

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

COMMON COUNCIL

OF THE

CITY OF ROCHESTER,

FOR 1883-84.



ROCHESTER, N. Y.:

UNION AND ADVERTISER COMPANY'S PRINT, 44 EXCHANGE STREET.

1884.

COMMON COUNCIL.

1883-84.

MARTIN BARRON, *President of the Board*—Business, 214 State Street.
Residence, 47 Frank Street.

FIRST WARD.

ALPHONSO COLLINS—Business and residence, 16 N. Fitzhugh Street.

SECOND WARD.

MARTIN BARRON—Business 214 State Street. Residence, 47 Frank St.

THIRD WARD.

AMON BRONSON—Business and residence, 79 Plymouth Avenue.

FOURTH WARD.

CHARLES WATSON—Business, proprietor Farmers Hotel, cor. East Main
and Elm Streets.

FIFTH WARD.

GEO. W. ARCHER—Business, 7 N. Water Street. Residence, 25 N. St.
Paul Street.

SIXTH WARD.

ELIAS STROUSS—Business, N. St. Paul St. Residence, 2 Franklin Park.

SEVENTH WARD.

CHAS. A. JEFFORDS—Business, 78 Alexander St. Residence, 73 Broadway.

EIGHTH WARD.

JOHN H. FOLEY—Business, 7 Lake Avenue. Residence, 42 Frost Avenue.

NINTH WARD.

JAMES A. HINDS—Business, Washington Mills. Residence, 82 Lake Ave.

TENTH WARD.

JAMES M. PITKIN—Business, 75 East Ave. Residence, 33 Charlotte St.

ELEVENTH WARD.

JOHN A. FELSINGER—Business, 112 West Main Street. Residence, 31
Orange Street.

TWELFTH WARD.

HENRY RICE—Business, Custom House. Residence, 122 South Avenue.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

JAMES T. SOUTHARD—Business, 184 State Street. Residence, 78½
Hudson Street.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

JAMES M. AIKENHEAD—Business, 55 Front Street. Residence, 61 Tap-
pan Street.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

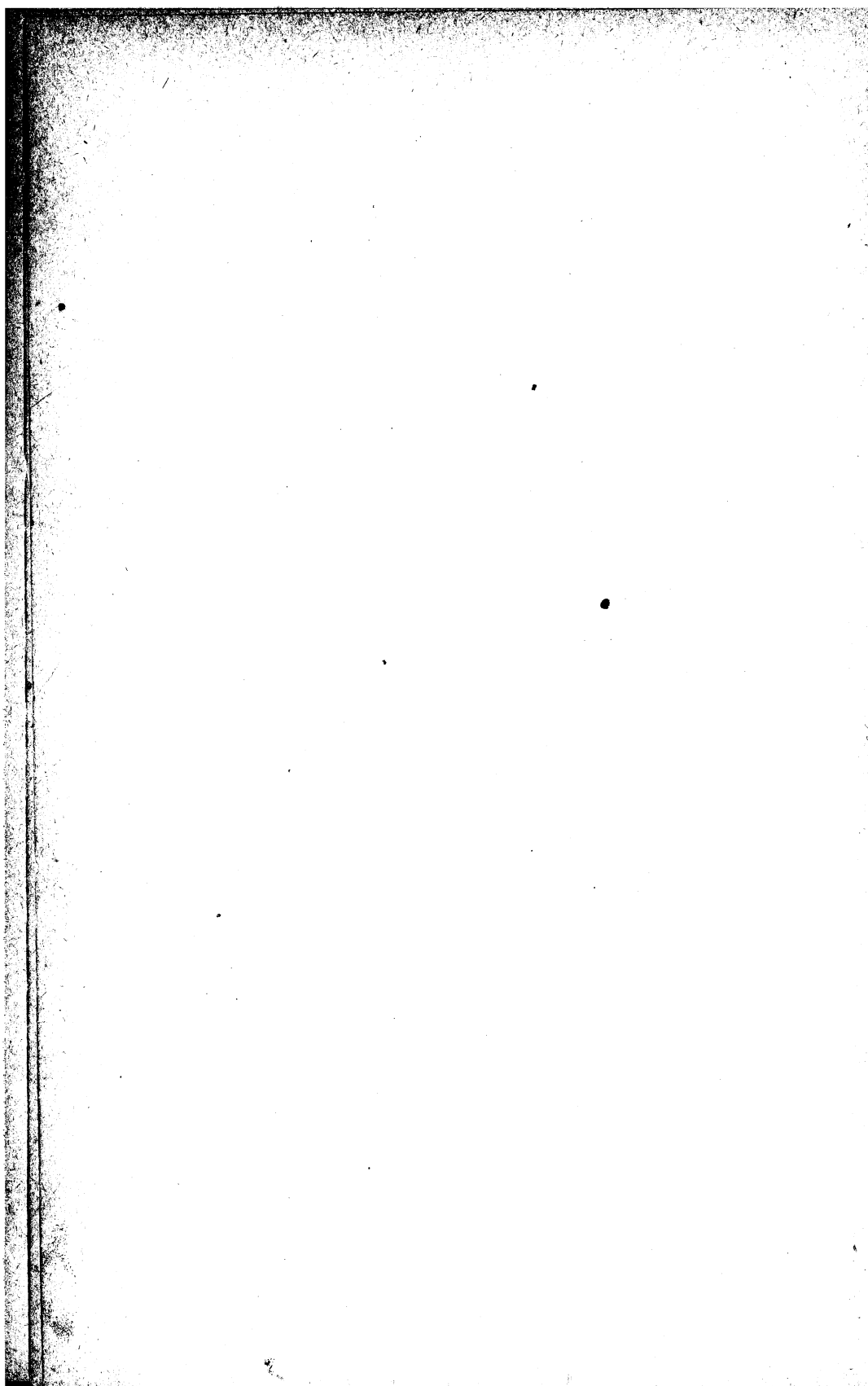
J. MILLER KELLY—Business, 118 Mill St. Residence, 154 Lyell Ave.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

JNO. B. SIMMELINK—Business and residence, Hudson Street near Berlin,

FRANK N. LORD, *Clerk.*

FRANK J. IRWIN, *Messenger.*



IN COMMON COUNCIL,

1883-4.

In Common Council, April 2d, 1883.

CHARTER MEETING.

The Clerk called the Board to order.
Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Ald. Archer moved that Ald. Kelly act as temporary chairman. Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved that the rules of the old Board be adopted for the government of this Board until otherwise ordered. Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait on the Mayor and inform his Honor the new Board are in session and ascertain if he had any communication to present. Adopted.

The chair named as such committee Ald. Archer, Barron and Pitkin. The Mayor having no communication to present, Ald. Archer moved to proceed to appoint a president of the Board. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated Ald. Barron.

Ald. Barron was named by Ald. Collins, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Barron was declared elected President of the Board.

Ald. Archer moved that a committee of two be appointed to conduct the President to the chair. Adopted.

Ald. Archer and Southard were appointed as such committee. The committee having performed their duty, (Ald. Barron in the chair,) the President said:

GENTLEMEN OF THE COMMON COUNCIL:—I thank you sincerely for the honor which you have conferred in selecting me to preside over your deliberations for the coming year. This is something which I did not expect, but I will reiterate the promise given last year, and will endeavor to fill the position for the best interests of the board and of the citizens of Rochester.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed to appoint a City Messenger. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated Francis J. Irwin.

Francis J. Irwin was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Francis J. Irwin was declared appointed City Messenger.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint a Sealer of Weights and Measures. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated James Leonard.

James Leonard was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

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Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint three city physicians for the east side of the river. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated for the three city physicians Dr. Koch, Dr. Spencer and Dr. Harrington.

Dr. Koch, Dr. Spencer, and Dr. Harrington was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Dr. Koch, Dr. Spencer and Dr. Harrington were declared appointed city physicians for east side of the river.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint three city physicians for the west side of the river. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated for the three city physicians for the west side of the river Dr. Schmitt, Dr. Burke and Dr. Perry.

Dr. Schmitt, Dr. Burke and Dr. Perry was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Dr. Schmitt, Dr. Burke and Dr. Perry was declared appointed city physicians for west side of the river.

Ald. Kelly moved that the old standing committees hold over until the new committees are appointed. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved that a committee on salaries be appointed. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords moved that a committee on printing be appointed. Adopted.

The president announced the following committees:

On salaries—Ald. Felsing, Hinds, Kelly.

On printing—Ald. Jeffords, Archer, Pitkin.

Ald. Archer moved to adjourn until Tuesday evening, April 3d, at 6 o'clock. Adopted.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, April 3, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, April 2nd, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

Union and Advertiser Co., printing.....	\$ 39 00
Geo. F. Flannery, printing blanks Treasurer	20 50
James Morgan, hack hire.....	2 00
Yawman & Erbe, repairing, Surveyor.....	5 00
G. F. Slocum, services City Attorney's office	25 00

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petition of Julia F. Cochran for permission to erect wood buildings on Ford street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bill of

N. H. Galusha, lamp posts.....	98 40
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Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of Sarah Collins, Ambrose Moran and John W. Ets for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of James H. Morehouse for relief for damages sustained by falling on Plymouth avenue. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Hinds presented a petition for sprinkling Vincent place. Referred to the Improvement Committee and City Surveyor.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Henry Young for permission to move a building on Goodman street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Als., the petition of Hiram Holdridge for permission to erect a wood building on Asylum street, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Richard Wright and others in relation to the erection of a building by M. F. Southwick on Culver park, and presented the following:

Resolved, That the petition of Richard Wright, trustee, and others with reference to the erection and occupation of frame buildings on lot 32 of the Culver park tract be and it is hereby referred to the City Attorney and Fire Marshal with power to act thereon. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of John G. Glenn for permission to erect a wood building on Hawthorn street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of Davis & Dunn for permission to erect wood buildings on Mt. Hope avenue and Alexander street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented a petition for water mains in Poplar street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Rice presented a petition from residents and property owners on Lewis street, in the 12th ward asking that the name of said Lewis street be changed to Benton street.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the street in the 12th ward, known as Lewis street, be and hereby is changed to Benton street, and the clerk is directed to enter the same in the street register. Adopted.

By Ald. Rice—Bills of

F. Bradley, collection of garbage.....	\$256 50
D. Hickey,	256 50
J. Hauber,	128 15
J. Keyes, Supt.,	91 00
G. Mannel, supplies.....	10 48

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of G. W. Paul for permission to erect a barn on

North street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for water mains in Avenue B and Casper street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Also a petition for a plank walk on Brighton avenue. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented a communication from M. V. E. Sherman in relation to the obstruction of Hibbard street. Referred to the Law Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, reported favorably on the bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 3d, 1883.
By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

Rochester Printing Co., printing, &c.....	\$228 50
Rochester Herald Printing Co., printing, &c..	59 35
Edward & Son, lettering plate.....	1 10
James Morgan, hack hire.....	2 00
B. L. Sheldon, organization lunch.....	75 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MISCELLANEOUS.

St. Mary's Hospital, board.....	\$3,025 00
St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, board.....	938 40
City Hospital, board.....	815 69
St. Patrick's Orphan Asylum, board.....	752 63
St. Mary's Orphan Asylum, board.....	6-8 92
Church Home, board.....	159 90
Rochester Orphan Asylum, board.....	464 84
Home of Industry, board.....	214 63
Sister of Mercy, board.....	216 42
Sister of Mercy, board.....	57 84
Ann Coyle, board.....	7 50
Jerome Keyes, rent.....	26 00
P. Faby, meat.....	183 45
Joseph Ritz, meat.....	50 60
Geo. F. Merz, flour.....	224 00
Howe & Son, lettering bread.....	206 12
Home of Industry, bread.....	63 28
Howe & Son, bread.....	22 36
Bender & Schaubman, burials.....	97 00
Jeffrey & Co.,	6 50
B. O'Reilly,	24 00
E. Punch,	12 00
Geo. Massett,	206 12
P. Joyce, \$6.50, \$12,	18 50
A. W. Mudge,	26 00
Foehner & Maier,	18 50
Smith, Perkins & Co., \$23, \$30.40, \$54.90, groceries.....	98 30
Chas. W. Gray, groceries.....	47 91
L. P. Ross, shoes.....	84 00
John Groh, shoes.....	2 50
J. D. Whipple & Co., beans.....	9 69
James Laney & Co., paper.....	16 34
M. Heavey, transportation.....	24 00
Curran & Goler, drugs.....	4 13
C. H. Ycst, bedding.....	9 50
Burke, Fitzsimmons, Home & Co., dry goods.....	85 00
Union Advertiser, daily copy.....	9 25
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	20 00
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR MARCH, 1883.

A. G. Wheeler, Police Justice.....	\$ 300 00
Fred. Zimmer, Police Commissioner.....	85 33
Jacob Howes, Police Commissioner.....	85 33
Alex. M'Lean.....	180 00
Ferry Marzluff.....	85 00
Samuel Brown.....	85 00
Thos. Lynch.....	85 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.....	85 00
P. C. Kavanaugh.....	85 00
Thos. A. Burchell.....	85 00
Henry Baker.....	85 00
Chas. M' Cormick.....	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth.....	85 00
John C. Haydon.....	85 00
John H. Dana.....	75 00
Wm. H. White.....	75 00
Ed. Van Vorst.....	75 00

Thos. Dukelow	75 00
John C. M'Quatters, 28 days	72 50
Fred. Griebel, 29 days	72 50
John M. Reis	75 00
W. R. M'Arthur	75 00
Frank B. Allen	85 00
Hugh Clark	75 00
Jacob Frank	75 00
Thos. Crouch	75 00
John Wangman	75 00
John Monaghan	75 00
Geo. Hoffner	75 00
Chas. Siefert	75 00
Frank S. Skuse	75 00
George Long	75 00
Daniel Goulding	105 00
Hugh Johnston	13 50
Joseph P. Cleary	85 00
Wm. Keith	85 00
Benj. C. Furtherer	85 00
Nicholas J. Loos	85 00
John E. Davis	85 30
Mich. Hyland	75 00
Oliver Oliver	75 00
Ralph Benson	75 00
Andrew Connolly, 28 days	72 50
Robt. Burns	75 00
Jacob Harter	75 00
Wm. P. O'Neil, 29 days	72 50
John Mitchell	75 00
Ed. McDonough	75 00
Jos. St. Helen	75 00
Wm. M'Kelvey, 13 days	32 50
Robt. M'Kee, 29 days	72 50
Michael Brady	75 00
Chas. E. Fowler	75 00
Robert Sioan	75 00
John Dean	75 00
Samuel Schwartz	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson	75 00
Wm. Burgess	75 00
James P. Flynn	75 00
Michael Cain	75 00
Charles W. Peart	72 50
Chas. Haas, 29 days	72 50
Wm. Laragy	75 00
Michael Hynes	75 00
Henry D. Shove	22 00
Louis Nold	75 00
Peter Hess	75 00
Oliver A. Youle	75 00
Frederick Kipphut	75 00
Hiram Rogers	75 00
Joseph Baker, 26 days	40 00
John E. McDermott	75 00
Patk. J. Cummings	75 00
Benj. L. Stetson	75 00
Patk. Caulfield	75 00
Jerome P. Dowd	75 00
Patk. Culligan	75 00
Wm. Murray	75 00
Michael Englert	75 00
John Sullivan	75 00
John A. Baird	75 00
Dennis Hogan	75 00
James E. Ryan	75 00
John Yaman	75 00
Mich. Zimmerman	75 00
Geo. H. Kron	75 00
George Liese, 28 days	70 00
Henry Baker, Jr.	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick	75 00
Wm. Hillard	75 00
Fred'k Walter	75 00
Ed. O'Laughlin	75 00
George Mohr	75 00
John Bletzer	75 00
John A. Wallace	75 00
John H. Mason	75 00
Jacob Markey	65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.	125 00
B. Frank Enos, assigned by H. D. Shove	53 00
Fred Zimmer, assigned by H. Johnston	60 00

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.
 Weekly pay roll, April 5, operating expenses. \$ 430 05
 Union Water Meter Co., meters, etc. 234 00
 National Meter Co., 360 15
\$1,074 20

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.
 Connell & Dengler, repairs to apparatus. \$ 9 80
 Samuel Gouling, hay and straw. 75 59
 Smith, Perkins & Co., soda. 15 12
 Leary & Fellows, wagon. 180 00
 Utica Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., supplies, Fire
 Telegraph. 111 24
 F. E. Handy, labor, do. 10 50
\$402 25

Local Improvements—Special Funds.
 N. C. Bradstreet, inspecting work, N St. Paul
 st. sewer. \$ 18 00
 Obed M. Rice, inspecting work, Genesee st.
 sewer. 18 00
 R. R. Price, inspecting work, Briggs place
 sewer. 15 00
\$51 00

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Wat-
 son, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds,
 Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simme-
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**COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER
 EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR
 REFERENCE.**

From the City Treasurer—
 CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, April 3, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council.
 GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the
 Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal
 funds on the 3d day of April, 1883, as required by
 section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund	\$ 501 75
.. .. Repair ..	882 94
.. .. Contingent Fund	3,753 62
.. .. Teachers'	6,960 12
Fire Department Fund	3,784 15
Poor Department Fund	21,757 91
Police Department Fund	261 81
Contingent Fund	3,133 74
Highway Fund	2,491 29
Lamp Fund	11,400 76
Health Fund	1,266 00
City Property Fund	299 38
Park Fund	73 00
Water Works Fund	24,338 70
Water Pipe fund	5,503 08
Salary and Expense Fund	987 16

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of
 April, 1883. CHAS. H. STILWELL,
 Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 From the City Attorney—

To the Hon. the Common Council:
 Some time since Julia Dignin brought an action
 against the city to recover \$10,000 for personal injur-
 ies received in November, 1879, by reason of the de-
 fective condition of the sidewalk on Gardner park.
 The action was tried in March last and resulted in a
 verdict of \$500 for the plaintiff. The injuries received
 by the plaintiff were serious ones, and the verdict was
 in view of the nature of said injuries a very light one.
 I have great doubt, in fact, if on another trial, if it
 should be granted the city would be as fortunate in
 the amount of the verdict as in the one just had. The
 amount of the claim, including costs, is \$609.25. I
 think it is advisable to pay the amount and thus settle
 the case.

Respectfully submitted,
 JOHN N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

Ordered received filed and published.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the
 City Clerk draw an order on the Treas-
 urer in favor of Fanning & Williams for
 \$609.25 in full settlement of the action of Julia
 Dignin against the City of Rochester, upon
 there being filed with the City Attorney a suf-
 ficient discharge of the same, to be approved
 by him, and charge Contingent Fund.

Ald. Rice moved to amend that the amount
 be charged to the Highway Fund.
 Lost by the following vote:

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 2, 1883. }

To the Common Council:
 The accompanying bills, having been duly audited,
 examined and settled by this Board, are hereby re-
 spectfully referred to your Honorable Board for pay-
 ment, as required by law.
 Respectfully submitted,
 THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Executive Board, City of Rochester—Finance Bud-
 get, April 2, 1883:

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Henry Harrison, rent of lot	\$ 37 50
A. H. Smith, sand and gravel	1 60
	\$39 10

Ayes—Ald. Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Rice, Kelly—5.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—10.

The resolution was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

From the Executive Board—

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required, by law:

1. Monthly Report, showing expenditures by this Board, for all purposes, during the month of March, 1883.

2. Monthly Statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of this Board on the 31st day of March, 1883.

Respectfully, your obedient servant.

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures by the Executive Board for all purposes, during the month ending March 31, 1883:

Orders Drawn on City Treasurer.

Executive Board orders in payment
for labor.....\$7,156 86
Orders passed by Common Council.. 22,682 40

Total.....\$29,838 76

Classification.

Highway Fund.....\$5,848 61
Water Pipe Fund..... 4 443 01
Water Works Fund..... 5,071 00
Fire Department Fund..... 5,384 20
Local Improvement Funds..... 8,093 44
Salary and Expenses..... 658 50

Total..... 29,838 76

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in charge of the Executive Board on the 31st day of March, 1883:

Dr. Balances:

Sidewalk Repair Funds.....\$ 2,009 95
Local improvement Funds..... 90,213 44

Total.....\$92,223 39

Cr. Balances:

City Treasurer.....\$ 56,232 18
Highway Fund..... 2,341 69
Water Pipe Fund..... 5,388 28
Water Works Fund..... 22,083 79
Water Works Fund (special)..... 1,515 47
Fire Department Fund..... 3,690 95
Salary and Expense Fund..... 974 08

Total.....\$92,223 39

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Board of Education:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 2d, 1883. }

To the Hon. The Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—By resolution passed by the Board of Education on March 29th, last past, I was instructed to forward to your honorable body a certified copy of the report of a special committee appointed to examine into the needs for more school accommodations. Below will be found said report, which is a correct copy from the minutes.

Yours respectfully,

S. A. ELLIS, Clerk.

Com. Ellis, from the special committee on the question of more school accommodations, offered the following report, which was accepted and ordered printed:

To the Hon. Board of Education:

GENTLEMEN—The special committee appointed by you to investigate the overcrowded condition of our schools and the necessary provisions to be made to relieve the same would respectfully report as follows:

The committee visited school buildings Nos. 4, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20, 26 and 27. In the 9th A, B and C grades at No. 4, we found two hundred and twenty (220) children crowded into three rooms, about seventy (70) more children than can be conveniently accommodated. At No. 13 there are two hundred and fifty-five

(375) pupils in the 6th, 7th and 9th grades, while the rooms they occupy have a seating capacity for one hundred and sixty (160.) In this building the halls are used for recitation rooms and such use has, in the minds of your committee, been the cause of much of the sickness among the teachers and pupils that have been obliged to occupy them during the past winter.

Numbers 14 and 15 are full, and some of the lower grades are overcrowded. These schools are located in districts where the school population is rapidly increasing, and the halls are used for recitation rooms.

The lower grades of number 17 are full, and a glass partition has been put up in the lower hall to accommodate between thirty and forty children belonging to the ninth grade. The space partitioned off is badly arranged for a school room, having only one small window, partly covered by a stairway, and a transom window over the front doors.

We found number 21 overcrowded, having 238 children in three moderate sized rooms, and 134 pupils crowded into two small houses that have been rented in the vicinity for school purposes. In the rented rooms we found the air foul, and the light very poor. The ceilings are low and the rooms are poorly adapted to school purposes.

In 26 there are nearly 200 more children than can be accommodated in the building, the board being obliged to rent rooms, where nearly 150 children are now in attendance. In this school the halls are used for recitation purposes. The rooms rented for No. 27 are located over a saloon, and between eighty and ninety children are in daily attendance there. This school is in a district where the number of school children is rapidly increasing, and were ample accommodations provided the school could be increased to 200 by the beginning of the fall term.

In view of these facts and the rapid increase of the school population in our city, the committee would recommend the erection of a school building to accommodate 300 pupils of the district where the present school is located about midway between Nos. 4 and 17. To relieve these two schools a lot can be purchased in this district and a building erected thereon at a cost not to exceed \$4,300.

No. 13 can be relieved by adding a wing of two rooms on the southeast corner of the present building at a cost not to exceed \$2,000. The addition recommended to No. 13 will give increased facilities for accommodating the growing school population of this district. Nos. 14 and 15 can be relieved by the erection of a small school building at East Rochester, in the first district of the Sixteenth ward. This section of the city is growing very rapidly and some provision must be made for school accommodation in this district. The committee would further recommend a building similar to No. 22, erected last year, which cost about \$3,000 completed, with seats, furniture, etc. No. 27 is located in the second district of the Sixteenth ward, and the school is now held in suited rooms. To accommodate this district, and relieve No. 13, the committee would recommend a school be erected in the vicinity of Central Park. In this district land is cheap, and the committee would recommend purchasing a lot at least 150 by 200 feet, and building all on one floor. A building such as we suggest would cost about \$4,000, constructing the same sufficiently strong to carry it up another story at any time when more room is required. No. 20 school can be enlarged by the addition of six rooms on the east side of the present building which will afford the relief that has long been demanded in this district. The school population of this district is rapidly increasing and some provision must be made to afford No. 20 the relief immediately demanded. The addition recommended will cost between \$5,000 and \$6,000.

No. 26 was erected in 1879, and was calculated to accommodate about 300 children. The school was considered too large at the time it was built, but the population of the district has increased so rapidly that there are now over 200 children belonging to this school that cannot be accommodated, and some provision should be made to relieve the same. The committee would recommend the addition of six rooms on the north side of the present building, which will cost about \$5,000 completed. It will be seen from the foregoing report the more central schools are not overcrowded, but the large increase is in the outlying districts that are being rapidly developed and the demand for greater accommodations is entirely in the outside wards. The more central districts are settled and there will not be an increase in the school population of those districts, but rather a falling off in some, owing to much property that has been used for residences, etc., being converted into business property and people are obliged to settle farther out from the central portion of the city.

The buildings and additions demanded to relieve the overcrowded schools, as will be seen by the figures given above, and two lots in addition, will require an appropriation of at least \$30,000, and your committee

would recommend that the Common Council be requested to take the proper steps to furnish us with an extra appropriation of \$15,000 in addition to the \$15,000 already provided us by law.

The amount paid for rented rooms per week is \$17.50, and we consider it economy for the city to appropriate sufficient money to erect suitable buildings and make the additions demanded, rather than to be obliged to pay \$910 for rooms that are not adapted to school purposes, and insufficient to accommodate the children in the districts where located.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated March 29, 1883.

CHARLES S. ELLIS,
W. J. MCKELVEY,
T. McMILLAN,
CHARLES S. COOK,
J. ELDERKIN,
Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Excise Commissioners—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise of the City of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing March 1st, 1883, and ending March 31st, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, ale, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this statement contains a report of all the mosey received during said month, viz:

1883			
March 5:			
Greve, Caroline, 86 Mill st.....	\$	40	00
Rosenbauer & Menges, Clifford and Thomas sts		40	00
Fellman & Braun, 95 North ave.....		40	00
Keiser, William, 111 North ave.....		40	00
March 12:			
Thompson, Arthur D., 177 E. Main st.....		40	00
Baezel, J. G. & Bro., N. Clinton st.....		38	00
Shamagne, Wilber, 117 Exchange ave.....		40	00
Engler, John, Saxton and Wilder sts.....		40	00
Mogler, William H., 36½ Gregory st .		40	00
March 19:			
Hofmeister, George, 138 N. Clinton st.....		10	00
Quackenbush, Lewis, 10 Exchange place.....		40	00
Smith, Edwin M., 45, 41 & 43 Exchange st....		40	00
McKenna, John, Bomeyn and Magee sts.....		20	00
Miller, John A., 315 State st.....		40	00
March 26:			
Edwards, H. W., 12 N. Water.....		40	00
Total amount received and deposited with City Treasurer.....	\$	548	00

[Dated March 31st, 1883

CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissionsers.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
COUNTY OF MONROE, } ss.
City of Rochester. }

The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of March, 1883.

CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of March, 1883,
WM. AIKENHEAD,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Chief of Police—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully report the following lamps not burning during the month of March, 1883: gas, 610; oil, 2,160. Respectfully

ALEX. McLFAN,
Chief Police.

Ordered received, filed and published.

The City Clerk reported that the City Assessors have filed with him the assessment roll for opening Goodman street.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the next regular meeting of the Common Council, April 17, 1883, at 6 o'clock p. m., at the Common Council chamber, is assigned as the time when complaints or appeals from said assessments will be heard. Adopted.

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ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

SPRINKLING NORTH AVENUE—SEC. 1.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling North avenue, between East Main street and the north line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. Railroad during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$610.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz: The sprinkling of North avenue from a point 100 feet north of East Main street to the north line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R., during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$610 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, Further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of North avenue from a point 100 feet north of East Main street to the north line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April 17th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING UNIVERSITY AVENUE.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling University avenue between North avenue and Scio street during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$302.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of University avenue from North avenue to the centre of Scio street during the season of 1883.

And whereas, the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$302, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of University avenue, from North avenue to Scio street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice, in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, April 17th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

SPRINKLING JONES AVENUE.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council, the expense of sprinkling Jones avenue, between Lake avenue and West street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$403.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Jones avenue, from a point 100 feet west of Lake avenue to West street, during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$403, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Jones avenue, from a point 100 feet west of Lake avenue to West street, during the season of 1883.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII. Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April 17th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING SCIO STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Scio street between East avenue and

the centre of Charlotte street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$184 00.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Solo street, from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to the centre of Charlotte street, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$184.00, which estimate is hereby approved:

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Solo street, from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to the center of Charlotte street, during the season of 1883.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of Revised Charter of 1880 of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, April the 17th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

NORTH ST. PAUL STREET SPRINKLING—SEC. 2.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling North St. Paul street from the centre of Marietta street to Clifford street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,001.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of North St. Paul street from the centre of Marietta street to Clifford street during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,001, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street from the centre of Marietta street to Clifford street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April the 30th, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

THOMAS PARK PLANK WALK.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on the north side of Thomas Park, from Child street to York street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$122.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet and 8 inches in width on the north side of Thomas park, from Child street to York street.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$122, which estimate is hereby approved:

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the north side of Thomas Park, from Child street to York street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April the 17th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

OPENING OF A STREET FROM CAMPBELL STREET TO MAPLE STREET.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of opening a street 40 feet in width from Maple street to Campbell street, the centre line of which shall be the division line between lands owned by Julia Parsons and Mrs. Foelkel, and an extension of said line in a direct line to Campbell street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$—.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The opening of a street 40 feet in width from Maple street to Campbell street, the centre line of which shall be the division line between lands owned by Julia Parsons and Mrs. Foelkel, and an extension of said line in a direct line to Campbell street.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$—, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of the proposed street, from Maple street to Campbell street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April the 17th, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON CHILD STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Child street, from Thomas Park to the Rochester & Pittsburg railroad tracks.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$584.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet and 8 inches in width on each side of Child street, from Thomas Park to the Rochester & Pittsburg railroad tracks.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$584, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Child street, from Thomas Park to the Rochester & Pittsburg railroad tracks.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening April 17th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON SILVER STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, that the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Silver street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$703.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 3 feet and 6 inches in width on each side of Silver street, from Maple street, to a point 20 feet west of South Orchard street, also the necessary crosswalks.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$703, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Silver street, from Maple street, to a point 20 feet west of South Orchard street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, April the 17th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON WESLEY STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Wesley street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$144.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side of Wesley street, from Concord avenue to North avenue.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$144, which estimate is hereby approved.

Adopted.

pense thereof, and reported the same at \$14, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Wesley street, from Concord avenue to North avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII, section 172 of the revised Charter of 1880 of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, April the 17th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON FIEN PLACE.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Fien Place, from Scrantom street to Oakman street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$24.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a plank walk four feet in width on the east side of Fien Place, from Scrantom street to Oakman street.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$24, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on the east side of Fien Place, from Scrantom street to Oakman street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April the 17th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON FREDERICK STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Frederick street from Helena street to Foechner street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$270.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side of Frederick street, from Helena street to Foechner street, except where good plank walks now exist.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$270, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Frederick street, from Helena street to Foechner street, in front of which the proposed walk shall be constructed.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, April 17th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN FREDERICK STREET,

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Frederick street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$370.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 9 inches in diameter in Frederick street, from the sewer in Helena street to a point 119 feet south of Foechner street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$370 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Frederick street, from Helena street to a point 119 feet south of Foechner street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in

pursuance of title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April the 17th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN OLEAN STREET AND DEEPENING THE STONE SEWER IN HUNTER STREET.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Olean street and deepening the sewer in Hunter street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$2,200.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Olean street, from a point 30 feet south of Hubbell alley to the centre of Cady street, and a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter from the centre of Cady street to the centre of Hunter street, and the deepening of Hunter street sewer from the centre of Olean street to the Genesee Valley canal outlet sewer. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,200 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Olean street, from Hunter street to a point 30 feet south of Hubbell alley; also one tier of lots on each side of Cady street, from Olean street to a point 10 feet east of Seward street, for their proportion of the cost of enlarging the size of the sewer in Olean street, between Cady street and Hunter street, and deepening the sewer in Hunter street from Olean street to the Genesee Valley canal sewer.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one-year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment a discount will be allowed at six per cent, per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, April 17th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCE—NO. 2434.

SPRINKLING EXCHANGE STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Exchange street, from the south line of Main street, to Edinburg street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Exchange street, from the south line of Main street to the center of Edinburg street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessments upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$78 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Exchange street, from Main street to the center of Edinburg street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Stroess, Hinds, Pitzer, Feisinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,456.

PIPE SEWER IN TAPPAN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Southard the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Southard submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Tappan street from the sewer in scio street to a point 596 feet west thereof.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Tappan street, from the sewer in Scio street to a point 596 feet west thereof. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$311.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

On tier lots on each side of Tappan street from Scio street, to a point 571 feet west thereof.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.

The final ordinance to open and extend Syke street came up. Ald. Kelly moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 8, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,405, for Clifford street plank walk, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$442.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,405.

CLIFFORD STREET PLANK WALK.

By Ald. Bronson—

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 31st day of October, 1882, enact an ordinance for Clifford street plank walk.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$442.00, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of Clifford street, in front of which the proposed improvement shall be made, from Hudson street to North avenue.

Therefore, Resolved—That the sum of \$442 00, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton the Assessors of said city not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as they may be to the advantages which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 7th day of April, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That objection to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners appointed to appraise the damages which the owners, occupants and tenants of the lands and premises to be taken by the city of Rochester for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, which report

is filed in the office of the County Clerk of Monroe county, and in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Rochester, will be heard at the meeting of the Common Council to be held in the council chamber in the City Hall on the third day of April, 1883, at 6 o'clock p. m., which time is hereby assigned for that purpose. Adopted."

Ald. Archer moved that the hearing of objections to the report be postponed until the next regular meeting, Tuesday, April 17th, at the Common Council chamber in the City Hall at 6 o'clock p. m. Adopted.

The following came up:

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That Railroad avenue and the same continued from Mill to Water street and Atwater street from Water street to North avenue be and is hereby named Central avenue.

Ald. Barron moved that action on the resolution be postponed. Adopted."

Ald. Archer moved that the resolution be adopted.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be requested to place electric lights on North avenue from the north line of the New York Central railroad to Bay street and displace as many gas lamps as may be deemed expedient. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Resolved, That the use of the City Hall be granted to Alert Hose Co. for the purpose of a lecture on Friday evening, April 13th, 1883. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Joseph Bierbrewer for permission to erect two dwellings on Orchard street and moved it be referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin moved to reconsider the action taken on the ordinance for sprinkling Mt. Hope avenue, sec. 1. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin then moved it be postponed two weeks and the clerk be directed to advertise for allegations. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of Hiram P. Wilbur to erect a wood building on Jones street and moved its reference to the wood building committee. Adopted.

Ald. Rice moved that the action on the petition of Henry S. Mackie at a previous meeting to erect wood buildings on the corner of Troup street and Julia street be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented a remonstrance and asked that allegations be heard. Adopted.

After allegations being heard from persons present Ald. Rice moved that the permission granted to Henry S. Mackie be rescinded and that the City Attorney be instructed to take such action as may be necessary for the removal of said buildings. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved that the Brush Electric Light Co. be required to erect straight and comely poles in all places where electric light is extended. Also to paint them in a proper manner. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Resolved that the Brush electric light be placed on Allen street, from State to Brown street; also on Brown street

from State street to West avenue, and displace as many gas lights as may be deemed necessary. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald Strouss—Resolved that the Lamp Committee be directed to place electric lights in Clinton place from North avenue to Clinton street, in Atwater street from North avenue to the Central R. R. depot, and in Franklin park and St. Joseph street from Atwater street to the N. Y. C. & H. R. R., and discontinue as many gas lights as may be deemed advisable.

Ald. Strouss moved it be referred to the Lamp Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be instructed to place electric lamps on Franklin street, from Main street to North St. Paul street, and displace as many gas lamps as may be deemed advisable.

Ald. Archer moved it be referred to the Lamp Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

The action in the County Court brought by Luther G. Sheldon against the city to recover \$1,000 damages, caused by the presence of a trench dug in Lake avenue in September last, was tried on Thursday last and resulted in the plaintiff being non suited.

Respectfully,

J. N. BECKLEY,
City Attorney.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive from A. J. Burns \$425 in full for all unpaid taxes on vacant lots 26, 13, 14, 15, subdivision of Granger, Sibley and Field tract, New York street, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Milk Inspector be and he is hereby directed to notify all milk peddlers who have neglected to observe the penal ordinance requiring them to place upon their wagons in plain letters and figures, their name, number and residence, to attend to the same without delay and thus avoid the penalty for neglecting to do so. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 27 of the Brook tract, Monroe avenue, Seventh Ward, was assessed for General City Tax, 1882, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated March 7th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax, upon the payment of \$66.19, with expense and interest, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 3, 1883. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.

Sir: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Miuerva L. De Laney, viz.:

Lot No. 16, H. G. Arnold No. 1 tract, westside of Meigs street, Seventh Ward, 50 feet front, 50 feet rear, and 140 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of General City Tax for 1883, the sum of \$66.19, upon the payment of which, with expense and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 8, 1883. }

(A true copy) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Ald. Bronson called for the City Attorney for an explanation relating to the State of New York owing the city of Rochester for taxes.

The City Attorney stated there was about

two thousand dollars due the city for unpaid taxes from the State of New York.

Ald. Archer moved that the City Attorney be instructed to collect said tax. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be requested to place electric lights on Jay street from State to Ames street, and displace as many gas lamps as deemed proper.

Ald. Kelly moved it be referred to the Lamp Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of Wendell Krieg to erect a wood building on Vienna street and moved it be referred to the Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved to adjourn. Adopted.
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, April 17, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, April 3d, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, & C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

Ald. Collins presented a petition for water in Church street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

John F. Kinney, searching and indexing mortgages.....	\$ 40 00
A. F. Little, calligraph.....	85 00
John N. Beckley, disbursements.....	96 25
W. L. Buckland, hack hire.....	2 00
J. F. O'Neil, printing blanks.....	16 50
Steele & Avery, stationery.....	120 40
Wm. Whitehair, hack hire.....	2 00
G. P. Bailey, seal for Mayor.....	6 00
C. H. Morse, repairing city seal.....	3 75
John C. Moore, binding, &c.....	94 50
R. M. Masseth, hack hire.....	5 00

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of John C. Ryan for permission to erect a wood building on Frank street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of John Danihy for permission to move a building on Atwater street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Leonard H. Bacon. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of John F. Monaghan and Georgiana Silence for permission to erect wood buildings on Union park and Griffith street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Susanna Blackman for permission to erect a wood building on Cady street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Louisa I. Killip. Referred to the Assessment Committee and City Attorney.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Louis Moore and C. H. Babcock for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permis-

sion be granted, under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of the Superintendent of the Academy of the Sacred Hart in relation to sprinkling tax. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

Municipal Gas Co., gas for city buildings.....	\$202 32
John Nagle, sealing weights.....	25 00
Wm. Moran, set of measures.....	6 00
Town of Brighton school tax.....	4 06

Referred to the City Property Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

Sophia Brock, rent.....	\$ 8 00
James F. O'Neil, books.....	17 50
Home of Friendless, board.....	75 00
Bridget Lavis, board.....	15 00
C. T. Marks, groceries.....	21 25
Industrial School, board.....	429 94
William Knight, rent.....	7 00
J. D. Whipple & Co., beans.....	57 37
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	685 78
Peter Kleinhaus, meat.....	25 00
Casper Fromm, meat.....	25 00
Mary Weist, rent.....	6 00
Geo Oppell, bread.....	20 68
Frank Rogers, groceries.....	23 00
M. Heavey, horse and ambulance.....	6 00
A. H. Martin, groceries.....	32 50

Referred to the Poor Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Bill of

B. Frank Enos, expenses for March.....	\$ 83 89
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Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Felsing presented the petitions of C. Kuder and E. Zipke for permission to erect and move wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Also the petition of Catharine Schoen for relief for damages. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Rice presented the petitions of Mary M. Corbusier, Emma Burger and Thomas Oliver for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal.

Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented a petition for a plank walk on Whitmore park. Referred to the City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of P. A. Creelman for permission to erect a wood building on Wilson street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petitions of W. H. and E. E. Riley and N. Hough for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Also the petition of Christ Wamps for permission to move a wood building on Lincoln street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition for lighting Fien place. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for a plank walk on Brooks avenue. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of Geo. Dittenhoefer for permission to erect a wood building on Wackerman street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for water mains in Chili avenue. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Also a petition for lamps in Genesee street and Brooks and Plymouth avenues. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of Wm. J. Parker. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for water in Clifford street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Mary Parkhurst for permission to erect a wood building on East avenue. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Watson presented a petition for sprinkling Elm street; also a petition for sweeping South Clinton street. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Geo. Lawson for relief for damages sustained from a fall on the sidewalk at Washington Square.

Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of A. W. Riley for permission to erect wood buildings on Glenwood Park and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Rice moved that Mary Brown have permission to erect a wood building on White street according to the prayer of her petition. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of Joseph Rugraff for permission to erect a wood building on Wackerman street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee; Ald. Felsing, from the Poor and City Property Committees reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

Your Law Committee, to which was referred the claim of N. L. Brayer, hereby reports: That said Brayer asks to be reimbursed for a payment made by him to Mr. Lee, who claimed damages for injuries caused by the condition in which a sewer being dug by said Brayer was left. It appears that Mr. Brayer paid to said Lee sixty-five dollars in full of said damages. The city would not under the circumstances as they were disclosed have been liable to Mr. Lee, and your committee does not believe that the city would be liable to the person who settled Mr. Lee's alleged claim.

Your committee therefore report adversely to the payment of said claim.
GEO. W. ARCHER,
AMON BRONSON,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—Your Lamp Committee, to which was referred several resolutions, directing the placing of Electric Light in certain streets report favorably, and submit the following:

Resolved, That the Mayor be and hereby is authorized and directed to enter into contract with the Brush Electric Light Company at a rate not to exceed that of the present contract for lighting, as follows:

- North avenue, from East Main street to Clifford street.
 - North Clinton street, from Atwater street to Lowell street.
 - Allen street, from State street to Brown street.
 - Brown street, from State street to West avenue.
 - Clinton Place, from North avenue to Clinton street.
 - Atwater street, from North avenue to Clinton street.
 - Franklin Park and St. Joseph street, from Atwater street to the N. Y. C. & H. R. Railroad.
 - Franklin street, from Main street to St. Paul street.
 - Jay street, from State street to Moulson street.
 - Elm street, from East Main street to Chestnut street.
- Lights to be located under the direction of the Lamp Committee and as many gaslights discontinued as they may deem advisable.

C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
Committee.

Ald. Foley moved that West avenue be included in the report.

Ald. Kelly moved to refer the motion of Ald. Foley to the Lamp Committee. Adopted. The report of the Lamp Committee was then adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Assessment Committee to whom was referred the petition of the heirs of Henry Lampert, respectfully report: That said heirs were assessed for the improvement of Evergreen place on 30 feet they did not own, and for the plank walk laid thereon ten feet they did not own; that the assessors' certificates hereto annexed show that for said plank walk they should have been assessed but \$27.31, and for said Evergreen place improvement but \$46; that by reason of said erroneous assessment and the death of said Henry Lampert the taxes for 1880, 1881 and 1882 have not been paid; that the taxes for said years were respectively \$5.96, \$5.93 and \$19.71, including repairs of walk and water rates for 1882; on the payment of said sums, with interest at 7 per cent. per annum, from the first day of August of the years the same were incorporated in the general city tax, and interest commenced to run on said tax would be a fair adjustment of the same.

Dated Rochester, April 16, 1883.

Respectfully submitted.

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
Assessment Committee:

Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved. That the property described in the assessors certificate hereto annexed and being west part of lot No. 11, and east part of 10 Evergreen tract, north side Evergreen street, assessed to heirs of Henry Lampert, be released from the lien of the above mentioned taxes and assessments on the payment to the City Treasurer of the sum of \$112.32, that being the amount of said taxes and assessments with interest at 7 per cent. per annum from the time the same were incorporated in the city tax and interest commenced to run on said tax, and upon the payment of said sum the Treasurer execute a proper release of the same and charge the balance to erroneous assessment fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Aye—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Ald. Rice presented the annual report of the Health Officer and moved that it be received and filed. Adopted.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved. That Anna E. White, Berthold Weigel, Emma C. Horton, Hiram P. Wilbor, Wendell Kreig, Thomas F. Kelly, Michael Filon, Henry young, have permission to build frame buildings as per their petitions under the direction of the Committee on Wooden Buildings and Fire Marshal.

Adopted.

By Ald. Rice---

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I have made an examination of the new unfinished building on the corner of St. Paul and Atwater street, owned by Remi Miller. I found the iron column on the corner leaning to the north, the south wall has pressed in on the partition walls and is considerable in from the east and west corners. There are other indications of weakness, as the frost is now being drawn out by the warm weather. I would respectfully ask that the matter be referred to the Committee on Wooden Buildings and the Fire Marshal with power to take down said unsafe and dangerous building if in their judgment they deem it necessary.

WM. CARROLL, Fire Marshal.

Dated April 17th, 1883.

Referred to the Wood Building Committee, as requested.

By Ald. Rice---Resolved, That the Clerk draw an order for \$6.00 in favor of William Carroll, Fire Marshal, to be paid O. M. Rice for two days' work superintending the taking

down of an unsafe building on South Fitzhugh street, owned by E. B. Kimball, and charge to contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Felsing—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1883.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, }
April 17, 1883. }

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of March, 1883:

1883.—March.		Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
1—John Smith	drunk	\$10	\$5	
Mich. Connors	..	10		
Edward Haines	..	10		
Julia Clark	..	10		
Mary Keenan	..	10		
2—Geo. Kroup	..	10	5	
3—Bernard Doran	..	10		
Geo. Mason	assault	5		
Lizzie Smith	vio. ord.	15	10	
5—David Moshier	drunk	10		
Wm. Kelly	..	10		
Thos. Spillane	..	10		
Wm. Collins	..	10		
Sidney B. Roby	vio. ord.	5	5	
Mary Reed	..	15		
Winfield Skillicorn	drunk	10		
Frank Hagel	..	10	5	
Eugene Feitz	..	10	5	
6—Rosa McBride	..	10	10	
7—Kate Barry	..	10		
Robt. Kelly	..	10		
John Moore	..	10		
Mich. Mungovin	..	10		
8—Millard Boas	petit larceny	50	50	
9—Robt Baxter	drunk	10		
Kate O'Brien	..	10		
Jesse Wilson	..	10		
Edward Conway	..	10	5	
Edward Bell	..	10		
Jane Russell	..	10		
Margaret Kegg	..	10		
10—Jane Jordan	..	10		
John Moore	..	10		
12—George Hart	..	10		
James Cotter	..	10		
Henry H. Norton	petit larceny	Cost	5	
13—James Bell	drunk	10		
Sarah McCabe	..	10		
John McDonald	..	10		
Henry A. Dayton	..	10		
Harry Wilson	..	10	5	
Henry Lester	..	10	5	
14—Bridger McGann	..	10		
Chas Weaver	..	10		
15—Kate Riddle	..	10		
16—Henry Frost	..	10		
John Kennedy	..	10		
James Cotter	..	10		
17—Irving W Rose	..	10		
Joseph Baldwin	..	10		
John Eofer	..	10		
Lymao Tallman	..	10		
19—Charles McNamara	..	10	10	
Chas Angie	..	10		
Mich A Dugan	petit larceny	5	5	
Putnam Miller	Drunk	10	5	
Elizabeth Donnelly	vio ord	10		
Thos Kelly	drunk	10	5	
19—Harry Harnsafari	..	10	5	
John Haines	..	10		
John Shagle	..	10	10	
John Shagle	..	10		
James B Murphy	vio ord	10		
Emma Baron	drunk	10		
Richard Puach	..	10	10	
21—Edward Smith	..	10		
Anna Cox	assault	5	5	
Teressa Brown	drunk	10		
Wm Dugell	..	10	10	
Bdwlu R Stowell	..	10	5	
Geo Steirthalter	..	10	5	
21—Adolph Goyette	..	10		
23—Elizabeth Rozisky	..	10		
Mary Davis	..	10		
Mary Rogan	..	10	5	
Mary Congdon	..	10		
Emma Jeffrey	..	10		
24—John Shannon	vio ord	15		
Thos Kennedy	drunk	10		
Patk Sullivan	..	10		
Della Clark	..	10		

Henry Schneider	10	
26-George Simmons	10	
Kate Barry	10	
Kate Doyle	10	
Eliza Pettit	10	
Thos Wallace	10	
Jennie Wallace	10	
Mich Mulligan	10	10
Wm Stanton	10	
Edwin L Mead	10	5
Henry Beecher	10	5
Mary McFarlin	10	
Mary Dwyer	10	
Sarah Smith	10	
27-Mary Houser	10	
Robert Burke	10	5
Kate Hall	10	5
Chas Purcell	10	5
Geo Adams	cost	1
28-Julius Andrews	10	
Ann O'Rourke	10	
Thos O'Rourke	10	
Kate Hall	10	
Thos Kavanaugh	10	10
29-Thos Kavanaugh	10	
Chas H Daniels	10	
Chas Owens	10	
John Butler	10	
Dennis Mehan	10	
Mick Rooney	10	
30-Wm McLaughlin	10	
Jerald Fitzgerald	10	
31-Martin Kiley	10	

\$216

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester ss.
 I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of March, 1888, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice of said city.
 B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.
 Sworn to before me this 17th day of April, 1888.
 A. G. WHEELER,
 Police Justice and Commissioner of Deeds.
 Ordered received, filed and published.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17th, 1888.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

Union and Advertiser Co., printing	\$ 39 00
Geo. F. Flannery	20 50
James Morgan, hack hire	2 00
Yawman & Erbe, repairing, Surveyor	5 00
G. F. Slocum, services City Attorney's office	25 00
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. Lunch, April 3 and April 17	30 00
Clerk's disbursements	11 75
Bell Telephone Co., per contract to Oct. 15th, 1888	25 00
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

D. Hickey, collection of garbage	\$ 256 50
P. Bradley	256 50
J. Rauber	128 25
J. Keyes, Supt.	91 00
M. Heavey, board of horse	20 00
G. Manuel, drugs	10 48
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

F. J. Irwin, monthly cleaning	\$ 63 00
And charge that fund.	

LAMP FUND.

N. H. Gatusha, lamp posts	98 40
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 16, 1888.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates have been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, and are hereby respectfully referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.
 Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Executive Board, City of Rochester—Finance Budget, April 16, 1888:

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holley, salary for April	\$208 84
S. B. Williams	208 83
Geo. W. Aldridge	268 83
	\$ 625 00

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Payable when there are funds applicable.
 Weekly pay roll, April 12, labor on streets... \$389 49
 Adam Gertner, breaking stone..... 5 75
 Jacob Miller .. 11 45

\$356 69

Water Pipe Extension.—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, April 12, inspection and labor..... \$44 15
 Weekly pay roll, April 19, inspection and labor..... 97 47
 S. J. Wagoner, unloading and drawing pipe.. 98 18
 Betr & Stelner, lead..... 360 00
 R. D. Wood & Co., hydrants..... 353 70
 George B. Harris, freights, pipe and hydrants 19 75
 N. L. Brayer, estimate No. 3, group 71..... 100 00
 David Clancy, " 4, " 72..... 140 00

\$1,213 25

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, April 12, operating expenses, \$ 548 84
 Weekly pay roll, April 12, service and repairs, 314 00
 Weekly pay roll, April 19, operating expenses, 496 86
 Weekly pay roll, April 19, service and repairs, 316 09
 Thos. J. Neville, clerk, disbursements..... 15 47
 Geo. B. Harris, .. 18 68
 F. E. Witherspoon, receiver, for charge in office..... 10 00
 N. T. Hackstaff, printing..... 4 50
 John C. Moore, blank books, etc..... 88 87
 C. E. Morris, stationery..... 23 80
 Gerling Brothers, oats..... 6 00
 B. F. Harris, rent of stable..... 20 00
 Rochester Gas Light Co., coke..... 7 36
 Citizens' Gas Co., coke..... 7 20
 George E. Miller, wood..... 12 00
 Samuel Sloan, pipe fittings..... 91
 Gauhn & Bassett, pipe and fittings..... 57 89
 James Field, packing..... 1 87
 Rochester Gas Light Co., gas bill..... 13 20
 S. B. Stuart & Co., coal..... 86 24
 C. B. Woodworth & Sons, barrels..... 4 50
 John Cogne, services conduit line..... 35 00
 D. M. Reed, stabling, &c., .. 8 48
 Orrin Purcell, services at Canadice..... 20 50

\$2,066 14

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Payable when there are funds applicable.
 Monthly pay roll..... \$3,265 17
 L. S. Gibson, paid for hay..... 81 85
 F. E. Handy, 2 bins labor, Fire Tel..... 24 00
 Active Hose Co., monthly appropriation..... 208 88

\$3,529 83

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

N. C. Bradstreet, inspecting work N. St. Paul street sewer..... \$36 00
 Obed M. Rice, inspecting work, Genesee Street Sewer..... 7 50
 R. R. Price, inspecting work, Briggs place sewer..... 30 00

Estimates.

William Fuller, final estimate, Genesee Valley Canal sewer..... 958 00
 F. C. Lauer, final estimate, extending Main street sewer..... 1,102 50
 Thomas Oliver, estimate No. 4, cleaning Court and William streets sewer outlet ditch..... 600 00

\$2,734 00

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to issue the city's notes for the sum of \$46,020, to take up and cancel a like amount of city notes due May 2d, said notes to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Hinds—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
 ROCHESTER, April 17, 1888.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the city of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The Executive Board would respect-

fully represent to your honorable body that the highway and fire department funds are nearly exhausted, and that to meet the current expenses of these departments before the sums which may be placed to the credit of said funds from the tax levy for 1883 become available, there will be required for the highway fund as follows:

Repairs of Allen street bridge.....	\$2,000 00
Repairs of Andrew street bridge.....	1,100 00
Repairs of Vincent place bridge.....	1,560 00
Tending and supplies for lift bridges....	640 00
Scraping and removing dirt from streets	10,000 00
Removal of ashes.....	5,000 00
Repairing streets and sewers.....	3,500 00
Tools and repairs of same.....	500 00
Repairing crosswalks.....	700 00

\$25,000 00

There will also be required for pay of men and maintenance of the fire department the sum of \$10,000. The executive board would therefore respectfully request your honorable body to borrow, under the provisions of section 81 of the city charter, upon the credit of the city \$35,000, and place \$25,000 thereof to the credit of the highway fund, for the above specified purposes, and \$10,000 thereof to the credit of the fire department, the note or obligation therefor to be paid out of the moneys accruing to those funds from the next general tax levy.

The passage of the accompanying resolution by you honorable body will accomplish the purpose sought.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Resolved, That the city treasurer be and is hereby authorized to make the city's note for the sum of \$35,000 under the provisions of the last paragraph of section 81 of the city charter and get the same discounted under the direction of the finance committee, such note to be countersigned by the chairman of said committee, and place twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) thereof to the credit of the highway fund, and ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) thereof to the credit of the fire department fund, and charge discount to contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Special Committee on official printing would report, that, having invited proposals from the proprietors of the several daily newspapers of the city, for publishing the proceedings of the Common Council and Executive Board, together with all notices required by the provisions of the City Charter or emanating from the departments of the city government.

After a careful consideration of such propositions as were received the committee submit the following resolution for your consideration and recommend the adoption thereof:

Resolved, That the Mayor be and hereby is authorized and directed to enter into a contract with the Union and Advertiser Printing Company for the current year, to publish the proceedings of the Common Council, the proceedings of the Executive Board, and publishing all notices required by the provisions of the City Charter, or emanating from any department of the city government (except the treasurer's detailed annual report and the list on land sold for taxes) and do all the advertising usually performed under former contracts, and at the expiration of the year to furnish in book form, bound in muslin, 150 copies of the official proceedings of the Common Council and 150 copies of the proceedings of the Executive Board, including the indexes for each, for the sum of thirty-three hundred dollars (\$3,300) and that the Union and Advertiser be the official paper; and further

Resolved, That the Mayor be and hereby is authorized and directed to enter into contract with the Rochester Printing Company and the Post-Express Printing Company for publishing all proceedings and notices, advertising, &c., required of the Union and Ad-

vertiser Printing Company, (except the bound copies of the proceedings) for the sum of (\$2,250) twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars each for the current year; and further

Resolved, That the Mayor be directed to enter into contract with the Rochester Herald Publishing Company for the publishing of all notices required by the city charter; or emanating from any department of the city government, for the sum of (\$900) nine hundred dollars; and further

Resolved, That the Mayor be and hereby is directed to enter into contract with the proprietors of the Rochester Volksblatt and the Rochester Abend Post & Boebacher for all publications required of the Herald Publishing Co. for the ensuing year, for the sum of (\$720) seven hundred and twenty dollars each. All of the above sums to be paid quarterly as heretofore,

C. A. JEFFORDS,
GEO. W. ARCHER,
J. M. PITKIN,
Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Felsinger—

To the Hon. the Common Council of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: Your Select Committee on Salaries submit the following

Resolved, That the salaries of the several city officers and employees for the ensuing year be fixed as follows:

Mayor, including clerk hire.....	\$ 3,000
Treasurer.....	4,500
Clerk hire.....	5,500
Search clerk, to be paid from that fund.....	1,200
City Clerk.....	2,000
Messenger.....	1,200
Assistant Messenger.....	600
Surveyor.....	2,500
Assistant Surveyor W. S. Smith.....	1,500
.. .. Stewart.....	1,100
.. .. Race, per month.....	75
.. .. Redman, per month.....	75
.. .. Kenyon, per month.....	60
.. .. G. W. Gay, per month.....	70
Assessors, each, including clerk hire.....	2,500
Overseer of the Poor.....	1,700
Assistant Overseer of the Poor.....	900
Bookkeeper.....	900
Investigator.....	900
Stork keeper.....	900
City Attorney, including clerk hire.....	3,000
Excise Commissioners, each.....	900
Police Justice, including clerk hire.....	3,600
City physicians, each.....	600
Watchman City Hall.....	900
Engineer City Hall.....	900
Janitor Front street building.....	840
Health inspectors, each.....	600
Police Commissioners, each.....	1,000
Keeper of Hope hospital.....	700
Messenger of the Board of Health.....	400
Executive Board, each.....	2,500
Milk inspector.....	900
Fire Marshal, including carriage hire.....	1,200
Sewer flushers, each.....	600
Clerk of Excise Board.....	750

JOHN A. FELSINGER,
J. A. HINDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Hinds—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

Your committee, attested by Ald. Barron, president of the Common-council, Mr. Holly, chairman of the Executive Board, City Surveyor Peacock and City Attorney Beckley, had a conference in the city of New York, with the officials of the said company, at which all the phases of the question were considered and a result substantially agreed upon.

The proposition made to the city by the company was to donate to the city a strip of land about twenty-five feet in width between Mill street and the river and south of the company's land, for the purpose of a street in connection with the land already granted for that purpose by the company, in return for which the city would be required to pay to the company the difference between the expense of a slope embankment and a retaining wall; and also to save the company from the liability to pay any part of the expense of the acquiring of the lands for the

bridge across the river, and the bridge itself, and the expense of the improvement of the new street when constructed. The proposition as submitted, if accepted, would have left a strip of land, in the form of a V, next to the Brackett house property, about nineteen feet wide on Mill street, in the possession of the company, while the street at that point would have been but fifty feet in width. Your committee thought it very desirable for the city that said small strip of land aforesaid should also be secured if possible, and accordingly made that matter a part of their duty in the premises. As a result of the negotiations aforesaid and of subsequent consultations, your committee submit herewith a contract containing the result of all the negotiations aforesaid. It is proper in this connection to refer to some matters in connection with the said contract which do not appear upon the face of the same. The deed given by the railroad company to the city, as will be observed, is a quit claim deed. A careful examination of the title has been made, and no defects have been found, except as follows: A small portion of lot B of the Andrews and Atwater tract, being a strip of land in the bed of the river, was conveyed to the railroad company by James M. Whitney, by full covenant deed, and that strip of land is claimed to be owned by J. E. Pierpont and others; the city, of course, under its deed will take all the interest which the company has in said strip of land and can, under conveyance from the company, resort to its cause of action against Mr. Whitney, in the premises, if there should be determined to be any title in said claimants. A small portion of the land to be conveyed being also a portion of the river bed, was obtained by the said company, by deed in which the purpose for which the land was to be used was specified, to wit: For the purpose of a railroad, etc. The question may be raised by some person, that the city acquires no title to such land, as the purpose for which the land is used is changed, although this is altogether unlikely.

Your committee refers to these questions of title, not because it believes they constitute real defects, but because it desires to have all matters connected with the said contract before your honorable body before action is taken thereon.

The consideration to be paid by the city to the company, as specified in the contract, represents the difference between the cost of constructing a retaining wall from Mill street to the west bank of the river and an earth embankment, such sum being \$36,000. The amount was determined by the city surveyor and the engineer of the company. It is probable that the actual cost of the work will considerably exceed this sum. Your committee believes that the city is fortunate in the determination of the amount agreed upon, as of course said sum is the entire amount therefor which the city will be called upon to pay. The amount which the city will be called upon to pay by virtue of the other provisions of the contract cannot now be determined, but the amount cannot be large. Such amount will be the sum assessed against the company under the ordinance aforesaid, and probably will not exceed \$1,500 in the aggregate.

Your committee found it advisable to include in the negotiations and the contract the vexed questions of the grades and improvement of North St., Paul and Atwater streets in the vicinity of the new depot, and the results arrived at with reference thereto will surely be regarded as satisfactory by the people of this city. As will be observed the railroad company carries out the provisions of its contract with the commissioners, and in so doing adopts the grades established by the city, and in other respects conforms to the requirements of the contract as understood by the city.

The provision in the contract with reference to Center Square, simply ratifies the contract between the commissioners and the company in that behalf; the interest which the city is to convey being simply its title in the portion of said square now occupied by the railroad company.

In the event of the consideration for the land being raised by the city under an ordinance by assessment upon the property benefited by the

street, it will be necessary that the city should adopt such ordinance, and comply with some other provisions of the charter before entering into the contract. If the amount to be paid shall be paid by the city from its general fund, the contract may be entered into at once.

Dated April 17th, 1883.

JAMES A. HINDS,
A. COLLINS,
GEO. W. ARCHER,
Select Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published, and tabled for two weeks.

An agreement made this 10th day of April, 1883, between the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company of the first part, and the City of Rochester of the second part, witnesseth: that the said railroad company and the commission appointed for and in behalf of the said city, under and in pursuance of chapter 147 of the laws of the State of New York, passed April 23d, 1880, entitled "an act to provide for the relief of the City of Rochester and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company in said city;" having made a contract under and pursuant to said act, dated the 21st day of February, 1881, which the said railroad company is now actively performing on its part, and

Whereas, The said railroad company has removed its passenger depot from the west side of the Genesee river to the east side of said river, and in pursuance of as provided in said contract the said railroad company is to cede to said city a piece or strip of land from Mill street to Water street 25 feet wide next south of the elevated railroad tracks of said company, for the purposes of a public street as provided in said contract upon the express condition and valid only when the said city shall have opened, graded and paved the said strip of land and accepted it as one of the streets of said city, and shall have extended the said street across the Genesee river by means of a proper bridge, and whereas the said railroad company by the term of said contract is entitled to make its elevated tracks between Mill street, on the west side of said Genesee river, and Water street, on the east side of said river, on an earth embankment wherever practicable, the slope of which embankment would occupy about 25 feet of the land of said railroad lying next north of and adjacent to the said strip of land 25 feet in width, to be ceded as aforesaid; and

Whereas, The city of Rochester is desirous that the railroad company shall substitute a stone wall in place of said earth slope, and cede to the city the additional strip of land saved by the making of such stone wall in lieu of said earth slope; and

Whereas, The city of Rochester proposes to open and make the said street from Mill street to Water street, a frontage of 212 and 3-10 feet, and 45 feet thereabouts, and of a greater width than 45 feet wherever the necessary land can be obtained from said company for such increased width, now, therefore, in consideration of the agreements herein contained on the part of the respective parties to this agreement, it is mutually agreed as follows:

That the said railroad company agrees to make such change in the construction of its elevated tracks under and in pursuance to its said contract with said commissioners as to enable said company to cede, and it agrees to cede and convey by quitclaim deed to the city of Rochester all that tract or parcel of land situate in said city of Rochester bounded as follows: beginning in the east line of Mill street at the south face of the retaining wall of the said elevated tracks as the same is now located for construction to carry out their contract at a point distant northerly about 70 and 2-10 feet, measured along the line of Mill street from the south line of the land now owned by the said railroad company and distant southerly 212 and 3-10 feet, and then to the south line of Mill street from the south line of Centre st.; thence easterly on a straight line, making an angle of 96 deg. from north to east with the east line of Mill st., 78½ feet; thence easterly on a curved line of 2,865 feet radius curving to the left, 239½ feet; thence easterly on a straight line, tangent to the curve last mentioned, 197 feet to the southeast corner of the retaining wall on the south side of the said elevated tracks of said railroad company on the west bank of said river as the same is now located and built; thence easterly in a straight line 425 feet to the southwest corner of the stone abutment of said elevated tracks on the east bank of the Genesee river as the same is now located and built, and thence easterly along the face of the retaining wall on the south side of the said elevated tracks about 22 feet to the west line of Water street, thence south on the west line of Water street to the south line of the piece or parcel of land conveyed to said railroad company by James M. Whitney and wife by deed dated the 21st day of October, 1882, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County of Monroe in Liber 172 of Deeds at p. 245; thence westerly along the southerly line of

the land described in the deed last mentioned to the southwest corner of the land described in said deed; thence southerly along the easterly line of the piece of land which was conveyed to the Auburn and Rochester Railroad Company by Master in Chancery by deed dated the 23rd day of August, 1848, and recorded in the Clerk's office of said county on the 17th day of January, 1844, in Liber 62 of deeds at page 474, to the southeast corner of the first parcel of land described in said deed; thence westerly along the south line of the first parcel of land described in said deed to the northeast corner of the southerly strip of land of 20 feet in width described in the said deed; thence southerly along the east line of said strip of land of 20 feet in width 20 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence westerly on the southerly line of said strip of land 20 feet in width to the east line of Mill street; thence northerly along the east line of Mill street 70 and 2-10 (seventy and two-tenths) feet to the place of beginning, being all the land of the said company lying south of the northerly lines of the land herein above described. The said piece of land herein above described is to be ceded and conveyed by said company to said city for the price or consideration hereinafter expressed, for the purpose of this street, which said street shall have opened and completed and in proved said street, including the bridge therefor across said river, and shall have performed all the terms and conditions of this contract on its part.

Second—That said railroad company is to perform its said agreement with said commissioners in relation to shall restore to the Madison pavement and two-bridge over St. Paul street on such grade as shall be legally established by said city, but not to exceed the grade of one foot in thirty-three feet. The said railroad company shall pave St. Paul street south from the north line of its said bridge to the south line of Atwater street with Medina stone pavement, and make the necessary excavations in St. Paul street south of the south line of Atwater street to make said St. Paul street on such grade as the city shall legally establish, not exceeding one foot in thirty feet, and shall make the necessary excavations in Atwater street east from St. Paul street on such grade as the city shall establish (legally), not exceeding one foot in thirty feet, and pave the same with Medina stone pavement at the grade of St. Paul street south of said railroad bridge to the south line of Atwater street shall be made on such grade as the said city shall legally establish.

Third—The city of Rochester on its part, in consideration of the premises agrees to and with the said railroad company as follows:

First—That it will pay to said railroad company as and for the purchase price of the title of said railroad company to the piece of land hereinbefore described, to be conveyed to the said city for the purposes of a street, a sum of money which shall be equal in amount to any assessment or assessment made or which may at any time hereafter be made by or in behalf of the said city against the said company for or on account of any land acquired or to be acquired for said street in the whole length and width thereof from Mill street to Water street and for or on account of any and all cost, expense or damages said city may pay, incur or cause to be incurred for the opening or widening of said street, from Mill street to Water street, and for the construction of the bridge for said street across the Genesee river, and for the grading and paving of said street in the whole length and width thereof, and also the additional sum of thirty-six thousand dollars, the last mentioned sum of thirty-six thousand dollars shall be paid by said city to the said railroad company on or before the first day of August, 1883.

Second—That the said city will grant and convey by quit claim deed to said railroad company all that tract or parcel of land situate in the said city of Rochester, being a strip of land 20 feet in width through Center park, bounded on the west by John street, on the east by Sophia street, on the north by the south line of the land now owned by said company, and on the south by a line parallel with and 20 feet south of the south line of the said land now owned by said company.

In witness whereof, the party of the first part has caused these presents to be signed by its Vice President, its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, and the party of the second part has caused these presents to be signed by its Mayor, its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

Ordered received, filed and published

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR

REFERENCE.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with section 29 of the Re-

vised City Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath of office:

Martin Barron, President of Common Council.

James Leonard, City Sealer.

Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger.

J. J. A. Burke, City Physician.

A. L. Perry,

James J. Harrington,

Julius Schmitt,

Thomas D. Spencer,

Henry Koch,

George Kimpel, Constable, 16th ward.

Patrick H. Griffin, 2d

Jacob J. De Vos, Inspector of Election.

John J. Scheck,

Jacob Kolb,

Frank Kingsley, Commissioner of Deeds.

Harrat J. Reynolds,

Geo. W. Hawley,

W. H. O'Kane,

John E. Roe,

A. H. Martin,

F. N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

BUFFALO, NEW YORK & PHILA. R.R. Co., }

ROCHESTER, April 12, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned, in behalf of the Buffalo New York & Philadelphia Railroad Company, respectfully represents that with a view to an increase in the facilities to be afforded the merchants and others of this city, as well as to promote its own interests, this company are contemplating the enlargement of its depot grounds in this city. And to enable it to carry out such contemplated improvements respectfully ask permission to construct an additional track on grade across Troup street east of the track now laid. Said company would also respectfully ask that permission be given for vacating or closing Trowbridge street from West avenue to Troup street in the event of such enlargement of the depot grounds being made. Very truly and respectfully yours, J. W. JONES, President.

Ald Foley moved that the communication be referred to a committee of three to be appointed by the President. Adopted.

From the City Treasurer—

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17th, 1883. }

To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,219, for Evergreen street extension has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,981.89. Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, The entire cost and expense of opening and extending Evergreen street has been ascertained to be the sum of \$1,981 89, therefore

Resolved, That all persons interested in the said improvement have an opportunity to be heard in relation thereto at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, and the clerk is hereby directed to publish notice as required by section 190 of the City Charter. Adopted.

The President announced the standing Committees of the Board for the ensuing year as follows:

Finance—Ald. Hinds, Archer and Pitkin.
Contingent Expenses—Ald. Collins, Strouss and Southard

Public Improvements—Ald. Aikenhead, Rice and Simmelink.

Sewers—Ald. Simmelink, Watson and Aikenhead.

Opening and Alteration of Streets, and Bridges—Ald. Southard, Archer and Aikenhead.

Law—Ald. Archer, Bronson and Strouss.

Charter Amendments, Ordinances and Rules—Ald. Bronson, Archer and Simmelink.

Police, Excise and Markets—Ald. Pitkin, Felsinger and Kelly.

Support and Relief of the Poor—Ald. Felsinger, Collins and Foley.

Wooden Buildings—Ald. Foley, Rice and Jeffords.

Maps and Surveys—Ald. Watson, Jeffords and Southard.

Schools and Public Health—Ald. Rice, Aikenhead and Simmelink.

Mount Hope and Public Parks—Ald. Foley, Felsinger and Hinds.

City Property—Ald. Kelly, Watson and Felsinger.

Water Works—Ald. Cross, Rice and Kelly.

Public Lamps—Ald. Jeffords, Kelly and Hinds.

Assessments—Ald. Bronson, Collins and Aikenhead.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

SPRINKLING CLINTON STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Clinton street from the centre of Marietta st. to Clifford st., during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$685 00.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Clinton street from the centre of Marietta st. to Clifford st. during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$685.00, which estimate is hereby approved:

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton street, from the centre of Marietta st. to Clifford st.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May the 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING ATWATER STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Atwater street, from North avenue to North St. Paul street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$446.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Atwater street, from North avenue to North St. Paul street, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$446, which estimate is hereby approved:

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Atwater street, from North avenue to North St. Paul street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING SOUTH AVENUE.—Sec. 2.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling South avenue from the center of Linden street to the south line of the Mumford property during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$180.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of South avenue from the center of Linden street to the south line of the Mumford property during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$180, which estimate is hereby approved;

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of South avenue from the center of Linden street to the south line of the Mumford property.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING HUDSON STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor

ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Hudson street, from North avenue to the north line of Channing street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$540.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Hudson street, from North avenue to the north line of Channing street, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$540, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further—That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Hudson street, from North avenue to the north line of Channing street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May the 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

BROADWAY STREET SPRINKLING.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Broadway between Monroe avenue and Meigs street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$626.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Broadway from a point 100 feet south of Monroe avenue to Meigs street, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$626, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Broadway from a point 100 feet south of Monroe avenue to Meigs street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

ANDREW STREET SPRINKLING.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Andrews from the west end of Andrews street bridge to a point 100 feet west of North avenue during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$382.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Andrews street from the west end of Andrews street bridge to a point 100 west of North avenue during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$382, which estimate is hereby approved:

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Andrews street, from the west end of Andrews street bridge to a point 100 feet west of North avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172, of the Revised Charter, of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 1st, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING GIBBS STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Gibbs street from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to a point 100 feet south of East Main street during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$152.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Gibbs street from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to a point 100 feet south of East Main street during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$15 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, Further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Gibbs street from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to a point 100 feet south of East Main street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING KENT STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Kent street, from a point 100 feet north of Allen street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$33.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Kent street, from a point 100 feet north of Allen street to Brown street, during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$303, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Kent street, from a point 100 feet north of Allen street to Brown street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN PLEASANT STREET.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Pleasant street, between North St. Paul street and Clinton street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,900.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Pleasant street, from the sewer in North St. Paul street to a point 10 feet west of Clinton street. Also the necessary lot laterals, manholes and surface sewers.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,900, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Pleasant street, from North St. Paul street to Clinton street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON BRIGHTON AVE.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Brighton avenue to the street extending from Oxford place to Nichols park.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$315.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk, 4 feet in width on the south side of Brighton avenue, from Goodman street to the street extending from Oxford place to Nichols park.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$315 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said

city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the south side of Brighton avenue, from Goodman street to the street extending from Oxford place to Nichols park.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 1st, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SWEEPING AND CLEANING SOUTH CLINTON STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sweeping and cleaning South Clinton street from East Main street to Monroe avenue until December 1st, 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$780.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sweeping and cleaning of South Clinton street from Main street to Monroe avenue until December 1st, 1883.

And Whereas, the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$780 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of South Clinton street from East Main Street to Monroe avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

REPAIRING AND TAKING CARE OF EAST AVENUE.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of repairing and taking care of East avenue from Goodman street to the east line of the city, until December 1st, 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$750.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The repair and general care of East avenue from Goodman street to the east line of the city, until December 1st, 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$750, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, that the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of East avenue, from Goodman street to the east line of the city.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

NORTH ST. PAUL STREET IMPROVEMENT.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving North St. Paul street, with a Medina stone improvement, from the north curb line of East Main street to the south line of Atwater street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$35,000.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The improvement of North St. Paul street, from the north curb line of East Main street to the south line of Atwater street, by constructing a Medina stone pavement, with curb stones and gutters on each side thereof, width of roadway between curb lines to be 38 feet. Also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, street grading and the relaying of such walks as may be found necessary to adjust to the proper grade.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$35,000, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street, from East Main street to A Water street.

And further Resolved, That the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows:

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll, one-fifth within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May the 1st, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.
FOR ACQUIRING ADDITIONAL LAND BETWEEN MILL AND WATER STREETS.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of acquiring additional land for the purpose of a street on the south side of the New York Central & Hudson River railroad, between Mill street and Water street.

Adopted.
The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$36 000.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The acquiring of additional land for the purpose of a street on the south side of the elevated tracks of the New York Central & Hudson River railroad company between Mill street and Water street, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor is described as follows, viz: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Mill street with the face of the retaining wall on the south side of the aforesaid mentioned elevated tracks; thence easterly along the face of said wall to the west side of the Genesee river; thence still easterly in a direct line to the face of the retaining wall on the east side of said river and along the face of said wall to the west line of Water street; thence southerly along the west line of Water street to the south line of said railroad company's land; thence westerly along the south boundary lines of said railroad company's land to the east line of Mill street; thence northerly along the east line of Mill street to the place of beginning, excepting therefrom the land heretofore designated in the contract between the New York Central railroad company and the Elevated Track Commissioners to be granted to the city of Rochester for the purpose of a street from Mill street to Water street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$36,000, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

The 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th wards of the city of Rochester, excepting that portion of the 15th ward lying north of the Ridge road.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 1st, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

Ald. Watson moved that action on the final ordinance for sprinkling Elm street be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Watson then moved it be postponed until the next regular meeting, and that the clerk advertise for allegations. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink moved to reconsider the indefinite postponement of the final ordinance for a pipe sewer in Park avenue. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink then moved it be postponed until the next regular meeting, and that the clerk advertise for allegations. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,458.

SPRINKLING MOUNT HOPE AVENUE—SEC. 1.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to

hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Mt. Hope avenue, from South avenue to the center of Clarissa street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Mt. Hope avenue, from South avenue to the center of Clarissa street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$817, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Mount Hope avenue from South avenue to the center of Clarissa street,

and the above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strous, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2459.

PLANK WALK ON SILVER STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Silver street, from Maple street, to a point 20 feet west of South Orchard street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 3 feet and 6 inches in width on each side of Silver street from Maple street, to a point 200 feet west of South Orchard street, also the necessary crosswalks.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$103, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Silver street, from Maple street, to a point 200 feet west of South Orchard street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strous, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Ald. Felsing moved that the property owners be allowed sixty days to construct their own walks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,460.

SPRINKLING NORTH AVENUE—SEC. 1.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle North avenue from a point one hundred (100) feet north of East Main street to the north line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of North avenue from a point 100 feet north of East Main street to the north line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R., during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$611, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North avenue from a point 100 feet north of East Main street to the north line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R.

On which above described portion of the city the expense of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

The final ordinance to sprinkle north St. Paul street came up. Ald. Archer moved to postpone two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,461.

SPRINKLING JONES AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Jones avenue, from a point one hundred feet west of Lake avenue to West street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Jones avenue, from a point 100 feet west of Lake avenue to West street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$403, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Jones avenue, from a point 100 feet west of Lake avenue to West street, on which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,462.

SPRINKLING UNIVERSITY AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle University avenue from North avenue to the center of Scio street during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of University avenue from North avenue to the center of Scio street during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$302, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of University avenue, from North avenue to Scio street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

The final ordinance to open and extend Syke street came up. Ald. Kelly presented a petition and a remonstrance, and moved that the ordinance be adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,463.

OPENING AND EXTENDING SYKE STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to open and extend Syke street, from Colvin street to Ames street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The opening and extending of Syke street, from Colvin street to Ames street. And the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor is described as follows, viz: A strip of land fifty feet in width extending from the west line of Colvin street to the east line of Ames street, the north and south line thereof being an extension of the north and south lines of Syke street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$500, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of the proposed street, from Colvin street to Ames street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—13.

The final ordinance to open a street from Campbell street to Maple came up. Ald. Kelly moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE—No. 2,464.

THOMAS PARK PLANK WALK.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on the north side of Thomas Park, from Child street to York street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet and 8 inches in width on the north side of Thomas park, from Child street to York street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of lands to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$122, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of Thomas Park, from Child street to York street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,465.

PLANK WALK ON FREDERICK STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Frederick street, from Helena street to Foehner street, except where good plank walks now exist.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side of Frederick street, from Helena street to Foehner street, except where good plank walks now exist.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$270, which estimate is hereby approved, and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Frederick street, from Helena street to Foehner street, in front of which the proposed walk shall be constructed.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

Ald. Southard moved that the property owners be allowed sixty days to construct their own walks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Olean street and deepening the stone sewer in Hunter street came up.

Ald. Foley moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,466.

PLANK WALK ON FIEN PLACE.

On motion of Alderman Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Alderman Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Fien Place, from Scrantom street to Oakman street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk four feet in width on the east side of Fien Place, from Scrantom street to Oakman street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$274, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the east side of Fien Place, from Scrantom street to Oakman street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Alkenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—15.

Ald. Archer moved that the property owners be allowed sixty days to construct their own walk. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,467.

PIPE SEWER IN FREDERICK STREET,

On motion of Ald. Southard, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Southard submitted the following:

An ordinance to contract a pipe sewer in Frederick street from the sewer in Helena street to a point 119 feet south of Foechner street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 9 inches in diameter in Frederick street, from the sewer in Helena street to a point 119 feet south of Foechner street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$370, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Frederick street, from Helena street to a point 119 feet south of Foechner street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Alkenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,468.

PLANK WALK ON WESLEY STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Wesley st., from Concord ave. to North ave.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side of Wesley street, from Concord avenue to North avenue.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by an assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$144, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Wesley street, from Concord avenue to North avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the

expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Alkenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,469.

PLANK WALK ON CHILD STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct plank walk on Child street, from Thomas Park to the Rochester & Pittsburg railroad tracks.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet and 8 inches in width on each side of Child street, from Thomas Park to the Rochester & Pittsburg railroad tracks.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$584.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Child street, from Thomas Park to the Rochester & Pittsburg railroad tracks.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Alkenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,47.

SPRINKLING SCIO STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Scio street, from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to the centre of Charlotte street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Scio street from a point 100 feet north of East ave. to the centre of Charlotte st., during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$184.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Scio street, from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to the center of Charlotte street, during the season of 1883.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Alkenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

By Ald. Bronson—

AN ORDINANCE amending an ordinance relating to the erection and removal of buildings.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain as follows:

SECTION 3 of an ordinance relating to the erection and removal of buildings passed November 30, 1880 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

The foundation walls of every building of three or more stories in height, constructed or placed within the limits or territory described in the first section of this ordinance which shall be built of iron, stone or brick, shall start either upon the solid rock or upon footing courses which shall be at least one foot in height and which shall be at least one foot wider than the foundation wall. Said footing courses shall be constructed of large flat stones of at least six inches in thickness, which shall be laid in mortar made of first-class cement and clean, coarse, sharp sand in the proportion of one part of cement to four parts of sand and be thoroughly grouted. The outer foundation walls of every building constructed of stone, iron or brick, which shall be less than three stories in height shall be at least eighteen inches in thickness; and when three stories in height and less than five stories in height, the foundation walls

shall be at least twenty-two inches in thickness; and when five stories in height the foundation walls shall not be less than twenty-four inches; and when over five stories in height the outer foundation walls shall be at least thirty inches in thickness. All foundation walls shall be built of good sized quarried stone, which shall be laid in mortar composed of one part of cement or fresh burned quick lime to four parts of coarse sharp sand, and be properly and thoroughly bonded.

Every building or part of a building made constructed or placed within the limits or territory described in the first section of this ordinance shall be built of iron, or stone, or brick; and when such building or part of a building is built of stone or brick and is more than one and a half stories in height, the outer walls of all but the upper story shall be at least twelve inches in thickness; and when more than three stories in height, the outer walls of the first story shall be at least sixteen inches in thickness, and the remaining outer walls of all but the upper story shall be at least twelve inches in thickness; and when more than five stories in height the outer walls of the first story shall be at least twenty inches in thickness; the outer walls of the second story shall be at least sixteen inches in thickness, and the remaining outer walls shall be at least twelve inches in thickness; and every building, between the basement and third story thereof, which is to be divided into two or more stores or tenements or dwellings fronting on a street or alley, shall so be divided by stone or brick partition walls, running from the front of such building to the rear thereof, one foot in thickness, and extending from the bottom of the cellar or basement upward to and through the roof of such building, and at least two feet above said roof. And the ends of any and all joist resting in or upon any wall or partition shall be at least four inches apart in each direction; and any space or spaces intervening between the ends of the joists shall be filled with brick and mortar, and the walls of all chimneys in any building shall be at least four inches in thickness except that when a chimney used for the purpose of furnishing draught from a steam boiler, the wall of such chimney shall be at least eight inches in thickness; and the sides of such chimneys, upon the inside thereof, shall be masonry plastered. And if any building or part or portion of any building not made and constructed according to the provisions of the aforesaid section shall be erected or placed within the prescribed fire limits in sec. 1, the owner or owners, builder or builders thereof, person or persons directing the same, shall severally forfeit the penalty of one hundred dollars for each and every violation of the aforesaid section; and also a further penalty of twenty-five dollars for each and every week such building or part of building shall remain within the limits named in sec. 1 aforesaid.

It shall be the duty of the fire marshal to inspect all buildings erected and in process of erection or repair and to report to the common council any failure on the part of the owner and contractor of any building to comply with the provisions of this ordinance. If after inspection the fire marshal shall be satisfied that any building or portion of a building already constructed or in process of construction shall be liable to fall or to become unsafe it shall be his duty to notify the mayor or a member of the committee on wooden buildings, and the official or officials so notified shall proceed to inspect such building and if such official or officials shall concur with the fire marshal as to the insecurity of such building or portion of building, the fire marshal shall order the same taken down or that such precautions be taken for its safety, as he shall direct, or that all further work thereon be stopped as the occasion may require. If such order shall not be at once complied with it shall be the duty of the fire marshal to cause such building to be taken down or take such action in connection therewith as he shall deem the public safety to require, and the cost and expense thereof shall be paid by the city of Rochester to the fire marshal; and after such payment the amount thereof shall be payable to said city by the owner or owners of such building, and may be recovered of such owner or owners by action brought by said city, and every execution issued upon a judgment recovered on such claim shall command the amount to be made of the property of the defendant if any such can be found, and if not, then to commit the defendant to the Monroe county penitentiary for a period not exceeding fifty days.

§ 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ald. Bronson gave notice that he would move the adoption of the above penal ordinance at the next regular meeting.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

"Ald. Collins moved that the meeting of the Common Council at the Common Council

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chamber, Tuesday, April 17th, at 6 o'clock p. m., be and hereby is assigned and fixed as the time when complaints and appeals from the assessments for opening the new street known as Church street will be heard. Adopted."

Allegations were called for.

The clerk presented the following:

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester

GENTLEMEN: I hereby object to the confirmation by your body of the assessment made upon me for the opening of Church st., the proposed new street from State to Sophia st., in said city.

I also object to said assessment on me or my property for the following reasons:

First—That the proceedings had and taken for the opening of said street, procuring the right of way therefor, and for the appointment of the assessors, were and are illegal and void.

Second—The amount of the assessment on my property being the sum of \$2,515, twenty-five hundred and fifteen dollars is exorbitant and unequal in proportion to assessments made on other property for the same purpose.

BENJAMIN M. BAKER.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Collins moved that a committee of five be appointed to hear complaints and appeals from the assessment for opening the new street known as Church street, and to report at the next regular meeting. Adopted.

The following came up:

"The City Clerk reported that the City Assessors have filed with him the assessment roll for opening Goodman street.

"By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the next regular meeting of the Common Council, April 17, 1883, at 6 o'clock P. M., at the Common Council chamber, is assigned as the time when complaints or appeals from said assessments will be heard. Adopted."

Allegations being called for, and no person appearing, the roll was confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Soutward, Aikenhead, Kelly, Smoelink—16.

The following came up:

"By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That objection to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners appointed to appraise the damages which the owners, occupants and tenants of the lands and premises to be taken by the city of Rochester for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, which report is filed in the office of County Clerk of Monroe county, and in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Rochester, will be heard at the meeting of the Common Council to be held in the council chamber in the City Hall on the third day of April, 1883, at 6 o'clock p. m., which time is hereby assigned for that purpose. Adopted."

Ald. Archer moved that the hearing of objections to the report be postponed until the next regular meeting, Tuesday, April 17th, at the Common Council chamber in the City Hall at 6 o'clock p. m. Adopted."

Ald. Archer moved that the hearing of objections to the report be further postponed until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint a Fire Marshal in place of William Carroll. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated Wm. Carroll.

William Carroll was named by Ald. Collins,

Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

William Carroll was declared appointed Fire Marshal.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint a Mt. Hope Commissioner for three years in place of Newell A. Stone.

Ald. Bronson nominated Newell A. Stone. Newell A. Stone was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Newell A. Stone was declared appointed Mt. Hope Commissioner.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint two Commissioners of the Board of Health for three years in place of Dr. Moore and Jas. O. Howard. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated Dr. Moore. Dr. Moore was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Dr. Moore was declared appointed Commissioner of the Board of Health.

Ald. Bronson nominated Jas. O. Howard. Jas. O. Howard was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Jas. O. Howard was declared appointed Commissioner for the Board of Health.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner in place of Jacob Howe, Jr. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Ald. Bronson nominated Wm. H. Tracy, Ald. Collins nominated Jacob Howe, Jr.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

Wm. H. Tracy was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—7.

Rice, Blank—1.

No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

Wm. H. Tracy was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—7.

Rice, Blank—1.

No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Simmelink—7.

Wm. H. Tracy was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Jeffords, Watson, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—7.

Rice, Aikenhead, Blank—2.

No choice.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

Wm. H. Tracy was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—7.

Rice, Blank—1.

No choice.

Ald. Kelly moved to postpone the appointment of Police Commissioner until the next regular meeting. Lost.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

Wm. H. Tracy was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—7.

Rice, Blank—1.

No choice. SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

Wm. H. Tracy was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—7.

Rice, Blank—1.

No choice.

Ald. Kelly moved to postpone until the next regular meeting.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.

Ald. Hinds moved to proceed to appoint a Constable for the 9th ward. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds nominated Patrick McKoen.

Patrick McKoen was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—14.

Patrick McKoen was declared appointed Constable for the 9th ward.

Ald. Southard moved to proceed to appoint an inspector of election for the second district of the 13th ward. Adopted.

Ald. Southard nominated George J. Roth.

George J. Roth was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—14.

Geo. J. Roth was declared appointed Inspector for the 2d dist. 13th ward.

Ald. Collins moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

First ward—Geo. M. Cone.

Fourth ward—George Willis Hall.

Fifth ward—John Sherry.

Sixth ward—Merton E. Lewis, Victor Weinstein.

Seventh ward—Wm. H. Eves.

Eighth ward—E. J. Keehan.

Tenth ward—Arthur J. Shaw.

Twelfth ward—Jas. F. O'Neil.

having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, Complaint has been made by large numbers of people residing in the vicinity of the Rapids, in the 15th ward, of the filthy condition of a building situate near the Genesee Valley canal, and of the obscene and disgraceful actions of a colony of Italians residing in said building, therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Health be and it hereby is requested to at once investigate as to the condition of said building, and to declare the same to be a nuisance if the facts disclosed shall warrant. Also

Resolved, That the Police Commissioners be and they hereby are requested to at once detail a policeman in said locality and to see that law and order be there enforced. Adopted.

