file read, and the City attorney instructed to prepare ordinances for said purposes.

The Liquor Bond of Bert J. Kaldor, Surlis, George Wagner and Peter Werner was approved and accepted.

The Mayor appointed the following, as Delegates to the Detroit Deep-Waterway Convention, which was approved by the Council: - Peter White, H. A. Burt, James Russell, Francis Symmes & A. Kessler.

In pursuance of a resolution passed by the Council on October 5th last, in relation to the appointment by the Mayor of the City attorney and two aldermen, as a Special Committee to revise the City ordinances; the Mayor appointed Aldermen Hennessy and Alderman Pundit, in conjunction with the City attorney.

The special Assessment Roll for Sewer on Lincoln Avenue from Washington Street to a point 100 feet South of Polloff Street, and also the special Assessment Roll for Sewer on Front Street from the Centre of Hewitt Avenue to South line of Ohio Street was presented and approved and the Recorder instructed to give notice as required by Charter that the Council will meet on the 14th day of January 1892 at 8.0. clock P. M. to consider the final confirmation of said rolls.

The Street Committee reported favorably on the petition of the Marquette Lakes Superior Hotel Sanitarium Association, and the following Ordinance was adopted in relation thereto: -

An Ordinance, vacating and abolishing a portion of Jackson Street.

It is hereby Ordained, by the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

1. That so much of Jackson Street as lies west of Albion Street and East of the intersection of Mountain Street with said Jackson Street be and the same is hereby vacated and abolished.

The Profile of Jackson Street from Altmont Street to Albion Street was adopted, and also the following Ordinance:

It is hereby Ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

1st. - That Jackson Street, from the East line of Altmont Street to the West line of Albion Street be graded to the full width thereof according to the grade heretofore adopted therefor.

2nd. - That said street between the limits above specified, be macadamized to the width of thirty feet (30 ft) in the center thereof, and that gutters be constructed of plank alongside of such macadamizing, and that said gutters and said macadamizing shall be in accordance with such Ordinance of this City relative thereto.

3rd. That the Recorder be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise, for a period of ten days in the Daily Mining Journal, and once in the Weekly Mining Journal, for bids to furnish all materials and perform all labor necessary for such grading, macadamizing and gutters; the Common Council reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

4th. That each bid shall be accompanied by two bonds each in the penal sum of at least the total amount of the bid, one running to the said City, conditioned for the faithful performance of contract, if awarded, and the other running to the People of the State of Michigan, conditioned for the payment of all claims for labor and material arising under said contract.

5th. That the expense and cost of said grading, macadamizing and gutters shall be assessed upon the property benefited thereby, and that the City Assessor be and he is hereby instructed to prepare a Special Assessment Roll for that purpose, as soon as such expense and costs shall have been ascertained.

The bid of William O. Mara to construct Drums Run

Ordinance vacating Jackson St

Improving Jackson St.

from the center of Prospect Street, South westerly to Third Street at One Dollar and forty cents (\$1.40) per linear foot of sewer, Fifty dollars (\$50.) per Manhole, Three dollars (\$3.) per Lamp-hole and Three dollars (\$3.00) per yard for Rock, being the lowest bid, was on motion accepted and he was awarded the contract.

On motion of alderman Pencil the bid of John Bugh for said work was not opened.

The bid of John Mitchel to construct Sewer in Prospect Street from the Point Sewer to a point 108 feet west of Pine Street for all 8. inch pipe at Seventy four cents (.74¢) per foot " " " " " Sixty four cents (.64¢) " " Manholes Forty five dollars (\$45.) each, Lamp-holes, one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) each and for all solid Rock work Two Dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) per yard, being the lowest bid, was on motion accepted and he was awarded the contract.

On motion of Alderman Pencil the bid for said work ^{of Bugh} was not opened.

On motion of Alderman Hennessy the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved: That the action of this Council in the matter of the adoption of the profile for the grading curbing and macadamizing of Cassant Street from Third to Pine streets be rescinded, which profile was adopted June 15th 1891.

On motion of Alderman Hennessy the following resolution was also adopted:

Resolved: That the City Attorney be and he is hereby directed to take such steps as necessary in behalf of this City to secure the right of way for the extension of Cassant Street from the East line of Moore and Sang's addition to the Lake.

The City Attorney stated that he had drawn up an agreement with Anthony Pings to rent the City Farm for ten years at fifty dollars per year, which was approved by the Council.

The Street Commissioner's Report was approved and ordered placed on file. The Street Commissioner's pay roll was also approved.

The Report of the Water Power and Electric Lighting Board for October was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

The following bills and amounts were allowed and ordered paid and the Mayor and Recorder instructed to issue orders for the same: -

City Clerk
and of City

✓	John P. Sulayman, St. Ann's Mission's shoe pay roll	\$ 437. 81.
✓	Geo. L. T. Deertis	14. 76

F. H. Sambrook Lumber in Apr	17	86
Marquette Water Works, Water Tax - Marshall's house	6	50
Mining Journal Co, pub. proceeds 2 meetings & others - health officer	23	80
Mining Journal Co, pub. proceeds 2 meetings, Tax, sale & c	45	20
Charles D. Blanchard, Justice fees	5	20
C. D. Blanchard - for constables fees	1	81
C. D. Blanchard " Petition "	4	20
John Gillett, Levy, for St Committee	8	00
The Jopling Hardware Co, Nails etc for streets	2	75
James Kolony, Board of Precincts - Oct & Nov	9	38
Mrs. Shottley, Cleaning Councils Rooms & Records' office	4	00
McGuire Gas Lumber, Secor grate, Sharpening Picks & c	8	20
Marquette Daily & Sunday Times, pub. of Piffard's Fair Regulations	15	00
T. Meads, Cook paid for Stamps since Sep 7 th	1	62
H. Rivers drayage	3	00
Peter Dolf 12 Hammer Handles	2	40

Ayes Aldermen Fallis Hennessy Johnson Kearney McGregor Moore
Pendill Powell Siegel Stafford and Therner. Ayes none.

Moved by Alderman Stafford and seconded by Alderman Pendill
that the bill ^{to the City} of Alderman Desjardines of \$74.⁰⁰ for services as Health
officer be not allowed.

Alderman Moore seconded by Alderman Stafford, moved as an amendment
that he be allowed fifty cents each for tacking up cards on infected
houses, Ayes, Alderman Moore. Ayes Alderman Fallis Hennessy
Johnson Kearney McGregor Pendill Powell Siegel Stafford and
Therner. The original motion was then carried by the following
vote: Ayes, Alderman Fallis, Hennessy Johnson Kearney, McGregor
Pendill Powell Siegel Stafford and Therner. Ayes, Alderman
Moore.

The bill of Peterson and Hall of \$245.⁰⁰ for balance due
on High Front Street Secor Contract was presented.

Moved by Alderman Fallis and carried that they be allowed said bill
less \$25.⁰⁰ which is to be reserved till the street can be left in good
condition after the snow leaves. Ayes Alderman Fallis Hennessy
Johnson Kearney McGregor Moore Pendill Powell Siegel Stafford
and Therner. Ayes none.