Ald. Archer in the chair.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of J. G. Cramer to erect a wood building and moved the petition be granted, under the direction of of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented the petitions of Maloy & Co., and Henry Billinghamurst and moved that they be referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented a communication from O. H. Stevens and moved it be referred to the Law Committee and Executive Board. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds presented a petition for laying water mains in Rowe street and moved it be referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to make the city's note for the sum of \$31,000 under provisions of section 81 of the city charter and procure the same to be discounted, such note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee, the proceeds thereof to be credited to the different funds as follows: Police Fund, \$16,000; Contingent Fund, \$10,000; Health Fund, \$3,000; City Property Fund, \$2,000; and the discount to be charged to Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Foley—Whereas, Henry S. Mackie has placed on his lot, on the corner of Troup and Julia streets, in the city of Rochester, three small cottages built of wood and paper, and

Whereas, The said buildings were moved onto said lot without permission of the Common Council, and

Whereas, The said buildings are placed closely together and within a few feet of buildings on an adjacent lot, and

Whereas, Said buildings are not plastered or lathed and do not have brick chimneys, but do have chimneys which are not suitable for use therein and are not safe, and

Whereas, Said buildings have wooden cornices, therefore

Resolved, That the said buildings are liable to burn and thereby cause a disastrous conflagration in the locality aforesaid, and said buildings are hereby declared to be a nuisance. That the Fire Marshal be and he hereby is directed to cause all the provisions of the charter and the ordinances of said city, so far as they relate to the buildings aforesaid, to be enforced, and particularly, that he cause the said buildings and each of them to be covered with a course of brick built around and anchored to the outer walls of each of said buildings, and in other respects to remedy the defects above specified.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he hereby is instructed to take such steps as the

charter and ordinances of said city may warrant, in causing the abatement or removal of the nuisance aforesaid. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, that the City Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to cancel the assessment against the Rochester City Hospital, St. Mary's Hospital and St. Mary's Orphan Asylum for West avenue sprinkling for 1882 and charge the same to Erroneous Assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved that the Executive Board be requested to place a fire alarm box at the corner of Monroe avenue and Williams street. Adopted.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Thos. Goulding to erect a wood building. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

By Alderman Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 69 and 70 of the Geo. P. Davis sub-division tract, Draytonstreet, Thirteenth ward, were assessed for Drayton street sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons: therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated April 17, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$36.89 with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17, 1883. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1883 to Alexander M. Moser, viz.:

A strip of land in part of lots No. 69 and 70 Geo. P. Davis subdivision of east part original lot 71, south side of Drayton street, Thirteenth ward, 80 feet front, 81 feet rear, and 1 foot deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Drayton street sewer No. 2247, the sum of \$36.89, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17, 1883. }

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 80 of the Manhattan tract, Union street, Seventh Ward, was assessed for South Union street improvement, under one valuation and in one amount and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated April 12th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such amount upon the payment of \$117.87, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 12th, 1883. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Geo. S. Riley, viz.: Lot No. 60, Manhattan Tract, West side of Union street, Seventh ward, 25 feet front, 25 feet rear, and 198 feet deep, and owner of said property should pay as his portion of South Union street improvement the sum of \$117.87, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y. April 17th, 1883. }

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Barron—Whereas, Lots No. 46, 47, 48 and 49 of the Manhattan tract, Union street, 7th ward, was

assessed for S. Union street improvement under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated April 11th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$35.72, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 11th, 1883. }
A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.

SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Geo. S. Riley, viz: Lots No. 48 and 49, Sec. D, Manhattan tract, north side of Union street, 7th ward, 50 feet front, 50 feet rear, and 108 feet deep.

And that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of South Union street improvement the sum of \$35.72, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land. [Signed] V. FLECKENSTEIN, JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17, 1883. }
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 4 of the Davis & Leyden subdivision, in the tract known as Vose & aue, 16th Ward, was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore, Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated April 16, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$70.87, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 16, 1881. }
A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to G. R. Welch, viz:

Lot No. 4, Davis & Leyd-n subdivision, Huntington tract, east side of Conkey avenue, 16th Ward, 35 feet front, 35 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Clifford street outlet sewer, No. 2,225, the sum of \$70.87, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land. [Signed] WM. MAHER, V. FLECKENSTEIN, JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17, 1883. }
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 39 of the Luitweiler tract, Vose street, Fifteenth Ward, was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated April 16, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$11.91, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 16th, 1883. }
A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.

SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1883, to Cornelius Brown, viz:

Lot No. 39, Luitweiler Tract, north side of Vose street, 15th ward, 33 feet front, 3 feet rear, and 152 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Clifford street outlet sewer, No. 2,225, the sum of \$11.91, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land. [Signed] WM. MAHER, V. FLECKENSTEIN, JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17, 1883. }
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Aldman Bronson—Whereas, Lot Nos. 29 of the G. P. and C. A. Davis Tract, Philander street, 14th Ward, was assessed for North avenue outlet sewer, under one valuation and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated April 17, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$3.25, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

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CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17, 1883. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.
SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1883 to James Gosnell, viz: Lot No. 29 G. P. and C. A. Davis Tract, east side of Philander street, 14th Ward, 33 feet front, 33 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of North Avenue Outlet Sewer, No. 1,794, the sum of \$3.25, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land. [Signed] WM. MAHER, V. FLECKENSTEIN, JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17, 1883. }
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 131 and 132 of the St. Joseph Orphan Asylum tract, Maria street, Sixteenth ward was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the assessors, dated April 16th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$33.22, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 16, 1883. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.
SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Orphan Asylum viz: Lots 131 & 132, St. Joseph Orphan Asylum Tract, east side of Maria street, Sixteenth ward, 92 feet front, 92 feet rear, and 147 feet deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as their portion of Clifford street outlet sewer No. 2,225, the sum of \$33.22, upon the payment of which, less discount, they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land. [Signed] WM. MAHER, V. FLECKENSTEIN, JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 16, 1883. }
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Ald. Bronson presented the petitions of E. H. Daniels, Loretta Murray, George Engert for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to assign to Mrs. Owen F. Fee the tax certificate of sale of lot number 87 in the Genesee Street Co-operative Building Association, on the south side of McLean street, assessed to Owen F. Fee and sold for the general city tax of 1873, she having paid into the city treasury the amount of said certificate with interest to date of payment. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson moved to reconsider the order for assessment for opening and extending Evergreen street. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the electric light be substituted for gas light in Plymouth avenue from West Main street to Clarissa street, and in Exchange street from the Erie depot to Clarissa street under the direction of the Lamp Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson presented a communication from the First Baptist church relating to taxes and moved it be referred to the Assessment Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of Peter Summerville for permission to erect a wood building and moved the petition be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Collins moved that the messenger be instructed to procure badges for the new members of the board. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the representatives of the city of Rochester in the Senate and Assembly be and they hereby are requested to introduce and urge the passage of the following act providing for the raising of \$15,000 for the erection of school buildings in the city of Rochester.

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he hereby is directed to forward a copy of said act and these resolutions to Senator Pitts and Assemblyman Healy.

An act to authorize the Common Council of the City of Rochester to raise money to enlarge and erect school buildings to relieve the overcrowded schools of said city;

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The Common Council of the City of Rochester is hereby authorized and empowered to raise, in addition to the amount authorized by the City Charter, for building purposes, fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of enlarging and erecting such school buildings to relieve the overcrowded schools of said city, as the said Common Council shall by resolution designate.

§ 2. Said amount of not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars shall be assessed and collected together with the other general city taxes for the next ensuing fiscal year.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately. Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of Peter Loysen and Margaret Hatrich for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved the petitions be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

President of the Board announced the following committees:

Church Street Assessment—Ald. Hinds, Foley, Southard, Strauss, Watson.

Communication of Genesee Valley Railroad Company to the Common Council—Ald. Foley, Bronson, Felsing.

Ald. Foley moved that the president of the board be added to the committee. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds moved that the president of the board be added to the Church street assessment committee. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds moved to adjourn. Adopted.
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—April 24, 1883.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Absent—Ald. Jeffords, Rice—2.

Ald. Bronson in the chair.

From the Mayor—

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 23, 1883.

Frank N. Lord, City Clerk:

Please call a special meeting of the Common Council, at the Council Chamber, for Tuesday, April 24th, at 7:30 P. M.

Subject: Genesee Valley Canal Railroad matters.
CORNELIUS R. PARSONS, Mayor.

Ald. Archer, from the Law Committee called up the following resolution, presented at the meeting held March 29th, 1883.

“By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby directed to institute such legal proceedings as may be necessary to fully protect the city's interests in the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, and to prevent the construction and maintenance of a slip or basin to be flowed with water from the Erie canal over any portion of said sewer now constructed in the bed of the abandoned Genesee Valley canal, in accordance with the communication of the Executive Board on that subject. Referred to the Law Committee. Adopted.”

By Ald. Archer.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The Law Committee to which was referred the resolution offered by Ald. Southard, relating to the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad Company, hereby report:

The communication on the subject of the resolution, presented to your Honorable Body by the Executive Board, at a recent meeting, contains such a full and accurate statement of the questions at issue, between the city and the company, that it is not deemed necessary, at this time, to recapitulate the same. Briefly, however, it may be said—the construction of a wall or bulkhead south of West avenue was certainly not contemplated by any one at the time the company entered into the contract with the city, and the sewer south of the Ohio basin was not, therefore, constructed so as to sustain the body of water which during several months of the year would be above it. In view of the fact that any failure in the matter would cause very great injury to that portion of the city drained by said sewer, and taking into account the fact that the work being done by the company is a direct violation of the provisions of the said contract, your committee is of the opinion that the railroad company should be prevented from carrying out their present plans, if possible, and therefore your committee recommends said resolution to your Honorable Board for such action as may be deemed proper.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,

Law Committee.

The communication from the Executive Board, received March 20th, 1883, and published at page 312, proceedings 1882-83, referred to in the above report, was read by the Clerk.

After hearing Mr. Holley, of the Executive Board, the City Attorney and others on the subject.

Ald. Foley moved that action on the resolution of Ald. Southard be postponed one week.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Foley, Hinds, Felsing—3.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—10.

The resolution directing the City Attorney to institute proceedings was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—12.

Nays—Ald. Hinds—1.

By unanimous consent Ald. Archer presented the following:

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the grade of North St. Paul street north of the bridge supporting the elevated tracks of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company be established on a direct line, forming a rising grade of about 1 foot in 32.9 feet, from the present grade of said street under the north line of said bridge to the present grade of said street as it now exists at the south line of Marietta street; also, that the grade of North St. Paul street south of said bridge be established as follows, viz: A rising grade of 1 foot in 30 feet, from the present grade of said street under the south line of said bridge to the north curb line of Atwater street; thence level across the roadway of Atwater street to the south curb line thereof; thence on a rising grade of 1 foot in 30 feet, from the south curb line of Atwater street to the intersection of said grade line with the present grade of North St. Paul street near River street. Adopted.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, April 27, 1883.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Feisinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Absent—Ald. Bronson, Archer—2.

Ald. Pitkin in the chair.

From the Mayor—

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, April 27th, 1883. }

Frank N. Lord, City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—Please call a special meeting of the Common Council at the Council chamber for Friday, April 27th, at 7:30 p. m.

Subject, Genesee Valley Canal Railroad matters.
CORNELIUS R. PARSONS, Mayor.

Ald. Foley moved the reconsideration of the following resolution adopted at a special meeting of the Common Council April 24, 1883.

“By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he hereby is directed to institute such legal proceedings as may be necessary to fully protect the city's interests in the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, and to prevent the construction and maintenance of a slip or basin to be flowed with water from the Erie canal over any portion of said sewer now constructed in the bed of the abandoned Genesee Valley Canal, in accordance with the communication of the Executive Board on that subject. Referred to the Law Committee. Adopted.”

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Feisinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Nays—Ald. Barron—1.

After hearing from Mr. Holley of the Executive Board, the City Attorney and Mr. F. S. Smith, attorney for the railroad company and others on the subject, Ald. Hinds presented the following communication from James Shanahan, Superintendent of Public Works, and moved it be received, filed and published. Adopted.

[Copy.]

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 18, 1883. }

F. S. Smith, Esq., Attorney, etc., Angelica, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR: As attorney of the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad Company, I desire through you to call the attention of the company to the agreement executed by the company and the State Engineer and Surveyor and the Superintendent of Public Works on the 8th day of November, 1881, for extending the Ohio basin in the city of Rochester. Parties desiring to do business on the basin have been precluded from their rights and privileges during the season of navigation by reason of the failure and neglect of the company to perform the work required. I desire and shall insist that the company complete the construction of the bulkhead and the concreting of the prism of the canal, as required by the terms of the agreement, before the opening of navigation this spring that the temporary dam at the junction of the basin and Erie canal may be removed.

Please call the attention of your company to this matter promptly. I have communicated with you, as the names and residences of the officers of the company are unknown to me.

Yours truly,
JAMES SHANAHAN,
Superintendent of Public Works.

By Ald. Hind—

This agreement made this eighth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, between the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad Company, a corporation duly created and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York, party of the first part, and Silas Seymour, as State Engineer and Surveyor, and Silas B. Dutcher as Superintendent of Public Works, of the State of New York, parties of the second part,

Witnesseth, Whereas, on the third day of September, A. D. 1881, Silas B. Dutcher as Superintendent of Public Works, one of the parties of the second part hereto, duly executed under his hand and official seal, a permit to the party of the first part to construct, build, maintain and operate its railroad, upon and along that portion of the banks and prism of the Genesee Valley canal from the point where the Allen creek feeder enters the same near Scottsville, in the county of Monroe and State aforesaid, to a point about two and thirty-two one hundredths miles southerly from the Erie canal in the city of Rochester, and from said point last above specified to the said banks of said canal, and into and through the prism thereof, to the Ohio Basin north of West avenue, in the city of Rochester, county of Monroe and State aforesaid. Subject, nevertheless, to the performance of certain conditions therein specified, and subject also to certain conditions set forth in and made a part of the application executed by the said party of the first part and upon which said permit was granted as aforesaid, and subject further to the execution of a contract between said railroad company and the State Engineer and Surveyor and the Superintendent of Public Works of the State of New York, in accordance with chapter 666 of the laws of 1881, and subject further to the payment by said railroad company to the State of New York, of such sum as should thereafter be fixed by appraisers to be duly appointed by the supreme court as the value of such permission.

And, whereas, appraisers were duly appointed by the supreme court of the State of New York in a proceeding to obtain the appraisal of the value of the use of said canal lands under said permission.

And, whereas, the said appraisers duly qualified as such and entered upon the discharge of their duties and awarded a certain sum to the State of New York to be paid by the said railroad company as the value of such use of said canal land under said permit.

And, whereas, the findings and award made by said appraisers was thereafter duly ratified and confirmed by the supreme court.

And, whereas, The sum of money so awarded has been duly paid by the said railroad company to the State of New York.

Now, therefore, this agreement witnesseth, that in accordance with chapter 666 of the laws of 1881, and in consideration of the premises, and one dollar to it paid by the said parties of the second part, the said party of first part hereby covenants and agrees with said parties of the second part as follows, to wit:

First—The said party of the first part shall pay at its own cost and expense, and shall thereafter keep and maintain a cut from a point in said Genesee Valley Canal about two and thirty-two one hundredths miles southerly from the junction of the said Genesee Valley Canal with the Erie Canal across the Genesee river, for the purpose of conveying the waters of said Allen's creek into said Genesee river feeder.

Second—The said party of the first part shall also at its own cost and expense, enlarge said Genesee river

feeder, so that the same may convey the waters conducted thereto by said pipe, in addition to the waters of said Genesee river now conveyed thereby.

Third—The said party of the first part shall also construct at its own cost and expense, a wall or bulkhead in and across the prism of said canal, at a point four hundred and ninety-five feet southerly from the so-called Ohio basin in said city of Rochester, of sufficient strength to retain water of a navigable depth within said basin and shall also, after the completion of the sewer which the city of Rochester is now constructing beneath the prism of said canal, at its own cost and expense, properly concrete over the rubble arch of said sewer and otherwise cement the prism of said canal between said basin and said proposed wall or bulkhead, so as to retain water of a navigable depth within said basin and that portion of said canal lying between the basin and said proposed bulkhead, without injury to said sewer as constructed by the City of Rochester. To the end that that portion of said canal lying between the Erie canal or bulkhead, including the said Ohio basin, may, under the supervision and control of the Superintendent of Public Works, be retained in navigable condition as a part of the Erie canal, and for the purpose of interchange of business between said Erie canal and the railroad of the party of the first part.

Fourth—The said wall or bulkhead when so constructed, and that portion of said canal when so concreted and cemented, shall thereafter be maintained at the expense of said party of the first part, and any changes, modifications or alterations thereof required by the Superintendent of Public Works for protecting the free and perfect use of said canal and basin for navigation purposes, shall be performed by said party of the first part at its own cost and expense and without recourse to the State in any event.

Fifth—The said party of the first part shall in no wise fill up the prism of the canal to be used as a feeder, so as to interfere with the flow of water from Allen's creek to the point in the said canal hereinbefore specified.

Sixth—The said party of the first part shall not lower the banks of the said canal before laying its tracks thereon.

Seventh—The said party of the first part shall at its own cost and expense make suitable road crossings wherever its railroad shall cross said canal, and farm crossings wherever the farmers have had or are entitled to such crossings, such crossings to be as high as the top of the road of the track of the said party of the first part.

Eighth—The said party of the first part shall, at its own cost and expense, construct stone abutments in said canal, using the stone of the berm abutments of the present bridges as far as they go, said abutments to be given nine feet span in the clear for the passage of the water, and such bridges shall be covered with plank, and said party of the first part shall complete in a workmanlike manner all road and farm crossings, including the bridges thereof, which the said party of the first part has commenced.

Ninth—The said party of the first part shall always keep said crossings and bridges in repair at its own cost and expense.

Tenth—The said party of the first part shall at its own cost and expense construct and hereafter maintain all bridges over that portion of said Genesee Valley canal, extending from the village of Scottsville to the said Ohio basin in the city of Rochester, and shall also repair and hereafter maintain all culverts, waste weirs and other structures as at present constructed, or as may be necessary in the future for maintaining that portion of said canal for feeder purposes.

Eleventh—All work herein authorized and required shall be done under the supervision of the assistant superintendent of public works and the division engineers of the western division of the canal upon plans and specifications approved by the State Engineer and the Superintendent of Public Works, and the salary of any inspector for said work, selected by the Superintendent of Public Works, shall be paid by said party of the first part, and the work shall be done at such times as the Superintendent of Public Works shall direct, and as said party of the first part shall not use or perfect use of said canal and basin, or endanger the lives or property of those engaged in repairing, operating or navigating the same, and said party of the first part shall also save the State of New York harmless from any and all damages and costs arising from performing the work herein required.

In witness whereof the parties of the second part have herewith set their hands and caused their respective official seals to be hereunto affixed, and the party of the first part hath caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, duly attested, and these presents to be subscribed by its president and secretary the day and year first above written.

The Genesee Valley Canal Railroad Company by Archer N. Martin, President.

CHARLES E. KIMBALL, Sec'y. [L. s.]
S. SEYMOUR,
State Engineer and Surveyor.
S. B. DUTCHER, [L. s.]
Superintendent of Public Works.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
City and County of New York, } ss.

On this eighth day of November, in the year of our Lord 1882, before me came Archer N. Martin and Charles E. Kimball, to be known, who being by me duly sworn, each each for himself did depose and say that the said Archer N. Martin is the President, and the said Charles E. Kimball is the Secretary of the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad Company, the corporation described in and which executed the foregoing agreement; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of the said company, and was thereto affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said company, and that they respectively signed their names thereto by the like authority.

[L. s.] JOHN D. REYNOLDS,
Notary Public Kings County.

Certificate filed in New York County.
Certificate of William A. Butler, Clerk of the City and County of New York, stating that John D. Reynolds has filed in the Clerk's office of the County of New York a certified copy of his appointment as Notary Public for the County of Kings.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—

Specifications for the manner of concreting over the rubble arch of the Genesee Valley Canal Sewer for a distance of four hundred and ninety-five (495) feet south of the Ohio Basin and of proposed bulkhead wall at south end of same.

1st. The earth and other materials over and at the sides of the Rubble arch shall be carefully removed.

2d. The brick of the arch and the side walls of the excavation shall be thoroughly cleaned by scraping, and shall also be scrubbed off with water and a brush.

If the same is considered necessary by the Division Engineer.

3d. The space at the sides, and over the arch, shall then be filled with cement to a height of one foot and nine inches above the crown of the arch.

The concrete shall be composed of lime stone, broken to such size as will enable them to be passed through a ring of two (2) inches in Diameter. The stone shall be washed perfectly clean from all dirt and loam. Three parts of such stone shall be mixed by measure with one part of cement mortar composed of two (2) parts of clean sharp washed sand mixed by measure with one (1) part of Portland cement.

The stone and mortar so prepared shall be thoroughly mixed by being turned over three times.

4th. The concrete shall be covered with a coating of three (3) inches of cement mortar proportioned as for the mortar for the concrete, thoroughly mixed together and spread over the surface of the concrete.

5th. From the top of the above mentioned cement mortar to the top of the rock the side walls of the rock excavation shall be arouted up so as to exclude the water from the seams, in the following manner: boards shall be laid up in a slanting manner so as to give six (6) inches space; this space shall be filled in with grout made by mixing two (2) parts by measure of clear sharp sand to one (1) part of Portland cement. The earth shall then be backed, filled over the concrete and between the grouting to the bottom of the canal.

Connections with the present lateral sewers shall be thoroughly secured and made water tight.

6th. An inspector shall be appointed by the Superintendent of Public Works and shall be paid by the Genesee Valley Railroad Company.

The directions of this inspector shall be implicitly complied with.

The Assistant Superintendent of Public Works or the Division Engineer, shall at all times have the power to discharge from off the work, any contractor, foreman, or workman, who shall fail to comply with the requirements of the said inspector or the Assistant Engineer under whose charge the work is to be done.

7th. The Portland cement shall be the brand O. F. Alsen & Son, or, if that is not to be procured then the Sterling brand.

SPECIFICATIONS.

For the masonry of the bulkhead at the south end of the extension of the Ohio basin the wall shall be built of good sound lime stone not less than six (6) inches in thickness, which shall have parallel beds of not less than four (4) square feet. They shall be laid on their best or most level bed, the edges on the front of the wall shall be pitched to a straight line, the vertical and horizontal joints shall not exceed one half (1/2) an inch in thickness. This masonry shall be started on the concrete on the top of arch and shall extend

to a height of two (2) feet above the level of the water in the Erie canal. The concrete over the rubble arch shall extend for a distance of three feet south of the rear of this wall. It shall be connected at each end with the rock, and if the rock does not extend to the height of two (2) feet above the level of the water in the Erie canal, then the wall shall extend for a distance of five (5) feet beyond the front edge of the rock. Beyond the ends of the wall thus laid two (2) rows of sheet piling shall be driven on each end thereof far a sufficient distance back from the canal to ensure that the water shall not get around the end of the same. There shall be a waste-weir constructed in this wall, which shall have a pipe connecting with the sewer below.

This pipe shall be sixteen (16) inches in diameter. It shall have a branch which shall communicate with the water in the basin two (2) feet below its surface, which shall have a cover capable of being removed, a plan for which shall be furnished by the Division Engineer.

The bottom of the sewer shall have a flat stone of suitable size for this water to fall upon so as to not tear out the brick inner.

The side walls of the sewer shall also be relaid with suitable stone masonry, if thought to be of not sufficiently good quality to withstand the fall of the water for such a length as may be directed by the Division Engineer.

A suitable man-hole into the sewer shall be left at such distance as may be required on the south side of the wall and secured by masonry to the surface of the ground and a cast-iron cover, such as is used in other places leading into said sewer, shall be placed over the same.

The coping of the wall shall not be less than sixteen (16) inches in thickness; that of the waste weir shall be bush-hamed on top, so as to present an even surface for the flow of the water over it.

The whole shall be laid in cement mortar composed of (2) two parts, by measure, of good, clean, sharp sand, mixed with one part of Buffalo cement, also by measure, which shall be thoroughly mixed together in small quantities at a time, so as to be used in the work twenty (20) minutes after the mixing thereof.

The coping and waste weir shall be laid with Portland cement in the same proportions as above.

The earth filling at the back of the wall shall be puddled for a width of three (3) feet; this shall extend to the end of the street piling.

The whole shall be built according to the plan attached hereto, and after the directions which may be given from time to time by the Division Engineer during the progress of the work.

State Engineer and Surveyor.

Superintendent of Public Works.

THOMAS EVERSHED, Division Engineer.
Rochester, Nov. 14, 1883.

Ordered received, filed and published.
ceived, filed and published. Adopted.

Ald. Foley renewed his motion to indefinitely postpone.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Kelly, Simmelink—7.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead—7.

Ald. Barron moved that the said resolution be adopted.

Ald. Hinds moved to amend that no action be taken by the City Attorney until instructed by the Common Council.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Kelly, Simmelink—7.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Watson, Strouss, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead—7.

Ald. Kelly moved that when the Board adjourn it adjourn until Saturday April 28, 1883, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., and that the City Surveyor be instructed to consult with two competent engineers in regard to the safety of said sewer and report to the Council, and the clerk to notify the City Surveyor. Adopted.

Ald. Foley moved that that the Executive Board be added.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Nays—Ald. Barron—1.

Ald. Felsing moved to adjourn. Adopted.
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

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In Common Council, April 28, 1883.

ADJOURNED SPECIAL MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly.—14.

Absent—Ald. Rice, Simmelink—2.
Ald. Kelly in the chair.

The report of the City Surveyor in relation to the condition of the Genesee Valley canal sewer being in order, City Surveyor Peacock reported that in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Common Council he had made a thorough examination of the inside of the sewer and found the structure in good condition, with the exception of a piece of bench wall 8 feet in length located in the east side of the sewer near the intersection of West avenue sewer. This wall was cracked, bulged out and was considered safe. With this exception the structure was considered strong enough to bear a dead load many times heavier than the weight of water to be placed over it, but until water had been let on to that portion of the sewer it was impossible to tell whether leakages would occur or not and to what extent the stability of the sewer would be impaired from the effects therefrom.

The following communication was read by the Clerk:

NEW YORK STATE CANALS,
ENGINEER'S DEP'T, WESTERN DIVISION, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 27, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—As there seems to be a diversity of opinion in regard to the strength of the concreting over the arch of the sewer south of West avenue, and as the same was done under specifications drawn up by myself, I beg leave to submit to your honorable body the following paper on the subject.

Very respectfully

Your obedient servant,

THOMAS EVERSHED,
Division Engineer.

The covering of concrete over that portion of the sewer south of the Ohio basin, recently done by the G. V. C. R. R. Co., is one foot and nine inches in depth over the top of the arch. It is composed of broken stone, sand and the best brand of Portland cement, one of cement to seven of stone and sand. The top of the concrete and the side walls of the rock are plastered with cement mortar three inches thick, composed of two parts of clean sharp sand to one of cement. The covering of concrete on that portion of the sewer built by the city last summer under the Ohio basin was composed of broken stone and common Buffalo cement, in proportions of one of cement to seventeen of stone and sand. The covering of cement mortar in this case was three inches thick, composed of two of sand and one of cement, which was afterwards supplemented by a covering of plank to make it perfectly water tight. The side walls of the rock were grouted to make them tight. The relative strength of the cement is

as three to one in favor of the Portland cement over the Buffalo common cement. So that the strength of the concrete over that portion of the sewer recently done by the railroad company is at least eight times that of the concrete used by the city under the Ohio basin, saying nothing about the superiority of the sand used by the railroad company, which is particularly clean and sharp over that used by the city, which is mixed with loam. So that if that portion of the sewer is strong enough under the Ohio basin that portion south of it certainly must be so. The concrete in both cases surrounding the arch below, whether of brick or stone, forms a secondary arch, which, with its thrust upon the side walls of the immovable rock, is quite sufficient to sustain many times the pressure which will ever be brought upon it by the weight of the water in the canal or basin above it, and will relieve the arch below of any pressure beyond its strength to bear. I can bear testimony that the arch south of the Ohio basin was much stronger than the appearance would lead one to suppose, as was proven by the strength shown by the cement used when it was broken into where the cross wall was erected at the south end. I consider that in either case it is strong enough to sustain very many times the weight which will ever be brought upon it, and every precaution has been taken in each case to make it perfectly water tight.

THOS. EVERSHED,
Division Engineer.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Mr. Radenhurst, the engineer in charge, was heard in relation to the manner in which the work was performed.

Ald. Archer called up the following and moved the adoption thereof:

"By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby directed to institute such legal proceedings as may be necessary to fully protect the city's interests in the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, and to prevent the construction and maintenance of a slip or basin to be flowed with water from the Erie canal over any portion of said sewer now constructed in the bed of the abandoned Genesee Valley Canal, in accordance with the communication of the Executive Board on that subject."

Ald. Hinds moved to indefinitely postpone.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Foley, Hinds, Felsinger, Kelly—4.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead—10.

Ald. Hinds moved that the City Attorney be directed to take no action until instructed by the Common Council.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsinger, Kelly—6.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead—8.

The resolution of Ald. Southard, on motion of Ald. Archer, was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead—10.

Nays—Ald. Jeffords, Hinds, Felsinger, Kelly—4.

By Ald. Archer—Whereas, The City Surveyor has reported that the portion

of the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer laid in the bottom of the prism of the Genesee Valley Canal in that part south of the south end of the Ohio basin is unsafe, and that water thereon to a navigable depth would be liable to cause said portion of said sewer to give way; therefore

Resolved, That the Executive Board be and is hereby directed to construct forthwith a temporary dam or bulkhead at the north or south end of the Ohio basin, as in their judgment may seem best, to prevent the inflow of water from the Erie Canal upon the abandoned Genesee Valley Canal.

Ald. Foley moved to amend by striking out the words "or south."

Accepted by Ald. Archer.

The resolution as amended was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsinger, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—13.

Nays—Ald. Hinds—1.

On motion of Ald. Foley the Board then adjourned. FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—April 30th, 1883

SPECIAL MEETING.

Alderman Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Absent—Ald. Bronson, Felsinger—2.

Ald. Kelly in the chair.

From the Mayor—

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., April 30, 1883. }

Frank N. Lord, City Clerk:

Please call a special meeting of the Common Council for 9 o'clock this A. M., for the purpose of considering matters relative to the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS, Mayor.

The City Attorney was called for and made a statement relating to the injunction and other legal points.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That the Executive Board be, and it hereby is directed to construct a temporary dam at the South end of the Ohio basin for the purpose of preventing the inflow of water south of the south line of said basin, and the Executive Board is hereby directed to remove the dam north of the Pittsburg tracks when directed so to do by the State officials, but not before the construction of the dam at the south end of the Ohio basin.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Ald. Archer moved to adjourn. Adopted.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, May 1st, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meetings held April 17th, 24th, 27th, 28th and 30th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of H. F. Davis for relief for damages sustained from a fall on Center street. Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance for cleaning and repairing the sewer in Findle alley from the sewer in Allen street to near West Main street. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of
 George F. Flannery, printing..... \$12 00
 M. Heavy, livery..... 15 00
 W. L. Buckland, carriage hire..... 4 00
 W. R. Lansing, stenographer's services..... 6 00
 T. R. Griffith, 20 00
 C. E. Morris, stationery..... 272 70
 S. W. Stott, serving notices..... 13 00
 Jackson & Burleigh, stationery..... 21 75
 L. Ernst & Son, supplies Surveyor's office..... 46 10

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petitions of Charles R. Smith, W. W. Gilbert, Michael M. Keenan and William H. Sterns for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented a petition for water in Erin street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Archer presented a petition for widening North St. Paul street from Division street to Franklin street, and moved that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance for the improvement of North St. Paul street from the north line of the railroad bridge to the south line of Marietta street. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of
 Citizens' Gas Co., blind caps..... \$ 2 30
 Citizens' Gas Co., lighting for April..... 2 415 00
 Municipal Gas Co., lighting Goodman st..... 82 50
 Rochester Gas Co., lighting for April..... 1 722 29
 J. W. Maser, lighting oil lamps for April..... 994 82

Referred to the Lamp Committee

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of B. McFarlin and the Union View Co., to erect wood buildings on Troup and Front streets, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for water mains in Marion street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Hinds presented a petition for water mains in Third and Rowe streets. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Hinds presented a communication from Mary A. Frothingham in relation to sewerage over her lands. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of Mrs. S. L. Howard for permission to erect a wood building on Frank street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petitions of Hiram Sibley and John Orchard for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented the petitions of George Bentley and Wm. Paper for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Rice—Bills of
 M. Heavy, board of horse..... \$20 00
 Jerome Keyes, supt. collection garbage..... 87 50
 F. Bradley, collecting garbage..... 287 50
 Daniel Hickey 237 50
 Jacob Rauber 118 75

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of August Schorer for permission to move a wood building and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Southard presented petitions for pipe sewers in Sellinger and Weeger streets and moved that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare ordinances for the same. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of
 J. G. Lavis & Son, flour..... \$ 144 25
 Hunn & Milliman, burials..... 13 00
 N. Thompson, disbursements..... 36 94
 P. Connaughton, groceries..... 4 00
 Anthony Blehl, 8 00
 J. C. Gray, 9 75
 J. C. Gray, 26 00
 T. J. Kenning, 13 75
 T. J. Kenning, 13 75
 T. J. Kenning, 6 00
 C. W. Gra., 277 83
 Ann Coyle, board..... 4 76
 B. O'Reilly, burials..... 57 50
 Aug. Witzel, bread..... 26 32
 C. E. Bowen, rent..... 15 25
 H. H. Edgerton, rent..... 45 00
 E. L. Thomas, rent..... 10 00
 John Curran, meat..... 25 00
 M. McDonald, meat..... 25 00
 O'Kane Bros., meat..... 89 39
 Jos. Meyers, meat..... 25 00
 John A. Selner, jr., medicines..... 10 00
 M. Heavey, transportation..... 20 00

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petitions of Isaac Hagreen and William Oliver for permission to erect wood buildings on Delevan street and University avenue and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of
 Smith, Perkins & Co., matches..... \$ 8 10
 E. B. Rundle, tube cleaner..... 3 00
 Municipal Gas Co., gas city buildings..... 187 35
 C. W. Ashman, soap..... 4 00
 Hamilton & Mathews, step ladders..... 7 00
 Hart & Maher, labor and material city bldg's. 5 85

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented petitions of Mary Metzinger, Mary Fliegel and Adam Wyman for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented petitions for water mains in Childs and Aves streets. Referred to the water works committee and Executive Board.

Also the petition of Thomas Dransfield. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition to allow the Rochester City & Brighton Railroad Co. to operate a horse railroad in Lyell avenue.

By Ald. Kelly—
 ROCHESTER CITY & BRIGHTON R.R. Co., }
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1, 1883. }
 To the Honorable the Common Council of the city of Rochester:
 The Rochester City & Brighton Railroad Company respectfully ask permission of your honorable body to

lay tracks from the corner of State and Lyell streets through Lyell street to Warner street.

P. BARRY, President.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That consent and permission be, and is, hereby granted the Rochester City and Brighton Railroad Company to lay, operate, and maintain, street railway tracks from the present line of tracks on State street, through Lyell street to Warner street.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for water mains in University avenue and Alexander street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for stone sewer in Bay street. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for plank walks on Bernhard and Jennings streets. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Susan E. Pulver. Referred to the Law Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, Ald. Felsing from the Poor Committee, and Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, reported favorably on the bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the claim of George Lawson, for damages, hereby reports:

The said claimant alleges that while passing along the sidewalk in the vicinity of Washington square, in January last, in consequence of the defective and slippery condition of the sidewalk, he fell, receiving severe injuries. Your committee is of the opinion that the walk at the point complained of was not defective, and that there was no negligence on the part of the officers having charge of the sidewalks, and therefore reports adversely to the payment of the said claim.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
ELIAS STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the claim of James H. Morehouse, hereby reports:

It appears that on or about the 15th day of March last, Mr. Morehouse was passing along the sidewalk on Plymouth avenue, near the corner of Francis street, and that by reason of the defective condition of the sidewalk at that point, he fell and received the severe injuries of which he complains. Your committee, in company with the City Attorney and the City Surveyor, visited the locality of the accident, examined the same carefully and heard the statements of all parties familiar with the facts. Your committee also went to the house of Mr. Morehouse and made a personal examination as to the injuries received by him.

From the investigation made your committee is of the opinion that the claim should be settled, if the same can be without litigation. The sidewalk in the vicinity of the locality named is, and for a long time has been, in a very defective condition. At the place where the accident occurred there was a hole in the sidewalk at least one foot across, extending the width of the sidewalk and about one foot deep. Witnesses testified that the notice required by the charter was, some time before the accident duly given as to the condition of the walk, but the necessary repairs were not made. It further appears that the owner of the

lot is a non-resident of the State and of very doubtful responsibility; so that a recovery of such non-resident owner by the city, in the event of the litigation being adverse to the city, would be of little avail.

The injuries sustained by the claimant were certainly very serious ones. He has not, since the accident, been able to leave his bed, and from the statements made by the physicians attending him, will not be for a long time to come.

For the foregoing reasons your committee reports in favor of paying the sum of \$400 in full of all claims against the city in the premises.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
ELIAS STROUSS,
Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of James H. Morehouse in full of his claim against the city of Rochester for damages for personal injuries sustained on Plymouth avenue walk in March last, upon there being filed with the City Attorney a satisfaction and discharge of said claim against the city to be approved by him, and charge contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

Your Law Committee, to which was referred the petition of Edwin Taylor, asking that he be repaid the amount of alleged erroneous assessments paid to the City Treasurer by Porter Taylor, father of the petitioner, hereby reports:

That from 1867 to 1871 inclusive, Edwin Taylor was the owner of lot 34 on the west side of Litchfield street, in the Perkins and Schermerhorn tract, and during the same time Wm. S. Thompson was the owner of the adjoining lot, No. 35. That from 1867 to 1871 inclusive the taxes on lot 35 were erroneously assessed to Edwin Taylor and were by him paid. That the amounts so erroneously paid by said Taylor were as follows:

For general city tax, 1867	\$11 42
.. .. 1868	13 95
.. .. 1869	16 75
.. .. 1870	15 50
.. .. 1871	15 14
Litchfield street sewer, 1871.....	39 90
	\$112 66

In view of the facts your committee recommends that the taxes and assessments on the above mentioned lot from 1867 to 1871 inclusive, be refunded to Mr. Taylor.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
ELIAS STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

by Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Edwin Taylor \$112.66, being the amount of taxes erroneously assessed to Edwin Taylor on lot 35, on the west side of Litchfield street, during the years 1867, 1868, 1869, 1870 and 1871.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Law Committee has had brought before it by the City Attorney the questions relating to the action brought by Gregor Frank against The City of Rochester. This action was brought some three years ago and was tried by Mr. Fanning during his term of office. The jury gave a verdict for \$800 in favor of the plaintiff. The action was brought to recover damages on account of the overflow of a sewer into the plaintiff's premises, ten thousand dollars damages being claimed. It is necessary that

some action should be taken at this time for the purpose of determining whether the case shall be settled or carried to the General Term. Your committee believes that there is little if any chance of obtaining a new trial. The plaintiff will deduct \$140 from his claim if settled now, making the amount, including costs, \$30. Your committee recommends that the action be settled on this basis, as it is probably more favorable to the city than can be hereafter obtained.

Geo. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
ELIAS STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of Raines Brothers, attorneys for the plaintiff in the action Gregor Frank vs. the City of Rochester, in full of the plaintiff's claim for damages and costs in said action upon there being filed with the City Attorney a satisfaction and discharge of the said claim for damages and charge contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The Lamp Committee to which was referred the resolution for the extension of the electric light through West avenue report favorably, and recommend that the Mayor be and hereby is directed to include West avenue, from the Genesee Valley canal bridge to the city line in the contract for electric lighting.

Your committee also recommend that further extension of electric light be discontinued until July 1st, as the present contract will then expire, and the extension already ordered will not be completed before that date.

All of which if respectfully submitted:
C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
J. A. HINDS,
Committee.

Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Mary Castleman for permission to erect a wood building on Tracy park, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of F. W. Hartwell for relief for damages alleged to have been sustained by obstructions in Caledonia avenue. Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Rice—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The frame barn in the rear of the City Hotel, on the corner of S. St Paul and Court st., was destroyed by fire in the month of Sept., 1882, the charred frame of said barn is still standing, and on an examination of the premises this morning the interior is found to be in a dreadful filthy condition. The gates to the yard appear to be continually open and the place is not only dangerous from fire, but is in danger of falling down and injuring persons and property. Mr. Boughton, the owner, has had permission from the former Committee of the Council on Wood Buildings to reconstruct said barn by building a brick wall on the south side thereof, but he has not done so, claiming he should have permission to rebuild of wood.

All of which is respectfully submitted,
WM. CARROLL, Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the Fire Marshal notify the owners of said dangerous and charred frame barn to take down the same within ten days or rebuild in a substantial manner under the direction of the Fire Marshal and in case of failure on the part of Mr. Boughton to comply with this resolution then the Fire Marshal is authorized to take down said dangerous, charred and unsightly frame and remove the same and the filth and cleanse the premises, and report the expense to the Common Council to be assessed on the premises or

collected of the owner as per section No. 223 of the revised city charter, Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That Thomas Goulding, Maloy & Co., John C. Ryan, Mrs. H. Billingshurst, Mary Parkhurst and F. A. Brackett have permission to build frame buildings, under the direction of the Committee on Wood Buildings and Fire Marshal.

Also, that Christ. Waump and John Daniby have permission to move frame buildings as per their petitions, under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That O'Kane Brothers have permission to erect a wooden awning on their building, corner of Bartlett and Reynolds streets. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That Herman Lehman be and he hereby is granted permission to maintain a business sign in the rear of the building occupied by him corner of Clinton and Atwater streets, which sign extends ten feet or more above the sidewalk and to the curbstone, and that the City Attorney be and he hereby is directed to discontinue proceedings against said Lehman therefor. Adopted.

Ald. Foley moved that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance for an outlet sewer for the south end of the eighth ward. Adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR APRIL, 1883.

Cornelius R. Parsons, Mayor.....	\$250 00
Ambrose C. McGlachiein, Treasurer.....	375 00
H. F. McGlachiein, assistant.....	166 66
John Tracy, clerk.....	100 00
Frank Kondolf, clerk.....	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	75 00
C. H. Stillwell, City Treasurer's office.....	100 00
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	166 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger.....	100 00
Chas. M. Beattie, assistant.....	50 00
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 32
John Garton, City Assessor.....	208 32
Wm. Maher.....	208 32
V. Fleckenstein.....	208 32
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warner.....	150 00
W. K. Chandler, Clerk.....	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	25 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. W. Race.....	75 00
Ambrose Redman.....	60 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	70 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney.....	250 00
John M. Winslow, milk inspector.....	66 66
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevated tracks.....	140 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	70 00
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's Office.....	45 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Steele & Avery, stationery.....	\$ 120 40
John N. Beckley, disbursements.....	96 25
A. P. Little, caligraph.....	85 00
John C. Moore, binding, &c.....	94 50
John F. Kinney, searching and indexing mortgages.....	40 00
R. M. Maseeth, hack hire.....	3 00
C. H. Morse, repairing city seal.....	3 75
G. P. Bailey, seal press Mayor's office.....	6 00
Wm. Whitehair, hack hire.....	2 00
J. F. O'Neil, printing blanks.....	16 50
W. L. Buckland, livery.....	2 00
B. L. Sheldon, lunch April 27th, \$6.00, May 1st, \$15.00.....	21 00
City Clerk, disbursements.....	27 30
And charge that fund.....	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR APRIL, 1883.

N. Thompson, overseer.....	\$ 141 66
J. H. McGregor, Clerk.....	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk.....	75 00

Geo. Hartel, Clerk.....	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk.....	75 00
Dr. J. J. A Burke, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. A. L Pery, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Thos. Spencer, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Henry Koch, City Physician.....	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner.....	75 00
C. Herzberger.....	75 00
James P. Evans.....	75 00
Maurice Mownihan, clerk.....	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Industrial School, board.....	\$ 429 94
Home of Friendless, board.....	78 00
Bridget Lavis, board.....	15 00
A. H. Martin, groceries.....	32 50
C. T. Marks, groceries.....	21 25
J. D. Whipple & Co., beans.....	57 37
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	685 75
Peter Kleinhans, meat.....	25 00
Casper Fromm, meat.....	25 00
Geo. Oppell, bread.....	20 68
Frank Rogers, groceries.....	26 00
M. Heavey, horse and ambulance.....	6 00
James F. O'Neil, printing.....	17 50
Mary Welst, rent.....	6 00
Sophia Brock, rent.....	8 00
William Knight, rent.....	7 00
And charge that fund.....	8 00

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Chas. Little, monthly cleaning for May.....\$	88 00
Municipal Gas Co., month of March.....	262 32
John Nazle, sealing for City Sealer.....	25 00
Wm. Moran, galvanized measures.....	6 00
Town of Brighton, school tax.....	4 06
Edward Enrich, salary for care of clocks for 8 mos, ending May 1st.....	78 13
And charge that fund.....	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care for April.....	2,415 00
blind caps.....	2 31
Rochester " lighting and care for April.....	1 722 22
J. W. Maser " oil lamps do.....	994 89
Municipal Gas Co. " for April.....	32 58
And charge that fund.....	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR APRIL, 1883.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer.....\$	75 00
Geo. Messinger, Register.....	66 66
John M. Harder, Inspector.....	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
John Galvin, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Schuey, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Heindol, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	58 33
Thos. Plunkett, sewer flusher.....	50 00
Joseph Thompson.....	89 60
A. C. Parson, Inspector.....	50 00
Messenger.....	33 33

MISCELLANEOUS.

P. Bradley, collection of garbage, April.....\$	237 50
D. Hickey " ".....	237 50
J. Rauber " ".....	118 75
J. Keyes, Supt. " ".....	87 50
M. Heavey, board of horse.....	20 00
And charge that fund.....	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR APRIL, 1883.

A. G. Wheeler, Police Justice salary for Ap'l.....\$	900 00
Fred. Zimmer, Police Commissioner.....	83 33
Jacob Howe Jr. Police Commissioner.....	83 33
Alex. M'Lean.....	130 00
Ferry Marzluft.....	85 00
Samuel Brown.....	85 00
Thos. Lynch.....	85 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.....	85 00
P. C. Kavanaugh.....	85 00
Thos. A. Burchell.....	85 00
Henry Baker.....	85 00
Chas. M' Cormick.....	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth.....	85 00
John C. Hieson.....	85 00
John H. Dana.....	75 00
Wm. H. White.....	75 00
Ed. Van Vorst.....	75 00
Thos. Dukelow.....	75 00
John C. M'Quatters, 28 days.....	70 00
Fred. Griebel.....	75 00
John M. Reis.....	75 00
W. R. M'Arthur.....	75 00
Frank B. Allen.....	85 00
Hugh Clark.....	75 00
Jacob Frank.....	75 00
Thos. Crouch.....	75 00
John Wangman.....	75 00
John Monaghan, 9 days.....	22 50
Geo. Hoffner.....	75 00

Chas. Siefert.....	75 00
Frank S. Skuse.....	75 00
George Long, 29 days.....	72 50
Daniel Goukling.....	106 00
Hugh Johnston.....	105 00
Joseph P. Cleary.....	85 00
Wm. Keith.....	85 00
Benj. C. Furtherer.....	85 00
Nicholas J. Loos.....	75 00
John E. Davis.....	85 00
Mich. Hyland.....	75 00
Oliver Oliver.....	75 00
Ralph Bendon.....	75 00
Andrew Connolly.....	75 00
Robt. Burns.....	75 00
Jacob Harter, 28 days.....	75 00
Wm. P. O'Neil, 28 days.....	70 00
John Mitchell.....	75 00
Ed. McDonough.....	75 00
Jos. St. Hellen.....	75 00
Wm. M'Kevey.....	75 00
Robt. M'Kee.....	75 00
Michael Brady.....	75 00
Chas. E. Fowier.....	75 00
Robert Sioaft, 29 days.....	72 50
John Dean.....	75 00
Samuel Schwartz.....	75 00
Jas. J. Johnson.....	75 00
Wm. Burgess.....	75 00
James P. Flynn.....	75 00
Michael Cain.....	75 00
Charles W. Peart, 29 days.....	72 50
Chas. Hart.....	75 00
Wm. Laragy.....	75 00
Michael Hayes.....	75 00
Henry D. Showe, 29 days.....	72 50
Louis Nold.....	75 00
Peter Hess.....	75 00
Oliver A. Youle.....	75 00
Frederick Kipphut.....	75 00
Hiram Rogers, 14 days.....	85 00
Joseph Baker.....	75 00
John E. McDermott.....	75 00
Patk. J. Cummings.....	75 00
Benj. L. Stetson, 29 days.....	72 50
Patk. Caulfield.....	75 00
Patk. Culligan.....	75 00
Jerome P. Dowd, 27 days.....	87 50
Wm. Murray.....	75 00
Michael Engler.....	75 00
Jonn Sullivan.....	75 00
John A. Baird.....	75 00
Dennis Hogan.....	75 00
James E. Ryan.....	75 00
John Yaman.....	75 00
Geo. E. Zimmerman.....	75 00
Geo. E. Krown.....	75 00
George Lise, 29 days.....	72 50
Henry Baker, Jr.....	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick.....	75 00
Wm Hillard, 29 days.....	72 50
Fred'k Walter.....	75 00
Ed. O'Loughlin.....	75 00
John Blazer.....	75 00
George Mohr, 28 days.....	72 50
John A. Wallace.....	75 00
John H. Mason.....	75 00
Jacob Markey.....	65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.....	125 00

MISCELLANEOUS,

B. F. Enos, disbursements.....	\$33 89
And charge that fund.....	

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 30, 1883.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates have been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, and are hereby respectfully referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.
Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Executive Board, City of Rochester—Finance Budget, April 30, 1883:

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Williamson & Higbie, stationery.....	\$ 18 43
C. J. Conolly & Co., ".....	1 55
Street Department—Highway Fund.....	\$ 19 93

Weekly pay roll, April 19..... \$ 509 77
" 26..... 429 60

H. A. Kingsley & Co., hardware and nails.....	\$ 993 37
Hamilton & Mathews.....	93 49
J. Flint, saw and repairs.....	16 52
G. W. & C. T. Crouch & Son, lumber.....	2 12
Chase & Myers,.....	130 83
Samuel Sloan, gas and steam fitting.....	101 06
	22 85

J. A. Vanderwerf, labor and materials.....	12 51
Geo. B. Harris, freight on road scraper.....	10 66
James Gorsline, cleaning walks.....	4 00
Alfred Wright, Macadam.....	75 81
Patrick Neil, breaking stone.....	3 21
John Geist,	18 31
H. Newberger,	9 24
Otto Wellert,	48 67
George B. Harris, disbursements.....	8 30

\$1,496 56

Water Pipe Extension.—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, April 26.....	\$102 47
Weekly pay roll, May 3.....	102 47
Geo. B. Harris, freight on pipe.....	\$204 94
William Dyer, estimate No. 1, group 75.....	36 11
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, estimate No. 1,	270 00
	550 00

\$1,061 05

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Pay roll, April 26, operating expenses,	\$456 86
Pay roll, April 26, service and repairs.....	817 50
Pay roll, May 3, operating expenses.....	\$808 86
Pay roll, May 3, service and repairs.....	486 36
	311 00

797 36

Thos. J. Neville, clerk, office expenses.....	31 10
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	34 46
Geo. Flannery, printing.....	10 00
J. A. Vanderwerf, work at repair office.....	1 75
Williamson & Bigbie, stationery.....	29 60
Stone & Campbell, oats.....	33 00
G. W. & C. T. Croucher & Sons, lumber, blocks and wedges.....	66 15
George Arnold, painting wagon.....	16 00
Weaver & Goss, hardware.....	13 39
H. A. Kingsley & Co., hardware.....	21 94
Hamilton & Mathews, hardware.....	11 94
J. B. Coleman, repairs and plugs.....	34 45
Union Meter Co., repairs, meters.....	5 00
Joseph Cowles, labor and materials.....	19 10
Blood & Bone Guano Co., guano, reservoir.....	15 00
Frank Smith, labor, reservoir.....	5 75
L. L. Nichols, mapping.....	72 00

\$2,027 85

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Chase & Myers, lumber.....	\$ 9 88
Gauth & Bassett, repairing heater.....	32 13
F. & G. Heberling, hay.....	11 61
E. Monahan, horse shoeing.....	119 00
Hamilton & Mathews, hardware.....	1 80
C. H. Finch, ice in 1-81 and 1882.....	13 75
J. B. Williams, oil, etc.....	6 75
Smith, Perkins & Co., palis and brooms.....	9 00
S. Moulton, soap.....	4 76
B. H. Clark & Son, supplies.....	2 54
Henry Hebing, hardware.....	70
Municipal Gas Co., gas bills.....	32 20
M. Barron, coal.....	35 15
James Field, supplies.....	1 08
Philip Ernst, repairs to harness.....	7 00
Strong, Woodbury & Co., whips and repairs.....	17 50
Michael Heavey, horse hire Fire Tel.....	24 00
C. B. Finnegan, pd. for labor.....	5 00
F. E. Handy, 2 bills labor Fire Tel.....	24 00
R. McIntyre, 2	32 00
Young & Blackall, battery zincs.....	140 00

\$529 55

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

N. C. Bradstreet, inspecting, N. St. Paul st. sewer.....	\$36 00
R. R. Price, inspecting, Briggs place sewer.....	15 00
W. B. Woodin, inspecting, Genesee st. improvement.....	30 00
C. A. De Bruyn, inspecting, Vose st. sewer.....	37 50
Daniel Zoller, inspecting, Tappan st. sewer.....	25 00
Daniel Gatens, inspecting, Sexton st. outlet.....	32 50
Street Department—Labor and expenses, extending Main st. sewer.....	9 71
Byron Holley, expenses to Albany, G. V. canal sewer.....	16 25

Estimates.

E. R. Fox, estimate No. 2, grading approaches to Lyell ave. bridge.....	150 00
John Mauder, estimate No. 1, Rauber st. sewer.....	600 00
John Creegan, final estimate, So. Union st. plank walk.....	113 25
Pittsburgh Bridge Co., estimate No. 1, Lyell ave. bridge.....	3,665 00

\$4,730 21

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds,

Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelmink—16.
By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That in pursuance of section 81 of the City Charter, the following be fixed as the amounts necessary to be raised for the purposes hereafter named:

TAX LEVY—1883-84.

For lighting the city.....	\$65,000 00
For support of the police.....	60,000 00
For general contingent expenses.....	20,000 00
For support and relief of the poor.....	30,000 00
For ward of health, including collection of garbage.....	12,000 00
For support of common schools, as follows:	\$187,000 00

Building Fund, \$15,000 per charter and \$15,000 per special act.....	\$30,000 00
Repair Fund.....	10,000 00
Contingent Fund, including \$2,500 for steam heating in No. 5.....	46,500 00
Teachers' Fund.....	88,500 00
For City Property Fund.....	175,000 00
For the Executive Board, as per requisition:	3,000 00

Fire Department Fund.....	\$70,000 00
Extension of water pipe.....	22,810 00
Highway Fund.....	25,000 00
Salary and Expense Fund.....	8,000 00
Repair and care of avenues.....	4,200 00
For Park Fund.....	130,010 00
For erroneous assessments.....	2,000 00
For local assessments on city property.....	2,219 47
For interest on bonded debt as follows, at 7 per cent.:	3,781 96

One year on \$50,000, deficiency loan (issued 1872 to cover unpaid taxes prior to 1870).....	\$5,500 00
One year on \$15,000, Free Academy site.....	1,150 00
One year on \$125,000, Free Academy building.....	8,750 00
One year on \$80,000, floating debt loan—\$80,000 on account of flood damages, and \$30,000 to replace bounty loan of 1864.....	4,200 00

One year on \$150,000, floating debt loan (re-issue of floating debt loan of '68, '69 and '70, authorized May 6, 1873, by Council).....	10,500 00
One year on \$3,182 00, water works loan.....	222,740 00
One year on \$20,000 No. 5 School loan.....	1,400 00
One year on \$200,000, floating debt of 1875, res. C. C. June 18, '75.....	28,700 00
One year on \$600,000, R. & S. L.R.R. loan.....	42,000 00
One year on \$150,000, R., N. & P. RR. loan.....	10,500 00
One year on \$365,000, City Hall loan.....	23,450 00

One year on \$9,000, N. Y. State Arsenal loan (less surplus of amt received from the County Treasurer Feb. 15, 1883, for the credit of said loan, \$1,500 over 1 bond falling due Feb. 15, 1883, \$1,000—amounting to \$500).....	130 00
At 4 per cent.:	
Eighteen months on \$100,000, consolidated loan (issued August 1, 1882, by res. C. C. March 30, '82).....	6,000 00

Less amount to be paid in by Executive Board for surplus receipts over expenditures.....	\$75,000 00—287,920 00
	\$790,981 42

or payment of 5 bonds Monroe Avenue Cemetery Loan, due January 1, 1883, @ \$1,000 each.....	5,000 00
For payment of 15 bonds Monroe Avenue School Loan due January 1, 1883, @ \$1,000 each.....	15,000 00
For amount of Floating Debt Loan maturing in 1882, not provided for in Tax Levy of 1882 nor renewed in Consolidated Loan.....	1,000 00
For amount of Steam Fire Engine Loan maturing in 1882, not provided for in Tax Levy of 1882 nor renewed in Consolidated Loan.....	2,950 00
For payment of Notes authorized by the Common Council to	23,950 00

supply deficiencies in the following funds:		
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. June 13, 1882.....	\$4,000 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. July 11, 1882.....	9,850 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Aug. 14, 1882.....	2,700 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Sept. 5, 1882.....	5,500 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Sept. 19, 1882.....	2,700 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Oct. 3, 1882.....	1,200 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Oct. 17, 1882.....	6 275 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Oct. 31, 1882.....	1,570 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Nov. 14, 1882.....	9,095 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Jan. 9, 1883.....	4,800 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. March 20, 1883.....	2,100 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. March 29, 1883.....	2,400 00	
		52,190 00
Protectives Building Fund, res. C. C. July 11, 1882.....	2,450 79	
Water Works Fund, res. C. C. July 25, 1882.....	26,000 00	
Park Fund, res. C. C. Aug. 22, 1882	1,300 00	
Highway Fund, res. C. C. Nov. 14, 1882.....	\$7,000 00	
Highway Fund, res. C. C. Jan. 23, 1883.....	8,000 00	
Highway Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	25,000 00	
		40 000 00
Contingent Fund, res. C. C. Dec. 26, 1882.....	\$25,000 00	
Contingent Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	10,000 00	
		35,000 00
City Property Fund, res. C. C. Dec. 26, 1882.....	\$2,000 00	
City Property Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	2,000 00	
		4,000 00
Fire Department Fund, res. C. C. Jan. 23, 1883	\$13,000 00	
Fire Department Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883	10,000 00	
		23,000 00
Lamp Fund, res. C. C. Feb. 20, 1883.....	15,000 00	
Police Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	16,000 00	
Health Fund, res. C. C. March 20, 1883.....	\$1,500 00	
Health Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	3,000 00	
		4,500 00
		219,440 79
		\$1,084,822 21

Ald. Hinds moved to receive, file and publish and refer to the Finance Committee. Adopted.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Ald. Hinds, of the special committee on church street assessment, reported progress and asked for further time. Granted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Mayor—

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 30, 1883. }
Gentlemen of the Common-council :

At the threshold of the new year upon which we have now fairly entered, we should pause to fully consider the various interests which have been committed to our care, and the duties and responsibilities which we likewise assume. To successfully conduct the affairs of a great municipality and to satisfactorily discharge the obligations imposed should be our highest aim. To legislate and to labor for the interests of all, renders

it necessary that we should be governed by a wise, practical economy, ever keeping in mind the fact that we are servants and not rulers.

Judicious public interests should not be neglected and the people's money paid in taxes should not be squandered, and if we are guided by the watchwords—zeal and fidelity—neither the people nor ourselves will have occasion to regret our connection with the municipal government of Rochester. In the conduct of the public business, it is our duty to keep expenditures within the amount appropriated, and the appropriation should not be so great as to make the same a burden upon the people, and when we may sometimes feel obliged to depart from this line of policy, or in other words create municipal indebtedness, it should only be when a later age is to be benefited, or when we may expect, as a result of an extraordinary expenditure of money, an early return in the way of an increased revenue. These thoughts are prompted by the fact, that at no distant day, we shall surrender to others the burden we now carry and which eventually our own children will be compelled to assume. There is another thought in connection with this particular subject I took occasion a year ago to express my disapproval of a resolution passed by the Common-council directing the reissue of bonds then soon maturing and which were originally given for obligations which the city at that time should have promptly met by an increased taxation. On the theory that our other burdens were sufficiently heavy, the resolution provided that the time of payment of said bonds should be extended for a period of thirty years. In thus acknowledging our inability to pay, we lost sight of the fact that we were imposing responsibilities upon a generation which must have its new cares together with those bequeathed by us; and this reflection alone should have guided us to a more liberal construction of our duty. Debt while sometimes a necessity is never a blessing. Let us then endeavor to "hew to the line," that those who succeed us may find in the system we have pursued a guiding star they may successfully follow. Among the many subjects which are to engross your attention there is no interest greater than that of

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Nothing has contributed more to the prosperity of our city than its schools, and they are always entitled to our protecting care. Many of our most esteemed citizens of to-day are largely indebted for their success in life to the benefits derived from our system of public education. The total amount of expenditures for all school purposes for the past year, was \$197,765 42 It is claimed that the salaries of the teachers in the public schools of Rochester are lower than those in the majority of the other cities of our land, and that the board of

education lacks means with which to supply the schools with globes, maps, and other necessities requisite to the promotion of the best methods of instruction. I would therefore recommend that this claim be referred to the proper committee of your board for investigation and for the relief such a reference may possibly bring. The number of pupils registered in February last was 12,495, an increase of 616 pupils over the attendance in February, 1882. I am also informed that the board has under consideration a revision of the course of study, for the purpose of securing more teaching and less mechanical recitation—real teaching in the place of the old memorising system and the gradual introduction of the most improved methods in education. Attention has been called to the fact, that our school accommodations are inadequate for the large number of pupils now in attendance, nearly five hundred of whom are occupying rented rooms. With the advent of pleasant weather the little ones now at home will be able to venture out and they, too, will be seeking admission; this will necessitate additional facilities, and it prompted the Board of Education to ask the Common-council's endorsement of an act that permits an increase of the building fund for the coming year to the amount of \$30,000.

The actual educational necessities of our city should be promptly met. In this enlightened age no one should be denied an education, and in providing it, it is our duty to protect life and health by furnishing accommodations that in a sanitary point of view are in every sense perfect. Rooms that are poorly lighted, badly ventilated and insufficiently warmed must inflict injury. Let us therefore heed the warning, and not be remiss in our duty. For interesting information respecting the public schools of our city I refer you to the annual reports of the various committees of the Board of education which were submitted on the evening of March 29th last. They will repay an attentive perusal, as will also the communication of Daniel Holbrook, esq., who for the past year has held the responsible position of school policeman.

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT,

The demand for the extension of water mains in the newer streets of the city has been very persistent during the past year. Our population has increased with great rapidity, causing a large demand for homes and a consequent increased activity in the improvement of new streets and the erection of new dwellings.

In all such cases the city has been called upon to extend the water works system to supply the new demand. This has resulted in large expenditures and considerable additions to the tax levy, but it has also, under the operation of the city charter, rendered a large amount of property in the Fifteenth and Sixteenth wards jointly liable with the old

territory of said city for such portion of water debt as now remains unpaid.

There was inserted in the tax levy for last year for the benefit of the water pipe extension fund the sum of..... \$26,850
Also to pay notes given for money borrowed during the preceding year, after the adoption of the tax levy for the purpose of water pipe extension, the sum of..... \$23,150

Total raised in the tax levy of last year ... \$50,000
Since the adoption of the tax levy for 1882 the Common-council has authorised the borrowing for the water pipe extension fund the sum of..... \$52,190

This large amount was raised for pipe extensions in compliance with the earnest demand of the owners of property in the outer portion of the city, to enable them in turn to improve the same and meet the urgent demand for dwellings to supply our rapidly increasing population. The amount thus raised by note, must be paid during the coming fiscal year under the provision of section 81, of the city charter, out of moneys provided for that purpose by assessments upon the property of the city by the next tax levy now soon to be authorised.

From the number of petitions which have been presented, for the extension of water mains during the coming summer, it is evident that the demand and consequent pressure upon the Common-council will be fully equal to that of last year, arising also from a similar condition of affairs and a like cause. The petitions now filed in the water office and not yet acted upon by the Common council amount to not less than \$60,000. The following is a statement of the average daily use of Hemlock water in each year from April 1st, 1876, to April 1st, 1883.

	<i>Gallons.</i>
April 1st 1876 to April 1st 1877.....	2,227,959
April 1st 1877 to April 1st 1878.....	2,883,650
April 1st 1878 to April 1st 1879.....	3,177,225
April 1st 1879 to April 1st 1880.....	3,860,785
April 1st 1880 to April 1st 1881.....	4,341,132
April 1st 1881 to April 1st 1882.....	4,238,073
April 1st 1882 to April 1st 1883.....	4,538,926

During the years 1881 and 1882 a large number of water meters were placed upon the services of large companies in blocks and manufacturing establishments and it is a noticeable fact that the increase in the daily average use of water during the year ending April 1st 1883 over the daily average use during the year ending April 1st 1881, was only 137,794 gallons, notwithstanding the fact, that during that period there were added to the number of water takers from this system not less than 3,500 consumers, involving in the cases of some of them, such as the several railway companies, a very large daily consumption of water. The Executive board is also intending during the coming season to introduce a system of inspection for waste and leaks by the use of an instrument known as the Bell Waterphone. By the attachment of this instrument to the curb cock in the street, the inspector is enabled to determine the location of a leak in either the main cr-

service pipe. It is expected that this inspection will result in the repairing of leaky fixtures, the checking of unnecessary waste and the consequent increase in and efficiency of the fire pressure.

The average daily consumption of water from the Holly system during the past year has been 1,750,000 gallons. This, with the average daily use from the Hemlock system, makes a daily per capita use in this city, estimating the population at 100,000, of 63 gallons. While this is not as large as in Washington, Pittsburg, Patterson, Nashville, Memphis and some others, yet it is a larger consumption than is desirable or necessary, as is demonstrated in cities where intelligent effort is being made to prevent waste. In Cincinnati the daily use per capita is 53 gallons; in Baltimore, 50 gallons; in Lowell, 44 gallons; in Cleveland, 43 gallons, and in Cambridge, 44 gallons. It is probably true that 45 gallons daily per capita would be a liberal supply if waste were eliminated.

There has been received and credited to the water works fund during the past year..... \$116,367 02
 There should have been credited for uses by the city about..... 70,000 00

Making total earnings for the year.....	\$186,367 02
The number of miles of water mains laid during the past year is.....	9.23
The number of miles of distributing mains previously laid.....	121.05
Total water mains laid in the city.....	130.28
The number of fire hydrants set during the year was.....	79
Number of fire hydrants previously set....	1,050
Total fire hydrants set in city.....	1,129
The number of stop gates set in the city during the year was.....	91
Number of stop gates previously set.....	1,228
Total stop gates set in the city.....	1,319
The number of drinking fountains set in the city is.....	35
Number of fountains in parks.....	6
Number of sprinkling cart hydrants.....	56
Number of services supplying water to consumers.....	11,390
Number of meters set.....	721

During the past year the city has acquired by purchase from the Rochester water company, at a cost of \$26,000, all of the property owned by said company, with the exception of certain rights of way south of the city and the land embracing the partially constructed reservoir in the town of Rush. This purchase effects a settlement of all suits and matters in dispute between the city and said company, and enables the city to more thoroughly control the water of the lakes which is the source of our water supply, and to more fully and completely carry out the original plan designed for the works. In the original opening of Reservoir avenue from South avenue eastward along the Mt. Hope reservoir, Messrs. Elwanger & Barry donated a strip of land thirty-three feet wide along the north side thereof for the whole length of the reservoir property, with the understanding and

agreement that the city should open the said avenue to the full width of ninety-nine feet as soon as it should acquire the old reservoir property at the junction of said avenue and South avenue. The purchase from the Rochester Water company mentioned in the foregoing will enable the city, by removing the house now standing on said lot, to complete its part of said agreement.

It is a matter of congratulation that this property has been purchased on such favorable terms, when it is considered that the original price demanded was \$250,000.

The litigations arising from the construction of the water works are approaching a conclusion.

In the case of Hiram P. Smith and others against the city (familarly known as the case of the Honeoye millers), a decision has been rendered by the general term, on appeal, favorable to the city, fully sustaining the decision of the late Justice Rumsey in the circuit and in fact adopting his opinion as that of the appellate court.

The case of Daniel Runkle, assignee of B. G. Clarke, against the city has not yet been brought to trial on account of the death of the Hon. David Rumsey to whom it had been referred.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Under this heading it is a matter of great pleasure for me to reiterate what I have many times said, that this department continues to maintain its well-earned record for its efficient work. Our city has for a long time been remarkably free from disastrous fires and the magnitude of the interests constantly protected, justifies us in doing all that may be deemed necessary to improve and strengthen from time to time this important branch of our municipal government, and which so justly deserves its reputation for excellence. The number of fire alarms sounded during the year ending March 31st, was as follows:

1882, April.....	17
“ May.....	5
“ June.....	9
“ July.....	12
“ August.....	9
“ September.....	5
“ October.....	16
“ November.....	10
“ December.....	7
1883, January.....	10
“ February.....	2
“ March.....	10
Total.....	112

Two of these alarms were false, sixteen fires were quenched before the arrival of the department, and the remaining, number (ninety-four) were extinguished by the department.

THE FIRE APPARATUS

Consists of six steam fire engines (held in reserve), seven hose carts or wagons drawn by horses, three hand hose carriages, two hook and ladder trucks, one wheeled chemical engine, one "Protective" wagon for horses and one to be drawn by hand.

The number of feet of hose owned by the city is 15,500, not quite one half of which is considered thoroughly reliable. The chief engineer, in his annual report to the executive board, recommends the immediate purchase of 3,000 feet of first-class rubber-lined hose, and the organization of two additional hose companies for the protection of property in the outer wards of the city, one to be located on each side of the river. The number of horses in use in the fire department is twenty; eighteen of which are owned by the city, and two are the property of Active Hose company. Some of these horses have seen many years of service and will have to be replaced by younger and better animals at an early date. A number of excellent suggestions are made by Engineer Gibson in his report alluded to, suggestions which we may well heed. His communication is interesting and valuable, and is the production of one fully skilled in the important duties he is called upon to perform. The following is the estimated value of the real estate occupied by the fire department of this city aside from the Front street building:

Engine house No. 1, Stone street.....	\$12,000
Engine house No. 2, Stillson street.....	8,000
Engine house No. 3, Platt street.....	12,000
Engine house No. 4, Ford street.....	12,000
Alert hose house, Fitzhugh street.....	15,000
Protective house, Fitzhugh street.....	12,000
Active hose house, St. Paul street.....	20,000
Total.....	\$91,000

SUPPORT OF THE POOR.

The expenditures of this department for the past twelve months varies but little in amount from that reported for the previous year. The winter has been long and severe, and a reduction of expense although slight, is nevertheless a welcome fact. The obstacles connected with the management of this branch of the city government, have long been a proper subject for discussion. To what extent and for what space of time should aid be furnished to a person or a family, and other questions equally important are easily suggested. The people generally know but little of the complications and the abuses which confront the administration of the duties of the overseer of the poor. I do not hesitate to say that the manner of doing the business of this department should be entirely changed I would go further, and if possible re-organise the department itself on a non partisan basis. I do not mean by this, that Democrats should be turned out of office to make place for Republicans, or vice versa, but the fact is the changes connected with its executive part are altogether too frequent for the public good. When a person has become thoroughly conversant with all of its details, and likewise familiar with the necessities of those who must apply for relief, when he has proven himself to be the right man in the proper place, there should be no change or removal except for sufficient cause. The

good effects which would naturally follow such a course, were it adopted, cannot be overestimated. I believe a reduction of thousands of dollars annually would in due time be the result, and pauperism to a great extent be effectually suppressed. The wants of the respectable deserving poor should always be relieved—pauperism discouraged! Many of those who during the year make application for charity, could, if work were furnished them, support themselves and gladly embrace the opportunity so to do. With a new system inaugurated a great reform could be achieved. As evidence of the fact that I am justified in making these statements I will say, that it has cost the city of Buffalo the past year to maintain its poor department the sum of \$58,565 20 while we have expended during the same period of time \$63,351.45. And yet the population of Buffalo exceeds the population of Rochester by more than 60,000 souls! In a single year in that city there was a falling off in the expenses of the department named of \$49,000, and the difference between the years 1877 and 1882 was \$89,000 in favor of the last, during which time that city has relieved 930 families, to 509 families relieved by the city of Rochester.

The following statistics for last year have been kindly furnished me by Nathaniel Thompson, overseer of the poor:

Number of persons sent to Almshouse.....	268
Burial orders issued for adults.....	63
children.....	30
Number of persons sent to St. Mary's hospital..	68
City hospital.....	62
Number of children sent to Orphan asylum.....	29
other institutions..	16

The sum of \$31,603 93 was paid for the year ending March 31, 1883, to the various charitable institutions of our city for board of inmates. There has been collected by the board of excise during the same period and placed to the credit of the poor fund, the sum of about \$33,000. The members of said board have labored diligently and very efficiently.

It is interesting to know the amount of money disbursed from year to year for the construction of

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS,

and I produce the following table to show the expenditures made for this purpose during the past twelve months:

Sewers constructed.....	\$148,741
Street improvements.....	98,468
Sidewalks built.....	8,890
Miscellaneous.....	781
Total.....	\$256,880

PUBLIC HEALTH.

During the year the health inspectors have investigated 2,058 complaints. Since the first day of August last 17,003 barrels of garbage have been removed. The total number of deaths for the year ending March 31, 1883, was 1,791. Of these deaths 426 were of children under one year of age, 212

of children over one year of age and under five years of age; 23 deaths were of persons over ninety years of age. The number of deaths from zymotic diseases was 448, or one-fourth of the entire number. In the First, Second, Seventh and Eighth wards the deaths exceeded the number of births reported for those wards; 17-91 per 1,000 being the death rate of our city, these figures are indicative of its healthfulness. In contemplating these statistics we may observe, that existing sanitary provisions are sometimes insufficient, that additional sanitary precautions are greatly needed, and that the most ordinary means of preventing disease are often sadly neglected. We have seen that a defective food supply causes an enormous rate of mortality of young children. We see houses tightly closed and too densely shaded, when there should be fewer trees, and open blinds and windows to admit sunlight and fresh air. We see sewers constructed under the whole length of houses, and we see sewers without stench-traps and without ventilation (except perhaps into the house itself), when we should see sewers carried directly out of the cellar into the side yards and thence into the main sewer, and when we should see the most approved traps, with proper ventilation. We see filth scattered in door yards and accumulating in by places to give forth pestilence, when it should be gathered and ready for removal by the garbage carriers. We still see people forced to abandon their warm houses in the inclement April season and removing to damp and incomplete dwellings when, in this climate, it should have been years ago an established custom to wait until May, when women and children might venture to go to their new homes. Landlords, and agents of landlords should unite in a movement that will do away with the present custom, thus effecting a most needed sanitary reform and one that thousands of our citizens will gratefully appreciate. Such are a few of the many suggestions that might be offered for greater security from the dire effects of disease.

STREET NUMBERING.

The work pertaining to the renumbering of the various streets of Rochester was commenced on the 1st day of last November and continued until February 1st of the present year. During this time the different lot frontages in the first fourteen wards of our city have also been measured. On account of the cold weather the work was on the latter date discontinued, but will be resumed about the first of the coming month. In addition to the measuring of the lot frontages, the present house and store numbers were recorded, the result of which has demonstrated the advisability of the work. Several streets have been found bearing the same name, and in many instances two or more houses on the

same street bear the same number. The work of revising, readjusting and renumbering the street numbers for so large a territory is a task of more than ordinary importance, and when completed the general benefits to be derived therefrom will fully compensate for its performance. The theory upon which the work of numbering has thus far proceeded, and which will be followed to its conclusion, has been to make Main street and West avenue, a dividing line from east to west, and the Genesee river a dividing line from north to south. All streets extending north from Main street and West avenue are to be numbered from south to north, and streets extending south from Main street and West avenue to be numbered from north to south. Streets extending east from the Genesee river will be numbered from west to east, and streets extending west from the river will be numbered from east to west. Even numbers will be placed generally on the east and north sides of streets, and odd numbers on the west and south sides.

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The discipline and organization of the force are excellent, and a large majority of the present members are faithful officers and a credit to Rochester. The rapid growth of the city in population and business during the last few years has correspondingly increased the necessity for police protection. The ratio of policemen to the number of inhabitants is about one to 1,100. In the death of Captain Sullivan the department was deprived of a faithful officer, and the community of an upright citizen. Total expense of maintaining police department for year 1882, \$84, - 376.70; total fines, etc., collected, \$9, - 677.32. The number of square miles in city limits is twenty-one, and the number of square miles patrolled by the police is sixteen.

STREET LIGHTING.

With the introduction of electricity for the purposes of street illumination, many interesting questions are suggested, and what is being done in the same direction by other municipalities, becomes a matter of interest to us. We have now in operation sixty-two electric lights, but when the terms of your more recent resolutions are carried into effect the number will be increased to 180, the price being fixed at forty-five cents per night for each lamp. The price paid by the cities of Boston, Buffalo and Cleveland for electric light is sixty-five cents per night for each light. In the city of Cleveland in addition to the lighting of Euclid avenue, there have been erected four mast lights, of 24,000 candle power in each tower. The city of Baltimore is now supplied with 500 lights, at a price of seventy five cents each per night, the contract continuing for three years. Philadelphia, New Orleans and Cincinnati are paying \$1.00, New York,

seventy-five cents, and Pittsburg \$200 per year for each and every lamp in use. Dayton is paying forty-five cents per night—the same as Rochester. Albany has in operation 460 lamps, lighted under a contract which is to continue for five years. The price paid is fifty cents per night. Seven dollars a year is also allowed to the company by the city for the repairing and cleaning of each light; and the city also purchased the lamps and poles Akron, Ohio, Aurora, Ill., Minneapolis and Savannah, Ga., are lighted by mast lights. Detroit, East Saginaw and Grand Rapids are each negotiating for electric lights, and nearly every city in the country with a population exceeding 25,000 is investigating the subject. There are now 75,000 electric lights both public and private in use in the United States. My convictions are, that this system of street lighting should be from time to time extended in Rochester, but it should be carefully done. By this I mean after a well matured plan, and in which the cost of the same has been fully considered. The lamps if properly distributed should not, and will not I think, greatly increase the amount we are now paying for lighting by gas, while the results will be far more satisfactory. Well lighted streets add much to the reputation and good order of a city, but we cannot afford to be extravagant. I am not now charging extravagance in what has already been done; my plea is for the future and a well and fully developed system, which means careful consideration, proper distribution of, and eligibly located poles and lamps. I would therefore recommend that the surveyor be requested to perfect a plan that shall embrace all the essential features I have suggested, and then what may hereafter be agreed upon as advisable may be done on business principles.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

There are now seventeen actions pending to recover damages in which the city is a party. Twelve similar actions have been disposed of during the year, and the amount for which the city has been held liable in all cases tried is \$500. During the past twelve months commissions have been appointed for the following purposes: Acquiring lands for a new street from Mill to Water streets, straightening and widening of North St. Paul street, extension of Pinnacle avenue, extension of Ward and Hamburg streets, extension of Goodman street, extension of Evergreen place, and the extension of Glenwood park. During the year a large amount of taxes long in arrears has been collected, but no one has been oppressed thereby, as no sale of property on foreclosure has taken place. All this has materially increased the business in the office of the city attorney.

In my message of a year ago I made reference to

THE CONSTRUCTION OF ELEVATED TRACKS, and remarked, that work had been fairly commenced. As a matter of history and of

reference, I will now state that the date on which work was actually begun was March 16th, 1882. The first stone was laid on the 25th day of that month, and there has been constantly employed since then, exclusive of bridge builders, a force of men averaging from 150 to 500 per day, and consisting of stone-cutters, masons, helpers, derrick men, laborers, etc. To facilitate this great work, and hasten its termination, steam shovels, steam plows and derricks, with both steam and horse power have been brought into requisition. Up to this date 258,000 cubic yards of filling have been completed. This has been brought from the 'sand cut' at Allen's creek, a distance of nearly five miles from the city. The stone used in the masonry, of which to the present time 21,000 cubic yards have been laid, has mainly been brought from Union Springs, Cayuga county, in this state. There have also been used in the construction thus far for temporary and permanent trestle, 190,000 feet, board measure, of pine, and 825,000 feet, board measure, of hemlock, and 53,000 pounds of wrought iron together with 25,000 pounds of cast iron. Five streets have been abandoned and nineteen crossed, and over the latter the number of tracks to be placed will vary from four to twelve, necessitating the use of 90,000 lineal feet of iron bridging. The commodious train house now approaching completion, and which contains eleven tracks, is 130 feet in width and 682 feet in length. The average size of station in which the waiting rooms, ticket offices, etc., etc., are located, is 30x290 feet. The cost of these two buildings is \$140,000. The elevation of the tracks and the growing business of the New York Central and Hudson River railway company in Rochester, have also made the erection of a new freight house at an expense of \$45,000, a matter of necessity. The dimensions of the same are 315x50 feet and 269 $\frac{3}{4}$ x116 feet, permitting the unloading of thirty-eight cars at one time. Another item of interest in connection with the elevation of the tracks, is the fact that when completed 21,000 barrels of cement will have been used. It is now calculated that on the first day of August next the completion of this important work, exclusive of the ornamentation of the embankments by the laying of 247,500 square feet of sodding, will be announced, and it is a pleasure to know all the vexed and disputed questions which have for so many years disturbed the otherwise peaceful relations between the city and the company are happily settled. To the company alone a saving of at least \$70,000 per annum will have been effected, and both city and company will enter upon a new era of harmony and prosperity.

THE CHARTER OF THE CITY,

Among other things, provides that 'the annual assessment of property in said city

shall be made by the assessors thereof. Agreeable to this provision, the rolls have been completed, and appeals therefrom are now in order. Very much has been said for a number of months past regarding the omission of the assessors to tax to a greater extent personal property. It has been thought necessary by some to secure an amendment to the charter permitting the appointment or election of three additional assessors, whose duties should be exclusively confined to the assessment of property of this nature. This idea has hardly found favor with all, and by many has been strenuously opposed. Your honorable body, by resolution, requested our senator and representative to oppose the enactment of such an amendment, and for some time it has been generally understood that the idea of securing it had been abandoned. There is no doubt that a large amount of personal property on which a tax should be paid annually escapes taxation. The law regarding the same is hardly calculated to render, or to exact justice. Like all great questions this one has its two sides. The words

PERSONAL PROPERTY

mean the machinery in our manufactories, the goods in our stores, and many other articles the taxes upon which the consumer would indirectly be compelled to pay, and the wisdom of many features of the statute may well be questioned. To the assessors, however, this important subject is by law committed; not, however, that they shall, at their option, exempt personal property from taxation, but that they may in their judgment be governed by evidence which they may take with reference thereto. For instance, A has a stock of goods valued at \$10,000, but according to his statement sworn to, or otherwise, he is owing B fully as much or even more. Consequently, if A is to be believed, which I imagine is always the case, then he pays no tax on personal property. The agitation of this question however has resulted in the assessors placing upon the rolls for 1883 a larger amount in valuation of this kind of property than ever before,—exceeding by more than \$2,000,000 the greatest sum of any previous year. This total valuation of property is made up of bonds and mortgages, bank stocks, gas stocks, goods of wholesale and some retail dealers, such as hardware, groceries, dry goods, and the stock of jewelers. The capital stock of breweries, and of at least, of one insurance company, and of one oil company in Rochester are also included. Even the capital stock of those disseminators of the truth, the newspapers, has not escaped the vigilant eye or the pointed pencil of the apportioners of taxes. The following table shows by wards the assessed valuation of

PERSONAL PROPERTY FOR THE YEAR 1883.

First ward....	\$2,250,000	Tenth ward.....	74,200
Second ward..	210,500	Eleventh ward..	3,400

Third ward...	267,200	Twelfth ward ...	34,000
Fourth ward..	148,500	Thirteenth ward	700
Fifth ward...	357,100	Fourteenth ward	20,950
Sixth ward...	34,300	Fifteenth ward..	28,500
Seventh ward	107,600	Sixteenth ward..	149,125
Eight ward...	71,500		
Ninth ward...	111,400	Total.....	\$3,868,975

The question of taxation is one which concerns every individual, every business, every industry, every enterprise, for it comes to the door of every producer and influences the results of all labor. The mechanic is encouraged by diminished and just taxation, to cultivate habits of industry and frugality, but he is diverted from the paths of economy and thrift by the burdens of excessive taxation. If we would infuse confidence and courage to the minds of our laboring classes; if we would have labor and capital walk hand in hand; if we would serve the mutual interests of every business undertaking, we must seek to inspire our artisans with the courage of the unfettered producer, who feels that he may reap the harvest and enjoy the fruits of his labors. He who strives for the good of the community, he who toils for the interest of capital, earns a share in the results of trade. And it should follow that the legislator should lighten those burdens of taxation which may be either so heavy as to crush or so light as to buoy the weary worker. A house and home without the burden of over-taxation will do much to make the life of the toiler an enjoyable one, and our assessors can do much to relieve the present oppressive taxation of real property by a just and equitable assessment of such personal property as should be taxed; and furthermore I believe a majority if not all the owners thereof will cheerfully consent to any method that will result in reaching all those who should in this manner be required to contribute to the support of our municipal government; for they also, as owners of real estate (which does not escape taxation), will, like the humbler and far less wealthy residents of the community, be also correspondingly benefitted.

Before concluding this message I desire to make brief reference to a few of the many industries of our city.

SHOE BUSINESS.

Capital employed, \$2,000,000. Sales for last year, \$6,000,000. Average number of hands engaged, 4,637. It is proverbial that more and better manufacturing buildings are needed, and capitalists would do well to invest their gains in providing more extensive facilities. The four great shoe centers of the country are Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Rochester. Rochester is especially noted for its superior quality of work and there is no city except New York where there are so many fine shoes manufactured. No other than the best products of this great business interest in which Rochester ranks at least fourth, are put upon the market. This enterprise, now so prosperous, may yet place our city higher in the

scale of manufacturing industries, until it shall stand second to none. And such advancement can best enhance the welfare and growth of our population, for truly the growth and importance and wealth of Rochester must exist in the promotion of her manufacturing interests.

CLOTHING BUSINESS

Capital employed \$2,500,000; sales for last year \$8,000,000; probably not less than 10,000 hand are constantly employed. The four great clothing marts of the country are New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Rochester. While Rochester does not outstrip the great centers of population in the quantity prepared for the market, she nevertheless has acquired an enviable reputation for style and quality of her clothing. Her wares do not lie upon the shelves unsought, but rather lead in the competition and carry off the palm. Capitalists recognise this superiority, and have already erected many stately buildings, of which a metropolis might be proud, and which are monuments of the great success of this important branch of trade.

SEED BUSINESS

For more than twenty years Rochester has been celebrated for its seed business, until now it has attained a world-wide reputation and become the center of this industry for the American continent, under its beautiful title, "The Flower City." The names of Vick, Sibley, Crossman, Chase and Reid are known by all American gardeners and farmers, and the larger houses have built up a considerable European trade. Messrs. Hiram Sibley & Co., alone have shipped during the past year, ending April 15th, seed in bulk and large packages, by freight, 4,050,860 pounds, or 2,025 tons, which filled 202 freight cars. This is exclusive of a large express and mail business, and also of the trade of their Chicago house, which was even more than this, and also exclusive of a large trade in agricultural implements. This house gives employment to over 200 people in its warehouses, and to a small army of seed growers.

It is especially noteworthy of Rochester seedsmen that they are men of high character, and that their goods are of superior quality and surpassed by none others, so that "Rochester seeds" is a trade mark respected everywhere as representing good goods. The origin of the seed trade of this city, however, rests in the fertile soil, the excellent climate and sheltered valleys of the surrounding country, where some of the most intelligent, thrifty, successful and business-like communities of farmers, the world knows have made the growing of seed a specialty, so that, not only do they largely supply the Rochester dealers, but also attract hither seed merchants from other centers to procure seeds for the perfection of which our soil and climate are so well adapted. This point is further illustrated by the fact that while the

crops in many other sections of this and other countries for several years past, have frequently failed, yet the seed and general farm crops and nursery stock of this section have been produced with uninterrupted success. The number of acres in and about Rochester which are now devoted to the growing of seeds is 3,000.

NURSERY BUSINESS.

For nearly half a century the nursery business, which means the propagation and culture of trees and plants for sale, has been carried on more extensively in the vicinity of Rochester than in any other locality in the United States. The soil and climate of this section offered extraordinary advantages for the prosecution of this business. It has been estimated that at one time there were some 10,000 acres of land in this county devoted to the nursery business, and that the annual sales for many years amounted to nearly three millions of dollars.

The benefits which Rochester and Monroe county, and, indeed, all of Western New York, have derived from the business are:

1. Pecuniary.—The great income from the sale of trees, &c., has been gathered from all parts of the land and has added largely to our wealth.

2. They have exercised a great influence upon the taste of our people as evidenced in their love of gardens and trees and flowers.

3. They have made Rochester famous—no other industry has done so much to spread her fame as a beautiful city. Engaged in this trade is the firm of Ellwanger & Barry, which has been in business in Rochester for forty-two years and established a world-wide reputation.

There are 294 iron moulders in Rochester, and at one time one of our most promising industries was the manufacture of hollow ware; but this city, like many other localities, has, to a very great extent, experienced the evil effects of the unjust prison contract system, and as far as this particular enterprise is concerned, a suspension of the same has been the result. Among the many manufactured articles of Rochester which bear a deservedly high reputation are edge tools. The prices received for them because of their superior quality far exceeds the price obtained for similar goods manufactured elsewhere. And so, did time permit, might I continue to enumerate and make reference to a hundred other meritorious enterprises, including the establishment of James Cunningham, Son & Co., which has for so many years given employment to hundreds of mechanics. Suffice it to say there is no city where business interests are more diversified or where can be found manufacturers and merchants more honorable and reliable. It but remains for us to show appreciation of their work, which we can best do by a faithful discharge of our duties, and to furnish to the capitalist and mechanic the additional aid and encouragement which

naturally follow the honest, the economical, and the pure administration of municipal government
CORNELIUS R. PARSONS,
 Mayor

Ordered received, filed and published.
 From the City Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, May 1, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds on the 1st day of May, 1883, as required by section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance	Undrawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund.....	\$ 501 75	
.. Repair	288 54	
.. Contingent Fund.....	1,264 08	
.. Teachers'	10,685 62	
Fire Department Fund.....	9,732 52	
Poor Department Fund.....	12,338 13	
Police Department Fund.....	16,081 31	
Contingent Fund.....	10,090 43	
Highway Fund.....	21,583 02	
Lamp Fund.....	6,387 58	
Health Fund.....	3,079 20	
City Property Fund.....	2,164 50	
Park Fund.....	73	
Water Works Fund.....	16,817 44	
Water Pipe Fund.....	6,806 33	
Salary and Expense Fund.....	350 16	

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, 1883.
 CHAS. H. STILLWELL,
 Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 From the Board of Education—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, }
 OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, }
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 24, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Herewith, by instruction of the Board of Education, I hand you a preamble and resolutions adopted by the Board at a regular meeting held on the evening of the 23d inst.

I hereby certify the same to be a correct copy from the minutes.
 Respectfully,
 S. A. ELLIS, Clerk.

By Com. Durand—

Whereas, All the money received from the State has been placed to the credit of the Teachers' Fund of this Board and there are now no funds applicable for the contingent expenses of this Board; therefore, Resolved, That the Common Council be requested to anticipate the taxes of the present year and place to the credit of the contingent fund of this Board the sum of \$10,000.

Resolved, That the Clerk transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Ordered received, filed and published and referred to the Finance Committee.

From the Executive Board—

EXECUTIVE BOARD—CITY OF ROCHESTER.

OFFICE, 13 CITY HALL, May 1, 1883.