Alderman Fallis introduced the following Resolution: -

Resolved, That the City Recorder be and is hereby instructed
to advertise for bids on the City printing; official Council proceedings
advertising and all printing in connection with the City of Marquette
and that contracts be let to the lowest bidder. Said contract to be in
force till April first 1892.

Ayes Alderman Fallis Kearney, McGregor Moore and Powell

Mayor Aldermen Hennessey Johnson Pundill Seigel Stafford
and Werner.

Moved by Alderman Pundill and carried that the Parks
Committee be directed to investigate the matter of Perquisites re-
ceived by the Sexton of the Park Cemetery, over and above his salary,
to ascertain the amount paid over by him to the Park Commissioner
and report at next meeting of the Council.

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Thomas Meads
Recorder.

J. M. Longyear
Mayor.

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1892
January
4th

A Regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday the fourth day of January A. D. 1892, Mayor Longyear presiding.

Those were present Aldermen Desjardins Follis Hennessy Johnson Kearney Mc Gregor Moore Powell Siegel Stafford Todd Werner and Young.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Petition of The Marquette City and Presque Isle Railway Company requesting that it may suspend running ~~running~~ its Street Cars, or other conveyances, until April 1st next, should it desire to do so, was referred to the Street Committee said Company being permitted to discontinue operation till next meeting of the Council.

Petition signed by J. P. Wetmore and eighty-two others, stating that the opening of the extension of Spring Street from Lake to Front Street and from Fourth Street to Fifth Street is a great public necessity, was referred to the Street Committee.

Petition of the Cleveland Saw Mill & Lumber Co. asking that their water tax be abated, was referred to the City Attorney to report at next meeting.

Communication from R. R. French, by Richard Blake, was presented requesting the balance due on account of his Front Street Contract, amounting, with interest to \$3,129.⁵⁰.

Moved by Alderman Powell that French's bill be paid when there are sufficient funds in the Treasurer's hands to pay same.

Alderman Stafford, moved as a substitute that the proper ^{to authorize} ^{to borrow} money enough to pay R. R. French's bill.

Ayes Alderman Desjardins Follis Hennessy Johnson Kearney, Mc Gregor Moore Powell Siegel Stafford Todd Werner and Young. Nays none.

The petition of Henry Herlick stating that at the time the tax roll was compiled there was no house on his lot in the Spector addition, but that he had been taxed for house all the same, and asked for rebate, saying City Assessor admitted it was a mistake was read. Said petition was on motion of Alderman Follis referred back to the City Assessor.

Petition of H. A. Ross asking for a moderate annual license for the New Opera House was on referred to a special committee, appointed by the Mayor, consisting of Alderman Powell Young and Stafford.

Communication of Isaac F. Currey of Flint recommending

his snow plow, was referred to the Street Committee
The special assessment roll for grading curbing and
macadamizing Adams Street from Jackson Street to
Genesee Street was presented and on motion approved and
the Recorder instructed to give notice as required by the Charter
that the Council will meet on the first day of February
A.D. 1892. at 8.0. clock P.M. of said day to consider the
final confirmation of said roll.

The special assessment roll for sewer on Lincoln
avenue from Washington Street to a point 100 feet north of
Bluff Street was on motion confirmed and the Recorder
instructed to hand said assessment roll over to the City Treasurer
for collection.

The special assessment roll for sewer on French Street
from the center of Hewitt Avenue to south line of French
Street was presented for confirmation.

Alderman Stenness stated that William G. Boyce having
been assessed for 100 feet on the Hewitt Avenue sewer roll,
should be exempted from the payment on his 50 feet on French
Street and moved that said French Street assessment roll
be returned to the assessor with instruction to spread the
amount taxed to Boyce on said roll - carried.

The Committee on Parks Cemeteries and Public Grounds
to which was referred the matter of perquisites received by the
Sexton of the Park cemetery reported and stated that they had
thoroughly investigated the matter and found no cause of complaint
against him whatever, but learned that he was faithful and
had kept no fees to which he was not clearly entitled.

The report was on motion unanimously accepted.
The Street Commissioners report was read and on motion accepted
and ordered placed on file.

The City Attorney reported having opened up correspondence
with the owners of the lands required for the extension of
Crescent Street to the lake with the view of acquiring title
to said lands, and on motion of Alderman Moore the following
Resolution was adopted:

Resolved, that it is deemed necessary by the Common
Council of the City of Marquette that Crescent Street should be
improved by extending the same easterly, to Lake Superior, and
by grading, curbing and macadamizing said street from Third
Street to Lake Superior, and for the purpose of said improvement
that it is necessary that the following described lands be taken
for said improvement, to wit: All that part of Lot 2. of

Resolution for opening
Crescent St.

Section (13) Thirteen in Town Forty-Eight (48) North of Range Twenty-Five (25) west described as follows, to wit: Commencing at the Eastern terminus of the north line of Crescent Street as laid out on the recorded plat of Moore's addition to the City of Marquette; thence easterly on said north line of Crescent Street, projected, to Lake Superior; thence southerly along Lake Superior to a point in the South line of said Crescent Street, projected; thence westerly along said last mentioned line to said Crescent Street as now laid out on said plat; thence northerly to the place of beginning. The names of the owners and persons interested in said Lands, so far as known, being: Henry Hewitt Jr., Samuel P. Ely, Philip V. R. Ely, Prescott Ely, Lilly A. Ellis, Arthur C. Ely and Mabel G. Ely. Also that Thomas Meade, Esquire, a Justice of the Peace, of said City be and he is hereby designated to whom application be made by said City on the 15th day of February 1892, at 100. Clark A. M. at his office in said City for the empannelling of a jury to ascertain the necessity of using said Lands and the just compensation to be made therefor.

The City attorney presented an Ordinance relative to the interment of the dead.

Alderman ^{of the same name} moved its adoption. Alderman Dejeanins moved as a substitute that it be referred to the Board of Health which was carried.

The Park Commissioner presented his annual Report which is as follows:

Marquette Mich Dec 11th 1891.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Marquette, Mich.

Herewith I send you my statement of expenditures and receipts for the Cemetery and Public Parks of the City of Marquette for the year 1891, which show that I have received \$1375⁰⁰ for the sale of lots, digging graves and improvements on lots and have expended in the same time \$3555⁷⁸ having a balance of \$2180⁷⁸ my due. I also submit the vouchers for the account. If the Committee wish me to I will go before them and give any explanation necessary.

Considerable of the work was done on the Presque Isle Road. It was very bad, almost impassible, and the City Street Commissioner did not seem to take any notice of it.

Crowds of visitors were coming here from abroad so I felt it important to fix up the Road and also the Road around Presque Isle; the new drive on the East Front about the center

of the Park. A large amount has been done on the Cemetery during the past year and it is in every sense condition every way. Very little will have to be done next year.

Very Respectfully Yours

Peter White, Parks & Cemetery Commissioner.

Alderman Hennessey moved that it be referred to the committee on Parks cemetery & Public grounds.

Alderman Siegel moved as a substitute that the Report be accepted and the balance paid. Ayes Aldermen Powell Siegel Stafford Todd and Young. Nays, Aldermen Desjardins Follis, Hennessey Johnson Kearney Mc Guegor Moore & Therner.

The original motion was then carried.

The Report of the Water Power and Electric Lighting Board for November was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

The following bills and amounts were allowed and ordered paid and the Mayor and Recorder instructed to issue orders for the same:

✓ John P. Tinkapan, St Ann's Dec pay roll	345.25
✓ John Mitchell, on apt Prospect St. Sewer Ct	805 92
✓ William O'Mara on apt Truist Sewer Comp't	687 60
✓ Mining Journal Co, pub proceedings & notes	38 70
✓ Dr. A. Desjardins, service as health officer to Nov 27 th	74 00
✓ Joel Gillett, Living - St Committee	2 00
✓ A. C. Theill, Compiling Census Statistics	50 00
✓ The Jopling Hardware Co - Door Lock - Lock up -	3 25
✓ The Jopling Hardware Co, axe & Ties	2 35
✓ Peterson and Hall, Bal ^{ce} on Ch. Frank St Sewer Ct	25 00
✓ L. P. Cray, Tax receipt blanks	11 00

Ayes, Aldermen Desjardins Follis Hennessey Johnson Kearney Mc Guegor Moore Powell Siegel Stafford Todd Therner and Young. Nays none.

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Thomas Meade
Recorder

J. M. Longyear
Mayor.

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1892

January
29th

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council room on Friday the 29th day of January A. D. 1892. Mayor Longyear presiding.

There were present Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Tollis Hennessy Johnson Kearney Mc Gregor Moore Pencil Powell Stafford Todd and Therner.

The Recorder read the call for a special meeting of the Common Council at this time, signed by Aldermen Hennessy and Seigel, and duly filed with him on January 26. 1892 also affidavit of service of notice of said meeting, stating its object, upon each and all of the members of the Council upon January 27th 1892, which papers were placed on file.

On motion of Alderman Powell, the Regular order of business was dispensed with in order to proceed with the business for which the meeting was called.

On motion of Aldermen Hennessy, it was

Resolved: That the time for collection by the City Treasurer, of taxes for the year 1892 and the same is hereby extended until the first day of March 1892.

After Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Tollis Hennessy Johnson Kearney Mc Gregor Moore Pencil Powell Stafford Todd and Therner. Aye none.

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. M. Longyear
Mayor.

1892
February
1st

A regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday the First day of February A. D. 1892. Mayor Longyear presiding.

Those were present Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Tolleis Hennessey Johnson Kearney, McGregor Moore Pendill Powell Siegel Stafford Todd and Therner.

The minutes of the two last preceding meetings were read and approved.

The following communications were read and ordered placed on file:

Marquette Michigan, January 19th 1892.
Hon. John M. Longyear,
Mayor.

Dear Sir: -- On the 12th inst, I addressed to Mr. Seymour personally, an informal sort of a communication on the subject of a better place for the Public Library.

It was not intended for the Council or the Public, however no harm has been done by its publication.

I did expect that he, Mr. Seymour, would communicate its purport to the members of the Board of Aldermen individually, and if it seemed to meet with the favor of a majority, that then I would put it in shape for official action.

Of course, unless I could feel that it would be accepted, I would not care to submit it at all, and intended to drop the matter if anyone in official position opposed it.

From what I hear, I judge that it will meet with favor, so I submit it now here for official action of the Council, with the condition that it be accepted or rejected at least at the next regular meeting of the Council.

viz: I propose to deed to the Trustees of the Peter White Public Library of the City of Marquette, Michigan, the lot and Building known as the Thuerber Block, on the North side of Washington Street and west west of the new Opera House Building, (saving and reserving therefrom only a small strip, either off the North end of the lot or possibly only a small piece out of the North-East corner of the lot, sufficient on which to erect an Electric Plant for illuminating purposes, in no event to exceed thirty three feet off North end of said lot, on condition that the City do convey to the First National Bank of Marquette, the small strip off the North west corner of the Bank's lot which fronts on Spring Street just west of said Bank. Should this be

Communication of Peter White
relating to transferring the Thuerber
Block to the City

accepted,
I am in no particular hurry to have the City vacate the Spring Street property, the use of it may be reserved to the City for a year or even two years if desirable.

And while I would like the City to give it back just as it was given, viz: - building and lot. I am willing that the City should take the building away if thought desirable.

And while my gift of the Washington Street property is to the Public Library, named of the City of Marquette for the use of all its Citizens and visitors for all time, for the Library and its associate purposes, yet it is my wish and intention that the City proper should have the benefit of some part parts of it for Recorder's Office, Council Room &c, &c, until a regular City Hall is completed or say for five years to come, (if it should be necessary, for so long a time.)

In the not far distant future, I hope that we may have an Art Gallery for paintings and statuary worthy of our City and that it may be in the Library Building.

I would like to see the Building raised one (or two) stories higher and if it could be done the coming Spring and an Elevator put in, I would contribute the sum of One Thousand dollars toward the cost of same.

If this my proposition be accepted, I will immediately prepare the proper conveyance to the property and transfer the Fire Insurance that I now have on the building without charge for same.

I am with great respect,
Your obedient servant
Peter White.

Whereas the Honorable Peter White proposes to deed to the Board of Trustees, the lot and building known as the Thurston Block, on the north side of Washington Street next west of the Opera House building, saving therefrom a strip of about 33 feet off the north end of the said lot, on which to erect an Electric plant for illuminating purposes, on condition that the City convey to the First National Bank of Marquette, the small strip of land off the southwest corner of the Bank's lot which fronts on Spring Street just west of said Bank; and whereas the City holds the legal title to said last mentioned property in trust for public use, charged as trustee to hold the same for the use and benefit, and subject to certain rights and privileges of the Peter White Library, in accordance with certain provisions expressed in the conveyance of said property to said City, and whereas, among other things

Proposed by resolution conveying City Property on Spring St for Thurston Block.

it is provided in said conveyance that said City shall not alienate the same or employ the same in any manner inconsistent with the provisions contained in the conveyance to said City, without the written consent of the Trustees of said Peter White Library; And whereas this Board has succeeded to the rights, privillages and property of said trustees of the Peter White Library, therefore

Resolved, that this Board do hereby consent that the said City of Marquette, may alienate and convey the said property so held by it, as aforesaid, to said First National Bank upon the conditions specified in said proposition.

State of Michigan }

Marquette County } S. S.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing preamble and Resolution was unanimously adopted at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Peter White Public Library of the City of Marquette, held on the 28th day of January A. D. 1892, at which meeting all the members of said Board were present.

C. R. McCabe

Secretary.