Frank N. Lord, Esq., City Clerk:

The pressure of business in the water works has been and is so great that it is not practicable to prepare and submit the monthly report and statement required to be submitted to the Common Council, at the meeting of this evening, and I am therefore compelled to ask the indulgence of the Board until the next ensuing regular meeting. Respectfully, yours, etc.,
 GEORGE B. HARRIS.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Excise Commissioners—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise of the City of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing April 1st, 1883, and ending April 30th, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, ale, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this statement contains a report of all the money received during said month, viz:
 1883

April 2:	
Forest, Camille, 8 Atwater st.....	\$40 00

Hartley, David, Lyell ave. and Orchard st....	20 00
Ascough, William, 64 Exchange st.....	20 00
Krause, Peter, 7 Ames st.....	40 00
Schmidt, H. Peter, 123 1/2 Hudson st.....	40 00

April 9:

Wood, George, 18 N. Water st.....	40 00
Rutz, Adam P., Edward and Alphonzo sts.....	40 00
Sumers, John, 28 Vincent place.....	40 00
Smith & Gadrell, 17 Weld st.....	40 00
Schubert, Magdalena, 67 Front st.....	40 00
Laufer, Christian, 112 North ave.....	40 00

April 16:

Gerlach, John, 239 East Main st.....	40 00
April 23:	
Heinrich, Henry, University and Anderson aves.....	40 00
Baker, Ann, 119 1/2 Adams st.....	20 00
Hyland, Joseph, 183 West Main st.....	40 00
Kondolf, Anthony, Ames and West Orange st.....	40 00

April 30:

Weigand, Kaspar, 116 East ave.....	40 00
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Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer..... \$620 00

Receipts for the year commencing May 1st, 1882, and ending April 30th, 1883..... \$82,544 88
 Dated April 30th, 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
 CONRAD HERZBERGER,
 JAMES P. EVANS,
 Excise Commissioners.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 COUNTY OF MONROE, } ss.
 City of Rochester, }

The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of April, 1883, and that the amount above stated as the yearly receipts is correct.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
 CONRAD HERZBERGER,
 JAMES P. EVANS,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of April, 1883.
 E. F. STILLWELL,
 Commissioner of Deeds,
 City of Rochester.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, }
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—in accordance with section 29 of the Revised City Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath of office:

- William Carroll, Fire Marshal.
- Newell A. Stone, Mount Hope Commissioner;
- E. M. Moore, Commissioner Board of Health;
- James O. Howard
- Patrick McKoen, Constable, 9th ward;
- George M. Cone, Commissioner of Deeds;
- George Willis Hall,
- John Sherry,
- M. E. Lewis,
- Victor Weinstein,
- Wm. H. Eves,
- E. J. Keehn,
- Arthur J. Shaw,
- James F. O'Neil,
- George J. Roth, Inspector of Elections, 2d dist, 13th ward.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES

WIDENING NORTH ST. PAUL STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of widening North St. Paul st. from Division st. northerly to a point near River st.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$—.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The widening of North St. Paul st. from Division st. northerly to a point near River st., and the following described territory is deemed necessary to be taken therefor, viz:

A strip of land 10 feet in width adjoining North St. Paul st. on the east side thereof, and extending from Division st. to Andrews st., except where crossed by intersecting streets.

Also a strip of land 10 feet in width adjoining North St. Paul st. on the west side thereof, and extending from Andrew st. to River st.

Also that portion of land on the northwest corner of River st and North St. Paul st., between the lines of said streets and the west line (of the last above mentioned strip of land 10 feet in width) extending northwardly in a direct line from the south line of River st. to the west line of North St. Paul st.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$—, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul st. from East Main st. to Atwater st.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 15th, 1888, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

IMPROVING NORTH ST. PAUL STREET

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving North St. Paul street from the north line of the railroad bridge to the south line of Marietta street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$9,000. By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The improvement of North St. Paul from the north line of the railroad bridge to the south line of Marietta st., and on a rising grade of about one foot in 32.9 feet, as heretofore established by the Common Council. Said improvement to consist in making the necessary excavations for the readjustment of the various materials on the present street surface, on the grade heretofore designated.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$9,000, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street, from the north line of the railroad bridge to the north line of the New York Central & Hudson River R.R. Co.'s land. Said territory to be assessed belonging to said New York Central & Hudson River R.R. Company.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1888, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

CLEANING AND REPAIRING THE SEWER IN PINDELL ALLEY.

By Ald. Stimmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of cleaning and repairing the sewer in Pindell alley.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$600. By Ald. Stimmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The cleaning and repairing of the sewer in Pindell alley, from the sewer in Allen street to a point 120 feet north of West Main street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$600, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Pindell alley, from Allen street to a point 85 feet north of West Main street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 15th, 1888, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON BROOKS AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a two-plank walk on Brooks avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$378.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a two-plank walk on the south side of Brooks avenue, from the street on the west side of the Genesee river, known as the River road, to the west line of land owned by John B. Wilson.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$378, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the south side of Brooks avenue, from said River road to the west line of land owned by John B. Wilson.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1888, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON WHITMORE PARK.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Whitmore park.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$297. By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 3½ feet in width on each side of Whitmore park from Mt. Vernon avenue to Meigs street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$297, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Whitmore park from Mt. Vernon avenue to Meigs street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 15th, 1888, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

ENLARGING THE SEWER IN WHITE ST.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of enlarging the sewer in White street, from near Lake ave., easterly to the stone culvert extending across White st.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,340. By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The enlargement of the sewer in White st., from near Lake ave., easterly to the stone culvert extending across White st.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,340, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

All the territory easterly of the Erie canal enclosed within and described by the following boundary lines, viz. : Beginning at the intersection of the west line of Lake avenue with the north line of White street, thence westerly along White street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Frank street; thence northerly along Frank street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Spencer street; thence westerly along Spencer street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Saratoga ave.; thence northerly along Saratoga avenue and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Lorimer street; thence southerly along Saratoga avenue and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Jones avenue; thence westerly along Jones avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Durkin alley; thence southerly along Durkin alley to Lyell avenue; thence westerly along Lyell avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the Erie canal; thence southeasterly along the Erie canal to Jay street; thence easterly along Jay street, excepting one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Jones street; thence northerly along Jones street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Smith street; thence easterly along Smith

street, including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to State street; thence southerly along State street, including one tier of lots on the west side thereof, to a point fifty (50) feet north of Jay street; thence northerly along State street and Lake avenue and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof from said point fifty (50) feet north of Jay street to White street; thence direct to the place of beginning. Also one tier of lots on each side of Jones avenue, from Saratoga avenue to Frank street; also one tier of lots on each side of Ambrose street, from Saratoga avenue to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Lake avenue. Excepting from the above described territory east of the Erie canal, the lots on the southeast and northwest corners of Lake avenue and White street; also the lot on the southwest corner of Saratoga avenue and Lorimer street; also the lot on the northeast corner of Jay street and Jones street. Including also all the territory westerly of the Erie canal inclosed within and described by the following boundary lines, viz.: Beginning at the intersection of the west line of Sherman st. with the south line of Otis street, thence southerly along Sherman street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Lyell avenue; thence westerly along Lyell avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the west line of Childs street; thence southerly along Childs street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Jay street, thence westerly along Jay street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the west line of Ames street; thence southerly along Ames street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Maple street; thence easterly along Maple street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Colvin street; thence southerly along Colvin street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to West avenue; thence westerly along West avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the city line; thence easterly along West avenue and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Chill avenue; thence easterly along West avenue to Brown street; thence easterly along Brown street, excepting one tier of lots on the northerly side thereof to Wilder street; thence northerly along Wilder street and Grape street, excepting one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Jay street; thence easterly along Jay street, including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to the Erie canal; thence northerly along the Erie canal to a point opposite the south line of Otis street, thence westerly in a direct line to the place of beginning. Also including one tier of lots on each side of Lyell avenue, from Childs street to a point one hundred and eleven (111) feet west of Murray street; also one tier of lots on each side of Chill avenue, from the Colvin street sewer to West avenue; also one tier of lots on each side of Briggs place, from Chill avenue to a point opposite the centre of Edwin Tripp's house.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING JAY STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Jay street from a point 100 feet west of State street to Oak street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$279.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Jay street from a point 100 feet west of State street to Oak street, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$279 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Jay street from a point 100 feet west of State street to Oak street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN PARK.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Franklin park, from Clinton place to Atwater street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$98.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Franklin park, from Clinton place to Atwater street, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$98, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin park from Clinton place to Atwater street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING CLINTON PLACE.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Clinton place, from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton st., during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$277.00.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Clinton place, from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$277.00, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton Place, from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of Revised Charter of 1880 of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING VINCENT PLACE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council, the expense of sprinkling Vincent place from a point 100 feet east of State street to the west end of Vincent place bridge, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$134.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Vincent place from a point 100 feet east of State street to the west end of Vincent place bridge, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$134, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Vincent place from a point 100 feet east of State street to the west end of Vincent place bridge.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING NORTH AVENUE.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling North avenue, from the north line of the N. Y. C. & R. R. to the north line of Clifford street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$518.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of North avenue, from the north line of the N. Y. C. & R. R. to the north line of Clifford street, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$818, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further—That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of North avenue, from the N. E. C. B. to the north line of City street.
And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May the 15th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

FINAL ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,471.

OPENING OF A STREET FROM CAMPBELL STREET TO MAPLE STREET.

On motion of Ald. Rice the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing.

Ald. Rice submitted the following:

An ordinance to open a street 40 feet in width from Campbell street to Maple street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The opening of a street 40 feet in width from Maple street to Campbell street, the centre line of which shall be the division line between lands owned by Julia Parsons and Mrs. Foelkel, and an extension of said line in a direct line to Campbell street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of lands to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at —, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows—

One tier of lots on each side of the proposed street, from Maple street to Campbell street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingel, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,472.

PIPE SEWER IN OLEAN STREET AND DEEPENING THE STONE SEWER IN HUNTER STREET.

On motion of Ald. Southard the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Southard submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Olean street and deepen the stone sewer in Hunter street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Olean street, from a point 30 feet south of Hubbell alley to the centre of Cady street, and a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter from the centre of Cady street to the centre of Hunter street, and the deepening of Hunter st. stone sewer from the centre of Olean street to the Genesee Valley canal outlet sewer. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$2,200, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Olean street, from Hunter street to a point 30 feet south of Hubbell alley; also one tier of lots on each side of Cady street, from Olean street to a point 50 feet east of Seward street, for their proportion of the cost of enlarging the size of the sewer in Olean street, between Cady street and Hunter street, and deepening the sewer in Hunter street from Olean street to the Genesee Valley canal sewer.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement

of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the completion of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingel, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The final ordinance to construct a sewer in Park avenue came up. Ald. Simmelink moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to improve Reynolds street came up. Ald. Foley moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,473.

FOR ACQUIRING ADDITIONAL LAND BETWEEN MILL AND WATER STREETS.

On motion of Ald. Rice the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing.

Ald. Rice submitted the following:

An ordinance to acquire additional land between Mill and Water streets. For a street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The acquiring of additional land for the purpose of a street on the south side of the elevated tracks of the New York Central & Hudson River railroad company between Mill street and Water street, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor is described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Mill street with the face of the retaining wall on the south side of the aforesaid mentioned elevated tracks; thence easterly along the face of said wall to the west side of the Genesee river; thence still easterly in a direct line to the face of the retaining wall on the east side of said river and along the face of said wall to the west line of Water street; thence southerly along the west line of Water street to the south line of said railroad company's land; thence westerly along the south boundary lines of said railroad company's land to the east line of Mill street; thence northerly along the east line of Mill street to the place of beginning, excepting therefrom the land heretofore designated in the contract between the New York Central railroad company and the Elevated Track Commissioners to be granted to the city of Rochester for the purpose of a street from Mill street to Water street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots & parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$36,000, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

The 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th wards of the city of Rochester, excepting that portion of the 15th ward lying north of the Ridge road.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingel, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,474.

PIPE SEWER IN PLEASANT STREET.

On motion of Ald. Southard the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Southard submitted the following:

An Ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Pleasant street, from the sewer in North St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Clinton street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Pleasant street, from the sewer in North St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Clinton street. Also the necessary lot laterals, manholes and surface sewers.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots & parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,900, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Pleasant street, from North St. Paul street to Clinton street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—14.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on Brighton avenue came up. Ald. Simmelnk moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to sweep and clean South Clinton street, came up. Ald. Watson moved it be definitely postponed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,475.

REPAIRING AND TAKING CARE OF EAST AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:
An ordinance to repair and take care of East avenue from Goodman street to the east line of the city until December 1st, 1888.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The repair and general care of East avenue from Goodman street to the east line of the city, until December 1st, 1888.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$750, which estimate is hereby approved, and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East avenue, from Goodman street to the east line of the city.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—14.

The final ordinance to improve North St. Paul street came up. Ald. Archer moved to postpone two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,476.

SPRINKLING CLINTON STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Clinton street from the centre of Marietta st. to Clifford st., during the season of 1888.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Clinton street from the centre of Marietta st. to Clifford st., during the season of 1888.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$65.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton street, from the centre of Marietta st. to Clifford st.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,477.

SPRINKLING ATWATER STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Atwater street, from North avenue to North St. Paul street, during the season of 1888.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Atwater street, from North avenue to North St. Paul street, during the season of 1888.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$446, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Atwater street, from North avenue to North St. Paul street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,478.

SPRINKLING SOUTH AVENUE.—Sec. 2.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle South avenue from the center of Linden street to the south line of the Mumford property during the season of 1888.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of South avenue from the center of Linden street to the south line of the Mumford property during the season of 1888.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$150, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of South avenue from the center of Linden street to the south line of the Mumford property.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,479.

SPRINKLING HUDSON STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Alderman Pitkin submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Hudson street, from North avenue to the north line of Channing street, during the season of 1888.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Hudson street, from North avenue to the north line of Channing street, during the season of 1888.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$540, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvements is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Hudson street, from North avenue to the north line of Channing street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—14.

The final ordinance to sprinkle North St. Paul street came up. Ald. Archer moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE—NO. 2,480.

SPRINKLING ELM STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Elm street from Main street to Chestnut street during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Elm street, from Main street to Chestnut street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of lands to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$187, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows.

On tier of lots on each side of Elm street, from Main street to Chestnut street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,481.

SPRINKLING GIBBS STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing.

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:
An ordinance sprinkle Gibbs street from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to a point 100 feet south of East Main street during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Gibbs street from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to a point 100 feet south of East Main street during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$132, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Gibbs street from a point 100 feet north of East avenue to a point 100 feet south of East Main street.

On which above described portion of the city the expense of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,482.

SPRINKLING KENT STREET.

On motion of Alderman Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Alderman Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Kent street, from a point 100 feet north of Allen street to Brown street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Kent street, from a point 100 feet north of Allen street to Brown street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$303, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Kent street, from a point 100 feet north of Allen street to Brown street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—14.

The final ordinance for sprinkling Broadway came up.

Al. J. Jeffords moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,483.

ANDREW STREET SPRINKLING.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Andrews from the west end of Andrews street bridge to a point 100 feet west of North avenue during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Andrews street from the west end of Andrews street bridge to a point 100 feet west of North avenue during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$382, which estimate is hereby approved, and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Andrews street, from the west end of Andrews street bridge to a point 100 feet west of North avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—14.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly in the Chair.
The report of the special committee to acquire a strip of land for the bridge across the river came up. Ald. Hinds moved that the report be adopted. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That the City Attorney ascertain and report to the Common Council the amount for which the additional lands necessary to be taken for the new street from Mill to Water streets can be obtained from the owner thereof, to wit: The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron:
To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—In response to the resolution of your Honorable Body directing me to ascertain and report the amount for which the additional lands for the new street, from Mill street to Water street, can be purchased of the owner, the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, I have the honor to state, that the required lands can be purchased for \$36,000.
Respectfully submitted,
J. N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

Ordered received, filed and published.
By Ald. Barron—Whereas, the additional lands necessary for the new street from Mill street to Water street can be obtained for the compensation of \$36,000.

Resolved, That said compensation is hereby determined to be reasonable and that the amount named is satisfactory to the city of Rochester.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—13.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized, on behalf of the City to enter into the contract presented by the Select Committee on Negotiations with the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company, which contract is printed on pages 18 and 19 of the Common Council proceedings for the current year, under and in pursuance of the ordinance and proceedings heretofore adopted by the Common Council.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—14.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That all parties interested in the matter of the improvement

requiring the taking of additional lands belonging to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for the purpose of a street from Mill street to Water street, and all persons interested in the expense thereof have an opportunity to be heard on the subject of ordering the assessors to make an assessment roll at the next regular meeting of the Common Council at the Common Council chamber, City Hall building, May 15th, at 6 o'clock p. m., and that the City Clerk publish this notice as provided in section 190 of the city charter. Adopted.

The order of assessments for opening and extending Evergreen street came up. Allegations being called for and no person appearing, Ald. Bronson submitted the following:

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT—NO. 2,219.

OPENING AND EXTENDING EVERGREEN STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 31st day of May, 1881, enact an ordinance for opening and extending Evergreen street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,931.89 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of the street proposed to be opened, from the present east end of Evergreen street to the present west end of St. Michaels street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,931.89, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, F. Eickenstein, and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 5th day of May, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The penal ordinance relating to the erection and removal of buildings published on pages 24 and 25, Common Council proceedings, came up.

Ald. Bronson moved it be adopted.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The report of the commissioners appointed to appraise the damages which the owners, occupants and tenants of the lands and premises to be taken by the city of Rochester for straightening and widening North St. Paul street came up. Allegations were called for. After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Archer moved that the report be confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard—9.

Nays—Ald. Bronson, Foley, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—6.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Hinds moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds and the clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Fel-

singer, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

1st ward—Peter Sheridan,

3d ward—Howard L. Osgood, Seward Whittlesey,

4th ward—Homer A. Kingsley, Thomas McCormick,

6th ward—Sigmund Rosenberg, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council, were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Election for the 6th ward. Adopted.

Ald. Archer nominated Wm. H. Scanlin.

Wm. H. Scanlin was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink.

Wm. H. Scanlin was declared appointed Inspector of Elections for the 6th ward.

Ald. Collins moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Ald. Collins nominated Jacob Howe, Jr.

Jacob Howe, Jr. was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords—2.

Wm. Wright was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords—2.

Wm. Wright was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

Ald. Watson moved to postpone the appointment of Police Commissioner two weeks.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Wm. Wright was named by Ald. Jeffords, Foley—2.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson—1.

*No choice.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley--3.
No choice.

SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley--3.
No choice.

EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley--3.
No choice.

NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley--3.
No choice.

TENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley--3.
No choice.

ELEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley--3.
No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved to postpone balloting for Police Commissioner and proceed under the head of Miscellaneous Business.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes--Ald. Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin--4.

Nays--Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink - 10.

TWELFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley--3.
No choice.

THIRTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords--2.
Wm. Wright was named by Ald. Foley--1.
No choice.

FOURTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Wm. Wright was named by Ald. Jeffords, Foley--2.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson--1.
No choice.

FIFTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

W. H. Bowman was named by Ald. Watson, Foley--2.

B. L. Sheldon was named by Ald. Jeffords--1.
No choice.

SIXTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

W. H. Bowman was named by Ald. Jeffords, Foley--2.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson--1.
No choice.

SEVENTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

W. H. Bowman was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley--3.

No choice.

EIGHTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

W. H. Bowman was named by Ald. Watson--1.

George Raines was named by Ald. Jeffords--1.

D. W. Powers was named by Ald. Foley--1.
No choice.

NINETEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

W. H. Bowman was named by Ald. Watson--1.

Wm. Wright was named by Ald. Jeffords, Foley--2.

No choice.

TWENTIETH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Wm. Wright was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords--2.

J. W. Stanley was named by Ald. Foley--1.
No choice.

TWENTY-FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

W. H. Bowman was named by Ald. Watson--1.

J. W. Breakey was named by Ald. Jeffords, Foley--2.

No choice.

TWENTY-SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley--3.

No choice.

TWENTY-THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

TWENTY-FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

TWENTY-FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

TWENTY-SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

Ald. Felsing moved to postpone balloting for Police Commissioner two weeks.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Rice—5.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed under the head of miscellaneous business.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Archer, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard—5.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Jeffords, Felsing, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

TWENTY-SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Wm. Wright was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.

F. L. Murray was named by Ald. Foley—1.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson—1.

No choice.

TWENTY-EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

F. Smith was named by Ald. Foley—1.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords—2.

No choice.

TWENTY-NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Isaac Marshall was named by Ald. Foley—1.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords—2.

No choice.

THIRTIETH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing,

Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

F. S. Upton was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

THIRTY-FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

F. S. Upton was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

THIRTY-SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

F. S. Upton was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords—2.

Blank was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

THIRTY-THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

F. S. Upton was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

THIRTY-FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley—3.

No choice.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed under the head of miscellaneous business. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That the Citizens Gas Light Company be requested to lay a suitable gas main in Jersey street to supply the public lamps in said street. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—Whereas, There are now unpaid general city taxes to the amount of \$154.32 on lot corner of Evergreen street and Evergreen Place owned by the heirs of Henry Lampert, and said heirs were erroneously assessed for walks and improvement of Evergreen Place, or thirty feet they did not own, and said matter having been heretofore referred to the Assessment Committee who reported that on said heirs paying the sum of \$113.22, their proportion of said improvement tax and city taxes, said taxes be discharged, and,

Whereas, tax certificates thereon are held by private individuals and must be paid in full therefore

Resolved, That on the payment, by said heirs or their attorney, John M. Steele, to the City Treasurer of the sum of \$154.32 that said Treasurer pay and he is hereby directed to pay over to said heirs or attorney the sum of \$41 and charge the same to the contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby instructed to receive from the owner of lot No. 532, south side

of Spencer street, Jones tract, the original amount of the several taxes assessed against the said premises with interest at 7 per cent. and upon such payment to cancel the same.

Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Watson--Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to cancel the assessment for East Main street sprinkling for 1882 against lot 52 Henry F. Minges, and charge the same to erroneous assessments, the said lot not being situated on East Main street. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson--Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to draw an order in favor of C. S. P. Carey for \$23 46, excess paid by her for general city taxes, from 1876 to 1882, on vacant lot, that was assessed as house and lot, and charge erroneous assessments.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes--Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--14.
By Ald. Jeffords--

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883.
To the Printing Committee of the Common Council:
GENTS: In view of the fact that our contract for the past year was 33 per cent. less than our regular rates, we feel that unless you can restore the \$100 taken from the same we shall be compelled to respectfully decline your proposition. Yours,

FRANK T. SKINNER, Sec'y.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Jeffords--Resolved, That the Rochester Morning Herald be paid one thousand dollars, instead of nine hundred dollars, for publishing the proceedings of this Board for the ensuing year.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes--Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--14.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Frederick J. Morris for permission to erect a wood building, and moved the petition be granted, under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a communication from N. A. Stone, and moved it be received and filed. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds--Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to issue the city's notes for the sum of \$144,819.13, to take up the note for similar amount given May 8th, 1882, to pay for property taken for new street between Sophia and State streets, known as Church street; said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes--Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink--13.

By Ald. Hinds--Resolved, That the Finance Committee be and they are hereby authorized to employ two suitable persons who shall be empowered to make a thorough investigation of all accounts of receipts by the Executive Board or receiver of water rents, on account of revenue from water service and water rents, and who shall report to the Common Council, showing all moneys received by the city on account of water works, and who shall also examine and report the entire cost of maintenance of said water works from the time of their completion and acceptance, when they passed under the control of the Executive Board, to April 23, 1883, together with a de-

tailed statement of the payroll of the present employes of the Executive Board, which is charged to and paid out of water works fund or water pipe extension fund. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved to reconsider the final ordinance for a plank walk on Silver street. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved that the ordinance for a plank walk on Silver street be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented a petition for a railroad station on the N. Y. C. & H. R. RR. on the west side, and moved that a committee of six be appointed to confer with the N. Y. C. & H. R. RR. Co. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard--

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN--The undersigned, a committee from the Protective Sack and Bucket Company, respectfully call the attention of your honorable body to the following statement:

The Legislature of the State of New York passed an act authorizing your honorable body to appropriate the sum of \$20,000 for the purpose of building a house for the Protective Sack and Bucket Company of this city; that the contract for said house was duly let, but the funds raised by your honorable body were not sufficient to accomplish the work.

The building was finished, but parties doing the work have not as yet fully received their pay for the same. The amount of back payments due and past due amount to \$1,200. This amount does not include anything for furnishing said house. The parties who have done this work threaten to put a lien on the property unless their accounts are adjusted. We are only able to pay our current expenses and furnish the house from our appropriation, so pray that your honorable body will advance the necessary funds to pay the bill contracted in building the house.

J. M. BROWN,
S. B. WILLIAMS,
E. A. JAQUITH,
H. D. STONE,
J. T. ROBERTS,
Committee.

Rochester, May 1, 1883.

Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Southard --

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: Your petitioner would respectfully represent that the city is the owner of a certain piece or parcel of land lying on the north side of Glenwood avenue and extending back westerly from said street to Deep Hollow gully. Said land is supposed to be the northern terminus of Fulton avenue, but, as your petitioner is informed and believes, it has been fenced off and unoccupied for many years; that it would be extremely dangerous to be open as a street, on account of the deep gully at the end of the same. It is of scarcely any value to the city, and your petitioner thinks, with a great deal of improvement, it could be rendered suitable for a building spot. The lot is about the width (on Glenwood avenue) of Fulton avenue, and extends back about sixty feet. Your petitioner is desirous of having this matter presented to the proper committee to investigate the same, in order that he may enter into negotiations for the purchase of the said premises.

Respectfully submitted. CHAS. J. LESTER.

Referred to City Property Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of property owners on avenue A and B and Crescent avenue and offered the following resolution:

By Ald. Simmelink--Whereas, A majority of all of the owners of lots on Vick park, avenues A and B and Crescent avenue, have petitioned this Common Council in accordance with chapter 96 of the laws of 1880; therefore

Resolved, That the city assessors be and they are hereby required to assess at the rate of three (\$3) dollars for each 40 feet front on said avenues A and B and Crescent avenue, Vick park, except lots 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, said sum of three dollars each to be added to and included with the general city tax for the year 1883, and the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay

the sum thus assessed and collected to James Vick, he being the person designated by the owners to receive the same, and the city clerk is hereby directed to transmit to said assessors and the city treasurer a certified copy thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Ald. Watson moved to adjourn. Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Foley, Felsing—3.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Ald. Felsing moved to postpone balloting for Police Commissioner for two weeks. Lost.

THIRTY-SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly and Simmelink—10.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords and Foley—3.

No choice.

THIRTY-SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly and Simmelink—10.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson and Jeffords—2.

No choice.

THIRTY-EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords—2.

No choice.

THIRTY-NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords—2.

No choice.

FORTIETH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords—2.

FORTY-FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Blank was named by Ald. Watson and Jeffords—2.

No choice.

Ald. Collins moved that balloting for Police Commissioner be postponed two weeks.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard—6.

Nays—Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—5.

The President of the Board announced the following committee:

Committee to confer with N. Y. C. & H. R. Railroad Company to procure the building of a passenger depot at Brown street—Ald. Felsing, Kelly, Foley, and John W. Martin, Valentine Dengler, Anthony H. Martin.

Ald. Archer moved to adjourn. Adopted.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, May 15th, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Absent—Ald. Strouss, Rice—2.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, May 1st, 1883, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, & C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of Marvin Harris in relation to tax certificates held by the city. Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Collins—bills of

S. W. Stott, services at Remi Miller's block ...	\$ 47 50
R. W. Masseu, hack hire	2 00
C. Mayer, hack hire	3 00
John C. More, blanks	9 90
John P. Smith, assessment rolls	173 50
W. G. Martens, badges	32 50
James Lusk, serving notices, treasurer	18 52
G. F. Slocum, services, City Attorney	40 85

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petition of C. A. Collinson for permission to erect a wood building on Tremont Place and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson presented petitions for sprinkling Clarissa and Howell streets. Referred to the Improvement Committee and City Surveyor.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Geo. G. Clarkson. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Charles Hahn for permission to erect a wood building on Graham street and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Sarah Dell for permission to erect a wood building in rear of No. 20 Griffith street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

Brush Electric Light Company, lighting for April	\$ 846 45
N. H. Galusha, lamp posts	52 00

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of Hannah Lynch, Louis Jeserer, Charles Turner, J. P. Hovey, J. P. Tumilty, Martin Hennesey and Alice Winants for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented petitions for water mains in Cottage street and Plymouth avenue. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Felsing presented the petitions of Geo. Fisher, L. P. Steimes and heirs of J. P. Roche for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the claim of William Kavanagh for damages alleged to have been sustained at the swing bridge over the Genesee Valley canal. Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Felsinger—Bills of

Joseph Ritz, meat.....	\$ 25 00
A. L. Morris, meat.....	50 00
A. M. Scampie, groceries.....	359 98
Frank Rogers, groceries.....	8 00
M. C. Gannon, groceries.....	21 25
Geo. Oppel, bread.....	20 40
Bertha Stoepel, bread.....	13 56
N. Kerhoff, bread.....	66 84
Wm. Knight, rent.....	10 00
Mary Crowley, rent.....	10 00
Chas. Engler, rent.....	8 00
Leo. Schlitzer, rent.....	32 00
S. B. Stuart, coal.....	242 55
Julius Stoll, printing, Excise Board.....	8 00
J. A. Davis, special tax list.....	10 10
F. J. Amsden, transportation.....	9 80

Referred to the Poor Committee.

By Ald. Felsinger—

OFFICE OF THE OVERSEER OF THE POOR,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 15, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the Poor of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report that during the month of April he has relieved 425 families in the following manner:

Orders on Poor Store.....	\$1,218 25
.. .. Coal yard.....	387 10
.. .. Undertakers.....	91 50
.. .. for transportation.....	16 16
.. .. shoes.....	21 60
Total.....	\$ 1,784 61
Less amount charged to towns.....	81 76

Total to city.....\$1,702 85
N. THOMPSON, Overseer of the Poor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of owners and residents on Foechner street to change the name of said Foechner street to Cleveland street. Referred to the Committee on Opening and Alteration of Streets.

Ald. Southard presented petitions for water mains in Edward and Bond streets. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Also, a petition for opening and extending Edward street. Referred to the Committee on Opening and Alteration of Streets and City Surveyor.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of John F. Montgomery for permission to erect a carpenter shop on Race street and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of F. N. Skuse for permission to erect a wood building and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

Smith Perkins & Co., soap.....	\$ 2 25
Charles Little, labor and material.....	7 25

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented petitions of M. Smith and Arthur F. Taunton for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for a plank walk on Genesee street and moved that the Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for lamps in Genesee street and Plymouth and Brooks avenues and moved that the Lamp Committee be directed to place lamps in said streets. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for a blue stone flag walk in Hawthorne street. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

By Ald. Felsinger—Bills of

B. Frank Enos, Expenses for April.....\$ 181 40
Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Felsinger—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1883.
POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
May 15, 1883.

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of March, 1883:

1883,—April.	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
2—John Weaver	drunk	\$10	\$8
Mary Lawrence	..	10	..
Jos Staub	..	10	..
Louis McNish	petit larceny	cost	3
3—Maggie McLimen	drunk	10	..
Jas McLimen	..	10	..
Emma Pierce	..	10	..
John Flanagan	hotel fraud	cost	1
Wm Pasch	drunk	10	..
Jas Keefe	..	10	..
Martin Kilry	..	10	10
Mary Murphy	..	10	..
Rosa O'Hara	..	10	..
John Wall	..	10	5
John Duffy	..	10	..
Henry Acosta	..	10	5
John Barry	..	10	2
Jas Goodwin	..	old fine	5
4—Jacob Whitney	drunk	10	4
John H Carroll	..	10	..
Chas H Reinhardt	hotel fraud	cost	1
5—Wm Doman	drunk	10	..
Mary O'Grady	vio. ord.	10	..
John Burns	..	10	..
Abram Renneky	drunk	10	4
John Stewart	..	10	..
Wm Whalen	..	10	..
John Livingston	..	10	..
6—Dorman O'Carroll	petit larceny	5	5
Mary Predmore	..	10	..
Nicholas Mautsee	drunk	10	..
Geo Dibble	..	10	5
John Glynn	..	10	..
7—Jas R Lawson	..	10	..
Nicholas McQuade	..	10	10
Eate Kinsella	..	10	..
George Benford	..	10	10
Dennis Carroll	riding on cars	5	..
Frank Jones	..	5	..
Nicholas Millen	..	5	..
Herman Sabbach	drunk	10	..
8—Jas E Johnson	..	10	10
John Weston	..	10	..
Robert Hardie	..	10	..
9—James Rooney	..	10	..
John Kelly	..	10	10
Wm Holden	..	10	..
Thos Moran	..	10	..
Wm Hagan	..	10	5
10—Nathan Van Wagner	vio ord	10	25
Deeds J Burke	petit larceny	cost	1
Jas Watson	drunk	10	..
Frank Brumm	..	10	..
Jas Patton	..	10	5
11—John F Hayden	..	10	..
Frederick Friday	..	10	..
Geo Bowman	vio ord	10	..
John Reinhart	..	10	..
12—Mary Davis	drunk	10	..
Richard Bott	..	10	..
Geo McFarlin	..	10	..
Thos Fitzpatrick	..	10	..
13—Patrick Riley	..	10	..
Patrick Brennan	..	10	5
John Kelly	..	10	..
Robert J Justice	..	10	..
Michael McFarlin	..	10	..
14—Robert Carr	..	10	..
John O'Mara	..	10	..
David Moshier	..	10	..
Thos McNaugh	..	10	..
Frank Howard	..	10	..
15—James Hogan	..	10	5
Jane Marshall	..	10	..
Bell Powers	..	10	..
Libbie Powers	..	10	..
16—Michael Carberry	..	10	5
Ira Andrews	..	10	..
17—Alexander Campbell	..	10	10
Mary Hogan	..	10	..
18—Edward O'Brien	..	10	..
Jesse W Wilson	vio ord	10	..
Chas Barrington	drunk	10	5
Julia Clark	..	10	..
Jas Finnuacan	..	10	..
Mary Keeler	..	10	..
Cyrus Russell	..	10	..

19—Mary Minot	..	10	
Elijah Russell	..	10	
20—Michael Moran	..	10	
Frank Gaven	..	10	
Sarah McCabe	..	10	
21—Ludwig Spoler	..	10	
Albert Wilson	..	10	
Mary Dugan	..	10	
Kate Donlin	..	10	
Maggie Clark	..	10	
Eliza Bushler	..	10	
Pat'k Maloy	..	10	
Kate Kinsella	..	10	
Richard Bartlett	..	10	
22—Jas. Crawford	..	10	5
Wm Cooley	..	10	
Geo Millman	..	10	
Lawrence Flood	..	10	
John Smith	..	10	
John McDonald	..	10	
Michael Kelly	..	10	
James Costello	..	10	
Edward Farley	petit larceny	10	10
	drunk	10	
Joseph Neary	..	10	5
James Finnucan	..	10	
Bridget McGann	..	10	
Mary McDowell	..	10	5
24—Joseph O'Donell	..	10	2
Michael Whitman	..	10	
Henry Huber	..	10	
Ebenazar G. Aldridge	..	10	10
Luvis Bradley	..	10	
Augustus Williams	..	10	10
Daniel McAvoy	..	10	10
John A. Barry	..	10	5
Charles Ely	..	10	
25—Mary Jones	..	10	
Louis Marks	..	10	
Frank Dwyer	..	10	
Patrick Grimes	..	10	
Patrick Ryan	..	10	
26—James Paterson	..	10	10
Edward Dawson	..	10	
Andrew Hines	..	10	5
Patrick Grimes	..	10	
Albert P. Britton	..	10	10
27—James Myers	..	10	5
John Hayes	..	10	5
Eliza Pettit	..	10	
Edward Dorsey	assault costs	10	5
28—Thomas O'Connor	drunk	10	1
Francis W. Gilbert	vio drunk	10	
Bartholomew Galvin	drunk	10	
30—John Murphy	..	10	
Henry Steele	..	10	5
Thomas F. Finley	assault cost	10	1
Daniel O'Connell	drunk	10	
30—Jacob Miller	drunk	10	
Josephine Bagley	..	10	
Jas Kain	..	10	
Jacob Bernehuff	..	10	10
Wm Settarly	..	10	
John Keegan	..	10	
William Lawrence	..	10	5
Frederick French	..	10	5
Robt Kirkpatrick	vio ord	10	
John Kelly	drunk	10	5
John Riley	..	10	
Franz Schlegel	vio ord	10	10
Roger Mahoney	..	5	

Committee, Ald. Felsing from the Poor Committee, and Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, reported favorably on the bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Jeffords—

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF POLICE,
ROCHESTER, May 8th, 1883. }

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully report the following lamps not burning during the month of April, 1883.

Gas..... 129
Oil..... 320

Respectfully, ALEX. McLEAN,
Chief Police.

Ordered received, filed and published.

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the matters hereinafter mentioned, hereby reports.

It is claimed by the heirs of Esther M. Newell, that the assessments against lots 25 and 26, owned by them, for the improvement of South St. Paul street, on which street the lots front, was improperly assessed and that the assessments are uncollectable. The amount of said assessments with interest and expenses, including the general city tax since 1881, is about \$1,500. The said parties now propose to pay the sum of \$750, if the same is received in full of said claims. Your committee is of the opinion that the whole amount is collectable, and thereof reports adversely to the said claim.

Dr. R. W. H. H. claims that while driving on Caledonia avenue, in the evening of the 21st of April last, his carriage was overturned and badly injured and that his horse, by reason of the accident, was badly bruised and damaged. It appears that the accident was caused by a pile of ashes that had been placed in the street by some party owning a lot on said street. Your committee is of the opinion that the accident was not caused by any negligence of the city authorities, and therefore reports adversely to the payment of anything on the said claim.

The grievance of M. V. B. Sherman has been heretofore taken before the Council, and seems to be a serious one. Mr. Sherman owns a lot of land next north of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company's land and fronting on Hebard street. By reason of the closing of Hebard street, in consequence of the construction of the elevated tracks, Mr. Sherman's lot is cut off from the former access which he had to the street. So far as Mr. Sherman's damage is concerned, your committee does not deem it advisable that the city authorities should at this time take any action. It seems, however, that the railroad company has erected a fence across said street at a point nearly 200 feet northerly of the place where it is entitled to erect the same. Your committee would recommend that the accompanying resolution on this subject be adopted, and that no further or other action be at this time taken.

The petition of Louis E. Smith, which was duly referred to your committee and the testimony taken, shows that in the assessment roll for general city taxes for the year 1882, there was assessed against the heirs of M. W. Kirby for personal property \$10,000, on lots 126 and 127 west side Elizabeth street, \$5,000, water rates \$5.35. It seems that at the time the said lots were held under contract by said Smith, and he is now the owner of the same. Mr. Smith on the 6th day of October, 1882, paid to the city treasurer the sum of \$152.76, being the whole amount of the tax on said real estate and the amount of the said water rates. The treasurer properly refused to cancel the tax aforesaid on said lots unless the whole amount thereof was paid. Said Kirby was paid by said owner of said lots has no interest in the assessment on said personal property your committee recommends that the resolution herewith submitted on this subject be adopted.

With reference to the claim of John W. McCrossen your committee reports: Said claimant alleges that his property situated in Richmond, N. Y., was damaged at the time of the construction of the water works to an amount which with interest aggregates about the sum of \$75. The chief engineer of the water works reports that the sum of about \$52 is fairly owing to said claimant (see Common Council proceedings 1880-1881, page 219.) Your committee ascertains that the payment of the sum of \$60 will be received in full of the claim and in view of the small difference between the amount claimed and the amount mentioned in said report and the expense of arbitration, your committee recommends the payment of said sum of \$60 in full.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
Law Committee.

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester ss.

I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of April, 1883, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.

Sworn to before me this 15th day of May, 1883.

F. J. IRWIN

Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Joseph Flaherty for permission to erect a wood building on Sherman place and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Andrew Aggie relating to a strip of land on the north side of Glenwood avenue and known as Fulton avenue. Referred to the city property committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, that the Executive Board be, and it hereby is directed to cause the removal of the fence across Hebard street, constructed by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, which fence is placed near the intersection of Poplar street with said Hebard street. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is directed to receive the sum of \$152.76 paid into his office on the 6th day of October, 1882, by Lewis E. Smith, on account of the taxes against the heirs of M. W. Kirby, on lots 126 and 127, west side of Elizabeth street, and on account of water rates, in full for the general city tax for the year 1882; and the water rates included therein on said lots, and to cancel the certificates held by the city on the sale of said lots for said year, but this resolution shall not affect the claim of the city on account of the tax on said personal property.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of John W. McCrossen for \$60 in full of claim for damages growing out of the construction of the Rochester water works, on their being filed with the City Attorney a satisfactory discharge and satisfaction of the said claim, and charge Contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Kelly—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your City Property Committee, to which was referred the communication relating to the sale of the city's interest in that portion of Fulton avenue north of Brisbane street, hereby reports: The portion of said avenue referred to has never been of any use to the city as a street, owing to the short distance from Brisbane street to the high bank of Deep Hollow. Some time since the street north of of the point named was closed by the city on account of the dangerous condition in which the roadway would be in with the street open at the point named. Your committee is of the opinion that some amount can be realized on a sale of the city's interest in that portion of the street, without thereby injuring any interest of the city. Your committee therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

J. MILLER KELLY,
JOHN A. FELSINGER,
CHARLES WATSON,
City Property Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Property Committee be and it hereby is directed to advertise for sale the portion of Fulton avenue north of Brisbane street, and to report to the Common Council the amount for which said property can be sold, upon the city's quit claim deed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Foley:

City of Rochester to William Carroll, Dr.: To materials and labor furnished, inclosing with bricks frame cottage on lot corner of Troupe and Julia street owned by H. S. Mackie and ordered by the Common Council.....\$ 184 83

Dated May 15, 1883.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer for one hundred eighty-four and 83-100 dollars in favor of William Carroll, Fire Marshal, and charge contingent fund.

Ald. Kelly moved to refer to the law committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the permission to raise brick wall with tin and glass roof on building No. 118 Front street owned by the Union View Co., Limited, be and is hereby rescinded for the reason that the partition walls of said No 118 Front street are already three stories high and only eight inches thick. Adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 15th, 1883.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

C. E. Morris, stationery.....	\$272 70
L. Ernst & Son, supplies Surveyor's office ...	46 10
R. Heavy, livery.....	15 00
W. L. Buckland, livery.....	4 00
Jackson & Burleigh, stationery.....	21 75
S. W. Stott, serving notices.....	12 00
T. R. Griffith, stenographer's services.....	20 00
W. R. Lansing,	6 00
George F. Flannery, printing.....	12 00
B. L. Seldom, C. C. lunch May 15.....	15 00
City Clerk, disbursements.....	9 19
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

O'Kane Bros., meat.....	\$59 39
M. McDonald, meat.....	25 00
John Curran, meat.....	25 00
Joe. Minges, meat.....	25 00
H. H. Edgerton, rent.....	45 00
E. L. Thomas, rent.....	10 00
C. E. Bowen, rent.....	15 25
C. W. Gra., groceries.....	277 85
T. J. Kenning,	31 50
J. C. Gray,	35 75
P. Connaughton, groceries.....	4 00
B. O'Reilly, burials.....	55 50
Hunn & Williamson, burials.....	12 00
M. Heavey, transportation.....	20 00
Jno. A. Siener, medicines.....	10 00
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	86 94
J. G. Davis & Son, flour.....	146 25
Aug. Wenzel, bread.....	26 32
Ann Coyle, board.....	4 75
Anthony Biehl, groceries.....	8 00
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Municipal Gas Co., gas city buildings.....	\$187 33
Hart & Maher, labor and material city bldg's.	5 85
Smith, Perkins & Co., matches.....	8 10
Hamilton & Mathews, step ladders.....	7 00
C. W. Ashman, soap.....	3 00
E. B. Rundle, tube cleaner.....	3 00
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER. }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 14, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates have been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board; and are hereby respectfully referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, May 14, 1883. }

FINANCE BUDGET.

<i>Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.</i>	
Byron Holley, salary for May.....	\$218 33
Samuel B. Williams, salary for May.....	208 34
George W. Aldridge	208 33
E. Darrow & Co., stationery.....	9 24
<i>Street Department—Highway Fund.</i>	
Weekly payroll, May 3.....	\$595 85
10	289 70
	\$885 05
Frost & Co., rent of dump ground.....	39 00
Hicks & McKenzie, horse shoeing.....	9 50
A. H. Weniger, Harness repairs, etc.....	25 85
Marx & Young, repairs, wagons and tools....	4 90
Geo. F. Flannery, printing.....	5 00
H. Flake, hardware.....	24 65
R. Y. McConnell, grading Henry street.....	29 00

Jacob Sutter, stone, Buell avenue.....	6 00
Adam Brasch, breaking stone.....	\$3 00
Otto Wellert.....	37 56
J. Hingelhoefer.....	23 28
John Geist.....	16 11
Adam Gaertner.....	3 60
Geo. B. I. Harris, disbursements.....	88 55
Geo. B. Harris, expense for canal dams.....	8 87
	39 50

	\$1,151 95
<i>Water Pipe Extension.—Water Pipe Fund.</i>	
Weekly pay roll, May 10.....	102 47
17.....	179 47
Mellert foundry and machine company, final estimate pipe.....	281 94
George B. Harris, transportation pipe cartages and expenses.....	1,591 17
J. H. Decker & Co., estimates No. 1, group 74, trenching, etc.....	128 73
Pipelaying.....	4 80
A. C. Bowen, estimate No. 8, group 68	330 00
Wm. Dyer.....	110 60
J. H. Decker & Co., estimate No. 2, group 74, trenching etc.....	440 00
Pipe laying.....	120 00
	400 00
	200 00
	40 00
	240 00
	\$3,26 64

<i>Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.</i>	
Weekly pay roll, May 10, operating expenses.....	436 36
Weekly pay roll, May 10, service and repairs.....	290 75
Weekly pay roll, May 17, operating expenses.....	777 11
Weekly pay roll, May 17, service and repairs.....	486 36
	344 00

T. J. Neville, clerk, disbursements.....	830 36
A. V. Benoit, blue process paper.....	34 75
E. Darrow & Co. stationery.....	3 00
George F. Flannery, printing.....	5 86
Francis McKenna, washing.....	14 00
George B. Harris, disbursements.....	8 45
John Thompson, hay.....	16 97
Rochester Gas Light Co., gas bills.....	19 50
Marx & Young, repairs sleighs and wagons.....	12 80
Hicks & McKenzie, horse shoeing.....	35 60
James Hart, harness, supplies.....	13 00
A. H. Weniger, harness, repairs.....	1 80
George E. Miller, wood.....	3 85
James Field, supplies.....	4 00
National Meter Co., meters.....	29 30
J. Emory Jones, labor and material.....	356 25
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	45 62
Alexander Gray, ditching, etc. S. reservoir.....	39 04
A. McCormick.....	40 50
Robert Crennell, 2 bills labor C. Line.....	35 00
S. H. Oviatt, labor etc.....	13 50
Geo E Miller, wood.....	9 44
E. S. Oatley, erroneous assessment 1882.....	6 01
Street department, teaming S reservoir.....	4 25
	7 0
	\$2,866 95

<i>Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.</i>	
Munn, Converse & Antlice, repairs to apparatus.....	\$ 26 16
Marx & Young, repairs to apparatus and wagons.....	13 00
Geo. B. Harris, paid for straw.....	14 05
R. Y. McConnell, hay.....	80 70
Hicks & McKenzie, horse shoeing.....	147 00
L. S. Gibson, washing.....	19 25
disbursements.....	10 45
Geo. B. Harris.....	12 08
J. A. Weider, repairs to harness, etc.....	1 60
James Hart, harness work.....	2 50
Ulica F. A. Tel. Co., repairs.....	7 50
F. E. Handy, labor, F. A. Tel., two bills.....	24 00
R. McIntyre, etc.....	20 00
J. Armstrong.....	11 00
	\$389 29

<i>Local Improvements—Special Funds.</i>	
N. C. Bradstreet, inspecting, N. St. Paul st. sewer.....	\$15 00
W. B. Woodin, inspecting, Genesee st. improvement (2 bills).....	30 00
Jacob Rauber, inspecting Rauber st. sewer.....	62 50
Charles S. Fletcher, inspecting E. avenue outlet sewer.....	27 50
C. A. De Bruyn, inspecting Vose st. sewer.....	20 00
Daniel Gatens, inspecting Sexton st. outlet sewer.....	17 50
James K. Nellis, removing dam in Ohio basin, amount reserved from final estimate.....	150 00
Street Department—Labor and materials, concreting sewer, G. V. canal sewer, Sec. 2.....	49 24

Street Department, stakes and expenses:	
N. St. Paul st. sewer.....	\$ 22 38
Genesee st. sewer.....	12 07
Briggs place sewer.....	10 14
Langham st. walk.....	2 89
S. Union st. walk.....	2 13
Vose st. sewer.....	2 02
Tappan st. sewer, No. 1.....	1 59
	53 22

<i>Estimates.</i>	
E. R. Fox, partial estimate No. 2.....	\$200 00
No. 3.....	200 00
Grading approaches to Lyell ave. bridge.....	
McCConnell & Jones, partial estimate No. 2	
Alexander st. improvement.....	3,000 00
F. C. Lauer, final estimate N. St. Paul st. sewer.....	1,675 74
J. H. Nellis, final estimate, Vose st. sewer.....	984 50
Thomas Oliver, final estimate Langham st. walk.....	276 64
McCConnell & Jones, final estimate, Briggs place and Chili ave. sewer.....	2,001 90
F. C. Lauer, final estimate, Tappan st. sewer No. 1.....	542 70
Pittsburgh Bridge Co., partial estimate No. 2, Lyell ave. bridge.....	3,665 00
	\$12,971 44

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Aid. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Feisinger, Southard, Aikenbead, Kelly, Stumelink—16.
 By Aid. Hinds—Resolved. That in pursuance of section 81 of the City Charter, the following be fixed as the amounts necessary to be raised for the purposes hereafter named, and the clerk be directed to publish the same.

TAX LEVY—1883-84.	
For lighting the city.....	\$65,000 00
For support of the police.....	60,000 00
For general contingent expenses.....	45,000 00
For support and relief of the poor.....	30,000 00
For Board of Health, including collection of garbage.....	12,000 00
	\$212,000 00
For support of common schools, as follows:	
Building Fund, \$15,000 per charter and \$15,000 per special act.....	\$30,000 00
Repair Fund.....	10,000 00
Contingent Fund, including \$2,500 for steam heating in No. 5.....	46,500 00
Teachers' Fund.....	88,500 00
	175,000 00
For City Property Fund.....	3,000 00
For the Executive Board, as per requisition:	
Fire Department Fund.....	\$70, 00 00
Extension of water pipe.....	22,810 00
Highway Fund.....	25,000 00
Repair and care of avenues.....	4,200 00
Salary and Expense Fund.....	8,000 00
	130,010 00
For Park Fund.....	2,000 00
For erroneous assessments.....	2,219 47
For local assessments on city property.....	3,781 95
For interest on bonded debt as follows, at 7 per cent.:	
One year on \$54,000, deficiency loan (issued 1872 to cover unpaid taxes prior to 1870).....	\$3,500 00
One year on \$15,000, Free Academy site.....	1,150 00
One year on \$125,000, Free Academy building.....	8,750 00
One year on \$60,000, floating debt loan—\$30,000 on account of flood damages, and \$30,000 to replace bounty loan of 1864.....	4,200 00
One year on \$150,000, floating debt loan (re-issue of floating debt loan of '68, '69 and '70, authorized May 6, 1873, by Council).....	10,500 00
One year on \$3,182,000, water works.....	232,740 00
One year on \$20,000, No. 5 School loan.....	1,400 00
One year on \$410,000, funding loan of 1875; res. C. C. June 18, '75.....	28,700 00
One year on \$600,000, R. & S. L. RR. loan.....	42,000 00
One year on \$150,000, R. N. & P. RR. loan.....	10,500 00
One year on \$385,000, City Hall loan.....	23,450 00
One year on \$9,000, N. Y. State Arsenal loan (less surplus of amt	

received from the County Treasurer Feb. 15, 1883 for the credit of said loan \$1,500 over 1 bond falling due Feb. 15, 1883, \$1,000—amounting to \$500.....	130 00
At 4 per cent.:	
Eighteen months on \$100,000, consolidated loan (issued August 1, 1882, by res. C. C. March 30, '82....	6,000 00
	\$362,920 00
Less amount to be paid in by Executive Board for surplus receipts over expenditures from Water Works.....	\$100,000 00—262,920 00
	\$362,920 00
For payment of 5 bonds Monroe Avenue Cemetery Loan, due January 1, 1883. @ \$1,000 each..	5,000 00
For payment of 15 bonds Monroe Avenue School Loan due January 1, 1883, @ \$1,000 each..	15,000 00
For amount of Floating Debt Loan maturing in 1882, not provided for in Tax Levy of 1882 nor renewed in Consolidated Loan....	1,000 00
For amount of Steam Fire Engine Loan maturing in 1882, not provided for in Tax Levy of 1882 nor renewed in Consolidated Loan..	2,950 00
	23,950 00
For payment of Notes authorized by the Common Council to supply deficiencies in the following funds:	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. June 13, 1882.....	\$4,000 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. July 11, 1882.....	9,950 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Aug. 14, 1882.....	2,700 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Sept. 5, 1882.....	5,500 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Sept. 19, 1882.....	2,700 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Oct. 3, 1882.....	1,200 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Oct. 17, 1882.....	6,275 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Oct. 31, 1882.....	1,570 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Nov. 14, 1882.....	9,095 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Jan. 9, 1883.....	4,800 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. March 20, 1883.....	2,100 00
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. March 29, 1883.....	2,400 00
	32,190 00
Protectives Building Fund, res. C. C. July 11, 1882.....	2,450 79
Water Works Fund, res. C. C. July 25, 1882.....	26,000 00
Pork Fund, res. C. C. Aug. 22, 1882	1,300 00
Highway Fund, res. C. C. Nov. 14, 1882.....	\$7,000 00
Highway Fund, res. C. C. Jan. 23, 1883.....	3,000 00
Highway Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	25,000 00
	40,000 00
Contingent Fund, res. C. C. Dec. 26, 1882.....	\$25,000 00
Contingent Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	10,000 00
	35,000 00
City Property Fund, res. C. C. Dec. 26, 1882.....	\$2,000 00
City Property Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	2,000 00
	4,000 00
Fire Department Fund, res. C. C. Jan. 23, 1883.....	\$13,000 00
Fire Department Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	10,000 00
	23,000 00
Lamp Fund, res. C. C. Feb. 20, 1883.....	15,000 00
Police Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	16,000 00
Health Fund, res. C. C. March 20, 1883.....	\$1,500 00
Health Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	3,000 00
	4,500 00
	219,440 79
	\$1,084,322 21

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Arch-

er, Jeffords, Folev, Hinds, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.
By Ald Kelly—

ROCHESTER, May 15, 1888.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned comprising your water works committee and the executive board, respectfully submit the annexed report. They have examined the petitions now on file for water pipe extensions during the present year and present the following recommendations in relation thereto: That out of the \$22,310 provided for water pipe extensions in the tax levy for the present fiscal year, the executive board be authorized to reimburse the owners of property who have advanced money to lay water mains in the following named streets under the direction of said board. Also to pay out of said moneys for laying water mains in the following named streets for which the Common Council has heretofore provided money for the procurement of pipe and other materials but make no provision for the laying of same. Also to pay out of said moneys for work and materials required in connecting the water mains under the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. on streets named in the following list, where the tracks are now being elevated: the foregoing work being estimated to cost \$5,870.18.

We also recommend that the executive board be authorized to cause water mains to be extended in the additional group of streets embraced in the following list, and to pay for the same out of the moneys provided as aforesaid in the tax levy for the present year for water pipe extensions; the estimated cost of the work and materials in such additional streets being \$16,958. The foregoing recommendations will absorb all of the said appropriation for the current year.

LIST OF STREETS RECOMMENDED.

STREETS FOR WHICH MONEY HAS BEEN ADVANCED BY OWNERS.

Flora avenue from Avenue B Vick Park to 420 feet east.
Grove place from Gibbs to Cherry.
Wheeler place from Exchange to 140 feet east.
Warehouse st. from Platt to 200 feet south.

STREETS FOR WHICH COUNCIL HAS RAISED MONEY TO PAY FOR MATERIALS ONLY.

Goodman st. from College ave. to 200 feet north of Haywards.
Oakland park from Caroline to Oakland.
TO CONNECT UNDER TRACKS OF N. Y. C. & H. R. R.
Mill st. (H. & D.) from north side to south side N. Y. C. & H. R. R.
Sophia st. (D.) from north side to south side N. Y. C. & H. R. R.
Chatham st. (D.) from north side to south side N. Y. C. & H. R. R.
Hudson st. (D) from north side to south side N. Y. C. & H. R. R.

ADDITIONAL LIST OF STREETS RECOMMENDED.

Edinburgh st. from Exchange to Erie railway.
Pine alley, from Spring to Erie canal.
Holland st. from St. Joseph to Chatham.
Ford st. from West ave. to Erie Canal.
Clarkson st. from Perkins 100 feet south.
Walnut st. from Jay to Smith.
Sherman st. from Myrtle Hill park to Otis.
Whitney st. from Smith to Lime.
Caroline st. from Meigs to Goodman.
Lewis st. from Mt. Vernon ave. to Meigs.
Whalen st. from Averill to Grand.
Vose st. from Hudson to Henry.
Draper st. from Concord ave. to North Ames st. from Maple to Jay.
Lyell st. from Child to Warner.
Campbell st. from Child to Colvin.
Wilder st. from Child to Colvin.
Park ave. from ave. B Vick park to Guenther.
Respectfully submitted,

E. STROUSS,
HENRY RICE,
J. MILLER KELLY,
Water Works Committee.
BYRON HOLLEY,
S. B. WILLIAMS,
GEO. W. ALDRIDGE,
Executive Board.

Ordered received, filed and published.
By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to cause suitable water mains to be extended in the streets indicated in the foregoing list at an estimated expense of twenty-two thousand eight hundred and ten (\$22,810) dollars and to pay for the said work and materials out of the moneys provided in the tax levy for

the year 1883, for water pipe extensions.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsingner, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Kelly—

ROCHESTER, May 15, 1883.

To the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, comprising your Water Works Committee and the Executive Board, respectfully report as follows: That they have examined the various petitions now on file for water pipe extensions during the present year in the various streets of this city—that the estimated cost of the work and materials contemplated by said petition is \$71,400. Your Committee in another communication have made a recommendation as to the streets in which water mains should be extended and the work and the materials hereof be paid for out of the amount (\$22,810) provided in the Tax levy for the present year for water pipe extension. There are as above indicated, a large number of other petitions on file, equally deserving attention, and many of them covering territory in the new ward of the city. If the Common Council will provide means for the extension of these mains we will render a large amount of property in these wards, jointly liable with the territory in the old city for that portion of the water debt remaining unpaid, and will very considerably assist in the building up and improvement of the streets named, in many of which well water suitable for drinking purposes can be obtained. Your Committee is also informed and believes, that better and more favorable contracts can be made both for the materials and for doing the work, provided it is let in quantity instead of in small lots and at intervals during the season. This plan will very materially decrease the labor and expense of letting and doing the work.

The undersigned, your joint committee, therefore recommend that the Executive Board be authorized to cause water mains to be extended in the following named streets, and the City Treasurer authorized and directed to execute the city's note under the provisions of the city charter to pay for the same, when necessary. The estimated cost of the same being \$48,000.

Church st. from State to Fitzhugh.
Garden st. from Caledonia av. to Eagle st.
Ford st. from Adams to Tremont.
Avenue B, from North St. Paul st. to 430 feet east.
North Clinton st. from Catharine to Clifford.
North Water st. from East Main to Mortimer.
Erin st. from Gorham to end of Erin.
Mansion st. from Flint to Violetta.
Magnolia st. from Frances to Genesee.
Exchange st. (Holly) from Court to Troup.
Summer st. from Hunter to Champlain.
Arklow st. from present end to New York st.
Marion st. from Reginald to Francis.
Beechwood place from Lake ave, 600 feet east.
Rowe st. from First to Fourth.
Third st. from Rowe 400 feet south.
Union st. from Lewis to Augusta.
Hare st. from East Main to Goodman.
Silver st. from York to Taylor.
Goodman st. from Caroline to Pinnacle ave.
Poplar st. from Cypress to Gregory.
Wadsworth st. from Hudson to North.
East Selinger st. from St. Joseph to Widman.
Child st. from Jay to Lyell ave.
Chili ave. from Briggs place to Parsons place.
Myrtle ave. from Lyell to Otis.
German st. from Hebard to Alexander.
Alexander st. from Central park to Pennsylvania ave.
Pennsylvania ave. from Alexander to 40 feet west of west line of Fifth ave.
Henrietta ave. from Pinnacle ave. to Almeroth St.
Almeroth st. from Henrietta ave. to Erie canal.
University ave. from Delaware to Merriman.
St. Joseph st. from Clifford to Langham St. Paul.
Huron st. from Alphonse to Haywood ave.
Avenue B from Conkey ave to east end of Avenue B.
North ave. from Clifford 1.600 feet north.
Crescent ave from Avenue A, Vick park, to Avenue B, Vick park.
Carter st. from North ave 800 feet to lot 31.
Granger st. from North Clinton to North St. Paul.
Bowen st. from Mohr ave 400 feet east.

Respectfully submitted,

E. STROUSS,

HENRY RICE,

J. MILLER KELLY,

Water Works Committee.

BYRON HOLLEY,

B. WILLIAMS,

GEO. W. ALDRIDGE,

Executive Board.

Ordered received filed and published.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized to extend water mains in the several streets named in the list hereto attached, and that for the purpose of providing money to pay for such extensions, the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed under the direction of the Finance Committee to make the city's note, when necessary, for forty-eight thousand, six hundred (48,600) dollars, under the provisions of section 81 of the city charter, payable in not more than one year from the date thereof, and get the same discounted and place the avails thereof to the credit of the water pipe extension fund, the said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee and the discount to be charged to the contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsingner, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Ald. Foley, from the select committee on the proposal to close Trowbridge street, reported progress and asked for further time. Further time was granted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—

EXECUTIVE BOARD—CITY OF ROCHESTER.

OFFICE, 13 CITY HALL, May 12, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN: At a regular meeting of your honorable body, held Oct. 31st, 1882, final ordinance No. 2,403 for cleaning and straightening the Court and William street outlet sewer from the north line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. railroad lands to the north line of the city, was passed and very soon thereafter a contract for the performance of the work was entered into with Thomas Oliver, of the city.

This outlet sewer is discharged through an open ditch running through the lands of John Menninger, Dora Sehm, Mary Sandrock, Margaret Farber, Hannah F. Brown, Gertrude Schum, Henry P. Ayers and others within the city limits.

In accordance with instructions from your honorable body, the City Attorney prepared the necessary papers and a contract was entered into with Hannah F. Brown for right of way across her land for a limited time for the discharge of said sewer. A perpetual injunction having previously been granted by the courts prohibiting the city of Rochester from discharging said sewer across said lands subsequent to March, 1881. Upon attempting to prosecute the work under the contract made in pursuance of the ordinance, the Executive Board at once met with opposition from the several owners heretofore mentioned, except Brown, said owners forbidding the contractor from entering upon their said lands for any purpose and threatening to bring suit against the city for damages in the past, as Brown had already done. Under the advice of the City Attorney in order to avoid litigation, the Executive Board opened negotiations with said owners and agreed upon the following terms for a temporary easement or right of way over the lands in question. The terms of the several agreements or contracts entered into are (with the variations necessary to apply to each case) in substance as follows, to wit: This agreement, made this — day of —, 1883, between the city of Rochester, a municipal corporation, of the first part, and —, of the city of Rochester of the second part witnesses, that the said party of the second part in consideration of the premises and the payment of one dollar the receipt whereof is hereby confessed and acknowledged, has sold and by these presents does grant and convey to the said party of the first part, right of way across the premises of the party of the second part hereinafter described, for the purpose of constructing, cleaning, widening, deepening, straightening, and maintaining a ditch, trench or sewer in connection with the Court and William street outlet sewer, so called in the city of Rochester, and for the purpose of furnishing an outlet for the sewage therefrom on and across said premises.

The premises aforesaid across and along which this

right of way is granted as described and noted on the annexed map, and the course of said ditch, trench or sewer is indicated on said map across said premises and named Court and William streets outlet sewer, said premises being located in the 16th Ward of said city and being Lot No. _____ in the tract said lot fronting on _____ street in said city. And the said party of the second part does hereby grant to the party of the first part full power and license to enter upon said lands for the purpose of repairing and cleaning the said ditch, trench or sewer at all times hereafter, and for any purpose proper and necessary in connection with the use of same.

In consideration of the premises the party of the second part does hereby release and forever discharge all claims for damages against the party of the first part by reason of the overflow of the Court and William st outlet ditch, and for the use of the land across which the same has run from the beginning of the world to this day.

In consideration of the premises the party of the first part does hereby agree to pay the party of the second part the sum of _____ dollars yearly during the time that the party of the first part shall use said ditch, trench or sewer, across said premises for the purpose of an outlet of the Court and William street outlet sewer, said sum being payable on the first day of June of each year, and the first year to begin Nov. 15th, 1882. The party of the first part shall have all the rights granted herein until such time as an intercepting sewer shall be constructed of sufficient capacity to drain and carry off the sewage from said Court and William st. outlet sewer, but nothing herein contained shall impose upon the party of the first part the obligation of retaining possession of the premises and the rights hereby granted, or of paying said yearly compensation of _____ dollars, beyond the time when such intercepting sewer shall be constructed.

The party of the second part upon giving written notice to the Executive Board of the city of Rochester, may at any time within the year from the time of serving such notice terminate said grant of right of way, but said notice in no event shall be served until the expiration of two years from the date hereof, and the party of the second part hereby covenants and agrees that the premises herein conveyed in the quiet and peaceable possession of the said party of the first part during the continuance of this agreement, he will warrant and defend against any person whomsoever, lawfully claiming the same or any part thereof.

The party of the first part hereby covenants that it will cause the open ditch now existing through the premises aforesaid to be straightened, deepened and widened so as to conform to the course marked out upon said map so as to be not less than _____ feet in width on the bottom, with side slopes to be 1 1/2 feet horizontal and 1 foot vertical, and of such depth as may be necessary to make a full and free discharge for all ordinary accumulations of storm and sewer water following through said Court and William st. outlet sewer, and the party of the first part hereby covenants that it will during the continuance of this agreement maintain the walls and bridges as now constructed along and over said trench through the premises of the party of the second part.

The party of the first part shall be liable to the party of the second part for any unnecessary acts of its servants agents or employees in connection with the construction or repair of said ditch by reason of which damage shall result to the crop or property of the party of the second part.

In witness whereof, &c., &c.
In accordance with the terms of these several contracts there will be due on the 1st day of June, proximo, to

John Menninger.....	\$ 50
Dora Schum.....	100
Mary Sandrock.....	125
Margaret Farber.....	100
Hannah F. Brown.....	250
Gertrude Schum.....	50
Henry P. Ayers.....	175

These several sums being for an easement or right of way, and not for repairs to the sewer or ditch, the Executive Board has no fund from which to pay the same, unless especially directed by your honorable body, and would therefore recommend that the City Clerk be authorized and directed to draw orders upon the City Treasurer in favor of said parties for the amounts placed opposite their names, severally, and charge Contingent Fund.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of Mary M. Reid for permission to erect wood buildings on Lake avenue, cor. Flower City park, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, May 15th, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In the matter of opening a street from Maple street to Campbell street the Executive Board would respectfully report that there are nine owners of property through which the proposed street will pass. Seven of said owners are willing to give the necessary right of way providing they are not assessed for other expense than that attending the opening through their own property. The two other owners demand, the one for a piece of land 40x42, \$1,000, and the other for a piece about 415x20, \$1,000. Deeming these sums to be exorbitant, the Executive Board would respectfully recommend that the City Attorney be instructed to apply to the court for the appointment of a commission to condemn the necessary lands for the opening of said street. Respectfully submitted,

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, May 15, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Executive Board would recommend to your honorable body the adoption of ordinances for the construction of a sidewalk on the south side of Bay street from Miller street to Goodman street, south side of Court street from Williams street to Union street, in front of vacant lot corner of Concord avenue and Draper street. The reason for such recommendation is, and evidently not intended to wholly bear the burden of the expense which must necessarily be incurred in making the required improvements or repairs, Section 170 of the Revised City Charter provides that

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk

Ordered received, filed and published.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, May 14, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In a communication from the Executive Board to your honorable body bearing date March 20th, 1883, the matter of the legitimate uses of the Highway Fund as contemplated by the City Charter was fully discussed.

In view of the conclusions arrived at therein, said Board would respectfully represent that certain of the older McAdam improved streets, are in a sadly dilapidated condition, imperitively demanding either extensive repairs or reconstruction. The sum recommended by your Finance Committee to be placed in the tax levy for 1883 for highway purposes is entirely inadequate, and evidently not intended to wholly bear the burden of the expense which must necessarily be incurred in making the required improvements or repairs, Section 170 of the Revised City Charter provides that "Whenever, by order of the Common Council, any new street or alley shall be laid out, opened or worked in said city, or any other public improvement is to be made, it shall be the duty of the Common Council to determine what portion if any of the expense thereof ought to be paid from the public treasury and what portion, if any, ought to be paid by a local assessment, and to direct that the whole expense to be paid by a local assessment be assessed upon all the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby in proportion to the benefit which each will derive therefrom." Section No. 216 of said charter provides: "That whenever the Common Council shall deem it expedient to construct any sidewalk or pavement within the said City, they may require the owner to do it to the center of the street or cause it to be done and assessed on the property adjacent."

Also, the Common Council may, in like manner, by ordinance or otherwise, under such penalty or penalties as they may prescribe, require the owners and occupants, or either, of land in said city, or in any specified part thereof, to repair, maintain and reconstruct sidewalks, pavements and street improvements adjoining their premises to the center of the street or alley in such manner as the Common Council by ordinance or otherwise may direct."

The Executive Board would therefore respectfully call your attention to Lake ave. from Lyell ave. to McCracken st.; North St. Paul st., from Marietta st. to Hart ave.; Caledonia ave., from West ave. to Plymouth ave.; Plymouth ave., from West Atkinson st. to the Genesee Valley canal near Clarissa st., and Monroe ave., from Goodman st. to the Erie canal, as streets which now require extensive repairs, and would recommend that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare separate estimates of the cost of making the requisite repairs, 1st, with Medina stone; 2d, with granite McAdam, and 3d, with loam McAdam, and report the same to your honorable body for your consideration, so that you may determine

the kind of repair or improvement, and method, whether by ordinance or otherwise, which you may deem best to adopt in the premises.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ald. Hinds moved receive, file and publish and that the recommendations be adopted.
Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
OFFICES, CITY HALL, May 8th, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required, by law:

1. Monthly Report, showing expenditures for all purposes, by the Executive Board, during the month of April, 1883.

2. Monthly Statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board on the 30th day of April, 1883
Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures by the Executive Board for all purposes, during the month ending April 30, 1883:

<i>Total Amount of Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.</i>	
Executive Board, labor orders.....	\$5,853 43
Orders passed by Common Council.....	21,955 18
Transfers by Executive Board in	
Water Works Department.....	25,567 75
Total.....	\$53,377 36

Classification.

Highway Fund.....	\$7,402 83
Water Pipe Fund.....	2,290 30
Water Works Fund.....	5,456 19
Water Works Fund to apply on	
water on interest on Water Works	
bonds.....	15,000 00
Water Works Fund, corrections of	
delinquent and frontage takes in	
rolls of 1882.....	567 75
Fire Department Fund.....	4,491 10
Salary and Expense Fund.....	644 98
Sundry Local Improvement.....	7,515 21
Total.....	\$53,377 36

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in charge of the Executive Board on the close of business April 30, 1883:

Dr. Balances:	
Sidewalk Repair Funds.....	\$ 2,009 95
Local improvement Funds.....	97,728 65
Total.....	\$99,738 60
Cr. Balances:	
City Treasurer.....	\$ 47,170 51
Highway Fund.....	19,940 56
Water Pipe Fund.....	5,620 63
Water Works Fund.....	15,962 28
Water Works Fund (special).....	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.....	9,199 85
Salary and Expense Fund.....	329 10
Total.....	\$99,738 60

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Board of Education—

To the Hon. The Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the minutes in Board of Education May 7th, 1883.

Com. Durand, from the Finance Committee, presented the following, which was unanimously adopted:

To the Board of Education:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Finance would recommend that this board, in pursuance of chapter 120 of the laws of 1883, determine and certify to the Common Council that the following sums are necessary and proper to be raised for school purposes for the current year, viz.,

For teachers' wages.....	\$96,500 00
To purchase and improve sites	
or build or enlarge school	
houses, amount allowed by	
charter.....	\$15,000 00
Also amount allowed by special	
act of 1883.....	15,500 00— 30,000 00
To lease, alter, improve and re-	
pair school houses.....	10,000 00
To pay contingent expenses.....	49,780 00
Total.....	\$178,280 00

The amount asked for teachers' wages is for the payment of ten months' salaries, based on the April

budget as an average, after crediting to that fund the State appropriation and the amount on hand April 1st, 1883.

The necessity for the additional appropriation for building purposes has already been presented at length, and we hereby refer to the report of the special committee of the Board for a full statement of the reasons therefor. The necessity of more school accommodations is even more apparent at this time than at the date of said report, inasmuch as large numbers of children apply for admission to the lower grades at this season. The sum of \$10,000 for leasing and repairing school houses will be none too much for the coming year for the reason that the repair fund last year was largely devoted to putting steam heating in No. 4 school and certain bills of last year's committee will have to be paid from this fund. It will necessitate the closest economy on the part of the repair committee this year to keep within the amount asked for.

The amount asked for contingent expenses is larger than the appropriation for last year for the following reasons:

The sum of \$15,000, for twelve months salaries of officers and janitors, which last year was included in the amount asked for teachers' wages, is by the amendments to the charter in 1882, placed in the contingent fund. The committee on fuel and fire fixtures, basing their estimates on the expenditures last year, which your committee are confident were most carefully made, ask for an increase of nearly \$4,000 to meet the increased demands of the present year and also the sum of \$3,985 for the payment of old bills including a bill of \$738 incurred by the board of 1881 for putting steam heating into No. 6 school. The supply committee ask for \$5,000 in addition to their usual estimate for the purpose of furnishing the contemplated new buildings and also for meeting the demands of the other schools for additional seats, they estimate that 1,200 new seats will be required besides recitation benches and teachers' desks; \$500 additional is asked for the year by the text book committee. The amount of last year's appropriation was inadequate for supplying indigent pupils with text books, and was exhausted long before the close of the year. The Free Academy Committee ask for \$2,500 to make certain necessary changes in the building, including the straightening of two flights of stairs in the southwest corner, putting in a new and larger boiler, and substituting new steam radiators for old and leaky ones, which cannot be repaired. All of these changes are necessary. The steep flight of stairs has been a subject of complaint ever since the building was built, and for \$500 the committee propose to substitute in their place stairs easy to ascend, thus conducing to the safety and health of the pupils. The steam boilers now in the building have proved inadequate to heat it properly during the past winter, and the engineer has been compelled to force them to their utmost capacity to heat the building even in moderate weather. It is estimated that one third of the 225 tons of coal used during the past year has been wasted. It would seem, therefore, to be a matter of economy to substitute in the place of one of the two small boilers now used a boiler of forty horse power, which alone would be sufficient to heat the building during a large part of the year.

The amount asked for teachers' wages and contingent expenses is at the rate of \$11.33 per capita, based on the average number of resident pupils enrolled during the last year, viz: 12,197 3-5 which is within the amount allowed by the charter, viz.: \$14.00 per capita.

The sworn statement of the superintendent, as required by the charter, is herewith annexed:

MONROE COUNTY, City of Rochester—ss:
S. A. Ellis being duly sworn says he is superintendent of schools of the city of Rochester; and that the average number of resident pupils enrolled in the several public schools of said city for the school year ending May 1st, 1883, according to the verified monthly reports of the principals of said schools, was twelve thousand, one hundred and ninety-seven and three-fifths (12,197 3/5.)

S. A. ELLIS, Superintendent.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of May, 1883.

J. E. DURAND,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Submitted.
Dated May 7th, 1883.
J. E. DURAND,
THOMAS A. RAYMOND,
FRANK H. TICE,
W. J. MCKELVAY,
JAMES O. HOWARD,
W. G. MARTENS.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 15, 1883. }
To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with section 29 of the Revised City Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath of office:

Peter Sheridan, Commissioner of Deeds.
Homer A. Kingsley,
Sigmund Rosenberg,
Thomas McCormick,
Howard L. Osgood,
W. Seward Whittlesey,

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

SPRINKLING TREMONT STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Tremont street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$131.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Tremont street, from a point 100 feet west of Plymouth avenue to Caledonia avenue, during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$131, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Tremont street, from a point 100 feet west of Plymouth avenue to Caledonia avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 29th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING COURT STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Court street from a point 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Union street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$332.00.
By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Court street from a point 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Union street, during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$332.00 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Court street, from a point 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Union street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May the 29th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council, the expense of sprinkling Franklin street from Andrews street to North St. Paul street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$142.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Franklin street from Andrews street to North St. Paul street, during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$142, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin street, from Andrews street to North St. Paul street.
And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised

Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 29th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING JONES STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Jones street, from Centre street to Jay street during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$91.
By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Jones street, from Centre street to Jay street, during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$291, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Jones street, from Centre street to Jay street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May the 29th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING CLARISSA STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Clarissa street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$87.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Clarissa street from a point 100 feet east of Plymouth avenue to a point 425 feet east of Plymouth avenue during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$87, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Clarissa street from a point 100 feet east of Plymouth avenue to a point 425 feet east of Plymouth avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May 29th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING FRONT STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Front street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$296.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Front street from a point 100 feet north of Main street, to the north line of the Brackett House property during the season of 1883.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$296, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Front street from a point 100 feet north of Main street, to the north line of the Brackett House property.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 29th, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

SPRINKLING FORD STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Ford street, from the Erie canal to a point

100 feet south of Allen street, during the season of 1888.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$140.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkler of Ford street, from the Erie Canal to a point 100 feet south of Allen street, during the season of 1888.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$140, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Ford street, from the Erie Canal to a point 100 feet south of Allen street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May 29th, 1888, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FLAG WALK ON HAWTHORN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a flag walk on Hawthorn street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$3,028.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a blue stone flag walk 5 feet in width in one course on each side of Hawthorn street, from East avenue to Culver Park.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$3,028, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Hawthorn street from East avenue to Culver Park, in front of which the proposed flag walk shall be constructed.

And further, Resolved, That the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 29th, 1888, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN WEEGER STREET.

By Ald. Simmlink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a sewer in Weeger st.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,230.

By Ald. Simmlink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Weeger st., from the sewer in Henry st. to a point 100 feet west of Hudson st.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$1,230, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Weeger st., from Henry st. to a point 100 feet west of Hudson st.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter, of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May the 29th, 1888, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON BERNARD STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, that the City Surveyor

ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Bernard street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$517.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on the south side of Bernard street, from Thomas street to Hudson street; also the necessary crosswalks.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$517, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on the south side of Bernard street, from Thomas street to Hudson street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May the 29th, 1888, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON JENNINGS STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Jennings street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$812.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on the south side of Jennings street, from North avenue to Nichols street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$812 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the south side of Jennings street, from North avenue to Nichols street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 29th, 1888, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN EAST SELLINGER STREET.

By Ald. Simmlink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in East Sellinger street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$540.

By Ald. Simmlink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in East Sellinger street, from the sewer in St. Joseph street to a point 387 feet east of St. Joseph street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$540, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of East Sellinger street, from St. Joseph street to the east end of East Sellinger street. Also the lots adjoining the east end of East Sellinger street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, May 29th, 1888, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING HOWELL STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Howell street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$241.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Howell street from a point 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Monroe avenue during the season of 1888.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction

of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$241, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Howell street, from 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to 100 feet west of Monroe avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice, in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, May 29th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to improve North St. Paul street came up. Ald. Archer moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to improve Reynolds street came up. Ald. Foley presented a remonstrance representing a majority of the taxpayers against the improvement. Ald. Foley moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The final ordinance to widen North St. Paul street came up. Ald. Archer presented the following amendment:

To be amended to read to take off 10 feet from the east side of North St. Paul street from Division street to the south line of the Lamberton building, also to take off 10 feet from the west side of North St. Paul street between Andrews street and a point near River street, excepting that portion occupied by portions of the gasometer belonging to the Rochester Gas Co. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on Brighton avenue came up. Ald. Simmelnk moved to amend by making it a flag walk and that the estimate be changed to \$1080. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Park avenue came up. Ald. Simmelnk moved to postpone two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 484.

PLANK WALK ON BROOKS AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An Ordinance to construct a two-plank walk on Brooks avenue, from the street on the west side of the Genesee river, known as the River road, to the west line of land owned by John B. Wilson.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a two-plank walk on the south side of Brooks avenue, from the street on the west side of the Genesee river, known as the River road, to the west line of land owned by John B. Wilson.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$378.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the south side of Brooks avenue, from said River road to the west line of land owned by John B. Wilson.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 485.

CLEANING AND REPAIRING THE SEWER IN PINDELL ALLEY.

On motion of Ald. Simmelnk the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Simmelnk submitted the following:

An ordinance to clean and repair the sewer in Pindell alley, from the sewer in Allen street to a point 120 feet north of West Main street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The cleaning and repairing of the sewer in Pindell alley, from the sewer in Allen street to a point 120 feet north of West Main street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots & parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$600, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Pindell alley, from Allen street to a point 85 feet north of West Main street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 486.

IMPROVING NORTH ST. PAUL STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve North St. Paul street, from the north line of the railroad bridge to the south line of Marietta street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of North St. Paul from the north line of the railroad bridge to the south line of Marietta st., and on a rising grade of about one foot in 2.9 feet, as heretofore established by the Common Council. Said improvement to consist in making the necessary excavations for the readjustment of the various materials on the present street surface, on the grade heretofore designated.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$3,000, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street, from the north line of the railroad bridge to the north line of the New York Central & Hudson River RR. Co.'s land. Said territory to be assessed belonging to said New York Central & Hudson River RR. Company.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third, within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent, per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—13.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Co. be given permission to make the proposed improvement of North St. Paul street between the railroad bridge and Marietta street, under the direction of the Executive Board, the property of said railroad company being the only property designated to be assessed for said improvement. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on Whitmore park came up. Ald. Southard moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to enlarge the sewer in White street came up. Ald. Hinds presented a communication from the Board of Health and presented the following resolution:

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the ordi-

nance for the improvement of the Saxton street outlet sewer be amended so as to extend said outlet sewer down the open stream about 300 feet, thence direct to the Genesee river, and that the territory to be assessed and the estimates be properly changed. Adopted.

The final ordinance to sprinkle North St. Paul street from the center of Marietta street to Clifford street came up. Ald. Archer moved to amend so as to read from Marietta street to avenue A. Adopted.

The final ordinance for sprinkling North avenue from N. Y. C. & H. R. RR. to Clifford street came up. Ald. Simmelink moved to amend so as to read from N. Y. C. & H. R. RR. to the south line of Lansing street. Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved that a committee of three be appointed to confer with the Executive Board, relating to the five cent per foot sprinkling tax. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,487.

SPRINKLING JAY STREET.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Jay street from a point 100 feet west of State street to Oak street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:
The sprinkling of Jay street from a point 100 feet west of State street to Oak street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$279, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Jay street from a point 100 feet west of State street to Oak street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,488.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN PARK.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Franklin park, from Clinton place to Atwater street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Franklin park, from Clinton place to Atwater street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$96, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin park from Clinton place to Atwater street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,489.

SPRINKLING CLINTON PLACE.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Clinton place from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Clinton place, from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$271.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton Place, from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,490.

SPRINKLING VINCENT PLACE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Vincent place from a point 100 feet east of State street to the west end of Vincent place bridge, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Vincent place from a point 100 feet east of State street to the west end of Vincent place bridge, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$194, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Vincent place from a point 100 feet east of State street to the west end of Vincent place bridge.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That all parties interested in the matter of the improvement requiring the taking of additional lands belonging to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for the purpose of a street from Mill street to Water street, and all persons interested in the expense thereof have an opportunity to be heard on the subject of ordering the assessors to make an assessment roll at the next regular meeting of the Common Council at the Common Council chamber, City Hall building, May 15th, at 6 o'clock p. m., and that the City Clerk publish this notice as provided in section 190 of the city charter. Adopted.”

Allegations being called for and no person appearing, Ald. Bronson submitted the following:

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,473. ACQUIRING ADDITIONAL LAND FOR A STREET FROM MILL TO WATER STREET

Whereas, the Common Council did upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for acquiring additional land between Mill and Water streets,

And, Whereas, the City Attorney has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$36,000, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

All the lots and parcels of land in the 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th wards of the city of Rochester, excepting that portion of the 15th ward lying north of the Bridge road.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$36 000, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited and not of kin to any person so interested are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 19th day of May, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessor.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—13.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—9.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to postpone the appointment of Police Commissioner for two weeks.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Kelly—11.

Nays—Ald. Aikenhead Simmelinck—2.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed to the appointment of Commissioners of Deeds and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—13.

Second ward—Contad B. Denny.

Third ward—Chas. A. Phillips.

Seventh ward—Arthur B. Stillman.

Ninth ward—Edmund Redmond.

Having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council they were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Simmelinck presented a petition from property owners residing on Culver Park requesting an assessment for each and every lot of 40 feet frontage, and presented the following resolution:

By Ald. Simmelinck—Whereas, A majority of all the owners of lots abutting on Culver park between Merriman street and Union place have petitioned the Common Council to direct the assessment of the sum of (\$3) three dollars on each 40 feet fronting on said park as provided by chapter 96 of laws of 1880. Therefore

Resolved, That the sum of three dollars on each 40 feet fronting on Culver park between Merriman street and Union place be assessed on the lots and parcels of land aforesaid and the city assessors are hereby directed to assess at the rate of (\$3) three dollars for each 40 feet all the lots and parcels of land so designated to be added to and included with the general city tax for the year 1883, and the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the sum thus assessed and collected, to James Vick he being the person designated by the owners to receive

the same and the City Clerk is hereby directed to transmit a copy hereof to the city assessors and the City Treasurer.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—13.

By Ald. Simmelinck—Resolved, That the Electric Light be extended on Monroe avenue from Goodman street to the city line, and moved it be referred to the lamp committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Simmelinck—Resolved, That a license be granted to John B. Dorris to exhibit the Inter-Oceanic circus in the city of Rochester, May 31st, 1883, on the payment into the City Treasury of the sum of (\$25) twenty-five dollars. Adopted.

By Ald. Simmelinck—Resolved, That on the payment of forty dollars, the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to grant a license to Nathan & Co.'s circus, which are to exhibit in this city on the 29th and 30th days of May, 1883. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of Catherine Cannon to erect a wood building and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the use of the City Hall and Council Chamber be granted to the Locomotive Engineers for their meetings June 5th and 6th, 1883, according to the prayer of their petition. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly in the chair.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of S. H. Rosenberg to erect a wood building and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of owners residing on North avenue and Hudson street for electric light, and moved it be referred to the Lamp Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the propositions made by the owners of property necessary to be taken for the opening of a street from Campbell street to Maple street, as reported to the Common Council by the Executive Board be not accepted. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard—Whereas, No agreement for the purchase of the lands necessary to be taken for the purpose of opening a street from Campbell street to Maple street can be made,

Resolved, That the City Surveyor be and he hereby is directed to make and file in the office of the City Clerk a copy of the ordinance for opening a street from Campbell street to Maple street, adopted May 1st, 1883, together with a map of the proposed street, showing on such map the lots, tracts and parcels of land which are deemed necessary to be taken, and the commencement, course and termination of said proposed new street, in accordance with section 174 of the revised city charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he hereby is directed to publish a notice specifying and describing the lands necessary to be taken for the purpose of opening a street from Campbell street to Maple street, and to take such further action as may be necessary in reference thereto, in accordance with section 175 of the revised city charter. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petitions of Nettie M. Barry and John Zeereld for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order in favor of Col. John A. Reynolds for \$300 on the City Treasurer for memorial day and charge contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of Dominick Mura and S. L. Howard to erect and move wood buildings, and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of the Union View Company, limited, to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of the Post Express Printing Company for two hundred and fifty dollars in full of amount owing said company for publishing notices and proceedings of Common Council and Executive Board during the past year, and charge Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Ald. Archer presented a petition from property owners residing on North St. Paul street from Marietta street north to the south line of Scantom street complaining of the dangerous and almost impassable condition of said North St. Paul street, and presented the following resolution:

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it hereby is requested to at once clean North St. Paul street from Marietta street to Scantom street and to put the same in repair so far as can be done with the funds applicable to those purposes. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented a petition from A. J. Miller for permission to erect a wood building and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved to reconsider permission granted to Herman Lehman to maintain a business sign on Atwater street near Clinton, granted by the Common Council May 1st, 1883. Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved to indefinitely postpone. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—

Resolved (by consent of Henry Kaul, lessee of the corner store on Lancaster and East Main), that Robert Kirkpatrick be and is hereby granted permission to erect a business sign on top of an old lamp post now in use. Dimensions of sign, three feet round and eight feet over roadway. And that said Kirkpatrick will take down the sign at any time your honorable body may wish to make use of said post.

Hoping your honorable body will grant my request for unfulfilled term of lease.

(Signed)

HENRY KAUL.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Foley, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—6.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard—7.

By Ald. Watson—Whereas, the City Surveyor is engaged in re-numbering the various streets and avenues of the city, and it appears that occasional changes should be made in the names of certain streets, that they may be numbered properly; therefore,

Resolved, That the name of that portion of West Main street east of State street be changed to "East Main street, that the street may be re-numbered, commencing at State street.

Resolved, That the name of South St. Paul street be changed to "South avenue," that the new numbers may be regular from Main street to the south end of South avenue.

Ald. Watson moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson presented petitions from H. G. Otis and A. E. Wheeler, and moved their reference to the Assessment Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to cancel the assessment for Jones avenue sprinkling for 1882 against lot 5, south part, assessed to T. Augustus Ashton, and charge the same to erroneous assessments, the said land not being situated on Jones avenue.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive from Louisa J. Killip the amount of taxes as they appear on the sales register without interest on such lots as she may desire to pay in the Genesee Street Co-operative Building Lot Association, 8th ward upon her paying all costs and disbursements due the City Attorney. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and hereby is directed to cancel the general city tax for 1883 on lot 66 (s. e.) west side Oakland place, 12th ward, assessed to Charles Kanter and wife, and charge the amount to erroneous assessments, they having paid the taxes on another lot. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson presented the following assessment rolls:

Brown Street Lift Bridge ;
Brown Street Lift Bridge Approaches ;
Cataract Street Improvement ;
Clifford Street Plank Walk ;
Sprinkling North Avenue from Main street to N. Y. C. & H. R. RR.

Sprinkling Clinton Street from Monroe avenue to N. Y. C. & H. R. RR.

Allegations being called for and no person appearing, Ald. Bronson moved their confirmation.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive of Frederick Vose \$9 09, with cost of sale and interest from the date of sale for the General City Tax for the year 1877, on lot 4, Porter's subdivision west side of St. Paul street, Fifth ward, and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 11th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,391, for extending East Main St. sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$4,078.86.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,391.

EXTENDING EAST MAIN STREET SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 5th day of September, 1882, enact an ordinance for extending East Main street sewer.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the

actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$4,078.86, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East Main street, from Water street to Stillson street;

One tier of lots on each side of South St. Paul street from East Main street to a point 629 feet south thereof;

One tier of lots on each side of Minerva alley, from the south end thereof to East Main street;

One tier of lots on each side of Stone street, from East Main street to the south line of Johnson park;

One tier of lots on each side of Ely street, from South St. Paul street to Stone street;

One tier of lots on each side of Johnson park, from Stone street to a point 100 feet west of Clinton street;

One tier of lots on each side of North Clinton street, from East Main street to a point 472 feet north thereof;

One tier of lots on each side of South Clinton street, from East Main street to a point 75 feet north of Court street;

One tier of lots on each side of Lancaster street, from East Main street to a point 75 feet north of Court street;

One tier of lots on each side of Temple street, from Lancaster street to a point 100 feet west of Chestnut street;

One tier of lots on each side of Sycamore street, from Elm street to the west line of Cedar street;

One tier of lots on each side of Elm street, from East Main street to the angle south thereof, and

One tier of lots on each side of East avenue from East Main street to a point 50 feet west of Chestnut street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$4,078.86, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 19th day of May, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Alkennead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor, be, and he is hereby authorized to assign to James Fee, upon his paying into the City Treasury the sum of fifty-nine and 32-100 dollars, the city's interest in lot 11, Worcester subdivision, Mansion street, sold for general tax for years 1875, 1878, 1879, 1880, 1881.