Whereas the Honorable Peter White proposed to deed to the Board of Trustees of the Peter White Public Library of the City of Marquette, the lot and building known as the Theater Block, on the north side of Washington Street next east of the Opera House Building, saving therefrom a strip of about 33 feet off the north end of the said lot, on which to erect a electric plant for illuminating purposes, on condition that the City re-convey to the First National Bank of Marquette, the small strip of land off the north west corner of the Bank lot which fronts on Spring Street just west of said Bank; and whereas said City holds the legal title to said last mentioned property in trust for public use, charged as trustee to hold the same for the use and benefit, and subject to certain rights and privillages of the Peter White, in accordance with certain provisions expressed in the conveyance of said property to said City, and whereas, among other things, it is provided in said conveyance that said City shall not alienate the same or employ the same in any manner inconsistent with the provisions contained in the conveyance of said City without the written consent of the Trustees of said Peter White Library.

And therefore we the undersigned, trustees of said Peter White Library, do hereby consent that said City re-convey

to the said First National Bank the lands conveyed by said Bank to said City as aforesaid.

Dated February 1st 1892.

J. M. Longyear
Dan A. Ball
C. Y. Osborn
Harris Seymour

Moved by Alderman Seigel seconded by Alderman Mc Gregor as carried that Mr. White's proposition be accepted and that the Mayor and Recorder be and are hereby authorized to issue a Deed for the property occupied as the Recorder's Office and Council Rooms, on receipt of a deed for the Thurber Block property, and to request Mr. White to allow the use of the said first named property for two years if it shall be found necessary to do so.

Agree Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Jollis Hennessy Johnson Kearney, Mc Gregor Moore Pendell Powell Seigel Stafford Todd and Werner. Aye none.

The Remonstrance of Mrs. Oliv L. Harlow against the opening of Spring Street through her property, was on motion of Alderman Pendell laid on the table, pending the report of the Street Committee on said Spring Street matter.

Communication of Peter White in reference ^{insurance} on City Building becoming due, was referred to the Finance Committee.

Communication from C. A. Call president of The Marquette County Savings Bank, asking the City to refund \$138 ³⁵ for taxes paid on Bank Building, whereas \$1229 ¹⁰⁰ had been levied and paid on their Capital Stock, was presented.

Alderman Moore moved that the amount be paid, Alderman Pendell moved, as a substitute that the communication and accompanying receipts be returned, ^{stating the Council had no power to rebate the tax.} which was carried.

Petition of C. R. Brown and 33 others asking that a Sewer be constructed in Third Street, from the center of Ridge Street westerly to intersect the Tenth Sewer now being constructed was presented.

Moved by Alderman Pendell that the petition be granted, whereupon Alderman Stafford stated that a remonstrance had been presented against said Sewer being built at present.

Alderman Desjardins moved that both petitions be referred to the Street Committee.

Alderman Mc Gregor moved as a substitute that the matter be settled at once, agree Aldermen Johnson, Mc Gregor Powell Seigel. Aye none Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Jollis Hennessy Kearney Moore

Pendill, Stafford, Todd and Therner. The original motion was then carried. Petition of Frank Kearney and nine others for a Sewer in Genesee Street from Ottawa Street to Lake Street and that the city acquire by purchase or condemnation the necessary lands for said sewer and from thence into Lake Superior, was referred to the Street Committee.

The Surety Bond of Adolph Anderson and Gustaf Anderson, Sureties Joseph I. Kidheart and Carl Therner, was approved.

The Street Commissioners Pay Roll was approved and accepted.

The time for collection of the Special Assessment Roll for Sewer on Lincoln Avenue from Washington Street to a point 100 feet north of Bluff Street, was extended to the 7th day of March a. d. 1892.

The Special Assessment Roll for grading, curbing and macadamizing Adams Street from Jackson Street to Genesee Street was on motion confirmed and the Recorder instructed to hand said Assessment Roll over to the City Treasurer for collection.

The Street Committee asked for and obtained more time to report on opening Spring Street and Street Railway matter.

Moved by Alderman Tollie and carried that the Street Railway Company be extended till the Street Committee reports on the same, which is to be at the next meeting of the Council.

^{Dr. Desjardins} The Committee on Finance, Taxation and Gas Lights reported and stated they had examined the November Report of The Water Power and Electric Lighting Board and had found it correct.

The Committee on Parks, Cemeteries and Public Grounds, to which was referred the Report of the Park Commissioner, reported and stated that said Commissioner had expended the sums named, and that said money had been well applied and recommended the payment of the balance due to wit \$2185⁷⁸ and to save a recurrence of the question each year, further recommended that the Council appropriate a certain sum for Park and cemetery purposes yearly.

On motion of Alderman Pendill the report was accepted and the bill laid on the table until there is sufficient money on hand to pay the same.

The Special Committee to which was referred the petition of H. A. Ross of the Marguette Opera House for a yearly license reported adversely and recommended the adoption of an Ordinance with a schedule of prices regulating the charges for licenses to shows.

On motion of Alderman Desjardins the Report was accepted and the recommendations sustained.

The City Attorney to whom was referred the matter of rebating the Water Tax of the Cleveland Saw Mill and Lumber Company, reported and stated that he knew of no authority exempting any person said Company from the payment of their taxes after they had been passed upon by the Board of Review, and the Council had no power to rebate the same.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the petition returned to the Company stating that the Council had no authority to rebate said water tax.

The City Attorney further then announced that a suit had been commenced by the Duluth South Shore and Atlantic Railway Company to recover taxes paid under protest, also that a suit was pending for the collection of delinquent taxes on the lands purchased by the City for water power.

The Street Commissioner's report was accepted and ordered placed on file.

The City Assessor reported and stated he had no reason to doubt Mr Herlich as to a house being on his lot on the second Monday of April when it was supposed to be assessed. House and lot was assessed at \$720. Lot should be only \$290. Making a difference in the tax of \$13.07.

Alderman Folles' motion that Mr Henry Herlich be paid back \$13.07 for value received was lost.

Moved by Alderman Bendish and carried that the City Assessor's report be laid on the table.

The Report of the Water Power and Electric Lighting Board for December was referred to the Finance Committee.

The following bills and amounts were allowed and ordered paid and the Mayor and Recorder authorized to issue orders for the same.

John P. Finlayson, St Com ^{rs} January pay Roll	329	40
William O'Mara, on a/c Street Sewer Contract	2543	40
John Mitchell " " Prospect St Sewer "	654	32
S. E. Byrne Searching Records &c	3	00
The Jypling Hardware Co, Claiming Stove & Chimney pipes	1	25
The Mining Journal Co paid proceedings & notices	24	90
Janus Motoring Board of Review, Dec & Jan	10	63
E. J. Drew Painting & Lettering C. Street signs	6	00
E. J. Drew, Setting glass - Lockups	1	80
Mrs Shortkey, Claiming Council Room & Recorder's office	4	00
Archie Johnson, Drayage	3	75
J. J. Lamigan, "	4	00
Water Power & Electric Lighting Board, Lamps, Recorder's office & Lockups	3	00
Ayes Aldermen Disjardines Folles Hennessey Johnson, Kearney McEugene		

Moore Pendill Powell Siegel Stafford Todd and Werner. Ayes none.

\$3129.⁵⁰

Moved and carried that the Mayor and Recorder be and are hereby authorized to issue an order to Robert R. French for Three Thousand One Hundred and Twenty Nine ^{and 50/100} dollars (\$3129.⁵⁰) due May 10th 1892, and drawing interest at seven per cent per annum from January 4th 1892, in settlement of his Front Street contract; also, that the Mayor and Recorder be and are hereby authorized to issue an ^{order} to J. M. Wilkinson for Three Thousand and Six Hundred Dollars (\$3600) due May 10th 1892 with interest at seven per cent per annum for money to meet the bills allowed.

\$3600.⁰⁰

Ayes Aldermen Agnew, Desjardins, Follis, Kennedy, Johnson, Kearney, Mc Gregor, Ware, Pindis, Powell, Siegel, Stafford, Todd and Werner. Ayes none.

Moved and carried that no more bills be allowed unless ^{paid by the purchasing committee, and no bills for contract work be paid unless paid by some member of the street committee.} The Council then adjourned

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. M. Longyear
Mayor

1892

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday the 15th day of February A. D. 1892. Alderman Hennessy in the Chair.

There were present Alderman Agnew Desjardins Follis Gillett Hennessy Kearney Mc Gregor Pendill Powell Siget Stafford Todd Therner and Young.

The Recorder read the call for a special meeting of the Common Council at this time signed by the Mayor and duly filed with him on the 13th day of February 1892, also affidavit of service of notice of said meeting upon each and all of the members of the Council upon February 13th 1892, which papers were placed on file.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and as amended, approved.

Moved by Alderman Pendill and carried, that the regular order be dispensed with except the ^{reading of the} petitions relating to the matters for which the meeting was called.

A Conditional protest of A. Gregory and St. Octav's respecting the sewer on North Third Street was read,

stating they were willing to have sewer constructed 9 feet deep with 6 inch pipe, but against a sewer 18 feet deep as is proposed with 8 inch pipe they protested and would not pay for same if constructed.

Moved and carried that the report of the street committee be first read before any action is taken in the matter.

The following report of the street committee was then read:

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of J. A. Vanneij and others to have a lateral sewer laid on Third Street from Ridge to Specular Streets, would respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and would recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted. We recommend that laterals be laid on Arch Street, Michigan Street and Front Street, in connection with the same, contract to be made one assessment district. Signed M. Hennessy, D. Th. Powell, F. F. Follis A. Desjardins. Dated Feb 9th 1892.

after some discussion it was moved by Alderman Powell seconded by Alderman Mc Gregor and carried that the report be and is hereby adopted. Ayes Alderman Agnew Desjardins Follis Siget Stafford Mc Gregor Pendill Powell Todd Therner Young. Nays Alderman Hennessy Kearney.

On motion of Alderman Follis the profiles for said Third Street

Arch Street, Michigan Street and Front Street sewers, were adopted.

On motion of Alderman Tollis, seconded by Alderman McEugen the following ordinance was adopted:

An Ordinance for the construction of Sewers and laterals in Third, Michigan Arch and Front Streets.

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette.

1. That Sewers "y", and laterals be constructed in Third Street, Michigan Arch and Front Streets, as follows:

One eight inch sewer in Third Street between the curb and sidewalk on the East side of said Street, from the said sewer to a point one hundred feet south of Arch Street;

One six inch sewer in the center of Michigan Street from the said sewer in Third Street to a point fifty feet west of High Street;

One six inch sewer in the center of Arch Street, from the said sewer in Third Street to a point forty feet west of Front Street;

One six inch sewer in the center of Front Street from the man-holes in the said sewer in Michigan Street to a point forty feet north of Arch Street;

That four inch "y" and laterals sewers be constructed and laid from said sewers in said streets to the lot lines on each side of said streets respectively, one such lateral sewer to and for each fifty feet of frontage upon said streets, except that no lateral sewers shall be laid

~~to the lots~~ on said Michigan and Arch streets ^{to the lots} cornering

on Third Street or ~~to the lots~~ on Front Street ^{to the lots} cornering on Michigan Street.

2. That said sewers, "y" and laterals be constructed of best vitrified sewer pipe and be laid in accordance with the grade heretofore established therefor, and with man-holes and Lamp holes where indicated upon the grades and or profiles of said sewers, and in all respects said sewers shall be constructed in strict accordance with the plans and specifications of the Davis Sewer System, so called and be fully completed on or before July 1st 1892.

Said streets to be left in good condition satisfactory to the street commissioner upon the completion of said work.

3. That the Recorder be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for a period of ten days in the Daily Mining Journal and once in the Weekly Mining Journal for bids to furnish all material and perform all labor necessary for the construction of said sewers, and laterals,

Ordinance for Sewers on Third, Michigan Arch & Front Sts.

the Common Council reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

4. That each bid be accompanied by two Bonds, each in the penal sum of the total amount of the bid, one running to the City for the faithful performance of the Contract, if awarded, and the other running to the People of the State of Michigan conditioned for the payment of all labor and materials arising under such contract.

5. That the Expense and cost of said sewers, and laterals be assessed upon the property-benefitted thereby, proportioned according to the relative amount of benefit to each parcel and that the City-assessor be and he is hereby instructed to prepare a special Assessment roll for that purpose, as soon as such expense and cost shall have been ascertained.

Remonstrance signed by James H. Young and 11 others against the construction of the Genesee Street Sewer this year was read.

Moved by Alderman Pencil and carried that the Street Committee Report on the matter be first read before consideration of the Remonstrance.

The following report of the Street Committee was then read.

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of Frank Kearney and 9 others to have a Sewer laid on Genesee Street from Almont to a suitable terminus would respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and would recommend that the prayer of the petition be granted. Signed M. Hennessy, D. W. Powell, J. R. Tullis and A. Desjardins. Dated Feb 9th 1892.

On motion of Alderman Kearney the report was adopted.

The Special Assessment roll for Sewer on Frank Street from the Center of Hewitt Avenue to south line of Ohio Street was presented and on motion approved and the Recorder instructed to give notice as required by the Charter that the Common Council will meet on the 7th day of March A. D. 1892 at 8.0 o'clock P. M. to consider the final confirmation of said roll.

The Special Assessment roll for Sewer on Frank Street from Superior Street South was presented and on motion approved and the Recorder instructed to give notice as required by the Charter that the Common Council will meet on the 7th day of March A. D. 1892 at 8.0 o'clock P. M. to consider

the final confirmation of said roll.

The Struck Committee further reported as follows:

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of the M. C. & P. I. Railway Co asking the privilege to discontinue running their cars or busses till April 1st next would respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and would recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be not granted and that they be requested to comply with the terms of their franchise. Signed

D. W. Powell & F. J. Tollis a Desjardins

On motion, said report was adopted.

The Struck Committee asked for and obtained more time to report on the Spring Struck matter, to wit; till next regular meeting.