Adopted.
By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Property Committee be, and it is hereby directed to cause the room now occupied by the Police Commissioners in the City Hall as a session room to be vacated by them and the same placed under the control of the Executive Board for the use of the Water Works Department. Also that said committee designate such other suitable place for the sessions of the Police Commissioners as will meet the necessities of said board. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots Nos. 24 to 29 of the Manhattan tract, Union street, Seventh Ward, was assessed for South Union street improvement, under one valuation and in one name and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated April 24th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such amount upon the payment of \$354.15, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 24th, 1883.

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:
SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property

will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Geo. S. Riley viz.:
Lot No. S pt 24, 25, 26, N pt 27, Manhattan Tract, West side of Union street, Seventh ward, 75 feet front, 75 feet rear, and 108 feet deep, and owner of said property should pay as his portion of South Union street improvement the sum of \$354.15, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883.
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 3 of the Evergreen tract, Clifford street, 6th ward, was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated May 1st, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$12.64, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883.

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:
SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property

will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to L. C. Hall, viz.:
Lot No. 3, Evergreen tract, south side of Clifford street, 5th ward, 35 feet front, 35 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Clifford street outlet sewer, Ordinance No. 2,225, the sum of \$12.64, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883.
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

The chair announced the following committee to confer with the Executive Board relating to the five cents per foot tax for sprinkling and charging contractors for the use of water:
Ald. Archer, Felsing, Pitkin.

Ald. Watson called up the following, published at page 55, current proceedings:
"Resolved, That on the payment, by said

will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Geo. S. Riley viz.:
Lot No. S pt 24, 25, 26, N pt 27, Manhattan Tract, West side of Union street, Seventh ward, 75 feet front, 75 feet rear, and 108 feet deep, and owner of said property should pay as his portion of South Union street improvement the sum of \$354.15, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883.
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 19 of the Brown & Jones sub. Tract, Henry street, —th Ward, was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer, under one valuation and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated May 1st, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$11.53, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1, 1883.

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:
SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1883 to Wm. Hailenschim, viz.:

Lot No. 19 Brown & Jones sub. pt. Mumford Tract, east side of Henri street, 15th Ward, 32 feet front, 32 feet rear, and 99 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Clifford Street Outlet Sewer, No. 2,225, the sum of \$11.53, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1, 1883.
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 3 of the Evergreen tract, Clifford street, 6th ward, was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated May 1st, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$12.64, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883.

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:
SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to L. C. Hall, viz.:

Lot No. 3, Evergreen tract, south side of Clifford street, 5th ward, 35 feet front, 35 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Clifford street outlet sewer, Ordinance No. 2,225, the sum of \$12.64, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883.
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

The chair announced the following committee to confer with the Executive Board relating to the five cents per foot tax for sprinkling and charging contractors for the use of water:
Ald. Archer, Felsing, Pitkin.

Ald. Watson called up the following, published at page 55, current proceedings:
"Resolved, That on the payment, by said

will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to L. C. Hall, viz.:
Lot No. 3, Evergreen tract, south side of Clifford street, 5th ward, 35 feet front, 35 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Clifford street outlet sewer, Ordinance No. 2,225, the sum of \$12.64, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883.
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Ald. Archer, Felsing, Pitkin.

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(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 1st, 1883.
(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

The chair announced the following committee to confer with the Executive Board relating to the five cents per foot tax for sprinkling and charging contractors for the use of water:
Ald. Archer, Felsing, Pitkin.

Ald. Watson called up the following, published at page 55, current proceedings:
"Resolved, That on the payment, by said

heirs or their attorney, John M. Steele, to the City Treasurer of the sum of \$154.32 that said Treasurer pay and he is hereby directed to pay over to said heirs or attorney the sum of \$41 and charge the same to the Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.”

Ald. Watson moved that action on the above resolution be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Watson moved to amend by striking out “the Contingent Fund” and inserting “Erroneous Assessments.” Adopted.

The resolution was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Ald. Foley presented a petition from residents on Litchfield street relating to the bridging of said street at the crossing of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad and moved it be referred to the Committee on Opening and Alteration of Streets. Adopted.

By Ald. Simmelink—

At a meeting of the City Supervisors held at the Supervisors' room in the court house May 7th, 1883, the following resolutions were presented by Supervisor Nash and adopted:

Whereas, Complaints have been made by many of the taxpayers of our city and also by the supervisors of the towns in our county in regard to our assessments; and

Whereas, It is alleged that large amounts of taxable personal property have been unjustly omitted from our assessment rolls, thereby greatly increasing the taxation of all property assessed, therefore

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to ascertain and report the facts in the case, and advise and recommend proper measures to remove any and all just cause of grievance in the premises.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the honorable the Common Council of our city with the request that they co-operate in the matter and appoint a like committee to confer and act with our committee for the above purpose.

The chairman appointed as such committee Sups. Nash, Tumilty, Knapp, Hetzler and Ovenberg. The meeting then adjourned, subject to the call of the secretary.

CHAS. B. ERNST, Cha'n.

Ald. Simmelink moved it be referred to the Assessment Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved to adjourn. Adopted.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, May 29th, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Strouss—1.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, May 15th, 1883, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, & C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

St. John & Fleming, printing notices.....	\$	12 00
Benford & Stewart, maps.....		54 00
O. H. Peacock, expenditures.....		69 09
W. H. Marson, material.....		3 85
E. M. Masseth, livery.....		1 50
W. L. Buckland ..		1 50
T. R. Griffith, stenographic services.....		10 00

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C. W. Carroll, serving notices.....		11 00
Wm. I. Hanford ..		40 25

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of Seymour Boughton. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Bronson presented a petition for water mains in West alley. Referred to the Water Works Committee.

By Ald. Jeffords—bills of

J. W. Maser, lighting and care of lamps for May.....	\$	963 32
Rochester Gas Co., lighting and care for May		1 691 50
Citizens' ..		2,415 00
Citizens' ..		setting posts..... 58 27
F. W. Kutruft, repairing tops.....		78 91

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Ida L. Jordan. Referred to the assessment committee.

By Ald. Foley—bills of

Louis Ernst & Son, tools.....	\$	8 76
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Referred to the park committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of D. Kavanaugh. Referred to the assessment committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of J. H. Ashton, Eunice B. Lamberton and Bertha Sapp for permission to move and erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the petition of the Union View Co. Limited be granted upon their making such alterations in the plan as the Fire Marshal shall direct. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for the improvement of Francis street. Referred to the improvement committee.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of William Hondorf for permission to erect wood building on Lyell avenue. Referred to the wood building committee.

Ald. Hinds presented a petition for a sewer in Locust street. Referred to the sewer committee.

By Ald. Pitkin—bills of

Wm. Bassett, repairs at headquarters.....	\$	20 81
Foster & Hennegan, repairs at ..		5 25
S. A. Pierce, medical services.....		25 00

Referred to the finance committee for payment.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Thomas W. Bowman for permission to erect a wood building on Avenue A., Vick park and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

C. H. Matthews, groceries.....	\$	110 50
S. H. Woodruff, groceries ..		48 50
Gerling Bros., flour.....		144 50
J. McDonald, meat.....		25 00
Henry Hoffman, repairing ambulance.....		4 00
N. Thompson, disbursements.....		43 84

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Hugh Clark for permission to erect a wood building on Whitney street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Rice—Bills of

D. Hickey, collection of garbage.....	\$	237 50
P. Bradley, ..		237 50
J. Rauber, ..		119 25
H. F. Van Dake, Supt. collection of garbage ..		77 00
Jerome Keyes, Supt. ..		10 50
M. Heavey, board of horse.....		20 00
J. R. Chamberlin, rubber bands.....		2 05

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

By

Ald. Rice presented the petition of the First

German Baptist Church for permission to move a wood building and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Executive Board. Adopted.

Ald Rice presented the petition of Paul Zala for permission to erect a wood building on Gregory street and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of Meyer, Loeb & Co. for permission to move a building on Channing street and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal and Executive Board. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of
 E. Emrich, repairing clocks.....\$ 23 50
 A. E. Martin, supplies..... 19 00
 A. Schiffler, repairing furniture..... 14 00

Referred to the City Property Committee.
 Ald. Kelly presented the petitions of Bernadia Lensing and Joseph Immell for permission to erect wood buildings on Childs and Jay streets and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for the extension of street railroad tracks on the west side of North avenue from Bay street to Clifford street. Ordered received and filed.

By Ald. Simmelink—
 ROCHESTER CITY & BRIGHTON RR. CO. }
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 29, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

The Rochester City & Brighton R.R. Co. respectfully ask permission to extend the tracks on North avenue from Bay street to Clifford street, by laying a track on the west side of the street with T rail on the space reserved for such purpose when the improvement was made. A majority of the taxpayers have signed the necessary consent.

C. B. WOODWORTH, Treasurer.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That consent and permission be granted to the Rochester City & Brighton Railroad Company to lay, operate and maintain a track laid with "T" rail in the space reserved for such purpose on the west side of the street from Bay street to Clifford street, on North avenue.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Archer—
 To the Honorable the Common Council of the city of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The petitioners respectfully represent that they are the publishers of the "Rochester Abend Post and Beobachter," a German newspaper published daily at said city of Rochester; that said paper is a consolidation of two daily newspapers heretofore published in said city, to wit: the "Daily Abend Post" and the "Daily Beobachter"; that said consolidated papers, now published as aforesaid, were at the time of such consolidation the most influential and most widely circulated German dailies published in Monroe county; that the circulation of the "Abend Post and Beobachter" at present exceeds the combined circulation of said papers when published, as heretofore, separately, and also that of any other German daily in Monroe county; that by a resolution of your honorable body the publication of the city ordinances and notices, together with an abstract of the proceedings of your honorable body, was awarded to the undersigned at the rate of \$70 per annum; that the lowest compensation paid any other publishing firm or company for the publication of said ordinances, etc., in the English language, is \$1,000; that there is more work and greater expense connected with the publication of said matters in the German language than in the English, to wit: the work and expense of translation, etc.

The petitioners further represent that \$1,000 would not be more than a fair compensation for the publication of said ordinances, notices, etc., and therefore respectfully ask that the undersigned be awarded the same compensation for such publication as that paid to the said publishing firm or company having the lowest award for the publication of such ordinances, etc., in the English language.

Rochester, May 29th, 1883.
 Rochester German Printing and Publishing Company,
 GUSTAV C. JACOBS, President,
 JULIUS STOLL, Manager.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 Ald. Archer moved that the publishers of the "Rochester Abend Post and Beobachter" be paid at the rate of (\$1,000) one thousand dollars per annum for publishing official notices, &c., under their contract for the current year.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of John C. Cowles for permission to erect a wood building on Martin street and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Watson presented a petition from the heirs of Esther M. Newell in relation to assessments. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Archer moved that when the Board adjourns, it be until Tuesday evening, June 5th, at 8 o'clock P. M. Adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee; Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee; Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp Committee; Ald. Foley, from the Park Committee; Ald. Felsing, from the Poor Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance committee for payment.

By Ald. Kelly—
 To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN—The City Property Committee by your direction, having advertised for proposals for the lot on the north side of Glenwood avenue between lots 76 and 77, known as the north end of Fulton avenue, have received the following bids:

William Hondorf.....	\$250 00
Andrew Eggel.....	300 00
Henry East.....	300 00
Ellen M. Sweeting.....	500 00
C. J. Lester.....	510 00
R. S. Kenyon.....	525 00

Your committee recommend that the proposal of R. S. Kenyon be accepted, and present the accompanying resolution for your consideration.

J. MILLER KELLY,
 CHARLES WATSON,
 JOHN A. FELSINGER,
 Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Mayor, on behalf of the city, be and hereby is directed to execute a deed of the property described to R. S. Kenyon on his paying into the City Treasury the sum of (\$525) five hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Ald. Kelly presented a communication from the City Surveyor in relation to the matter.
 Ald. Foley moved that action on the report and resolution be postponed two weeks.

Lost by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin—7.
 Nays—Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—8.

The report and resolution were then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Hinds, Pitkin—3.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your law committee at the last meeting of the board made a report upon the petition of Lewis E. Smith on account of taxes against the heirs of M. W. Kirby on lots 126 and 127 Elizabeth street, and a resolution was adopted with reference thereto, which resolution is found at page 60 of current proceedings, and it appears that the lots aforesaid have been sold by the city for the tax of 1882 to one John Glichant; therefore that the resolution as adopted cannot be carried into effect.

Your committee therefore recommend that the said resolution be reconsidered and that the whole matter be again referred to your committee.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
Law Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Common Council with reference to the petition of Lewis E. Smith and found at page 60 of current proceedings be and the same hereby is reconsidered, and that the whole matter therein mentioned be referred to the law committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the claim of the Fire Marshal for \$184.83, the expense incurred by him for the construction of a brick wall around one of the cottages placed on the lot on the corner of Troup and Julia streets, hereby reports: That said expenditure was made under a resolution of your honorable body, and the amount thereof should be refunded to him.

In this connection your committee states that in pursuance of the resolution of the Common Council the City Attorney has brought actions in the Municipal Court against said Mackie. Two trials have been had, on both of which the jury disagreed. Your committee has had a conference with Mr. Mackie for the purpose of effecting, if possible, an adjustment of the matters in dispute. As a result of that conference your committee reports herewith a resolution which if adopted will be carried into effect by Mr. Mackie, and which will, it seems to your committee, settle the matter in a way satisfactory to the residents in the vicinity of said lot who complain of the buildings erected.

Your committee recommends the adoption of the two resolutions herewith submitted.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
AMON BRONSON,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw on order on the Treasurer in favor of William Carroll for \$184.83 in full of claim presented by him for disbursements in constructing brick casing around building on lot of H. S. Mackie, in pursuance of resolution of Common Council, and charge Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Attorney be, and hereby is directed to enter into an agreement with H. S. Mackie as follows, viz:

The city is to allow the buildings now standing on said Mackie's lot, corner Troup and Julia streets, to remain as they now are until such time as he shall construct the dwelling houses on said lot fronting on Troup street pursuant to the permit granted March 20, 1883.

The city to discontinue all legal proceedings against said Mackie without costs to either party as against the other and to release all

causes of action now pending or existing in the premises.

Said Mackie not to rent the two wooden cottages now standing on said lot until such time as the building fronting on Troup street as aforesaid shall be constructed, when the said two cottages (not cased in brick) to be moved up to and against the rear portion of said building so as to form parts thereof and to pay the city of Rochester the amount of the said bill of \$184.93 for casing over cottage with brick.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Nays—Ald. Foley, Felsing—2.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Lamp Committee, to which was referred the resolution directing the extension of electric lights in Monroe avenue from Goodman street to the city line, would report that as electric lights are being placed in said avenue to Goodman street, your committee recommend that the proposed extension be made in connection therewith; also that electric lights be placed in Alexander street from Monroe ave to Cobb street.

C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
J. A. HINDS,
Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Mayor be and hereby is directed to include Monroe avenue from Goodman street to the city line, Alexander street from Monroe avenue to Cobb street, in the contract with the Brush Electric Light Co. Adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 29th, 1883.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR MAY, 1883.

Cornelius R. Parsons, Mayor.....	\$250 00
Ambrose C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.....	375 00
H. F. McGlachlin, assistant.....	166 66
John Tracy, clerk.....	100 00
Frank Kondolf, clerk.....	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	75 00
C. H. Stillwell, City Treasurer's office.....	100 00
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	166 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger.....	100 00
Chas. M. Beattie, assistant.....	50 00
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 33
John Gorton, City Assessor.....	208 33
Wm. Maher,	208 33
V. Fleckenstein,	208 33
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warner,	150 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	75 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	135 60
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. W. Rice,	75 00
Amrose Bedman,	60 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	70 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney.....	250 00
John M. Winslow, milk inspector.....	66 66
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevated tracks.....	140 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	70 00
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's office.....	45 00
Freeman M. Melville, numbering streets.....	75 00
Alfred Wedd,	75 00
Fred A. DaLee,	75 00
Geo. Belknap,	75 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

John P. Smith, printing.....	\$173 50
G. F. Slocum, services.....	40 85
W. G. Martens, badges.....	32 50
James Lusk, serving notices.....	18 52
S. W. Stott, services.....	47 50
R. W. Masseth, livery.....	2 00
C. Mayer, livery.....	3 00
John C. Moore, blanks.....	9 90

B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch May 29..... 15 00
 And charge that fund.

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.
 MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR MAY, 1883.

N. Thompson, overseer..... \$ 141 66
 J. H. McGregor, Clerk..... 75 00
 Thomas Swanton, Clerk..... 75 00
 Geo. Hartel, Clerk..... 75 00
 Joseph Eagan, Clerk..... 75 00
 Dr. J. J. A. Burke, City Physician..... 50 00
 Dr. A. L. Pery, City Physician..... 50 00
 Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician..... 50 00
 Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician..... 50 00
 Dr. Thos. Spencer, City Physician..... 50 00
 D. Henry Koch, City Physician..... 50 00
 Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner..... 75 00
 C. Herzberger..... 75 00
 James P. Evans..... 75 00
 Maurice Mowlhan, clerk..... 62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

A. M. Semple, groceries..... \$ 359 98
 M. C. Gannon, groceries..... 21 25
 Frank Rogers, groceries..... 8 00
 A. L. Morris, meat..... 50 00
 Joseph Ritz, meat..... 25 00
 W. Kerchoff, bread..... 68 84
 Geo. Oppel, bread..... 20 40
 Bertha Stoppel, bread..... 18 56
 Wm. Knight, rent..... 10 50
 Mary Crowley, rent..... 10 00
 Chas. Engliert, rent..... 8 00
 Leo. Schlitzer, rent..... 38 00
 S. B. Stuart & Co., coal..... 242 55
 Julius Stoll, printing..... 8 00
 John A. Davis, special tax list..... 10 00
 F. J. Amsden, transportation..... 9 30
 And charge that Fund.

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Charles Little, monthly cleaning..... 88 00
 Charles Little, labor and material..... 7 25
 Smith Perkins & Co., soap..... 2 25
 And charge that fund.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR MAY, 1883.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer..... \$ 75 00
 Geo. Messner, Register..... 66 66
 John M. Harder, Inspector..... 50 00
 Otto Griswold, Inspector..... 50 00
 Geo. W. Hall, Inspector..... 50 00
 Chas. Smith, Inspector..... 50 00
 John A. Schney, Inspector..... 50 00
 Henry M. Heindol, Keeper Hope Hospital..... 58 38
 Thos. Plunkett, sewer flusher..... 50 00
 Joseph Thompson..... 50 00
 James Purcell, Inspector..... 50 00
 Messenger..... 38 38

MISCELLANEOUS.

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage..... \$ 237 50
 P. Bradley..... 237 50
 Jacob Rauber..... 119 25
 H. F. Van Dake, superintending, collecting garbage..... 77 00
 M. Heavey, boarding horse..... 20 00
 Jerome Keys, supt. collecting garbage..... 10 50
 J. R. Chamberlin, rubber bands..... 2 05
 And charge that fund.

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Brush Electric Light Company, lighting for April..... \$ 846 45
 N. H. Galusha, lamp posts..... 82 00
 J. W. Maser, lighting and care oil lamps for May..... 963 32
 Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care for May..... 2,415 00
 Rochester Gas Co..... 1,691 50
 P. W. Kurrid, Rep. Tops..... 78 91
 And charge that fund.

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

A. G. Wheeler, police justice, salary for May, Fred'k Zimmer, police commissioner, salary for May..... \$ 800 00
 Jacob Howe, Jr., police commissioner for May..... 83 33
 Jacob Howe, Jr., police commissioner for May..... 83 33

POLICE PAY ROLL FOR MAY, 1883.

Alex. M'Lean..... 130 00
 Ferry Marzuff..... 85 00
 Samuel Brown..... 85 00
 Thos. Lynch..... 85 00
 Peter Lauer, Jr..... 85 00
 P. C. Kavanaugh..... 85 00
 Thos. A. Burchell..... 85 00
 Henry Baker..... 85 00
 Chas. McCormick..... 85 00
 Jos. S. Boworth..... 85 00
 John C. Haydon..... 85 00
 John H. Dana..... 75 00

Wm. H. White..... 75 00
 Ed. Van Vorst..... 75 00
 Thos. Dukelow..... 75 00
 John C. M'Quatters..... 75 00
 Fred. Griebel..... 75 00
 John M. Reis..... 75 00
 W. R. M'Arthur..... 75 00
 Frank B. Allen..... 85 00
 Hugh Clark..... 75 00
 Jacob Frank..... 75 00
 Thos. Crouch..... 75 00
 John Wangman..... 75 00
 Geo. Hoffner..... 75 00
 Chas. Siefert..... 75 00
 Frank S. Skuse..... 75 00
 George Long..... 75 00
 Daniel Goulding..... 106 00
 Hugh Johnston..... 105 00
 Joseph P. Cleary..... 85 00
 Wm. Keith..... 85 00
 Benj. C. Furtherer..... 85 00
 Nicholas J. Loos..... 85 00
 John B. Deane..... 75 00
 Mich. Hyland..... 75 00
 Olier Oliver..... 75 00
 Ralph Bendon..... 75 00
 Andrew Connolly..... 75 00
 Robt. Burns..... 75 00
 Jacob Harter..... 75 00
 John B. O'Neil, 29 days..... 75 00
 John Mitchell..... 75 00
 Ed. McDonough..... 75 00
 Jos. St. Hellen..... 75 00
 Wm. M'Keivry, 27 days..... 67 50
 Robt. M'Kee, 26 days..... 65 00
 Michael Brady, 25 days..... 75 00
 Chas. E. Fowler..... 75 00
 Robert Sloan..... 75 00
 John Dean..... 75 00
 Samuel Schwartz..... 75 00
 Jas. A. Johnson..... 75 00
 Wm. Burgess..... 75 00
 James P. Flynn..... 75 00
 Michael Cain..... 75 00
 Charles W. Pear..... 75 00
 Chas. Hart..... 75 00
 Wm. Laragy..... 75 00
 Michael Hynes, 24 days..... 60 00
 Henry D. Shove, 19 days..... 47 50
 Louis Mold..... 75 00
 Peter Hess..... 75 00
 Oliver A. Youle..... 75 00
 Frederick Kippput..... 75 00
 Hiram Rogers, 23 days..... 57 50
 Joseph Baker..... 75 00
 John E. McDermott..... 75 00
 Patk. J. Cummings..... 75 00
 Benj. L. Stetson, 23 days..... 70 00
 Patk. Caulfield..... 75 00
 Jerome P. Dowd..... 67 50
 Patk. Culligan..... 75 00
 Wm. Murray..... 75 00
 Michael Engliert..... 75 00
 John Sullivan..... 75 00
 John A. Ball..... 75 00
 Dennis Hogan..... 75 00
 James E. Ryan..... 75 00
 John Yaman, 26 days..... 62 50
 Mich. Zimmerman, 27 days..... 67 50
 Geo. H. Kron..... 75 00
 George Liese, 31 days..... 77 00
 Henry Baker, Jr..... 75 00
 Mich. Fitzpatrick, 29 days..... 72 50
 Wm. Hillard..... 75 00
 Fred'k Walter..... 75 00
 Ed. O'Laughlin..... 75 00
 George Mohr, 31 days..... 77 50
 John Hester..... 75 00
 John A. Wallace..... 75 00
 John H. Mason..... 75 00
 Jacob Markey..... 75 00
 B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c..... 126 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

B. Frank Enos, disbursements..... 131 40
 And charge that fund.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER,
 Offices, City Hall, May 28th, 1883.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates have been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, and are hereby respectfully referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.
 Respectfully submitted,

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Executive Board, City of Rochester—Finance Budget, May 28, 1883:

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.
 Bostwick & Heinal, printing..... \$ 12 50

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Weekly pay roll, May 17, labor.....	194 81
Consumers' Ice Co., ice bill.....	19 00
J. G. Luitweiler, paint, etc.....	8 80
Dr. A. Tegg, veterinary services.....	6 00
H. A. Kingsley & Co., hardware and nails.....	87 39
H. Kohlmetz & Son, iron work.....	11 05
J. A. Vanderwerf, labor on canal dams.....	112 50
	\$ 439 55

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, May 31, inspection and labor.....	180 47
A. D. Wood & Co., hydrants.....	358 70
Geo. B. Harris, transportation.....	6 30
J. H. Decker & Co., est. No. 3, group 74.....	140 00
..... 1,	200 00
..... 1,	350 50
F. C. Lauer	77.....
N. L. Brayer	1, Goodman st.....
R. R. crossing.....	500 00
	\$ 1,730 47

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay-roll, May 24, operating expenses.....	\$ 496 81
..... 24, service and repairs.....	351 75
..... 31, operating expenses.....	496 81
..... 31, service and repairs.....	426 25
Sargent & Greenleaf, keys and repairs.....	5 00
J. W. Gillis, furniture in office.....	13 55
Consumers' Ice Co., ice bills.....	43 75
H. W. Mathews, bound volume of reports.....	10 00
B. F. Harris, rent of stable.....	72 50
R. M. Masseth, horse hire.....	72 50
Dr. A. Tegg, veterinary services.....	6 00
Geo. E. Miller, wood.....	9 00
Henry Lochte, material and labor.....	7 90
Chase Brothers, trees at Hemlock lake.....	4 15
M. D. F. Hoppaugh, labor.....	31 10
B. D. Wood & Co., sprinkling hydrants.....	558 11
Geo. B. Harris, freight.....	13 81
W. Hodges, pathmaster, road tax, Brighton.....	8 00
Ludlow Valve Manufacturing Co., casting.....	1 00
Brewster, Crittenden & Co., clover seed.....	14 50
Thos. J. Neville, disbursements.....	6 95
	\$3,592 02

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Monthly pay-roll, payable May 31.....	\$3,229 33
Active Hose Co., appropriation.....	208 33
Municipal Gas Co., gas bills.....	29 80
Utica F. A. Telegraph Co., telegraph supplies.....	126 21
F. E. Handy, telegraph labor.....	12 00
Michael Heavey, horsehire.....	22 00
	\$3,627 67

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

Porter W. Taylor, inspecting work, Monroe av. outlet sewer.....	\$ 32 50
John Gordon, inspecting work, Frederick st. sewer.....	21 25

Street Department—Stakes and Expenses.

Court and Williams streets outlet sewer, cleaning, &c.....	\$ 17 74
Eagle st. improvement.....	1 16
Rauber st. sewer.....	1 40
Jones st. walk.....	1 96
Frederick st. sewer.....	2 22
Pennsylvania av. walk and grading.....	6 24

Estimates.

J. Qualtrough, estimate No. 1, Child st. walk.....	\$ 50 00
E. R. Fox, partial estimate No. 4, grading Lyell bridge app's.....	200 00
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Jones st. walk.....	115 64
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Eagle st. walk and grading.....	98 84
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Frederick st. sewer.....	288 53
John Mauder, final estimate, Rauber st. sewer.....	294 60
Thomas Oliver, final estimate, cleaning and straightening Court and William sts. outlet sewer ditch.....	176 95
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Pennsylvania av. walk and grading.....	692 54
	\$2,004 57

Sprinkling Streets—Special Funds.

J. W. Breakey—Estimates No. 1.	
West ave. O 2433.....	\$190 00
East and West Main sts, O 2435.....	235 00
	\$425 00

J. J. Weilert—Estimates No. 1.

Goodman st, O 2429.....	\$ 97 00
East ave, sec 2, O 2431.....	146 00
	\$243 00

A. W. Turubull—Estimates No. 1.

Meigs st, O 2428.....	\$ 64 00
East ave, sec 1, O 2430.....	160 00
Chestnut st, O 2437.....	55 00
South Union st, O 2439.....	50 00

Park ave, O 2445.....	73 00
Rowley st, O 2446.....	45 00
Monroe ave, O 2447.....	147 00
	\$594 00

Sanford D. Pierce—Estimates No. 1.

Mt Hope ave, sec 2, O 2426.....	\$ 49 00
Erince st, O 2432.....	66 00
Exchange st, O 2434.....	77 00
East Main st, O 2436.....	166 00
Gibbs st, O 2431.....	5 00
	\$363 00

John Durman—Estimates No. 1.

Clinton st, sec 1, O 2443.....	\$74 00
North ave, sec 1, O 2459.....	58 00
University ave, sec 1, O 2461.....	21 00
Scio st, O 2469.....	14 00
Clinton st, sec 2, O 2476.....	37 00
Atwater st, O 2477.....	19 00
Hudson st, O 2479.....	25 00
Elm st, O 2480.....	6 00
Andrews st, O 2483.....	17 00
	\$271 00

G. Bantel & Son—Estimates No. 1.

State st. O 2427.....	\$ 192 00
South St, Paul se. and South ave. O 2438.....	126 00
S. Fitzhugh st. O 2440.....	39 00
Lake ave. O 2441.....	261 00
Mill st. O 2442.....	99 00
South ave. Sec. 1, O 2444.....	114 00
South Washington st. O 2448.....	16 00
Plymouth ave. O 2449.....	54 00
Allen st. O 2450.....	116 00
Troup st. O 2441.....	31 00
N. Washington st. O 2452.....	37 00
Spring st. O 2453.....	34 00
Sophia st. O 2454.....	38 00
N. Fitzhugh st. O 2455.....	39 00
N. Water st. O 2456.....	77 00
Mt. Hope ave Sec. 1, O 2457.....	37 00
Jones ave. O 2458.....	55 00
South ave O 2478.....	1 00
Kent st. O 2482.....	20 00
	\$1,398 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Ald. Archer from the committee to confer with the Executive Board in relation to the subject of five cents per foot tax for sprinkling purposes; asked for further time. Granted.

Ald. Foley from the committee on Trowbridge street closing reported progress and asked for further time. Further time was granted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Surveyor—

CITY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE, {
ROCHESTER, May 19th, 1893. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to the adoption of the recommendation submitted by the Executive Board to the Common Council at last regular meeting, the following estimated cost of various street improvements is presented, based on the width of roadway between gutters:

NAMES OF STREETS.	LOCATION.	PRICE PER LIN.	Cost of Medina stone improvement.	Cost of granite Macadam improvement.	Cost of limestone Macadam improvement.
Lake avenue.	L'well ave. to MacTracken st.	8 1/2	\$86 3/4	\$24 68	12 81/2
Clinton st.	West ave. to Plymouth ave.	3 1/2	70	21 72	8 81/2
Plymouth avenue.	Goodman st. to Erie Canal.	2 000	36 7 20	9 000	4 37 1/2
Monroe avenue.					5 000
Total cost of each improvement \$390, 145 \$63, 383 \$24, 518					

Respectfully submitted,
 OSCAR H. PEACOCK, City Surveyor.
 Ordered received, filed and published.
 From the Executive Board—
 OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
 ROCHESTER, May 26, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: The Executive Board has been earnestly requested by taxpayers to construct crosswalks, one across Atwater st., directly in front of the main entrance to the depot of the N. Y. C. & H. R. Railroad, and one across West avenue in continuation of the west sidewalk of Trowbridge street. It is represented that these walks are needed for the accommodation of passengers going from and to the N. Y. C. & H. R. and the B. N. Y. & P. railway depots. As the construction of these walks will be in the nature of improvements, being upon improved streets, the Executive Board does not feel at liberty to construct them and pay for the same out of the Highway Fund, without specifying the direction from your Honorable Body. Under the provisions of Sec. 170 of the City Charter, it is clearly competent for the Common Council to direct said work to be done by local assessment or otherwise.

Respectfully submitted,
 THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby requested to construct a suitable crosswalk across Atwater street, directly in front of the main entrance to the N. Y. C. & H. R. Rk. depot for the convenience of passengers passing to and from said depot. Adopted.
 By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby requested to construct a crosswalk across West avenue on

the west side of Trowbridge street for the convenience of passengers passing to and from the depot of the B. N. Y. & P. R.R. Adopted.

From the commissioners for opening and extending Ward and Hamburg sts.:
 To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

The undersigned, who were appointed by order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, duly granted and entered on the 31 day of March, 1883, commissioners to enquire into and determine to what damage and compensation the owners and occupants of the lands to be taken for the opening and extension of Ward st. from Clinton st. to Joiner st. and the opening and extension of Hamburg st. from the west end thereof to Joiner st. in the city of Rochester, will be entitled to, do respectfully report and certify their award of damages as incident to the opening and extension of said streets as follows:

The several pieces and parcels of land required for said improvement are described as follows:
 All that tract or parcel of land designated as lot No. 8, on the east side and fronting Clinton st., on a map of subdivision of part of out lot No. 9, in David Hudson's survey of the Atwater and Andrews tract, made by James M. Bruff and recorded in the Monroe County Clerk's office, in liber 83 of deeds, at page 442, said lot being 83 feet front and rear and 160 1/2 feet deep. These premises are owned by Jacob Fox of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of lot No. 24, and designated on a map of part of out lots 9 and 11 in the Atwater and Andrews tract, recorded in the Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 20 of miscellaneous records, at page 256, the east line of said lot No. 8, north line of said lot No. 24, 97 feet to the west line of Joiner street; thence southerly along the west line of Joiner street twenty-nine and six-tenths feet; thence westerly on a line parallel with the north line of said lot No. 24 twenty-nine and six-tenths feet distant therefrom 97 feet; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 24 twenty-nine and six-tenths feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Peter Meisch of Rochester.
 Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 25, as described on the map last above mentioned; thence easterly on the south line of said lot No. 25 ninety-seven feet to the west line of Joiner street; thence northerly along the west line of Joiner street three and four-tenths feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the south line of said lot No. 25 three and four-tenths feet distant therefrom 97 feet; thence southerly along the west line of said lot No. 25 three and four-tenths feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Annie Danahy.
 Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 53, as designated on the map last above mentioned; thence easterly along the south line of said lot No. 53, ninety-seven feet; thence northerly along the east line of said lot No. 53, thirty-three and six-tenths feet; thence southwesterly to a point in the east line of Joiner st. ten feet north from the place of beginning; thence southerly along the east line of Joiner st. ten feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Joseph Freidel of Rochester.
 Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of lot No. 52, as designated on the map last above mentioned, thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 52 ninety-seven feet; thence southerly along the east line of said lot No. 52 sixteen and one-half feet; thence westerly on a line parallel with the north line of said lot No. 52, sixteen and one-half feet distant therefrom 97 feet to the place of beginning; thence northerly along the east line of Joiner street sixteen and one-half feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Caroline Geiwitz, of Rochester.
 Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the premises last above described, thence easterly on a line parallel with the north line of said lot No. 52 sixteen and one-half feet distant therefrom ninety-seven feet; thence southerly along the east line of said lot No. 52 three and eight-tenths feet; thence southwesterly to a point in Joiner street six and one-half feet southerly from the place of beginning; thence northerly along the east line of Joiner street six and one-half feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Margaretha Huberth, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage given to Bernard Swyntank to secure the payment of \$230, with interest from May 15, 1882.
 Therefore, we the subscribers, the commissioners

having been duly sworn as required by the Statute in such cases made and provided, and having all met and acted on the matter submitted to us at the City Attorney's office in the City Hall Building, Rochester, N. Y., pursuant to a notice at least ten days published and given according to law, and having taken a view of every part of the premises affected by this proceeding, and having enquired into and heard allegations and proofs of the respective parties in interest, do therefore determine and appraise the damage which the several owners and occupants of the land and premises thus to be taken for the opening and extension of said streets will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, and do award the full amount of such damage and fix the compensation which each of the aforesaid owners and occupants shall receive, as follows:

To Jacob Fox, \$7,000; payable to Jacob Fox.
To Peter Meisch, \$2,500; payable to Peter Meisch.
To Annie Danhy, \$200; payable to Annie Danhy.
To Joseph C. Freidel, \$9 0; payable to Joseph C. Freidel.
To Caroline Geilwitz, \$1,000; payable to Caroline Geilwitz.
To Margaretha Huberth, \$1,300; of which \$230, with interest from May 13th, 1883, is payable to Bernard Swyunk, mortgagee, and the remainder is payable to Margaretha Huberth.

All of which is respectfully submitted,
J. A. ADLINGTON,
WM. T. KOHLMETZ,
D. A. WIGHTMAN.

Dated May 28, 1883.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Alderman Southard—Resolved, that objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets be heard at an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council appointed to be held in the Common Council Chambers in the City Hall on the 5th day of June, 1883, at 8 o'clock p. m. Adopted.

By Alderman Southard—Resolved, that the City Clerk draw orders on the City Treasurer as follows:

In favor of J. A. Adlington, Chairman of Commission, for \$192.00, in full of fees of Commissioners Adlington, Kohlmertz and Wightman in the matter of the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets, including clerk hire.

And, in favor of G. F. Slocum for \$25, in full for witness fees, subpoenaing of witnesses and for searches made of the title to the property to be taken for such extension and charge contingent fund; and that the treasurer charge and carry said aggregate sum of \$217, to the fund for the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets when created as part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

From the Commission on opening a street from Pinnacle avenue to Griffith street:

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester.

The undersigned, who were appointed by order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, duly granted and entered on the 3d day of March, 1883, commissioners to inquire into and determine to what damages and compensation the owners and occupants of the lands to be taken for the opening of a street from Pinnacle avenue to Griffith street in the city of Rochester, will be entitled, do respectfully report and certify their award of damages as incident to the opening of said street, as follows:

The several pieces and parcels of land required for said improvement are described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot number sixteen (16) as designated on a map of the Griffith tract, made by James M. Bruff and recorded in the Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 134 of Deeds at page 473, thence running easterly along the south line of Griffith street forty-eight feet; thence southerly along the east line of the proposed street one hundred and ten feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the south line of Griffith street and one hundred and ten feet distant therefrom, forty-eight (48) feet;

thence northerly along the west line of said lot number sixteen, one hundred and ten feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Mary J. Keith, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon, held by the Mechanics' Savings Bank of Rochester, to secure the payment of two hundred dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid, with interest thereon from the first day of May, 1883.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot number sixteen above referred to, thence southerly along the west line of said lot number sixteen one hundred and ten feet; thence easterly along a line parallel with the south line of Griffith street and one hundred and ten feet therefrom, forty eight feet; thence southerly along the east line of the proposed street ninety two and nine-tenths (92.9) feet, to lands belonging to the State of New York; thence westerly along the north line of said lands belonging to the State of New York to the west line of the proposed street, one hundred and ninety two and one-half feet to the south line of Griffith street, thence easterly along the south line of Griffith street twelve feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Ariella A. Fullam of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the west line of the proposed street with the north line of Pinnacle avenue thence northerly along the west line of the proposed street to lands belonging to the State of New York; thence easterly along the southerly line of said lands belonging to the State of New York, to the east line of the proposed street; thence southerly along the east line of the proposed street to the north line of Pinnacle avenue; thence westerly along the north line of Pinnacle avenue to the place of beginning, being a strip of land sixty feet wide, at right angles between the lines of the proposed street, lying between the north line of Pinnacle avenue and the south line of said lands belonging to the State of New York.

Jane Montgomery, of Rochester appears to have a life estate in these premises, while there are several claimants of the reversion. There are also numerous liens on the premises by way of judgments against one of said claimants.

Therefore, we, the subscribers, the commissioners, having been duly sworn, as required by the statute in such case made and provided, and having all met and acted on the matter submitted to us, at the City Attorney's office, in the City Hall building, Rochester, N. Y., pursuant to a notice of at least ten days, published and given according to law, and having taken a view of every part of the premises affected by this proceeding, and having inquired into and heard the allegations and proof of the respective parties in interest, do therefore determine and appraise the damage which the several owners and occupants of the lands and premises thus to be taken for the opening of said street, will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, and do award the full amount of such damage and fix the compensation which each of the aforesaid owners and occupants shall receive therefor, as follows:

To Mary J. Keith four thousand dollars, of which two hundred dollars, with interest from May 1st, 1883, is payable to the Mechanics Savings Bank of Rochester, mortgage, and the remainder is payable to Mary J. Keith.

To Ariella A. Fullam, three thousand and twenty dollars, payable to Ariella A. Fullam.

To Jane Montgomery and others, three thousand six hundred and fifty dollars, to be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank of Rochester, to the credit of the owners of the premises last above described.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated May 28th, 1883.

WM. H. BOWMAN,
GEO. S. RILEY,
GREGOR FRANK.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the extension of Pinnacle avenue be heard at an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council to be held in Common Council Chambers in the City Hall on the 5th day of June 1883, at 8 o'clock p. m. Adopted.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw orders as follows: In favor of Wm. H. Bowman, chairman of commission, for \$201, in full of fees of commissioners Bowman, Riley and Frank in the matter of the extension of Pinnacle avenue, including clerk hire.

And, in favor of G. F. Slocum for \$20, in full for searches made of the title to the property to be taken for such extension, and for witness fees and the subpoenaing of witnesses and charge to contingent fund; and that the Treasurer charge and carry said aggregate sum of \$221, to the fund for the extension of Pinnacle avenue when created as part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

From the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia R. R. Co—

BUFFALO, NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA R. R. Co. }
Rochester, N. Y., May 29, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—It seems that the communication addressed to your honorable body on the 12th day of April last, was unsatisfactory to your committee for the reason that it was considered indefinite in its phraseology.

The railroad company desire to purchase a strip of land 140 feet in width lying between West avenue and Troup street, and bounded on the West by Trowbridge street.

To enable the company to utilize the strip of land, it is necessary that they should have the use of Trowbridge street, and the privilege of laying an additional track, making four tracks in all across Troup street. The details can be arranged with your committee and the privileges to be granted to be contingent on the purchase of the property by the railroad company.

Trusting that this arrangement will be mutually satisfactory.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully your obedient servant,
J. W. JONES, President.
By Ensign Bennett, General Agent.

Ordered received, filed and published, and referred to the committee on Trowbridge street.

From the Board of Health—

ROCHESTER, May 29, 1883.

In Board of Health, May 29th, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Inspector reports that there is water in almost every cellar on Pinnacle avenue; also stagnant water on the commons near by. The majority of the people want a sewer. We would ask it be referred to your Sewer Committee, and we would ask the same reference for a sewer on North Clinton street, north of Clifford street to Baetzler street.

FRANK N. LORD,
Clerk of Board of Health.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 29, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the tax levy, as presented at the last regular meeting, May 15th, has been published as required by section 81 of the City Charter.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., May 19th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with section 200 of the city charter, I hereby report that the City Assessors have notified me that they are unable to take and subscribe the oath required preliminary to making the assessment for acquiring additional land for the new street from Mill to Water street, known as Central avenue, being interested in the property described in the order of assessment thereof.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

TWO-PLANK WALK ON GENESEE STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor

ascertain and report to this Council, the expense of constructing a 2-plank walk on Genesee street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$122.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a 2-plank walk on the east side of Genesee street, from Brooks avenue to the south line of Mrs. J. G. Rogers's property.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$122, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on the east side of Genesee street, from Brooks avenue to the south line of Mrs. J. G. Rogers's property.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, June the 12th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

OPENING AND EXTENDING EDWARD STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of opening and extending Edward street, from its present northerly terminus to Vose street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,500.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The opening and extension of Edward street, in a direct line, from its present northerly terminus to Vose street, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor is described as follows, viz: A strip of land 45 feet in width, extending from the present northerly terminus of Edward street to Vose, the east and west lines thereof, to be the extension of the east and west lines of Edward street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,500, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Edward street, from Herman street to the north end of Edward street, and one tier of lots on each side of Vose street, from Henry street to Hudson street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, June 12th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING PLATT STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Platt street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$355.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Platt street from a point 100 feet west of State street to a point 100 feet north of Allen street, during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$355, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Platt street from a point 100 feet west of State street to a point 100 feet north of Allen street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, June 12th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON CHILD STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Child street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$200.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a plank walk 4 ft. 3 in. in width on the west side of Child street, from Maple street to the south line of the Rochester and Pittsburgh Railroad property except where good plank walks now exist which are of the proper grade; also the necessary crosswalks.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$200, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the west side of Child street, between Maple street and the south line of the Rochester and Pittsburgh railroad property in front of which the proposed walk shall be constructed.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, June the 12th, 1884, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

STONE SEWER IN BAY STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a stone sewer Bay street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$3,373. By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a stone sewer 2 feet square in Bay street, from the sewer in North avenue to the west line of Hebard street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$3,373 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Bay street, from North avenue to Hebard street.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll, one-third of the amount within one-year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, June the 12th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

IMPROVING APPROACHES TO LYELL AVENUE LIFT BRIDGE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$2,600. By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The improvement of the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge from the west line of Orchard street to the west line of West street by constructing a MacAdam pavement with curb stones and cobble stone gutters on each side thereof; also the necessary flag walks, cross walks and plank walks where they have heretofore existed, using all old materials heretofore used on the street, as far as they may extend, and supply all deficiencies with new materials. Width of roadway between curb lines to be of the present width, except where narrowed at the ends of the bridge.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,600 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Lyell avenue from the west line of Orchard street to the west line of West street.

And further, Resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assess-

ments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, June 12th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SEWER IN CALEDONIA AVENUE AND ADAMS STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a sewer in Caledonia avenue and Adams street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$11,213. By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a sewer in Caledonia avenue from the south line of Troup street to the north line of Summer alley. Also an outlet for the same through Adams street from Caledonia avenue to the Genesee Valley canal outlet sewer; and to be of the following sizes, viz: 12-inch pipe from the north line of Summer alley to the center of Glasgow st., 15-inch pipe from the center of Glasgow st. to the center of Edinburgh st., 18-inch pipe from the center of Edinburgh st. to the center of Tremont st. and from the south line of Troup st. to the center of Atkinson st. Stone sewer 1½x2 feet, with curved invert, from the center of Tremont st. to the center of Atkinson st.; stone sewer in Adams street, with curved invert, from the center of Caledonia ave. to the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer.

Also the necessary lot laterals, surface sewers and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$11,213, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

On tier of lots on each side of the following named streets, between the limits mentioned, viz:

Caledonia ave. from Troup st. to Summer alley.

Adams st., from Ford st. to a point 100 feet west of Plymouth ave.

Tremont st., from Ford st. to a point 100 feet west of Plymouth ave.

Tremont place, for its entire length.

Edinburgh court, for its entire length.

Edinburgh street, from Caledonia ave. to a point 100 feet west of Plymouth ave.

Hunter st., from Caledonia ave. to a point 200 feet west thereof.

Glasgow st., from Caledonia ave. to a point 350 feet east thereof.

And further, Resolved, That the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows:

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll, one-fifth within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, June 12th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance for sprinkling Clarissa street came up. Ald. Bronson moved to post-action until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

The final ordinance for a plank walk on Jennings street came up. Ald. Simmelink moved to indefinitely postpone. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,491.

SPRINKLING TREMONT STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Alderman Aikenhead submitted the following: An ordinance to sprinkle Tremont street from a point 100 feet west of Plymouth avenue to Caledonia avenue, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Tremont street, from a point 100 feet west of Plymouth avenue to Caledonia avenue, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$181, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvements is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Tremont street, from a point 100 feet west of Plymouth avenue to Caledonia avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,492.

SPRINKLING COURT STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Court street from a point 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Union street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Court street from a point 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Union st., during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$382.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Court street, from a point 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Union street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Nays—Ald. Jeffords, Felsing—2.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,493.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Franklin street from Andrews street to North St. Paul street during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Franklin street from Andrews street to North St. Paul street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$142, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin street, from Andrews street to North St. Paul street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,494.

SPRINKLING FRONT STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Front street from a point 100 feet north of Main street to the north line of the Brackett House property during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Front street from a point 100 feet north of Main street, to the north line of the Brackett House property during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$236, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Front street from a point 100 feet north of Main street, to the north line of the Brackett House property.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,495.

SPRINKLING JONES STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Jones street, from Centre street to Jay street during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Jones street, from Centre street to Jay street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$231, which estimate is hereby approved and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Jones street, from Centre street to Jay street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,496.

SPRINKLING FORD STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Ford street, from the Erie canal to a point 100 feet south of Allen street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Ford street, from the Erie Canal to a point 100 feet south of Allen street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$140, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Ford street, from the Erie Canal to a point 100 feet south of Allen street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jef-

ords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The final ordinance for a flag walk on Hawthorn st. came up.

After hearing allegations Ald. Simmelink moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

**FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,497.
PIPE SEWER IN WEEGER STREET.**

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following: An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Weeger st. from the sewer in Henry st. to a point 100 feet west of Hudson st.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Weeger st. from the sewer in Henry st. to a point 100 feet west of Hudson st.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by an assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,230, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Weeger st., from Henry st. to a point 100 feet west of Hudson st.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

**FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,498.
PIPE SEWER IN EAST SELLINGER STREET.**

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An Ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in East Sellinger street, from the sewer in St. Joseph street, to a point 337 feet east of St. Joseph street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in East Sellinger street, from the sewer in St. Joseph street to a point 337 feet east of St. Joseph street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$540.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East Sellinger street, from St. Joseph street to the east end of East Sellinger street. Also the lots adjoining the east end of East Sellinger street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

**FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,499.
PLANK WALK ON BERNARD STREET.**

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Bernard street, from Thomas street to Hudson street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on the south side of Bernard street, from Thomas street to Hudson street; also the necessary crosswalks.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of

this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$317, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the south side of Bernard street, from Thomas street to Hudson street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Simmelink moved that property owners be allowed thirty days to construct their own walks under the direction of the City Surveyor. Adopted.

**FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,500.
SPRINKLING HOWELL STREET.**

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Howell street from a point 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Monroe avenue during the season of 1888.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Howell street from a point 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to a point 100 feet west of Monroe avenue during the season of 1888.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$241, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Howell street, from 100 feet east of South St. Paul street to 100 feet west of Monroe avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The final ordinance for enlarging and extending the sewer in White street came up.

Ald. Felsing moved to amend by striking out of the territory to be assessed all of that portion lying west of the Erie canal.

Ald. Hinds moved that action be postponed two weeks and that it be referred to a special committee to report at the next meeting. Adopted.

The final ordinance for sprinkling North avenue, section 2, came up.

Ald. Aikenhead moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

**FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,501.
WIDENING NORTH ST. PAUL STREET.**

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to widen North St. Paul st. from Division st. northerly to a point near River st.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The widening of North St. Paul st. from Division st. northerly to a point near River st., and the following described territory is deemed necessary to be taken therefor, viz:

A strip of land 10 feet in width adjoining North St. Paul st. on the east side thereof, and extending from Division st. to the south line of the Lamberton block, situated on the southeast corner of Andrews st. and North St. Paul st., except where crossed by intersecting streets.

Also a strip of land 10 feet in width adjoining North St. Paul st. on the west side thereof, and extending from Andrew st. to River st., excepting that portion occupied by an iron column of the gasometer belonging to the Rochester Gas Co. and the foundations and walls necessary for the protection of said column.

Also that portion of land on the northwest corner of River st and North St. Paul st., between the lines of said streets and the west line (of the last above mentioned strip of land 10 feet in width) extending north- erty in a direct line from the south line of River st. to the west line of North St. Paul st

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the as- sessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be bene- fited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the di- rection of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$—, which estimate is hereby approved, and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as fol- lows:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul st. from East Main st. to Atwater st.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered as- sessed.

Ald. Archer presented a petition for, and a remonstrance against, the ordinance.

The ordinance was then adopted by the fol- lowing vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Wat- son, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,502.

NORTH ST. PAUL STREET SPRINKLING—SEC.2.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement de- scribed in the ordinance below :

After hearing such allegations from all persons ap- pearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle North St. Paul street from the centre of Marietta street to Avenue A, during the season of 1888.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do or- dain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of North St. Paul street from the centre of Marietta street to Avenue A during the season of 1888.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the as- sessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be bene- fited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the di- rection of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,001, which esti- mate is hereby approved; and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street from the centre of Marietta street to Avenue A.

On which above described portion of the city the ex- penses of said improvement are hereby ordered as- sessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Arch- er, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,503.

FLAG WALK ON BRIGHTON AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement de- scribed in the ordinance below:.

After hearing such allegations from all persons ap- pearing—

Ald. Pitkin submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a flag walk on Brighton avenue from Goodman street to the street extending from Oxford place to Nichols park.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do or- dain and determine as follows:

The construction of a blue stone flag walk four feet in width on the south side of Brighton avenue from Goodman street to the street extending from Oxford place to Nichols park.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the as- sessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be bene- fited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the di- rection of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,080, which estimate is hereby approved, and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as fol- lows:

One tier of lots on the south side of Brighton ave. from Goodman street to the street extending from Oxford place to Nichols park.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered as- sessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,504.

PLANK WALK ON WHITMORE PARK.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement de- scribed in the ordinance below :

After hearing such allegations from all persons ap- pearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following :

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Whit- more park, from Mt. Vernon avenue to Meigs street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do or- dain and determine as follows :

The construction of a plank walk 3½ feet in width on each side of Whitmore park from Mt. Vernon ave- nue to Meigs street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the as- sessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be bene- fited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the di- rection of this Council having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$287, which esti- mate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be bene- fited by said improvement is described as follows:

On tier of lots on each side of Whitmore park from Mt. Vernon avenue to Meigs street.

On which above described portion of the city the ex- penses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Arch- er, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Rice moved that property owners be allowed thirty days to construct their own walks at the grade established by the City Surveyor. Adopted.

The final ordinance for North St. Paul street improvement came up and on motion of Ald. Archer was postponed two weeks.

The final ordinance for the construction of a pipe sewer in Park avenue came up and on motion of Ald. Simmelink was indefinitely postponed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up :

“By Ald. Watson—Whereas, the City Sur- veyor is engaged in re-numbering the various streets and avenues of the city, and it appears that occasional changes should be made in the names of certain streets, that they may be numbered properly; therefore,

Resolved, That the name of that portion of West Main street east of State street be changed to “ East Main street,” that the street may be re-numbered, commencing at State street.

Resolved, That the name of South St. Paul street be changed to “ South avenue,” that the new numbers may be regular from Main street to the south end of South avenue.

Ald. Watson moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.”

Ald. Watson moved the adoption of the reso- lutions. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the amounts set opposite the several funds in the schedule hereto attached be and are hereby adopted as the sums to be raised for such funds and for the expenses of the city for the ensuing year, as provided by section 81 of the city charter :

For lighting the city.....	\$65,000 00	
For support of the police.....	60,000 00	
For general contingent expenses..	45,000 00	
For support and relief of the poor.	30,000 00	
For Board of Health, including collection of garbage.....	12,000 00	
		\$212,000 00
For support of common schools, as follows:		
Building Fund, \$15,000 per char- ter and \$15,000 per special act...	\$30,000 00	
Repair Fund.....	10,000 00	
Contingent Fund, including \$2,500 for steam heating in No. 3.....	46,500 00	
Teachers' Fund.....	88,500 00	
		175,000 00
For City Property Fund.....		3,000 00
For the Executive Board, as per requisition:		

Fire Department Fund.....	\$70,000 00	
Extension of water pipe.....	22,510 00	
Highway Fund.....	25,000 00	
Repair and care of avenues.....	4,200 00	
Salary and Expense Fund.....	8,000 00	
For Park Fund.....	130,010 00	
For erroneous assessments.....	2,000 00	
For local assessments on city property.....	2,219 47	
For interest on bonded debts as follows, at 7 per cent.:	3,781 95	
One year on \$50,000, deficiency loan (issued 1872 to cover unpaid taxes prior to 1870).....	\$3,500 00	
One year on \$15,000, Free Academy site.....	1,050 00	
One year on \$125,000, Free Academy building.....	8,750 00	
One year on \$60,000, floating debt loan—\$30,000 on account of flood damages, and \$30,000 to replace bounty loan of 1864.....	4,200 00	
One year on \$150,000, floating debt loan (re-issue of floating debt loan of '68, '69 and '70, authorized May 6, 1873, by Council).....	10,500 00	
One year on \$3,152,000, water works loan.....	222,740 00	
One year on \$30,000, No. 5 School loan.....	1,400 00	
One year on \$410,000, funding loan of 1875; res. C. C. June 18, '75.....	28,700 00	
One year on \$600,000, R. & S. L.R.R. loan.....	42,000 00	
One year on \$150,000, R., N. & P. RR. loan.....	10,500 00	
One year on \$335,000, City Hall loan.....	23,450 00	
One year on \$9,000, N. Y. State Arsenal loan (less surplus of amt received from the County Treasurer Feb. 15, 1883, for the credit of said loan \$1,400 over 1 bond falling due Feb. 15, 1883, \$1,000—amounting to \$600).....	180 00	
At 4 per cent.:		
Eighteen months on \$100,000, consolidated loan (issued August 1, 1882, by res. C. C. March 30, '82).....	6,000 00	
	\$362,920 00	
Less amount to be paid in by Executive Board for surplus receipts over expenditures from Water Works.....	\$100,000 00—362,920 00	
	\$262,920 00	
For payment of 5 bonds Monroe Avenue Cemetery Loan, due January 1, 1883, @ \$1,000 each.....	5,000 00	
For payment of 15 bonds Monroe Avenue School Loan due January 1, 1883, @ \$1,000 each.....	15,000 00	
For amount of Floating Debt Loan maturing in 1883, not provided for in Tax Levy of 1882 nor renewed in Consolidated Loan.....	1,000 00	
For amount of Steam Fire Engine Loan maturing in 1883, not provided for in Tax Levy of 1882 nor renewed in Consolidated Loan.....	2,950 00	
	23,950 00	
For payment of Notes authorized by the Common Council to supply deficiencies in the following funds:		
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. June 13, 1882.....	\$4,000 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. July 11, 1882.....	9,850 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Aug. 14, 1882.....	2,700 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Sept. 5, 1882.....	5,500 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Sept. 19, 1882.....	2,700 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Oct. 3, 1882.....	1,200 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Oct. 17, 1882.....	6,275 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Oct. 31, 1882.....	1,570 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Nov. 14, 1882.....	9,095 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. Jan. 9, 1883.....	4,800 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. March 20, 1883.....	2,100 00	
Water Pipe Fund res. C. C. March 29, 1883.....	2,400 00	
Protectives Building Fund, res.	52,190 00	

C. C. July 11, 1882.....	2,450 79
Water Works Fund, res. C. C. July 25, 1882.....	26,000 00
Park Fund, res. C. C. Aug. 22, 1882.....	1,800 00
Highway Fund, res. C. C. C. C. Aug. 22, 1882.....	\$7,000 00
Highway Fund, res. C. C. C. C. Jan. 23, 1883.....	8,000 00
Highway Fund, res. C. C. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	25,000 00
Contingent Fund, res. C. C. Dec. 26, 1882.....	40 00 90
Contingent Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	\$25,000 00
	10,000 00
City Property Fund, res. C. C. Dec. 26, 1882.....	\$5,000 00
City Property Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	\$2,000 00
	2,000 00
Fire Department Fund, res. C. C. Jan. 23, 1883.....	\$13,000 00
Fire Department Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	10,000 00
	23,000 00
Lamp Fund, res. C. C. Feb. 20, 1883.....	15,000 00
Police Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	16,000 00
Health Fund, res. C. C. March 20, 1883.....	\$1,500 00
Health Fund, res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	3,000 00
	4,500 00
	219,440 79
	\$1,034,822 21

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.
 Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.
 Ald. Collins nominated Jacob Howe, Jr.

FIRST VOTE.
 Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.
 No choice.

SECOND VOTE.
 Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.
 No choice.

THIRD VOTE.
 Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.
 No choice.

FOURTH VOTE.
 Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.
 No choice.

FIFTH VOTE.
 Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

Ald. Archer moved to postpone the appointment of Police Commissioner until the next meeting. Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed to the appointment of Commissioners of Deeds and the clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes--Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck--15.

Francis A. Schoeffel, William H. Hawks—Third ward.

Ivan Powers—Fourth ward.

Henry J. Simmelinck—Fourteenth ward.

John W. Stroup—Sixteenth ward.

Having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appoint Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed to appoint three special commissioners to assess for the acquiring of additional lands for a street from Mill street to Water street.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes--Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck--15.

Ald. Kelly in the chair.

Ald. Archer nominated Geo. G. Clarkson.

Geo. G. Clarkson was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck--15.

Geo. G. Clarkson having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council was declared appointed commissioner to assess for the acquiring of additional lands for a street from Mill street to Water street.

Ald. Collins nominated L. A. Pratt.

L. A. Pratt was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck--15.

L. A. Pratt having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council was declared appointed commissioner to assess for the acquiring of additional lands for a street from Mill street to Water street.

Ald. Barron nominated Wm. J. Sheridan.

Wm. J. Sheridan was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck--15.

William J. Sheridan having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council was declared appointed a commissioner to assess for the acquiring of additional lands for a street from Mill street to Water street.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Simmelinck--Resolved, That it is deemed and declared to be necessary to extend and construct a sewer through Park avenue to the west line of Culver street, and from thence 15 inches in diameter northerly, along and across the Culver road or street, within the town of Brighton, to the sewer in East ave-

nue, for the purpose of draining and sewerage one tier of lots on each side of Park avenue from Vick park to the said Culver road, and one tier of lots on the west side of the Culver road from Park avenue to East avenue, and for the purpose of draining and sewerage Park avenue between Vick park and the Culver road. Adopted.

By Ald. Simmelinck--Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he hereby is directed to enter into negotiations with the proper parties for the purpose of acquiring the right on the part of the city to construct a sewer along and across the Culver road or street, from Park avenue to East avenue, which sewer will be an extension of a sewer to be constructed in Park avenue, and report to this Board. Adopted.

By Ald. Simmelinck--Resolved, That the Executive Board are requested to clean the open ditch from Kondolf's ice pond to Culver street, the same as last year. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelinck moved that the City Clerk ascertain whether Central Park, on the Wakelee Farm has been dedicated to public use and report to this Board. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented an invitation from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers to the Common Council to attend their Union meeting June 6th inst. Accepted.

By Ald. Kelly--Resolved, That the City Surveyor be and he is hereby requested to establish the lines of Murray street. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented a remonstrance from property owners in the vicinity of Alexander street bridge against the erection of a coal shed by L. C. Langie without their permission.

Ald. Rice moved that the Fire Marshal be directed to notify Mr. Langie not to proceed until proper permission has been obtained. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds--Whereas, Scrip of the city of Rochester, on the Monroe County Bank, to the amount of \$6.40 has been presented to the City Treasurers office for redemption.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to pay the same to the amount of \$6.40 and charge Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes--Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck--15.

By Ald. Hinds--Resolved, That the City Clerk be, and he hereby is directed to draw orders on the City Treasurer as follows:

In favor of John Menenger for.....	\$ 50 00
In favor of Dora Sehm for.....	10 00
In favor of Mary Sandrock for.....	125 00
In favor of Margaret Farber for.....	100 00
In favor of Hannah F. Brown for.....	250 00
In favor of Gertrude Sehm for.....	50 00
In favor of Henry P. Ayer for.....	175 00

in payment of right of way for the Court and William street outlet sewer across their respective premises for present year as per contracts, and charge the same to Contingent Fund; and that the Treasurer charge and carry the aggregate amount thereof to the fund for the Court and William street outlet sewer and for paying the expense of the right of way thereof when said fund shall be created, as part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes--Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck--15.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That a special committee of five be appointed by the president to confer with the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia railroad company with a view of reaching and reporting to this board an adjustment and settlement of all matters in dispute between said company and the city excepting matters relating to Trowbridge street. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Executive Board be, and it hereby is requested to grade the following streets: Plymouth avenue from Strong street to Magnolia street, Strong street from Plymouth avenue to Francis street; Bartlett street from Plymouth avenue to Francis street.

Also to clean the gutters and to take such action in reference to such streets as to make the same suitable for public travel.

Ald. Archer moved to refer to the Executive Board. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition from property owners adjoining Arnold park requesting a special assessment as provided by chapter 96 laws of 1880, and moved to receive and file. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Whereas, A majority of all the owners of lots on Arnold park have presented to this Board a petition in accordance with chapter 96 of the laws of 1880; therefore,

Resolved, That the prayer of the petitioners be granted and that the assessors be and they are hereby directed to include and add as a part of the assessment for the general tax levy of 1883 at the rate of (\$10) ten dollars for each and every lot on Arnold park, according to the prayer of their petition.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to pay to James W. Fry, Treasurer of the Arnold park association, the sum of sixty dollars, that being the amount now to the credit of said association for special tax levied last year in accordance with the petition of property owners.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Jeffords—

Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be instructed to consider the subject of a time contract for lighting the streets, or such of them as the Common Council shall from time to time designate, with electric light, and that they report thereon at the next meeting with such recommendations as they think proper; and if in their judgment such contract is advisable and for the interest of the city, that they also report and submit a form of contract. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Executive Board be, and it hereby is directed to ascertain and report to this Common Council the amount for which the respective parcels of land necessary to be taken for the widening of North St. Paul street can be purchased. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That all persons interested in the matter of the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street be heard

as to the ordering of the assessment of the expense thereof on the property duly deemed benefited, at the Common Council chamber, in the City Hall building, on the 5th day of June, 1883, at 8 o'clock p. m., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose, and that the City Clerk be and he hereby is directed to publish the notice required by section 190 of the city charter in the premises. Adopted.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of M. D. Edmunds in relation to unpaid taxes. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Bronson moved that the order of assessment for Local Improvement No. 2,473, acquiring additional land for a street from Mill to Water street, published at page 69, current proceedings, be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson moved to indefinitely postpone. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—

Local Improvement Assessment No. 2,473, acquiring additional land for a street from Mill street to Water street.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the first day of May, 1882, enact an ordinance for acquiring additional land between Mill and Water streets; and

Whereas, The City Attorney has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of thirty-six thousand (\$36,000) dollars, including all such interest as the city has paid or become liable for; and

Whereas, the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for said improvement is described as follows:

Being all the lots and parcels of land in the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth wards of the city of Rochester, except that portion of the Fifteenth ward lying north of the Ridge road; and

Whereas, the Common Council has, by a duly published notice, as required by Section 190 of the Revised City Charter, given all persons interested in said improvement an opportunity to be heard: and

Whereas the Common Council did, at a regular meeting, held on the fifteenth day of May, 1883, adopt the local improvement assessment No. 2,473, directing John Gorton, Valentine Fleckenstein and William Maher, the assessors of the said city, to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement: and

Whereas, as appears by the certificate of the City Clerk, the said assessors are, and each of them is, next of kin to some persons to be assessed therefor, and in consequence thereof each of said assessors has failed to qualify under said order: and

Whereas, William J. Sheridan, George G. Clarkson and Luther A. Pratt have and each of them has been duly appointed special commissioners to make this assessment, none of them being interested in any of the property to be taken, as aforesaid, and not of kin to any persons to be assessed therefor: therefore,

Resolved, That the sum of thirty-six (\$36,000) dollars, being the whole amount of the ex-

pense aforesaid, shall be assessed upon such lots and parcels of land and houses within the territory deemed benefited by said improvement, and William J. Sheriden, George G. Clarkson and Luther A. Pratt, special commissioners, duly appointed as aforesaid, not being interested in any of the property to be taken, as aforesaid, or in any of the premises described in this order, nor of kin to any person to be assessed therefore, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the part of the city so designated of the said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified and required to meet for this purpose on the 2d day of June, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 24th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,411, for Langham street plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$279.53.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,411.

LANGHAM STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 28th day of November, 1882, enact an ordinance for Langham street plank walk.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$279.53 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Langham street, from the west end thereof to St. Joseph street.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of, \$279.53 being the whole amount of the expense aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 2nd day of June, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 24th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,420, for Vose st. pipe sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,044.02.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,420.

VOSE STREET SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 6th day of February, 1883, enact an ordinance for Vose street pipe sewer.

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,044.02, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Vose st. from a point 127 feet west of Hudson st. to Henry st.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,044.02, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 2nd day of June, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 24, 1883. }

To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2421, for Tappan street pipe sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$564.29.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2421.

TAPPAN STREET PIPE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 30th day of February, 1883, enact an ordinance for Tappan st. pipe sewer.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$564.29, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Tappan street from a point 137 feet east of North avenue to a point opposite the west line of the lot of land owned by Wm. G. Stewart.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$564.29, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 2d day of June, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 24th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2413 for South Union street plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$115.33.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2412.

PLANK WALK ON SOUTH UNION STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 28th day of November, 1882, enact an ordinance for South Union st. plank walk.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$115.33, including such interest as the city has paid or

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the east side of South Union street, from Pearl street to Monroe ave.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$115.39, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Mahar, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated. of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 2d day of June, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingher, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmonck—15.
By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 15 and 16 of the Upton tract, Upton Park, Sixteenth Ward, was assessed for Upton Park Plank Walk Improvement, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated May 29th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$38.41, with expense and interest, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 20, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:
SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Richard Wright, viz.

Lot No. 16, Upton tract, east side of Upton Park, Sixteenth Ward, 40 feet front, 40 feet rear, and 105 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Upton Park Plank Walk Tax, \$38.41, upon the payment of which, with expense and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 20, 1883. }

(A true copy) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 15, 16 and 17 of the Hooker sub'n. Carthage tract, St. Paul st., 5th ward, was assessed for North St. Paul st. improvement, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated May 29th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$31.00, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 29th, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:
SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Leonard H. Bacon, viz.: Lots No. 15, 16 and n. pt. of 17, Hooker sub'n. Carthage tract, west side of North St. Paul street, 5th ward, 137 feet front, 137 feet rear, and 290 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of North St. street improvement tax, No. 2,067, the sum of \$31.00, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 29th, 1883. }

(A true copy) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer
By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots Nos. 1 and 2 of the Colvin tract, Campbell street, 15th ward, was assessed for Campbell street plank walk improvement, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated May 29th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such

tax upon the payment of \$37.74 with expenses and interest in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 29, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:
SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Conrad Galtzgerfer, viz:

Lots Nos. 1 and 2, e. pts. Colvin tract, south side of Campbell street, 15th ward, 104 feet front, 104 feet rear and 86 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Campbell street plank walk tax, No. 2,536, the sum of \$37.74, upon payment of which, with expenses, and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., May 19, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Aldman Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 122 of the Cornhill Tract, Ford street, 2d Ward, was assessed for South Ford Street Improvement, under one valuation and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated May 23, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$16.65, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 22, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:
SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1883 to Michael T. Quinian, viz:

N. pt. Lot No. 122 Cornhill Tract, west side of Ford street, 3d Ward, 30 feet front, 30 feet rear, and 50 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of balance of South Ford Street improvement, the sum of \$100.39, upon the payment of which, less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 26, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 15 and 16 of the Upton tract, Upton Park, Sixteenth Ward, was assessed for general city tax for 1881 under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated May 29, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$5.38, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 29th, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:
SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1883, to Richard Wright, viz:

Lot No. 16, Upton Tract, east side of Upton Park, 16th Ward, 40 feet front, 40 feet rear, and 105 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of general city tax for 1881, the sum of \$5.33, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., May 29th, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Exec-

utive Board be and they are directed to lay a suitable water main in Westalley, from Spring street to Troup street, when there are funds applicable for that purpose. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Joseph Ulrich is erroneously assessed for 195 feet front on North avenue, lots 6, 7 and 8, for street sprinkling for the year 1882, the actual frontage being but 23 feet, therefore

Resolved, That the treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive one dollar and fifteen cents in payment of said assessment and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to assign the city's interest in the tax sales of 1875, 1877, 1880 and 1881, on lots 130, 143 and 145 of the Mechanics' building lot association, 15th ward, to Chas. W. Smith, and lot 128, same association, to Millard Cosset, upon their paying into the City Treasury the amount of tax with 7 per cent interest from date of sale. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That hereafter, on all business days, all public city offices be opened as early as 9 a. m. and remain open continuously until 3 p. m. for the transaction of business. Adopted.

Ald. Barron called up the resolution published on page 52, current proceedings, authorizing the Mayor to enter into contract with the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Co., and moved to reconsider. Adopted.

Ald. Barron moved to indefinitely postpone. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That the contract to be entered into by and between the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and the city of Rochester, published at pages 18 and 19 of the proceedings of the Common Council for the current year be amended by striking out the clause, "and make the necessary excavations in St. Paul street south of the south line of Atwater street to make St. Paul street on such grade as the city shall legally establish not exceeding one foot in 30 feet," and that said contract as so modified be executed by the mayor on behalf of the city, with the necessary change of date of the contract. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That the City Clerk be, and he hereby is directed to draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of James B. Perkins and William S. Oliver for \$60.00 in full of their claim for costs and disbursements in the matter of appeal from the report of the commissioners determining the compensation to be paid for the land to be taken for the opening of a new street from Mill street to Water street and charge contingent fund; and that the Treasurer charge and carry the amount aforesaid to the fund for the opening of a new street from Mill street to Water street when said fund shall be created as part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Railroad Company, the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, and the New York, West Shore and Buffalo Railroad Company, contemplate

building a union depot in the city of Rochester; therefore

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the chair to confer with said companies as to the location of such depot in the city of Rochester.—Adopted.

The Chair announced the following committee on White street sewer extension: Ald. Hinds, Felsing, Kelly.

Committee to confer with the Buffalo, N. Y. & Phila. RR. Co., the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western RR. Co. and the New York, West Shore & Buffalo RR. Co., in relation to a union depot: Ald. Kelly, Felsing, Collins, Barron.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, June 5, 1883.

ADJOURNED REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16

Ald. Watson called up the following, published at page 84 current proceedings.

By Ald. Watson—Whereas, the City Surveyor is engaged in re-numbering the various streets and avenues of the city, and it appears that occasional changes should be made in the names of certain streets, that they may be numbered properly; therefore,

Resolved, That the name of that portion of West Main street east of State street be changed to "East Main street," that the street may be re-numbered, commencing at State street.

Resolved, That the name of South St. Paul street be changed to "South avenue," that the new numbers may be regular from Main street to the south end of South avenue.

Ald. Watson moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

Ald. Watson moved the adoption of the resolutions. Adopted.

Ald. Watson moved that the action on the above resolutions be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Watson moved to amend by striking out the resolution changing the name of South St. Paul street to South avenue. Adopted.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Excise Commissioners—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing May 1st, 1883, and ending May 31st, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, ale, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz:

1883—May 7:		
Schleber, J Geo;	26 N Water st....	\$50 00
Murray & Rautb;	13 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Popp, Otto C;	Jay and Saxton sts.....	50 00
Ester, Henry J;	Delaware and Anderson aves	50 00
Meyer, Catherine;	19 Hanover st.....	50 00
Schreck, Adolph;	127 Scio st.....	50 00
Sauerman & Lester;	43 Wilder st.....	50 00

Hess, Frederick; 67 North ave.....	50 00	Kase, Valentine; Maple and Ames sts.....	50 00
Schmitt, Anthony; 83 W Maple st.....	50 00	Strebler, Michael; 155 Lake ave.....	50 00
Happ, Louis; 72 North ave.....	50 00	Bloomer, Rudolph; 28 Buchan park.....	30 00
Kohn, John; Scrantom and Hawkins sts.....	50 00	May 16:	
Eichman, Louis; 148 E Main st.....	30 00	Fischer, Alex; 70 University ave.....	50 00
Gribben, Michael; 146 E Main st.....	50 00	Miller, Frank J; 521 N St Paul st.....	50 00
Kauber, E. Maria; 85, 136 W Main st.....	50 00	Heller, Joseph; 24 William st.....	50 00
Boehley, Jacob G; 27 Orange st.....	50 00	Maltzahn, Wm; 4 Bay st.....	50 00
Aha, John G; 181 Hudson st.....	50 00	Howard, James O; 114 State st.....	50 00
Burgess, John; 208 W Main st.....	50 00	Wegman, John Jr; 42 Lake ave.....	50 00
Frank, Gregor; 228 Monroe ave.....	50 00	Schaad, Philip; 116 South ave.....	70 00
Shauhan, John; 51 Lyell ave.....	50 00	Seigfried, Joseph; Driving Park.....	50 00
May 8:		March & Brayer; Exchange place and Mill st.....	50 00
Bussey, George H, agt; 5 S St Paul st.....	50 00	Mattler, Philip; Hudson & Bernard sts.....	50 00
Haller, Christian; 104 1/2 Hudson st.....	50 00	Connaughton, Pat; 198 Exchange st.....	50 00
Hartley, Frederick; Rowe and 11th sts.....	30 00	Stoll, August; 54 S St Paul.....	50 00
Pipscom, August; 8 Atwater st.....	50 00	Schaefer, F J & Bro; Reynolds and Adams sts.....	50 00
Wood, Hiram; 68 W Main st.....	50 00	Mahle, Louis; 68 St Joseph st.....	50 00
Smith, Charles R; 117 W Main st.....	50 00	O'Neill, Frederick; 124 and 126 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Wahl, Michael; 34 Herman st.....	50 00	Gohr, Ernestine; 534 Kelly st.....	50 00
Le Gacy, Mary A; Front and Market sts.....	60 00	Kauber, Stephen; 261 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Gucker, Martin; 106 Exchange st.....	60 00	Frank Franz M; south ave and Grand st.....	50 00
Bussey, George H, agt; 6 Exchange place.....	50 00	O'Hara, Felix; 178 W Main st.....	50 00
May 9:		Kiley, Patrick; 107 Clinton st.....	50 00
Heberger, Philip; 241 N Clinton st.....	50 00	Potter, Alexander B; Frost ave and Reynolds street.....	50 00
Fritz, John G; 177 N St Paul st.....	50 00	May 10:	
Mathews & Meriv; W Main and Fitzhugh sts	50 00	Roth, William; 116 Mt Hope ave.....	50 00
Crispin, Wm H; 70 Exchange st.....	50 00	Shultz, Rosa; Conkey ave and Clifford st.....	50 00
Clark, James W; 124 State st.....	60 00	Fosmire, James; 67 West ave.....	50 00
Wick & Hof; 99 W Maple st.....	5 00	McConeil Philip; 110 Plymouth ave.....	60 00
Kaul, Henry; 134 E Main st.....	50 00	Frank, Chas M; 98 East ave.....	50 00
Robinson, Mack; 93 S St Paul st.....	30 00	Langknecht, Henry; 219 N Clinton st.....	50 00
May 10:		Malxwell, Wm; Waves ave.....	75 00
McGuire, James H; 87 State st.....	3 00	Ralph, William H; 164 State st.....	50 00
Haltz, William; 87 Hunter st.....	30 00	Schurr Bros & Felock; 68 E Main st.....	50 00
Burke, James E; 7 Monroe ave.....	30 00	Boehm, John; 54 N St Paul st.....	50 00
Brumby, Charles; 17 Jones st.....	30 00	May 18:	
Kenning, Theodore J; 50 North ave.....	50 00	Nientimp, Ignatz; 70 St Joseph st.....	50 00
Moore, P W; 17 and 19 S St Paul st.....	50 00	Imhof, Frederick; 124 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Ferner, John; 136 Lake ave.....	50 00	Heizer, Henry; 72 West ave.....	50 00
Vay, Richard; 266 Brown st.....	50 00	Hoiden, James H; 4 and 6 Mill st.....	50 00
Campbell, James; 24 State st.....	50 00	Snyder, Frank J; 116 North ave.....	50 00
May 11:		Bullinger, Balth; 4 and 6 Elizabeth st.....	50 00
Eisenmenger, Mary B; 108 Catham st.....	50 00	Stopperan, Henry; 21 Lowell st.....	50 00
Auer, Sebastian; 12, Front st.....	60 00	Green, Philip; 231 E Main st.....	30 00
Zipke, Gustav; 65 North ave.....	50 00	Long, Mary; 38 Scio st.....	50 00
Frost, Philomena; 172 Pinnacle ave.....	50 00	Young, Charles; 62 Monroe ave.....	50 00
Blum, Adolph; 82 N St Paul st.....	50 00	Knapp, Geo J; Goodman st and Monroe ave.....	50 00
Magiu, Michael; 5 Andrews st.....	50 00	Goetz, Magdalena; 86 St. Joseph st.....	50 00
Wagner, Dora; 12 N Clinton st.....	50 00	Stalknecht, Joseph; 30 Front st.....	50 00
Schreck, Wm F; 120 Mt Hope ave.....	50 00	Lettington, Geo. W.; 35 W, Main st.....	50 00
Ruppert, Theresa; 77 Catham st.....	50 00	May 21:	
Schneider, John; 58 Front st.....	50 00	Merlau, Sarah E.; 115 Pinnacle av.....	50 00
Uhin, Andrew; 158 N St Paul st.....	50 00	Hessinger, Joseph; 223 W. Main st.....	60 00
Fichtemaier, George; 311 N Clinton st.....	50 00	Heiber, Frederick; 116 St. Joseph st.....	50 00
Crough, Mary; 23 Mariette st.....	50 00	Conliff, Edwin; 119 Jay st.....	50 00
May 14:		Yatton, Geo. W.; 11 Mill st.....	50 00
Gillard, Valentine; 342 N St Paul st.....	30 00	Guckesberger, Theodore; 250 Jay st.....	50 00
Curran, Patrick H; 56 Spring st.....	50 00	Hutter, Philip; 168 Plymouth av.....	50 00
Dubelbeiss, Samuel; North ave and Bay st.....	50 00	Orr, Mary; 116 E. Main st.....	50 00
Dubelbeiss, Samuel M; 105 North ave.....	50 00	McNally & McGovern; 230 State st.....	50 00
Balzer, Joseph V; Pinnacle ave and Grand st.....	50 00	Leaves, Frank; 72, 70 and 72 Front st.....	50 00
Hafner, Frank; Clarissa and Exchange sts.....	50 00	Kelly, Carl; 221 North st.....	50 00
Atkinson, Charles; 103 Clifton st.....	50 00	Oaks, Joseph A.; 9 Exchange st.....	50 00
Collins, Sarah; Frost ave and Seward st.....	50 00	Scherer, Frank; Jay and Childs st.....	50 00
Meyer, Fred; 6 Lowell st.....	50 00	Herbert, Edward; 145 Scio st.....	30 00
Krieg, Wendelin; 114 1/2 St. Joseph st.....	50 00	Ernststein, Isabella; 34 Campbell st.....	50 00
Berdel, Joseph; 34 West ave.....	50 00	Rosenbauer, Ed; 173 North st.....	50 00
Weidenborner, Leonard; 35 Monroe ave.....	50 00	Hawkins, George B.; 17 Reynolds st.....	50 00
Heizer, Est. of C. F., deceased; 156 North ave	50 00	Heilbronn, Jacob; 100 N. Clinton st.....	50 00
Atkinson, William; 20 Seward st.....	30 00	Devitt, Hugh; Exchange and spring sts.....	60 00
Hoch, George; 132 North ave.....	5 00	May 22:	
Weiser, George; 51 Allen st.....	50 00	Merklinger, Louis; 108 West av.....	50 00
Thompson, Laura M; 161 W Main st.....	50 00	Huber & Bro; Hunter and Summer sts.....	50 00
Mehl, George; 44 S. St. Paul st.....	60 00	Crowell, Walter S.; 65 Caledonia av.....	50 00
Feltz, Amand; 134 Plymouth ave.....	50 00	Barnard, Wm. W.; 93 E. Main st.....	50 00
Whitcomb & Crouch, E Main st.....	75 00	Armbruster, Chas. A. & Co.; 142 Hudson st.....	50 00
Cassidy, James; 2 E Main st.....	50 00	Armbruster, F. W.; 98 Scio st.....	50 00
Warren, Henry W; 23 South st.....	50 00	Knowles, Samuel; 176 W Main st.....	50 00
Lerch, Joseph; 53 Atwater st.....	50 00	Barnard, Wm W; 11 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Lauterbach, Henry; 22 Joiner st.....	50 00	Clark, W R; over 4 & 6 Mill st.....	50 00
Wegman, Ann; 182 N. S. Paul st.....	50 00	Kelly, Thomas P; 162 Exchange st.....	30 00
Schaeffer Bros., 24 Joiner st.....	3 00	Aebersold, J M & Bro; 210 E Main st.....	50 00
Butler, John; 157 Scio st.....	50 00	Kimpal, Chas F; 5 & 7 Mill st.....	50 00
Leinraber, Victoria; 172 E. Main st.....	50 00	Fristaca, Mariana; 33 Mt. Hope ave.....	50 00
Burbott, Charles; 121 N. St. Paul st.....	50 00	Bishop, William; 101 Allen st.....	50 00
May 15:		Heisler, John; 20 S St Paul st.....	30 00
Ritz, Ferdinand; 108 N. Clinton st.....	50 00	McMannis, James; 24 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Miller, Ernst L; 42 N. Clinton st.....	50 00	Schleiffarth, Ferdinand; 339 State st.....	50 00
Schmidt, Theresa M; 151 1/2 North ave.....	50 00	Zimmer, William; 84 Atwater st.....	50 00
Fuchs, Charles F; 122 Front st.....	60 00	Heisler, Joan; N St Paul and Norton sts.....	50 00
Royd, John F; 165 Lake ave.....	50 00	Mura & Knipper; 942 State st.....	50 00
Marchand, Fred P; 229 and 231 E Main st.....	50 00	May 23:	
Gehrke, Albert E; 160 North ave.....	50 00	McGee, Michael; 302 State st.....	50 00
Seller, Jacob; Campbell & Whitney sts.....	50 00	Martman, Michael; 204 North st.....	30 00
Fogarty, John; 37 Smith st.....	50 00	Kelly, Eliza; 107 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Finzer, John; 276 N Clinton st.....	50 00	Boehly, Joseph F; 105 North ave.....	50 00
Burgard, John; 13 West ave.....	50 00	Eisenmenger, Martin; 37 Broadway st.....	50 00
Edorr, John; 171 Plymouth ave.....	50 00	Imhof, Louis; 33 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Hacker, Rudolph; 321 Brown st.....	50 00	Gordon, Andrew O; 18 Reynolds Arcade.....	50 00
Book, Geo; Bay and E Main st.....	60 00	Snyder, Gorham; 140 State st.....	50 00
Spencer, Frank; 9 South St Paul st.....	50 00		

Gangloff, Frank X; 256 Jay st.....	50 00
Nagel, Frederick; 113 St Joseph st.....	50 00
Pfarrer, George; 139 Lyell ave.....	50 00
Connell, Timothy; 69 West ave.....	50 00
May 24:	
Werner, George; 40 E Main st.....	50 00
Coursen, Newton L; 95 Railroad ave.....	50 00
Doyle, Rosana; 61 Caledonia ave.....	50 00
Rudhart, Maria C; 55 Hudson st.....	5 00
Eisenmann, Michael; North ave & Clifford st.....	50 00
Nicholson, Michael B, agent; 31 Mumford st.....	50 00
Stape & Lamers; yver 3 S St Paul st.....	50 00
May 25:	
Sage, William; 118 North av.....	60 00
Rodenbeck, William; 27 Scrantom st.....	50 00
Konath, Gottlieb; 126 Lyell ave.....	50 00
Keller, Margarette; 10 N Water st.....	30 00
Bauer, John A.; 1 Wiler st.....	50 00
Rodenbeck, Adolph; 37 North ave.....	50 00
Kramb, Jacob; 227 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Beha, John; 143 St Joseph st.....	50 00
Shears, Ellen; 57 Hunter st.....	20 00
Semmel, Charles; N Clinton and Kelly sts.....	50 00
May 28:	
Lortz, Richard; 31 Herman st.....	50 00
Haks, Peter; 185 W Mapy st.....	50 00
Connor, John M.; 178 and 180 West ave.....	50 00
Kleeh, Antony; Maple and Hague sts.....	50 00
Wolcott, James E; Clarissa st.....	30 00
Walthelm, Charles; 114 and 116 Meigs st.....	50 00
Simmons, Samuel; 65 St Joseph st.....	50 00
Erlar, William; 71 Hudson st.....	50 00
Mlein, Julius; 27 Front st.....	50 00
Koch, Frank; 244 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Cirotzki, August; 75 North ave.....	50 00
Kuefer, Fred C; 87 Hudson st.....	50 00
Hellbroun, Fred; 102 Chatham st.....	50 00
Herman, Gottlieb; 30 Hanover st.....	50 00
Schiltzer, Maria; 39 Andrews st.....	50 00
Kennedy, M. H.; 12 Front st.....	50 00
Reisky, Emil; 111 N. St. Paul st.....	50 00
Finger, Frank V.; 6 Hanover st.....	50 00
Klingler, Sebastian; 184 St. Joseph st.....	30 00
Kerber, John; 10 Ames st.....	30 00
Miller, Joseph; Campbell and Orchard sts.....	30 00
Lehman, Herman; Lyell and Sherman sts.....	50 00
Flynn, John; 71 Front st.....	50 00
Schaeffer, E. P.; Kelly and St. Joseph sts.....	50 00
Green, Wm. C.; 49 Monroe ave.....	50 00
May 29:	
McGreal, Bros.; 144 N. St. Paul st.....	50 00
O'Shaughnessy, Thomas; 68 Front st.....	30 00
Doyle, John; 104 E. Main st.....	50 00
Oeschger, Dominick; 82 North ave.....	50 00
Settz, Charles W. & Son; 136 St. Joseph st.....	50 00
Laforce, Rosalia; 307 N. Clinton st.....	50 00
Rusch, John; 30 Mumford st.....	60 00
Poery, Frank H.; 159 St Joseph st.....	50 00
Benedict, James S.; State st. and R. R. ave.....	50 00
May 31:	
Dempff, John; Orchard and Maple sts.....	50 00

Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer.....\$12,480 00
 Dated May 31, 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
 CONRAD HERZBERGER,
 JAMES P. EVANS,
 Excise Commissioners.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
 COUNTY OF MONROE, } ss.
 City of Rochester.

The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of May, 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
 CONRAD HERZBERGER,
 JAMES P. EVANS,
 Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of May, 1883.

E. F. STILWELL,
 Commissioner of Deeds,
 City of Rochester.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Treasurer :

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 5, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN—In the matter of the widening and straightening of North St. Paul street, the city has incurred and assumed expense as follows:
 Paid to the Board of Commissioners.....\$ 360 00
 Paid to G. F. Slocum for searches..... 15 00

Amount of awards made by the Commis-

sioners..... 71,570 00

Total cost of property.....\$71,945 00

Very respectfully,
 A. C. MCHLACHLIN, City Treasurer.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 From the Commissioners for opening a new street from Mill street to Water street :

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester :

The undersigned were duly appointed by the order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, duly granted and entered on the 20th day of November, 1883, commissioners to inquire into and determine to what damages and compensation the owners and occupants of the land to be taken for the opening of a new street from Mill street to Water street in the city of Rochester, will be entitled, heretofore made their report in and by which the damages for the taking of the premises owned by Jonathan E. Pierpont, and by Lewis S. Hoyt, Jr., assignee for the benefit of creditors of Charles E. Upton, was found and determined to be the sum of Thirty-five Hundred (\$3,500) Dollars. Thereafter the said report was affirmed as aforesaid, and as to said premises the Court ordered that the proceedings herein be sent back to the undersigned to review their findings in regard to such premises, and to report the damages for the taking of said property above mentioned, without considering the proposed or otherwise to be derived from the improvement, power being given to take additional evidence, it offered. Said last mentioned order was duly granted and entered on the 15th day of May last.

In pursuance of said orders the undersigned, commissioners as aforesaid, met at the time and place designated in said order of May 16th, and duly heard all the proofs and allegations of the respective parties hereto, and after full and careful consideration of such proofs and allegations and of the arguments of counsel, the undersigned do hereby report :

The following is a description of the piece or parcel of land with reference to which a rehearing was ordered as aforesaid:

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of property formerly owned by Charles E. Upton, with the south line of lands belonging to the New York Central & Hudson river railroad; thence westerly along the said railroad company's lands to the centre of the Genesee river; thence southerly along the centre of the Genesee river to the south line of property formerly owned by Charles E. Upton; thence easterly along the south line of lands formerly owned by Charles E. Upton, to the intersection of south line of the proposed new street across the Genesee river; thence easterly along the south line of said proposed new street to the north line of property formerly owned by said Charles E. Upton; thence westerly along the north line of lands formerly owned by said Charles E. Upton to the place of beginning.

The above described lands are owned by Jonathan E. Pierpont and by Lewis S. Hoyt, Jr., as assignee for benefit of creditors of Charles E. Upton, as tenants in common. Said premises, together with other lands, are encumbered by the following liens, which are stated in order of their priority.

First—By a mortgage to the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, as security for the payment of the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) dollars and interest, on part of the principal thereof having been paid.

Second—By a mortgage to A. A. T. Soule as security for the payment of eighty-five thousand (\$85,000) dollars, and no part of the principal sum thereof having been paid.

Third—By a mortgage upon the interest remaining in said Charles E. Upton on the 19th day of December, 1882, to the City Bank of Rochester, and the property and all indebtedness of said Upton to said City Bank of Rochester.

The said last mentioned mortgage is subject to a claim of said Pierpont for moneys advanced towards the purchase price of the real estate covered by the same in the amount of fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars, or thereabouts, in excess of the amount paid by said Upton.