The Council then on motion adjourned

Thomas Meads
Recorder.

1892
March
7th

A regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday the 7th day of March A.D. 1892. President Hennessey in the Chair.

There were present Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Follis Hennessey Johnson Kearney Mc Gregor Moore Pindill Seigel Stafford Werner and Young. Alderman Gullett appeared later and took his seat.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read ^{and approved} ~~with~~ the City Attorney stated that an error had been made in the ordinance for the Third Street ^{and other} Sewer which had been embodied in the minutes and recommended its correction, when it was moved and carried that the ordinance and minute be amended as suggested.

Communication from Peter White enclosing resolution of Trustees of Peter White ^{quitted} debrary, and enclosing two forms of Deeds for the Sherber Block was read and ordered placed on file.

On motion of Alderman Pindill the form of Deed restricting the power of alienation was accepted and approved.

The petition of Mrs Mary Prentice, being a widow, asking the Council to rebate her tax of \$24.⁰⁰ for its year 1891, was read, when it was moved and carried that the petition be returned, stating that the Council have no power to rebate said tax.

The petition of Thomas Ogston and 102. others asking for sundry reasons that the polling place in the Irish Ward be not held in the Railroad Building, was referred to the Alderman of the Irish Ward with power to act in the matter.

The following Ordinance was adopted:

An ordinance relative to the disposition of the Dead.

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

Section 1. No body or remains of any deceased person shall be brought into the City, or be buried or interred in any cemetery or burial ground or other place within the City limits, or removed therefrom, unless the proper permit therefor has been issued by the Board of Health of said City or its agent duly authorized thereto by said Board.

Section 2. In case of the death of any person in said City, every physician or person acting as such, who had charge of, or was in attendance upon such person at the time of death, shall forthwith file in the office of the Board of

Ordinance, burial of the Dead.

health, a certificate stating all the particulars as to the name, ~~a certificate stating all the particulars as to the name~~, age, sex, nativity, date and manner of death, name and character of disease of said deceased to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Section 3. In case no private physician or person acting as such, being in attendance on any such person, the Health officer of said City, shall promptly make an examination and file a certificate as above required.

And on the receipt of a certificate of death from the attending physician, or person acting as such, or of Health officer as aforesaid, or of the certificate of death from a coroner, or of other reliable information as to the cause of death, the board of health or its authorized agent shall issue, and is hereby authorized to issue a burial permit to the undertaker or person acting as such, who has charge of the burial of any such deceased person, and upon the advice of the Health officer, said Board or its authorized agent may issue permits for the removal of any corpse from any such cemetery or burial grounds.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of every undertaker, or other person acting as such, having in charge the interment of any deceased person, or removal of any corpse, to appoint with the sexton, Superintendent, or other person in charge of the cemetery, wherein said interment is to take place or from which said removal is to be made, a burial or removal permit, as the case may be, from the Board of Health, or issued by its authorized agent, before any such interment, or removal; and it shall be the duty of the sexton, superintendent, and any persons in charge of all cemeteries in the City of Marquette, to keep a Register to be provided by the City, of all persons buried in each of said cemeteries, or removed therefrom, giving in alphabetical order, the name of the deceased, the number of the lot in which the body was buried and the date of burial, and of removal, a true copy of which shall be certified to each week by the sexton, superintendent, and persons in charge of said cemeteries, and shall be filed in the office of the Board of Health.

Section 5. Any violation or failure to comply with any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars and costs: and in the imposition of any such fine and costs, the Court may make a further sentence that, in default of the payment thereof, within a time to be

fixed in such sentence, the offender be committed to the County Jail, for any period of time not exceeding ninety days.

The president of the Council nominated Samuel M. Billings as Supervisor of the Third Ward to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Charles Y. Osborn, which was confirmed by the Council.

The different streets in the Longyear addition, were accepted by the Council.

The special assessment Roll for Sewer on Front Street from the Centre of Hewitt Avenue to South line of Ohio Street, and also the Special Assessment Roll for Sewer on Front Street from Superior Street South were on motion confirmed and the Recorder instructed to hand said Assessment Rolls over to the City Treasurer for collection.

The Special Assessment Roll for Sewer on Lincoln Avenue from Washington Street to a point 100 feet north of Cliff Street was extended to the 4th day of April A. D. 1892.

Five bids were presented for the Sewers and Laterals in Third, Michigan Arch and Front Streets, were presented.

The following bid of John Plattenberg was the lowest:
"The sewer on Third Street for the sum and price of eighty four cents (84[¢]) per lineal foot;

The laterals sewers on Third Street for the sum of sixty two cents (62[¢]) per lineal foot;

The sewer in Michigan Street fifty nine cents (59[¢]) per lineal foot,

The lateral sewers in Michigan Street fifty two cents (52[¢]) per lineal foot.

The sewer in Arch Street fifty nine cents (59[¢]) per lineal foot.

The lateral sewers in Arch Street forty eight (48[¢]) per lineal foot.

The sewer in Front Street fifty nine cents (59[¢]) per lineal foot.

The lateral sewers in Front Street, forty eight (48[¢]) per lineal foot.

All Manholes to be Fifty Five Dollars (\$55. each extra

All Lamp-holes to be Two Dollars and seventy five cents (\$2.75) each extra.

All rock cutting to be Three Dollars and seventy five cents (\$3.75) per cubic yards extra."

John Plattenberg was awarded the Contract for aforesaid work by the following vote: Ayes Aldermen Agnew, Agnew, Desjardins, Follis, Gillut, Kearney, Moore and Stafford. Nays Aldermen Johnson, McEugon, Cendill, Siegel, Werner and Young.

The Street Commissioner's pay roll was approved and accepted.

The Street Committee reported on the Spring Street matter and stated that it was necessary to confer with Superintendent Fitch of the D. & S. & A. Railway Co, who was out of town, before making final report on the same.

The City attorney presented an opinion relative to the tenures of

office of Aldermen, which was ordered placed on file.

The City Attorney reported the proceedings had for the extension of Crescent Street to Lake Superior, whereupon Alderman Moore offered the following ^{unanimous} resolution, which was adopted,

Whereas, The Record, Report and award of the jury in the proceedings had before Thomas Meads, a justice of the peace, for the extension of Crescent Street to Lake Superior, have been submitted to this Council, and due consideration thereof having been had.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby instructed to apply in behalf of the Common Council to said justice to enter judgment of confirmation of the determination and awards therein made.

The following bills and amounts were allowed and ordered paid and the Mayor and Recorder authorized to issue orders for the same:

John P. Finlayson, Street Commissioner's Feb pay Roll	386	28
William Moran, on a/c Sewer & Sewer Ch	1188	80
John Mitchell " " Prospect " "	314	42
James M. Thelkison, Loan for City purposes	2500	00
Printing Journal Co, pub proceedings 3 meetings & sundry notices	62	28
" " " " Health notices & Reports	23	70
Dr A. Desjardins, Services as Health officer to date	26	00
How Peter White, Insurance	33	00
A. O. Jopling & Co, Sewer Curves pipe &c	4	06
S. Price and Sons bonds, per St Com		90
Ragusitto & Erbelding, Rep of Clock - Lock-up	4	50
Watson & Palmer, Duster	1	00
Freeman Bros, Sundry - St Com	2	00
Jobb Gillette, " "	5	00
George W. Reed, " "	2	00
Dr Youngquist, Dressing officer Hogan's Arm - dog bite	11	50
H. H. Staffordson & Co, Stationery	4	05
Leo E. Jostman, Copy, testimony, S. G. M. Gates & Co v. S. City	15	50
J. L. Howard, testing " "	12	50
Sebastian Oskotach hauling dog to dump ground	1	00
Mc Guire and Scandub, Sundrys per street	10	05
H. Reiss, Draying	1	00
A. E. Miller, attorney fees	10	00
A. P. Eldridge " "	10	00

Aprs aldermen Agnew Desjardins Follis Gillett Johnson
Kearney Mc Guire Moore Pundell Suggs Stafford Warner
and Young. Sharp Stone.

Moved by Alderman Pendill that the bill of Dr. Youngquist of \$11.50 for attending officer Hogan's Arm from dog bite be not allowed.

On motion of Alderman Follis the same was allowed.

\$2500

Moved and carried that the Mayor and Recorder be and are hereby ^{authorized} to issue an order in favor of J. M. Wilkinson for the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2500⁰⁰) payable May 10th 1892. with interest at seven per cent per annum ^{to be paid} ⁱⁿ ^{advance} ^{of} ^{the} ^{bill} Aldermen Agnew Desjardins, Follis, Gillet, Johnson Kearney, Johnson, McGeer, Moore, Pendill, Sigel, Stafford, Therner and Young. Shays moved.

Moved by Alderman Desjardins and carried, that the City Engineer's Salary be stricken from the Street Commissioner's pay roll and placed on the salary list.

The following communication from the School Board was presented:

"At a meeting of the Trustees of School District No. 1. of the City of Marquette, present F. B. Spear Moderator, and Trustees Joseph A. Vannier, Frederick O. Clark and Peter White, on motion, Peter White was made director pro-tem and after considerable discussion, on motion it was

Resolved; That the School District would waive its right to the school building on the Washington Street School lot west of the United States Public Building, and does hereby consent that if the City of Marquette wish to take possession of the same and use it for City purposes in behalf of the said School District we will waive and withdraw the reservation heretofore made that the School District could move said building any day before the first day of July, on the condition that the City Council of the City of Marquette may allow the school district to pay the said district whatever sum the said City Council may in its wisdom deem proper and best and allow the district to continue to use two rooms in said School house for remainder of this school year, and the said resolution was unanimously adopted."

The following resolutions were then unanimously adopted;

Resolved; That it is the belief of this Council that the best interests of the public will be served by releasing the right given the City to use the Thurston Block in connection with the Peter White Public Library.

It is hereby further

Resolved: That we hereby release to the

(Reading & Relinquishing the
 Thurston Block)

Trustees of the Peter White Public Library, for the use of said Library, all right the City may have acquired to use said Building.

Alderman Pundell seconded by Alderman Tollis moved the adoption of an Ordinance to prohibit the maintenance of Saloons or other places of Entertainment in which intoxicating liquors are sold and to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors within three hundred feet of any School, Seminary, College, Asylum, Hospital, Cemetery, ^{or public Park} or within any public park or public park within the City.

The same was lost by the following vote:

Ayes Alderman Tollis, Johnson, Mc Gregor, Pundell, and Stafford. Nays Alderman Agnew, Desjardins, Gillette, Hennessy, Kearney, Moore, Reilly, ^{and the Board of Fire and Water Commissioners,} Thorne, and Young.

The City Treasurer and Recorder, ^{and the Board of Fire and Water Commissioners,} submitted to the Council their annual reports, which were referred to the Finance Committee.

On motion of Alderman Tollis, Frank M. Moore, Samuel M. Billings, and James P. Mahoney were appointed Election Commissioners, to perform the duties relative to the preparation of ballots &c at the coming Charter Election.

The Council then on motion adjourned till Tuesday the 8th day of March 1892. at 8.0. clock P. M.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

1892
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An adjourned meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Tuesday the 8th day of March A.D. 1892. Mayor Longyear presiding.

Those were present Alderman Agnew Desjardins Gillett Hennessy Johnson Mc Guegor Moore and Pendill Stafford Todd and Werner. Alderman Follis appeared later and took his seat.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

A communication of Jacob Smith, with drawing from the Bonds of John Plattenburg, for cause shown, was presented and ordered placed on the table.

Moved by Alderman Follis, & seconded by Alderman Mc Guegor that the letting of contract to John Plattenburg be reconsidered. Ayes Alderman Agnew Desjardins Follis Johnson Mc Guegor Pendill and Todd Nays Alderman Gillett Hennessy Moore Stafford and Werner.

Moved by Alderman Follis, seconded by Alderman Johnson that the contract for the different sewers advertised be let to Halv Peterson and Johnson, there's being the next lowest bid.

Alderman Gillett seconded by Alderman Stafford moved as a substitute that Plattenburg be allowed an opportunity to furnish new Bonds, and he was allowed till Saturday next till 8.0. clock P. M. Ayes Alderman Agnew Desjardins Follis Gillett Hennessy Johnson Mc Guegor Moore Stafford and Todd. Nays, Alderman Pendill and Werner.

Communication of J. B. Mc Cracken in relation to copies of his New Election Law ^{compilations} _{votes read}.

Moved by Alderman Desjardins and carried that the purchasing Committee be authorized and instructed to order fifty copies of said Election Law ^{compilations} _{votes read}. Ayes, Alderman Agnew Desjardins Follis Gillett Hennessy Johnson Mc Guegor Moore Pendill Stafford Todd Werner

Communication of Austin Mng Co, in relation to Austin Street Sewerage map, and ordered placed on file.

The Mayor stated that Officer Owen Gorman had been suspended for intoxication and the same was sustained by the Council.