The undersigned commissioners, as aforesaid, do determine and apprise the damages which the owners of the premises above described will sustain by being deprived thereof, at the sum of thirty-five hundred (\$3,500) dollars, and said sum is hereby awarded in full amount of such damage and the compensation which the said owners are entitled to receive therefor is hereby fixed at that sum. The said sum thus awarded is to be paid to the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

The undersigned commissioners aforesaid do further report, that in making the awards contained in their first report, and in making the above award to

\$ 375 00

the owners of the premises hereinbefore described, he, did not consider any possible or supposed benefit to be derived from the improvement itself.

GEORGE W. SILL,
JEROME KEYS,
WILLIAM GLEASON,
Commissioners.

Dated June 5, 1888.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the Commissioners in the matter of the acquiring of lands for a new street from Mill to Water street, which report is filed in the office of the County Clerk of Monroe county, and in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Rochester, will be heard at the meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall, on the 12th day of June, 1888, at 6 o'clock, p. m., which time and place are hereby assigned for that purpose. Adopted.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Archer.—

To the Common Council:

Your Committee, to whom was referred the matter of the charge of five cents per lineal foot of frontage, which has been ordered made a part of the estimated expense for street sprinkling under ordinances the present season, would report that they held a conference with the Executive Board, and ascertained from that body, that the reasons for assessing property in this manner are as follows:

First—That the water was being furnished the several streets up to the present time free of cost, thus conferring benefits upon a few property holders at the expense of the many, and depriving the city of its revenue for water privileges and for the advantages enjoyed.

Second—That since the sprinkling of streets has become general, increasing from a few streets a half a dozen years since to sixty or more last season, property holders have abandoned the use of private street sprinklers or hose attachments, at a loss of considerable revenue to the water works.

Third—In consequence of the loss of revenue from this source, it became necessary to adopt this method of collecting from owners of property a sum for such benefits approximate, at least, to that paid under the former system.

The Executive Board therefore believe that the action was warranted under the circumstances, and the only one that could be just to hundreds of taxpayers whose streets are sprinkled by ordinance, but who are required to pay a special tax for the advantage of having a private sprinkler on their premises.

Your committee would therefore approve of the action of the Executive Board, but believe no such radical change should in the future be made without first being acted upon by the Common Council, that it may be brought to the attention of the general public before its adoption.

Your committee recommend the approval and adoption of this report by your honorable body.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
JOHN A. FELSINGER,
JAMES M. PITKIN,
Special Committee.

On motion of Ald. Archer the report was adopted.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCE.

SPRINKLING FULTON AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Fulton avenue, during the season of 1888.

Adopted. The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$487.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The sprinkling of Fulton avenue, from 100 feet north of Jones avenue, to Glenwood avenue, during the season of 1888.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$487.00 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Fulton avenue, from 100 feet north of Jones avenue to Glenwood avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in

pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, June 12th, 1888, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

Ald. Bronson moved to reconsider the action postponing the final ordinance for sprinkling Clarissa street. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson moved that the ordinance be amended so as to extend from 100 feet east of Plymouth avenue to the west end of Clarissa street bridge, and the estimate be changed to \$95. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

“By Alderman Southard—Resolved, that objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets be heard at an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council appointed to be held in the Common Council Chambers in the City Hall on the 5th day of June, 1888, at 8 o'clock p. m. Adopted.”

Allegations being called for and no person appearing, Ald. Strouss submitted the following:

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening and extension of Ward and Hamburg streets, which report is dated May 28, 1888, be, and the same hereby is confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink --16.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the extension of Pinnacle avenue be heard at an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council to be held in Common Council Chambers in the City Hall on the 5th day of June 1888, at 8 o'clock p. m. Adopted.”

Allegations being called for and no person appearing, Ald. Rice submitted the following:

By Ald. Rice—Whereas, Objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the extension of Pinnacle avenue have been duly heard,

Resolved, That the report of said commissioners be, and the same is not confirmed, and the same is hereby set aside. Adopted.

By Ald. Rice—Whereas, As directed by the Common Council of the city of Rochester, the City Surveyor has heretofore duly made and filed in the office of the city clerk a map of the street to be opened from Pinnacle avenue to Griffith street, and showing on such map the lots and parcels of land which are deemed necessary to be taken, and the commencement and course and termination of said proposed street together with a copy of the ordinance for opening said street; and

Whereas, The report made by the commissioners in the matter of opening said street, dated May 28th, 1888, has been set aside.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he hereby is directed to publish a notice specifying and describing the lands necessary to be taken for the purpose of opening a street from Pinnacle avenue to Griffith street, and to take

such further act'on as may be necessary in reference thereto in accordance with section 175 of the city charter. Adopted.

The following came up :

"By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That all persons interested in the matter of the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street be heard as to the ordering of the assessment of the expense thereof on the property duly deemed benefited, at the Common Council chamber, in the City Hall building, on the 5th day of June, 1883, at 8 o'clock p. m., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose, and that the City Clerk be and he hereby is directed to publish the notice required by section 190 of the city charter in the premises. Adopted."

Allegations being called for, and no person appearing, Ald. Archer moved to proceed to appoint three special commissioners to assess for the widening and straightening of North St. Paul street. Adopted.

Ald. Archer nominated E. J. Gallentine.

E. J. Gallentine was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

E. J. Gallentine having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council was declared appointed commissioner to assess for the widening and straightening North St. Paul street.

Ald. Archer nominated Rudolph Vay.

Rudolph Vay was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Rudolph Vay having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council was declared appointed commissioner to assess for the widening and straightening North St. Paul street.

Ald. Archer nominated John C. O'Brien.

John C. O'Brien was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

John C. O'Brien having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council was declared appointed commissioner to assess for the widening and straightening North St. Paul street.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing,

Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.

Blank was named by Ald. Strouss—1.
No choice.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.

Blank was named by Ald. Strouss—1.
No choice.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed under the head of miscellaneous business.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Archer, Strouss, Foley, Rice—4.
Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.

Blank was named by Ald. Strouss—1.
No choice.

SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—4.

E. B. Chace was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—4.

E. B. Chace was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

TENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to postpone the appointment of Police Commissioner until the next meeting of the Council.

Ald. Archer moved to amend that the appointment be postponed until after miscellaneous business was disposed of.

Accepted by Ald. Foley. The motion was then adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Felsing presented the petitions of J. B. Miller and F. D. Sedgewick for permission to erect wood buildings on Brown and Arklow streets and moved that permission be granted.

Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Resolved, That the new street opened and dedicated, extending from Silver street to the New York Central & Hudson River railroad, be named "Taylor street," and the clerk is hereby directed to enter the same in the street register. Adopted.

Ald. Strouss presented the petition of S. M. Stiefel for permission to erect a wood building on Oregon street, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Executive Board be, and it hereby is directed to ascertain and report to this Board the amounts for which the property necessary for the extension of Syke street can be purchased with their opinion as to the value of the property.

Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, The school house situated on Brooks avenue near the Rapids, in the fifteenth ward, is unsafe and liable to fall down, therefore,

Resolved, that the Fire Marshal be, and he hereby is instructed to take down said building at once and report the expense thereof to the Common Council. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—

Resolved, That the Executive Board be, and it is hereby directed to consult at once with the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Railroad Company, or its authorized agents with reference to testing the Genesee Valley Canal sewer between the south end of the Ohio Basin and a point 495 feet southerly therefrom, and if said company shall consent thereto, that the following action be taken by said Executive Board:

First—The said railroad company shall select an engineer to meet with the City Surveyor, and the two thus designated shall choose a third disinterested engineer.

Second. The Executive Board shall upon the acceptance by the railroad company of the proposition contained in this resolution, open the dam constructed at the southerly end of the Ohio Basin so as to permit the flow of the water from said Ohio Basin into the said slip equal to the depth of water in said Basin.

Third—When the water shall be at the depth aforesaid in said slip, then the three engineers, designated as aforesaid, shall make an interior examination of said sewer between the points above named, and make an immediate report of their examination to the Executive Board.

Fourth—If the three persons designated as aforesaid, or a majority thereof, shall report that the sewer is capable of sustaining the pressure of the water above it, that the maintenance of the water at said depth will not injure the said sewer, or so affect the same as to render it incapable of receiving and discharging the sewerage of the territory drained thereby, then the Executive Board is hereby instructed to at once remove the said dam and report the expense thereof to the Common Council.

Such reasonable charges as shall be made for the service aforesaid of the said engineers to be paid by the railroad company.

Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of the heirs of Mary J. Thomas in relation to unpaid assessments.

Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the Rochester City & Brighton Street Railroad Company have permission of the city of Rochester, under the supervision of the Executive Board, to set back the curbstones on the north

side of Atwater street four feet and on the south side of Atwater street two feet, for the distance of four hundred and ten feet easterly from the east line of North St. Paul street, and to pave and gutter the addition to the roadway with Medina stone, changing lateral sewers and making the street grade, under the direction of the City Surveyor, on furnishing a satisfactory bond to the city, to be approved by the mayor, to complete the said work properly and without delay.

Ald. Archer moved that action be postponed until two weeks from the next regular meeting. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—Whereas, The penal ordinance relating to the erection and removal of buildings was, at a meeting of the Common Council, held May 1st, 1883, amended so as to require, among other provisions, that the outer walls of all buildings to be constructed, three stories or more in height, shall be at least 16 inches in thickness for the first story and 12 inches in thickness for the remaining stories, and

Whereas, Prior to the adoption of said amendment to the said ordinance, Mr. Nehemiah Osburn had commenced the erection of an addition to the building on South St. Paul street, known as the New Osburn House, and had procured materials, iron columns, etc., for the front of said addition, of the same dimensions as those used in the construction of the main building, and

Whereas, Mr. Osburn has complied with all other provisions of the ordinance as amended, and will suffer serious loss and inconvenience if unable to use the columns aforesaid, therefore

Resolved, That Nehemiah Osburn be and hereby is granted permission to use iron columns already procured as aforesaid, to be of the size, height and style as those now in use in the said Osburn House, if such shall be deemed by the Fire Marshal to be safe and sufficient. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—

Local Improvement Assessment No. 243, acquiring land for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street.

Whereas, The Common Council of the city of Rochester did upon the 12th day of December, 1882, enact an ordinance for acquiring land for the purpose of straightening and widening North St. Paul street; and

Whereas, The City Treasurer has duly reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$71,945, including all such interest as the city has paid or become liable for; and,

Whereas, The portion of said city which said Common Council deem benefited and proper to be assessed for said improvement is described as follows: Being all the lots and parcels of land in the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteen, fifteenth and sixteenth wards, excepting that portion of the fifteenth ward lying south of the Rapids Road; and

Whereas, the Common Council has by a duly published notice, as required by section 190 of the Revised City Charter, given all persons interested in said improvement and in the expense thereof an opportunity to be heard; and

Whereas, Edwin J. Galentine, John C. O'Brien and Rudolph Vay have, and each of them has been duly appointed special commissioners to make the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land within the territory deemed benefited, as aforesaid; therefore,

Resolved, That the sum of \$71,945, being the whole amount of the expense aforesaid, shall be, and the same hereby is assessed upon such lots and parcels of land and houses within the territory deemed benefited by said improvement, as aforesaid, and Edwin J. Galentine, John C. O'Brien and Rudolph Vay, Special Commissioners, duly appointed as aforesaid, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses with-

in the part of the city so designated, as aforesaid, of the said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement, and said assessors are hereby notified and required to meet for this purpose on the 9th day of June, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds Pitkin, Felsingier, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and are hereby directed to construct a crosswalk across Edinburg street, in continuation of crosswalk on west side of Plymouth avenue park. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly moved to adjourn.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, June 12th, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingier, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Archer, —1.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceeding meetings, May 20th, and June 5th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, & C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

Union and Advertiser Co., blanks for Surveyor.....	\$ 95 50
Union and Advertiser Co., blanks for Treasurer and Attorney.....	233 00
John P. Smith, printing for Assessors.....	234 00
Mensing & Stecher, printing for Surveyor.....	8 00
J. F. O'Neil, printing blanks.....	4 00
Jno. C. Moore, binding and printing.....	126 90
James Butler, hack hire (2 bills).....	6 50
C. W. Carroll serving redemption notices.....	64 00

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of J. H. McGuire for permission to move a wood building on Fitzhugh street and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Collins presented a petition for a sewer in Mill street. Referred to the Surveyor with instructions to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Bronson presented the claim of H. C. Webster for balance due on contract for Genesee street sewer. Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Jeffords—bills of

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting for May.....	\$1,028 70
Municipal Gas Co., lighting Goodman st.....	32 58
setting posts.....	41 25
N. H. Galusha, lamp posts.....	16 40

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for water in Flint street. Referred to the Water Works Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Hugh H. Baird for permission to erect a building

on Morgan street. Granted under the supervision of the Fire Marshal.

Ald. Hinds presented a remonstrance against the moving of a building by J. H. Ashton on Boliver street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Pitkin—bills of

B. Frank Enos, expenses for May.....	\$ 98 85
J. F. O'Neil, printing certificates.....	5 50

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of P. Schleyer for permission to erect a wood building on East avenue and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Pitkin—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1883.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, }
June 12, 1883. }

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of May, 1883:

	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
1883.—May.			
1—Joseph H Sattin.....	drunk	\$10	\$5
Kate Allen.....	"	10	
Alex Stahl.....	"	10	
David Foster.....	"	10	2
Mary Dwyer.....	"	10	
Mary Schofield.....	"	10	
Lizzie Kane.....	"	10	
2—Mich Norton.....	"	10	
Eugene Cramer.....	"	10	10
Dennis O'Brien.....	"	10	
Libbie Pellett.....	"	10	10
3—John Gragg.....	"	10	
Mich Reynolds.....	"	10	10
4—John McGainy.....	10	10	
Jacob Ortleib.....	"	10	
5—Sam Lockwood.....	"	10	
John Rice.....	"	10	
Rosa McCabe.....	"	10	
Joseph Russell.....	"	10	
John Weber.....	"	10	5
Wm Lowery.....	"	10	5
Kate O'Brien.....	"	10	
7—Maggie McNamara.....	"	10	5
Peter Duffy.....	"	10	5
Henry Dotzauer.....	"	10	
Geo Bush.....	petit larceny cost	10	5
2—Anney Dozaine.....	drunk	10	
James McLiman.....	"	10	
Emma Pierce.....	"	10	
John Kehoe.....	"	10	5
Ed Dorsey.....	"	10	
Kate Doyle.....	"	10	
Wm Knient.....	"	10	
James Nolan.....	Old fine	10	5
Mary Lysaigh.....	drunk	10	
Bridget Mulvey.....	"	10	
John Jones.....	"	10	5
Ernest Roeder.....	"	10	
John H. McDermott.....	"	10	10
John J. Wisemiller.....	"	10	
8—Fred. Krumbin.....	"	10	5
Louis McNish.....	vio. ord.	10	
Ed. Fluett.....	drunk	10	10
Wm. Jones.....	"	10	10
Gilbert Gore.....	"	10	
Jas. J. Thompson.....	assault	cost 1	
Henry Luke.....	vio. ord.	5	
Mattie Luke.....	"	10	
9—Wm. Mills.....	drunk	10	10
Herman Knoergs.....	"	10	
Thos Holleran.....	"	10	5
Wm. H. Tucker.....	"	10	10
Bridget Norton.....	"	10	
Alice Hasselwood.....	vio. ord.	10	
Kittie Cooper.....	"	10	
Rosa Kline.....	"	10	
10—James Rogers.....	drunk	10	10
John Houser.....	"	10	
Leonard Regg.....	"	10	
John Thompson.....	"	10	
John McGovern.....	"	10	
Utah Leipski.....	assault	cost 1	
11—Wm. Murray.....	drunk	10	5
Nellie Sullivan.....	"	10	
12—John Emperor.....	"	10	
Mary Emperor.....	"	10	
Hugh Kelcher.....	"	10	5
Amanda Hogan.....	vio. ord.	10	

Anthony Youngman.....	..	10	4
14—Ellen Lesley.....	drunk	10	
Chas. McLoughlin.....	..	10	
Henry Riley.....	..	10	
Elizabeth Cassidy.....	..	10	
Barbara Hensch.....	..	10	
John McLoughlin.....	..	10	5
Robt Foster.....	..	10	
Ira Andrews.....	..	10	5
Wm O'Loughlin.....	..	10	
Barbara Machin.....	..	10	5
Thos Ryan.....	..	10	
Geo Himes.....	..	10	
Frank B Mason.....	..	10	
Jefferson Ray.....	vio. ord.	10	
Fred Lauer.....	hotel fraud	cost	1
Nathan Van Wagner.....	..	old fine	25
15—Elizabeth Sheehan.....	drunk	10	
John Sly.....	..	10	
Henry Susch.....	..	10	
Edward Homen.....	assault	cost	2
H Acosta krisken.....	drunk	10	
John P Stewart Jr.....	assault	10	10
16—Mathew McDowell.....	drunk	10	
Nellie Mason.....	..	10	
Mich O'Reilly.....	..	10	
Robt Gilgresh.....	..	10	5
Maggie Murphy.....	..	10	
Robt Hamilton.....	..	10	
Fred Krasz.....	pet. larc.	cost	1
Delia Sullivan.....	drunk	10	3
Win Fowler.....	..	10	10
Katie Halme.....	vio. ord.	10	50
Jacob Pope.....	pet. larc.	20	20
17—August Kunow.....	drunk	10	5
Anthony Meyer.....	..	10	
Kate O'Brien.....	..	10	
John Morrison.....	..	10	
18—Wm Connan.....	..	10	
John McDonald.....	..	10	
Peter Johnson.....	..	10	
Julius Monyear.....	pet. larc.	cost	1
41—James Connors.....	drunk	10	8
John Nolan.....	..	10	6
Mary Minott.....	..	10	
Rich. Bartlett.....	..	10	10
Delia Sullivan.....	..	10	
Ed. Mennon.....	..	10	
Martin J. Forbes.....	..	10	
Moses Blumenthal.....	..	10	
Chas. Glenn.....	..	10	
James Ryan.....	..	10	
22—Thos. Ryan.....	..	10	
Mary Green.....	..	10	
Mary Hughes.....	..	10	
Ann Fitzgerald.....	..	10	5
Jerome Hulbert.....	..	10	
Mich. Heffer.....	..	10	5
Mary Murphy.....	..	10	
Frank Steinhauer.....	petit larceny	cost	1
Joseph Thomas.....	drunk	10	10
29—John McBride.....	..	10	10
Sylvester McCune.....	..	10	
James O'Connell.....	..	10	4
Maggie Hayes.....	..	10	
Chas. Bush.....	vio. ord.	Cost	1
Mary Corrigan.....	assault	5	5
24—James Collins.....	drunk	10	2
Frank Bentley.....	vio. ord.	15	
Louis Meyer.....	drunk	10	10
John Camier.....	..	10	10
James Moore, Jr.....	..	10	
Wm. Gahan.....	..	10	5
25—Geo. Eiseman.....	..	10	
Wm. Manning.....	..	10	
Frank O'Brien.....	..	10	
26—Peter Haight.....	..	10	
38—Sarah Swinle.....	..	10	
John W. Davis.....	..	10	
Wm. McKie.....	petit larceny	25	25
Maggie O'Connors.....	drunk	10	
Mary J. Cummings.....	..	10	
Henry Miller.....	..	10	10
John Doe.....	..	10	
Rich Roe.....	..	10	
James Frowley.....	..	10	5
Fred N Smith.....	false pretences	Cost	3
20—James Steele.....	drunk	10	
John Butler.....	..	10	
Wm Harden.....	..	10	
Geo W Boyer.....	..	10	
Wm Huff.....	..	10	
Thos Riley.....	..	10	
John Murray.....	..	10	
Sarah Timmerman.....	..	10	
Mary Hack.....	..	10	
Henry Bernhardt.....	..	10	
John Conors.....	vio ord	10	
John Sheenan.....	..	10	
30—Thos McHugh.....	drunk	10	10
Bryan McGillick.....	..	10	10
James R Shewman.....	..	10	10

31—Mary Maloy.....	..	10	
Frank Kane.....	..	10	
Dominick Karnes.....	vio ord cost	2	
Johanna Moran.....	drunk	10	
Wm Rooney.....	..	10	
Wm Dorman.....	..	10	
Maggie Lawrence.....	..	10	

\$474 00

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester ss.

I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of May, 1888, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.

Sworn to before me this 12th day of June, 1888.

A. G. WHEELER, Police Justice and

Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received filed and published.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

S. B. Stuart & Co., coal ..	\$226 08
S. Wheeler, rent.....	12 00
Mary Weist, rent.....	8 00
Anthony Biel, groceries.....	18 00
Fleckenstein Bros., bread.....	267 16
Geo. Oppel, bread.....	21 08
S. M. Stewart, rep. ambulance.....	2 75
F. J. Amsden, transportation.....	7 38

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Southard presented the claim of Emily Clark for alleged damages for neglect of repair and improvement of Edward street. Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

W. Williamson, labor and material, clerk's of- fice.....	\$261 77
A. K. Tower & Co., papering, clerk's office.....	159 81
curtains.....	14 10
C. H. Carroll, curtains, fringes, &c., clerk's of- fice.....	208 02
Municipal Gas Co., gas, city buildings.....	139 68
Charles Little labor and material.....	8 35

Referred to City Property Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for water in Nichols park and Brighton avenue. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for a plank walk on Beacon street. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp Committee; Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee; Ald. Felsing, from the Poor Committee; Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance committee for payment.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Assessment Committee, to which has been referred the petitions of the several parties hereinafter mentioned, hereby report that they have examined into the subject matter of the various petitions, and submit the accompanying resolutions for your consideration and recommend the adoption thereof.

A. COLLINS,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Committee.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved that the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive of Seymour Boughton \$23.53, for the general city tax for 1876 on lot 13 of the last sub-division of the Evergreen or Worcester tract, north side of Scrantom street, 5th ward, assessed to Frances G. Worcester and cancel said tax.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin

Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive of D. Kavanagh the amount of the general city tax for 1867, as appears on the sales register, without interest, on lot 15, Granger tract, Francis street, 8th ward, and cancel the same. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and hereby is directed to cancel the general city tax on lot 23 Wilder street, 15th ward, assessed to the First Baptist church subsequent to and including 1879, and charge the amount to erroneous assessments, the same being exempt by law.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to receive of John Kennedy the amount of the general city taxes for 1879, 1880 and 1882, as they appear on the sales register, without interest, on lot west part 15, Thurber tract, Clifton street, 8th ward, and cancel said taxes. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to receive of Abbie F. Riker the amount of the assessment as it appears on the sales register, with interest at 6 per cent., on lot south part 41, Whitney tract, 11th ward, for Orchard street sewer, assessed to Francis Magee, and cancel the same. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to cancel the general city tax for 1876 on lots 6 and 13, Hooker's subdivision, Carthage tract, 5th ward, assessed to William Rumsey, now owned by Leonard H. Bacon, and charge the amount to erroneous assessments, these lots having been assessed with others for the same year and the tax paid.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to receive of Wm. J. Parker \$37.80, less discount, in full for his assessment for Park avenue improvement and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to receive of Ida L. Jordon the amount of taxes that the city has control of, as they appear on the sales register, without interest; also the sprinkling taxes for the past two years without interest on such lots as she may desire to pay on in the 7th ward as per her petition. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, The ordinances for local improvement assessments, Brown Street Lift Bridge No. 2,159, and Brown Street Bridge Approaches No. 2,250, excepts all territory heretofore assessed for Allen street lift bridge and approaches, and

Whereas, lots 11 and east part of 12, east side of Warehouse street, assessed to Catherine M. Tice and south parts of lots 10, 11 and 9, assessed to Sarah A. Vesceline, were assessed for Allen street lift bridge and approaches and are also assessed for Brown street lift bridge and ap-

proaches, contrary to the provisions of the last named assessment, therefore

Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is directed to cancel the assessments on the above described property for Brown street lift bridge and approaches and charge the same to Erroneous Assessments.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Jeffords—
To the Honorable Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—Your Committee, in obedience to the resolution adopted at the last meeting of your honorable body, has considered the subject of a time contract for lighting the streets with electric light, and has conferred with the Brush Electric Light Company with reference thereto.

The said company is willing to enter into a contract for the lighting of such of the streets of the city as the Common Council shall direct with electric light, furnishing the poles, lamps, power and necessary appurtenances for the price of forty-five cents per lamp per night, provided the contract runs for the period of five years.

The reasons given by the Company in favor of a time contract are; That each pole, lamp and fixtures connected therewith cost in the neighborhood of one hundred dollars, and the power and necessary appurtenances for the expense of furnishing a large number of lamps and poles unless it can be assured that the same can be used at least five years.

The price at which the company offers to light the streets is much lower than the price paid by any other cities in the country.

Subject to the provisions set forth in the contract herewith submitted, your Committee is of the opinion that the lighting of the streets with electric light for the period named and at the price stated, will be advantageous to the city.

Your Committee, therefore, submit herewith a form of a contract in the premises and recommend the adoption of a resolution instructing the Mayor to execute the same on the part of the city.

Respectfully submitted,
C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
J. A. HINDS,
Lamp Committee.

The form of a contract after being read by the Clerk was referred to the City Attorney for amendment and action postponed until miscellaneous business.

By Ald. Jeffords—
OFFICE OF CHIEF OF POLICE,
ROCHESTER, June 12th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—I respectfully report the following lamps not burning during the month of May, 1883.
Gas..... 105
Oil..... 201
Respectfully, ALEX. McLFAN,
Chief Police.

Ordered received, filed and published.
By Ald. Felsing—
OFFICE OF THE OVERSEER OF THE POOR,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 15, 1883. }

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the Poor of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report that during the month of May he has relieved 393 families in the following manner:

Orders on Poor Store.....	\$1,230 00
.. .. Coal yard.....	347 90
.. .. Undertakers.....	18 50
.. .. for transportation.....	24 73
.. .. shoes.....	10 10
Total.....	\$1,627 23
Less amount charged to towns.....	33 86

Total to city.....\$1,593 37
All of which is respectfully submitted,
N. THOMPSON, Overseer of the Poor.

Ordered received, filed and published.
FINANCE BUDGET,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12th, 1883.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

©Oscar H. Peacock, disbursements from Sept. 1882, to May 19, 1883.....	\$	69 09
Benford & Stewart, maps.....	54	00
Wm. I. Hanford, serving notices.....	40	25
St. John & Fleming, printing notices.....	12	00
C. W. Carroll, serving notices.....	11	00
T. R. Griffith, stenographic services.....	10	00
W. L. Buckland, livery.....	10	00
W. H. Marson, material.....	3	85
E. M. Masseth, livery.....	1	50
Clerk's disbursements, stamps, &c.....	15	63
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. Lunch, June 12th. And charge that fund.....	15	00

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

Gerling Bros., flour.....	\$	144 50
S. R. Woodruff, groceries.....	48	50
J. McDonald, meat.....	25	00
C. H. Matthews, groceries.....	10	50
Henry Hoffman, repairing ambulance.....	4	00
N. Thompson, disbursements And charge that fund.....	43	94

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

E. Emrich, repairs of clock.....	\$	28 50
A. H. Martin, supplies.....	19	00
A. Schiffler, repairing furniture. And charge that fund.....	14	00

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

S. A. Pierce, medical services.....	25	00
Wm. Bassett, repairs.....	2	81
Foster & Hennegan, repairs. And charge that fund.....	5	85

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Citizens' Gas Co., resetting lamp posts. And charge that fund.....	\$	53 27
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PARK FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR MAY, 1883.

John Sheridan.....	\$	50 00
John McCruden.....	50	00
John Dailey.....	50	00
Timothy Corcoran.....	50	00
David Cooper.....	50	00
Michael McCluskey.....	5	00
Louis Haag.....	50	00
Timothy Casey.....	50	00
John Kannelly.....	50	00
James Dalton.....	50	00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Louis Ernst, tools, &c.....	\$	8 76
And charge that fund.....		

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 11, 1883.

To the Common Council:
The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, OFFICES, CITY HALL, June 11, 1883.

FINANCE BUDGET.

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Weekly pay roll, May 31.....	\$131	25
June 7.....	398	85
Henry Hebing, hardware and nails.....	\$58	10
L. C. Abraham, steel brooms.....	7	23
S. M. Stewart, repairing wagon.....	4	10
J. Emory Jones, material and labor.....	36	28
James Field, supplies.....	2	31
John Howe, stone.....	8	59
Chase & Otis, lumber.....	92	22
Henry Flake, nails, etc.....	33	38
Gerard Patchin, blocking bridge.....	12	00
Steam Gauge and Lantern Co., steam gauges.....	24	00
John Hilbert & Co., carting Lyell bridge.....	22	00
H. H. Craig, stakes for Surveyor.....	54	15
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	14	99
J. B. Williams, oil.....	28	07
	\$1,749	18

Water Pipe Extension.—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, June.....	\$153	47
June 14.....	126	47
S. J. Wagoner, estimate, drawing pipe.....	\$279	94
J. Emory Jones, boring pipe.....	120	00
E. D. Wood & Co., hydrants.....	3	00
Geo. B. Harris, freight, hydrants.....	1,061	10
Ludlow Valve Manufacturing Co., valves.....	38	90
William Dyer, estimate group 75.....	385	69
William Dyer, estimate group 75.....	200	00
J. H. Decker & Co., estimate group 76.....	160	00
J. H. Decker & Co., estimate group 76.....	160	00
N. L. Brayer, estimate Goodman street R. R.	120	00

crossing.....	170	00
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	15	93
	\$2,534	58

Water Works Department—Water Works fund.

Weekly payroll, June 7, op. expense.....	\$496	81
7, service and re-pairs.....	438	00
	\$929	81
Weekly payroll, June 14, op. expenses.....	496	81
14, service and re-pairs.....	402	00

T. J. Neville, clerk, disbursements.....	898	81
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	18	35
William Bassett, work in office.....	81	41
Bell Telephone Co., rent of telephone.....	30	00
John C. Moore, blank books, &c.....	123	78
W. J. Wilcox, stationery.....	7	50
Gerling Brothers, corn.....	4	00
Stone & Campbell, oats.....	62	30
S. M. Stewart, repairing warrens.....	4	50
R. M. Masseth, horse hire and livery.....	37	50
J. Emory Jones, castings and labor.....	12	87
James Field, packing, etc.....	4	78
Street Department, t, repairing break.....	4	75
Boston Machine Co., saskets.....	1	00
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal, pump house.....	64	32
J. Emory Jones, labor and material, pump house.....	29	53
Rochester Gas Light Co., gas bill.....	7	40
Chase & Otis, lumber.....	23	21
Payroll, June 7, conduit line.....	56	25
D. M. Reed, hay and stabling.....	8	71
Jane C. Cole, error in water bill.....	4	50
R. D. Wood & Co., S. hydrant column.....	86	27
Ludlow Valve M'g Co., S. hydrant valves.....	13	98
Geo. B. Harris, freight on columns.....	3	78
J. B. Williams, oil.....	30	50

\$2,514 55

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Sarrent & Greenleaf, repairing gongs.....	\$83	50
S. M. Stewart, repairing apparatus etc.....	62	94
Geo. B. Harris, two loads hay.....	32	49
H. L. Brewster, stable basket.....	2	25
Stone & Campbell, oats and mill feed.....	697	75
L. S. Gibson, correction monthly roll.....	90	32
L. S. Gibson, washing.....	19	85
Bell Telephone Company, rent of telephone.....	30	00
Citizens Gas Co., gas bills.....	14	20
C. B. Wynn, whips and repairs.....	4	00
James Field, supplies.....	2	17
William Bassett, work and material.....	13	54
Utika Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., supplies.....	122	04
F. E. Handy, two bl s labor.....	24	00
J. B. Williams, oil (last year).....	2	85
L. S. Gibson, paid for horse brushes.....	9	00

\$1,188 80

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

P. W. Taylor, inspecting Monroe ave. outlet.....	\$90	00
C. S. Fletcher, inspecting East avenue outlet.....	42	50
Daniel Gately, inspecting Saxton st outlet.....	5	00
Charles R. Pratt, work at head gate house, Central avenue bridge.....	200	00
W. B. Woodin, inspecting Genesee street improvement.....	40	00
Street Department, use of steam roller Genesee st improvement.....	225	00
Street Department, additional expenses, Rauber st sewer.....	9	88
Street Department stakes and expenses: Genesee st improvement.....	8	98
East avenue outlet sewer.....	8	09
Edward Weilert, estimate No 1, East avenue repairs.....	100	00
McCounel & Jones, estimate No. 2—Alexander st improvement.....	6,000	00
William Fuller, estimate No. 1—Saxton st outlet.....	300	00
A. C. Bowen, estimate No. 1—Monroe avenue outlet.....	250	00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate—Genesee st improvement.....	6,284	92
Thomas Oliver, final estimate—East av outlet.....	910	50

\$14,365 14

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—15.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—
EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, OFFICES, CITY HALL, June 11th, 1883.

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required, by law:

1. Monthly Report, showing expenditures for all purposes, by the Executive Board, during the month of May, 1883.
2. Monthly Statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board on the 31st day of May, 1883

Respectfully submitted,
 THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures by the Executive Board for all purposes during the month ending May 31st, 1883:

Total Amount of Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.

Executive Board, orders in payment for labor.....	\$1,344 65
Orders passed by Common Council, May 15 and 29.....	34,421 29
Total	\$41,765 94

Classification.

Highway Fund	\$8,714 93
Water Pipe Fund	5,117 58
Water Works Fund	4,997 72
Fire Department Fund.....	4,028 96
Salary and Expense Fund.....	646 74
Local Improvements funds.....	14,976 01
Street sprinkling funds.....	3,294 00
Total	41,765 94

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in charge of the Executive Board at the close of business May 31st, 1883, after crediting the several sums of money embraced in the annual tax levy for said funds:

Dr. Balances:

City Treasurer	\$108,845 30
Sidewalk Repair Funds.....	2,009 95
Sundry Local improvements.....	110,696 44
Sundry street sprinkling funds.....	3,294 00
Total	\$218,845 69

Cr. Balances:

Highway Fund.....	40,588 82
Water Pipe Fund.....	71,912 95
Water Works Fund.....	21,962 70
Water Works Fund (special).....	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.....	75,183 89
Salary and Expense Fund.....	7,682 86
Total	\$218,845 69

Ordered, received, filed and published.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
 OFFICES, CITY HALL, June 12, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The Executive Board herewith transmits to your Honorable Body the report of the engineers who made an inspection of the Genesee Valley Canal sewer, in accordance with a resolution adopted by your Board. Respectfully,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.
 CITY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, June 6th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Executive Board:

GENTLEMEN: "From the proceedings of the Common Council, at a meeting held June 5th, 1883:"

By Aid, Foley—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby directed to consult at once with the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Railroad Company, or its authorized agents with reference to testing the Genesee Valley Canal sewer between the south end of the Ohio Basin and a point 495 feet southerly therefrom, and if said company shall consent thereto, that the following action be taken by said Executive Board:

First—The said railroad company shall select an engineer to meet with the City Surveyor, and the two thus designated shall choose a third disinterested engineer.

Second—The Executive Board shall upon the acceptance by the railroad company of the proposition contained in this resolution, open the dam constructed at the southerly end of the Ohio Basin so as to permit the flow of the water from said Ohio Basin into the said slip equal to the depth of water in said Basin.

Third—When the water shall be at the depth aforesaid in said slip, then the three engineers, designated as aforesaid, shall make an interior examination of said sewer between the points above named, and make an immediate report of their examination to the Executive Board.

Fourth—If the three persons designated as aforesaid, or a majority thereof, shall report that the

sewer is capable of sustaining the pressure of the water above it; that the maintenance of the water at said depth will not injure the said sewer, or so affect the same as to render it incapable of receiving and discharging the sewerage of the territory drained thereby, then the Executive Board is hereby instructed to at once remove the said dam and report the expense thereof to the Common Council.

Such reasonable charges as shall be made for the service aforesaid of the said engineers to be paid by the railroad company.

Adopted.
 Pursuant to the spirit of the above resolution, the undersigned have this day made the required examination of the Genesee Valley Canal Outlet Sewer from the south end of the Ohio Basin, to a point 495 feet southerly therefrom; the level of the water in the basin south of the of the dam at that time, being at average high water mark.

The main outlet sewer which is constructed below the bottom of the canal, and on which a volume of water seven feet in depth rests, was found in good condition, the masonry having become thoroughly solidified, and the sewer being nearly water tight. At the intersection of the West Avenue sewer with the outlet sewer, a large volume of water, filling nearly one half of the invert of said West avenue sewer, was found discharging through said sewer into the outlet sewer and apparently due to several feet of head.

A quantity of silt had washed into the outlet sewer to a depth of from four to six inches, and had formed to some extent a shoal at the point where the two unite. In our opinion the water flowing from said West avenue sewer into the outlet sewer came from the basin south of the dam, passing through or under the tow path wall and finding its way through and under the flagstones which cover said West avenue sewer; and that the leakage is of so serious a character as to require the withdrawal of the water from that portion of the basin south of the dam, as a matter of safety and for the purpose of making such repairs as may be found necessary to stop the flow of water into the outlet sewer. No leaks were found in the main sewer other than the ordinary sweating of the walls and a few pinholes, the leakage from which would in no wise impair the usefulness of the sewer for sewerage purposes. Aside from the leakage into the West avenue sewer and the results that may obtain from a continuance of the same, we consider the outlet sewer, with its protection of concrete and hydraulic cement, perfectly safe and able to sustain the weight of the volume of water above it.

Respectfully submitted,

OSCAR H. PEACOCK, City Surveyor.
 For the city of Rochester.

T. OS. EVERSEED,
 Div. Eng. N. Y. State canals, for the B. N. Y. & P. R. R. Co.

HENRY GOOLD,

Asst. Eng. N. Y. C. & H. K. R. R., Associate.
 Ordered received, filed and published.

From the City Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, June 12, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds on the 1st day of May, 1883, as required by section 58 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance	Undrawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund.....	\$30,243 54	
.. .. Repair	8,988 66	
.. .. Contingent Fund.....	44,308 70	
.. .. Teachers'	501,984 24	
Fire Department Fund.....	75,264 83	
Poor Department Fund.....	49,527 28	
Police Department Fund.....	60,959 70	
Contingent Fund	37,967 46	
Highway Fund.....	39,213 85	
Lamp Fund.....	61,534 86	
Health Fund.....	12,478 01	
City Property Fund.....	1,000 00	
Park Fund.....	1,500 73	
Water Works Fund.....	27,368 42	
Water Pipe Fund.....	72,029 75	
Salary and Expense Fund.....	7,683 44	

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June, 1883.
 EDWARD THOMAS,
 Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Assessors of the city of Rochester in accordance with the provisions of section 83 of the revised city charter, have this day delivered to me the

general assessment books for 1893, certified and sworn to by them, and I report them to your hon. board for action.
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered receive, filed and published.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12, 1893. }

To the Honorable the Common Council.

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with section 29 of the revised city charter, I hereby report the following named persons as having qualified and taken the oath of office.

E. J. Galentine, John C. O'Brien, Rudolph Vay, as special commissioners to assess for straightening and widening North St. Paul street.
George G. Clarkson, Wm. J. Sheridan, L. A. Pratt, as special commissioners to assess for additional land for a street from Mill to Water streets.
Chas. A. Phillips, Commissioner of Deeds.
Conrad B. Denny,
Edmond Redmond,
Francis A. Schoeffel,
Wm. H. Hawks,
Ivan Powers,
Henry J. Simmelink,

F. N. LORD, City Clerk.
Ordered received, filed and published.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12, 1893. }

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—In obedience to the resolution adopted at the last meeting of your Honorable Body requiring me to ascertain whether Central Park on the Wakelee farm has been dedicated to public use, and to report the facts with reference thereto, I do hereby state:

It appears on the 8th day of April, 1875, the then owner of the property known as the Wakelee farm filed in the office of the Clerk of Monroe County a map on which was laid out the said Central Park as one of the streets of the city of Rochester. On the 8th day of August, 1878, another map was filed in said office on which was also laid out the said Central Park and other streets and avenues, which said last mentioned map was, so far as Central Park was concerned, identical with the first one filed.

It further appears that said Central Park has been, in fact, opened to public use for more than five years last past.

Under section 136 of the City Charter, I would, upon the foregoing facts, report that Central Park aforesaid has been dedicated to public use and is now one of the streets of said city of Rochester.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCE.

IMPROVING NORTH AND SOUTH FRANCIS STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving North and South Francis street with a Medina stone improvement.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$40,250.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The improvement of North Francis street from the south curb line of Maple street to the north curb line of West avenue, and South Francis street from the south curb line of West avenue to the north curb line of Strong street, by constructing a roadway of Medina stone, with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof. Also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, lot laterals, manholes and street grading, and the cleaning of the main sewers in the street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$40,250, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of North Francis st. from Maple street to West ave.

Also one tier of lots on each side of South Francis st. from West avenue to Strong street.

And further Resolved, That the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows:

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums

paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1890 of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, June the 26th, 1893, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

PIPE SEWER IN LOCUST STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Locust street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$735.
By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Locust street, from the sewer in Fulton avenue to a point 10 feet east of the west line of lot No. 14.

And whereas the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$735, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Locust street, from Fulton avenue to a point 10 feet east of the west line of lot No. 14.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1890 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, June the 26th, 1893, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

CLEANING THE SEWER IN GORHAM STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of cleaning the sewer in Gorham street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$500.
By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The cleaning of the sewer in Gorham street, from the east end thereof to the St. Paul street sewer.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$500, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Gorham street, from St. Paul st. to Clinton st.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1890, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, June the 26th, 1893, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN SHERMAN STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Sherman street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,330.
By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Sherman street, from the north line of Otis street to Deep Hollow Creek. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,330, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, that the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Sherman street, from the north line of Otis street to Deep Hollow creek.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII. Section 172 of the Revised Charter of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, June the 26th, 1893, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING ST. JOSEPH STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling St. Joseph street during the season of 1888.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$377.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of St. Joseph street from a point 100 feet north of Atwater street, to the north line of Herman street during the season of 1888.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$377 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of St. Joseph street from a point 100 feet north of Atwater street to the north line of Herman street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, June the 26th, 1888, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance for North St. Paul street improvement came up.

Ald. Watson presented the following amendment:

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That the ordinance for the improvement of North St. Paul street, between Main street and Atwater street, be amended so as to make the roadway from Division street to a point north of and near River street, 48 feet in width, except in front of the Lamberton block on the southeast corner of St. Paul and Andrews streets, and that the estimate be changed to \$52,000.

Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a sewer in Caledonia avenue and Adams street came up.

Ald. Bronson moved it be postponed for two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to enlarge and extend the sewer in White street came up.

Ald. Kelly moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,505.

FLAG WALK ON HAWTHORN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a flag stone walk on Hawthorn st. from East ave. to Culver park

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a blue stone flag walk 5 feet in width in one course on each side of Hawthorn street, from East avenue to Culver Park.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$3,028, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Hawthorn street from East avenue to Culver Park, in front of which the proposed flag walk shall be constructed.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Ald. Simmelink presented a remonstrance. Ald. Simmelink moved that the ordinance be adopted.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The final ordinance to sprinkle North avenue,

from the north line of the New York Central railroad to the south line of Lansing street, came up. Ald. Aikenhead moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,506.

SPRINKLING FULTON AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Fulton avenue from 100 feet north of Jones avenue to Glenwood avenue, during the season of 1888.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Fulton avenue from 100 feet north of Jones avenue to Glenwood avenue during the season of 1888.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$457.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Fulton avenue from 100 feet north of Jones avenue to Glenwood avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The final ordinance to sprinkle Clarissa street came up. Ald. Bronson moved to postpone two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,507.

TWO-PLANK WALK ON GENESEE STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a 2-plank walk on Genesee street, from Brooks avenue to the south line of Mrs. J. G. Rogers's property.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a 2-plank walk on the east side of Genesee street, from Brooks avenue to the south line of Mrs. J. G. Rogers's property.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$122, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the east side of Genesee street, from Brooks avenue to the south line of Mrs. J. G. Rogers's property.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Ald. Kelly presented a remonstrance. The final ordinance was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The final ordinance to extend Edward street came up. Ald. Southard moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,508.

PLANK WALK ON CHILD STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Child st. from Maple street to the south line of the R. & P. railroad property.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 ft. 8 in. in width on the west side of Child street, from Maple street to the south line of the Rochester and Pittsburgh Railroad property except where good plank walks now exist which are of the proper grade; also the necessary crosswalks.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$20, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvements is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the west side of Child street, between Maple street and the south line of the Rochester and Pittsburgh railroad property, in front of which the proposed walk shall be constructed.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,509.

SPRINKLING PLATT STREET.

On motion of Alderman Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Alderman Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Platt street from a point 100 feet west of State street to a point 100 feet north of Allen street during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Platt street from a point 100 feet west of State street to a point 100 feet north of Allen street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$355, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Platt street from a point 100 feet west of State street to a point 100 feet north of Allen street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,510.

STONE SEWER IN BAY STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a stone sewer in Bay street from the sewer in North avenue to the west line of Hebard street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a stone sewer 2 feet square in Bay street, from the sewer in North avenue to the west line of Hebard street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$3,373, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Bay street, from North avenue to Hebard street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third, within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 4,511.

IMPROVING APPROACHES TO LYELL AVENUE LIFT BRIDGE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve the approaches to Lyell avenue Lift Bridge from the west line at Orchard street, to the west line of West street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge from the west line of Orchard street to the west line of West street by constructing a MacAdam pavement with curb stones and cobble stone gutters on each side thereof; also the necessary flag walks, cross walks and plank walks where they have heretofore existed, using all old materials heretofore used on the street, as far as they may extend, and supply all deficiencies with new materials. Width of roadway between curb lines to be of the present width, except where narrowed at the ends of the bridge.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$2,600, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Lyell avenue from the west line of Orchard street to the west line of West street.

On which above described portion of the city the expense of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Ald. Simmelink presented a remonstrance.

Ald. Hinds moved to amend by making the territory to be assessed, one tier of lots on each side of Lyell avenue from Lake avenue to the city line.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard—6.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—8.

Ald. Hinds moved to amend by making the territory now assessed the same as was assessed for the lift bridge.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice—6.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—8.

The final ordinance to improve the approaches to the Lyell avenue lift bridge was then lost by the following vote, not two-thirds voting in the affirmative:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice—4.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 11, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No 2467, for Frederick street pipe sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of funds, is \$312.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2467.
FREDERICK STREET PIPE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for Frederick street pipe sewer.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$312, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Frederick street from Helena street to a point 119 feet south of Foehner street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$312, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 16th day of June, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 11, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,418, for Jones street plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$117.60.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,418.

JONES STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 23d day of January, 1883, enact an ordinance for a plank walk on Jones street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$117.60, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Jones street, in front of which the walk shall be constructed.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$117.60, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 16th day of June, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 11, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,415, for Rauber street pipe sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$971.38.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,415.
PIPE SEWER IN RAUBER STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 12th day

of December, 1882, enact an ordinance for a pipe sewer in Rauber st.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement is to be the sum of \$971.38 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Rauber street, from the east line of lot No. 28 to St. Joseph st.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$971.38 being the whole amount of expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 16th day of June, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 11th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board has notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2406, for Eagle street improvement has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$100.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,406.

EAGLE STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 14th day of November, 1882, enact an ordinance for Eagle street improvement.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$100, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Eagle street from Atkinson street to the south end of Eagle street, also one tier of lots at the south end of Eagle street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$100, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and the Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 16th day of June, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 11, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,402, for Pennsylvania avenue plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$698.73.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,402.

PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 31st day of October, 1882, enact an ordinance for a plank on Pennsylvania avenue.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$698.73, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common

Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Pennsylvania avenue, in front of which the proposed improvement shall be made.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$693.73, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 16th day of June, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 11th, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under O. dinance No. 2,403, for Court and Williams st. sewer repairing has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$5,862.62.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGILLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,403.

COURT AND WILLIAMS STREET SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 31st day of October, 1882, enact an ordinance for cleaning and straightening the Court and Williams street outlet sewer.

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$5,862.62, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

All the territory described by and enclosed within the following described boundaries: Beginning at the intersection of the south line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. property with the north line of East Main st.; thence westerly along the south line of said railroad property to Union st.; thence southerly along Union st. and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Lewis st.; thence westerly along Lewis st. and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Scio st.; thence southerly along Scio st. and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to East Main st.; thence westerly along East Main st. and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Gibbs st.; thence southerly along Gibbs st. and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof south of East Main st. to East ave.; thence westerly along East ave. and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to a point opposite the west line of Chestnut st.; thence southerly along Chestnut st. and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to a point opposite the south line of George st.; thence easterly along George st. and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Jersey st.; thence southerly along Jersey st. and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Cross st.; thence easterly along Cross st. to William st.; thence southerly along William st. to Monroe av.; thence easterly along Monroe av., excepting one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Manhattan st.; thence northerly along Manhattan st. and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof, excepting the lot on the northeast corner of Manhattan st. and Monroe av. to George st.; thence easterly along George st. to Union st.; thence northerly along Union st. and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Gardner park; thence easterly along Gardner park and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Alexander st.; thence northerly along Alexander st., excepting one tier of lots on the west side thereof, to East av.; thence easterly along East av. to Prince st.; thence northerly along Prince st., including a strip of land 150 feet in width on the east side thereof from a point 150 feet north of East av. to College av. and from thence, including one tier of lots on the east side of Prince st. from College av. to East Main st.; thence easterly along East Main st., including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to the south line of the New York Central & Hudson River RR. lands; thence westerly along the south line of said railroad lands to the place of beginning. Also a strip of land 150 feet in width on each side of said

outlet ditch, from the north line of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad lands. to the north line of the city.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$5,862.62, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 16th day of June, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the Commissioners in the matter of the acquiring of lands for a new street from Mill to Water street, which report is filed in the office of the County Clerk of Monroe county, and in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Rochester, will be heard at the meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall, on the 12th day of June, 1883, at 6 o'clock p. m., which time and place are hereby assigned for that purpose.

“Adopted.”

Allegations being called and no person appearing, Ald. Strouss presented the following:

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the report of the Commissioners in the matter of acquiring lands for a new street from Mill street to Water street, known as Central avenue, which report is dated June 3, 1883, be, and the same is hereby confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Watson moved to proceed to the appointment of Commissioners of Deeds and the clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Timothy J. Dakin and Henry V. Clark having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were duly appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Hinds moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Elections for the first district of the ninth ward. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds nominated George H. Cummings. Adopted.

George H. Cummings was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

George H. Cummings having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council was duly appointed Inspector of Elections.

Ald. Jeffords moved to proceed to the appointment of a Police Commissioner, in the place of Jacob Howe, jr. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords nominated Joseph W. Rosenthal.

Ald. Collins nominated Jacob Howe, jr.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved to postpone balloting until the next regular meeting.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard—4.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

TENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Col-

lins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—9.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

L. P. Ross was named by Ald. Kelly—1.
No choice.

ELEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

L. P. Ross was named by Ald. Felsing, Kelly—2.
No choice.

TWELFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

L. P. Ross was named by Ald. Felsing, Kelly—2.
No choice.

THIRTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

L. P. Ross was named by Ald. Felsing, Kelly—2.
No choice.

FOURTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

L. P. Ross was named by Ald. Felsing, Kelly—2.
No choice.

Ald. Southard moved to postpone balloting for Police Commissioner for two weeks.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—7.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—8.

FIFTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—9.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Kelly—6.
No choice.

SIXTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—7.
No choice.

SEVENTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—7.
No choice.

EIGHTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins,

Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing—6.

H. L. Davis was named by Ald. Kelly—1.
No choice.

NINETEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

H. L. Davis was named by Ald. Felsing—1.
No choice.

TWENTIETH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—9.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

Wm. S. Smith was named by Ald. Kelly—1.
No choice.

TWENTY-FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved to postpone balloting and proceed under the head of Miscellaneous Business.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Strouss, Hinds, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead—7.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Kelly, Simmelink—8.

TWENTY-SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved to proceed under the head of Miscellaneous Business.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead—8.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Felsing, Kelly, Simmelink—7.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition from the trustees of the Holy Redeemer Church in relation to an assessment for Clifford street plank walk.

Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, The Rochester City & Brighton railroad company on or about the first day of May, 1883, presented a petition to the Common Council requesting permission to lay street car tracks from the corner of State and Lyell streets through Lyell street to Warner street, and,

Whereas, At a meeting of the Common Council, held on the 1st day of May last, consent was duly granted to the said company to lay, operate and maintain the street railway tracks from the present line on State street through Lyell street to Warner street in accordance with the prayers of said petition, and,

Whereas, The said railroad company has laid its tracks from the present line of its tracks on State street along Lyell street to Myrtle street about a quarter of a mile dis-

tant from the said proposed terminus at Warner street, and

Whereas, The said company, as appears by the statements of its superintendent in charge of the construction on said street, made to residents of the street, that said company proposes to construct, maintain and operate its railway tracks only to Myrtle street and not to Warner street as provided in the resolution; and

Whereas, The said action on the part of said company is in violation of the permission granted, and is a fraud committed upon the citizens residing on said streets; therefore

Resolved, That the said resolution printed on page 35 of the proceedings of the present year be, and the same hereby is reconsidered; and it is further

Resolved, That said resolution be, and the same hereby is indefinitely postponed, and the City Attorney is hereby instructed to take such action as may be necessary to prevent the operation of the street railway from the present line of the tracks on State street through Lyell street to Myrtle street, unless the said company shall at once construct the track and operate its road to Warner street aforesaid; in which case permission is hereby granted to the said company to lay, operate and maintain street railway tracks from the present line of tracks on State street through Lyell street to Warner street. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute leases to the following named parties for the rooms now occupied by them in the Front street building, for the term of one year, all of such leases to commence on the first day of April, 1883, and to expire on the 31st day of March, 1884, as follows, and for the rental hereinafter named, to wit :

Bell Telephone Co.....	\$ 50	per year
Knights of Labor, No. 1702.....	60	..
Lincoln Band.....	50	..
Telegraph Operators.....	70	..
National Engineers.....	50	..
Geo. E. McGonegal.....	20	..
Henry Grattan Club.....	75	..

Adopted.

By Ald. Rice—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester :

GENTLEMEN—As the term for which I was appointed Inspector of Milk, and supervisor generally, of that important industry in our city, has now expired, and knowing it to be a subject of much interest to most of our citizens, I have thought it desirable to submit to your Honorable Council, a brief statement regarding the importance of the measure, the manner in which I have performed my duties, together with some suggestions for future action.

It has been truly said that nothing is more important to the health of people in large cities, than an abundant supply of pure water, and our own city, like many others, of both modern and ancient times, almost without regard to the original cost, deeming the health of its citizens above all price.

But as important as pure water is to the public health, it is no way more so, than pure milk, which enters so largely into the food of both old and young. Persons of mature age may withstand the evil effects of adulterated milk, but not so with infant life; and there is no denying the fact, that the lives of more than one hundred infants have been sacrificed every year, in this city, for a long time past, from this very cause. This is the freely expressed opinion of our learned Health Officer, and other leading physicians.

During the last year, according to the late Message of His Honor, the Mayor, to your Honorable Council, there were 426 deaths of children under one year of age, and of these 153 were from cholera infantum, pronounced by physicians to be nothing more nor less than acute milk poisoning.

While little or no effort has been made in our city in years past, to stamp out the sale of impure milk, our citizens have, as we shall show, actually been paying

from thirty to forty thousand dollars a year for water moiding in solution, lime, iron, sulphur, and various salts and chlorides, to say nothing of the chalk, starch, &c., added to the milk with which they have been served.

Regulating and supervising the sale of milk has come to be esteemed a matter of vital importance, and competent milk inspectors, either physicians or persons whose habits of business fit them for that position, acting under stringent ordinances, are employed not only in all the principal cities of this country, but throughout civilized Europe. Even in the city of Capetown, South Africa, as I lately read in the Cape Times, a milk pedlar was fined five pounds and had his license revoked for selling fraudulent milk.

Recently a state convention was held in Boston to consider the important subject of adulterated milk. The matter was ably discussed, in favor of referring it to the State Board of Health, recommending the appointment of milk inspectors in every town and city in the state. But it cannot be necessary to occupy the time of your honorable Council with arguments so important a measure. It is recognized and acted upon by every well regulated city in the land. Previous to, and while the Common Council had under consideration, a humble petition signed by more than a hundred citizens, praying that a competent milk inspector might be appointed at the request of some of our best physicians. I investigated the subject pretty thoroughly during several weeks, by careful inquiries among old and respectable milkmen, grocers, marketmen and others, and by simple and scientific tests of many samples of milk, altogether showing very clearly that while there were many honorable and conscientious persons engaged in the milk business, there were as many more who practiced dilution to the extent of from 10 to 25 per cent., and in many cases much more, using often chalk, starch, rice flour, and a coloring of burnt white sugar, in solution, to cover the fraud. I think it entirely safe to say that there have been, in years past, 100 milkmen, averaging 160 quarts of milk a day, who have at a very low calculation, practiced dilution to the extent of one gallon of water to nine of milk, which, at 5 cents a quart, would amount to \$80 a day, or \$560 a week, or \$29,200 a year.

Upon my appointment as milk inspector in May last, I at once, on June first, procured slips of the penal ordinance, and in connection with other duties, spent the whole month in giving them out to milkmen, grocers and others, with the assurance that the Common Council was in earnest in the effort to put an end to the sale of fraudulent milk in our city. I also requested a postal card from any who doubted the purity of milk served to them, which would have immediate attention. Have answered a good many such cards in different parts of the city. In July the Milkmen's Association, composed of about one-half of the whole number, apparently as one good result of the action of the Common Council adopted, a resolution in substance as follows: First. The price of milk in future to be, to families and others at retail, six cents a quart. Second. To grocers and others at wholesale, five cents a quart, and in all cases to be strictly pure and unskimmed. That many have honestly kept the pledge, I verily believe, for in making a second canvass of the city, I received abundant assurances that the quality of milk was very much improved. I think as grocers, market men and others do, that doctored milk is reduced more than one-half making a clean saving of at least \$15,000 for the year. But as one milkman goes out and a new one comes in constant vigilance is demanded. In prosecuting the business of milk inspection I began by giving most attention to milk upon wagons but I pretty soon discovered that as nearly all carried a can of water for the purpose of rinsing cans they became empty they could very easily as some intimated beat me at my own game; I therefore adopted to a considerable extent the plan pursued in Cincinnati and some other cities by giving special attention first to groceries, markets, restaurants, cheap hotels, &c., with the view to break up the market for fraudulent milk at wholesale; in this my efforts have been generally seconded and succeeded well as a good many dealers procure the glass testing instrument and thus are able to decide at once if the milk furnished them is full up to the required standard of purity.

Special attention has been given to the condition of milk cans, condemning and forbidding the use of those old and rusty and such as are not kept clean and sweet. The course pursued by me in the way of inspection and other things has been well known to the Health Officer of the city and the Board of Health and entirely approved.

A number of milkmen deal quite largely in cream, and of course sell a good deal of skim milk, which many families prefer to buy, as they get it at one-half the price of pure milk. There is, most likely, frequent instances of imposition in a small way in the

sale of skim milk, but I have not been able to detect it in the case of those who make the sale of cream a prominent part of their business, or in the making of butter, as at the new appointed creamery on St. Paul street.

Some, and happily the number is small, who have questioned the policy of charging the milkmen a small fee for license. It is the practice in several cities, and authority has been given by the Legislature for doing it in our own city, and I think it true policy for several good and substantial reasons. It is regarded as just by intelligent milk dealers, and all, I think, are now reconciled to it. Many wish the license fee was higher, say \$25 or \$50, then, they claim, it would, by a weeding out process, better protect both honest milk dealers and their customers. Some pretend that the license fee has caused an advance in the price of milk, one cent a quart. This is an entire mistake, as every milkman will say. The slight advance was alone the result of the high price of new milk cows and brewers' grains, and was adopted by several milkmen before the penal ordinance was passed by your honorable Council. There is now, however, a prospect of a decline. During the last summer or autumn, owing to an amendment of the penal ordinance making it necessary for the milkman to be milk peddling subject to license, much of my time for several weeks was devoted to getting an account of them, and although in haste some were overlooked, the number obtained amounted to 360, every lot of which I inspected. Many of the larger lots, supplying milk wagons paying the regular license, I found to be a very healthy condition.

In the case perhaps of 200 others, the milk is served from hand carts, or by hand, and the cows confined in small stables, with but little air and no exercise, and fed the year round upon swill, brewers' grains and Buffalo feed, producing milk highly albuminous, readily becoming putrid with the return of warm weather, and the owners of such cows, at the sure death to every innocent babe fed upon it, I have warned the owners of such cows to take good care of their cows would be banished from the city.

In my intercourse with milkmen I have aimed and succeeded in maintaining pleasant relations with nearly every one, and in all cases where it seemed to be necessary, have tried to impress upon them the duty and true policy of being honest in the conduct of their business; that all good citizens were disposed to pay a fair price for pure milk, and to sell anything else by them was a crime. Having long been a "law to themselves" in carrying on the business, I have thought it prudent while showing firmness to be reasonably lenient for the time being. Increased vigor on the part of the Inspector will be demanded, and is expected in future, and in view of it I would recommend to your honorable Council that the penal ordinance be amended, making the penalty for its violation \$25 in place of \$10, as at present, and that the license be increased to a conviction under it the discretion of the Police Magistrate.

In the collecting of licenses some little trouble and delay was experienced, owing to the interference of council to milkmen, assuring them that the required fee for license was illegal and void. The licenses however, to those who run wagons have all, except one, been taken. The \$5 licenses amount to \$835 and with the one and two cow licenses aggregate, I think, \$900. A small number of one and two cow licenses, are still back but can readily be collected. For the present year the prospect is that receipts for licenses will amount to fully \$1.0 0.

The office of Milk Inspector may not be as "high toned" as some other, but none certainly is more important to the health of our people, and none demands a greater degree of approval, than the principles of "Civil Service Reform," especially if they imply capacity, adaptation and experience.

For many good reasons, I venture to suggest to your honorable board that as a rule, there would be great advantage in making the appointment of Milk Inspector for the term at least of two years instead of one. An Inspector should not only be fully competent, by practiced sight and taste, and by simple and scientific tests, to determine the true quality of milk, but he should also be well informed of the true character and general reputation of all milkmen, and this cannot be acquired all at once.

The milk business has been in a sad state in our city for a long time, but by intelligent and faithful service, if milk dispensed to our citizens cannot be rendered as pure and wholesome as the crystal water that courses through many of our streets and into our dwellings, it can at least be greatly improved in quality, much to our comfort and health, and the saving of many innocent lives.

Respectfully submitted,
J. M. WINSLOW, Milk Inspector.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Rice presented a petition for a plank

walk on Caroline street. Referred to the City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12th, 1888.

To His Honor the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Rochester.

GENTLEMEN: At the last annual convention of the Knights of St. John of America, held at Cleveland, O., in June, 1882, Rochester, N. Y., was selected as the place of holding the next annual convention which will convene in the city of Rochester in June, 1885. The Rochester companies having decided to hold the usual parade have named Monday, June 25th, 1888, for this grand demonstration. And in view of the fact of the large number of Knights from Cleveland, Buffalo, Syracuse, Dunkirk and other cities of the union who will participate in this grand parade we would therefore most respectfully invite his honor the Mayor and the Common Council to honor the occasion by reviewing our parade from the Powers hotel balcony on the afternoon of Monday, June 25th, 1888. Hoping your honorable body will take action, we remain, yours most respectfully.

Jos. J. SCHUELER, Chairman.

John P. Smith, Secretary.

On motion of Ald. Felsing the invitation was accepted.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be directed to place electric lights on East avenue from Main to Goodman streets and discontinue as many gas lamps as may be deemed advisable. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the sum of one million, thirty-four thousand, three hundred and twenty-two dollars and twenty-one cents, the amount heretofore fixed and adopted as the general tax levy for the ensuing year, be and the same hereby is levied and assessed on the taxable property of the city of Rochester in the manner required by the city charter.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That there be, and there hereby is assessed for the benefit of the water works fund (3) cents on each lineal foot front of each city lot located on each and every street, avenue, park, court, alley and lane in the city of Rochester in which city water mains are laid and in use in all cases in which no water rents have accrued or been paid to the city of Rochester during the present calendar year. Such assessment is made on one frontage only of each of said lots, and in accordance with section 85 of the revised city charter.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—12.

Nays—Ald. Felsing, Rice, Kelly—3.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the general assessment rolls for 1883, as certified and sworn to by them and delivered to the City Clerk be and they hereby are confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That Paul Zala, F. A. Stecher, T. M. Rumelin and Thos. F. Kearney be granted permission to erect and move wood buildings according to the prayer of their petitions, under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for the opening of a new street from Reynolds street to Seward street between Strong and Flint

streets. Referred to the Committee on Opening and Alteration of Streets.

Ald. Jeffords presented the claim of W. H. Jones for compensation for injury to a horse. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition for the improvement of Manhattan street by constructing a flag walk on each side thereof and a gravel roadway with curbs and gutters. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Jeffords submitted the following : Agreement made this _____ day of _____ 1888, by and between the Brush Electric Light Company of Rochester, N. Y., of the first part, and the City of Rochester, a municipal corporation, of the second part, witnesseth:

First—The said party of the first part agrees to furnish, from time to time, poles suitable for supporting the Brush electric lamps for street lighting in said city, at such place or places and in such number as the said party of the second part, by its Lamp Committee or otherwise, shall direct; such poles to be of sufficient length to place such lamps at the elevation from the ground best calculated to furnish the greatest light to persons using the streets; to set the same at its own expense under the direction of the said party of the second part or its Lamp Committee in such manner and at such place or places as the said party of the second part or said committee shall direct; to furnish for constant use lamps and necessary carbons therefor, as directed as aforesaid, and to care for, light and extinguish and keep in first-class condition said lamps and everything appurtenant to the same, and to furnish power to light such lamps with the Brush electric light every night and all night, the time of lighting to be at sunset and the time of extinguishing to be at sunrise; all the material to be furnished as aforesaid to be of first-class quality, and the work and care connected therewith to be done and the necessary power to be furnished in a manner satisfactory to the said party of the second part or said committee. The light of each lamp furnished under this contract shall be equal to the light furnished by said company to said city under the contract in force to July 1st, 1885.

Second—This contract shall take effect from and after the date hereof, and continue to and terminate on the morning of the first day of July, 1888; and the said party of the first part shall establish the said lights and put the same in operation as rapidly as practicable after the same are ordered. Whenever the party of the first part shall notify the said party of the second part, or said Lamp Committee, that it has located one or more lamps at the place or places designated by the said party of the second part, or said Lamp Committee, then as to such lamps or lamps thus placed and thereafter in operation in accordance with the terms hereof, and as to such lamps as have already been placed, and are at the date hereof in actual operation, the party of the first part shall be entitled to charge at the rate herein expressed, for each night thereafter, during the continuance of this contract, for such streets and avenues as the Common Council shall by resolution declare to be impracticable to light by electric light lamps placed upon poles, the party of the first part shall, if required to do so by the said Lamp Committee or the Common Council, suspend the lamps designed to furnish light for such streets and avenues from the center of arches so constructed as to span such streets and avenues from curb to curb, the height and style, manner of construction and the location of such arches to be under the direction of the said Lamp Committee.

Third—The lighting and care of said lamps shall be done under the supervision and direction of said party of the second part, or the said Committee, but at the expense of said party of the first part; and in case the party of the first part does not comply with the terms and conditions of this contract, the said party of the second part shall have power to cancel the same, upon giving ten days previous notice of intention so to do.

Fourth—The poles, lamps and appurtenances to be erected, as aforesaid, and remain the property of the party of the first part, but shall be subject to inspection, supervision and control of the party of the second part during the existence of this contract.

Fifth—The party of the second part or its Lamp Committee reserves the right to increase or diminish the number of lamps on a street in said city whenever the party of the second part or said Lamp Committee shall deem it advisable so to do, but the aggregate number ordered and in operation in the whole city at any one time shall not be diminished during the continuance of this contract.

Sixth—In consideration of the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of this contract on the part of the party of the first part, the party of the

second part hereby agrees to pay at the rate of forty-five (45) cents per lamp per night for each lamp placed as designated by said party of the second part or said lamp committee and actually in operation as at or said from the time such lamp or lamps shall be actually in operation during the continuance of this contract and until the termination thereof; bills therefor to be rendered and paid monthly.

In witness whereof, the said parties have caused these presents to be duly executed the day and year first above written.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, that the Mayor be and he hereby is directed on behalf of the City of Rochester, to execute the contract with the Brush Electric Light Company submitted to the Common Council by the Lamp Committee.

Adopted by the following vote,
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Alkenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Watson called up the following presented at the meeting of June 5th last:

“By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the Rochester City & Brighton Street Railroad Company have permission of the city of Rochester, under the supervision of the Executive Board, to set back the curbstone on the north side of Atwater street four feet and on the south side of Atwater street two feet, for the distance of four hundred and ten feet easterly from the east line of North St. Paul street, and to pave and gutter the addition to the roadway with Medina stone, changing lateral sewers and making the street grade, under the direction of the City Surveyor, on furnishing a satisfactory bond to the city, to be approved by the mayor, to complete the said work properly and without delay.

“Ald. Archer moved that action be postponed until two weeks from the next regular meeting. Adopted.”

Ald. Watson moved that the action to postpone be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Watson then moved the adoption of the resolution. Adopted.

Ald. Watson presented the petitions of Czar Dunning and D. B. Earl for permission to erect a wood building on Court street and Chestnut street and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized to assign the tax certificates for all unpaid General City taxes on lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 14, 20, 21 and 22, in the Nichols' subdivision, 16th ward, on Nichols park, assessed to the Real Estate Trust Co. of New York, H. E. Schaffer, J. C. Clark and E. S. Palmer, for the years 1876, 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880 and 1881, to S. S. Brown upon his paying into the city treasury the amount of tax, with 7 per cent. interest from date of sale.

Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive of Mary Zahn \$7.90, less discount, in full payment for Brown street lift bridge on lots 9 and 10, and charge balance to erroneous assessments as per certificate of Assessors, dated June 12th, 1883. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to cancel the tax against Margt. Zaches on lot 13 on the north side of Maple street, for Brown street lift bridge and approaches, the same having been assessed for Allen street lift bridge and approaches, and charge erroneous assessments.

Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive of J. O'Sullivan \$4.75 in full payment on Lot 87 for Carleton street plank walk and grading, and charge balance to erroneous assessments, as per certificate of Assessors dated June 12, 1883. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized to assign the tax certificates on Lot No. 4 of M. G. Requa's sub division on the west side of Stevens street, Fourteenth ward, for all general city taxes and assessments that the city has an interest in, to Abram Halsey, upon his paying into the City Treasury the amount of tax, with seven per cent. interest from date of sale. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 13 of the Re-survey of the Evergreen Tract, north side Scrantom street, Fifth Ward, was assessed for General City Tax for 1876, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in certificate from the Assessors, dated June 12, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$23.53, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12, 1883. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer:

Sir: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Ira F. Hawley, viz.: Lot No. 13 Re-survey of the Evergreen Tract, north side of Scrantom street, Fifth Ward, 23 feet front, 33 feet rear, and 107 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of General City Tax for 1876 the sum of \$23.53, upon the payment of which he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

W. MAHER,
Y. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Rochester, N. Y., June 12th, 1883. }

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots 1 and 3 of the Greenman subdivision Tract, Clifford street, 5th Ward, was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated June 9th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$11.55, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 9, 1883. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer:

Sir: We, the assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1882 to Lellias Greeley, viz.:

Lots No. 1 Greenman subdivision tract, north side of Clifford street, Fifth Ward, 40 feet front, 40 rear, and 110 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Clifford street Outlet sewer the sum of \$11.55, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

W. MAHER,
Y. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 11, 1883. }

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot 76, Grant-syn's subdivision of the Bennett tract, south side of Clifton street, was erroneously assessed for Clifton and Reynolds street outlet sewer, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he is

hereby authorized to refund twenty-five dollars to the owner thereof, that being the amount paid by him on said assessment and charge **Erroneous Assessments.**

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Barron presented the petition of John Eckhardt for permission to erect a wood building on Kent street and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. **Adopted.**

Ald. Barron moved that the building recently moved by John Eckhardt on his lot on Kent street be allowed to remain provided he repair and paint the same white as agreed. **Adopted.**

By Ald. Barron—Whereas, by resolution of the Common Council, adopted August 9, 1881, the City Treasurer was directed to receive from May Marsh, \$900 in full for assessment on her lot on the north-east corner of Lake avenue and Brisbane street, for Lake avenue improvement, and flag walks on the said property, provided, however, that said May Marsh execute a deed to the city of Rochester of all that part of said lot, north of a point 100 feet north from the north line of said Brisbane street, and parallel therewith, and fronting on Lake avenue, to the high bank of deep hollow creek; also, all her interest in said ravine from the top of said bank, from Lake avenue easterly to the east line of said lot, said conveyance to be satisfactory to the City Attorney, said payment and conveyance to be made within thirty days from date, and charge deficiency in tax to erroneous assessment; and,

Whereas, Said May Marsh has not been able to fulfill said agreement until the present time.

Wherefore, resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to receive of May Marsh \$900, according to the terms of said resolution, with interest at the rate of six per cent to date of payment. **Adopted.**

Ald. Barron moved that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance for the sprinkling of Front street, from Center street to Platt street, during the season of 1883. **Adopted.**

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to cancel the city taxes from 1875 to 1882, inclusive, on lot 5 of Banker's subdivision, on Brighton street, in the city of Rochester, and the Clerk is hereby directed to draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of H. G. Otis for \$34.11, being the amount of taxes paid by him on said lot for the years aforesaid, with interest. That an accurate description of said lot be made by the City Surveyor and annexed to the annual assessment roll, and that the taxes on said lot for the years aforesaid be reassessed upon the same, together with charges and interest from the time the same ought to have been paid.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be, and he is hereby authorized to cancel the city taxes from 1878 to 1882 inclusive, on lots 8, 9, 10 and 11 of Banker's subdivision on Brighton street in the city of Roch-

ester, and the Clerk is hereby directed to draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of Amsden E. Wheeler for \$38.38, being the amount of taxes paid by him on said lots for the years aforesaid, with interest. That an accurate description of said lots be made by the City Surveyor and delivered to the Assessors, and that the said amount erroneously assessed as aforesaid for the years aforesaid, be re-assessed upon the said lots as correctly described, together with charges and interest from the time the same ought to have been paid.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink.—14.

Ald. Collins presented a communication from the Co-Operative Foundry Co., relating to the location of a fire alarm box, and submitted the following:

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and hereby are requested to place a fire alarm box on Elizabeth street, at the dividing line between the Co-operative Foundry company's building and the Gibbons & Stone factory. **Adopted.**

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of G. F. Slocum for ninety dollars, in payment for his services and disbursements in serving notices on the owners, occupants and tenants of property to be taken for the opening of a street from Clifford street to Norton st., payable from the Contingent fund, and that the Treasurer charge and carry said sum of ninety dollars to the fund for the opening of said street, when said fund shall be created, as part of the cost and expenses of said improvement.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of C. W. Carroll for \$14 in payment of his services and disbursements in serving notices on the owners, occupants and tenants of property to be taken for the opening of a street from Maple street to Campbell street, and the opening and extension of Hayward park, payable from contingent fund, and that the Treasurer charge and carry \$12 of said sum to the fund for the opening of a street from Maple street to Campbell street, and \$2 of said sum to the fund for the opening and extension of Hayward park, when said several funds shall be created as part of the cost and expenses of said improvement.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, May 28, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council.

GENTLEMEN—It has become apparent to the Executive Board that additions to the appliances and effective force of our Fire Department are urgently demanded. The growth of this department has not been commensurate with that of the city, and this Board believes that it will be derelict in its duty in regard to the personal safety of our people and the preservation of their property if it does not provide adequate protection from the ravages of disastrous conflagrations. That our fair city has of late escaped

from such disasters is most fortunate, but immunity in this respect cannot always be expected.

The practice in this as well as in other large cities, has obtained of constructing buildings of six, seven and eight stories in elevation, requiring appliances to reach the upper stories, of a different character from any now in use in our department. The unprecedented activity, past and present, in the erection of wood buildings in various portions of the city, together with their close proximity the one to the other, in consequence of being erected upon narrow lots, argue the necessity for having some portion of the fire apparatus located so as to be brought into action in the shortest period of time practicable, in case of a fire, in these localities.

The Executive Board after having looked over the ground very carefully and given the matter earnest consideration, has come to the conclusion that at least one additional hose company should be added to our present department and that Hose No. 2, now located in and overcrowding with Hook & Ladder Co. No. 2, the house on Stillson street should be provided with separate quarters. Said Board would therefore in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 224 of the City Charter respectfully ask of your honorable body authority to purchase two lots and erect thereon houses for the accommodation of Hose No. 2 and the proposed new company, one to be located upon the west and one upon the east side of river.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Executive Board is hereby authorized to purchase two lots, one on the east side of the river and one on the west side thereof, at an expense not exceeding two thousand and five hundred (\$2,500) dollars for each lot, for the purpose of erecting thereon two hose carriage houses for the use of the fire department of the city of Rochester, and also that the said Board be authorized to have plans and specifications prepared, with estimates of cost, for the erection of two hose carriage houses, in accordance with the recommendations of said Board, and report the same to the Common Council before entering into contract for the erection of the said houses. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved that action on the final ordinance for improving the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved the adoption of the ordinance but subsequently withdraw the motion and the ordinance went over under the rule.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to grade Averill street from Pearl street to the Erie canal, as the water runs now in the middle of the street. Referred to the Executive Board.

By Ald Foley—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your special committee, appointed with reference to the closing of Trowbridge street, hereby report:

Your committee has had several conferences with the railroad company and with the owners of the land affected by the proposed closing. As a result of the negotiations your committee herewith submit the written proposition of the railroad company, which proposition your committee recommends the acceptance of, and to that end submit the accompanying written proposition and resolution:

J. H. FOLEY,
JOHN A. FELSINGER,
MARTIN BARRON.

Special Committee on Trowbridge st. closing.

To the Special Committee of the Common Council of the City of Rochester, appointed with reference to the closing of Trowbridge street:

GENTLEMEN: The Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia Railroad Company hereby makes to the Common Council through your committee the following proposition with reference to the closing of Trowbridge street:

First—The company will acquire all the property lying west of Trowbridge street between said street and the lands now owned by said company, and between Troup street and West avenue, and also one

tier of lots on the east side of Trowbridge street between Troup street and West avenue.

Second—The company will dedicate to public use ten feet of land on the south side of West avenue between the east and west lines of the property now owned by them and the property to be acquired, as aforesaid, whenever the city of Rochester shall widen West avenue between the abandoned Genesee Valley canal and the Erie canal.

Third—The said company agrees to connect the present sewer in Troup st. with the Genesee Valley canal outlet sewer at some point between the north line of Troup st. and the center thereof; that portion of the sewer to be constructed to be not less in size than the present sewer in Troup st. and in such a manner as to entirely divert the flow from Troup st. sewer into the Genesee valley canal sewer. All of which is to be done under the direction of the city authorities.

In consideration of the foregoing and of the acceptance on the part of the city of the same the city shall take such steps as shall be necessary for closing and permanent discontinuance of Trowbridge st.

The city of Rochester to grant permission to the said railroad company to construct and maintain across Troup street not more than three tracks in addition to those which said company has already constructed and is maintaining.

It being hereby understood that the proposition to acquire the said property is contingent upon the said closing of said Trowbridge st. and the closing of Trowbridge st. shall be contingent upon the acquiring of the property aforesaid.

FRANK S. SMITH, Attorney.

By Ald Foley—Resolved, That the proposition made by the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Railroad Company with reference to the closing of Trowbridge st. be and the same hereby is accepted, and that the City Attorney cause the necessary legal steps to be taken to provide for the closing of Trowbridge st. in accordance with the proposition accepted as aforesaid.

Ald. Bronson moved that the report and the proposition of the railroad company be received, filed and published and action on the resolution be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—June 14th, 1883.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Alderman Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Absent—Ald. Archer, Jeffords, Pitkin, Rice, Southard—5.

From the Clerk—

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 14th, 1883. }

Frank N. Lord, City Clerk:

Please call a special meeting of the Common Council at the Common Council Chamber for Thursday, June 14th, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M. Subject: Election of Directors of the Rochester & Genesee Valley Railroad. C. R. PARSONS, Mayor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to the appointment of seven directors of the Rochester & Genesee Valley railroad. Adopted.

Ald Bronson nominated John Lutes.

John Lutes was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

John Lutes having received the required number of votes, was declared appointed first director.

Ald. Bronson nominated D. W. Powers.

D. W. Powers was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

D. W. Powers having received the required number of votes was declared appointed second director.

Ald. Bronson nominated Gilman H. Perkins. Gilman H. Perkins was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink-11.

Gilman H. Perkins, having received the required number of votes was declared appointed third director.

Ald. Bronson nominated Frank S. Upton. Frank S. Upton was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink-11.

Frank S. Upton having received the required number of votes was declared appointed fourth director.

Ald. Kelly nominated Amon Bronson. Amon Bronson was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink-10.

Amon Bronson having received the required number of votes was declared appointed fifth director.

Ald. Simmelink nominated John H. Foley. John H. Foley was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Hinds, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink-10.

John H. Foley having received the required number of votes was declared appointed sixth director.

Ald. Aikenhead nominated Henry C. Brewster.

Henry C. Brewster was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink-11.

Henry C. Brewster having received the required number of votes was declared appointed seventh director.

Ald. Watson, having the unanimous consent of the board, moved that the action of the Council at the last regular meeting June 12th, on the resolution granting permission to the Rochester City and Brighton Street Railroad Company to set back the curbstones on Atwater street be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Watson moved that further action on the resolution be postponed until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

The board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, June 19, 1883.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink-14.

Absent—Ald. Bronson, Archer-2.

By the Clerk—

MAYOR'S OFFICE, ROCHESTER, June 18, 1883.
Frank N. Lord, City Clerk:
 DEAR SIR:—Please call a special meeting of the Common Council at the Common Council chamber for Tuesday, June 19th, at 8 p. m. Subjects: Proposed gift of fountain; proposed gift of park from D. D. S. Brown; and the celebration of the semi-centennial of Rochester's existence as a city.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS, Mayor.

By Ald. Kelly—From the Mayor:

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MAYOR'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, June 16, 1883. }

Gentlemen of the Common-council:

The accompanying proposition of D. D. S. Brown, Esq., offering to our city a tract of land for a public park, will doubtless be the means of continuing the discussion already opened in regard to this important question. That public parks are a great benefit to a community cannot be questioned; that they add largely to the value of property, as well as to the comfort and enjoyment of its people, is equally true; that Rochester should have a park fully in keeping with its many other attractions all will admit; but that we should increase our municipal debt and likewise taxation in order to provide the same, would at this time in my judgment, be unwarranted. Happily, the proposition made by Mr. Brown, does not contemplate this. It is a generous offer and must be so regarded. It has been my pleasure, with others, to look over the ground which the liberal-hearted gentleman offers to the city. It is pleasantly and conveniently located and is surrounded by other lands the owners of which, in one or more instances, I am led to believe, will follow his example and make similar donations. If this eventually leads to the establishment of a system of parks all situated in the outskirts of our city, and which shall without expense to the people, become their property, I think we can well afford to accept the same, with the understanding that a moderate yearly expenditure of money shall be made by the city, to beautify and improve them. I respectfully suggest that the subject matter of Mr. Brown's communication be referred to a special committee of your honorable board whose duty it shall be to examine into the same and make an early report.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS, mayor.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 4, 1883.

Hon. C. R. Parsons, Mayor, etc.:

MY DEAR SIR: Recognising the need of a public park for the city of Rochester, and willing to do my full share to that end, I hereby offer to the Common-council, through you, to deed to the city, for the object indicated, thirty acres of land upon the tract known as Lincoln park, situated two miles from the Powers block, just beyond the western boundary of the city, at the head of Maple street. The conditions of this gift are that the city shall within two years from the date of its acceptance, lay out the land as a park, to be forever known and distinguished as Lincoln park, planting shade trees, opening walks and drive-ways, and generally begin the improvement of the property for the purpose indicated, otherwise the land shall revert to me at the termination of the period mentioned. Trusting that this proposition will meet with a favorable response from the city authorities and that they will take the proper steps to secure from the legislature such power and control as are necessary in the premises, I am

Very respectfully yours,

D. D. S. BROWN.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Kelly moved that a committee of five be appointed to take into consideration the subject matter of the above communication and report to this Board. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—From the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 16, 1883. }

Gentlemen of the Common-council:

A few weeks ago my attention was called to the fact that Dr. H. D. Cogswell, philanthropist and capitalist, of San Francisco, was contemplating donating to several cities of the United States an ornamental and costly drinking fountain. Extremely anxious that our own beautiful city should not be forgotten, I took it upon myself to write Dr. Cogswell in relation to the matter, telling him of some of the advantages possessed by our city, suggesting that he should remember us, and in the event of a donation asking him to name the conditions of the same. In answer to my letter, I, in due time, received the following, which I hand

to you, suggesting that prompt and appropriate action be taken.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS,
Mayor.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10, 1883.

To His Honor, the Mayor of Rochester:

SIR: Yours of the 1st received and contents noted. You will see by printed letter, the terms on which I donate these fountains, which are limited in number, as are the cities to which they will be given. Brooklyn, N. Y., will have one in front of their city hall within a few weeks. Citizens of Albany have solicited one unofficially. San Francisco will have three; City of Oakland, one; San Jose, one. Abram M. Chesbrough, of Niagara Falls, also E. Haynes, who are here on a visit, the latter from Buffalo, N. Y., who desires to represent the city of Buffalo, and desires one for his city. I showed them the letter from his Honor the mayor of Rochester, and from the good opinion expressed by these gentlemen of your city and the people, I concluded to offer a fountain of the same kind as will be offered to Buffalo, and should you desire to see plans, photos, etc., you can write E. Haynes, of Buffalo, who will return home about June 1st.

You ask me to state by whom a site for location would be selected. This I should prefer your people to discuss and settle, as I am a stranger to your city. Only let me say that I desire it to be where it will accommodate the mass of the people, and to have an unobstructed view on all sides. And these lanterns and posts require a space 15x15 apart. When I receive official notice of acceptance according to the terms, I will immediately give an order to have the inscription cast upon the fountain, and shipped to order of your committee.

Yours truly,

H. D. COGSWELL.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Felsing—

Whereas, Dr. H. D. Cogswell, of San Francisco, has very generously proposed to present to the city of Rochester an elegant white bronze drinking fountain, which, will occupy, when erected, a ground space of five feet by eight feet, and which will be surmounted by a statue of the philanthropic donor, the whole structure standing sixteen feet in height; and

Whereas, The donation is made on the following conditions, to-wit: That the city shall purchase and erect four ornamental gas-lamps corresponding in design to the said fountain, and which are to be set at or adjacent to the four corners of the structure; also that the city shall prepare the foundation for the said fountain at its own expense and on plans submitted by the donor of the fountain, and also that the fountain shall at all times be free and accessible to the public, the patented cooler attached thereto to be supplied with ice during the summer months, and the whole to be properly protected from injury; therefore,

Resolved, That the Common-council, on behalf of the city of Rochester, N. Y., does hereby accept from Dr. H. D. Cogswell, of San Francisco, Cal., the white bronze drinking fountain, of the pattern indicated in the accompanying design and heretofore described, on the terms, also heretofore indicated, the same to be delivered to the city of Rochester N. Y., by him as a gift.

Resolved, That this Common-council, for and in behalf of the citizens of Rochester, hereby tenders to Dr. Cogswell its sincere thanks for the philanthropic and benevolent interest in his fellow men which has incited him to make this splendid and useful gift to our citizens.

Resolved, That the city property committee of the Common Council be and it is hereby authorized and directed to receive and receipt for said fountain upon its delivery in this city, and thereupon to cause the same to be carefully erected upon a suitable foundation and upon a site to be hereafter designated by this Common-council.

Resolved, That the city property committee be and it is hereby directed to purchase four gas lamps and posts similar to the design herewith

furnished, and erect the same at or near the corners of the aforementioned fountain when set.

Resolved, That the sum of \$700 is hereby appropriated for the purposes stated in these resolutions and the city property committee is hereby authorized to expend the said amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary for said purpose, the same to be paid out of the contingent fund.

Resolved, That when erected the said fountain shall be and remain under the control and supervision of the Common-council of the city of Rochester.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmeling—14.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Hinds—From the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 16, 1883

To the Members of the Common-council of the City of Rochester.

GENTLEMEN: On the 28th day of April, 1884, the legislature of this state passed an act incorporating the city of Rochester, and the same provided that on the first Monday of June following, certain city officers should be elected. The board of trustees of the village, at a meeting convened on the 20th day of May, in that year, adopted the following:

“Resolved, That notice be given of the city election for the first Monday of June next; that the election be held at the places in the several wards hereinafter designated, and that the persons hereinafter named be inspectors of elections for the said wards, respectively.”

It may be of interest for me to state that the polling places were fixed as follows:

First ward—Mansion House.

Second ward—Allen's inn, corner Brown and State sts.

Third ward—Rochester house.

Fourth ward—Genesee house, corner St. Paul and Court streets.

Fifth ward—Blossom's tavern.

On the 3d day of June, 1884, the board of trustees again assembled and the following action was taken:

The clerk produced the statements of election. The trustees proceeded to examine and calculate the same, and therefore made and signed a statement of the result of the said election held in the city of Rochester, certifying who were elected to the several offices of the said city. It was also ordered that the statements be filed with the county clerk; that he record the same, and that they be also published in the two daily papers of the city. The board then adjourned, sine die.”

The act of incorporation further provided, that the board of aldermen should meet at the court house at 12 o'clock m. on the 9th day of June of that year, for the purpose of electing a mayor and a clerk of the city. This was complied with. Nine of the ten members were present. Jonathan Child was elected mayor and John C. Nash, clerk. Ald. Brooks presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That Jonathan Child, having received eight of the nine votes given by the members of the common council present, is duly elected to the office of mayor of the city of Rochester, and that Aids. Backus and Kempshall be a committee to wait upon him and notify him of his election. The committee appointed to wait on the mayor elect having returned, reported that he accepted said office.

My object in calling your attention to the date of the city's incorporation, and the subsequent action of the village trustees and the newly elected aldermen, is to direct it to the fact that our first semi-centennial anniversary is rapidly approaching, and that the people of Rochester should join with its officials in a proper observance of the interesting event; and while the same is nearly a year hence, it is none too early to begin to consider what might

appropriately be done to make the day a memorable one in the history of Rochester. I therefore suggest that a committee of your honorable board and a committee of citizens (both forming a joint committee) be appointed, to take the matter into consideration and in due time make its report.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS,

Mayor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the President of the Board be and he is hereby requested to appoint a committee of five members of the Common Council and six citizens of Rochester to consider the propriety of celebrating the semi-centennial anniversary of the city of Rochester, said committee to report its conclusion to this Board at its earliest convenience. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds moved that the Mayor and President of the Board be added to the Committee.

By unanimous consent Ald. Jeffords submitted the following:

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the resolution directing the Mayor to enter into a contract with the Brush Electric Light Company, which resolution was adopted by the Common Council at the last regular meeting of this Board, which is found at page 110 of current proceedings, be and the same hereby is reconsidered. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Mayor and the City Attorney be and they hereby are directed to consult with the officers of the Brush Electric Light Company with reference to the forming of a contract to be entered into between the said company and the city of Rochester for the lighting of the streets of the city with electric light for the ensuing five years, and that the contract as prepared by them, which shall be substantially the same as the contract printed in the proceedings of this Board at page 109, be executed by the Mayor on behalf of the city. But, that any changes made, as aforesaid, shall be only such changes as shall be for the interest of the city.

Ald. Foley moved to table the resolution, and that action thereon be postponed until the second regular meeting.

Ald. Hinds moved to amend until the "next regular" meeting.

Accepted by Ald. Foley.

The motion of Ald. Foley was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead—9.

Nays—Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Felsing, Kelly, Simmelink—5.

Ald. Foley having unanimous consent submitted the following:

From the Executive Board:

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, June 13, 1893. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In the construction of the Olean and Hunter street sewer it is found necessary to cross private property on the south side of Hunter street between Olean street and the abandoned Genesee Valley Canal, in order to reach the outlet sewer.

The owner of the property, Eunice B. Lamberton, has enjoined the contractor, compelling the work to be stopped. Mrs. Lamberton demands that the city acquire right of way before proceeding with the work. In order to avoid a claim for damages by the contractor, this right of way should be at once obtained. The Executive Board would therefore respectfully ask your Hon. Body to authorize said Board to acquire the necessary right of way by purchase or otherwise.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Execu-

tive Board is hereby authorized to acquire right of way for the Hunter street sewer across the property of Eunice B. Lamberton, at the southeast corner of Olean and Hunter streets, and charge the expense thereof to the fund for the construction of "pipe sewer in Olean street and deepening the stone sewer in Hunter street," said expense not to exceed the sum of three hundred (\$300) dollars, and the costs of the action which has been commenced.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By consent of the Common Council Ald. Kelly submitted the following:

By Ald. Kelly—

Whereas, The Executive Board have awarded the contract for grading the approaches to Lyell avenue Lift bridge to E. R. Fox, and whereas, said contract provides for the reservation of all old materials on said street, and that they be carefully separated and piled up, each kind by itself at some point designated by the Executive Board, that it may be used in improving hereafter said approaches, and

Whereas, It is reported that said contractor, E. R. Fox, has sold a portion of such reserved materials to private parties for his own gain; therefore

Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to ascertain the amount of material taken from the approaches to the Lyell avenue Lift Bridge by the contractor E. R. Fox and by him sold to private parties for his own benefit, and to deduct the worth of said materials from said contractor's final estimate for grading the approaches to said Lyell avenue bridge and credit such amount to the fund for improving the said approaches.

Resolved, That the Executive Board be directed to notify the Rochester City & Brighton Railroad Co. to remove at the said company's own expense the material excavated by them for the purpose of laying street car tracks in Lyell avenue, to such place as the Executive Board may designate, said material to be used in the improvement of the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge; and in case such material is not removed as directed within reasonable time, then the Executive Board to remove the same and charge the expense thereof to said railroad Co.

Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Mrs. Ann Reed for permission to erect a wood building on Adams street.

Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of Orissa Simmons for permission to erect a wood building on Cambridge street.

Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

Ald. Jeffords obtained the consent of the Board to submit the following:

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Executive Board is hereby directed to place crosswalks in the following named places:

On Monroe avenue on the west side of Rowley street.

On Monroe avenue at Crothers place.

On Monroe avenue at Marshall street.

Adopted.

The President announced the following committee on Semi-Centennial Celebration:

Ald. Hinds, Watson, Strouss, Rice, Southard, Barron; Hon. C. R. Parsons, Patrick Barry, D. W. Powers, Gilman H. Perkins, H. H. Warner, William Purcell and Charles E. Fitch.

Committee to examine land tendered by D. D. S. Brown, Esq., to the city of Rochester for a public park;

Ald. Kelly, Pitkin, Felsing, Aikenhead, Foley.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, June 26th, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Hinds—1.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meetings, June 12th, 14th and 19th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Aid. Collins—Bills of

Post Express Printing Co., printing Treas. report.....	\$ 340 00
Sunday Morning Herald, Clerk's notice.....	3 60
T. J. Neville, disbursements.....	146 65
C. W. Carroll, serving redemption notices....	55 00
Dr. Hovey, medical services and testimony....	35 00
E. D. Smith, Jr., stenographers services.....	60 00
Assessors, extra clerk hire, St. Paul street straightening and widening and taking additional land, Mill to Water streets.....	250 00
S. W. Stott, serving notices.....	41 19
N. T. Hacksstaff, printing blanks, City Clerk..	14 25
John N. Beckley, disbursements in city cases, etc.....	547 18
John Quin, services in case Hooker vs. city....	18 00
Dr. B. L. Hovey, medical services in case of Hermance vs. city.....	25 00
Joshua G. Fisk, services in case of Hermance vs. city.....	15 00
Jerome Keyes, services in case of Hooker vs. city.....	20 00

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petition of Charlotte Wimple. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Also the petition of Wm. B. Morse & Co. for permission to erect wooden sheds on West ave. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

Ald. Strouss presented the petition of Louisa Kuefer. Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That in view of the recent decision of the court of appeals affecting the water works of this city, that all matters relating to the same and the interest of the city of Rochester therein are hereby referred to the water works committee of the Common Council and Executive Board. Also,

Resolved—That the consent of the Common Council of the city of Rochester as required by law, is hereby given to the Executive Board of said city to acquire by purchase or otherwise the title of all lands, waters, lakes, springs, ponds or streams or any easements therein according to the provisions of chapter 29 of the

laws of 1881, which it may deem necessary for the protection of the interests of said city in the water works thereof. The said proceedings to be taken with the advice and consent of the water works committee of the Common Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Aid. Jeffords—bills of	
Rochester Gas Company, lighting and care of lamps for June.....	\$1,677 45
Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care of lamps for June.....	2,422 76
J. W. Maser, lighting and care of oil lamps for June.....	1,068 84
Rochester Gas Co., resetting posts.....	27 90
Citizens Gas Co.,	21 67

Referred to the lamp committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition for a pipe sewer in Goodman street from Park avenue to Monroe avenue. Referred to the sewer committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petitions of Sarah A. King and Mary A. Gawne for permission to erect wood buildings on Alexander and William streets and moved that permission be granted. Adopted

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of John F. Montgomery in relation to judgments against him held by the city. Referred to the law committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Edwin Taylor. Referred to the law committee.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of W. D. Brooks for permission to erect a wood building on Phelps avenue, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the wood building committee and Fire Marshal.

Adopted.

By Aid. Pitkin—bills of

Bell Telephone Co., telephone police headquarters.....	\$ 30 00
Foster & Hennigan repairs, police headquarters.....	18 68
Mensing & Stecker letter heads for chief.....	14 50
C. E. Morse, blank books and stationery.....	45 50

Referred to the finance committee for payment.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of W. C. Gray for permission to erect a barn and carriage house on Saxton street and John Leary to erect a wood building on Bolivar street and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Aid. Felsing—Bills of

James Laney & Co., paper.....	\$29 48
P. Joyce, burials.....	24 00
Wm. Coughlin, rent.....	5 75
Wm. Knight, rent.....	10 50
Samuel Doubelless, groceries.....	2 50
Peter Kleinhaus, meat.....	26 00
J. McDonald, meat.....	28 00
Home of Industry, bread.....	69 16
Mensing & Stecker, blank licences.....	40 00
N. Hacksstaff, printing.....	20 25
F. J. Amsden, transportation.....	21 54
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	31 64

Referred to the Poor Committee.

By Ald. Rice—Bills of

Union & Advertiser, printing monthly report	\$24 00
M. Heavy, board of horse.....	20 60
John Becker, removing dead animals.....	75 50
J. Rauber, collecting garbage, June.....	104 50
P. Bradley,	209 00
David Hickey,	289 00
H. F. Van Dake, Supt.	77 00

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of Fred-

rika Hoard for permission to erect a wood building on Mount Hope avenue and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Southard presented a petition for a pipe sewer in Huntington street.

Referred to the Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Southard presented a petition for water in Huntington street.

Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Also a petition for Electric lights on Cliff st.

Referred to the Lamp Committee.
By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

H. D. Blackwood, painting Ex. Board rooms	\$174 95
Geo. H. Nicholson, painting &c., city offices	410 25
C. W. Ashman, soap	4 00
Smith, Perkins & Co. soap	2 25
W. G. Martens, repairing clock Clerk's office	4 00
Geo. Stritt, repairing clock, Mayor's office	1 50
Fee Bros., alcohol	3 00
M. Mutchler & Son, cuspadores	55 20

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for a pipe sewer in Maple street. Referred to the city surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of George Cox for permission to erect a wood building on Hawthorn street. Permission was granted under the direction of the fire marshal.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for a pipe sewer in Maria street. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented the claim of John Strief for alleged damages. Referred to the Law Committee.

Also, a petition for water mains in Cambridge street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of the Rochester City & Brighton Railroad Company for permission to erect a car house and stables on the corner of North avenue and Clifford street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Foley, from the Wood Building Committee, reported favorably on the petitions of Ann Reed, Mrs. M. B. Simmons and John G. Grab, and moved that the prayer of their petitions be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee; Ald. Felsing, from the Poor Committee; Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp Committee; Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee, reported favorably on the bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:—

GENTLEMEN—Your Lamp Committee in response to an advertisement for proposals for furnishing gas, lighting, extinguishing, care, cleaning, repair, etc., of the public gas lamps, have received the following propositions:

OFFICE OF THE ROCHESTER GAS LIGHT CO., }
June 22, 1883. }

GENTLEMEN—This company will furnish gas, etc., as called for by the annexed printed notice, for the portion of the city west of the east bank of the river, within the district occupied by our mains, at the following prices per lamp for the year: If the number of lamps exceed 1,000, at \$25; (the present number is a little over 1,000) if the number is between 900 and 1000, at \$26; if between 800 and 900, at \$27, and at the same rate of increase in case of any less number. If this company shall have the exclusive right of lighting all the public streets and places on the west side of the river within the reach of our gas mains, (no other light being used in the district occupied by our

gas mains) we will furnish gas, etc., for the year, at \$20 per lamp, or 5½ cents per lamp per night. The candle power to be not less than fifteen and the burners, as now, to consume three and a half feet per hour. For any increase in the size of the burners the price will be proportionately greater.

Yours Respectfully,
P. BARRY, President.

To the Lamp Committee of the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

The Citizens' Gas Company, in response to your advertisement for proposals for lighting streets with gas for the ensuing year—July 1, 1883. July 1, 1884—hereby offer to supply with gas all the gas lamps on the east side of the river on the lines of the mains of this company, to light, extinguish, clean and keep the same in repair as under present contract, for twenty five dollars per lamp per annum, burners and candle power as heretofore.

THE CITIZENS' GAS COMPANY,
By WM. H. WARD, Secretary.
Rochester, June 22, 1883.
MUNICIPAL GAS LIGHT COMPANY,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 23d, 1883. }

To the Honorable Chairman and Associate Members of the Lamp Committee of the City Council of Rochester, N. Y.:

GENTLEMEN—The Municipal Gas Light Company of the city of Rochester hereby proposes to light, extinguish and care for, in accordance with the advertised request of your honorable body the 23d, twenty-three lamps now being supplied by this company, to furnish said lamps with gas of twenty (20) candle power (bar test) through a burner or burners consuming (4) four cubic feet of gas per hour from say the (1st) first day of July 1883 until the (1st) first day of July 1884, for the sum or price of (\$25) twenty-five dollars per lamp, payments to be made monthly.

Your Ob't serv't
JNO. P. SCHOFIELD,
For the Gas Light Co.

In connection with the above your committee deem it proper to call your attention to the following statement of facts bearing upon the advisability of making contracts for lighting the streets with gas.

Since the adoption of the present system of lighting, that is all night and every night the prices paid have been as follows:

In 1882 the price paid for the west side of the river was \$15 per lamp per year. For the east side \$18 per lamp per year.

In 1883 the price paid for all the lamps was \$20 per lamp per year.

The propositions herewith submitted, as your honorable body will note, will call for an advance of \$5 per lamp per year over the price paid under the contract for the current year, and an advance of from 40 to 65 per cent over the price paid last year. Your committee deem it advisable that no contract for the term of a year be at this time made at the prices stated, but that your committee be instructed to procure light from month to month at the lowest possible price, until some satisfactory arrangement can be effected, and that the Lamp Committee be directed to investigate the several methods of street lighting in use in different cities, the expense thereof, and report the result of their investigations to this Board.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
Lamp Committee.

On motion of Ald. Jeffords the report was adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:

Your Lamp Committee, to whom was referred the resolution directing the placing of electric lights on East avenue, report favorably thereon and recommend that the Mayor be directed to include East avenue, from East Main street to Goodman street, in the contract with the Brush Electric Light Company when such contract is executed; said lights to be erected upon arches or other device such as may be approved by the Lamp Committee, so that said lights will illuminate from the centre of the street.

C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer:

To the Honorable the Common Council

GENTLEMEN: Your Law Committee, to which were referred the various matters hereinafter mentioned, hereby report:

The heirs of Elizabeth M. Newell claim that the assessment upon their property situated on South St. Paul street, of \$922.86, was erroneously assessed. It appears that the property was assessed for the im-

improvement of South St. Paul street and for the construction of St. Paul street sewer to William H. Cheney, but that said Cheney has not owned said property since 1881. It is claimed that the necessary formalities with reference to the assessment of said property upon the owners, and with reference to the giving of the notice required by the Charter, were not complied with. Some other informalities and irregularities are alleged which would probably render the collection of the assessment aforesaid doubtful. The owners of said property, which is known as lots 25 and 26 of Johnson & Seymour Tract, Fourth Ward, offer to pay the amount originally assessed as aforesaid in full of the assessment for the improvement and the sewer aforesaid, and for the general city taxes for 1881. Your committee, in view of the facts appearing on the hearing before it, hereby recommend that the said amount, namely, \$222.86, be received in full for said improvement and for the sewer and for the general city taxes for 1881.

Emily Clark claims that by reason of the fact that Edward street in front of her premises has no sewer, and by reason of the fact that the said street has not been extended to Vose street, the two lots owned by her fronting on Edward street are not properly drained, in consequence of which the water in the said street and upon her said lots. She claims further that the city is liable to her in damages by reason of the effect produced upon her health by such stagnant water. Your committee is of the opinion that there is no liability against the city, and therefore report adversely that the payment of her alleged claim.

H. C. Webster & Company present a claim for \$986.18. It appears from the allegations made before your committee that said firm took the contract for the construction of Genesee street sewer; that said firm upon their settlement with the Executive Board were charged by said board with the value of the rock unnecessarily excavated by them and sold, and with the amount paid to an inspector of the work at the time when, under the terms of the contract, the sewer should have been completed. Your committee is convinced that the claim made by the Executive Board is a just and proper one, and that the matters relating to contracts entered into under ordinances should rest in the judgment and discretion of the Executive Board, and that the Law Committee and the Common Council should have nothing to do with reference to matters relating to such contracts.

William Kavanagh claims that on the night of April 10th, 1883, while driving westward across Genesee Valley canal bridge, by reason of the alleged unlawful or improper construction of such bridge, and by reason of there being no light in the vicinity, he was thrown from the carriage over the railing, into the sewer then in process of construction in the prism of the canal. After a careful investigation, your committee is of the opinion that the city is not liable in the premises.

It is claimed by Susan E. Pulver that her son Frank Pulver received injuries on the 3d day of July, 1882, while walking on the south side of Clarissa street between the bridge over the Genesee river and the bridge over the Erie railway. It is alleged that the injury was caused by the weakness of the barrier erected at that point, which barrier gave way while the said Frank Pulver was leaning against the same. Your committee believes the city is not liable on account of said accident, and therefore reports adversely as to said claim.

GEORGE W. ARCHER,
AMON BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive from the heirs of Esther M. Newell the sum of \$922.86, in full of assessments for the South St. Paul street improvement, South St. Paul street sewer and the general city taxes for 1881, on lots Nos. 25 and 26, Johnson and Seymour tract, fourth ward, assessed against William H. Cheney and charge balance of said assessments and general city tax to Erroneous Assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Assessment Committee, to whom was referred the petitions of the persons herein mentioned, respectfully report adversely on the petitions of Thomas Dransfield, Martha J. Reynolds and George G. Clarkson. As to other petitioners, your Committee submits the accompanying resolutions and recommend the adoption thereof.

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,

J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the treasurer be authorized to receive of M. D. Edmunds the amount of the general city tax for 1868 as appears on the sales register without interest on lot 50 Manhattan tract, James street, assessed to P. McCormick and cancel said tax. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the heirs of Mary J. Thomas be allowed to pay the amount of the assessments for Clifford street widening and Clifford street walk as appears on the sales register with interest at 7 per cent. per annum on lots 3, 7 and 36 of the Davis and Whitney tract, Clifford street, assessed to Charles A. Davis. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, George H. Powell is erroneously assessed for 41 feet on Hamilton place for Hamilton place pipe sewer the actual frontage being 32 feet, therefore

Resolved—That the treasurer be directed to receive \$31.79 (less discount if paid prior to becoming due) in payment of said assessment and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot 10, Hamilton subdivision, south side Grand street, 12th ward, assessed to Mary Becker, was taken by commission for the extension of Mount Vernon avenue in 1868, and

Whereas, said lot was continued on the general tax rolls of 1870, a copy of which was furnished to the County Treasurer by the City Assessors as required by law for the collection of the general state and county tax of 1870, and

Whereas, Said lot was subsequently sold for said tax to the county of Monroe, therefore

Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of A. McVeau, County Treasurer, for \$12.20, the amount of said tax and expenses upon the execution of a proper release of said lot from the lien of said tax and charge Erroneous Assessments.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelin—15.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 26, 1883.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JUNE, 1883.	
Cornelius H. Parsons, Mayor.....	\$250 00
Ambrose C. McGlavin, Treasurer.....	875 00
H. F. McGlavin, assistant.....	166 66
John Tracy, clerk.....	100 00
Frank Kondolf, clerk.....	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	75 00
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	166 67
Francis J. Warren, City Messenger.....	100 00
Chas. M. Beattie, assistant.....	50 00
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 33
John Gorton, City Assessor.....	208 33
Wm. Maher,	208 33
V. Fleckenstein,	208 32
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warwin,	100 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	75 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. W. Rade,	75 00
Ambrose Redman,	50 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	70 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney.....	250 00

John M. Winslow, milk inspector.....	66 66
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevated tracks....	140 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	70 00
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's Office.....	45 00
Freeman M. Melville, numbering streets.....	75 00
Alfred Weedd.....	75 00
Fred A. DeLee.....	75 00
Geo. Belknap.....	75 00
Wm. M. Rebaz, Jr., draughtsmaan.....	89 00
Harry J. Jeffords, clerk.....	25 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Union and Advertiser, publishing proceedings to July 1st, 1883.....	825 00
Post Express Printing Co., publishing proceedings to July 1st, 1883.....	562 50
Rochester Printing Co., publishing proceedings to July 1st, 1883.....	562 50
Rochester Herald Publishing Co., publishing city notices to July 1st, 1883.....	250 00
German Printing Co., publishing city notices to July 1st, 1883.....	250 00
Rochester Volksblatt, publishing city notices to July 1st, 1883.....	180 00
Union and Advertiser Co. blanks for Treasurer and Attorney.....	238 00
Union and Advertiser Co., blanks for Surveyor.....	98 50
John C. Mang, binding and printing.....	126 99
W. Carroll serving redemption notices.....	64 00
John P. Smith, printing and binding for Assessors.....	234 00
Mensing & Stecher, printing for Surveyor.....	8 00
James Butler, hack hire (2 bills).....	6 50
J. F. O'Neil, printing blanks.....	4 00
B. L. Shelton, C. C.unch, June 26th, \$15.00; June 19th, \$4.30.....	19 30
F. N. Lord, City Clerk, disbursements.....	14 92
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JUNE, 1883.

N. Thompson, overseer.....	\$ 141 66
J. H. McGreer, Clerk.....	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk.....	75 00
Geo. Hartel, Clerk.....	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk.....	75 00
Dr. J. J. A. Burke, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. A. L. Fery, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Thos Spencer, City Physician.....	50 00
D. Henry Koch, City Physician.....	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner.....	75 00
C. Herzberger.....	75 00
James P. Evans.....	75 00
Maurice Mownihan, clerk.....	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	\$ 229 08
Fleckenstein Bros., bread.....	267 16
Geo. Opper, bread.....	21 08
Anthony Ehal, groceries.....	18 00
S. Wheeler, rent.....	12 00
Mary Weist, rent.....	8 00
S. M. Stewart, repairing ambulance.....	2 75
F. J. Amnden, transportation.....	7 38
Committee's disbursements, expenses, &c.....	75 00
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JUNE, 1883.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer.....	\$ 75 00
Geo. Messmer, Register.....	66 66
John M. Harder, Inspector.....	50 00
Otho Griswold, Inspector.....	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Schuey, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Heimold, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	58 38
Thos. Plunkett, sewer flusher.....	50 00
Joseph Thonet, Inspector.....	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector.....	50 00
Messenger.....	38 38

MISCELLANEOUS.

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage for June.....	\$209 00
P. Bradley.....	209 00
Jacob Rauber.....	104 50
H. F. Van Dake, superintending collecting garbage for June.....	77 00
John Becker, removing dead animals.....	75 50
M. Heavey, board of horse for June.....	20 00
Union and Advertiser, printing.....	24 00
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

MISCELLANEOUS.

W. Williamson, labor and material, clerk's office.....	\$261 77
A. K. Tower & Co., papering, clerk's office.....	153 81
curtains.....	14 10

C. H. Carroll, curtains, fringes, &c., clerk's office.....	208 02
Municipal Gas Co., gas, city buildings.....	139 68
Charles Little, labor and material.....	8 35
setting posts.....	41 25
And charge that fund.	83 00

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting for May.....	\$1,028 70
Municipal Gas Co., lighting Goodman st.....	32 58
setting posts.....	41 25
N. H. Galusha, lamp posts.....	15 40
J. W. Maser, lighting kerosene lamps for June 1, 1883.....	1,028 84
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

MISCELLANEOUS.

B. Frank Enos, expenses for May.....	\$ 98 85
J. F. O'Neil, printing blanks.....	5 50
And charge that fund.	

PARK FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JUNE, 1883.

John Sheridan.....	\$ 50 00
John McCruden.....	50 00
John Bailey.....	50 00
Timothy Corcoran.....	50 00
David Cooper.....	50 00
Michael McCluskey.....	50 00
Louis Haag.....	50 00
Timothy Casey.....	50 00
John Kannelly.....	50 00
James Dalton.....	50 00
Jacob Jump, 18 days.....	36 00
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
Offices, City Hall, June 25, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited and examined and by this Board, are hereby referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
Offices, City Hall, June 25, 1883. }

FINANCE BUDGET.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holley, salary for June.....	\$268 33
Samuel B. Willtams, salary for June.....	208 83
George W. Aldridge.....	208 84
Union & Advertiser Co., blanks.....	24 50

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Weekly pay roll, June 14.....	\$63 48
June 21.....	266 11
Geo. W. Taft, "Champion" road machine.....	250 00
Geo. Miller, gravel.....	23 60
Joseph Flint, repairing saws.....	7 20
J. Emory Jones, horse roller.....	26 65
J. Emory Jones, work and material at Allen street bridge.....	2,476 60
J. B. West, work at bridges, Allen street and Lyell avenue.....	111 71
A. Aller, N. Y., check valves for Lyell avenue bridge.....	31 25
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, material and labor.....	462 16
John P. Whitley, insp. Vincent place bridge.....	10 00
	\$8,828 71

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, June 21.....	\$126 48
June 28.....	126 48
Hornellsville water company, bill pipe.....	\$1,621 31
Behr & Steiner, bill lead.....	1,144 28
E. H. Cook & Co., bill lead.....	66 29
Ludlow Valve Manfg Co., bill valves.....	1,066 44
Geo. B. Harris, freight, valves.....	20 65
Geo. B. Harris, freight, pipe and lead.....	116 85
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	7 05
Rureka's Heating Co., castings etc.....	52 31
Howe & Snyder, W. L. pipe and material.....	140 97
J. H. Decker & Co., est. trenching, gr. 76.....	160 00
J. H. Decker & Co., est. pipe laying, gr. 76.....	69 00
N. L. Brayer, estimate No. 1, gr. 77.....	259 60
J. H. Decker & Co., estimate trenching gr. 74.....	180 00
J. H. Decker & Co., estimate pipe laying, gr. 74.....	70 00
William Dyer, estimate No. 4, gr. 74.....	200 00
Thos J. Neville, Clerk, expenses.....	20 15
	\$5,389 76

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly payroll, June 21, op. expense.....	\$545 63
June 21, service and re-.....	

pairs.....	425 75
Weekly payroll, June 28, op. expenses.	520 43
28, service and re-	
pairs.....	449 75
Union & Advertiser Co. printing etc.	91 80
Thomas J. Neville, Clerk, office expenses.....	22 83
B. F. Harris, rent of stable.....	20 00
German Brick and Tile Co., brick.....	54 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinius, material and labor.....	235 75
Howe & Snyder, pipe and fittings.....	10 34
W. H. Plant, horse, wagon, harness &c.....	250 00
Eureka Steam Heating Co., castings etc.....	104 64
E. H. Cook & Co., pipe and fittings.....	15 41
G. F. Schilling, coal.....	59 04
Samual Moutson, soap.....	3 00
M. S. Delano, work at D. Reservoir, 2 bills.....	175 00
William Mathews, moving house.....	800 00
John Coyne, services, C. Line.....	85 00
Geo. B. Harris disbursements.....	26 82
Gauhn & Bassett, pipe and fittings.....	68 39
C. R. Flanagan, expenses, telegraph line.....	15 00

\$971 88

Exchange st; O 2434.....	76 00
East Main st; O 2436.....	117 00
Gibbs st; O 2481.....	11 00— 311 00

John Duran—Estimates

Clinton st: Sec. 1; O 2443.....	\$ 90 00
North av; Sec. 1; O 2459.....	70 00
University av; Sec. 1; 2461.....	26 00
Solo st; O 2469.....	18 00
Clinton st; Sec. 2; O 2476.....	90 00
Atwater st; O 2477.....	47 00
Hudson st; O 2479.....	62 00
Elm st; O 2480.....	16 00
Andrews st; O 2483.....	42 00
Franklin pk; O 2488.....	6 00
Clinton pl; O 2489.....	80 00
Cour st; O 2492.....	32 00
Franklin st; O 2498.....	8 00
N. St. Paul st, Sec 2; O 2502.....	62 00— 596 00

Geo. Bantel & Son—Estimates.

State street; O 2,427.....	\$114 00
S. St. Paul st and S. av; O 2438.....	77 00
South Fitzhugh st; O 2440.....	48 00
Lake av; O 2441.....	184 00
Mill st; O 2442.....	70 00
South av, sec 1; O 2444.....	60 00
South Washington st; O 2449.....	23 00
Plymouth av; O 2449.....	68 00
Allen st; O 2450.....	75 00
Troup st; O 2451.....	38 00
North Washington st; O 2452.....	24 00
Spring st; O 2453.....	42 00
Sophia st; O 2454.....	28 00
North Fitzhugh st; O 2455.....	25 00
North Water st; O 2456.....	47 00
Mt Hope av, sec 1; O 2457.....	68 00
Jones av; O 2458.....	69 00
South av; O 2478.....	27 00
Kent st; O 2482.....	45 00
Jay st; O 2487.....	38 00
Vincent place; O 2490.....	13 00
Tremont st; O 2491.....	15 00
Front st; O 2494.....	18 06
Jones st; O 2495.....	24 00
Ford st; O 2496.....	30 00
Howell st; O 2500.....	18 00—\$1,259 00

Estate John C. Mason—Estimates.

South Fitzhugh st. O 2440.....	25 61
South Washington st; O 2448.....	13 30
Spring st; O 2453.....	21 88 \$60 79
Water Works Department—Water used for Sprinkling.....	
South Fitzhugh st; O 2440.....	10 60
South Washington st; O 2448.....	3 73
Spring st; O 2453.....	9 05 \$22 81
	\$2,810 60

Adopted by the following vote:

Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Arcner, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Mayor:

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 26, 1888.

Gentlemen of the Common Council:
Immediately after your acceptance of the drinking fountain kindly donated to our city by Dr. Cogswell of San Francisco, I communicated the fact to him and yesterday received the accompanying notification. I trust your Board may make an early selection of a site for the location of this costly and useful gift.
CORNELIUS H. FARSONS,
Mayor.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., June 23, 1888.

To the Mayor of Rochester, Rochester, N. Y.:
DEAR SIR: We are this morning in receipt of a telegram from Dr. Cogswell notifying us that he has donated your city one of his drinking fountains made by us, stating that the inscription for the same is in the mail and to notify you of the fact. We shall be ready to ship the fountain within two to three weeks after the receipt of the inscription, therefore it will be necessary for you to see that the foundation is properly prepared from specifications and drawings furnished by the Doctor. Should you not be ready, please notify us of the fact before we ship as we are very busy on other work and can use our time for those that are ready.
Respectfully yours,
THE MONUMENTAL BRONZE CO.
W. O. CORNING, Treasurer.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Monthly payroll, payable June 30.....	\$3,384 34
La France Fire Engine Co., one Hayes extension ladder and fire escape.....	3,500 00
Charles B. Pratt, repairs H. & L. house.....	123 10
A. Drinkwater, veterinary services.....	16 50
Alert Hose Co., appropriation.....	375 00
Active Hose Co., appropriation.....	208 24
Protectives, appropriation.....	400 00
Smith & Oberst, stoves and repairs.....	5 15
Union and Advertiser, printing.....	21 00
Municipal Gas Co., gas bills.....	24 40
F. E. Handy, labor, fire Tel. 2 bills.....	26 00
John Walsh, pipe and labor.....	6 70
Utica F. A. Telegraph Co., signal box No. 91.....	125 00
Geo. B. Harris, freight, cartages, etc.....	9 82
T. J. Neville, Clerk, expenses.....	15 83

\$8,191 20

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

Porter W. Taylor, inspecting, (2 bills) Monroe avenue outlet sewer.....	\$ 27 50
J. A. Adams, inspecting Pleasant street pipe sewer.....	90 00
Joseph Qualtrough, cross walks, extra work. Child street plank walk.....	32 17
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinius, flax well cover.....	\$12 60
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinius, Cement for concrete.....	13 50
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinius, Genesee Valley Canal sewer.....	26 10
Street Department, stakes and expenses: Thomas park walk.....	\$1 50
Child street walk.....	3 75
Hamilton place walk.....	57

Estimates.

Joseph Qualtrough, final estimate, Thomas park walk.....	114 84
Joseph Qualtrough, final estimate, Child street plank walk.....	400 74
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinius, final estimate, Hamilton place walk.....	80 48
Alden & Lassig, estimate No. 1, Central avenue bridge.....	6,000 00
F. C. Lauer, estimate No. 1, Church street improvement.....	6,000 00
Pittsburgh Bridge Co., estimate No. 3, Lyell Avenue bridge.....	2,500 00
A. C. Bowen, estimate No. 1, Monroe avenue outlet sewer.....	900 00
E. Y. McConnell, estimate No. 1, Pleasant street pipe sewer.....	150 00

\$13,667 60

SPRINKLING STREETS.

J. J. Weilert—Estimates.

Goodman st; O 2429.....	\$ 67 00
East av; Sec. 2; O 2431.....	100 00—167 00
A. W. Turnbull—Estimates.	
Meigs st; O 2428.....	\$ 43 00
East av; Sec. 1; O 2430.....	100 00
Chestnut st; O 2437.....	39 00
South Union st; O 2439.....	82 00
Park av; O 2445.....	47 00
Rowley st; O 2446.....	28 00
Monroe av; O 2447.....	102 00—391 00
Sanford D. Pierce—Estimates.	
Mt. Hope av; Sec. 2; O 2426.....	\$ 60 00
Prince st; O 2432.....	47 00

Ald. Collins moved that a committee of five be appointed to select a site for the fountain, as recommended by the Mayor. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BOARD—WATER DEPARTMENT,
ENGINEER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 25, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The Executive Board respectfully invites your Honorable Body to be present at a public exhibition of the operations of the new extension ladder, which will be given in front of the Court House building on Wednesday evening, June 27th, at 7½ o'clock.

Respectfully,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.
Ordered received, filed and published, and invitation accepted.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, June 21st, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—That portion of Mt. Hope avenue extending from near the entrance of Mt. Hope Cemetery to Highland avenue should be improved. Every rain storm of any magnitude brings quantities of sand and gravel from the hill portion of the street, causing obstructions in the main and lateral sewers and gutters in that portion adjacent to the hill, which is now improved. The residents and property owners affected thereby complain that an intolerable nuisance is created in consequence. The Executive Board would therefore respectfully recommend that an ordinance be passed for improving said street by setting Medina stone curbs and gutters, laying a McAdam roadbed and constructing suitable sidewalks.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.
Ordered received, filed and published.

OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 26, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In pursuance of sundry ordinances passed by you, the Executive Board has attempted to open the street ordained to be opened from Mill street to Water street and for the construction of a wrought iron bridge, with stone abutments and piers, across the Genesee river in the lines of said street. Jas. M. Whitney and the Hydraulic Race Co.—owners of property to be occupied by said street and bridge, refuse to give the contractors for the erection of the masonry, permission to enter upon their property until the question of damages is settled. Said contractors demand possession of such portion of the property of said parties as may be necessary to prosecute the work contemplated in their contract with the city. Immediate steps should be taken to secure possession of the premises in question, in order to complete the work the present season. The Executive Board reports the matter that you may take such action as may be deemed advisable.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received filed and published.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, June 26, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In compliance with a resolution of your Honorable Body, the Executive Board has conferred with such of the property owners or their agents interested in the widening of North St. Paul street as can be reached, with the following results, to wit:

Ellen E. Bromley, 67 feet front; gives no price.	
H. H. Warner, cor. Mortimer st., 99 feet front.	\$1,000
W. B. Duffy, 66 feet front.	800
Grace Church, 76 feet front.	350
H. H. Warner, cor. Pleasant st., 140 feet front.	1,050
Rosenthal & Kerngood, 132 feet front.	1,000
Heirs N. B. Northrop, 66 feet front; no price given.	
Mary E. Briggs, 66 feet front.	2,000
H. Tichner, 92½ feet front.	1,000
R. D. Sproull and wife, 72½ feet front.	2,500
Reformed Presbyterian Church, 75 feet front.	11,550
Joanna Sturlau, 26 feet front.	2,000
Rochester Gas Light Co., 280½ feet front.	3,000
Mary E. Jones, 22 feet front.	1,000

Mrs. Northrop is in Europe and nothing certain can be learned as to her property, although E. Harris, attorney for the heirs, thought that \$2,000 would be accepted. Mrs. Bromley gives no price for the reason that, having tenants, she has not been able to learn what terms can be made with them.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered, received, filed and published.

Office of the EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, June 26, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Executive Board, in compliance with your resolution, notified the several owners of property whose land it is proposed to take for the extension of Syke street, and only from two were propositions received; and the amount asked was so large that it was deemed useless to attempt to procure these land by negotiation. This board, therefore, respectfully suggests that if the extension of Syke street is to be undertaken, the only way to purchase the lands and determine upon a fair price is through a commission, appointed in accordance with the provisions of the charter.

Respectfully,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.
Ordered received, filed and published.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, STREET DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE, CITY HALL,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 26, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The accompanying communication and notice from J. E. Pierpont, of the Hydraulic Company, has been served upon the Executive Board, and is transmitted to your honorable body with the recommendation that an ordinance be passed to carry the outlet sewer in question, by tunnel or otherwise, under said race to the open channel of the river beyond the race wall.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

To the Executive Board of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The Atwater and River street sewers empty into the race belonging to the property of the undersigned. The race wall on which is carried the main shafting has been seriously impaired in consequence and the race itself is being filled with foul matter, occupying space and injuring machinery. I am informed that the attention of the authorities has been repeatedly called to the fact.

Please take notice that the owners will hold the city responsible for damages which have already occurred and which may hereafter result therefrom.

Very respectfully,
J. E. PIERPONT,
Hydraulic Buildings, Rochester, June 26, 1883.

Ordered received, filed and published, and referred to the City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER,
OFFICES, CITY HALL, June 27th, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Executive Board having made a settlement with the owner of property through which it is proposed to construct Olean and Hunter street sewer, would recommend that your honorable body adopt a resolution authorizing the Treasurer to pay Eunice B. Lamberton \$353, conditioned that the right of way is given through the land to the city of Rochester for the purposes of constructing and maintaining a sewer.

Respectfully,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk,

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be authorized to pay to Eunice B. Lamberton the sum of three hundred and fifty-three dollars (\$353) on condition that said Eunice B. Lamberton execute to the city of Rochester a right of way across her land on Hunter street for the purposes of constructing and maintaining the Olean and Hunter street sewer, and the City Treasurer is hereby instructed to charge said amount to Olean and Hunter street sewer fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the report of the Executive Board in relation to the construction and removal of dams in the Genesee Valley Canal, be received, filed and published, and that the City Clerk be directed to draw orders as follows, and charge Contingent Fund:

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, May 24th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In obedience to sundry resolutions passed by your Honorable Body at special meetings held April 23rd and 30th last the Executive Board constructed two dams across the prism of the abandoned Genesee Valley Canal, one at or near the junction of said canal with the Erie canal, the other at or near the south end of Ohio Basin, so called, and in accordance with the resolution of the latter date, a portion of the one at the junction has been removed. The following bills for labor and materials have been contracted therefor, and are respectfully reported to you for adjustment. The Executive Board has no fund from which it can settle the same without your direction. Said Board would therefore recommend that the City Clerk be directed to draw orders upon the City Treasurer in favor of the parties hereinafter named, and for the sums set opposite their names severally and charge the same to Contingent Fund:

Executive Board, (Highway Fund).....	\$5 6 90
Chase & Myers, lumber.....	21 30
Chase & Otis, lumber.....	103 80
W. B. Morse & Co., lumber.....	28 52
Jas. H. Nellis, lumber.....	281 85
H. Kolmitz & Son, iron work.....	3 53
H. A. Kingsley & Co., nails and spikes.....	16 85
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, cement and sand.....	25 05
Rochester & Pittsburg RR. Co., labor.....	175 21
George E. Fisher, clay.....	7 50
N. R. Foster, foreman, labor.....	5 40
Executive Board, one load of manure.....	1 00
James W. Breakey, meals for policemen.....	8 25

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the report of the Executive Board in relation to the construction and removal of dams in the Genesee Valley Canal, be received, filed and published, and that the City Clerk be directed to draw orders as follows, and charge Contingent Fund:

In favor of Executive Board, Highway Fund..	\$506 90
Chase & Myers, lumber.....	21 30
Chase & Otis, lumber.....	103 80
W. B. Morse & Co., lumber.....	28 52
Jas. H. Nellis, lumber.....	281 85
H. Kolmitz & Son, iron work.....	3 53
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Executive Board, one load of manure.....	1 00
James W. Breakey, meals for policemen.....	8 25

Ald. Foley moved that the item in favor of the Rochester & Pittsburgh Railroad Co. for labor be stricken out.

Lost by the following vote.

Ayes—Ald. Foley, Feisinger—2.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

The resolution was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Feisinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

From the Board of Education—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The following, I hereby certify, is a true copy from the minutes in Board of Education June 12th, 1883. S. A. ELLIS, Clerk.

By Com. Vick—Whereas, No. 22 school building, located on the west side of St. Joseph street, Sixteenth ward, is not insured; therefore

Resolved, That the matter be referred to the Common Council, with the request that an insurance of about \$2,000 be placed upon the building and \$200 upon the furniture and fixtures contained therein. Adopted.

Referred to the City Property Committee. From the City Attorney--

To the Hon. The Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I deem it my duty to state to your honorable body the result of the trials had at the last Circuit in which the City of Rochester is a party.

The first trial was an action brought by Elizabeth Holcomb against the City of Rochester to recover ten

thousand (\$10,000) dollars damages for personal injuries alleged to have been caused by the condition of the walk over Deep Hollow on Glenwood avenue. It was alleged that Mrs. Holcomb in passing along this walk in the night time fell from the same down the bank by reason of there being no barriers erected along the line of the walk at the point named. The verdict was in favor of the defendant.

The second case tried was that of Edgar Hermance against the City of Rochester. It will be remembered that this case had been tried three times before, twice by the late City Attorney Mr. Fanning, and once by myself, the jury disagreeing on each trial. The action was brought to recover damages received by the plaintiff in January, 1879, by reason of there being a pitch-hole in a snow drift on East avenue in which the plaintiff was thrown. On the fourth trial the jury was composed of ten members from the towns and two from the city. The verdict of the jury was against the plaintiff.

The third case tried was an action brought by James H. Hooker against the city of Rochester to recover twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars damages. The cause of action was based upon the fact that the North Avenue Outlet Sewer, draining nearly six hundred acres of territory within the city of Rochester into the stream which runs through the plaintiff's farm in the town of Irondequoit. The farm in question is located next to the city line and consists of 145 acres of land. It was shown on the trial that the said stream was originally, and before the construction of the sewer, a running stream of pure water. The Court charged as a matter of law that the City was liable in damage if by reason of the opening of its sewer into the stream the water of the stream was polluted. The jury, after a trial occupying about three days, found a verdict of six hundred (\$600) dollars in favor of the plaintiff. I have obtained a stay of sixty days, and shall, if not otherwise instructed, take the case upon questions of law to the General Term. In this connection I regard it as proper to state that some action should be taken by your Honorable body with reference to the acquiring of right of way across lands in the town of Irondequoit through which the stream aforesaid runs, as has been done with reference to the Court and William street outlet. If the Judge before whom this case was tried correctly lays down the law then the city is liable to pay such damages as the people through whose lands said stream runs can establish by reason of the said outlet sewer. I believe that for a comparatively small amount such right of way can be obtained, and I would suggest to your Honorable body that a committee of the Common Council be appointed for the purpose of ascertaining the amount for which ready right of way can be obtained for an outlet of said sewer during such time as the present outlet shall be used. Respectfully,

JOHN N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Archer moved that a committee of five be appointed, as suggested by the City Attorney. Adopted.

From the Surveyor--

CITY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, June 23d, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: At the last meeting of your Honorable Body a petition was presented for the construction of a sewer in Montrose street, and was referred to the City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance therefor. I have carefully examined the territory proposed to be drained, and have caused test pits to be dug at several points, to determine the efficiency of the outlet of such proposed sewer. From such examinations I am convinced that it is impracticable to construct a sewer in Montrose street previous to deepening the outlet for the same through Frank and Bloss streets, from Costar street to Fulton avenue.

Fulton avenue sewer is 15 feet in depth, which is ample for the proper drainage of Montrose street. As that portion of Frank street between Lorimer street and Costar street, is equally interested with Montrose street in securing a proper outlet, I suggest that a sewer be constructed in Frank street also, and that said street be assessed for a portion of the expense of deepening the sewer in Frank street and Bloss street, from Costar street to Fulton avenue.

Respectfully,
OSCAR H. PEACOCK, City Surveyor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Southard--Resolved, That the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance for a sewer in Montrose and Frank streets, in accordance with the suggestions embodied in the communication of the City Surveyor. Adopted.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 26, 1883.

In Board of Health June 25th, 1883.

Inspectors made the following report: Water in cellars to wit, Saxton st. and adjoining sts. The inhabitants claim that the only remedy is the enlargement of the Saxton st. sewer. On motion it was referred to the Common Council.

Concord ave. has not any sewer; location low, consequently water in cellars; a majority of three opposing a sewer for reason they can drain into North ave. sewer. Water in almost every cellar in Oakman st. for want of proper drainage; street sewer is not deep enough to carry off water from the cellars. On motion referred to the Common Council.

Complaints on Goodman st. from Monroe ave. to Park ave.; cellars in a terrible condition; water from one to four feet in cellars on Lewis st.; sewer is the only remedy. On motion it was referred to the Common Council.

FRANK N. LORD,
Clerk of the Board of Health.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 26, 1883.

To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with Section 29 of the revised city charter, I hereby report the following named persons as having qualified and taken the oath of office:

George H. Cummings, Inspector of Election.
Henry V. Clarke, Commissioner of Deeds.
Timothy J. Dakin, Commissioner of Deeds.
F. N. LORD, City Clerk.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES. FIRST ORDINANCES.

STONE SEWER IN MILL STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a stone sewer in Mill street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$5,500.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a stone sewer 2x3 feet in size, with stone arch and brick invert, in Mill street, from the south end of the present sewer in Mill street, near the middle of Center street, to a point 55 feet north of Mumford street; also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$3,500, which estimate is hereby approved:

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Mill street, from Center street to a point 55 feet north of Mumford street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, July the 10th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

And further, Resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN PARK AVENUE AND CULVER STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer through Park avenue, in the city of Rochester, and the Culver road, in the town of Brighton, from Vick Park to the sewer in East avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$5,420.

By Ald. Simmelink—Whereas, The Common Council has duly determined that the following improvement is necessary to be made; therefore,

Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz. The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Park avenue, from a point 40 feet east of Vick park to the centre of Bates street, and a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Park avenue from the centre of Bates street to the centre of the Culver road, and 15 inches in diameter in the Culver road from the centre of Park avenue to the sewer in East avenue.

Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$5,420, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Park avenue, from Vick park to the Culver road, and one tier of lots on the west side of the Culver road, from Park avenue to East avenue.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice, in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, July the 10th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

SPRINKLING FRANK STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Frank street, from Centre street to a point 100 feet south of Platt street, during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$97.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Frank street, from Centre street to a point 100 feet south of Platt street, during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$97, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Frank street, from Centre street to a point 100 feet south of Platt street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, July the 10th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

OPENING A STREET FROM REYNOLDS ST. TO SEWARD ST.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of opening a street from Reynolds street to Seward street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,000.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The opening of a street 50 feet in width, extending from Reynolds street to Seward street, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor is described as follows, viz., Being a strip of land 50 feet in width (except where cut off at the angle in Seward street), extending from Reynolds street to Seward street, the centre line of which to be the south line of the Strong tract.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,000, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of the proposed street, from Reynolds street to Seward street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, July 10th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

BEACON STREET PLANK WALK.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor

ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Beacon street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$391.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side of Beacon street, from University avenue to Anderson avenue, except where good 4-foot plank walk now exist at the proper grade. Also, the necessary crosswalks, and the relaying of the present walks where necessary.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$391, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Beacon street, from University avenue to Anderson avenue, in front of which the proposed walks shall be constructed and relaid.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, July 10th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON CAROLINE STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Caroline st.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$566.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on the north side of Caroline st. from South ave. to Meigs st., except where good plank walks now exist, at the proper grade.

Also the necessary crosswalks and the relaying of such walks as may be found necessary.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$566, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the north side of Caroline st. from South ave. to Meigs st., in front of which the proposed walk shall be constructed or relaid.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter, of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, July the 10th, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

IMPROVING MANHATTAN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving Manhattan street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$11,189.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The improvement of Manhattan street from the south curb line of Court street to the north curb line of Monroe avenue, by constructing a gravel roadway on a stone foundation with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof, width of roadway between curbstones to be 28 feet, also a flag walk 4 feet in width on each side of said roadway; also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals, manholes, street grading and the cleaning of the main sewer.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$11,189, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

On tier of lots on each side of Manhattan street, from Court street to Monroe avenue.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows: One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one fifth of the amount within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums

paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment adiscount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, July the 10th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN KLINGLER STREET AND WIDMAN STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Klingler street and Widman street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,050.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer, 15 inches in diameter, in Klingler street, from the sewer in St. Joseph street, to a point opposite the center of Widman street, and a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Widman street, from the center of Klingler street, to a point 115 feet north of Hermann street. Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$2,050, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Klingler street, for its entire length. Also, one tier of lots on each side of Widman street, for its entire length.

And further, Resolved, That the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, July the 10th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

MAPLE STREET SEWER.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a sewer in Maple street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,045.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of an egg-shaped cement pipe sewer, 15x22 inches in diameter, in Maple street, from the end of the present Maple street sewer near Ames street to a point 400 feet west of Ames street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,045, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Maple street, from Ames street to a point 400 feet west thereof.

And the clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, June the 10th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Franklin street during the season of 1883.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$127.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Franklin street from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street, during the season of 1883.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the

whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$127, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin street from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 10 feet east of Clinton street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, July the 10th, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,511.

IMPROVING APPROACHES TO LYELL AVENUE LIFT BRIDGE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing.

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge from the west line of Orchard street, to the west line of West street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge in the west line of Orchard street to the west line of West street by constructing a Macadam pavement with curb stones and cobble stone gutters on each side thereof; also the necessary flag walks, cross walks and plank walks where they have heretofore existed, using all old materials heretofore used on the street, as far as they may extend, and supply all deficiencies with new materials. Width of roadway between curb lines to be of the present width, except where narrowed at the ends of the bridge.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$2,000, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Lyell avenue from the west line of Orchard street to the west line of West street.

On which above described portion of the city the expense of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Ald. Watson moved that in the absence of Ald. Hinds it be postponed two weeks.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Pitkin, Southard—6.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—8.

Ald. Felsing presented a remonstrance against extending the territory to be assessed in the ordinance and moved it be received and filed. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented a remonstrance against extending the territory to be assessed in the ordinance and a communication from the assessors relating to the increase of valuation of the property adjoining the Erie canal, and moved it be received and filed. Adopted.

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, the final ordinance was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Nays—Ald. Watson, Archer, Pitkin—3.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,512.

SPRINKLING ST. JOSEPH STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded

to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing.

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle St. Joseph street from a point 100 feet north of Atwater street to the north line of Herman street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of St. Joseph street from a point 100 feet north of Atwater street, to the north line of Herman street during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$377, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of St. Joseph street from a point 100 feet north of Atwater street to the north line of Herman street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,513.

PIPE SEWER IN SHERMAN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Sherman street, from the north line of Otis street to Deep Hollow creek.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Sherman street, from the north line of Otis street to Deep Hollow Creek. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$1,350, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Sherman street, from the north line of Otis street to Deep Hollow creek.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The final ordinance to clear the sewer in Gorham street came up. Ald. Archer presented a remonstrance and moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,514.

PIPE SEWER IN LOCUST STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An Ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Locust street, from the sewer in Fulton avenue to a point 10 feet east of the west line of lot No. 14.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Locust street, from the sewer in Fulton avenue to a point 10 feet east of the west line of lot No. 14.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$535.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Locust street, from Fulton avenue to a point 10 feet east of the west line

of lot No. 14.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—15.

The final ordinance to improve North and South Francis street came up. Ald. Foley presented a remonstrance and moved to amend so as to read as follows: "From the south line of Brown street to the north line of Hunter street, and the estimate be changed accordingly." Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a sewer in Caledonia avenue came up. Ald. Bronson presented a remonstrance and moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The final ordinance to open and extend Edward street came up. Ald. Southard moved to be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,515.

NORTH ST. PAUL STREET IMPROVEMENT.

On motion of Alderman Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improve ment described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Alderman Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve North St. Paul street, from the north curb line of East Main street to the south line of Atwater street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of North St. Paul street, from the north curb line of East Main street to the south line of Atwater street, by constructing a Medina stone pavement, with curb stones and gutters on each side thereof, width of roadway between curb lines to be 38 feet, except where the street is widened 10 feet between Division street and a point north of and near River street, the width of roadway shall be 43 feet between curb lines. Also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, street grading and the relaying of such walks as may be found necessary to adjust to the proper grade.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$32,000, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street, from East Main street to Atwater street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows:

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; one fifth within two years from the confirmation of such roll; one fifth within three years from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one fifth within four years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote :
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—15.

The final ordinance to enlarge and extend the sewer in White street came up. Ald. Felsing moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,516.

SPRINKLING CLARISSA STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the Improvement described in the Ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance for sprinkling Clarissa street, from a point 100 feet east of Plymouth avenue to Clarissa street bridge, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Clarissa street from a point 100

feet east of Plymouth avenue to Clarissa street Bridge during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$95, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem to be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Clarissa street from a point 100 feet east of Plymouth avenue to the west end of Clarissa street Bridge.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—15.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

Ald. Watson called up the following presented at the meeting of June 5th last:

"By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the Rochester City & Brighton Street Railroad Company have permission of the City of Rochester, and the supervision of the Executive Board, to set back the curbstones on the north side of Atwater street four feet and on the south side of Atwater street two feet, for the distance of four hundred and ten feet easterly from the east line of North St. Paul street, and to pave and gutter the addition to the roadway with Medina stone, changing lateral sewers and making the street grade, under the direction of the City Surveyor, on furnishing a satisfactory bond to the city, to be approved by the mayor, to complete the said work properly and without delay.

"Ald. Archer moved that action be postponed until two weeks from the next regular meeting. Adopted."

Ald. Watson moved that the action to postpone be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Watson then moved the adoption of the resolution. Adopted.

In Special Meeting, June 14, 1883.

"Ald. Watson, having the unanimous consent of the Board, moved that the action of the Council at the last regular meeting, June 12th, on the resolution granting permission to the Rochester City and Brighton Street Railroad Company to set back the curbstones on Atwater street be reconsidered. Adopted.

"Ald. Watson moved that further action on the resolution be postponed until the next regular meeting. Adopted."

Ald. Archer moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The following came up:

"By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the proposition made by the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia Railroad Company with reference to the closing of Trowbridge street be and the same hereby is accepted and that the city attorney cause the necessary legal steps to be taken to provide for the closing of Trowbridge street in accordance with the proposition accepted as aforesaid.

Ald. Bronson moved that the report and the proposition of the railroad company to be received, filed and published and action on the resolution be postponed two weeks. Adopted."

Ald. Bronson moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The following came up:

In Special Meeting, June 19th, 1883.

"By unanimous consent Ald. Jeffords submitted the following:

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the resolution directing the mayor to enter into a contract with the Brush Electric Light Company, which resolution was adopted by the Common Council at the last regular meeting of this board, which is found at page 110 of current proceedings, be and the same hereby is reconsidered. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Mayor and the City Attorney be and they hereby are directed to consult with the officers of the Brush Electric Light Company with reference to the forming of a contract to be entered into between the said company and the city of Rochester for the lighting of the streets of the city with electric light for the ensuing five years, and that the contract as prepared by them, which shall be substantially the same as the contract printed in the proceedings of this board at page 109, be executed by the Mayor on behalf of the city. But, that any changes made, as aforesaid, shall be only such changes as shall be for the interest of the city.

Ald. Foley moved to table the resolution, and that action thereon be postponed until the second regular meeting.

Ald. Hinds moved to amend until the "next regular" meeting.

Accepted by Ald. Foley.

The motion of Ald. Foley was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead—9.
Nays—Ald. Watson, Jeffords, Felsing, Kelly, Simmelink—5.

Ald. Archer moved to amend as follows: That the Mayor and City Attorney have power to alter the contract for the best interest of the city and submit to the board for approval. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a Milk Inspector for the ensuing year in place of J. M. Winslow. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly nominated A. H. Martin; A. H. Martin was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

A. H. Martin was duly declared appointed Milk Inspector.

Ald. Strouss moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the Clerk cast the ballot. Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Horace C. Brewster—Third Ward,
Louis Eichman—Sixth Ward,
John F. Zimmer—Eighth Ward,
Fred'k W. Sanborn—Fifth Ward,
Having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Watson moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Kelly moved to postpone balloting for Police Commissioner for two weeks. Adopted.

MICELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Archer in the chair.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, At a meeting of the bar of the county of Monroe recently held a resolution was adopted requesting William F. Cogewell, Esq., to prepare and deliver at an early day, an address upon the life and public services of the Hon. Addison Gardiner, lately deceased, and

Whereas, The evening of the 28th day of June, 1883, has been fixed as the time for the delivery of such address, therefore,

Resolved, That the use of the Common Council chamber be and the same hereby is granted for the purpose aforesaid. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the owners of property on Lyell avenue abutting the proposed improvement have permission to construct their own walks in accordance with the ordinance and under the direction of the Executive Board and City Surveyor. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—The Fire Marshal reports that the old school building on Brooks avenue ordered to be taken down has been entirely removed without expense to the city, less disbursements by the Fire Marshal of two dollars.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the clerk draw an order on the city treasurer in favor of William Carroll, Fire Marshal, for two dollars and charge contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to place a fire alarm box at the intersection of Hague street with West avenue. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of Augustus A. Wilson for permission to erect a wood building and moved permission be granted under the direction of Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition of property owners on Concord avenue for a sewer and moved that the surveyor prepare an ordinance for the same. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition from F. Kreckman and others, owners on a subdivision of the Wakelee farm, and moved it be referred to the Executive Board. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition from taxpayers on Hollister street and moved it be referred to the Assessment Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented a petition from Eugene E. Ireland by Wm. H. Ireland for permission to erect a wood building and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Resolved, That the Surveyor bring in an ordinance for the deepening and changing course of the Saxton street outlet sewer at the next meeting of the Board. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved that the chair appoint fourteen additional citizens on the Semi-Centennial Celebration Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented a petition from Hortin L. Fowler for permission to build a wood building and moved permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor be instructed to prepare an ordi-

nance for a pipe sewer in Huron street. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of F. B. Plummer for permission to erect a wood building on Francis street; also a remonstrance against the same and moved their reference to the Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Addison W. Head for permission to erect wood building, and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to issue the city's notes for \$145,600. The same being to pay for interest due July 1st, 1883, in New York. Said notes to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the offers made by persons owning lands necessary to be taken for the widening of North St. Paul street, as reported by the Executive Board, be and the same hereby is not accepted. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Whereas, No agreement for the purchase of the lands necessary to be taken for the purpose of widening North St. Paul st. can be made,

Resolved, That the City Surveyor be and he hereby is directed to make and file in the office of the City Clerk a copy of the ordinance for the widening of said street, adopted on the 29th day of May, 1883, together with a map of said street showing on such map the lots, tracts and parcels of land which are deemed necessary to be taken, and the commencement, course and termination of said street proposed to be widened in accordance with section 164 of the Revised City Charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the city attorney be and he hereby is directed to publish a notice specifying and describing the lands necessary to be taken for the purpose of widening North St. Paul street, and to take such further action as may be necessary in reference thereto, in accordance with section 175 of the revised city charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of George W. Sill, Chairman of Commissioners, for \$72 (seventy-two dollars), in full of fees of Commissioners Sill, Keyes and Gleason in the matter of the opening of a street from Mill street to Water street, including clerk hire; and that the Treasurer charge and carry said sum of \$72 to the fund for the opening of a street from Mill street to Water street when created, as part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to draw orders on the City Treasurer, not to exceed the amount of \$300, to pay for disbursements for firing salute, ringing bells, &c., on July 4th inst., upon presentation of orders from the chairman of the Contingent Expense Committee, and charge the same to the Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote: Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,

Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

The President of the Board announced the following special committees:

Committee to procure terms for use of stream for North street outlet sewer—Archer, Simmelink, Aikenhead, Southard, Pitkin.

Committee on locating drinking fountain—Collins, Watson, Kelly, Jeffords, Bronson.

Addition to committee to consider the propriety of celebrating the semi-centennial anniversary of the city of Rochester: John H. Rochester, Col. H. S. Greenleaf, D. T. Hunt, S. H. Lowe, Fredk Cook, Mathias Kondolf, Major Geo. A. Benton, Joseph Rosenthal, Chas. S. Baker, James E. Booth, James O. Howard, Henry S. Hibbard, David Healy, H. Austin Brewster.

Ald. Kelly moved that the Board adjourn. Adopted. FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

n Common Council, July 10th, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Bronson—1.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceeding meeting, June 26th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

Ailing & Cory, books.....	\$ 4 50
Seratom & Wetmore, stationery.....	4 00
C. B. Denny, services examining Treasurer's books.....	180 00
W. E. Hassan, services examining Treasurer's books.....	180 00
Williamson & Higbie, stationery for City Attorney.....	11 18
Seratom & Wetmore, stationery for City Attorney.....	13 45
John Quin, services in Hooker case.....	13 00
Chas. E. Morris, stationery.....	132 00
Geo. P. Bailey, repairing ribbon stamps, City Treasurer.....	48 00
Williamson & Higbie, stationery municipal court.....	30 45
Ailing & Cory, stationery Attorney's office.....	10 25
Williamson & Higbie, Treasurer's.....	8 90
C. J. Connolly, stamps.....	4 25
W. L. Buckland, livery.....	26 50
C. Mayer, hack hire.....	8 00

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Levi Hort for compensation for damages to his boat alleged to have been sustained at Allen street lift bridge. Referred to the law committee.

Ald. Strouss presented the bill of W. F. Cogswell for services and disbursements in the case of Smith vs. the city of Rochester amounting to \$1,597.80.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to draw an order on the City Treasurer, payable from the Contingent Fund, in favor of William F. Cogswell for fifteen hundred and ninety-seven and eighty one-hundredths (1,597.80) dollars, the same being the amount of his bill to date for services and disbursements in the case of Hiram P. Smith and others against the city of Rochester, and the City Treasurer is hereby

directed to pay the amount of said order to Wm. F. Cogswell on his executing a proper receipt for such payment.

Ald. Felsinger moved to refer to the Law Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Strous presented the petition of Martin Barron for permission to erect coal houses on North and Hudson streets, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of A. J. Warner for permission to erect a wood building on Court street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of A. J. Warner for permission to erect a double dwelling on Scio street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Pitkin—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1883.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, }
July 10, 1883.

GENTLEMEN—respectfully present the following as my report for the month of June, 1883:

1883.—June.	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
1—Mary Kellogg.....	drunk	\$10	
Calvin Harris.....	vio ord	10	
Geo Flegel.....	assault	5	\$5
Lawrence Maurer.....	vio ord	10	5
Thomas Funch.....	..	10	5
John Danlby.....	..	10	
Phil p Kelly.....	drunk	10	
Jas Moore, Jr.....	..	10	
2—Geo Reinnecker.....	..	10	5
Wm Ferguson.....	..	10	
Wm Debus.....	..	10	10
4—Susie Oviatt.....	vio ord	15	
Ed Healey.....	drunk	10	
Mathew McGowen.....	..	10	
Jas Nolan.....	..	10	
Mary J. Stewart.....	..	10	
John Leary.....	..	10	5
Andrew Hauser, Jr.....	..	10	5
John Fauning.....	..	10	
Ed Healey.....	..	15	
Saran Nixon.....	..	10	5
Fred Frauenberger.....	..	10	
Christopher Schneider.....	vio ord	25	10
John Cooran.....	drunk	10	5
Sebast Cratchenbach.....	..	10	
David Burke.....	..	10	
5—Barbara Martin.....	..	10	
Libbie Hess.....	..	10	
Wm Carroll.....	assault	20	20
Geo Washington.....	drunk	10	
Thos Manning.....	..	10	5
John McLoughlin.....	..	10	5
John Phillips.....	..	10	
Geo Williams.....	..	10	5
Henry Stone.....	..	10	5
Thomas Douovan.....	..	10	5
Geo Stone.....	..	10	5
Thos Burke.....	..	10	10
Mate Luke.....	old fine	9	
Reinhardt Kohlin.....	assault	cost	2
6—Ed Toold.....	drunk	10	5
Bernard Dolan.....	..	10	
Kate Chadwick.....	..	10	
Victor Broche.....	assault	5	5
7—Ann Dorohue.....	drunk	10	
Mary Lysaigt.....	..	10	
James B Moore.....	..	10	
Henry Eisenburg.....	..	10	
8—John Livingston.....	..	10	
Elizabeth Cassidy.....	..	10	
James Hindle.....	..	10	5
Thos McNamara.....	..	10	5
Ann Moore.....	..	10	
Otto Lintz.....	vio ord	cost	1
John McCormick.....	drunk	10	
Dani W Buton.....	..	10	
9—Thos Courter.....	..	10	
John Livingston.....	..	10	
Elizabeth Livingston.....	..	10	
Chas Simpson.....	..	10	5
Wm Welch.....	..	10	
Mark Martin.....	..	10	5
Margie Wheeler.....	..	10	10
James Halstead.....	..	10	
Joseph Thomas.....	old fine	10	
11—John Scanlin.....	drunk	10	5

Leonard Regg.....	..	10	
Dani Donnelly.....	..	10	
Mary Marshall.....	..	10	
Joseph Assmun.....	..	10	4 38
Lawrence Burke.....	..	10	
Louis Ralsner.....	..	10	5
George Ernst.....	..	10	5
Wm Schaffer.....	..	10	
Mary Sullivan.....	..	10	10
Jacob Kollowski.....	..	10	10
Wm Quinn.....	..	10	
Butterfield Lace.....	..	10	
Valentine D ehl.....	..	10	5
Andrew Nickle.....	..	10	10
Wm Branch.....	..	10	10
Frank McAnally.....	vio ord	10	
Joseph Shearer.....	..	5	
12—Alex Cook.....	drunk	10	10
Mary Smith.....	..	10	
Mich McFarland.....	..	10	
Ed Holden.....	..	10	
Joseph Staub.....	..	10	
John Geukel.....	..	10	10
..	cruelty to animals	15	15
13—Bernard Shine.....	vio ord	Cost	2
Cornelius Maloney.....	..	Cost	2
John Pyne.....	..	Cost	2
John Maloney.....	..	Cost	2
James Fitzgerald.....	drunk	10	10
Henry Payne.....	assault	Cost	1
14—John Butler.....	drunk	10	
John Houser.....	..	10	
Wm Faulkner.....	..	10	5
Maria Flannigan.....	..	10	5
Tbos Spillaner.....	..	10	
Cornelius Murray.....	..	10	
B rrie Reynolds.....	..	10	5
Wm McDonough.....	..	10	
15—Dennis Mehan.....	..	10	4
Nelson Hodges.....	..	10	10
Clark N Brown.....	false pretences	Cost	2
Ann Prescott.....	drunk	10	
Joseph Hyland.....	..	10	
Chas Fisher.....	vio ord	10	
August Weeks.....	..	10	
Luke O'Brien.....	..	10	
Louis Cole.....	..	10	
Chas Wetzel.....	..	10	5
Fred Warden.....	assault	5	5
John Staple.....	vio ord	5	
Nancy Moser.....	drunk	10	
16—James Maron.....	..	10	
Wm Murray.....	..	10	
Wm Austin.....	..	10	5
Ibbie Pellett.....	..	10	
18—Chas Chapman.....	..	10	
John Stewart.....	..	10	
John H Murray.....	..	10	
Jeremiah Reilly.....	..	10	
Wm Young.....	..	10	
Frank Faldwin.....	..	10	
John Hey.....	..	10	5
James Mulleugh.....	..	10	5
John Bennett.....	..	10	
Robt Steinbecker.....	..	10	
Louis Glass.....	..	10	
Frank Hicks.....	..	10	
John Schoeffel.....	assault	10	10
Frank McAnally.....	..	10	10
Chas D Eggleston.....	vio ord	assault	cost
Tena Snyder.....	..	2	
19—Geo Rowe.....	drunk	10	5
Robt Rowe.....	..	10	5
Aana Rowe.....	..	10	5
Dani Donnelly.....	ex person	15	
Mary Fitzgerald.....	drunk	10	
Frank Mulry.....	..	10	5
Louis Haling.....	vio ord	5	
20—Nellie Wells.....	drunk	10	
Kate O'Brien.....	..	10	
Nelson Hodges.....	..	10	5
Frank R odes.....	..	10	
Mary J Scott.....	..	10	
Ed Farley.....	..	10	
James Fowles.....	..	10	
Thos McNamara.....	..	10	5
Elizabeth Wilson.....	..	10	5
21—Newell Sullivan.....	..	10	
James Purdy.....	..	10	
James Dwyer.....	..	10	
John G. Smith.....	vio ord	10	
22—Dwight Norton.....	drunk	10	
John Kelly.....	..	10	
Wm. Therbald.....	assault	15	5
23—Wm. J. McCallister.....	drunk	10	5
Geo. Mason.....	..	10	5
John Kelly.....	..	10	
John Fitzpatrick.....	assault	10	
Lovell Hamlin.....	drunk	25	5
John Meyers.....	..	10	5
Lawrence Corbett.....	..	10	
25—Wm. Regg.....	assault	15	15

Thos. Whiting.....	drunk	10	
Chas. Warner.....	"	10	
John Stevenson.....	"	10	
Thos. Kelly.....	"	10	
Thos. Cassidy.....	"	10	
Geo. Englehart.....	vio ord	10	
Timothy Corcoran.....	assault	cost	1
Thos. Corcoran.....	cost	1	2
Delia Sullivan.....	old fine	10	
26-Bridget McGann.....	drunk	10	
Frank Hall.....	"	10	
Jacob Trautman.....	"	10	
Wm. Lester.....	"	10	
Eugene Powell.....	asault	5	
27-Wm. Holden.....	drunk	10	
Dennis Callinan.....	"	10	
Julius Dorscher.....	assault	10	10
Geo. Willets.....	drunk	10	10
Ed. Foley.....	"	10	
Joseph Haller.....	assault	cost	1
Ed. Jeffrey.....	"	5	2
Ed. Bayer.....	grand lar	cost	1
Aoram Henckey.....	drunk	cost	1
28-Andrew Salerno.....	"	10	5
Ed Putnam.....	"	10	
Kate Doyle.....	"	10	
Pat O'Brien.....	"	10	
29-Nich Fennell.....	"	10	10
Burlington Banker.....	"	10	
Frank Geron.....	"	10	
Hannah G ass.....	"	10	
Frank Wolcott.....	"	10	
Patk Brady.....	"	10	
Joseph Westfield.....	"	10	
John Simpson.....	assault	5	3
Edmund Herbert.....	"	10	10
30-James Cleary.....	drunk	10	
Hugh Grabau.....	"	10	
Thos McPherson.....	"	10	
Thos Hoyt.....	"	10	5
Nich Fennell.....	"	10	5
Chas Hayes.....	"	10	5
Jeremian Drapp.....	"	10	5
Martin Strong, Jr.....	assault	15	13
Peter Kunn.....	"	10	10

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STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester ss.

I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of June, 1883 for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.
Sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1883.
A. G. WHEELER, Police Justice and Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received filed and published.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

Wm. Punch & S n. burials.....	\$12 00
Mary Flanagan, board.....	9 00
Mary Crowley, rent.....	10 00
Anton Blal, groceries.....	8 00
E. L. Thomas, rent.....	10 00
George Oppel, bread.....	22 40
P. H. Curran, meat.....	25 00
P. Fahy, meat.....	406 85
Antony Eble, hack hire poor committee.....	12 00
A. L. Morris, meat.....	100 00
Mrs. Martin Heberger, groceries.....	26 22
Home of Friendless, board.....	65 45
Sisters of Mercy.....	124 92
Home of Industry.....	199 51
Rochester Orphan Asylum, board.....	876 73
Industrial School.....	406 40
St. Patrick's Orphan Asylum, board.....	776 76
St. Mary's Orphan Asylum, board.....	868 34
City Hospital, board.....	819 34
St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, board.....	954 77
St. Mary's Hospital, board.....	3,048 53

Referred to the Poor Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—

OFFICE OF THE OVERSEER OF THE POOR, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 10, 1883, }

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the Poor of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report that during the month of May he has relieved 411 families in the following manner:

Orders on Poor Store.....	\$1 281 85
.. Coal yard.....	165 38
.. Undertakers.....	48 00
.. for transportation.....	22 16
.. shoes.....	2 95

Total.....\$ 1,470 34

less amount charged to towns..... 15 25

Total to city.....\$1,455 09
All of which is respectfully submitted.

N. THOMPSON, Overseer of the Poor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Felsing presented the petitions of J. H. Jeffries, jr., B. B. Carpenter and James S. Wilkin, for permission to erect frame dwellings on Brown, York and Silver streets, and moved that permission be granted under the supervision of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented a petition for a pipe sewer in Silver street. Referred to the Sewer Committee and City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of Edward S. Werner for permission to erect a wood dwelling on Morris street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

Ald. Southard presented a remonstrance against the opening and extension of Edward street. Ordered received and filed.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of Albert Reiber for permission to erect a wood building on Kirk street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Kelly—bills of

Wm. Bassett, labor and material, City Hall.....	\$ 117 66
Roger & Wallace, material for Mayor's office.....	159 07
W. E. Servis, labor and material.....	23 65
Geo. H. Nicholson..... City Hall.....	13 61
Frost & Co., plants and labor.....	25 43
C. H. Carroll, supplies, Clerk's office.....	76 00
Minges & Shale.....	135 50
Howe & Rogers, carpets.....	220 96
Municipal Gas Co., gas, city buildings.....	147 78
S. Sloan, chandler, Mayor's office.....	24 40
Alfred Ellwood, locks and keys, city build'gs.....	52 40
Smith, Perkins & Co., blacking brushes.....	2 21

Referred to the City Property Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—bills of

Municipal Gas Co., lighting for June.....	\$ 43 50
Brush Electric Light Co., lighting for June....	1,012 50

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—

CITY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, July 10th, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The life bridge which has been in process of erection over the Erie canal at Lyell avenue, is now completed and has been in operation since July 2d. The tenders of said bridge are appointed by the State authorities, and subject to their orders, but their salaries, and the proper maintenance of the bridge are items for which the city is responsible. Complaint having been made that children, and sometimes older people insist on riding up and down on the bridge, thereby endangering their lives, and that the bridge tender is annoyed, and his attention drawn from the proper performance of his duties, by persons lounging about the bridge, I most respectfully suggest that the Police Commissioners be requested to detail an officer, whose duty it shall be to patrol that vicinity, and whose headquarters shall be at the bridge tender's house, that a proper protection may be given the lives and property of our citizens.

Respectfully,
OSCAR H. PEACOCK, City Surveyor.

Ald. Kelly moved to receive, file and publish, and refer to the Police Commissioners with the request that an officer be detailed as suggested until the improvement of the approaches is completed. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of Tierce D. Wilkins for permission to erect a wood building on South Goodman street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of M. W. Jackson, trustee of school district No. 1 of Irondequoit, in relation to school furniture, library, etc., alleged to have been taken by the city authorities without compensation. Referred to the Law Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Felsing, from the Poor Committee
Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense
Committee; Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp
Committee; Ald. Kelly, from the City Property
Committee, reported favorably on the
several bills referred to their respective com-
mittees and referred them to the Finance com-
mittee for payment.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 10, 1883.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay
as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

John N. Beckley, disbursements in city cases, etc.	\$ 547 18
Post Express Printing Co., printing Treas. re- port	340 00
Assessors, extra clerk hire, St. Paul street straightening and widening and taking ad- ditional land. Mill to Water streets	250 00
C. W. Carroll, serving redemption notices	55 00
E. D. Smith, Jr., stenographers services	60 00
S. W. Stott, rent notices	41 19
Dr. E. L. Hovey, medical services and testimony	35 00
Dr. E. L. Hovey, medical services in case of Hernance vs. city	25 00
Jerome Keys, services in case of Hooker vs. city	20 00
Josiah G. Fisk, services in case of Hernance vs. city	15 00
John Quinn, case Hooker vs. city	13 00
N. F. Hackstaff, printing blanks, City Clerk	14 25
Sunday Morning Herald, Clerk's notice	3 60
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, July 10th	15 00
F. N. Lord, City Clerk, disbursements	7 27
T. J. Neville, disbursements	146 00
C. B. Deny, examining Treasurer's account	180 00
W. E. Hesson	180 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

Home of Industry, bread	69 16
Peter Kleinmans, meat	25 00
J. McDonald, meat	25 00
Wm. Kutzent, rent	3 75
Mensing & Stecher, blank licences	10 50
James Laney & Co., paper	49 00
F. J. Ansdon, transportation	29 48
N. Hackstaff, printing	21 84
F. Joyce, burials	20 25
Samuel Doubelbless, groceries	24 00
N. Thompson, disbursements	2 50
And charge that fund.	3. 64

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

H. D. Blackwood, painting Ex. Board rooms	\$174 98
Geo. H. Nicholson, painting &c., city offices	410 88
M. Mutchler & Son, cuspadores, glassware, &c.	55 25
Fee Bros., alcohol	5 00
Geo. Stripp, repairing clock, Mayor's office	3 00
W. G. Martens, repairing clock Clerk's office	4 00
Smith, Perkins & Co. soap	2 25
C. W. Ashman, soap	4 00
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Rochester Gas Company, lighting and care of lamps for June	\$1,677 45
Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care of lamps for June	2,422 76
Rochester Gas Co., resetting posts	27 90
Citizens Gas Co.	21 67
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

POLICE PAY ROLL FOR JUNE, 1883.

A. G. Wheeler, police justice	\$300 00
Fred'k Zimmer, police commissioner	83 83
Jacob Howe, Jr., police commissioner	85 83
Alex. M'Lean	130 00
Ferry Marzluff	85 00
Samuel Brown	85 00
Thos. Lynch	85 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.	85 00
E. C. Kavanaugh	85 00
Thos. A. Burchill	85 00
Henry Baker	85 00
Chas. M' Cormick	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth	85 00
John C. Hayden	85 00
John H. Dana, 28 days	70 00
Wm. H. White	75 00
Ed. Van Vorst	75 00
Thos. Dukelow	75 00
John C. M'Quarters, 29 days	72 50

Fred. Griebel	75 00
John M. Reis	75 00
W. R. M'Arthur	75 00
Frank B. Allen	75 00
Hugh Clark	75 00
Jacob Frank	75 00
Thos. Couch, 27 days	67 50
John Wangman	75 00
John Moughan, 25 days	57 50
Geo. Hoffner	75 00
Chas. Siefert	75 00
Frank S. Skuse	75 00
George Long	75 00
Daniel Goulding	105 00
Hugh Johnston	105 00
Joseph P. Cleary	85 00
Wm. Keith	85 00
Benj. C. Furthner	85 00
Nicholas J. Loos	85 00
John B. Davis	85 00
Mich. Hyland	75 00
Oliver Oliver	75 00
Ralph Bendon	75 00
Andrew Connolly	75 00
Robt. Burns	75 00
Jacob Harter	75 00
Wm. P. O'Neil, 29 days	72 50
John Mitchell	75 00
Ed. McDonough	75 00
Jos. St. Helen, 29 days	72 50
Wm. M'Kelvey	75 00
Robt. M'Kee, 29 days	75 00
Michael Brady	75 00
Chas. E. Fowler	75 00
Robert Sloan, 24 days	60 00
John Deas	75 00
Samuel Schwartz	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson	75 00
Wm. Burgess	75 00
James P. Flynn	75 00
Michael Cain	75 00
Charles W. Peart	75 00
Chas. Hart	75 00
Wm. Laragy	75 00
Michael Hyne	75 00
Henry D. Shove, 29 days	75 00
Louis Nold	75 00
Peter Hess	75 00
Oliver A. Youle	75 00
Frederick Kippfuit	75 00
Joseph Baker	75 00
John E. McDermott	75 00
Patk. J. Cummings	75 00
Benj. L. Stetson	75 00
Patk. Caulfield	75 00
Patk. Culligan	75 00
Jerome P. Dowd	75 00
Wm. Murray	75 00
Michael Englert	75 00
John Sullivan	75 00
John A. Baird	75 00
Dennis Hogan, 28 days	70 00
James E. Ryan	75 00
John Yaman, 29 days	72 50
Mich. Zimmerman, 29 days	72 50
Geo. H. Kron	75 00
George Liese	75 00
Henry Baker, Jr.	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick	75 00
Wm. Hillard	75 00
Fred'k Walter	75 00
Ed. O'Laughlin	75 00
George Mohr	75 00
John A. Wallace	75 00
John H. Mason	67 50
Hiram Rogers	75 00
Geo. Kleisley, 4 days	30 00
Jacob Markey	65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.	125 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Chas. E. Morris, stationery	45 30
Bell Telephone Co., rent of instrument to June 15th	31 00
Mensing & Stecher, printing	14 50
Foster & Hennegan, repairs	18 68
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER,
OFFICES, CITY HALL, July 9th, 1883.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been
duly audited, examined and settled by this Board
are hereby referred to your Honorable Board for
payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.
EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER,
OFFICES, CITY HALL, July 9, 1883.

FINANCE BUDGET.

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Weekly pay roll, June 28.....	\$166 02
Bostwick & Heindl, printing notices.....	12 00
James Hart, whip, strap, &c.....	2 00
J. R. Chamberlain, supplies.....	75 13
Henry Hebing, nails, &c.....	19 85
L. S. Graves & Son, hydraulic motor and valve	
Allen street bridge.....	1,145 60
L. S. Graves & Son, work and material for	
three lift bridges.....	183 22
A. Elwood, hanging gongs, bridges.....	6 91
W. Wescott, oil cans, etc., do.....	15 85
E. H. Cook & Co., work and material, bridges	
Henry Harrison, rent stone yard.....	189 18
William N. Sage.....	37 50
J. B. Norris, gravel.....	75 00
H. Flake, hardware and nails.....	16 21
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	8 25
A. J. Schwalbach, gravel.....	8 29
H. H. Craig, oak lumber.....	22 20
John Mauder, extra Rauter st. sewer.....	1,346 62
John Mauder, graveling Averaill st.....	13 00
	3 00

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, July 5.....	\$126 48
12.....	126 48
	\$252 96
Alling & Cory, manilla paper.....	\$ 6 00
George B. Harris, freight on pipe.....	14 96
J. Nelson Tubbs, expenses procuring pipe.....	14 96
John Howe, final estimate Gr. 67.....	63 15
A. C. Bowen.....	68..... 4 37
N. L. Brayer.....	69..... 67 12
John Howe.....	70..... 39 86
William Dyer, estimate No 5, gr. 75.....	240 00
N. L. Brayer, estimate No. 2, gr. 73.....	100 00

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, July 5.....	\$507 48
12.....	432 25
	\$ 939 73
.. .. 12.....	\$507 48
	413 00
S. E. Armstrong, services.....	20 00
T. J. Neville, clerk, expenses.....	11 25
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	17 57
John C. King, furniture and repairs.....	12 34
C. E. Morris, stationery.....	11 15
F. McKenna, washing.....	3 04
M. Briggs & Son, furniture and iron work.....	11 30
Haskin & Smith, supplies.....	4 95
C. J. Hayden & Co., repairing furniture.....	13 10
Samuel Sloan, gas fixtures, etc.....	10 28
J. A. Vanderwerf, work and material.....	44 64
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay.....	11 82
James Hart, harness repairs, etc.....	12 55
Henry Ransom, horse hire.....	3 00
Zimmer & Schwan, repairing wagons.....	28 80
H. A. Kingsley & Co., hardware.....	11 50
Henry Lochte, globe valve, etc.....	5 90
Union Water Meter Co., meters.....	165 50
J. R. Chamberlain, packing and supplies.....	85 04
W. B. Burke, hardware.....	24 04
Joseph Cowles, work at pump house.....	43 39
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	52 43
M. L. Delano, work at D. reservoir.....	100 00
Henry Adams.....	8 63
Eagle Odorless Ex. Co.....	7 65
J. B. Gleichauf, pump, etc.....	12 00
John B. Keller, plants.....	5 00
John Connor, salt, S. reservoir.....	8 00
W. Westbrook, labor, Hemlock lake.....	2 75
J. Nelson Tubbs, expenses.....	14 60
Mrs. M. Launt, blacksmithing.....	15 50
W. L. Buckland, horse hire, Tel. line.....	15 00
J. Daniels, land damages.....	5 00
M. Bortle, posts and plugs.....	20 00
Robins, White & Co., oak lumber.....	4 06
J. A. Eastman, error in water tax, 1883.....	4 00
James Brown.....	2 00
Rochester Gas Light Co., gas.....	7 60
Minges & Shale, furniture and repairs.....	43 00

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

J. R. Chamberlain, hose del. Feb. 16.....	\$240 00
June.....	2,340 00
	\$2,580 00
Zimmer & Schwan, wagon and repairs apparatus.....	\$243 63
E. H. Cook & Co., plumbing.....	1 10
Geo. B. Harris, hay at stations.....	34 89
T. & G. Heberling, hay and straw.....	57 46
Christian Muhl.....	22 95
John C. King, bedding, etc.....	16 55
R. Y. McConnell, hay.....	37 40
F. J. Lang, hay and straw.....	8 55
Geo. B. Harris, expenses procuring horses.....	8 60
Robert Espie, Caledonia, one pair of horses.....	700 00

Henry Heddich, one horse.....	250 00
Philip Ernst, repairing harness.....	11 90
B. A. Rice, washing.....	12 35
Bell Telephone Co, rent of instrument.....	25 00
John J. Kolb, ringing alarms.....	51 25
F. E. Handy, labor (2 bills) Fire Tel.....	26 00
Utica Fire Alarm Tel Co, signal gong.....	75 00
C. F. Paine & Co., chemicals.....	11 50
A. Elwood, repairs.....	1 40
Goggin & Kn. wies, repairs Protectives' house.....	13 50

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

P. W. Taylor, inspecting.....	\$12 50
John Quin, inspecting.....	11 25
	\$23 75
Monroe avenue outlet.....	
J. Q. A. Hempstead, inspecting.....	\$112 70
Street Department, use of roller.....	150 00
Street Department, stakes and expenses.....	11 21
	273 71
Hawthorn street improvement.....	
Frank Place, inspecting.....	\$57 50
Street Department, stakes and expenses.....	4 89
	62 39
Tappan street sewer No. 2.....	
John Culhane, inspecting.....	\$45 00
Water Works Department, removing and relaying pipe.....	24 63
Street Department, stakes and expenses.....	2 29
	71 92
Pindle alley sewer repairs.....	
Street Department, stakes and expenses.....	9 91
Church street improvement.....	
Street Department, stakes and expenses.....	9 04
Brighton avenue walk.....	
L. S. Graves & Son, Hydraulic Motor and valve.....	1,145 00
	\$1,595 72

Lyall avenue lift bridge.

Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate, Hawthorne street improvement.....	\$3,772 93
F. C. Lauer, final estimate, Pindle alley sewer repairs.....	359 07
C. R. Pratt, final estimate, Brighton avenue walk.....	861 13
William Fuller, final estimate, Tappan street sewer No. 2.....	692 12
F. C. Lauer, final estimate, Church street improvement.....	3,140 64
Thomas Oliver, estimate No. 1, Olean and Hunter streets sewers.....	375 10
A. C. Bowen, estimate No. 1, Brooks avenue walk.....	240 00
A. C. Bowen, estimate No. 3, Monroe avenue outlet.....	300 00
	\$10,706 61

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingser, Rice, Southard, Alkenhead, Kelly, Simmellick—13.

By Ald. Kelly:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: Your city property committee having advertised for proposals for the delivery of 250 tons or grate coal, in first-class condition, in the basement of the City Hall building, have received the following proposals:

Lewis Edelman & Co., per ton.....	\$5 25
G. F. Schilling & Co.,	5 25
Doyle & Gallery,	5 10
S. B. Stuart & Co.,	5 10
H. B. Smith,	5 10
May, Spies & Wehn,	5 10
Wm. C. Dickinson,	5 10
W. H. Benjamin,	5 10
J. A. Van Ingen,	5 10

Your committee submit the accompanying resolution and recommend the adoption thereof.

J. MILLER KELLY,
C. WATSON,
J. A. FELSINGER,
Committee.

By Ald. Kelly:

Resolved, That the city property committee be authorized to enter into contracts with Doyle & Gallery, S. B. Stuart & Co., H. B. Smith, May, Spies & Wehn and W. C. Dickin-

son for fifty (50) tons each of anthracite coal, grate size, at \$5.10 per ton, to be delivered in the basement of the City Hall in accordance with the terms of the advertisement of the committee.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Collins—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your special committee, to whom was delegated the duty of selecting a site for the drinking fountain presented to the city of Rochester by Dr. H. D. Cogswell, of San Francisco, Cal., hereby report: That after due consideration and consultation with the Supervisors' committee on public buildings, your committee believe that the west portion of the county court house square, near the corner of West Main and Fitzhugh streets, is the most suitable site for the location of said fountain that the central part of the city affords, being in close proximity to the public buildings, municipal, county and national, Free Academy, etc., and as near the business portion of the city as an available site could be procured. Therefore, your committee recommend that the fountain aforesaid be located on the west portion of court house square.

Respectfully submitted,

A. COLLINS,
CHARLES WATSON,
J. MILLER KELLY,
C. A. JEFFORDS,
A. BRONSON,

Committee.

Ald. Kelly moved that the report be amended so as to read "as near the center of Court House Square as possible."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly and Simmelink—10.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin—5.

Ald. Archer moved that the action amending the report be reconsidered. Adopted.

On motion of Ald. Collins the report was then adopted.

By Ald. Collins—

C. R. Parsons, Mayor, Rochester, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—We are working hard to finish the fountain donated by Dr. Cogswell to your city and hope to ship the same within ten days. We hope there will be no delay on your part, as the doctor has just written us to hurry up and ship all the fountains while the warm weather is on. Have just received notice of the donation of one at Buffalo. Brooklyn fountain is all ready, but they are not ready with the foundation; hope this will not be the case with you.

Respectfully yours,

THE MONUMENTAL BRONZE CO.

W. O. CORNING, Treasurer.

Ordered received, filed and published.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your special committee to which was referred the matter of the assessment roll for the opening of Church street hereby report:

Your committee has given all persons interested in the said matter full and ample opportunity for the presentation of allegations for and against the continuation of the assessment roll, and to that end held a great number of meetings. The large amount of money to be raised—nearly \$150,000—in consideration of the comparatively small portion of the city deemed benefitted, naturally gives rise to many complaints as to the amount imposed on individual lots. Under the ordinance it was the duty of Commissioners to assess each parcel of property within the territory deemed benefited in proportion, as nearly as might be, to the benefit which it derives from the improvement. The commissioners seem to have acted within the provisions of the ordinance and to have made a fair assessment. It would be manifestly impossible to make a roll which would satisfy all property owners within the territory, there being almost as many theories as to the proper manner of assessment as there were persons alleging.

A number of legal arguments were made before

your committee as to the validity of the assessment, in consequence of defects in the proceedings for the taking of the land, but your committee does not regard it as within its province to pass upon these matters. If the proceedings for the taking of the land were improperly conducted, and that affects the validity of the roll, it is a matter for the courts to pass upon.

Your committee recommends the confirmation of the assessment roll as made and reported to the Common Council. Respectfully submitted,

J. A. HINDS,
J. T. SCUTCHARD,
J. H. FOLEY,
E. STROUSS,
CHARLES WATSON,
M. BARRON,

Special Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Nay—Ald. Collins—1.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the assessment roll for the opening of a new street from State street to Sophia street, called Church street, as made by special commissioners appointed for that purpose, be and the same hereby is confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR

REFERENCE.

From the Mayor:

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—On the 12th day of June last your honorable body adopted a resolution instructing the Mayor, on behalf of the city, to execute a contract with the Brush electric light company providing for the lighting of such portion of the city as might be hereafter determined upon with electric light. The form of contract then presented is published in your proceedings at page 109 and 110.

Upon an examination of the contract the mayor came to the conclusion that some provisions which would protect the city's interest hereafter had not been inserted, and that certain changes might be advantageously made. Before the time had expired within which the mayor is required by the charter to approve or disapprove of the proceedings of said meeting, a special meeting was held of your honorable body at which a resolution was introduced directing that the mayor and city attorney consult with the officers of the Brush electric light company with reference to the contents of the contract to be entered into between the said company and the city for the lighting of the streets of the city with electric light for the ensuing five years, which contract was required to be substantially the same as the contract printed in the proceedings at page 109.

The said resolution also reconsidered the resolution directing the mayor to enter into said contract.

At a meeting of the Common Council held on the 26th day of June last the resolution above referred to was brought up as unfinished business, and was so amended as to direct that the mayor and the city attorney have power to alter the contract aforesaid as they might deem for the best interest of the city and submit the same to your honorable body for approval and the resolution as amended was thereupon adopted.

In accordance with the directions given as aforesaid the undersigned have prepared and do hereby submit a form of contract for your consideration.

JOHN ELLIS R. PARSONS, Mayor.
JOHN N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

Ordered received, filed and published.

FORM OF AGREEMENT.

AGREEMENT made this day of July, 1883, between the Brush Electric Light Company of the city of Rochester, N. Y., of the first part, and the city of Rochester, a municipal corporation, of the second part—witnesseth:

First—The said party of the first part agrees to furnish from time to time poles suitable for supporting the Brush electric lamps for street lighting in said city, at such place or places, and in such number as the said party of the second part shall direct, such poles to be of sufficient length to place such lamps at an elevation from the ground best calculated to furnish the greatest light for persons using the streets,

and to be of a quality and shape satisfactory to the party of the second part, to keep the same properly painted and to see the same at its own expense under the direction of the party of the second part in such manner and in such place or places as the party of the second part shall direct; to furnish for constant use lamps and necessary carbons therefor as directed as aforesaid, and to care for, light and extinguish and keep in first class condition said lamps and everything appurtenant to the same, and to furnish power to light such lamps with the Brush electric light every night and all night. The time of lighting to be at sunset and the time of extinguishing to be at sunrise, and all material to be furnished, as aforesaid, to be of first class quality, and the work and care connected therewith to be done, and the necessary power to be furnished in a manner satisfactory to the said party of the second part. The light of each lamp furnished under this contract shall, during the hours for furnishing light, be equal to at least fifteen hundred, (1,500) candle power, and the carbon used for each light shall be seven sixteenths of an inch in diameter, which is the size of the carbon now in use, while sized carbon is designed in operation as aforesaid (2,000) candle power, and the light of each lamp shall be equal to the light furnished by said company to said city under the contract in force to July 1, 1888.