The Finance Committee, to which was referred the City Treasurer's Annual Report, stated they had examined the same & found it correct, and it was on motion accepted and ordered placed on file, which Report is as follows:

City Treasurer's Office
Marquette Mich
March 7th 1892.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Marquette:

Gentlemen:

In compliance with the requirements of your City Charter I herewith submit my annual report showing the receipts and disbursements of your City for the year ending this day as follows:

Receipts

Balance on hand at last report	\$	4,139	08
Liquor Licenses		25,171	87
Show and Peddler Licenses		508	35
Fines from Justices		157	00
" " County Treasurer		296	84
Bank of City Farm		50	00
Redemption from Tax Sales		410	20
Delinquent Personal Taxes		481	06
Interest on delinquent Taxes		346	64
Special Assessments		21,289	79
Side walk Collections		2,192	95
Primary School Fund		5,491	22
Peter White Library Board		386	41
Taxes of 1890		2,918	22
" " 1891		81,520	33
Delinquent Taxes from Co Treasurer		3,199	74
Temporary Loans		16,232	98
Total		167,487	08

Disbursements

State & County Taxes 1890 + 1891		18,568	85
General Fund orders		12,497	18
Highway " "		41,454	76
School " "		35,396	62
Water " "		32,000	00
Library " "		921	82
Temporary Loans		12,632	98
Interest on Loans		341	60
Balance on hand		13,973	27
Total	\$	167,487	08

Ledger Balances

	Debit	Credit
Cash	\$ 13,937	27
Delinquent Taxes	4,174	10
Marquette County	12,938	49
Trust Sewer	103	80
Arch Street "	62	75

Michigan St Sewer	\$	287	80		
Washington St Improvement		533	75		
" " Sewer		21	60		
Hewitt Avenue "		70	90		
Lincoln " "		226	92		
General Fund	\$	3,253	24		
School "		16,413	90		
Water "		5,911	11		
Library		3,215	13		
Loan a/c		3,600	00		
Total	\$	32,393	38	\$	32,393 38

All of which is respectfully submitted
 August Macht
 City Treasurer.

The report of the Water Board and Electric Light Com^{rs} was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Special Committee on ordinances reported the following ordinances:

"An ordinance relative to ordinances"

"An ordinance relative to meetings and proceedings of the Common Council"

"An ordinance ^{relative to} public entertainments"

"An ordinance relative to Auctioneers"

"An ordinance relative to Harpers and Peddlers"

The Report of the Committee was accepted and the Council proceeded to the consideration of said ordinances.

Eight Ordinances

Ordinance relative to ordinances was adopted by the following vote: Ayes Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Follis Gellitt Hennessy Johnson McEugor Moore Pendil Stafford Todd and Therman. Nays none.

Ordinance relative to meetings and proceedings of the Common Council was adopted by the following vote: Ayes Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Follis Gellitt Hennessy Johnson McEugor Moore Pendil, Stafford Todd and Therman. Nays none.

After much discussion, and motion for amendment, the Ordinance relative to public entertainments, as amended, was adopted by the following vote: Ayes Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Follis Gellitt Hennessy Johnson, McEugor Moore Pendil Stafford Todd and Therman. Nays none.

Ordinance relative to Auctioneers was adopted by the following vote: Ayes Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Follis Johnson Moore Pendil Stafford Todd and Therman. Nays, Aldermen Gellitt Henning & McEugor.

Ordinance relative to Harpers & Peddlers was adopted

by the following vote, Ayes Aldermen Desjardins Gillett
Johnson Mc Guegor Pindill Stafford and Therner.

Ayes Aldermen Agnew Tollis Hennessy Moore and Todd.

Moved by Alderman Tollis and carried that the City Attorney
and Marshal be instructed to enforce the ordinance in relation
to Licensing Draymen &c. Ayes Aldermen Agnew Desjardins
Tollis, Gillett Johnson Moore Pindill Stafford Todd and Therner
Ayes Aldermen Hennessy and Mc Guegor

Moved and carried that the amount of the tax and costs
^{against the City} paid and purchased by the City be ascertained prior to the next
meeting of the Council.

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. M. Longyear,
Mayor.

1892
March
12th.

An adjourned meeting of the Common Council of the City
of Marquette was held in the Council room on Saturday the
12th day of March A.D. 1892. Mayor Longyear presiding.

There were present Aldermen Agnew Desjardins Tollis Gillett
Hennessy Johnson Therner Mc Guegor Moore Pindill Sigel Stafford
Todd and Therner.

The minutes of the two last preceding meetings were
read and approved.

The regular ^{order} of business was on motion dispensed with.

The Finance Committee to which was referred the City Recorder's
annual report, stated they had examined the same and found
it correct and it was accepted and ordered placed on file.

The aforesaid Committee also reported favorably on the annual report
of the Board of Water and Fire Commissioners which was accepted
and ordered placed on file.

The Finance Committee also reported favorably on the different
reports of the Water Power and Electric Lighting Board
which were accepted and ordered placed on file.

Moved by Alderman Pindill and carried that a Committee
of five be appointed to confer with the aforesaid Board in regard
to price of lighting the streets. The Mayor thereupon appointed

Alderman, Pendill, Hennessy, Desjardins, Young and Todd.

The new Bond of John Plattenbug, with Julius F. Zerbib, Wm. Fassbender & M. E. Asire as sureties was presented.

Moved by Alderman Stafford and carried that John Plattenbug's bonds be accepted and that he be awarded the contract for the sewers and laterals in Third, Michigan Arch and Front Streets.

Ayes Alderman Agnew Desjardins Gillett Hennessy Kearney Mc-Gugor Moore Pendill Stafford Todd and Thomas. Nays Alderman Tollis Johnson and Siegel.

Communication from W. A. Ross, Lessee and Manager of the Marquette Opera House was read, protesting against rates for show licenses as established in the ordinance adopted at last meeting.

On motion of Alderman Desjardins: The Mayor was requested to return to the Council the ordinance adopted March 8th 1892 relative to public entertainments, whereupon the Mayor returned said ordinance to the Council.

On motion of Alderman Desjardins, the vote by which said ordinance was adopted was reconsidered.

On motion of Alderman Moore a proviso to sub-section 6 of section 3. of said ordinance was adopted.

On motion of Alderman Pendill, sub-section 6. of section 3. was amended so as to provide a uniform license fee of Five dollars each for miscellaneous entertainments.

On motion of Alderman Desjardins, the said ordinance, as amended was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, Alderman Agnew Desjardins Tollis Gillett Hennessy Johnson Kearney Mc-Gugor Moore Siegel Stafford Todd and Thomas. Nays Alderman Pendill.

The petition of John J. Flannigan and 15. other Draymen asking the Council to adopt an Ordinance to license and regulate all vehicles of every kind ^{used} for the transportation of persons or property for hire in the city, & to repeal present ordinance & have new one go into effect May first next was read, and after considerable discussion no action was taken in the matter.

On motion, the Mayor and Recorder were authorized to issue an order of \$65⁰⁰ to pay taxes and cash on the land purchased by the City. Ayes, Alderman Agnew, Desjardins Tollis Gillett Hennessy Johnson Kearney Mc-Gugor Moore Pendill Siegel Stafford Todd and Thomas. Nays none.

The following places were designated by the Common Council of the City of Marquette for holding the Board of Registration of the several wards of said city to be held on the 25th day of

April A.D. 1892; and also for holding the polls at the coming
charter election to be held on the 4th day of April A.D. 1892.

to wit:

First Ward, at The Starline Building on Lake Street

Second Ward, at Recorder's office

Third Ward, at Hodgkin's Livery Office

Fourth Ward, at The Thurber & Blevins

Fifth Ward, at 427 West Washington Street

Sixth Ward, at DeSanto's House, Corner 3rd & Michigan Street

Seventh Ward, at 231. Crescent Street

Eighth Ward, at Second House on Pine Street South of Park Street.

The Council then on motion adjourned

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. M. Longyear
Mayor.