Second—Said contract shall take effect from and after the first day of July, 1888, and continue to and terminate upon the morning of the first day of July, 1893; and the said party of the first part shall exhibit the said contract to the party of the second part as rapidly as practicable after the same are ordered. Whenever the party of the first part shall notify the party of the second part that it has located one or more lamps at the place or places designated by the party of the second part, then as to such lamp or lamps thus placed and thereafter in operation in accordance with the terms hereof, and as to such lamps as have already been placed, and are at the date hereof in actual operation, the said party of the first part shall be entitled to charge at the rate herein expressed, for each night thereafter, during the continuance of this contract. Upon such streets, avenues and other places, as the Common Council shall by resolution declare to be impracticable to light by electric light with lamps placed upon poles by the party of the first part shall, if required so to do, by the party of the second part, suspend lamps designed to furnish light for such streets, avenues and other places, from arches so constructed as to span such streets and avenues from curb to curb wherever they exist, and otherwise, as the party of the second part shall direct; the height and style and manner of construction and location of such arches to be under the direction of the said party of the second part.

Third—The lighting and care of said lamps shall be under the supervision and direction of said party of the second part, but at the expense of the party of the first part; and in case the said party of the first part does not comply with the terms and conditions of this contract, the said party of the second part shall have power to cancel the same, upon giving ten days' notice of intention so to do.

Fourth—The poles, arches, lamps and appurtenances to be erected and used as aforesaid, shall be and remain the property of the party of the first part, but shall be subject to the inspection, supervision and control of the party of the second part during the continuance of this contract.

Fifth—The party of the second part reserves the right to increase or diminish the number of lamps in any street, avenue or other place in said city whenever the party of the second part shall deem it advisable so to do, but the aggregate number ordered and in operation in the whole city at any one time shall not be diminished during the continuance of this contract.

Sixth—The parties of the first part shall use any and all devices or improvements, the effect of which shall be to increase the relative amount of light produced, or to improve the kind, style or number of the lamps, poles, posts or arches, or of each device or improvement shall be owned or controlled, now or hereafter, by the Brush Electric Company, but the amount paid under this contract per lamp per night shall not thereby be increased.

Seventh—Any improvement in the manner of the suspension or placing of the lamps, or in the size, kind or height of the poles, posts or arches which shall not be owned or controlled, during the continuance of this contract, by the Brush Electric Company shall be utilized by the party of the first part when directed so to do by the party of the second part, but subject to the following conditions: If any changes therein are directed to be made prior to the first day of July, 1884, they shall be made at the expense of the party of the first part; if directed to be made after July first, 1884, and prior to July first, 1887, the expense of such changes shall be borne equally by the parties of the first and second part. The parties of the first part shall have the privilege of taking the improved fixtures

and appurtenances provided for in this clause of this contract and acquiring sole title thereto by paying on or prior to the first day of July, 1888, to the party of the second part the amount by it expended in that regard.

Eighth—If prior to the first day of July, 1887 any feasible and generally accepted plan shall be devised for placing electric light wires beneath the surface of the ground, the party of the first part shall, at its own expense, utilize said device or devices and place their wires in use for conveying the electric current to the lamps herein provided for underground.

Ninth—Nothing in this contract contained shall prevent the party of the second part from obtaining electric light for its streets, avenues or other places from other companies or parties at such terms and under such provisions as the party of the second part shall deem proper.

Tenth—In consideration of the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of this contract on the part of the party of the first part, the party of the second part hereby agrees to pay at the rate of forty-five (45) cents per lamp per night for each lamp placed as designated by said party of the second part as herein-after provided and actually in operation as aforesaid, from the time such lamp or lamps shall be actually in operation during the continuance of this contract and until the termination thereof; bills therefor to be rendered and paid monthly.

In witness whereof, the parties have caused these to be duly executed the day and year first hereinafter.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is directed to execute on the part of the city of Rochester the contract as above prepared by the Mayor and City Attorney with the Brush Electric Light Company.

Ald. Barron submitted the following :

To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The Rochester Gas Light Company offer to light with gas all the streets, &c. on the west side of the river reached by its mains, with burners consuming five feet per hour, for six cents per lamp per night, if no other light be used.

The burner now in use consumes only 3½ feet per hour and the number of lamps served by this company is about 1,000. The plan now offered will add fifty per cent to the light of each lamp.

If the number of lamps be increased to 15000 there can be no question that the soft, even, well diffused gas light will be much more satisfactory than the intense lights and shadows of the electric lamps.

The cost of 15000 gas lamps under this offer (with five-foot instead of 3½ foot burners) will be \$90 per night or the same as 2000 Brush lights.

Fifteen hundred gas lamps with the large flame of a five foot burner will furnish a far more effective and agreeable light than 20 electric lamps occupying the same extended district, or more than even 400 Brush lights.

The experience of other cities (notably Cleveland, Ohio,) is convincing that the superiority of electric light is not such as to warrant the great increase of taxation incurred by its adoption.

If the present 3½ foot burner be retained this company will perform the same service above offered for 4½ cents per lamp per night, making the cost of ten gas lamps the same as one electric light cost.

This offer is made assuming that the details not inconsistent herewith will be the same as heretofore.

Rochester, July 10, 1888.

P. BARRY,

Pres. Rochester Gas Light Company.

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

The resolution directing the Mayor to execute the contract with the Brush Electric Light Company was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,

ROCHESTER, July 10, 1888. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The contract for the improvement of North St. Paul st. has been let and work will be commenced immediately. It is contemplated that at sometime in the near future, a Holly water main, of ten inches in diameter, shall be extended in said street, from East Main street to Atwater street. As a considerable number of very large and expensive bus-

ness blocks have been, or are now being constructed, on said street, from Pleasant street to Andrews street, which will require power for operating passenger and freight elevators and other motors, it is important, not only for the purpose named, but also that said property may have adequate protection from fire that a Holly main be extended in Mortimer street, from North Water street to North St. Paul street, and in North St. Paul street from Mortimer street to a point 550 feet north therefrom at once.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

By order of the Executive Board,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend a Holly water main in Mortimer street, from North Water street to North St. Paul street, and in North St. Paul street from Mortimer street to a point five hundred and fifty feet therefrom, at an estimated expense of fifteen hundred (1500) dollars; the cost thereof to be paid from any moneys in the pipe extension fund, and the work to be done in advance of the contemplated improvement on North St. Paul street.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The accompanying communication to you from F. Kreckman and others, owners of lands along and through which the Court and William st. outlet sewer discharges by an open ditch, has been handed to the Executive Board to be transmitted to you.

Said Board would respectfully recommend that the subject matter be referred to the committee of your body to whom was referred the matter of securing right of way for the North avenue outlet sewer, said committee to ascertain and report as in that case.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Referred to the Special Committee on the North avenue outlet sewer.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER,
Offices, City Hall, July 9th, 1883.

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law :

1. Monthly Report, showing expenditures for all purposes, by the Executive Board, during the month of June, 1883.

2. Monthly Statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board on the 30th day of June, 1883, at the close of business.

Respectfully, your obedient servant,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures by the Executive Board for all purposes during the month ending June 30, 1883:

Total Amount of Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.

Executive Board, orders in payment for labor.....	\$5,997 49
Orders passed by Common Council, at meetings June 11 and 25.....	62,258 43
Executive Board order, for interest on Water Works bonds.....	25,000 00
Total	\$93,255 97

Classification.

Highway Fund.....	\$11,575 38
Water Pipe Fund.....	7,924 34
Water Works Fund.....	5,942 68
Fire Department Fund.....	9,320 00
Local Improvement funds.....	30,638 47
Salary and Expense Fund.....	649 50
Street sprinkling funds.....	2,810 60
Interest on W. W. bonded debt.....	25,000 00
Total	\$93,255 97

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in charge of the Executive Board on the 30th day of June, 1883, at the close of business on that day.

Dr. Balances :

City Treasurer.....	\$32,707 48
Sidewalk Repair Funds.....	2,009 95
Local Improvement Funds.....	183,513 93
Street sprinkling funds.....	6,104 60
Total	\$174,140 96

Cr. Balances:

Highway Fund.....	29,276 96
Water Pipe Fund.....	63,988 61
Water Works Fund.....	6,468 67
Water Works Fund (special).....	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.....	65,862 89
Salary and Expense Fund.....	7,033 36
Total	\$174,140 96

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the City Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, July 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds on the 10th day of July, 1883, as required by section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Drawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund.....	\$29,601 83
.. .. Repair	6,451 73
.. .. Contingent Fund.....	40,606 64
.. .. Teachers'	87,719 49
Fire Department Fund.....	65,912 33
Poor Department Fund.....	54,468 61
Police Department Fund.....	53,728 53
Contingent Fund	29,170 37
Highway Fund.....	28,771 24
Lamp Fund.....	57,962 82
Health Fund.....	11,105 16
City Property Fund.....	3,728 94
Park Fund.....	964 73
Water Works Fund.....	11,162 25
Water Pipe fund.....	64,105 41
Salary and Expense Fund.....	7,033 94

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1883.

CHARLES H. STILLWELL,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Excise Commissioners—

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing June 1st, 1883, and ending June 30th, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, ale, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz:

June 4:	
Christ, Joseph; 43½ N Clinton st.....	\$ 50 00
Buck & Sanger, Powers Hotel.....	100 00
Friedman, Abraham; 51 Hanover st.....	50 00
Berdel, Henry; 66 West ave.....	50 00
Kelly, John; Hunter st and Caledonia ave.....	30 00
Kohl, Charles; Lowell and Martin sts.....	50 00
Miller, A H; 83 West ave.....	50 00
Ringwood, John; Campbell and Colvin sts.....	50 00
Stickel, Theodore; 104 Allen st.....	50 00
Fahrer, John; 91 and 93 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Ferguson, Thos W; Exchange and Edinburg sts.....	50 00
Schwab, Goodhard, 144 S St Paul st.....	50 00
McGee, James; 110 East ave.....	50 00
Muhl, Christian; 52 Dyell ave.....	50 00
Karle, John J; 88 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Rauber, P F & Bro; 132 West Main st.....	30 00
Sieger, John B; 238 Brown st.....	50 00
Arnold, John; Grape and Water sts.....	50 00
Hyland, Patrick K; 107 Monroe av.....	50 00
Grunauer, Joseph; 139 Jay st.....	50 00
June 6:	
Beckley, Zeller; Andrews and Water sts.....	50 00
Heilman, Franziska; 109 Hudson st.....	50 00
Phillips & Fuller; 3 and 5 North ave.....	50 00
Zweigle, John; 43 Front st.....	50 00
Zimbrich, Daniel; Mill and Market sts.....	5 00
Hart, John B; 146 St Joseph st.....	30 00
Wurtz, Frederick; 225 State st.....	50 00
June 8:	
Eisenberg, Conrad; 173 Pinnacle ave.....	50 00
Fisher, John J; 60 West ave.....	50 00
Whalen, Eugene. 94 Caledonia ave.....	50 00
Hyde, James; 113 Broadway st.....	30 00
Guntrac, Thomas; 284 E Main st.....	50 00
Youngs, John C; 64 Troup st.....	50 00
Wick, Henry; 392 Brown st.....	50 00

Schleber, Dorethea; 81 Front st.....	50 00
Bauer, Theodore; 188 St Joseph st.....	30 00
Topham, Edward; 65 West ave.....	60 00
Voss, Lina; 110 St Joseph st.....	50 00
Moran, J M; 38 Smith st.....	50 00
Zipke, Emil A; 5 Mt Hope ave.....	50 00
Newman, Josiah; 112 Front st.....	30 00
Grossman, Adolph; 77 North ave.....	50 00
Tierney, Nellie E; 1 and 3 Monroe ave.....	50 00
June 11:	
Brown, Frank; 39 Reynolds st.....	50 00
Say-r, Joseph; 133 State st.....	50 00
Langridge, Joseph; 174 State st.....	50 00
Hannan, J W & Co; 20 and 22 Irving place.....	5 00
Sheidon, Peter; 1 1/4 E. Main st.....	50 00
Smith, John; 68 North ave.....	50 00
Heberger, Elizabeth; 214 N. Clinton st.....	50 00
Weble, Caspar; Front and Mumford sts.....	50 00
Pfeffer, Charles; 43 Orange st.....	30 00
Bayer, Wendel, 56 Front st.....	60 00
McAnarney, Thomas; 140 Brown st.....	50 00
Merr, Anna; 33 Gregory st.....	5 00
Pien, Louis; 192 N. Clinton st.....	30 00
Biener, Geo H; 44 Herman st.....	50 00
Curvin, Thomas; 298 Plymouth ave.....	50 00
Gallitaderfer, Kate; 45 Childs st.....	50 00
Krapf, Bartolomay; 247 State st.....	50 00
Worth, Caroline; 69 Reynolds st.....	50 00
Miller, Ma,hew; 50 Ontario st.....	50 00
June 13:	
Felsing, John A; 11 W. Main st.....	30 00
Loweth, Sarah W; 77 Adams st.....	50 00
Zimmer, Conrad; 111 Mt Hope ave.....	50 00
Mirguct, Marie; 51 Front st.....	60 00
Hoffman, Ed; 49 Chatham st.....	50 00
Krasshar, Edward; 37 Mt. Hope ave.....	50 00
Brueck, George; 119 South ave.....	50 00
June 15:	
Bertram, George; 229 N. Clinton st.....	50 00
Bauer, Marcellus, 52 Front st.....	50 00
Egerer, Frederick, 162 North ave.....	50 00
King, Chas. W.; 382 State st.....	50 00
McDade, Andrew; 346 State st.....	50 00
Hunter, George; 23 Lake ave.....	50 00
Adwin, Stephen W.; first canal lock.....	30 00
Biel, Anton; 124 Pinnacle ave.....	50 00
Stape, Philip; 181 Scio st.....	50 00
Liese, George; 78 Pinnacle ave.....	50 00
June 18:	
Stierly, Samuel; North ave, and Stevens st....	50 00
Schmitz, Nicholas; Bay and Miller sts.....	50 00
Joiner, Martin; 295 and 297 State st.....	50 00
McGregor, Wm J; 166 Plymouth ave.....	50 00
Frank, Wigbert; 207 St. Joseph st.....	50 00
Schleifer, John; 92 Chatham st.....	50 00
Garland, James F; 132 Front st.....	50 00
Rueschel, John; 219 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Christie, Edward A; 68 Allen st.....	50 00
June 20:	
Boylan, Nicholas; 53 Lyell ave.....	50 00
Reinfield, Christopher; Lake ave.....	60 00
Thrasher, Fletcher M; 93 North st.....	30 00
Kitzel, Michael; 71 Lowell st.....	50 00
June 22:	
Biel, Jacob; 40 Weeger st.....	50 00
Millman, Samuel; 59 E Main st.....	30 00
Volkert, Michael; Pinnacle and South aves.....	50 00
Eckert, Titus; 235 Clifford st.....	50 00
Knope, Mary; Hill and Ford sts.....	50 00
Wiegand, Anthony J; 69 Monroe ave.....	50 00
Miller, Anthony; 4 West ave.....	50 00
Milow, Albert C; 24 State st.....	50 00
Knacksteadt, Henry; 61 Jay st.....	30 00
Julian, William; 85 Hill st.....	50 00
Schomberg, Hugo; 21 South ave.....	50 00
Held, Jacob; 17 Mt Hope ave.....	50 00
Farquahar, Harry T; 228 W Main st.....	50 00
Schoolcy, Edward M; 40 Monroe ave.....	30 00
Neligan, William; 138 State st.....	50 00
Brantigan, Henry S; 89 Pinnacle st.....	55 00
Brown, A R; 146 Plymouth ave.....	50 00
Vetter, Gottlieb; 195 1/2 Scio st.....	50 00
McMurray, Samuel; 144 Lyell ave.....	50 00
Lavigne, Zebulon; Saratoga ave and Mon-trose st.....	50 00
Paucher, William; 133 Mt Hope ave.....	50 00
Baker, John E; 64 Atwater st.....	70 00
Martin Geo H; 68 Exchange st.....	30 00
Mogridge, John; 23 Spring st.....	30 00
Higgins, Ezra M; 21 W Main st.....	50 00
Kosbahn, Gustave; 71 Mt Hope ave.....	50 00
Smith, Chas W; 12 Atwater st.....	50 00
Vogel, Vincent C; 18 and 20 Allen st.....	50 00
Backus, James M; 67 and 69 W Main st.....	50 00
Sheldon, Burton L; Clinton House.....	75 00
Walz, Ambrose; Hudson and Cliffords sts.....	50 00
June 27:	
Straub, John; 126 Lake ave.....	50 00
Willis Bros, 34 Centre st.....	50 00
Swikhard & Hondorf, 12 Exchange place.....	50 00
Mauder, Alies; Galusha and Oakman sts.....	30 00
Brooks, Teoplia; 62 Broadway st.....	50 00

Hammond, Thomas; 151 W. Main st.....	50 00
Appel, Edward; 8 Exchange place.....	50 00
Bonekessel, Andrew; 14 Pinnacle ave.....	50 00
June 29:	
Heuer, Herman; 88 Wilder st.....	50 00
Odenbach, Fred; 168 Jay st.....	50 00
Risele, Michael; 138 Mill st.....	50 00
Rickel, John; 207 N. Clinton st.....	50 00
Maloy, Martin; 36 Kent st.....	50 00
Powel, Malachi; 85 Front st.....	50 00
Schaeffer, Christian J.; 107 Lyell ave.....	50 00
Daus, Mathew; 62 Lyell ave.....	50 00
Schroth, Mary E.; 106 St. Joseph st.....	50 00
Kelly, Chas. J.; 209 Scio st.....	50 00

Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer..... \$ 6,860 00
Dated June 30, 1888.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

STATE OF NEW YORK,)
COUNTY OF MONROE,) ss.
City of Rochester,
The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of June, 1888.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Comm'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1888.
MAURICE MOYNAHAN,
Commissioner of Deeds,
in and for the City of Rochester.

Ordered, received, filed and published.
From the City Clerk—
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 10, 1888.)

To the Honorable Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—In accordance with Section 29 of the revised city charter, I hereby report the following named persons as having qualified and taken the oath of office:
A. H. Martin, Milk Inspector,
Fred. W. Sanborn, Commissioner of Deeds,
John F. Zimmer, Commissioner of Deeds,
Louis Eichman, Commissioner of Deeds.
F. N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.
ACTION ON ORDINANCES.
FIRST ORDINANCES.

FOR DEEPENING, ENLARGING AND EXTENDING THE SAXTON STREET OUTLET SEWER.
By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving the Saxton street outlet sewer from the center of Maple street to the Genesee River.

Adopted.
The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$66,904.
By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz
The deepening, enlargement, and the extending of the Saxton street outlet sewer, and the construction of an independent sewer where considered practicable, along the following described route, v. z: Beginning in Saxton street, at the center of Maple street, thence through Saxton street and the culvert under the Erie Canal to Moore street, thence through Moore street to Lyell avenue, thence through Lyell avenue to Frank street, thence through Frank street to White street, thence through White street to the White street culvert, thence through the ravine to Spencer street, thence through Spencer street to the Genesee River; also the necessary sewer connections and manholes. Size of sewer from center of Campbell to Magna street 3x3 1/2 feet with arch and invert. Size of sewer from Magna street to the Genesee River 4x4 feet with arch and invert.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense therefor, and reports the same at \$66,904 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :
All the territory included within and described by the following boundary lines, viz.: Beginning at a point in State street thirty feet north of Jay street; thence northerly along State street and including one tier of lots on each side thereof to Smith street and Vincent place respectively; thence westerly along

Smith street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Jones street; thence southerly along Jones street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Jay street, excepting the lot on the northeast corner of Jay and Jones streets; thence westerly along Jay street and excepting one tier of lots on the north side of Jay street to the Erie canal; thence northwesterly along the Erie canal to Lyell avenue; thence easterly along Lyell avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Durkin alley; thence northerly along Durkin alley to Jones avenue; thence easterly along Jones avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Saratoga avenue; thence northerly along Saratoga avenue and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Lorimer street, excepting the lot on the south-west corner of Saratoga avenue and Lorimer street; thence easterly along Lorimer street, excepting one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to Frank street; thence southeasterly along Frank street to Ambrose street; thence easterly along Ambrose street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Lake avenue; thence southerly along Lake avenue and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Spencer street; thence easterly along Spencer street, and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the end of Spencer street; thence easterly in a continuation of the north line of Spencer street to the Genesee river; thence southerly along the Genesee river to Vincennes place; thence westerly along Vincennes place and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Lake avenue; thence direct to the place of beginning.

Also, all the territory on the southwesterly side of the Erie canal, enclosed within, and described by the following boundary lines, viz: Beginning at the intersection of Lyell avenue with the Erie canal; thence northwesterly along the Erie canal to a point opposite the south line of Otis street; thence westerly and along the south line of Otis street to Cameron street; thence southerly along Cameron street, excepting one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Lyell avenue; thence westerly along Lyell avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to a point 400 feet west of Murray street; thence easterly along Lyell avenue and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Murray street; thence southerly along Murray street, and the extension thereof, and including one tier of lots on the west thereof to Jay street; thence westerly along Jay street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to a point opposite the north line of Ames street; thence southerly along Ames street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Maple street; thence westerly along Maple street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to a point 400 feet west of Ames street; thence easterly along Maple street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Ames street; thence southerly along Ames street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to West avenue; thence westerly along West avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the city line; thence easterly along West avenue and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Hancock street; thence southerly along Hancock street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Chitt avenue; thence easterly along Chitt avenue and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Briggs place; thence southerly along Briggs place and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to the south end of Briggs place; thence northerly along Briggs place and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to West avenue; thence easterly along West avenue to Brown street; thence north easterly along Brown street, and excepting one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Wilder street; thence northerly along Wilder street and Grape street, and excepting one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Orange street; thence northerly along Grape street, and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Jay street; thence easterly along Jay street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to the Erie canal; thence northwesterly along the Erie canal to the place of beginning.

And the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows:

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the Assessment Roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such Roll; one-fifth within two years from the confirmation of such roll; one-fifth within three years from the confirmation of such roll, and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent, per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improve-

ment are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, July the 24th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN MARIA STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Maria street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,112.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:—

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Maria street, from the sewer in Clifford street to the south line of Bernard street; also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,112, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, that the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:—

One tier of lots on each side of Maria street, from Clifford street to the south line of Bernard street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, July the 24th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SEWER IN MONTROSE STREET, FRANK STREET AND BLOSS STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a sewer in Frank street, Montrose street and Bloss street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$2,800.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:—

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Montrose street, from a point 75 feet east of Saratoga avenue to the centre of Frank street; also a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Frank street, from a point 100 feet north of Lorimer street to the centre of Costar street; and a pipe sewer 18 inches in diameter in Frank street and Bloss street, from the centre of Costar street to the sewer in Fulton avenue, in place of the present 12-inch pipe sewer.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$2,800, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:—

One tier of lots on each side of Bloss street from Backus avenue to Fulton avenue.

Also one tier of lots on each side of Frank street, from Bloss street to a point 100 feet north of Lorimer street.

Also one tier of lots on each side of Costar street, from Frank street to a point 100 feet east of Saratoga avenue.

Also one tier of lots on each side of Montrose street, from Frank street to a point 75 feet east of Saratoga avenue.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessment in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount, within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of said last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent, per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, July the 24th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN HURON STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Huron street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$683.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:—

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Huron street, from the sewer in Scio street to a point 126 feet west of Hebard street; also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$833, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Huron street, from Scio street to a point 126 feet West of Hebard street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, July the 24th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN GOODMAN STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Goodman st., also in the first street north of Monroe ave., across a property owned by Hiram Sibley.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$3,000.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Goodman st., from a point 50 feet south of Park av. to a point 140 feet north of Monroe av. Also as an outlet for the above proposed sewer, a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in the first street north of Monroe avenue (unnamed), extending across property owned by Hiram Sibley, from the centre of Goodman st. to the east end of said unnamed st., thence to the Monroe avenue sewer. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$3,000, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Goodman st., from a point 50 feet south of Park ave., to a point 140 feet north of Monroe ave.

Also one tier of lots on each side of said above mentioned (unnamed) street, from the east end thereof, to Goodman st.

And further, Resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvements may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, July the 24th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

IMPROVING MT. HOPE AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving Mt. Hope avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$12,100.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The improvement of Mt. Hope avenue from the entrance to Mt. Hope cemetery (a point 639 feet south of Highland avenue) being the south line of lands owned by Messrs. Eliwanger & Barry, by constructing a Macadam roadway with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof, width of roadway between curbstones to be 30 feet. Also the necessary street grading and crosswalks.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$12,100, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Mt. Hope avenue from a point opposite the center of the entrance to Mt. Hope cemetery, to a point 539 feet south of Highland avenue.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows: One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one fifth of the amount within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, July 24 h, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

CONCORD AVENUE PIPE SEWER.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Concord avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$2,670.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Concord avenue from the sewer in North st. to the sewer in Channing street.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,670, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Concord avenue, from North street to Channing st.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII, section 172 of the revised Charter of 1880 of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, July the 24th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN HUNTINGTON STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a sewer in Huntington street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,201.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Huntington street, from a point 115 feet east of Huron street to the sewer in North street; also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$1,201, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Huntington street, from a point 115 feet east of Hudson street to North street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, July the 24th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

GATES AVENUE BRIDGE ACROSS DEEP HOLLOW CREEK.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a wooden bridge across Deep Hollow

creek at Gates avenue; also the necessary masonry abutments and retaining walls.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$1,500.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:
The construction of a wooden bridge 21 feet in width and 15 feet in length across Deep Hollow creek at Gates avenue; also the necessary masonry abutments and retaining walls; also the grading of the approaches thereto.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,500, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

All that portion of the 15th ward between the Erie canal and Lyell avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, July the 24th, 1888, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,517.

STONE SEWER IN MILL STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

An ordinance to construct a stone sewer 2x3 ft. in size with stone arch and brick invert, in Mill street, from the south end of the present sewer in Mill street, near the middle of Center street, to a point 55 feet north of Mumford street; also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$7,500, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Mill street, from Center street to a point 55 feet north of Mumford street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,518.

PLANK WALK ON CAROLINE STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Caroline street, from South avenue to Meigs street, except where good plank walks now exist at the proper grade.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on the north side of Caroline street, from South avenue to Meigs street, except where good plank walks now exist at the proper grade. Also the necessary crosswalks and the relaying of such walks as may be found necessary.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$866, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city

which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of Caroline street, from South avenue to Meigs street, in front of which the proposed walk shall be constructed or relaid.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Rice moved that the owners living on Caroline street be allowed thirty days to construct their own walks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,519.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Franklin street from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street, during the season of 1888.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Franklin street, from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street, during the season of 1888.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$127, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin street, from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,520.

PIPE SEWER IN PARK AVENUE AND CULVER STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Park avenue and Culver street from a point 40 feet east of Vick park to the sewer in East avenue.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester, having determined that the following improvement is necessary to be made, do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Park avenue, from a point 40 feet east of Vick park to the centre of Bates street, and a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Park avenue from the centre of Bates street to the centre of the Culver road, and 15 inches in diameter in the Culver road from the centre of Park avenue to the sewer in East avenue. Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$5,421, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Park avenue, from Vick park to the Culver road, and one tier of lots on the west side of the Culver road, from Park avenue to East avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,521.

SPRINKLING FRANK STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Alderman Aikenhead submitted the following:
 An ordinance to sprinkle Frank street, from Center street to a point 100 feet south of Platt street, during the season of 1883.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Frank street, from Center street to a point 100 feet south of Platt street, during the season of 1883.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$97, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvements is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Frank street, from Center street to a point 100 feet south of Platt street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,522.

OPENING OF A STREET FROM REYNOLDS STREET TO SEWARD STREET.

On motion of Ald. Southard the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to open a street from Reynolds street to Seward street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The opening of a street 50 feet in width, extending from Reynolds street to Seward street, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor is described as follows, viz.: Being a strip of land 50 feet in width (except where cut off at the angle in Seward street), extending from Reynolds street to Seward street, the center line of which to be the south line of the Strong tract.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,000, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of the proposed street, from Reynolds street to Seward street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,523.

IMPROVING MANHATTAN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve Manhattan street, from the south curb line of Court street to the north curb line of Monroe avenue.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of Manhattan street, from the south curb line of Court street to the north curb line of Monroe avenue, by constructing a gravel roadway on a stone foundation, with curb stones and gutters on each side thereof; width of roadway between curb stones to be 22 feet; also flag walk 4 feet in width on each side of said roadway; also the necessary cross-walks, surface sewers, lot laterals, manholes, street gradings and the cleaning of the main sewer.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direc-

tion of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$11,189, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Manhattan street, from Court street to Monroe avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments as follows: One fifth of the amount assessed, within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a remonstrance. The final ordinance to improve Manhattan street was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,524.

BEACON STREET PLANK WALK.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Beacon street, from University avenue to Anderson avenue, except where good plank walks now exist at the proper grade.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side of Beacon street, from University avenue to Anderson avenue, except where good 4-foot plank walk now exist at the proper grade. Also, the necessary cross-walks, and the relaying of the present walks where necessary.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$39, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Beacon street, from University avenue to Anderson avenue, in front of which the proposed walks shall be constructed and relaid.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,525.

PIPE SEWER IN KLINGLER STREET AND WIDMAN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Klingler and Widman streets, from the sewer in St. Joseph street to a point 115 feet north of Hermann street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer, 15 inches in diameter in Klingler street, from the sewer in St. Joseph street, to a point opposite the center of Widman street, and a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Widman street, from the center of Klingler street, to a point 115 feet north of Hermann street. Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$2,005, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Klingler street, for its entire length. Also, one tier of lots on each side of Widman street, for its entire length.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 326.

MAPLE STREET SEWER.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a sewer in Maple street, from the end of the present Maple street sewer near Ames street to a point 40 feet west of Ames street. The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of an egg-shaped cement pipe sewer, 15x22 inches in diameter, in Maple street, from the end of the present Maple street sewer near Ames street to a point 40 feet west of Ames street. Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and man-holes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,415, which estimate is hereby approved and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Maple street, from Ames street to a point 40 feet west thereof.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The final ordinance to improve North and South Francis streets, came up. Ald. Foley moved to amend by making the improvement of McAdam instead of Medina stone, and to extend from the south curb line of Brown street to the north curb line of Cady street and that the estimate be changed accordingly, and that notice for allegations be published as usual. Adopted.

The final ordinance to open and extend Edward street came up. Ald. Southard moved to indefinitely postpone. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the proposition made by the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia Railroad Company with reference to the closing of Trowbridge street be and the same hereby is accepted and that the city attorney cause the necessary legal steps to be taken to provide for the closing of Trowbridge street in accordance with the proposition accepted as aforesaid.

Ald. Bronson moved that the report and the proposition of the railroad company be received, filed and published and action on the resolution be postponed two weeks. Adopted.”

“Ald. Bronson moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.”

Ald. Foley moved that the resolution be adopted. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote.

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Charles Wilson, First ward;

L. E. Morley, Fritz Voges, Seventh ward;

Charles F. L'Hommedieu, Twelfth ward;

James T. Southard, Thirteenth ward;

James M. Aikenhead, Fourteenth ward;

having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council, were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Aikenhead moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Ald. Collins nominated Jacob Howe, Jr.

Ald. Watson nominated J. W. Rosenthal.

Ald. Foley nominated E. B. Chace.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

E. B. Chace was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

Ald. Watson moved to discontinue balloting for Police Commissioner.

Lost by the following vote:

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Rice—4.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

E. B. Chace was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

John W. Martin was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

W. B. Morse was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

Rich'd Whalen was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.

W. B. Morse was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.
J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords 4.

George W. Archer was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

Ald. Archer moved to postpone balloting and proceed under the head of Miscellaneous Business.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley—4.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

TENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

Richard Whalen was named by Ald. Jeffords. Foley—2.

No choice.

ELEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

John W. Martin was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

TWELFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

Wm. S. Smith was named by Ald. Ald. Jeffords—1.

John W. Martin was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

THIRTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

John W. Martin was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

FOURTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

John W. Martin was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

FIFTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Foley—3.

John W. Martin was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.

No choice.

SIXTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

John W. Martin was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

SEVENTEENTH VOTE.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

EIGHTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

NINETEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

W. S. Thompson was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.

John W. Martin was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

TWENTIETH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

Richard Whalen was named by Ald. Jeffords, Foley—2.
No choice.

TWENTY-FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

James Fee was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.
George D. Forsyth was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

TWENTY-SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

James Fee was named by Ald. Jeffords, Foley—2.

No choice.

TWENTY-THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

James Fee was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

TWENTY-FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

James Fee was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.

Ambrose Cram was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

TWENTY-FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

Martin Barron was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

TWENTY-SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

TWENTY-SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

TWENTY-EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

TWENTY-NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

Fred'k Zimmer was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

THIRTIETH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

THIRTY-FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Foley—3.

Wm. S. Thompson was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.

No choice.

THIRTY-SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

THIRTY-THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Foley—3.

W. S. Thompson was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.

No choice.

THIRTY-FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

James Fee was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.
Geo. Chambers was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

THIRTY-FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

Geo. Chambers was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

THIRTY-SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

Geo. Chambers was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

THIRTY-SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins,

Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.
 J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.
 Geo. Chambers was named by Ald. Foley—1.
 No choice.

THIRTY-EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.
 J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.
 Geo. Chambers was named by Ald. Foley—1.
 No choice.

THIRTY-NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.
 J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.
 Geo. Chambers was named by Ald. Foley—1.

FORTIETH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.
 J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.
 J. A. Hinds was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.
 C. A. Jeffords was named by Ald. Foley—1.
 No choice.

Ald. Archer moved to postpone balloting and proceed under the head of Miscellaneous Business.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Felsing, Rice—7.
 Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Foley, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—8

FORTY-FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly Simmelink—11.
 J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.
 George Chambers was named by Ald. Foley—1.
 No choice.

FORTY-SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.
 J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.
 George Chambers was named by Ald. Foley—1.
 No choice.

Ald. Kelly moved to postpone balloting until the next regular meeting.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Kelly, Simmelink—9.
 Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead—5.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Archer in the chair.
 Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for plank walks on Flower street and Second avenue. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for electric light on Lake avenue from Driving Park ave-

nue to the city line. Referred to the Lam Committee.

By Ald. Southard:

Resolved, That the Executive Board be directed to lay a flag-stone crosswalk on Hudson street at Nassau street, north line. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Thomas Moulson. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Ezra Lewis, guardian, for compensation for alleged damages from the overflow of East avenue outlet sewer. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Hinds from the Finance Committee submitted the following:

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN—In compliance with your request to make an examination of the Treasurer's report and books in his office for the fiscal year included in this report (viz., from March 4th, 1882, to March 13th, 1883), we would herein respectfully report the results of our investigation:

We carefully examined all the entries on the books relating to cash receipts, adding up the same in detail, and all were found to be correct and properly credited to the different funds. The amount required to be raised in the tax levy of 1881-2 was found to have been properly accounted for by cash receipts, or by the lands having been purchased by the city at the tax sale held at the regular time.

We also procured statements of payments made the Treasurer from the Executive Board on account of the Water Works Fund, from the Police Clerk on account of the Police Fund, and from the Clerk of the Municipal Court which is credited to the Contingent Fund, and all were found to agree with the amounts entered on the books.

Vouchers were introduced for all payments included in the report as expenditures; all the coupons were carefully examined and counted, and found correct. The amounts charged as retentions to the Union Trust Company to pay the obligations of the city as they became due were found to have been duly acknowledged by them.

The following statement shows all the cash receipts and expenditures of the office from March 4th, 1882, to March 13th, 1883, and at the latter date there should have been a balance of cash in the office and on deposit of \$59,979.97.

CASH BALANCE—REPORT FOR 1882-3.

1882.	To cash balances as per report of this date.....	\$	44,311 92
1883.	March 13. To cash, sundry receipts in office.....		1,664,209 75
	To cash, proceeds notes discounted.....		985,574 24
		\$	2,694,095 91
1888.	March 13. By cash, sundry payments as per vouchers..		\$2,634,115 94
	By cash, balance as per report.....		59,979 97
			2,694,095 91

CASH BALANCE FROM LEDGER.

1882.	March 4. To cash, balance ledger account.....	\$	7,060 81
1883.	March 13. To cash, sundry receipts.....		2,186,691 20
	To cash, receipts on deposits.....		1,743,604 91
			3,934,376 92
1883.	March 13. By cash, sundry pay't's as per vouchers... \$2,634,115 94		
	By less not entered in ledger cash account.....		168,165 00
		\$	2,465,950 94
	By cash deposits in banks.....	\$	1,725,496 48
	By less not entered in ledger cash account.....		297,927 79
			1,427,568 69
			3,893,519 63

Cash balance as per ledger account.... \$ 40,857 29

1882. March 4. Cash on deposit.... \$ 37,231 11

1888. March 13. Cash deposits as above..... 1,725,496 48

	\$1,762,727 59	
Less cash receipts on deposits as above.....	1,743,604 91	19,122 68

Cash in office and on deposit as per report..... \$ 59,979 79

Certificates were produced showing the amounts on deposit in the different banks to the credit of the city on March 13th, 1883, and were found to agree with the amounts as stated in the report and books kept by the Treasurer.

The books of the Mount Hope Commissioners were also examined, and the cash balance therein called for was found to have been duly entered to their credit in the pass books of the savings banks in which these funds are deposited.

We would also state that there was at the date of the Treasurer's report the sum of \$18,451.26 on deposit in two of our savings banks, being a surplus of receipts on dividends from the Genesee Valley Railroad stock owned by the city, after having paid the interest on and the principal of the bonds then due, issued for its purchase, and by law cannot be used for any other purpose; and this amount is not included in the cash balance as hereinbefore stated.

Respectfully submitted,
C. B. DENNY,
W. E. HASSAN.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Foley—Report of Committee on Wooden Buildings:

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That Addison W. Head, E. A. Jones, Rochester City & Brighton R. R. Co., W. D. Brooks, Jacob J. Hart and W. B. Morse & Co. have permission to build frame buildings according to the prayer of their petitions, under the direction of the Committee on Wooden Buildings and Fire Marshal. The committee report adversely on the petition of F. R. Plummer. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and is hereby requested to build a stone crosswalk across West ave., opposite Henion place. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 10 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully report the following lamps not burning during the month of June, 1883. gas, 42; oil, 163. Respectfully,

ALEX. McLEAN,
Chief Police.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition for a cross walk on Monroe avenue at Edmonds street. Referred to the Executive Board.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Nelson H. Barbour for permission to erect a wood building on William street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of W. T. Simpson, Collector of Customs, on behalf of the United States in relation to assessments on government property. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Catharine Bottomley. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Watson presented a communication in relation to the condition of the building known as the City hotel, corner Court and St. Paul street, and submitted the following:

By Ald. Watson—Whereas, The premises consisting of three tenements partially constructed of brick which is situated on the corner of Sycamore and Cedar streets, in the 4th ward, has been declared a common nuisance and unsafe for habitation by human beings and is filthy in the extreme by the Board of Health.

Therefore, Resolved, That the Fire Marshal notify the owner or occupants of said unsafe

and filthy buildings to take down the same within ten days after a copy of this resolution shall be served on such owner or occupants; and if said owner or occupants fail to take down said buildings then the Fire Marshal is hereby ordered to take down said unsafe and uninhabitable and filthy block and report the expense to the Common Council, to be assessed on the land on which it stood, as per section 277 of the revised city charter.

Resolved, That the above block of buildings being in a filthy, unsafe and unfit for habitation by human beings the same is hereby declared a public nuisance, and the Fire Marshal is hereby directed to remove said materials from the premises and destroy the same in accordance with subdivision 5, of section 40, city charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson:

Resolved, That a license for a museum to be located at the Falls Field, North St. Paul street, be granted to W. C. Coup and Fred F. Levantine, on the payment by them into the city treasury of the sum of \$25. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson:

Resolved, That the City Surveyor be directed to examine the outlet of the Scrantom street sewer and report to this board a plan for extending or covering the same to the Genesee river. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson:

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to cancel the assessment for street sprinkling against Maria T. Ottnot on part lot 19, east side of Meigs street, the said property now being owned by Mercie Ann Jeffrey and included in her assessment for Meigs street sprinkling. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—Whereas, Mrs. Davison has constructed 3 small frame additions in the rear of her brick block on cor. Platt and Allen streets without permission of the Common Council, not knowing that such permission was necessary,

Therefore, resolved, That all action taken by Mrs. Davison in construction of the said additions be and the same is hereby confirmed. Adopted.

Ald. Barron moved that the Executive Board be requested to act and co-operate with the special committee on North ave. outlet sewer. Adopted.

Ald. Collins presented a communication from the assessors in relation to assessments on the property of Sarah S. Woolard and Mary E. Briggs. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Also, the petition of Belle S. Miller Referred to the Assessment Committee.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, July 24th, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Bronson—1.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, July

10th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, & C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

Ald. Collins presented a petition to change the name of Taylor alley. Referred to the Committee on Opening and Alteration of Streets.

By Aid. Collins—Bills of

H. F. Montgomery, M. D., services Hooker case.....	\$ 50 00
Clague & Wegman, pens, &c.....	26 08
Steele & Avery, stationary.....	44 60
John C. Moore, binding and blank books.....	25 1-
E. L. Hovey, M. D., services Hooker case.....	50 00
H. H. Langworthy, M. D., services Hooker case.....	50 00
Scrantom, Wetmore & Co., stationary.....	7 59
E. D. Smith, Jr., stenographer's service.....	60 00
Drew, Allis & Co., city directories and printing city ordinances.....	125 50
Chas. W. Carroll, serving redemption notices.....	43 00
City Assessors, extra clerk hire.....	106 00
S. A. Latimore, analysis of water and report Hooker case.....	175 00

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of George M. Heberger in relation to an assessment. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition for the improvement of Meigs street.

Referred to the Improvement Committee.

By Aid. Jeffords—bills of

J. W. Maser, lighting and care of oil lamps for June.....	\$69 07
Citizens' Gas Company, lighting and care of gas lamps for June.....	3,045 28
Citizens' Gas Company, setting lamp posts.....	11 15

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of S. S. Braman. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of J. J. Morley for permission to erect a wood dwelling on Lake avenue and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

Adopted.

By Aid. Pitkin—Bills of

E. R. Andrews, printing bail bonds.....	\$ 4 00
S. A. Pierce, medical services.....	31 00
Consumers Ice Co., ice at headquarters.....	85 00
Charles Ealy, cleaning carpet.....	19 96
B. Frank Enos, expenses for June.....	94 85

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Aid. Felsing—Bills of

Fleckenstein Bros., bread.....	\$ 117 36
Leo. Schlitzer, rent.....	20 00
C. E. Bowen, rent.....	20 00
Charles Englert, rent.....	10 00
Wm. Knight.....	6 00
J. Howe, jr., bread.....	192 76
Schaffer Bros.,	85 24
P. Kleinhaus, meat.....	50 00
P. Connaughton, groceries.....	12 00
Richardson & Niven, meal.....	5 00
Gerling Bros., flour.....	182 25
Mathias Miller, meat.....	25 00
Scrantom & Wetmore, stationery, (Ex. Bd.).....	2 25
Jeffrey & Co., burials.....	12 00
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	80 64

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Felsing presented a petition for a pipe sewer in Silver street. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

By Aid. Rice—Bills of

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage.....	\$ 228 00
P. Bradley.....	228 00
J. W. Maser.....	218 00
Jacob Rauber.....	114 00
H. F. Van Dake, supt.....	84 00
M. Heavey, board of horse.....	20 00
A. C. Parsons, services as health inspector.....	9 96
J. Birmingham, shoeing fishers' horse.....	7 00

Referred to the finance committee for payment.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of William Reiber for permission to erect a dwelling on Davis street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of Christian Holzworth, for permission to move a wood building on Hollister street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the claim of John Galvin for services.

Referred to the Board of Health.

By Aid. Kelly—Bills of

Gaut'n & Basset, plumbing, steam fitting and material, City Hall.....	\$1,527 66
Woodbury, Morse & Co., dusters, sponges, &c.....	18 83
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal, City Hall.....	255 00
May, Wehn & Co.,	255 00
George Weldon & Co., labor and material.....	18 80
Mrs. Maggie Hursh, cleaning Front St. B'ldg.....	2 17
Walter Williamson, labor and material.....	978 34
Steele & Avery, lawn mower.....	17 00
American Chem. Carpet Cleaning Co., cleaning carpet, City Clerk.....	8 84
J. Margrander, lambrequins, &c., Mayor's office.....	20 00
Burnett & Kooner, repairing furniture, Mayor's office.....	12 00

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for a plank walk on Jennings street. Referred to the improvement committee.

Ald. Barron presented the petition of Charles J. Lester for permission to erect a dwelling on Culver park.

Permission was granted under direction of the wood building committee and Fire Marshal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee; Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp Committee; Ald. Felsing, from the Poor Committee; Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance committee for payment.

By Aid. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

Your Committee, to which was referred the various matters hereinafter mentioned, have heard and considered the allegations of the claimants and their witnesses and made an investigation of the claims, and do with reference to said matters, hereby report:

Louisa Kuefer claims that she has suffered damage by reason of the lowering of the grade of St. Joseph street in the vicinity of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company's tracks, which change of grade was made necessary by the construction of the elevated tracks.

Your Committee has heretofore considered several such claims and has held that there is no legal claim against the city by reason of such action as the City has taken in the premises, and your Committee reports adversely upon this claim.

Catharine E. Buttumley makes a claim similar to the foregoing. She alleges that her lot situated on Lyell Avenue has been materially injured by reason of the removal of the approaches of Lyell Street Bridge, which removal made necessary the change in the grade of the street.

For the reasons above stated in the foregoing your Committee reports adversely upon this claim.

Your committee has considered the claim made by Mr. Cogswell for services rendered in the action entitled Smith and others against the City of Rochester.

Mr. Cogswell was retained as counsel for the city at the time of the commencement of this action, which was in the year 1873. The bill rendered is for all services in the case from the time the same was tried down to and including the argument of the case before the Court of Appeals.

Your committee is of the opinion, under the statements made by the Executive Board, that the bill should be paid, and therefore submit herewith a resolution to that effect.

William H. Jones claims that the city should pay one hundred dollars damages by reason of an accident caused by the breaking of a plank over the race on South Water street, whereby his horse was injured. The covering over said race was constructed by the owners thereof and such owners are liable if the said covering is not kept in proper repair. There is no liability against the city by reason of the said planking or covering being out of repair, unless actual notice shall have been given of the dangerous condition a reasonable time before the happening of any injury. The cause of action for damages, therefore, in this matter is against the race owners and not against the city, as no claim is made that any notice of its alleged unsafe condition was given.

Your committee, therefore, report adversely upon this claim.

GEORGE W. ARCHER,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of William F. Coggswell for \$1,597.80 (one thousand five hundred and ninety-seven and 80-100 dollars) in full of services and disbursements in the case of Hiram Smith and others against the city of Rochester, to July 1st, 1883.

And charge Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—15.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Lamp Committee, to whom was referred several petitions for electric lights, report favorably thereon, and submit the accompanying resolution, and recommend the adoption thereof.

Resolved, That the Brush Electric Light Company be directed to place electric lights in Lake avenue from Lyeil avenue to the city line, and in Cliff street, one light. Said lights to be erected upon poles, arches or other device, as may be directed by the Lamp Committee, and as many other lights displaced as can be judiciously dispensed with, under the supervision of the Lamp Committee.

C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
J. A. HINDS,
Lamp Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF THE ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.

By Ald. Collins—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Assessment Committee, to which was referred several petitions relating to assessments, report: That in the matter of W. T. Simpson, for the United States, Sarah S. Woolard and Mary E. Briggs, there seems to be involved questions of law, and your committee have referred them to the Law Committee.

In the matter of the trustees of the Holy Redeemer Church, the committee, after consultation with the City Surveyor, who is conversant with the improvement made, deem the assessment equitable and just, and therefore report adversely to the prayer of the petitioner.

In relation to other petitions, your committee submit the accompanying resolutions and recommend the adoption thereof.

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be authorized to receive of Wm. Anderson the amount of the general city taxes with interest at seven per cent. for the years 1875 and '76, on lots 1 and 3 Evergreen tract, Evergreen place, assessed to Francis G. Worcester, and cancel the same. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be authorized to receive the amount of the general city taxes as appears on the sales register for 1876 to 1881, both inclusive, with interest at 7 per cent., on lot 15, sec. P, Jones tract, Thompson street, assessed to Edward Conway, and cancel said taxes. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Mrs. N. P. Stone and Giles Carter were erroneously assessed for Franklin street sprinkling, No. 2,273, their property not fronting on said street,

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to cancel said assessments and charge erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to cancel tax for sprinkling North Clinton street, ordinance No. 2,193, the amount of \$1.61, assessed to Frederick Knoff and charge to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to receive \$14.51 for general city tax for 1883, with expenses and interest, for lot No. 19 east part Troup tract, west side Julia street, 8th ward, assessed to Honora Mulcahy, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, The lots Nos. 1 and 2 of the Whitney tract, on the east side of Saxton street, have by mistake been included in the territory to be assessed for Brown street bridge approaches and the Brown street lift bridge; and

Whereas, The owner of the said lots has paid the sum of fifty-one cents assessment under the ordinance of Brown street lift bridge approaches, and has paid \$1.38, the first payment under the ordinance for the Brown street lift bridge; and

Whereas, The four payments of \$1.68 each are erroneously liens against said lots under the ordinance for said Brown street bridge; therefore

Resolved, That the city clerk be and he hereby is directed to draw an order on the city treasurer in favor of Margaret Gavin and husband for \$1.89 and charge the same to erroneous assessments, and that the city treasurer be and he hereby is directed to cancel the assessment against said lots for Brown street lift bridge and charge the same to erroneous assessments.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—15.

By Ald. Collins—

To the Honorable the Common Council

GENTLEMEN: The communication of the taxpayers on Hollister street, dated May 13th, 1883, asking for a readjustment of the taxes on the Channing street sewer, which was referred to your Assessment Committee, has been thoroughly examined, and the basis of their complaint is substantially as follows:

On March 2d, 1874, the Board of Public Works passed an ordinance for the construction of a sewer in Channing street, from the sewer in North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Hudson street, and the territory indicated, upon which the assessment of the cost of the sewer was to be made, was as follows, viz: All the lots and parcels of land on each side of Channing street, from North avenue to Hudson street; and for outlet purposes, all the lots and parcels of land within the following described territory, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of Channing street with Hollister street; running thence northerly along Hollister street, including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Clifford street; thence easterly along Clifford street, excepting a tier of lots on the north side thereof, to Hudson street; thence southerly along Hudson street, excepting a tier of lots on the east side thereof, to Channing street; thence easterly along Channing street, excepting a tier of lots on the north side thereof, to the place of beginning. The territory above described includes one tier of lots on each side of Hollister street, from Channing street to Clifford street, excepting the lot on the southwest corner of Hollister and Clifford streets and the lots on the northeast and northwest corners of Hollister and Channing streets.

This territory should never have been placed in the ordinance for the Channing street sewer, as the ground

falls rapidly from Channing street to Clifford street, the difference in elevation being 8 feet. On September 6th, 1881, the Common Council passed an ordinance for the construction of a sewer in Hollister street, from near Channing street to Clifford street, outletting through Clifford street into the sewer in North avenue. This sewer conforms in grade to the topography of the ground, is in accord with the sentiment of the taxpayers on the street and is now being paid for by them.

As that drainage area is in nowise connected with the Channing street sewer, we consider all assessments on that sewer erroneous, and think the prayer of the petitioners to be based on equitable premises, and should therefore be granted, and present the accompanying resolution for adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

A. BRONSON,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
A. COLLINS,
Committee.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to refund to all persons who have paid for Channing street sewer (ordinance No. 1,668) on lots on Hollister street, assessed for said Channing street sewer, the amount paid by each, and charge erroneous assessments.

Adopted by the following vote

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Collins—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

The Assessment committee to whom was referred the application of Charles F. Pond in reference to an account for repairs of sidewalk in front of lot No. 46, north side of Gregory st., would respectfully report that upon an investigation thereof were of the opinion that said account is not a legal claim against said lot.

Dated July 21st, 1883.

AMON BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to cancel the assessment of \$11.47 against lot 46, north side of Gregory st., for sidewalk repairs and charge the same to Erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lot No. 2 and 3 of the Flour City Building Lot Association Tract, Lake avenue, 15th Ward, was assessed for Lake Avenue Grading, No. 2,150, under one valuation and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated July 24, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$32.50, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 24, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

Sir: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Wm. W. Gilbert, viz.

Lot No. 3, Flour City Building Lot Association tract, west side of Lake avenue, 15th Ward, 56 feet and 4 inches front, 56 feet rear, and 150 feet deep, and that the under one valuation and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore, Property should pay as his portion of Lake Avenue Grading Tax, No. 2,150, the sum of \$32.50, upon the payment of which, with expense and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 24, 1883. }

(A true copy) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 8 of the St. Joseph Orphan Asylum tract, Clifford street, 16th Ward, was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer, No.

2,225, under one valuation and in one amount and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated July 24th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$65.74, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 24th, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

Sir—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Henry James and wife, viz.:

Lot No. 8 W. pt. St. Joseph Orphan Asylum Tract, North side of Clifford street, 16th ward, 32 feet 8 inches front, 32 feet 8 inches rear, and 144 feet deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as their portion of Clifford street outlet sewer tax No. 2,225, the sum of \$65.74, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described and.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 21, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 6 and 7 of heg Whitney tract, Walnut st. 11th ward, was assessed for General City Tax for 1883, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated July 24th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$3.53, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted,

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 24th, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

Sir—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to John J. Burns, viz. : Lots No. 6 and 7, m. pt. of Whitney tract, west side of Walnut street, 11th ward, 42.6 feet front, 42.6 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of General City Tax for 1883, the sum of \$5.53, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 24th, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Ald. Collins presented the following assessment rolls:

- South Union street plank walk.
- Frederick street sewer.
- Opening and extending Evergreen street.
- Tappan street sewer.
- Vose street sewer.
- Pennsylvania ave. plank walk.
- Rauber street pipe sewer.
- Jones street plank walk.

On motion of Ald. Collins the rolls were confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 24th, 1883.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

Chas. E. Morris, stationary.....	\$ 132 01
Geo. P. Bailey, repairing ribbon stamp, City Treasurer.....	43 00
Williamson & Higbie, stationery municipal court.....	30 45

W. L. Buckland, livery May, June and July...	26 50
John Quin, services in Hooker case.....	18 00
Alling & Cory, stationery Attorney's office..	10 25
Williamson & Higbie .. Treasurer's ..	8 90
Alling & Cory, books City Surveyor.....	4 50
C. Mayer, hack hire.....	8 00
C. J. Connolly, stamp.....	4 25
Scotom & Wetmore, stationery for City At- torney.....	17 45
Williamson & Higbie, stationery for City At- torney.....	11 18
Rochester Printing Co., Clerk's notic.es.....	4 40
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch July 24.....	15 00
City Clerk, disbursements.....	17 10
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

St. Mary's Hospital, board.....	\$3,048 55
St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, board.....	959 77
St. Mary's Orphan Asylum, board.....	868 34
City Hospital, board.....	819 76
St. Patrick's Orphan Asylum, board.....	776 22
Industrial School.....	406 40
Rochester Orphan Asylum, ..	376 73
Home of Industry, ..	199 51
Sisters of Mercy, ..	124 92
Home of Friendless, Mary Flanagan, board.....	65 42
P. Fahy, meat.....	9 00
A. L. Morris, meat.....	100 00
P. H. Curran, meat.....	25 00
Mrs. Martin Heberger, groceries.....	26 25
Anthony Biel, groceries.....	8 00
E. L. Thomas, rent.....	10 00
Mary Crowley, rent.....	19 00
George Oppel, bread.....	22 40
Anthony Eble, hack hire poor committee.....	12 00
Wm. Punch & Son, burials.....	12 00
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Howe & Rogers, carpets, &c.....	\$220 96
Municipal Gas Co., city buildings.....	147 78
Minges & Shale, desks, table, chairs &c.....	136 50
Rogers & Wallace, material for Mayor's office C. H. Carroll, supplies for Clerk's office.....	130 08
Alfred Elwood, locks and keys, city building	76 00
Frost & Co., plants and labor.....	52 40
S. Sloan, labor in Mayor's office.....	25 48
M. E. Servis, labor and material, do.....	24 49
Geo. H. Nicholson, .. City Hall.....	23 65
Smith, Perkins & Co., blacking and brushes..	18 65
Chas. Little, monthly cleaning.....	2 21
E. Emerich, care of clocks from May 1 to Aug 1	85 00
Wm. Bassett, labor and material, City Mall..	67 50
Walter Williams ..	117 66
And charge that fund.	378 36

LAMP FUND.

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting, mo. of June	\$1,012 50
Municipal Gas Co.	43 30
J. W. Maser, lighting and care oil lamps ..	969 07
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage for June..	\$228 00
P. Bradley ..	228 00
J. W. Maser ..	53 40
Jacob Rauber ..	114 00
H. F. Van Dake, sup't ..	84 00
M. Heavey, boarding horse.....	20 00
A. C. Parsons, services as inspector.....	9 96
J. Bermingham, horse shoeing.....	7 00
Mt. Hope Cemetery, yearly rental Hope Hosp'l	100 00
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

B. Frank Knos, disbursements.....	\$94 85
And charge that fund.	

**EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
OFFICES, CITY HALL, July 23d, 1883. }**

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holley, salary for July.....	\$28 84
Samuel B. Williams, salary for July.....	208 33
George W. Adriscs ..	308 33
Williamson & Higbie, stationery.....	9 45
Drew, Allis & Co., Directories.....	6 50
	\$640 95

Street Department—Highway Fund

Weekly pay roll, July 12.....	\$155 50
19.....	45 10
	\$200 60
Geo. A. Lane, repairs, five ton roller.....	6 50

H. A. Kingsley & Co., nails, etc.....	10 15
G. W. & C. T. Crouch & Sons, lumber.....	200 46
Jane E. Y. Baker, erroneous sidewalk tax ..	2 83
Goodale & Stiles, lamps for bridges.....	9 40
Henry Zimmer, breaking stone.....	4 12
John Geist, breaking stone.....	31 71
Otto Wellert, breaking stone.....	92 52
Cris & Gorsline, sewer pipe, etc.....	31 51
Consumers' Ice Co., team work and material.	78 00
Shannon & Russ, repairs, steam roller.....	6 50
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	17 64
Leonard Vogel, labor and material.....	80 55
	\$717 19

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, July 19.....	\$ 102 48
26.....	102 48
	\$ 204 96
Geo. B. Harris, C. I. pipe, estimate No. 1.....	4,861 19
A. H. McNeal, .. 1.....	2,541 83
Behr & Steiner, lead.....	1,144 02
R. D. Wood & Co., hydrants.....	1,466 73
Geo. B. Harris, transportation.....	330 42
Street Dept., work on Group 71.....	103 10
Irving place and Ex- change st., ..	36 12
James Vick, amount advanced for pipe line, Flora ave.....	17 63
F. A. Ward, exr. et al., amount advanced for pipe line, Wheeler place.....	442 12
Wesley Wheeler, pipe line, Wheeler place.....	351 69
Stephen Tice, Warehouse st.....	36 22
Silas J. Wagoner, delivering pipe, est. No. 2..	51 95
Geo. E. Miller, wood.....	207 02
Whitmore, Rauber, & Vicinus, final estimate, Group 71.....	12 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate, Genesee st.....	22 47
William Dyer, .. estimate No. 6, Group 75	8 87
J. H. Decker & Co. 4 .. 76	80 00
N. L. Brayer .. 3 .. 76	220 00
John Howe .. 6 .. 79	78 360 00
	100 00
	\$12,077 54

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, July 19.....	\$507 48
19.....	432 50
	\$969 98
Weekly pay roll, July 26.....	\$507 48
.....	455 50
	\$962 98
Drew, Allis & Co., directories and advertising	59 75
Scrantom, Wetmore & Co., stationery.....	24 55
Williamson & Higbie.....	24 50
John C. Moore, bookbidding.....	5 50
Thomas J. Neville, clerk, office expenses.....	19 40
Benjamin F. Harris, rent of stable.....	20 00
..... work at stable.....	31 00
H. A. Kingsley & Co., picks.....	5 10
G. W. & C. T. Crouch, lumber, stakes, etc.....	80 54
J. A. Vanderwerf, work and material.....	115 21
J. B. Strauchen, ..	26 75
Goodale & Stiles, lamps, globes, etc.....	10 67
Wm. Moran, supplies and repairs.....	6 85
Bell Waterphone Co., rent of hydrophones....	75 00
A. C. Mayo, wagon top, etc.....	20 00
Louis Ernest & Son, wrenches and tapes.....	25 60
Wm. Fuller, labor and material.....	131 38
National Meter Co., meters.....	171 00
Union Meter Co.	91 00
W. L. Delano, work at D. Reservoir.....	100 00
Alexander Gray, .. S.....	6 00
J. W. Beam, labor and supplies, H. Lake.....	24 63
Fred. Nivirgall, .. C. Line.....	8 00
John Coyne, .. C. Line.....	35 00
D. M. Reed, oats and stabling, C. Line.....	17 21
Wm. Thompson, labor, C. Line.....	4 50
	\$3,097 60

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Monthly payroll, payable July 31.....	\$3,811 83
Active Hose Co., monthly appropriation.....	250 00
John W. Walsh, repairs Chemical engine.....	21 49
Bigelow & Osborne, lumber.....	12 24
J. A. Vanderwerf, work Active Hose house..	4 00
Drew, Allis & Co., directory.....	3 25
E. H. Davis, chemicals in 1882.....	55 79
Kelly Lamp Co., repairs.....	3 25
B. H. Clark & Son, supplies.....	16 76
Municipal Gas Co., gas bills.....	18 80
C. G. Kimball & Co., harness soap.....	7 00
F. E. Handy, labor F. re Tel., 2 bills.....	24 00
E. Monaghan, iron works.....	23 80
John Walsh, labor and material.....	9 70
Gamewell F. A. Co., repairing instruments....	108 00
W. L. Buckland, horse hire.....	11 00
	\$3,880 91

Sprinkling Streets—Special Funds.

J. W. Breakey—Estimates.	
West ave. O 2433.....	\$ 240 00
East and West Main sts. O 2436.....	295 00
	\$535 00
J. J. Wellert—Estimates.	
Goodman st. O 2429.....	\$ 70 00
Rast ave, sec 2, O 2431.....	107 00
	\$177 00
A. W. Turnbull—Estimates.	
Melgs st; O 2428.....	\$ 47 00
East av; Sec. 1; O 2430.....	105 00
Chestnut st; O 2437.....	40 00
South Union st; O 2439.....	33 00
Park av; O 2445.....	45 00
Rowley st; O 2446.....	30 00
Monroe av; O 2447.....	107 00
	410 00
Sanford D. Pierce—Estimates.	
Mt. Hope av; Sec. 2; O 2426.....	\$ 65 00
Prince st; O 2432.....	47 00
Exchange st; O 2434.....	80 00
East Main st; O 2436.....	12 00
Gibbs st; O 2431.....	13 00
	\$227 00

John Durnan—Estimates.	
Clinton st, sec 1, O 2443.....	\$91 00
North ave, sec 1, O 2459.....	77 00
University ave, sec 1, O 2461.....	27 00
Scioto st, O 2469.....	18 00
Clinton st, sec 2, O 2476.....	40 00
Atwater st. O 2477.....	49 00
Hudson st. O 2479.....	65 00
Elm st. O 2480.....	16 00
Andrews st. O 2483.....	45 00
Franklin park, O 2488.....	12 00
Clinton place, O 2489.....	30 00
Court st. O 2492.....	70 00
Franklin st. O 2493.....	20 00
N St Paul st, sec 2, O 2502.....	134 00
	\$744 00

Geo. Bantel & Son—Estimates.	
State street; O 2,427.....	\$120 00
S. st. Paul st and S. av; O 2438.....	80 00
South Fitzhugh st; O 2 40.....	50 00
Lake av; O 2441.....	175 00
Mill st; O 2442.....	67 00
South av. sec 1; O 2444.....	74 00
South Washington st; O 2448.....	24 00
Plymouth av; O 2449.....	69 00
Allen st; O 2450.....	80 00
Troup st; O 2451.....	40 00
North Washington st; O 2452.....	24 00
Spring st; O 2455.....	43 00
Sophia st; O 2454.....	26 00
North Fitzhugh st; O 2455.....	25 00
North Water st; O 2456.....	50 00
Mt Hope av, sec 1; O 2457.....	70 00
Jones av; O 2458.....	70 00
South av; O 2478.....	23 00
Kent st; O 2482.....	45 00
Jay st; O 2487.....	49 00
Vincent place; O 2490.....	15 00
Tremont st; O 2491.....	32 00
Front st; O 2494.....	36 00
Jones st; O 2495.....	50 00
Kong st; O 2496.....	25 00
Howell st; O 2500.....	49 00
Platt street; O 2509.....	75 00
	\$1,471 00

Local Improvements—Special Funds.	
John Quin, inspecting Monroe avenue outlet.	\$20 00
John Oreegan, inspecting Lyell ave. bridge approaches improvement.....	25 00
R. Seifred, inspecting Seerman street sewer.....	25 00
J. A. Adams, inspecting Pleasant street sewer.....	50 00
John Quin, inspecting masonry, Central ave. bridge.....	15 00
James Lusk, inspecting East Sellinger street sewer.....	51 25
W. H. Niven, inspecting Church street improvement.....	159 00
McCConnell & Jones, extra work, Alexander street improvement.....	50 00
McCConnell & Jones, masonry, Lyell avenue lift bridge.....	669 60
Street Department, use of steam roller, Alexander street improvement.....	400 00
Street Department, Stakes and expenses:	
Alexander street improvement.....	26 68
Monroe avenue outlet.....	7 75
Lyell ave. bridge app. grading.....	7 88
Frederick street walk.....	1 25
Brooks avenue walk.....	4 25
East Sellinger street sewer.....	2 12
Genesee street walk.....	1 61
Child street walk No. 2.....	1 98

Estimates.	
McCConnell & Jones, final estimate, Alexander st. improvement.....	\$2,283 96
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Brooks avenue walk.....	105 01
John A. Meyer, final estimate, Genesee street walk.....	89 55
Joseph Qualtrough, final estimate, Child st. walk, No. 2.....	139 68
Thomas Oliver, final estimate, Frederick st. walk.....	77 66
E. R. Fox, final estimate, Lyell ave. bridge approaches grading.....	430 45
William Fuller, final estimate, East Sellinger st. sewer.....	458 50
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Monroe ave. outlet.....	408 00
Thomas Oliver, estimate No. 2, Olean and Hunter sts. sewers.....	300 00
Edward Wellert, estimate No. 2, upholding East ave. sewer.....	150 00
R. Y. McConnell, estimate No. 2, Pleasant st. sewer.....	240 00
	\$6,195 02

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.
 By Ald. Hinds,
 To the Honorable the Common Council of the city of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your Finance Committee has duly advertised for bids for the city deposits for the ensuing year and herewith submits the substance of the propositions received by it.
 The Bank of Monroe offers to pay \$800 for the whole of the account and that proportion for a part, and agrees to loan to the city such proportion of the amount required by it during the year as six per cent. per annum if said bank shall be awarded the account.

The proposition made by the Commercial National Bank is the same as that made by the Bank of Monroe.

The proposition made by the Flour City National Bank is to pay \$2,500 for the whole account, and in that proportion for a part, and also to loan the city such sums as it may require at six per cent. per annum if the whole account shall be kept at said bank, and if less than the whole account is kept, then to loan at said rate a sum in proportion to the amount of the account deposited, the city to have the right to borrow elsewhere at a less rate at any time.

Each of the banks proposes to furnish a satisfactory bond to secure the city against loss.

Your committee recommends that the proposal of the Flour City National Bank be accepted, and that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

JAS. A. HINDS,
 GEO. W. ARCHER,
 J. M. PITKIN,
 Finance Committee.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Flour City National bank of Rochester be and the same hereby is designated as the bank in which the Treasurer shall deposit all moneys received by him belonging to the city of Rochester, and that the Mayor be and he hereby is directed to enter into a contract with the Flour City National bank aforesaid, which contract shall be drawn by the City Attorney in accordance with the proposition made by said bank relating to the city deposits for the ensuing year, and upon the loaning of money to the city, upon the execution and delivery to the Finance Committee of the Common Council of a bond, to be approved by them, as to the form sufficiently indemnifying the city against loss by reason of said contract.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.
 Ald. Foley moved that action on the resolution, page 141 current proceedings, accepting the proposition of the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia railroad company in relation to the closing of Trowbridge street be reconsidered. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the communication from the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia railroad company with reference to the closing of Trowbridge street, which communication is printed at page 112 of the proceedings for the current year, together with all matters connected with the proposed closing of said street be, and the same hereby are referred to a special committee of this board and to the law committee and City Attorney.

And that such joint committee be, and it hereby is instructed to prepare and submit to the Common Council at its next regular meeting, a report as to the legal questions involved in the proposed closing, and to submit a form of agreement to be entered into between the said railroad company and the city.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your select committee to which was referred the matters connected with the North avenue outlet sewer, hereby reports:

Your committee visited the locality in question and has made careful investigation into the alleged abuses existing in connection therewith. It appears in 1874 and 1875 there was considerable amount of water and sewage matter flowing into said stream which was increased by reason of the construction of said sewer, and that if such were the fact the only question for the jury in said action was to determine the damages which the plaintiff suffered by reason of the sewage matter of nearly 600 acres in the city of Rochester passing along said stream and crossing his farm. The verdict of the jury, as your honorable body will remember, was in favor of the plaintiff for \$600, and it is more than likely that other claims will be made and other suits brought, the result of which may be the payment by the city of large sums of money for damages. Furthermore actions may be brought for the purpose of obtaining a permanent injunction restraining the city from depositing its sewage in the manner above indicated.

Your committee is of the opinion that the sewage of the east side of the river should be by means of one large outlet sewer conducted into the Genesee river below the Lower falls. Such sewer should be begun at the river and continued as far as possible this year, and extended from year to year until all of the outlet sewers in the city shall have been afforded outlet thereby.

If this work should at once be begun the North avenue sewer could be disposed of within a year, and as the sewer is extended the Court and William street outlet and the Monroe avenue sewers could be drained thereby, thus avoiding all liability such as is above suggested.

Your committee would, therefore, recommend that the Surveyor be instructed to prepare an ordinance providing for the construction of such sewer so that the same can be presented at the next regular meeting of your honorable body.

Respectfully submitted,
 GEORGE W. BOEHR,
 J. T. SOUTHA RD,
 J. M. AIKENHEAD,
 JOHN B. SIMMELONK,
 J. M. PITKIN,
 Committee.

Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance in accordance with the recommendation of the committee. Adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Mayor—

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, July 21, 1883.

Gentlemen of the Common-Council.—I object to, and return without my approval, the resolution adopted at your last regular meeting and reading as follows:

By Alderman Foley:

Resolved, That the proposition made by the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia railroad company with reference to the closing of Trowbridge street be, and the same hereby is accepted, and that the city attorney cause the necessary legal steps to be taken to provide for the closing of Trowbridge street in accordance with the proposition accepted as aforesaid.

On the 12th day of April last in a communication addressed to your honorable body by J. W. Jones, president, the said Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia railroad company asked permission to construct an additional track at grade across Troup street east of the track now laid, and "that permission be given for vacating or closing Trowbridge street from West avenue to Troup street." This communication was referred to a special committee of your board, and whose first report on the same was to the effect that the communication (see page 19 of your proceedings) was indefinite as to its phraseology. On the 29th of May, Mr. Jones again communicated with the Common-council (see page 80) was more explicit in the language of his communication, and in which among other things appears the following:

To enable the [company] to utilize the strip of land, it is necessary that they should have the use of Trowbridge street, and the privilege of laying an additional track, making four tracks in all across Troup street."

This communication was also referred to the special committee which had previously been appointed. In a still later communication from the said railway company, the following clause appears:

The city of Rochester to grant permission to the said railroad company to construct and maintain across Troup street not more than three tracks in addition to those which said company has already constructed and is maintaining.

I do not find anywhere in your proceedings allusion made to the contract entered into by the company with the city, and presented to and approved by the Common-council at a meeting held August 22, 1882, or whether the terms thereof are now, or will by this later action be abrogated, or whether an abrogation of the same will be just or in any sense desirable. If the features of the contract made last year had been fairly carried out, all the vexed, expensive and unpleasant questions relating to the slip south of the Ohio basin would, ere this, have been fully settled. I do not mean now to censure any one, for to do so at this time would, on my part, be out of character and out of place. And I am fully aware that the members of your board, in addition to the public business, have their own cares and private business to absorb their time and attention, and that consequently it is natural to suppose, that they cannot always fully consider all the features of so important a matter, and that upon me devolves the duty of reviewing your proceedings, and guarding the interests of the city and of all concerned. This I mean to do impartially and crave your assistance in my endeavors. In the contract of August 22, 1882, it is provided "that not more than three tracks shall be built across said street (Troup street,) said tracks to be parallel with each other, and that no switch shall begin

n, or shall cross said street." My objections to your action taken July 10th instant, may be classified as follows:

First—That it is not definitely settled how many tracks are to be maintained on grade at Troup street.

Second—That we are not informed whether any of said tracks are to be used for switching purposes, or whether any "switch shall begin in or shall cross said street."

Third.—That there is no definite agreement that the additional tracks asked for shall not be constructed, until Trowbridge street between West avenue and Troup street shall be legally closed and abandoned.

Fourth.—That without a careful consideration by the law committee and city attorney and a written and published report from them as to whether the previous contract or any portion of the same is to be set aside and rendered null and void, we cannot take intelligent action.

Fifth.—That under no consideration should these or similar questions be left to the mayor to sift out and determine, but on the other hand should be freely and fully discussed and settled in your boards, and that the same has not been done.

Sixth—That the communication signed Frank S. Smith, attorney, and presented to your board at its meeting held June 12th, and the resolution hereby disapproved, provides for the closing of Trowbridge street, and not for the closing of that portion of Trowbridge street lying between West avenue and Troup street, and consequently the same are defective.

In conclusion permit me to state that I shall be pleased to confer at any time with any committee of your board and with the authorities of the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia railway company, with a view of increasing and improving the terminal and business facilities of the road in Rochester, and for a just and satisfactory settlement of all disputed and unpleasant questions, as the same may still be existing between the city and the company.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS,

Mayor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 24th, 1883. }

Gentlemen of the Common Council:

The contract authorized by you to be made by me in behalf of the city with the Brush Electric Light Co. of Rochester has been duly executed. The terms of the same have been given to the public, and it is believed the interests of the city are fully and carefully guarded.

To proceed intelligently, however, in the matter of locating, from time to time, additional electric lights, the following or a similar plan should be followed: All resolutions for electric lighting to be referred to the Lamp Committee; that it shall be the duty of said committee before reporting favorably upon the same to cause a carefully detailed statement to be made as to the advantages to accrue. This will necessitate a report of the number of other lamps to be displaced, the amount which has been paid for maintaining them, and the cost to which the city will be subjected by the substitution of electric lights in place thereof. Under this manner of procedure we shall be kept posted as to the relative cost of each mode of street lighting, and can fairly judge as to the best course to be followed.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS, Mayor.

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, July 23, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—At a regular meeting of your honorable body held May 15th, 1883, the Executive Board called attention to the condition of sundry streets and avenues requiring extensive repairs. In accordance with your instructions the City Surveyor prepared and submitted estimates of the cost of putting said streets and avenues in thorough repair. (See page 18 of proceedings for the current year.) As the necessity for these repairs is urgent, and as some doubts are entertained as to the legality of placing the whole expense

thereof upon the Highway Fund, said Board would respectfully ask your honorable body to provide and set apart such sums for said work as may be deemed expedient.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received filed and published.
From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 24, 1883. }

To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with Section 29 of the revised city charter, I hereby report the following named persons as having qualified and taken the oath of office:

Chas. A. Wilson	Commissioner of Deeds.
Chas. F. L'Honnmedieu	.. .. .
James M. Aikenhead	.. .. .
James T. Southard	.. .. .
L. E. Morley	.. .. .
Fritz Voges	.. .. .

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

IMPROVING CENTRAL AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council, the expense of improving Central avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$20,500. By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The improvement of Central avenue, from the east curb line of state street to North St. Paul street, excepting that portion of Central avenue to be occupied by the proposed bridge across the Hydraulic Co.'s race, Brown's race and the Genesee river, by constructing a roadway of Medina stone, with curbstones, gutters and flagstone walks on each side thereof, where good brick walks do not now exist, flagstone walks to be of the full width of the sidewalks. Also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, &c.

Plan of improvement to be substantially in accordance with the plans presented and on file in the office of the City Surveyor.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$20,500, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

The entire First and Second wards and that portion of the Fifth ward lying southerly of Ward and Cataract streets.

And further Resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows:

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; one fifth within two years from the confirmation of such roll; one fifth within three years from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 12 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, August the 7th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

STONE SEWER IN EXCHANGE STREET.

By Ald. Simmelnik—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a stone sewer in Exchange street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$21,000.

By Ald. Simmelnik—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a stone sewer in Exchange street, to be—

2½x3 feet in size, with arch and invert, from centre of Court street to centre of Troup street;

2x3 feet in size, with arch and invert, from centre of Troup street to centre of Adams street;

2x3 feet in size, with cover and invert, from centre of Adams street, to the centre of Hubbell park; and

1½x2 feet in size, with cover and invert, from centre of Hubbell park to a point 24 feet north of Clarissa street; also the necessary sewer connections and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$21,000, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

All the territory enclosed within and described by the following boundary lines, viz.: Beginning at a point in the west line of Exchange street opposite the centre of Court street; thence southerly along Exchange street, including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Troup street; thence westerly along Troup street, including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Fitzhugh street; thence westerly along Troup street (excepting one tier of lots on the south side thereof) to the alley extending north and south between Fitzhugh street and Plymouth avenue; thence southerly along said alley to a point opposite the division lines between properties heretofore owned by A. L. Johnson and George L. Stratton; thence westerly along said division lines to the west line of Plymouth avenue; thence southerly along said Plymouth avenue, and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Edburgh street; thence continuing southerly along said Plymouth avenue and through Plymouth Park to Greig street; thence southerly along Greig street, and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof, to Clarissa street, excepting the lot on the northwest corner of Clarissa street and Greig street; thence easterly along Clarissa street, excepting one tier of lots one on the north side thereof, to lands belonging to the Genesee Valley railroad; thence northerly along the west line of said railroad lands to Glasgow street; thence easterly along Glasgow street to the Genesee river; thence northerly along the Genesee river to the Rochester, Carroll and Fitzhugh race; thence northerly along the west line of said race to the centre of Court street; thence westerly along Court street to the place of beginning.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows: One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent, per annum. And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, August 7th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

PIPE SEWER IN SILVER STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Silver street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,374.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The construction of a pipe sewer, 15 inches in diameter, in Silver street, from a point 90 feet west of Eddie street easterly to a point opposite lot No. 14 of the George A. Wilkins estate, thence across said lot to the sewer in Saxton street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,374, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

One tier of lots on each side of Silver street, from the Rochester & Fitzhugh railroad to a point 90 feet west of Eddie street.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows :

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount, within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll.—On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at the rate of six per cent, per annum.

And the clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on

Tuesday evening, Aug. the 7th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN BENTON STREET AND MT. VERNON AVENUE

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Lewis street and Mt. Vernon avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,600.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, that the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Lewis street, from a point 141 feet west of Meigs street, to the centre of Mt. Vernon avenue, and a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Mt. Vernon avenue from the centre of Lewis street, to the sewer in Caroline street.

Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,600, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

One tier of lots on each side of Lewis street, from a point 111 feet west of Meigs street, to Mt. Vernon ave., and one tier of lots on each side of Mt. Vernon ave., from the centre of Lewis street to Caroline street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title vii, section 172 of the revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, August 7th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON SECOND AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Second avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,136.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on each side of Second avenue, from Pennsylvania avenue to Bay street. Also the necessary crosswalks.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,136, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

One tier of lots on each side of Second avenue, from Pennsylvania avenue to Bay street.

And the clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, August 7th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

REPAIRING LAKE AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of repairing Lake avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$24,632.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The repairing of Lake avenue from Lyell avenue to McCracken street by Macadamizing the roadbed between the gutter pavements with granite Macadam, and adjusting the crosswalks to the proper grade.

And the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$24,632 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

One tier of lots on each side of Lake avenue from Lyell avenue and Vir cent place to McCracken street.

And further, resolved, that the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows :

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the Assessment Roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one-fifth within four

years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., of section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend at the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, August the 7th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON FLOWER STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Flower street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$504. By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side of Flower street, from Clinton street to the west end of Flower street, also, the necessary crosswalks.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$504, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Flower street, from the west end thereof to Clinton street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, August the 7th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

CLEANING OAKMAN STREET SEWER.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of cleaning Oakman street sewer.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$664. By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The cleaning of the sewer in Oakman street from Galusba street to Clinton street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$664, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Oakman street from Galusba street to Clinton street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, August 7, 1883, at seven o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

IMPROVING MEIGS STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving Meigs street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$3,115. By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The improvement of Meigs street, from the south curb line of Monroe avenue to the north curb line of Broadway, by constructing a gravel roadway, with curbstones and gutters, on each side thereof; width of roadway between curb lines to be 30 feet. Also, a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter from a point 145 feet south of Monroe avenue to the Pearl street sewer. Also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, lot laterals, manholes and street grading.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$3,115, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Meigs street, from Monroe avenue to a point opposite the north curb line of Broadway.

And further, Resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvements may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third

of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, August 7th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

JENNINGS STREET PLANK WALK.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Jennings street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$319.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk four feet in width on the south side of Jennings street from a point 277 feet west of the Jennings tract, to Nichols street. Also the necessary crosswalks.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$319, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the south side of Jennings street from a point 277 feet west of the Jennings tract to Nichols street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, August 7th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to construct a wooden bridge across Deep Hollow Creek at Gates ave., came up. Ald. Kelly moved to amend, to strike out of the territory to be assessed. One tier of lots on the north side of Lyell avenue through the 15th ward. Adopted.

The final ordinance to deepen, enlarge and extend the Saxton street outlet sewer came up. Ald. Hinds moved it be postponed four weeks. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds moved to reconsider the indefinite postponement of the final ordinance for White street sewer. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds moved that the clerk be instructed to publish notice for allegations at the next regular meeting. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,327.

PIPE SEWER IN HUNTINGTON STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below: After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing.

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Huntington street, from a point 115 feet east of Hudson street to the sewer in North street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Huntington street, from a point 115 feet east of Hudson street to the sewer in North street; also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,201, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Huntington street from a point 115 feet east of Hudson street to North street.

On which above described portion of the city the expense of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,528.

CONCORD AVENUE PIPE SEWER.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Concord avenue from the sewer in North st. to the sewer in Channing st.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Concord avenue from the sewer in North st. to the sewer in Channing street.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by an assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$3,570, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Concord avenue, from North street to Channing st.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third, within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent, per annum.

Ald. Simmelink presented a remonstrance. The final ordinance was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The final ordinance to improve Mt. Hope avenue came up. Ald. Rice moved to amend so as to extend from the entrance to Mt. Hope to Elmwood avenue, and the estimate be changed accordingly. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,529.

PIPE SEWER IN GOODMAN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Goodman st., from a point 30 feet south of Park ave. to a point 140 feet north of Monroe ave., thence through an unnamed street to the Monroe ave. outlet sewer.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Goodman st., from a point 50 feet south of Park av., to a point 140 feet north of Monroe av. Also as an outlet for the above proposed sewer, a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in the first street north of Monroe avenue (unnamed), extending across property owned by Hiram Sibley, from the centre of Goodman st. to the east end of said unnamed st., thence to the Monroe avenue outlet sewer. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$3,000, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Goodman st., from a point 50 feet south of Park ave., to a point 140 feet north of Monroe ave.

Also one tier of lots on each side of said above mentioned (unnamed) street, from the east end thereof, to Goodman st.

On which above described portion of the city the

expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessment in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount, within one year from the; confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of said last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent, per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,530.

PIPE SEWER IN HURON STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Alderman Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Huron street, from the sewer in Scio street to a point 126 feet west of Hebard street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Huron street, from the sewer in Scio street to a point 126 feet west of Hebard street; also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$683, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvements is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Huron street, from Scio street to a point 126 feet West of Hebard street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The final ordinance to construct a sewer in Montrose, Frank and Bloss streets, came up. Allegations being called for, property owners living on Costar street appeared and opposed the assessment. Ald. Hinds moved that the City Surveyor be instructed to make such necessary changes as he deems best, and report at the next meeting. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,531.

PIPE SEWER IN MARIA STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Maria street, from the sewer in Clifford street to the south line of Bernard street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Maria street, from the sewer in Clifford street to the south line of Bernard street; also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$1,112, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Maria street, from Clifford street to the south line of Bernard street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,532.

IMPROVING NORTH AND SOUTH FRANCIS STREETS.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to

hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve North and South Francis streets, from Brown street to Cady street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of North Francis street from the south curb line of Brown street to the north curb line of West avenue, and South Francis street from the south curb line of West avenue to the north curb line of Cady st., by constructing a roadway of Macadam stone, with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof. Also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, lot laterals, manholes and street grading, and the cleaning of the main sewers in the street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$23,018, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North Francis st. from Brown street to West ave.

Also one tier of lots on each side of South Francis st. from West avenue to Cady st.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And further Resolved, That the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows:

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll, one-ninth within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Pitkin moved to reconsider the action on the final ordinance for Huron street pipe sewer. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

Ald. Foley reported favorably on the petitions of Schaeffer Bros., E. O. Shackleton, Howard P. Stone, Edward, G. Werner, for permission to move and erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of Charles H. Taylor and Albert Whiting for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley moved to reconsider the action granting E. A. Jones and Louis Jesserrer permission to erect wood buildings. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition from property owners on Frost avenue for a plank walk on the north side of Frost avenue, from Seward street to Olean street, and moved its reference to the Improvement Committee. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Hinds moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Election for the second district of the Ninth ward. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds nominated John S. Burns.

John S. Burns was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

John S. Burns was declared appointed Inspector of Election for the second district of the Ninth ward.

Ald. Simmelink moved to proceed to appoint

an Inspector of Election for the third district of the Sixteenth ward. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink nominated R. A. Russell.

R. A. Russell was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

R. A. Russell was declared appointed Inspector of Election of the third district of the Sixteenth ward.

Ald. Jeffords moved to proceed to appoint commissioners of deeds and the clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

E. D. Smith, jr., 4th ward, and C. C. Davy, 7th ward, having received the concurrent vote of the common council, were duly appointed commissioners of deeds.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a police commissioner. Adopted.

Ald. Collins nominated Jacob Howe, jr.

Ald. Foley nominated J. W. Rosenthal.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to postpone balloting for Police Commissioner and proceed under the head of Miscellaneous Business.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly—9.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Aikenhead, Simmelink—6.

MICELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That consent and permission be, and it hereby is, granted to the Rochester City & Brighton railroad company to lay, operate and maintain a single track street railroad along North Clinton street from the north line of Ward street to the lands of the New York Central & Hudson River railroad company, and a double track street railroad from thence along North Clinton street to the present line of tracks on East Main st.; and that the Mayor be, and he hereby is, directed to sign on the part of the city of Rochester as owner of the lot and property known as school district No. 10, situated on the east side of North Clinton street between Andrew street and Clinton place, consent and permission that said railroad tracks be laid, maintained and operated as aforesaid.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Nays—Ald. Archer, Pitkin—2.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of Mrs. Horace Mann for permission to erect a dwelling and barn on University avenue and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petitions of John Doerr, Michael Klehammer, Katharine Streb and Frank Bartle for relief for alleged damages sustained by the North avenue sewer. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Kelly in the chair.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend a water main in University avenue from Merriman street to Anderson avenue, at an estimated expense of twelve hundred (\$1,200) dollars, a majority petition having been presented therefore, the cost of said extension to be paid from any moneys provided for the Water Pipe Extension Fund. Adopted.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That electric lights be placed in East avenue from Goodman street to the city line; in Goodman street from East avenue to East Main street, and in Anderson avenue from Goodman street to University avenue, and as many other lights displaced as can be dispensed with.

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to place a fire alarm box on North Clinton street, at or near Baetzels' brewery. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for water in Jay street. Referred to Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Southard gave notice that at the next regular meeting of the Council he would move to amend the penal ordinance relating to bill posters as follows:

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain that Chapter XLVI of the Penal Ordinances of said city, entitled "An ordinance relating to Bill Posters," passed November 30th, 1880, be amended as follows:

Section I. The mayor or acting mayor may issue licenses to any person, firm or corporation, to post bills, cards, signs and advertisements and to distribute bills, pamphlets, circulars and advertising notices in said city: such licenses shall not be for a period of more than one year.

Section II. Each person, firm or corporation, applying for and obtaining such license shall pay therefor, to the city treasurer for the use of the city, the sum of fifty dollars.

Section III. Each person, firm or corporation, obtaining such license shall register their name or firm name, or corporate name with the city clerk, together with the date of issue of said license and the date of its expiration, and shall procure a metal shield or badge, and furnish each employee with a metal shield or badge, on which shall be engraved in large letters, "License-d Bill Poster and Distributor," together with a number, which number shall be the number of the badge, and each person wearing one of such badges shall register his name with the city clerk, in a book kept for that purpose, opposite the number of the badge worn, and no person shall engage in posting or distributing advertisements of any kind, unless wearing such badge on the breast of the coat and in such a position that it can be plainly seen.

Section IV. From and after the passage of this ordinance, no person shall go upon any of the streets, sidewalks or alleys of said city for the purpose of distributing or circulating posters, circulars, handbills, printed or engraved notices or advertisements, of any kind, to or among the pedestrians or travelers on said streets, sidewalks or alleys or at offices, stores or places of business in said city or for the purpose of posting handbills, notices or printed or engraved advertisements of any kind; nor shall any person post, circulate or distribute in said city handbills, posters, circulars, pamphlets or printed or engraved advertisements of any kind, without having obtained a license as specified in the first section hereof and complying with the requirements of the preceding section, or without being an employee of a firm or corporation having such license, and complying with the requirements of said preceding section.

Section V. No person shall scatter or throw upon the streets or sidewalks of said city, posters, handbills or advertisements and nothing herein shall be construed to authorize any person to obstruct the streets or sidewalks of said city, or create any nuisance therein nor to prevent the posting of notices, required by law to be posted.

Section VI. Any person violating either of the foregoing sections or provisions shall, upon conviction, be subject to a fine of ten dollars, and in default of payment shall be sentenced to the Monroe County Penitentiary for a period not exceeding twenty days.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of Elizabeth Roop for permission to erect a wood building on North Clinton street. Referred to the wood building committee and fire marshal.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the street running south-easterly from St. Joseph street in the Thirteenth Ward, called Klingler street, be named Sullivan Place, and the clerk be directed to enter the same on the street register kept in his office for that purpose. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of James P. Flynn for permission to move and altar a wood building on Whitney street. Referred to the woodbuilding committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Resolved, That the Executive Board be directed to clean and grade the several streets in the 11th ward that require the same.

On motion of Ald. Foley referred to the Executive Board.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Giles B. Rich. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Frank Pond in relation to alleged damages from the bursting of a sewer. Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Executive Board be directed to examine and remove obstructions in the Saxton street sewer. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be directed to cancel the tax for

Lake avenue sprinkling, assessed against the Lake Avenue Baptist Chapel, and charge erroneous assessments.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Albert E. Lyke for permission to erect a wood building on Averill park, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the electric lights be substituted for other lights in Alexander street from East avenue to Mt. Hope avenue, and Driving Park avenue from Lake avenue to the Driving park. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That all persons interested in the extension of Ward and Hamburg street be heard as to the ordering of the assessment and of the expense thereof on the property duly deemed benefited, at the Common Council chamber in the City Hall building on the 7th day of August, 1883, at 6 o'clock P. M., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose, and the City Clerk be and he hereby is directed to publish in accordance with Section 190 of the City Charter in the premises. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented the assessment roll for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street. Also the following :

To the Honorable the Common Council of the city of Rochester :

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned, Special Commissioners appointed by a resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted 5th June ulto... to assess upon the lands specified in said resolution the expense of the improvement named therein, to wit : "The taking of land for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street," respectfully report :

That we have made and herewith report and transmit to you an assessment roll, made in the usual form, in accordance with §191 of the Revised City Charter, in which roll we have specified and set down in separate columns the names of all persons assessed, the description of the lots and parcels of land assessed, the amount which each person is assessed, together with the amount of damages, if any, to which such persons are respectively entitled by the award of the Commissioners for such improvement, and the amount of the excess, if any, to be collected. A full statement of which damages and excess, together with a recapitulation of the total assessments by wards is contained on page 45 of the Assessment roll for the Fifth Ward.

Dated this 24th day of July, 1883.
E. J. GALENTINE,
J. C. O'BRIEN,
RUDOLPH VAY.

Ordered received, filed and published.
By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the complaints of an appeal from the assessment roll for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street, which roll has been filed by the special commissioners appointed to make the same, be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, which meeting is appointed to be held in the Common Council Chamber in the City Hall building on the 7th day of August, 1883, at six o'clock p. m., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose.

Adopted.
By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to construct a cross-walk across Sophia street opposite the north sidewalk of Church street and charge the cost thereof to the Highway Fund. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER N. Y., July 24, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester :

GENTLEMEN—I have received from Gen. John H. Reynolds the sum of \$45.55, being the unexpected balance of your appropriation for the observance of Memorial Day, which amount has been credited to the Contingent Fund. Through error of their auditing committee the bill of James Field for flags was overlooked. Very respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, City Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the clerk draw an order in favor of James Field for \$16.76 upon the City Treasurer and charge Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote :
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

The President announced the following committee on the closing of Trowbridge street: Ald. Foley, Felsing, Bronson.

The board then adjourned.
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, Aug. 7th, 1883

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Bronson—1.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, July 24th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, & C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of S. W. Stratton for permission to erect a wood building on Glasgow street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

William J. Sheridan, services as commissioner to acquire land from Mill to Water sts....	\$156 00
L. A. Pratt, do do.....	156 00
George G. Clarkson, do do.....	156 00
William I. Hanford, serving notices.....	4 96
W. W. Morrison, printing blanks.....	43 25
L. Ernst & Son, sundries, surveyor.....	3 30
A. W. Mudge, hack hire.....	8 50
A. S. Mann & Co., gloves and cloth.....	17 70
Mensing & Stecher lithographing for Treas'r.....	23 50
W. L. Buckland, carriages and livery.....	12 00
John P. Smith, assessment rolls.....	4 50
H. S. Ransom, carriages.....	14 00

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of A. R. Mandeville and Geo. T. Parker for permission to erect wood buildings on Chestnut park and Chestnut street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully request your permission be granted to construct a portico over the sidewalk in front of my premises known as Genesee Falls park under the direction of the Executive Board. Such portico to be so constructed as to not in any respect interfere with the people along said walk, and upon a plan approved by said Executive Board.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES M. WHITNEY.

Ald. Archer moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Flora A. Morrison. Referred to the assessment committee.

Ald. Archer presented a petition for one side walk on the south side of Central avenue and moved its reference to a select committee of five members of the Board. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting mo.	July..	\$1,052 10
Rochester Gas Co., lighting and care	..	2,097 91
Municipal		47 90
P. W. Kuttrauf, oil pots.....		83 c0

Referred to Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented a majority petition for electric lights on Anderson avenue. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Foley—Bills of

O'Connor & Co., flag stone walk, Madison park	\$856 75
Geo. C. Maurer, grass seed.....	3 50

Referred to the Park Committee.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That H. W. Brown, James Logan, Elizabeth Raap, Mary A. Kirtland, M. Killackey, J. J. Morley, Chas. H. Taylor, Albert Whitney, Mrs. James H. Stiles, Mrs. Horace Mann, A. Rosenthal, Wm. Keiber and John Mewhirter be granted permission to erect and move wood building, in accordance with their several petitions. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of Mary Howard, Charles J. Lester and John R. Brown for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the wood building committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Louis Jesserer for permission to erect a wood building at the corner of Clifton and Francis streets.

Ald. Pitkin presented a remonstrance.

After hearing allegations, Ald. Foley moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of E. A. Jones for permission to erect four wood buildings on Marion street.

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Foley moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds presented the petitions of John H. Goodger and James S. Boyd for permission to erect buildings on Costar and Bolivar streets, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petitions of James H. Moore and G. S. Babcock for permission to erect wood building on Kirk and Weld streets, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the wood building committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

John Curran, meat.....	\$25 00
J. D. Whipple & Co, beans.....	9 22
S. R. Woodruff, groceries.....	9 25
T. J. Kenning, groceries.....	26 25
George Oppell, bread.....	21 24
John McDonald, meat.....	25 00
J. & J. Cooper, trusses.....	6 00
Rogers & Wallace, matting.....	6 68
Mary Weist, rent.....	8 00
William Coughlin, rent.....	4 54
Sophia Block, rent.....	15 00
S. B. Stuart & Co, balance last year's coal contract.....	2 5

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of M. C. Bills for permission to erect a wood building on Lyell avenue and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Abbie F. Ricker. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Rice—Bill of

Charles Mann, printing Health Officer's Report, \$291 66

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of S. Morgenroth for permission to erect a wood building on Wilson street and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

D. Knapp & Co., freight and cartage fountain	\$26 54
John C. Barnard, glass, city clerk's office.....	80 00
W. G. Martens, Milk Inspector's badge.....	7 00
Hamilton & Mathews, shears, city clerk's office.....	2 75
Henry B. Smith, coal.....	255 00
Charles Little, labor.....	5 10
Municipal Gas Co., gas City building.....	137 70
J. A. O'Brien, lettering door.....	3 75
G. Goetzman, soap.....	8 00

Referred to the City Property Committee.
By Ald. Kelly—

ROCHESTER, Aug. 1st 1883.

To the special Park committee of the Common Council:

Messrs.: While visiting with your committee, the proposed site for a public park, a few days since one of your number suggested that a broader and better avenue of approach to the park from West avenue would be desirable than the present street affords, and inquiry was made as to the probable cost of land for such approach? Recognizing the force of the suggestion, I have concluded to supply the needed facilities by tendering through you to the city of Rochester in connection with my former proposition, as a free gift, for the purpose indicated, land sufficient for an avenue not less than one hundred feet wide and extending from West avenue north to the proposed park. Believing that this will provide an avenue sufficiently broad to accommodate the travel from West avenue and prove a valuable addition to the park; and trusting that you will accept this gift with the one heretofore tendered the city, I have the honor to subscribe myself, Your obedient servant,

D. D. S. Brown.

Ordered received, filed and published and referred to the Special Committee on Park.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of John Vossela for permission to erect a wood building on Alexander street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for water in Irondequoit street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Simmelink presented the claim of Benjamin Wilson for damages from the overflow of the Court and Williams streets outlet sewer. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Joseph P. Shaw for permission to erect a wood building on Gorham street, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp Committee; Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee; Ald. Felsing, from the Poor Committee; Ald. Foley, from the Park Committee; Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance committee for payment.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Lamp Committee to whom was referred resolutions directing the extension of electric lights in several streets and avenues, have in accordance with the suggestions contained in a communication from the Mayor to the Common Council at its last meeting carefully examined the territory through which it is proposed to extend electric lights, and estimate that the number of electric lights required and

other lights that may be discontinued, together with the expense thereof, per annum, as follows:
Alex under street from East avenue to Mount Hope avenue:

12 electric lights.....	\$ 1,971 00
61 gas lights displaced.....	1,825 00
Increase of cost.....	\$ 446 00
East avenue from Goodman street to the city line:	
10 electric lights.....	\$ 1,643 50
44 gas lights displaced.....	1,100 00

Increase.....	\$ 542 50
Goodman street, from East avenue to East Main street.	
4 Electric lights.....	\$ 657 00
27 Gas lights displaced.....	675 00
Decrease in cost.....	\$ 13 00

Anderson avenue, from University avenue to Goodman street..... \$164 25 each per annum

There are no lights to displace in Anderson avenue, the tax payers having recently petitioned for lamps as required by Section 5 of the City Charter:

Your committee submits the accompanying resolution and recommend the adoption thereof:

Resolved, That the Brush Electric Light Company be directed to place electric lights in Alexander's street, from East avenue to Mount Hope avenue; East avenue, from Goodman street to the city line; Goodman street, from East avenue to East Main street; Anderson avenue, from Goodman street to University avenue. Said lights to be erected under the supervision of the Lamp Committee and as they shall direct.

C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
J. A. HINDS,
Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—15.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 7th, 1883.
By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JULY, 1883.

Cornelius E. Parsons, Mayor.....	\$250 00
Ambrose C. McGlavin, Treasurer.....	375 00
H. F. McGlavin, assistant.....	166 66
John Tracy, clerk.....	100 00
Frank Kondolf, clerk.....	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	75 00
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	165 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger.....	100 00
Chas. M. Beattie, assistant.....	50 00
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 33
John Gorton, City Assessor.....	208 33
Wm. Maher,	208 33
V. Fleckenstein,	208 33
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warner,	150 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	75 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. W. Race,	75 00
Ambrose Redman,	60 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	70 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney.....	250 00
A. H. Martin, milk inspector.....	66 66
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevated tracks.....	140 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	70 00
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's office.....	50 00
Freeman M. Melville, numbering streets.....	75 00
Alfred Wedd,	75 00
Fred A. DaLee,	75 00
Geo. Belknap,	75 00
Wm. M. Rabaz, Jr., draughtsman.....	80 00
Harry J. Jeffords, clerk.....	30 00

MISCELLANEOUS

Drew, Allis & Co., city directories, &c.....	135 50
City Assessors, extra clerk hire.....	106 00
E. D. Smith, Jr., stenographer's service.....	60 00
Chas. W. Carroll, serving redemption notices.....	43 00
S. A. Lattimore, analysis of water and report in Hooker case.....	175 00
H. H. Langworthy, M. D., services Hooker case.....	50 00
H. F. Montgomery, M. D., services Hooker case.....	50 00

B. L. Hovey, M. D., services Hooker case.....	50 00
Steele & Avery, stationary.....	44 60
Clague & Wezman, pens, &c.....	26 08
John C. Moore, binding and blank books.....	25 14
Aling & Cory, books.....	4 50
Scrantom, Wetmore & Co., stationary.....	7 51
H. L. Brown, bal, copying rolls.....	10 00
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Aug. 7th.....	15 00
Clerk's disbursements.....	16 49
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JULY, 1883.

N. Thompson, overseer.....	\$ 141 66
J. H. McGregor, Clerk.....	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk.....	75 00
Geo. Hartel, Clerk.....	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk.....	75 00
Dr. J. A. Burke, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. A. L. Pery, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Thos Spencer, City Physician.....	50 00
D. Henry Koch, City Physician.....	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner.....	75 00
C. Herberger.....	75 00
James P. Evans.....	75 00
Maurice Mownihan, clerk.....	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Gerling Bros., flour.....	\$ 182 25
Jacob Howe, Jr., bread.....	192 78
Fleckenstein Bros., bread.....	117 36
Schaffer, Bros., bread.....	85 24
P. Kleinhaus, meat.....	50 00
Mathias Miller, meat.....	25 00
Leo Schiltzer, rent.....	20 00
Chas. Engert, rent.....	10 00
Wm. Knight, rent.....	6 00
P. Connaughton, groceries.....	12 00
Richardson & Niven, meal.....	5 00
Scrantom & Wetmore, stationary.....	2 25
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	30 64
C. E. Bowen, rent.....	20 00
Jeffords & Co., burials.....	12 00
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Gauhn & Bassett, plumbing and steam fitting.....	1,527 66
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	255 00
May, Wehn & Co. coal.....	255 00
J. Margarder & Co., material for Mayor's office.....	20 00
Burnett & Koomer, repairing furniture.....	12 00
George Weldon & Co., \$13.80 and \$2.17, fixtures, etc.....	15 97
Mrs. Maggie Hursh, cleaning Front St. B'ldg.....	30 00
Steele & Avery, lawn mower.....	17 00
Woodbury, Morse & Co., dusters, sponges, &c.....	18 33
American Chem. Carpet Cleaning Co., cleaning carpet.....	3 84
Charles Little, labor in cellar, Trimming coal.....	5 10
And charge that fund.	

PARK FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JULY, 1883.

James Dalton.....	\$ 50 00
Timothy Casey.....	50 00
John Sheridan.....	50 00
John McCrudden.....	50 00
John Dailey.....	50 00
Timothy Corcoran.....	50 00
David Cooper.....	50 00
Michael McCluskey.....	50 00
Louis Haag.....	50 00
Jacob Jump.....	50 00
John Kannelly.....	26 92
O'Connor & Co., flag walk, Madison park.....	856 75
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Citizens Gas Co., lighting and care for July.....	\$3,045 06
..... setting posts.....	11 15
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JULY, 1883.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer.....	\$ 75 00
Geo. Messinger, Register.....	66 66
John M. Harder, Inspector.....	50 00
Otho Griswold, Inspector.....	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Schuey, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Helmold, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	33 33
Thos. Plunkett, sewer fisher.....	50 00
Joseph Thompson.....	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector.....	50 00
Messenger.....	33 33

MISCELLANEOUS.

Chas. Mann, printing health officers report.....	291 66
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JULY, 1888.

A. G. Wheeler, police justice..... \$300 00
Fred'k Zimmer, police commissioner..... 83 83
Jacob Howe, Jr., police commissioner..... 83 83
And charge that fund.

POLICE PAY ROLL FOR JULY, 1888.

Alex. M'Leane..... 130 00
Ferry Marzluff..... 85 00
Samuel Brown..... 85 00
Thos. Lynch..... 35 00
Peter Lauer, Jr..... 85 00
P. C. Kavanaugh..... 85 00
Thos. A. Burchill..... 85 00
Henry Baker..... 85 00
Chas. M' Cormick..... 85 00
Jos. S. Roworth..... 85 00
John C. Haydon..... 85 00
John H. Dana..... 75 00
Wm. H. White..... 75 00
Ed. Van Vorst..... 75 00
Thos. Dukelow..... 75 00
John C. M'Quarters, 29 days..... 72 53
Fred. Griebel..... 75 00
John H. Reiss..... 75 00
W. B. M'Arthur..... 85 00
Frank B. Alten..... 85 00
Hugh Clark..... 75 00
Jacob Frank..... 75 00
Thos. Crouch..... 75 00
John Wanzman..... 75 00
John Monaghan..... 75 00
Geo. Hoffman..... 75 00
Chas. Siefert..... 75 00
Frank S. Skuse..... 75 00
George Long, 27 days..... 67 50
Daniel Goulding..... 105 00
Hugh Johnston..... 105 00
Joseph P. Cleary..... 85 00
Wm. Keith..... 85 00
Benj. C. Furtherer..... 85 00
Nicholas J. Toos..... 85 00
John B. Davis..... 85 00
John A. Baird..... 85 00
Mich. Hyland..... 75 00
Oleiver..... 75 00
Ralph Bendon..... 75 00
Andrew Connolly..... 75 00
Robt. Burns..... 75 00
Jacob Harter..... 75 00
Wm. F. O'Neil..... 75 00
John Mitchell..... 75 00
Ed. McDonough..... 75 00
Jos. St. Helen..... 75 00
Wm. M'Kelvey, 29 days..... 72 50
Robt. M'Kee..... 75 00
Michael Brady..... 75 00
Chas. E. Fowler, 25 days..... 62 50
Robert Sloan..... 75 00
John Dean..... 75 00
Samuel Schwartz..... 75 00
Jas. A. Johnson..... 75 00
Wm. Burgess..... 75 00
James P. Flynn..... 75 00
Michael Cain..... 75 00
Charles W. Peart..... 75 00
Chas. Hart..... 75 00
Wm. Laragy..... 75 00
Michael Hyme..... 75 00
Louis Nola..... 75 00
Peter Hess, 20 days..... 72 50
Oliver A. Youle..... 75 00
Frederick Kipphut..... 75 00
Joseph Baker, 23 days..... 57 50
John E. McDermott..... 75 00
Patk. J. Cummings..... 75 00
Benj. L. Stetson..... 75 00
Patk. Caulfield..... 75 00
Patk. Culligan..... 75 00
Jerome P. Dowd..... 75 00
Wm. Murray..... 75 00
Michael Englert..... 75 00
John Sullivan..... 75 00
Fennis Hogan..... 75 00
James E. Ryan..... 75 00
John Yaman, 29 days..... 72 50
Mich. Zimmerman, 29 days..... 72 50
Geo. H. Kron..... 75 00
George Liese, 24 days..... 60 00
Henry Baker, Jr..... 75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick, 29 days..... 72 50
Wm. Hillard..... 75 00
Fred'k Walter..... 75 00
Ed. O'Laughlin..... 75 00
George Bletzler..... 75 00
George Mohr..... 75 00
Hiram Rogers, 25 days..... 70 00
John A. Wallace..... 75 00
John H. Mason..... 75 00
Geo. Kleisley..... 75 00
Jacob Markey..... 65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c..... 125 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

F. R. Andrews, printing bail bonds..... \$ 4 00
S. A. Ferce, medical services..... 34 00
Consumers Ice Co., ice at headquarters..... 35 00
Charles Bailey, cleaning carpet..... 10 96
And charge that fund.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
OFFICES, CITY HALL, Aug. 6, 1888. }

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.
Rochester Printing Co., printing blanks, &c..... \$47 50
Post-Express Printing Co..... 13 50
James F. O'Neil..... 7 00

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Weekly pay roll, July 26..... \$106 75
Janes Hart, repairing harness..... 4 89
Zimmer & Schwab, sweeper..... 1 50
Louis Ernst & Son, hardware..... 76 74
Henry Flake, and nails..... 31 39
Henry Hebing, 6 88
H. A. Kingsley & Co., 3 60
Woodbury, Booth & Pryor, air chambers, A-ten street bridge..... 149 25
Woodbury, Booth & Pryor, air chambers, Lyell avy: bridge..... 15 50
J. C. Barnard, linseed oil Lyell ave. bridge..... 6 00
William Huddy, painting..... 65 00
E. H. Cook & Co., work and material, bridges..... 166 63
Stoertz Brothers, pike poles, bridges..... 3 00
S. A. Millington & Co., signs..... 14 00
William Bassett, ladders..... 10 00
David Clancy, macadam stone..... 132 94
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, macadam stone..... 22 89
H. Neuberger, breaking stone..... 2 53
George Miller, sand and gravel..... 29 00
William Dyer, making surface sewers..... 20 00
James Gorsline, repairing Lake ave..... 51 13
J. A. Vanderweil, work and material..... 31 31
Chase & Myers, lumber..... 310 81
James Dorsey, repairing steam roller..... 146 71
Geo. Weldon & Co., shades, fixtures, etc..... 3 00
J. B. Williams, oil..... 48 45
Snannon & Russ, repairs steam roller..... 3 25

\$1,517 26

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Aug. 9..... \$110 48
..... 126 48
..... \$236 96
Geo. B. Hayes, pipe, estimate No. 2..... 4,490 53
Ludlow Valve Man'g Co., valves..... 131 00
Geo. B. Harris, freight, pipe and valves..... 49 47
Morris Bortle, turning plugs..... 2 01
Geo. B. Harris disbursements..... 9 85
Eureka Steam Heating Co., miscellaneous castings..... 330 31

\$5,249 72

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Aug. 2..... \$507 43
..... 447 00
..... \$954 48
Weekly pay roll, Aug. 2..... \$507 48
..... 445 50
..... \$ 952 98

Thomas J. Neville, office expenses..... 7 20
W. J. Wilcox, envelopes..... 35 50
J. C. King, furniture and repairs..... 55 37
Rochester Printing Co., stationary, etc..... 18 15
Geo. F. Flannery, printing..... 30 00
Geo. Weldon & Co., shades, etc..... 8 05
Post-Express Printing Co., printing and stationary..... 47 30
W. J. Marston, printing..... 12 00
S. A. Millington, printing..... 26 25
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements..... 21 61
Stone & Campbell, oats..... 114 00
Geo. B. Harris, hay and straw..... 30 37
J. B. Coleman, corporation cocks, etc..... 316 01
James Hart, repairing harness..... 3 75
J. Forbes Kotler, rent of office..... 190 00
Eureka Steam Heating Co., curb boxes, etc..... 319 75
National Meter Co., meters..... 356 25
Union Water Meter Co., exchange of meters..... 32 00
Woodbury, Booth & Payor, work and mat'ris..... 6 44
E. H. Cook & Co..... 2 60
John Connor, salt..... 12 00
M. L. Delano, work, dis. reservoir, est. No. 5..... 50 00
..... final est..... 24 08
John Siddons, work and material..... 34 05
J. E. Watters, coal..... 5 50
T. M. Blossom, labor, Hemlock lake..... 14 30

R. Crennell .. conduit line.....	2 75
J. B. Williams, oil.....	9 47
Rochester Gas Light Co, gas bill.....	8 00

\$3,811 66

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Zimmer & Schwab, repairs, apparatus.....	70 62
William Bassett .. buildings.....	51 99
J. A. Vanderwert	22 65
William Huddy	11 65
Stove & Campbell, mill feed.....	6 70
Geo. B. Harris, hay.....	22 87
Post-Express Printing Co, printing.....	13 00
Geo McPherson labor, fire tel.....	12 00
E. E. Handy (2 bills).....	24 00
C. R. Finnegan	15 50
John C. King, bedding	6 00
S. B. Stuart & Co, coal.....	165 70
S. P. Rousseau, repairing harness.....	9 95
Louis Ernst & Son, hardware.....	6 02

\$ 437 45

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

William Verhoven, inspecting work, Alexander street improvement.....	\$ 225 00
John Quia, inspecting masonry, Central ave. bridge.....	36 00
John Creagan, inspecting work, Lyell bridge approaches improvement.....	30 00
Ferdinand Seifred, inspecting work, Sherman street sewer.....	30 00
George W Hatch, inspecting work, North St. Paul street improvement.....	40 00
A. C. Bowen, extra work, Monroe ave. outlet..	15 00
Street Department, dredging in Ohio basin, G & Canal Sewer, Sec. 2.....	17 25
Street Department, Stakes and expenses:	
Wesley street walk.....	63
Whitmore park walk.....	45

Estimates.

John A. Meyer, final estimate, Wesley street plank walk.....	51 37
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Whitmore park plank walk.....	32 55
The Pittsburg Bridge Co., final estimate, Lyell avenue lift bridge.....	1,172 65
John Mauder, partial estimate No. 1, Sherman street sewer.....	100 00
John Mauder, partial estimate No. 2, Sherman street sewer.....	150 00
R. Y. McConnell, partial estimate No. 3, Pleasant street sewer.....	300 00
N. L. Brajer, partial estimate No. 1 Bay street sewer.....	1,200 00

\$3,400 90

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Ferras, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin; Felsing, Rice, Southard, Alkenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—14

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Kelly—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: At a meeting of the council held July 19th last, the undersigned were appointed a committee to take into consideration the subject matter of the communication of D. D. S. Brown, Esq. in relation to a public park for the city of Rochester, and his proposition to deed to the city for that purpose thirty acres of land upon certain conditions. Our report in relation to that matter will include the subsequent proposition of Major Brown, in relation to a gift of additional lands by him for an approach to the proposed park from West avenue, which was also referred to your committee. Since we were charged with the duty named, we have devoted considerable time to an examination of the land thus offered to the city, the approaches thereto and the surrounding lands, and have availed ourselves of the judgment of a large number of prominent citizens of Rochester, directly interested in its present and future welfare, and who also made a personal examination of the grounds.

The subject of public parks has recently been brought so prominently before the public by the press in connection with the Yellowstone National park and Niagara Falls park, that there was no difficulty in obtaining expressions from citizens in regard to the necessity of making immediate provisions for a system of public parks for Rochester, and we are satisfied that it is not now a question whether Rochester should have one or more parks. Public opinion without a dissenting voice admits the salutary, beneficial influences of parks and squares,

and that their value is in a sanitary point of view as great as their desirability for pleasure, rest, or recreation. The parks which should be established, and for one of which by the offer of Major Brown, provision can now be made, must not be confounded with public squares in the compact portions of Rochester, which are indispensable, and have been aptly termed the lungs of a city, but we refer exclusively to extensive grounds located beyond and out of the noise and din of the city, yet near enough to be easy of access for children, pedestrians, equestrians and carriages, enclosed and laid out in drives and walks, ornamented with flower beds and other appropriate attractions of nature and art. Such a park is not exclusive, but a resort where the vehicle of the humblest citizen has equal rights with the equipage of the wealthy; where children with hoops, kites and tiny wagons can without interference enjoy in safety all innocent sports and amusements, where the overworked can seek rest and enjoy a quiet retreat, where invigorating and healthful exercise can be had by the pedestrian, the equestrian or the occupant of a carriage, while enjoying the beauties of nature and art, there grouped and collected in the most judicious and healthful manner. It is of such magnitude and importance that its policy in regard to all public improvements connected with the welfare of its citizens should not be temporary and looking only to present necessities, but its certain, steady but rapid growth in population, commercial and manufacturing importance should be kept steadily in view, and the needs of its citizens in the future as well as the present provided for. It is property called the Flower City, yet its floral wealth is private property on private grounds, and within its corporate limits there is not a flower or foliage bed, or walk bordered with flowers in which the public has any direct interest or right to make any suggestion relating thereto.

For a park the city has now offered to the city are well adapted. The entrance to the park via Maple street, will be distant from Powers block only two miles, and by way of West avenue and the proposed boulevard, will be distant only one-fourth of a mile additional from that point. It will be nearer, therefore, than any public park is to any city of equally large population, and with the facilities which are proposed to be given by street and other railways it is sufficiently near. The location of the land is admirably adapted for a park, and if it is considered advisable to enlarge it, additional grounds can now be secured at a low price. From the entire grounds the view is one of great beauty and interest. On the north is the blue expanse of the waters of Lake Ontario on the east the city with its spires, towers and domes arising from the foliage of shade embowered avenues and streets; on the south in clear view is Mount Hope, the reservoir and fountain and the Brighton hills beyond, and on the west and in the near proximity are charming groves and hill clad forests, admirably adapted for picnic and like purposes.

A comparatively small outlay will be sufficient to enclose the grounds and prepare carriage drives and walks, plant trees, shrubs, and lay out in an ornamental manner flower and foliage beds. The lands are so located that absolutely perfect drainage can be secured at a trifling expense. The soil is rich, easily tilled and well adapted to the quick and firm growth of trees, plants, shrubs and flowers, and in the immediate neighborhood are extensive gravel beds which can be made available in preparing walks and drives. Another consideration in connection with this matter, which has not been overlooked by your committee is the fact that the ground for this park and additional grounds can now be secured forever to the city without disturbing by compulsory proceedings the home or residences of any person, thus avoiding the inconvenience and annoyance which follows the condemnation by legal proceedings of lands of individuals for public purposes.

We therefore earnestly recommend that the generous offer of Major Brown contained in his communication to his honor the mayor, dated June 4th, last, be accepted, and that once taken to carry into effect the conditions imposed, and in that we submit the resolutions accompanying this report.

Respectfully submitted.

J. MILLER KELLY,
JOHN A. FELSINGER,
JOHN H. FOLEY,
Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published and tabled until the next regular meeting.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, Aug. 7, 1883.

To the Common Council—
GENTLEMEN—The request of your honorable board to examine and remove obstructions from Saxton

street sewer has been compiled with so far as the examination is concerned. Obstructions were not removed because they could not be found. Entrance was made to the sewer at Moore street and through this street and west on Lyell avenue to the canal the sewer was explored without discovering more than the usual deposit of sediment found in all sewers to the depth of a few inches. Another entrance was made in Saxton street, near Smith, and west of the canal, and there a like condition of the sewer was found. Residents of the locality attribute the trouble to the shallowness of the sewer, which in several places is only a few feet below the surface. The cause of back water arises probably from this fact or some obstruction in the culvert under the canal, which from its form of construction would allow excellent facilities for preventing a rapid flow of water. The sewer as it stands is in excellent condition and affords a free passage of water to the extent of its capacity. Respectfully,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.
Office of the EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, August 7, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Executive Board in accordance with your instructions gave notice to the owners of property, which it is contemplated to take for the opening of a street from Seward to Reynolds streets, to call at this office and state the sums they would accept for the portion of their property required for the street. A few of the owners responded, but the prices asked being deemed largely in excess of the actual value of the land, the Board begs leave to refer the matter back to your honorable body for such disposition as is deemed advisable.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

By Aid. Foley—Whereas no agreement can be made with the owners of the land necessary to be taken for the purpose of opening a street from Reynolds street to Seward street; therefore,

Resolved, That the City Surveyor be, and he hereby is, directed to make and file in the office of the City Clerk a copy of the ordinance for the taking of the land for the opening of said street, adopted July 10th, 1883, together with a map of said street, showing on such map the lots and tracts and parcels of land necessary to be taken, and the commencement, course and termination of said street proposed to be opened, in accordance with section 164, of the revised city charter. Adopted.

By Aid. Foley—Resolved, That the City Attorney be, and he hereby is directed to publish a notice specifying and describing the lands necessary to be taken for the purpose of opening a street from Reynolds street to Seward street in the city of Rochester, and to take such further action as may be necessary with reference thereto in accordance with section 175 of the revised city charter. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER,
Offices, City Hall, Aug. 6th, 1883.

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law:

1. Monthly Report, showing expenditures for all purposes, by the Executive Board, during the month of July, 1883.

2. Monthly Statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board, July 31st, 1883, including the amounts added to the Tax Rolls from the Street and Water Works Departments.

Respectfully, your obedient servant,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures by the Executive Board for all purposes during the month ending July 31, 1883:

Total Amount of Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.	
Executive Board orders, in payment for labor.....	\$5,929 16
Orders passed by Common Council, at meetings July 10 and 24.....	53,083 27
Total	\$59,014 53

<i>Classification.</i>	
Highway Fund	\$ 9,866 26
Water Pipe Fund	15,432 96
Water Works Fund	5,788 59
Fire Department Fund.....	8,087 14
Salary and Expense Fund.....	640 95
Local Improvement funds.....	17,491 63
Street sprinkling funds.....	3,692 00

Total..... 59,014 53

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in charge of the Executive Board on the 31st day of July, 1883, including amounts added to Tax Rolls from Street and Water Works Departments.

Dr. Balances:

City Treasurer.....	\$10,219 40
Sidewalk Repair Funds.....	2,009 95
Local Improvement Funds.....	150,810 56
Street sprinkling funds.....	9,766 60
Total	\$172,806 51

Cr. Balances:

Highway Fund.....	22,110 32
Water Pipe Fund.....	30,505 65
Water Works Fund.....	34,506 91
Water Works Fund (special).....	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.....	57,775 75
Salary and Expense Fund.....	6,392 41
Total	\$172,806 51

From the City Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, AUG. 7, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds on the 7th day of August, 1883, as required by section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund.....	\$22,686 00
.. .. Repair	4,901 6
.. .. Contingent Fund.....	33,636 69
.. .. Teachers'	57,749 49
Fire Department Fund.....	57,930 69
Poor Department Fund.....	49,569 33
Police Department Fund.....	26,255 10
Contingent Fund	21,181 93
Highway Fund.....	19,823 33
Lamp Fund.....	51,787 97
Health Fund.....	9,552 91
City Property Fund	1,608 33
Park Fund.....	429 05
Water Works Fund.....	15,161 13
Water Pipe Fund.....	50,833 10
Salary and Expense Fund.....	6,392 99

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of August, 1883.
EDWARD THOMAS,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., AUG. 7th, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The total expense for which the city has become obligated in the matter of acquiring land for new street from Mill street to Water street is \$15,812. Very respectfully yours,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, City Treasurer.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the City Attorney—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The appeal taken by J. E. Pierpont and Lewis S. Hoyt, assignee of Charles E. Upton, from the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the taking of lands for a street from Mill street to Water street, has been discontinued. Your honorable body can therefore take action with reference to the matter, as the report now stands finally confirmed. Respectfully submitted.

J. N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Aug 7, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby report that the assessment roll for acquiring additional land for a street from Mill street to Water street has been delivered to me, as required by section 191 of the city charter.

F. N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 7, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—In accordance with Section 29 of the revised city charter, I hereby report the following named persons as having qualified and taken the oath of office:
John S. Burns, Inspector of Election 2d district 9th ward.
Robert A. Russell, Inspector of Election 3d district 16th ward.
Z. C. Davy, Commissioner of Deeds.
E. D. Smith, Jr., Commissioner of Deeds.
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Chief of Police—

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 7, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—I respectfully report the following lamps not burning during the month of July, 1883: gas, 49; oil, 222. Respectfully,

ALEX. McLFAN,
Chief Police.

Ordered received filed and published.
From the Excise Commissioners—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing July 1st, 1883, and ending July 31st, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, ale, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz:

July 2, 1883:	
Mathews, Patrick; 89 Lyell ave.....	\$50 00
Bohrer, Louis; 102 North ave.....	50 00
Birkholz, Wendelin, 76 Chatham st.....	50 00
Pose, Michael; Emerson st.....	30 00
Scheffel, Barbara; 164 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Talry, Julia; Court and S St Paul sts.....	50 00
McCormick, Patrick; 185 Mill st.....	50 00
Strutz, William; 40 Caroline st.....	50 00
Eismann, Bartholomey; 42 Madison st.....	50 00
Otto, Frank X; 19 Smith s.....	50 00
Mumbach, George & Jacob; Maple and Saxton sts.....	50 00
Enders, John D; Frost ave and Francis st.....	50 00
Rogers, Frank; 102 East ave.....	50 00
McBride, Rosa; 9 Monroe ave.....	30 00
Bartholomay Brewing Co, 4 Fitzhugh st.....	30 00
July 3;	
Kelly, Joseph; 9 Hill st.....	60 00
Theis, Rosa; 54 N Water.....	50 00
Kennedy, Thomas; 59 West ave.....	50 00
Tibbetts, V M; National Hotel.....	75 00
Galvin, Patrick; 119 N Union st.....	32 50
Coffey, Daniel & Dennis; 169 E Main st.....	55 50
Smit, Amelia; 119 S St Paul.....	54 00
Rochester Distilling Co; 27 and 29 Lake ave.....	30 00
Coyar, Charles; 75 Exchange st.....	33 75
McKay, James; 7 Mumford st.....	50 00
Mannes; Christian; 78 Sour ave.....	50 00
Schwikert, Frank; 15 S St Paul st.....	54 50
Gagnon, Frank D; 52 E Main st.....	50 00
Knorr, John; 126 St Joseph st.....	30 00
Welker, Barbara; 1 Central park.....	50 00
Stephan, John; 129 St Joseph st.....	50 00
Walters, Anthony; 231 North st.....	30 00
Iris, Jacob P; 235 State st.....	30 00
Burgess, William; 27 W Main.....	50 00
Golding, Fanny C; 56 Front st.....	50 00
Englert, George; 16 Hanover st.....	54 50
July 16;	
Leis, Theodore; 130 E Main st.....	55 00
Leidecker, G Fred; 298 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Har, el Bros; 12 West ave.....	60 00
Bernard, Adam; 30 Lyell ave.....	50 00
Swab, Bernard; Smith and Whitney sts.....	54 00
Turner, Jacob; 340 State sts.....	50 00
Knapp, Frank J & Bro; 36 South ave.....	5 00
Danner, Daniel; 137 Lake ave.....	50 00
Frank, Geo F; North and Woodbury sts.....	55 50
Ringelstein, Lena; 20 Exchange place.....	50 00
Wholanan, Thos F; 9 Center st.....	50 00
Powers, William; 9 Mill st.....	50 00
Bauerschmidt, Mary; 34 Front st.....	30 00
Miller, Fred; 17 North ave.....	50 05
Derch, John; 49 N Francis st.....	52 70
Scoaroder, Chas F; 2 8 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Kall, Christopher W; 140 Jay st.....	50 00
Hall, L J & Bro; 104 East ave.....	56 25

July 33;	
Lehman, John H; 96 N Clinton st.....	50 00
South, William; 65 Front st.....	50 00
Englert, Charles; 4 Andrews st.....	50 00
Auer, John H; 32 Front st.....	50 00
Gfeller, Christian; 116 N Water st.....	50 00
Zimmer, Charles; 108 East ave.....	50 00
Kri-g, Marcellie; 199 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Kaufman, L W; 170 W Main st.....	30 00
House, George; 133 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Minges, Sophia; 240 E Main st.....	50 00
Merlau, Fred H; 330 State st.....	50 00
Klein, John; 83 Francis st.....	50 00
Subr, Charles; University ave and railroad.....	60 00
Spengler, John; Childs and Campbell sts.....	56 25
Marlin, John C; 41 E Maple st.....	30 00
Stoltz, John; Plymouth ave and Barlett st.....	50 00
Knoppe, Joseph; 07 Oak st.....	50 00
Yawman, George; Grape and Jay sts.....	50 00
Kraemer, Valentine; 266 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Beggy, George A; 97 Smith st.....	31 00
O'Connor, Daniel; 41 Central ave.....	50 00
Stuart, John; Bay st and First ave.....	50 00
Kaufman, Joseph; Sherman and Bauer sts.....	30 00
Lutz, George J; E Main and Clinton sts.....	30 00

July 30;	
Monroe, Peter L; 53 S Francis st.....	35 00
Weidner, George; 88 N St Paul st.....	50 00
Genesee Valley Distilling Co, 67 Mill st.....	30 00
Hann, John B; 125 N Union st.....	30 00
Knapp, John; Hunter and Francis sts.....	50 00
Bauman, Mary A; 201 Monroee ave.....	50 00
Kall, John; 23 Lowell st.....	54 40
Dietz Bros, 14 Exchange place.....	50 00
Goetzman, F & Co; 134 N Water st.....	35 00
Erden, Frank; 92 Front st.....	50 00
Allen, Chas G & Co; Genesee Falls Park.....	30 00
Kimmel, August & Co; 48 North ave.....	50 00
Clarke, John A; 333 State st.....	50 00
Burke, Francis; 215 N Clinton st.....	30 00
Flynn, Miles; 140 W Main st.....	50 00
Sixby, M F; 18 South ave.....	30 00
Weber, G Peter; 37 Baken st.....	50 00
Lee John; Smith and Oak sts.....	75 00
Hayd, John B; 100 East ave.....	50 00
O'Laughlin, John; Smith and Saxton sts.....	30 00
Kenny, William; 14 N Water st.....	30 00
Enders, Charles; 44 Atwater st.....	50 00
Kesel, H Nry F; 270 N Clinton st.....	30 00

Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer.....\$4,678 50
Dated July 31, 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
COUNTY OF MONROE, } ss.
City of Rochester, }
The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of July, 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of July, 1883.
MAURICE MOYNAHAN
Commissioner of Deeds,
in and for the City of Rochester.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to construct a wooden bridge across Deep Hollow Creek at Gates ave. came up. Ald. Kelly presented a remonstrance and moved that the ordinance be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The final ordinance to improve Mt. Hope avenue came up. Ald. Rice moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE—NO. 233.

PIPE SEWER IN LEWIS STREET AND MT. VERNON AVENUE
On motion of Ald. Simmelink, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—
Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:
An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Lewi

street and Mt. Vernon avenue, from a point 141 feet west of Meigs street, to the sewer in Caroline street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:
The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Lewis street, from a point 141 feet west of Meigs street, to the centre of Mt. Vernon avenue, and a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Mt. Vernon avenue from the centre of Lewis street, to the sewer in Caroline street.

Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,600 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Lewis street, from a point 111 feet west of Meigs street, to Mt. Vernon ave., and one tier of lots on each side of Mt. Vernon ave., from the centre of Lewis street to Caroline street.

On which above described portion of the city the expense of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Sirmmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,534.

CLEANING OAKMAN STREET SEWER.

On motion of Ald. Sirmmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Sirmmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to clean the sewer in Oakman street, from Galusha street to Clinton street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The cleaning of the sewer in Oakman street from near Galusha street to Clinton street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$664, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Oakman street from Galusha street to Clinton street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead Kelly, Sirmmelink—15.

The final ordinance to enlarge White street sewer came up.

Ald. Felsinger moved it be postponed two weeks.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Sirmmelink—15.

The final ordinance to repair Lake avenue came up.

Ald. Hinds presented the following:

To Aid. J. A. Hinds. Chairman Finance Committee: In the matter of the Highway Fund and its expenditure. An abstract of certain sections of the City Charter is necessary to an opinion upon the matter as to which my judgment is desired.

Section 46 requires that on the last Tuesday of March in each year the City of Rochester shall make out a statement which shall contain among other things: "The several items of expenditure made by the Common Council, the objects and purposes for which the same were made, and the amount of money expended under each, the amount of taxes raised for general contingent expenses, the amount raised for fighting the city, and for police, the amount of highway taxes and assessments, the amount of assessments for paving, repairing and opening streets—and such other information as shall be necessary to a full understanding of the financial concerns of the city." The foregoing provision is mainly important in this connection as showing that "the amount of highway taxes and assessments" is a separate item in the funds of the city from "the amount of assessments for paving, repairing and opening streets."

Section 53, in prescribing the duties of the City Treasurer, directs that all moneys drawn from the treasury, except as otherwise provided by law, shall be drawn in pursuance of an order of the Common Council, by warrant signed by the Clerk, which warrant shall specify for what purpose the amount therein expressed is paid, and the Clerk shall keep in a check book, an account under the appropriate heads of expenditures, of all orders drawn upon the treasury. But no warrant check, or draft shall be signed by the Clerk or be paid or accepted by the Treasurer, the effect of which shall be to overdraw any of the funds; and by the same section, the Treasurer is to make a report in March of each year, exhibiting a full account of the receipts and disbursements during the preceding year, and from the date of the last preceding like report, and also the state of the treasury and the funds stored.

Under Section 48, before any ordinance, resolution or order of the Common Council concerning any public improvement or for the payment of money shall have any force or effect, it must be approved by the Mayor, or, if disapproved, it must be passed by a two-thirds vote over his disapproval.

By Section 61, it is made the duty of the Superintendent of Streets, to superintend under the direction of the Executive Board, all work to be done, or ordered upon or in relation to any of the public streets, and to perform under the direction of such Board, such other duties as are by law imposed upon him. If there be no Superintendent of Streets, then all powers and duties imposed upon that officer, are to be performed by the Executive Board.

By Section 80 the Common Council is required to examine, settle and audit all accounts against the city, except as otherwise expressed in the charter or other law, and the Council is declared to have authority to direct the raising of such sums as shall be necessary to defray the same and the contingent expenses of the city, subject to the limitations and restrictions afterwards contained.

Section 81 provides that for the purpose of paying such expenses, the Council shall raise annually such sums as shall be estimated and reported by the Finance Committee as necessary in the manner afterwards provided. This section then provides that the chairman of each committee shall, upon request, furnish to the chairman of the Finance Committee full and particular estimates of the amount needed by the various funds and departments, especially for fighting the city, for the support of the police department, for the general contingent expenses of the city, for the support and relief of the poor, for the maintenance and improvement of public parks and squares, the expenses of the Board of Health, and for other necessary expenses of said city during the next fiscal year. The Finance Committee are required to present to the Common Council a statement in detail of the sums which will be needed for said funds and to meet the expenses of the year for all municipal purposes, and showing what will be in their opinion necessary to be raised for other specific purposes. The statement as it may be modified by the Council, is to be put in the form of a general tax levy, and the amount authorized to be raised in each year for the construction and repair of highways, the Common Council are hereby authorized to raise by tax in said city, annually, a sum not exceeding \$2,700 for the purpose of cleaning and keeping in repair the following avenues, or such of them as have been or may hereafter be permanently improved between the points indicated. The section then indicates the portions of certain streets and avenues for the cleaning and repair of which this fund of \$2,700.00 is raised, and afterwards enacts, "But no more than \$3 00 for each of said streets and avenues shall be raised in any one year."

In case the sums above mentioned or any of them shall prove insufficient for the purpose for which the same were raised, then the Common Council shall have power, by a vote of three-quarters of all the members elect, subject to the approval of the Mayor, to provide for the borrowing, upon the credit of the city, of so much money as may be deemed necessary to supply such deficiency, and the amount so borrowed shall be assessed and collected as part of the city taxes for the ensuing year.

Section 143 requires that all the lawful expenses of the Executive Board, and all the accounts and demands lawfully contracted by that Board, shall be by it examined, audited and settled, and then certified to the Council, and the Council shall pay it out of the proper fund, except that moneys destined for labor, not provided for by a tax levied by the Council, shall be paid by the Board directly by orders on the City Treasurer.

Under section 149 the Executive Board, among other things "have control of the construction, improvement, repair and cleaning of streets, and shall have control of the expenditure of the funds therefor."

Section 153 makes it the duty of the Executive Board to make monthly reports of their expenditures to the Common Council, and the condition of the funds under their control, and on or before June 1st of

each year to present to the Council a statement of the money needed by such Board, specifying the purposes for which it shall be used. It is then made the duty of the Council to raise such an amount of money as it may deem necessary for said Executive Board, with other general city taxes, such money shall only be paid out by the order of the Council on certified resolutions, or orders of the Council, except as otherwise provided.

Under sub-division 2 of section 168 the Common Council have power "to cause the grading, repairing, cleaning, m'adamizing, planking or paving of any of the streets" but as we have already seen the Executive Board "have the control of the construction, repair and cleaning of streets—and shall have control of the expenditure therefor." These provisions may perhaps be reconciled by a construction which holds, that the Common Council shall have power to cause the work to be done, and that the Executive Board shall control the doing of the work, or it may have been the intention to clothe the Common Council and the Executive Board each with the same powers. But whichever construction may be adopted, it is quite clear that no more than \$300 can be raised by taxation in any one year for the cleaning and repairing of the specific portion of any of the enumerated streets that have been improved, and if an additional sum is needed, it must be raised by borrowing, which of course can only be done by the Council with the approval of the Mayor.

By "permanent improvement" I understand a durable or lasting improvement, as distinguished from a temporary improvement, not one that shall not wear out or decay. The improvement of a MacAdam or Nicholson pavement a permanent improvement, and when the portions of the streets and avenues specified in section 81, have been so improved, not more than \$300 a year can be expended for cleaning and repairs upon such portions except as the Common Council may borrow an additional sum for that purpose.

But I am further asked, whether, when a permanent improvement has been worn out, so as to require a new improvement, can the Executive Board, from the general highway fund, make a new improvement of such street. By the general highway fund, I understand is meant that fund which under the current tax levy notice is represented by "Highway Fund, \$25,000.00." I suppose that the requisition for this amount comes from the statement of the Executive Board to the Council, under section 153 "of the money needed by such board for the fiscal year, specifying the purposes for which it shall be used." If this statement made by the board to the Common Council does not specify the purposes for which this fund is to be used, I think the council should do so, and that in any event, the Common Council in the tax levy should so specify, and if in such specification, there should be a certain sum for a MacAdam, Medina stone or Nicholson pavement on East avenue or Lake avenue, and the Common Council should carry that amount into the general fund for that purpose. I see no reason why the Executive Board would not be obliged to expend the fund for the purpose for which it was raised. But if the fund be raised generally "for Highway Fund" the question is not so easy of solution, nor indeed does it seem necessary it should be answered, for in the condition in which the tax levy for the current year now is, the Council may specify, even if the Executive Board has not, the purposes for which the money should be used as "such a sum for the cleaning and repairing of streets and sidewalks, such a sum for crosswalks, etc., etc." specifying the different purposes, and if the purpose is that any portion of it shall be used for improvements of particular streets, then let it so specify.

It is to me very doubtful whether permanent local street improvements can be made out of the general Highway Fund, unless such purpose be specified in the tax levy, as one of the purposes for which that fund is levied.

Dated May 29, 1883.

JAMES L. ANGLE.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Hinds moved that action on the ordinance be postponed two weeks.

Ald. Kelly presented a remonstrance. After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Kelly moved that the ordinance be indefinitely postponed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly—8.
Nays—Ald. Watson, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Simmelink—7.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,533.

IMPROVING MEIGS STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to

hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve Meigs street from the south curb line of Monroe avenue to the north curb line of Broadway.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of Meigs street, from the south curb line of Monroe avenue to the north curb line of Broadway, by constructing a gravel roadway, with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof; width of roadway between curb lines to be 30 feet. Also, a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter from a point 145 feet south of Monroe avenue to the Pearl street sewer. Also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, lot laterals, manholes and street grading.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$3,115, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Meigs street, from Monroe avenue to a point opposite the north curb line of Broadway.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessment in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount, within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on Jennings street came up. Ald. Simmelink moved it be postponed two weeks. A adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,536.

PLANK WALK ON FLOWER STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Flower street, from Clinton street to the west end of Flower street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side of Flower street, from Clinton street to the west end of Flower street; also, the necessary crosswalks.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$504, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

On tier of lots on each side of Flower street, from the west end thereof to Clinton street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,537.

PLANK WALK ON SECOND AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the Ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on second avenue, from Pennsylvania avenue to Bay street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on each side of Second avenue, from Pennsylvania avenue to Bay street. Also the necessary crosswalks.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,136 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem to be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Second avenue, from Pennsylvania avenue to Bay street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The final ordinance to construct a stone sewer in Exchange street came up. Ald. Foley moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,598.

PIPE SEWER IN SILVER STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Silver street from a point 90 feet west of E die street to the sewer in Saxton st.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer, 15 inches in diameter, in Silver street, from a point 90 feet west of E die street easterly to a point opposite lot No. 14 of the George A. Wilkins estate, thence across said lot to the sewer in Saxton street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$2,514, which estimate is hereby approved and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Silver street, from the Rochester & Pittsburg railroad to a point 90 feet west of E die street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll, and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The final ordinance to construct a sewer in Montrose, Frank and Bloss streets came up. Ald. Hinds moved it be postponed four weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to improve Central avenue came up.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the ordinance for the improvement of Central avenue be amended by altering the territory to be assessed for the cost of the same, so that one-half the cost of said improvement shall be assessed on one tier of lots on the south side of Central avenue, from State street to North St. Paul street, and the remaining one-half of the cost of said improvement assessed on the entire city, except that portion of the 16th ward lying west of Mt. Hope avenue. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Huron street came up. Ald. Pitkin presented a remonstrance. The final ordinance was lost by the following vote, not having received the required number of votes:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Kelly—9.

Nays—Ald. Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—6.

Ald. Jeffords moved that when the Board adjourn it adjourn to Monday, Aug. 13th, at 10 o'clock a. m. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The amendments to the penal ordinance relating to bill posters came up.

Ald. Jeffords moved to amend so as to allow business people to post and distribute their own bills, cards, &c. Adopted.

On motion of Ald. Archer action on the ordinance as amended was postponed until the next regular meeting.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the complaints of an appeal from the assessment roll for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street, which roll has been filed by the special commissioners appointed to make the same, be heard at an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council, which meeting is appointed to be held in the Common Council Chamber in the City Hall building on the 7th day of August, 1883, at six o'clock p. m., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose. Adopted.”

Ald. Archer presented a remonstrance.

Ald. Watson presented a remonstrance.

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing the assessment roll was confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly Simmelink—15.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That all persons interested in the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets be heard as to the order of the assessment and of the expense thereof on the property duly deemed benefitted, at the Common Council chamber in the City Hall building on the 7th day of August, 1883, at six o'clock p. m., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose, and the City Clerk be and he hereby is directed to publish in accordance with Section 190 of the City Charter in the premises. Adopted.”

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Strouss presented the following:

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,409, ACQUIRING LAND FOR THE EXTENSION OF WARD AND HAMBURG STREETS.

Whereas, The Common Council of the city of Rochester did upon the ninth day of January, 1883, duly enact an ordinance for acquiring land for the purpose of extending Ward and Hamburg streets in the city of Rochester.

Whereas, The Treasurer has duly reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$13,284.50, including all such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

Whereas, The portion of the said city which the said Common Council deemed benefitted and proper to be assessed for said improvement is described as follows: One tier of lots on the following named streets mentioned, to wit: Ward street, from North St. Paul street to Clinton street; Joiner street, from Kelly street to the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company's lands; St. Joseph street,

from Kelly street to the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company's lands; Chatham street, from Kelly street to the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company's lands; Nassau street, from Joiner street to Hudson street; Holland street, from St. Joseph street to Nassau street; Hamburg street, from the west end thereof to Chatham street; Clinton street, from Hand street to the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company's lands.

Whereas, The Common Council has, by a duly published notice, as required by section 190 of the revised city charter, given all persons interested in said improvement, or the expense thereof, an opportunity to be heard.

Resolved, That the sum of \$13,284.50, being the whole amount of the expense aforesaid, should be and the same hereby is assessed upon such lots and parcels of land and houses within the territory deemed benefited by said improvement as aforesaid.

Resolved, That John Gorton, Valentine Fleckenstein and William Maher of said city, not being interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of the city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified and required to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 11th day of August, 1883, at 9 o'clock, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall building, Rochester, N. Y.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Watson moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Tillie E. Murphy—Second ward,
Joseph A. Cochrane, Franklin J. Stewart—Fourth ward,

Burke Miller—Seventh ward,
John D. Pitts, John Daily—Eighth ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.
No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.
No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to postpone balloting and proceed under the head of miscellaneous business, Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for a plank walk on Central Park. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of Henry Almeroth. Referred to the Board of Health.

Ald. Archer in the chair.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to make the city's note for \$3,000, get the same discounted and charge discount to Contingent Fund, and credit the proceeds to City Property Fund, said note to be countersigned by the Chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Aikenhead called up the following:

“By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to refund to all persons who have paid for Channing street sewer (ordinance No. 1,668) on lots on Hollister street, assessed for said Channing street sewer, the amount paid by each, and charge erroneous assessments.

“Adopted by the following vote:

“Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.”

Ald. Aikenhead moved that action on the above resolution be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead moved to indefinitely postpone. Adopted.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to cancel the assessment for Channing street sewer upon the following lots, and charge erroneous assessments, to wit: On lots 38, 39, 40, 41 and 98, of the Davis & Hollister tract in the Fourteenth ward, and upon lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 17, 18, 19 and 20 of George P. Draper's subdivision of part of town lot 65 in the Fourteenth ward, and lots 12 and 13 of the C. A. Davis subdivision of the Davis & Hollister tract in the Fourteenth ward, all of said lots being located on Hollister street in the city of Rochester, between Channing street and Clifford street.

and that the City Clerk be and he hereby is directed to draw orders on the Treasurer in favor of the owners of the following numbered lots, respectively, and charge erroneous assessments, to wit:

The owner of lot 37 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	\$13 10
The owner of lot 36 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	13 10
The owner of lots 94 and 95 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	26 20
The owner of lots 115 and 114 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	26 20
The owner of lot 113 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	13 10
The owner of lot 112 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	13 10
The owner of lot 111 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	13 10
The owner of lot 110 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	13 10
The owner of lot 109 and 1/2 of 108 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	19 65.

The owner of lot 107 and 1/2 of 108 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	19 65
The owner of lot 96 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	13 10
The owner of lot 97 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	13 10
The owner of lot 99 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	13 10
The owner of lot 103 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	17 37
The owner of lot 104 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	17 37
The owner of lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	91 73
The owner of lots 14, 15 and 16 Davis & Hollister tract.....	39 32
The owner of lots 24, 25 and 26, Davis & Hollister tract.....	39 32
The owner of lot 29, Davis & Hollister tract.....	9 82
The owner of lots 30 and 31, Davis & Hollister tract.....	40 63
The owner of the south part of lot 31 and north part of lot 32 of the Davis & Hollister tract.....	9 82
The owner of the south part of lot 33 Davis & Hollister tract.....	9 82
The owner of lot 33, Davis & Hollister tract.....	13 10
.. .. . 24,	13 10
.. .. . 35,	13 10
.. .. . 38, 39 40 and 41.....	31 62
subdivision of part of town lot 65.....	26 20
The owner of lot 1, James Kappin's subdivision of the west part of town lot 65.....	11 79
The owner of lot 2 of the same tract.....	11 46
.. .. . 3	11 46
.. .. . 14 and 15 C. A. Davis subdivision of Davis & Hollister tract.....	15 95

All of the foregoing named lots being located upon Hollister street between Channing street and Clifford street, but before the orders herein provided for are drawn by the City Clerk, the various owners of said lots shall furnish satisfactory proof of their ownership to be approved by the City Attorney.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—14.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of C. Eisenberg. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Felsing presented a petition for a sewer in Fulton avenue. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—
 To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: Your Poor Committee having advertised for proposals for the delivery of 1,000 tons of coal (stove or chestnut) to be delivered in 1/4 ton lots, have received the following proposals:

S. B. Stuart & Co.....	\$ 5 75
W. C. Dickinson.....	5 75
J. H. Van Ingen.....	5 75
W. H. Benjamin.....	5 75
John E. Waters.....	5 75
Louis Edelman & Co.....	5 75

Your committee submit the accompanying resolution and recommend the adoption thereof.

J. A. FELSINGER,
 A. COLLINS,
 J. H. FOLEY,
 Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Resolved, That the Poor Committee be authorized to enter into contract with S. B. Stuart & Co. for 400 tons, W. C. Dickinson 300 tons, J. A. Van Ingen 300 tons stove or chestnut coal to be delivered on orders from the proper authority and in accordance with the terms of the advertisement.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Simmelink—13.
 By Ald. Felsing—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 7, 1883.
 To the Hon. Board of Aldermen of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: You are most respectfully invited to attend the grand picnic of the Greenleaf Guard, at Maple Grove, Monday, Aug. 20, 1883.
 Hoping that you will honor us with your attendance we are,
 Yours respectfully,

GREENLEAF GUARD.

W. G. MARTENS, Adjutant.
 On motion of Ald. Felsing the invitation was accepted.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of W. S. Servis for permission to erect a wood building on Rowe street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

By Ald. Foley—
 To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN—In obedience to the direction of your honorable body the undersigned have considered the matters in relation to the proposed closing of Trowbridge street, and in connection therewith do hereby report:

It appears that the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia Railroad Company owns nearly all of the land between Trowbridge street and the abandoned Genesee Valley Canal and between Troup street and West avenue. The said railroad company claims that the land owned by it does not furnish adequate facilities for the transaction of the business of the road in the city of Rochester, and the company asks that Trowbridge street from West avenue to Troup street may be closed, upon the condition, however, that such company acquire the title to all land between West avenue and Troup street, which front upon Trowbridge street and upon certain other conditions hereinafter specified. The people directly interested in the discontinuance of the street, of course, are those who own or occupy the land abutting upon the street.

If the railroad company should acquire the title to the land above referred to, and should in other respects comply with the suggestions hereinafter made, and your committee is of the opinion that no objection connected with the prosperity of this city, or of its citizens, can suffer thereby, but that on the other hand, the growth and prosperity of the city would be materially enhanced by furnishing to the said company adequate terminal facilities for the transaction of its business.

In order that the company may be able to utilize the land which it would acquire in connection with the street, it would be necessary that permission should be granted to said company to construct and maintain three tracks across Troup st. in addition to those already placed.

The sewer which is at present in Troup street east of the Genesee Valley canal empties into the Trowbridge street sewer. If the closing of the street should be carried out it would be necessary that the present sewer in Troup street should be continued westerly far enough to connect with the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer. Some provision should also be made with reference to the construction and maintenance of additional tracks across Troup street so far as to prevent a commencement or ending of any switch in the street. It has been suggested that the agreement between the Company and the City with reference to the closing of the street shall in terms provide that the contract made in August last, between the said Company and the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad Company and the City of Rochester should not thereby in any respect be effected.

Your committee having given full and careful consideration to the matters above suggested, as well as to the advisability of the closing of the said street, submit herewith a form of an agreement to be entered into between the aforesaid Railroad Companies and the City of Rochester, which agreement, it believes, will subserve and protect the interests of the city.
 Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. ARCHER,
 E. STROUSS,
 Law Committee.
 JOHN H. FELSINGER,
 JOHN A. FELSINGER,
 Special Committee.
 J. N. BECKLEY,
 City Attorney

Ordered received, filed and published.
 By Ald. Foley—

FORM OF AGREEMENT.

Agreement made this day of August, 1883, between the city of Rochester, a municipal corporation, of the first part, and the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia Railroad Company, a railroad corporation, of the second part, and the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad Company, a railroad corporation of the third part, witnesseth:

First—In consideration of the performance by the parties of the second and third part of the covenants hereinafter contained upon their part, the party of the first part hereby consents that Trowbridge street between west avenue and Troup street may be permanently closed and discontinued, and that the party of the first part will institute and complete the pro-

ceedings with respect to the closing of said street authorized by subdivision 4, Section 168, of the charter of the city of Rochester, and authorized by the statutes in that respect made and provided.

Second—In consideration of the foregoing consent and agreement, the said parties of the second and third part hereby severally consent and agree that before any proceedings shall be instituted for the closing and discontinuance of Trowbridge street between West avenue and Troup street, said companies, or one of them, will acquire the title in fee of all lands lying between Trowbridge street and the abandoned Genesee Valley canal, and between Troup street and West avenue; and also one tier of lots on the east side of Trowbridge street between Troup street and West avenue. Also to connect the present sewer in Troup street with the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer at some point between the north line of Troup street and the centre thereof; that portion of the sewer to be constructed to be not less in size than the present sewer in Troup street, and in such a manner as to entirely divert the flow from Troup street into the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, all of such work shall be done under the direction of the city authorities.

In consideration of the premises, the party of the first part hereby consents that the parties of the second and third part, the city of Rochester may construct and maintain three tracks across Troup street in addition to those which have already been constructed and are now being maintained; such tracks to be parallel with each other, but no switch or switches shall begin or end in said street. It being, however, expressly understood and agreed that said three additional tracks shall not be constructed across Troup street until the fee of the land aforesaid shall have been acquired as aforesaid, and Trowbridge street between West avenue and Troup street shall have been permanently closed and discontinued.

Fourth—In consideration of the premises the parties of the second and third part do further agree that whenever the city of Rochester shall widen West avenue between the abandoned Genesee Valley Canal and the Erie Canal that the company will dedicate to public use ten feet of land on the south side of West avenue between the east line of the property now owned by said companies, or one of them, fronting on West avenue and the east line of the property to be acquired, as provided for in this agreement.

It is hereby expressly understood and agreed that this contract shall not in any manner affect or impair the contract entered into between the city of Rochester and the said parties of the second and third parts under date of August 22, 1882.

In witness whereof the said parties have caused these presents to be duly executed on the day and year first above written.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Mayor be, and hereby is directed to execute on the part of the city of Rochester the foregoing agreement with the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia railroad company and the Genesee Valley Canal railroad company. Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Southard, Simmelink—10.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of T. & J. Conway, Eliza J. Thomas and the heirs of James White. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for water in Genesee street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be, and he hereby is authorized to issue the city's note for \$2,000, discount on the same to be charged to the contingent fund, and place the proceeds of said note to the credit of the park fund. Said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee. Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the City Clerk be, and he hereby is authorized to draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of Jas. W. Fry, treasurer of the Arnold park associa-

tion, for \$110, that being the amount now to the credit of said association levied this year in accordance with the petition of property owners, and charge Arnold park improvement fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—10.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of E. J. Galentine, chairman of the commission, for four hundred and forty-two dollars, in full of the fees of said E. J. Galentine, John C. O'Brien and Rudolph Vay, special commissioners appointed to make the assessment roll for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street, including clerk hire, and charge contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Southard, Simmelink—10.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That complaints of and appeals from the assessor's roll for the purchase of lands from the New York Central and Hudson River railroad company for the purpose of a street between Mill street and the Genesee river, which roll has been duly filed by the special commissioners appointed to make the same, be heard at an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held at the Common Council chamber in the City Hall building, Rochester, N. Y., on the 13th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock, A. M., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That all persons interested in the apportionment and assessment of the expense for the taking of lands for the opening of a street from Mill street to Water street, which has been ascertained to be the sum of \$15,842, have an opportunity to be heard with reference to the ordering of the assessment roll therefor, at an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held at the Common Council chamber in the City Hall building, on the 13th day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock A. M., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to publish the notice of said hearing as required by section 190 of the charter of said city. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That Mumford street, from State street to Andrews street, be hereafter known as Andrews street and that the City Clerk be requested to make necessary changes in the record of streets filed in his office.

On motion Ald. Barron tabled until the next regular meeting.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of Mrs. Perkins for permission to erect a wood building on Caledonia avenue and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of G. F. Slocum for thirty-four dollars, payment for serving notices on the owners and occupants of property to be taken for the widening of North St. Paul street, and for the opening of a street from Pinnacle avenue to Griffiths street, payable from the contingent fund, and that the Treasurer charge and carry

twenty-five dollars of said sum to the fund for the widening of North St. Paul street, and nine dollars of said sum to the fund for the opening of a street from Pinnacle avenue to Griffith street, when said several funds shall be created, as part of the cost and expenses of said improvements.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Southard, Simmelin—10.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the name of the alley running from Hill street, called Taylor alley, be changed to Taylor place. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Parts Lot No. 108, 109, 110 of the Sibley and Field tract, Clifton street, Eighth ward, was assessed for General City Tax 1883, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Aug. 7th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such Tax upon the payment of \$24.88, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 7th, 1883. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer:

Sir,—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Benjamin F. MacFarlin, viz.: Pt. Lots No. 108, 109 and 110, Sibley and Field Tract, south side of Francis street, Eighth ward, 47 feet front, 47 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of the General City Tax for 1883 the sum of \$24.88, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLE KENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 7th, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Collins—Whereas, Lot D. W. pt. of the Myrtle Hill tract, west side Sherman street, 15th ward, was assessed for general city tax for 1883, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Aug. 7th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$1.69 with expenses and interest in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, }

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 7, 1883. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer:

Sir: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Garrett Cavanagh, viz.: Lot D. N. pt. Myrtle Hill tract, west side of Sherman street, 15th Ward, 38 feet front, 38 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of general city tax for 1883 the sum of \$1.69 upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 7, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, the assessors of the city of Rochester have certified that lot No. 62, Vick park, south side of Crescent park in the Sixteenth ward, is assessed to James E. Bills at a valuation of seventeen hundred (\$1,700) dollars; and

Whereas, it appears from said certificate that said James E. Bills is a minister of the

gospel, and as such, exempt from taxation upon said lot to the extent of fifteen hundred (\$1,500) dollars. And it further appearing that the general city tax for 1883 has been duly levied upon said lot, but that by reason of said exemption the owner thereof should pay an assessment only upon two hundred (\$200) dollars, which would amount to the sum of \$5.53.

Therefore, Resolved, that the Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to receive from the Rev. James E. Bills the sum of \$5.53, in full of general city tax for 1883 on said lot, and charge the balance of said tax to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to receive of John Q. A. Hempstead the sum of \$31.86 in full for city tax for 1883 on lot 64 Vick Park, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved That the City Treasurer be authorized to receive of S. and A. Bennett the amount of all past due taxes as appears on the sales register, with interest at 7 per cent. on lots 6 and 7 Holmes tract, Rowe street, 9th ward, assessed to Simeon D. Lewis and cancel said taxes. Adopted.

The President announced as the committee on a single sidewalk on Central avenue bridge: Ald. Collins, Hinds, Felsing, Southard, Archer.

The board then adjourned until 10 a. m. Monday, August 13th, 1883.

FRANK N. LORD,
City Clerk.

In Common Council—Aug. 13, 1883.

ADJOURNED REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Archer in the chair.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelin—12.

Absent—Ald. Bronson, Jeffords, Hinds, Aikenhead—4.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That complaints of and appeals from the assessment roll for the purchase of lands from the New York Central and Hudson River railroad company for the purpose of a street between Mill street and the Genesee river, which roll has been duly filed by the special commissioners appointed to make the same, be heard at an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held at the Common Council chamber in the City Hall building, Rochester, N. Y., on the 13th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose. Adopted.

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Barron moved that the assessment roll for "acquiring additional lands for a street from Mill street to Water street, named Central avenue," be confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelin—12.

By Alderman Barron—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is authorized and required to make the city's note for thirty-six

thousand (\$36,000) dollars, and credit the proceeds thereof to the fund for acquiring additional land from the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for the purpose of a new street from Mill street to Water street; said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the finance committee and discounted under the direction of the finance committee and treasurer; the discount to be charged to the contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink.—11.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, that the Treasurer be, and he hereby is authorized and required, upon having procured the proceeds of the city's note as discounted, to create the fund to pay the sum of thirty-six thousand (\$36,000) dollars to the New York Central & Hudson River railroad company for the land acquired for the purpose of a street from Mill street to Water street, and to notify said company that the amount to which said company is entitled to as the consideration for the land taken as aforesaid, is ready for payment. And said Treasurer is directed to pay to said company the amount aforesaid as the consideration for said land taken, taking a proper voucher therefor.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink.—11.

The following came up:

"By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That all persons interested in the apportionment and assessment of the expense for the taking of lands for the opening of a street from Mill street to Water street, which has been ascertained to be the sum of \$15,842, have an opportunity to be heard with reference to the ordering of the assessment roll therefor, at an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held at the Common Council chamber, in the City Hall building, on the 13th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., which time and place is hereby designated for that purpose, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to publish the notice of said hearing as required by section 190 of the charter of said city. Adopted."

Allegations were called for, and no person appearing Ald. Barron moved to proceed to appoint three special commissioners to make the assessment for taking of lands for opening a street from Mill street to Water street, known as Central avenue. Adopted.

Ald. Barron nominated Geo. G. Clarkson.

Geo. G. Clarkson was named by

Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink.—12.

Ald. Barron nominated Luther A. Pratt.

Luther A. Pratt was named by

Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink.—12.

Ald. Barron nominated Wm. J. Sheridan.

Wm. J. Sheridan was named by

Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink.—12.

Geo. G. Clarkson, Luther A. Pratt and William J. Sheridan having received the required number of votes were declared appointed special commissioners to assess for taking of

lands for a street from Mill street to Water street. (Ordinance No. 2,341.)

By Ald. Barron—

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,341.

ACQUIRING LAND FOR A NEW STREET FROM MILL ST. TO WATER ST.

Whereas, The Common Council of the city of Rochester did upon the 31st day of May, 1882, duly enact an ordinance for the opening of a street from Mill st. to Water st., and

Whereas, The Treasurer has duly reported the actual expense of the said improvement to be the sum of fifteen thousand eight hundred and forty-two (\$15,842.00) dollars, including all such interest as the city has paid or become liable for, and

Whereas, The portion of said city which the said Common Council duly deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for said improvement is described as follows, namely:

The First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth wards of the city of Rochester, and

Whereas, The Common Council has, by a duly published notice, as required by Section 190 of the Revised City Charter, given all persons interested in said improvement or the expense thereof an opportunity to be heard and the allegations of all persons interested who appeared in pursuance of said notice having been heard, therefore,

Resolved, That the sum of fifteen thousand eight hundred and forty-two (\$15,842.00) dollars being the whole amount of the expense aforesaid, be and the same hereby is assessed upon such lots and parcels of land and houses within the territory deemed benefited by said improvement as aforesaid, and

Whan Gordon, Valentine Fleckenstein and William Maher, the Assessors of said city, are, and each of them is of kin to some persons to be assessed therefor.

And, Whereas, George G. Clarkson, Luther A. Pratt and William J. Sheridan have, and each of them has been duly appointed Special Commissioners to make this assessment, therefore,

Therefore, Resolved, That George G. Clarkson, Luther A. Pratt and William J. Sheridan, Special Commissioners as aforesaid, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of the city so designated of said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; said Special Commissioners are hereby notified and required to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 18th day of August, 1883, at 9 o'clock a. m., at the City Clerk's office in the City Hall building, Rochester, N. Y.

Adopted by the following vote.

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink.—11.

Nays—Ald. Rice.—1.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved that the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to make the city's note for seventy-one thousand nine hundred and forty-five (\$71,945.00), dollars, and credit to the fund for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street, the sum of seventy-one thousand five hundred and seventy (\$71,570.00) dollars, and credit to the Contingent Fund the balance, namely: Three hundred and seventy-five (\$375.00) dollars, said latter sum being the amount hereinbefore paid from the Contingent Fund for the expenses in said street opening. Said note to be countersigned by the Chairman of the Finance Committee and discounted under the direction of the Finance Committee and Treasurer, and the discount to be charged to the Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink.—12.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the treasurer be, and he is hereby authorized, upon having procured the proceeds of the city's note as discounted to create the fund to pay the several claimants their damages for the straightening

and widening of North St. Paul street, to notify each of said claimants that the amount to which they severally are entitled is ready for payment, and that such treasurer pay to such claimants as appear and demand the same, the amount of their award as set forth in the report of the commissioners in said proceedings; and in case they, or any of them, shall fail to call at said treasurer's office and receive the same within ten days thereafter, that, there upon, said treasurer deposit in the Monroe County Savings Bank to the credit of each of said claimants who shall have failed to call and receive the same of said treasurer, the amount due them respectively, and that upon the payment or deposit being made, as herein provided, that said treasurer take proper vouchers therefor.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink. —12.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of Maria Lake for permission to move and repair a wood building on Thompson street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the fire marshal and wood building committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Property Committee be and it hereby is authorized to advertise for proposals for the sale of the buildings on the land to be taken for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street, and to report to the Common Council the bids received with the recommendation of said committee with respect thereto. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Foley—3.

No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to adjourn.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley—5.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—7.

Ald. Kelly moved a recess for fifteen minutes for the purpose of a conference.

Adopted by the following vote ;

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—7.

Nays—Ald. Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin—5.

The Board reassembled, Ald. Barron in the chair.

On motion of Ald. Kelly the board adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD,
City Clerk.

In Common Council, Aug. 21st, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—12.

Absent—Ald. Bronson, Archer, Jeffords, Simmelink—4.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meetings, Aug. 7th and 13th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, ETC.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

C. W. Carroll, serving redemption notices...\$ 22 00
H. D. McNaughton, County Clerk's fees..... 48 47
E. D. Smith, stenographer's services..... 69 00
A. G. Wheeler, counsel fees, Hannah F. Brown vs. city of Rochester..... 150 00

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Alexander Button. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Foley—Bill of

H. H. Craig, lumber and labor, seats in parks.\$ 534 78
Referred to the Park Committee.

Ald. Foley presented a petition of E. M. Kalofliesch, Ellen Martin and Anna Moore for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for gas mains in Plymouth avenue and moved that the Rochester Gas Light Co. be requested to extend their mains through said avenue. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Mrs. L. Holyland for permission to repair a wood building on Scio street and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Pitkin—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 1883.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, }
Aug. 21, 1883. }

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of July, 1883:

1883.—July.	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
2—John Vogler.....	drunk	\$10	
James Poin.....	"	10	5
Michael Costello.....	vio. ord.	10	
Edward Bushier.....	drunk	10	
Lilly Kelly.....	"	10	
George Debus.....	"	10	10
Patk. Hooley.....	"	10	10
Geo. Reynolds.....	petit lar.	cost	1
Wm. Roberts.....	drunk	10	
Geo Schaffer.....	"	10	10
Benj. Myers.....	"	10	10
George Gordon.....	"	10	10
Lizzie Hart.....	"	10	
John O'Brien.....	"	10	
Maggie Hayes.....	vio. ord.	50	
James Moore.....	drunk	10	
John H. Rapine.....	petit lar.	7	7
3—John Groh.....	drunk	10	
Richard Robinson.....	"	10	
Frank McMahon.....	vio. ord.	10	5
Michael McCann.....	drunk	10	
John Cooper.....	"	10	5
4—John Mahar.....	"	10	
Mary Stiles.....	"	10	
James Burns.....	"	10	
Thomas McHale.....	"	10	
Jeremiah Kennedy.....	"	10	
Michael Hurley.....	"	10	
Frank Lisk.....	"	10	10
Geo. Goodyear.....	"	10	5
Albert Stetzenmeyer.....	"	10	5
William Phillips.....	"	10	5
5—John Hoag.....	"	10	
Thomas Rochester.....	"	10	
Mary Louglin.....	"	10	
Bell Powers.....	vio. ord.	15	
Adolph Hutteman.....	drunk	10	
Fred Spies.....	"	10	
Joseph Rushe.....	"	10	
George Harvey.....	Riding on RR	5	
6—Thomas Burke.....	drunk	10	
Lizzie White.....	"	10	
Frank Hausser.....	"	10	5
James McElroy.....	"	10	
Frank Akay.....	"	10	
Robt H Cartwright.....	vio ord	5	5

7-Jerome Herron.....	drunk	10	5
Thos Carril.....	..	10	
Mary Smith.....	..	10	
Ann Donoghue.....	..	10	
Jeremiah O'Reilly.....	..	10	
Mich Kelly.....	..	10	
Estian Buck.....	vio ord	5	5
August Tempel.....	drunk	10	
9-John Callihan.....	..	10	10
John Yonick.....	..	10	10
James McQuade.....	..	10	
Casper Wolfermad.....	..	10	5
James Marion.....	..	10	
10-Thos Cranston.....	..	10	
John Williams.....	..	10	
Henry G Luke.....	..	10	10
Mable Wheeler.....	..	10	10
Christopher Reaner.....	..	10	
Thos Burke.....	..	10	
Thos Downs.....	..	10	
Jennie Blond.....	..	10	5
11-John Carbaro.....	..	10	
Nicholas Pennell.....	..	10	
Martin Hoxan.....	..	10	
Hanora Murphy.....	..	10	5
12-Wary Sheridan.....	..	10	
Milie Roberts.....	..	10	
John Hart.....	..	10	
James A Harris.....	..	10	10
Nelly Flaunery.....	vio. ord.	10	5
Carrie Taylor.....	..	100	100
13-Bernard McElrone.....	drunk	10	10
Lawrence Brother.....	..	10	
Libbie Chas.....	..	10	
Rich Libner.....	..	10	
Patk Barry.....	..	10	5
Thos Meagher.....	..	10	5
14-Nicholas Fennell.....	..	10	10
John Duff.....	..	10	
Chas W Lytle.....	..	10	
Chas Harrington.....	..	10	
Julia Clark.....	..	10	
Wm Pilkington.....	..	10	10
Hanora Murphy.....	..	10	
16-James Marion.....	..	10	10
Wm Braidner.....	..	10	5
Peter Roth.....	..	10	
John Hinehart.....	..	10	
John Feehan.....	..	10	5
Thos Dougherty.....	..	10	10
Thos McGuire.....	..	10	
Wm P. Ikington.....	..	10	
Maggie Murphy.....	..	10	
Geo C Ernst.....	..	10	5
Frank A Pye.....	..	10	5
Thos Muten.....	..	10	5
John Spahn.....	..	10	
Francis Burke.....	..	10	10
John Maurer.....	..	10	10
Joseph Harrison.....	..	10	
Edward Holden.....	..	10	
Chas J Loper.....	assault	5	5
Wm Helma.....	..	10	10
17-John Burke.....	drunk	10	
Eben Lake.....	..	10	
Geo Dec.....	..	10	
Chas Meink.....	..	10	
August Ernst.....	..	10	4
Wm H Pritchard.....	cost	10	10
Henry Strubel.....	..	10	
Wm Setbert.....	assault	cost	1
Chas Young.....	..	cost	1
Margaret Barry.....	drunk	10	
Marin Laufer.....	..	10	
Bernard Rupp.....	assault	5	
Ann McDonald.....	vio ord	5	5
18-Joseph Harrison.....	drunk	10	
Mary A Styles.....	..	10	
Mich Oley.....	..	10	
Wm Daley.....	..	10	
Stephen Miller.....	..	10	
John Livingston.....	..	10	
19-John Keefe.....	vio ord	10	
Robert Prescott.....	drunk	10	5
20-Henry Harman.....	..	10	
Kate Brown.....	..	10	5
George Harris.....	..	10	5
John Bagley.....	..	10	
Fred R Ward.....	..	10	10
21-Henry Frost.....	..	10	
Jeremiah Doyle.....	..	10	
Joseph La cushe.....	vio ord	10	5
Wm Lamey.....	..	10	5
Margie Wilson.....	drunk	10	
Patrick O'Donnell.....	..	10	
John Burke.....	..	10	
23-Patrick Connors.....	vio ord	10	5
George Nixon.....	drunk	10	
Jennie Frauenberger.....	..	10	
Elizabeth Wilson.....	..	10	5
Joseph Costello.....	vio ord	10	10
John Dally.....	drunk	10	10

Chas Miller.....	..	left	10
Edward Fenner.....	..	..	10
Joseph Wade.....	..	..	10
Chas Love.....	..	..	10
Fred French.....	..	..	5
Mich Ward.....	vio ord	..	10
Thos Kelly.....	drunk	..	10
Frank Lyrch.....	..	..	5
Hattie Rowe.....	vio ord	..	10
Wm Wheeler.....	drunk	..	10
Neil McLaughlin.....	..	..	5
James Stewart.....	..	..	10
Mary Suters.....	..	..	10
John Medoux.....	..	..	5
Joseph Hesselwinder.....	..	..	5
Mica Leary.....	..	..	10
Jesse Wilson.....	..	..	10
Louise Haltensmithe.....	vio ord	..	15
24-Isaac Dennis.....	drunk	..	10
George Dennis.....	..	..	10
George Miller.....	..	..	10
Barbara Mochiu.....	..	..	10
Cyrus McNett.....	..	..	10
William Post.....	..	..	10
Edward Farley.....	..	..	10
Bell Wright.....	..	..	5
George Hartman.....	..	..	10
George H Thomas.....	vio ord	..	15
Bridget Norton.....	drunk	..	10
Joseph Roth.....	assault	..	5
Wm Lamey, selling liq.....	without lic'e.	..	50
Thomas Burke.....	assault	..	20
25-Matthew Turner.....	vio ord	..	10
Edward Burton.....	drunk	..	10
Chauncey Fuller.....	..	..	10
Warren W Putram.....	vio ord	..	10
26-James Sullivan.....	drunk	..	10
August Shiniath.....	..	..	10
Sarah Jones.....	..	..	10
John Farrell.....	..	..	5
Lowry Blackburn.....	..	..	10
John Kincaery.....	..	..	10
Bridget Barry.....	..	..	5
Truman Miller.....	vio ord	..	10
Anna Childs.....	..	..	10
John Hoff.....	assault	cost	1
Marin Bland.....	..	..	50
Ferdinand Leverage.....	..	..	5
Garrett Kavanagh.....	..	..	5
Ida Dean.....	vio. ord.	..	15
Ellen McDonnell.....	..	..	15
27-Peter McGovern.....	drunk	..	5
John Lynch.....	..	..	10
28-Pat'k Cummings.....	..	..	10
James Morgan.....	..	..	10
Hiram E Webb.....	..	..	10
30-Peter W Stoppel.....	..	..	5
Lewis Hart.....	..	..	10
Thos Duffy.....	..	..	10
Mary Houser.....	..	..	10
Albert Specht.....	..	..	10
Eliza Hicks.....	..	..	10
James Warren.....	..	..	10
Albert Bremer.....	..	..	10
Geo Preissecker.....	vio ord	..	4 80
Otto Vernett.....	..	..	10
Christopher Able.....	..	..	10
James Clancy.....	drunk	..	10
Joseph Myron.....	..	..	10
Sarah White.....	..	..	10
John Mahar.....	..	..	10
Pat'k Caton.....	..	..	10
Anthony Dunsback.....	..	..	10
Sarah Justice.....	..	..	10
Wm F True.....	vio ord	..	10

\$138 80

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester ss.

I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of July, 1883, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.
Sworn to before me this 31st day of Aug., 1883.

F N. LORD, Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received filed and published.
By Aid. Pitkin—bill of

B. Frank Enos, expenses for July.....\$ 90 05
Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Aid. Rice—bills of

John Galvin, services.....\$ 11 82
J. W. Maser, collecting sarkbage for July..... 228 00
P. Bradley .. 228 00
Daniel Hickey, .. 228 00
Jacob Rauber .. 114 00

H. F. Van Dake, sup't	84 00
J. Chamberlin, hose	80 5
Geo. S. Ball, barrel covers	4 00

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Rice presented the petitions of M. Johnson and L. F. Atbott for permission to erect wood buildings on Carolina street and Vick park and moved that permission be granted under direction of the fire marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Southard presented petitions for plank walks on Sellinger and Wadsworth streets.

Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Southard presented petitions for sewers in Henrietta avenue and Bay street.

Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Southard presented petitions for water in Bay street and Henrietta avenue. Referred to the water works committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Southard presented the petitions of James Mutendyke, Jacob Cohen, Samuel P. Bush and Mrs. Elmira Devos for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the fire marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of F. N. Skuse for permission to erect five wood buildings on Skuse street and moved that permission be granted under direction of the fire marshal and wood building committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—bills of

C. W. Ashman, soap	\$ 4 00
Walter Williamson, labor and material	184 81
Henry F. Doyle, coal	255 00
F. Zimmer, insurance school	54 62
Curia & Smith, use of flags	5 51
Geo. H. Nicholson, setting glass	16 15

Referred to the City Property Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—bills of

Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care of lamps for August	\$3,047 91
Rochester Gas company, lighting and care of lamps for August	2,100 00
J. W. Maser, lighting and care of lamps for August	975 57
Citizens' Gas Co., setting posts	10 22
Howe & Snyder, lamp cocks and burners	55 00

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Whereas, previous to April 1st, 1882, Monroe avenue and other sewers drained through property owned by M. Kondolf, situated on Monroe avenue, and since that time through a ditch constructed by him at an expense of upwards of \$200, the petitioner asks that he be paid \$200 for constructing said ditch, and rent of same at the rate of \$50 per annum from April 1st, 1882. M KONDOLF.

Referred to the Sewer Committee and City Attorney.

Ald. Barron presented the petition of J. Emery Jones for permission to erect a wood building on Race street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Felsingher presented the petition of Joseph Ocbs for permission to erect a wood building on Orchard street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Also the petition of John Hanneman for permission to erect a wood building on Wilder street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Felsingher—Bills of

A. M. Semple, groceries	\$240 45
J. C. Gray, groceries	36 00

J. C. Gray, groceries	9 75
Davenport & Co., beans	62 26
Jeffreys & Co., burials	13 00
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal	143 00
A. L. Morris, meat	50 00
N. Kirenow, bread	63 32
F. M. Harvey, rent	4 00
Mary Flannigan, rent	9 00
W. Heavy, transportation	43 00
James Lauey & Co., paper	6 69
N. Thompson, disbursements	20 00

Referred to the Poor Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Kelly, from the Lamp and City Property Committees; Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee; Ald. Foley, from the Park Committee; Ald. Felsingher, from the Poor Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

From the Wood Building Committee:

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That Pisa Bliss, Joseph Sanduskey, Sebastian Morgenroth, James S. Boyd, Charles J. Lester, John H. Goodger, J. E. Brown, Charles Alden, Wm. S. Servis, Mary Howard and S. W. Stratton have permission to erect frame buildings according to the prayer of their petitions under the direction of the Committee on Wooden Buildings and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—

To the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your City Property Committee, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by your honorable board at the last meeting have advertised for proposals for the sale and removal of the structures now existing on the territory taken for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street have received the following proposals:

F. P. Stallman, for structure on Miller property	\$ 1200
.. .. Rosenberg ..	100
.. .. Schaffer ..	50
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E. K. Warren, for structure on Miller property	\$1350
.. .. Warren ..	951
.. .. Warren ..	26
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Philip Block, for structure on Miller property	\$977
.. .. Rosenberg ..	1225
.. .. Warren ..	180
.. .. Schaffer ..	30
.. .. Knowlton ..	130
.. .. Knowlton ..	23
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Blank, for structure on Miller property	\$153
.. .. Rosenberg ..	250
.. .. Warren ..	175
.. .. Schaffer ..	25
.. .. Knowlton ..	125
.. .. Knowlton ..	25
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D. Rosenberg, for struc're on Rosenberg prop'y	\$600
Blank Knowlton ..	50
.. .. Knowlton ..	10

RECAPITULATION.

Philip Block, for all structures	\$ 1393
Blank	600
F. P. Stallman, for structures on Miller, Rosenberg and Schaffer property	1350
E. K. Warren, for structures on Miller and Warren property	977
D. Rosenberg, for structure on Rosenberg property	50
Blank, for structure on Knowlton property	10

Your committee recommend that the proposition of Philip Block be accepted, (he being the highest bidder) and present the accompanying resolution for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

J. MILLER KELLY,
CHARLES WATSON,
JOHN A. FELSINGER,
Committee.

Adopted

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Mayor

be and he hereby is directed to enter into contract on behalf of the city of Rochester with Phillip Block for the sale and removal of the structures on the territory taken for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street in consideration of the payment into the City Treasury of the sum of \$1,593; said Block to deliver a bond in the penalty of \$5,000, with two sureties approved by said Mayor, conditioned for the faithful performance of the said contract on the part of said Block, the contract and bond to be approved as to their form by the City Attorney.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—12.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 21st, 1883.
 By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.	
W. W. Morrison, printing.....	\$ 43 25
A. S. Mann & Co., gloves and cloth.....	17 70
W. L. Buckland, livery.....	12 00
Mensing & Stecher, lithographing.....	23 50
A. W. Mudge, hack hire.....	8 50
John P. Smith, printing.....	4 50
L. Ernst & Son, sundries.....	5 30
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Aug. 21.....	15 00
City Clerk, disbursements.....	4 60
William J. Sheridan, services as commissioner	156 00
L. A. Pratt.....	156 00
George G. Clarkson.....	156 00
William I. Hanford, serving notices.....	4 26
H. S. Ransom, livery.....	14 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.	
John Curran, meat.....	\$25 00
John McDonald, meat.....	25 00
S. R. Woodruff, groceries.....	9 25
Sophia Block, rent.....	15 00
Mary Weist, rent.....	8 00
William Coughlin, rent.....	4 50
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	2 45
J. D. Whipple & Co., beans.....	9 22
George Oppell, bread.....	21 24
Rogers & Wallace, matting.....	6 68
J. & J. Cocker, trusses.....	6 00
T. J. Kennig, groceries.....	26 25
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.	
Rochester Gas Co., lighting and care for July.....	\$2,097 91
Brush Electric Light Co., lighting mo. July.....	1,652 10
J. W. Maser, oil lamps.....	975 57
P. W. Kuttruff, oil pots.....	86 00
Municipal Gas Co., 25 lamps for July.....	47 90
And charge that Fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.	
Henry B. Smith, coal.....	\$255 00
Municipal Gas Co., lighting city building, July.....	137 70
Walter Williamson, labor and material.....	184 81
John C. Barnard, glass, Clerk's office.....	80 00
D. Knapp & Co., cartage drinking fountain.....	26 54
G. Gontzman, soap.....	8 00
W. G. Martins, badge.....	7 00
J. A. O'Brien, lettering door.....	3 75
Hamilton & Mathews, shears.....	2 75
Chas. Little, monthly cleaning.....	88 00
And charge that fund.	

PARK FUND.	
O'Connor & Co., flag walk, Madison Park.....	\$856 75
Geo. C. Maurer & Co., grass seed.....	8 50
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.	
J. W. Maser, collecting garbage, July 23 to Aug. 18.....	\$238 00
Patrick Bradley, collecting garbage, July 23 to Aug. 18.....	228 00
Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage, July 23 to Aug. 18.....	228 00
Jacob Rauber, collecting garbage, July 23 to Aug. 18.....	114 00
H. F. Van Dake, Superintendent, collecting garbage, July 23 to Aug. 18.....	84 00
James H. Chamberlin, hose.....	80 50
John Galvin, services.....	11 62
Geo. S. Ball, barrel covers.....	4 00
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.	
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B. Frank Enos, disbursements.....	\$90 05
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER,
 OFFICERS, CITY HALL, Aug. 20, 1883.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and verified by this Board are hereby referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
 THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.	
Byron Hottley, salary for Aug.....	\$208 33
S. B. Williams.....	208 54
Geo. W. Aldridge.....	268 33
\$685 00	

Street Department—Highway Fund	
A. V. Smith, horse supplies.....	\$ 6 75
J. Steinbauser, blacksmithing.....	84 51
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	11 18
Jas. F. O'Neill, sidewalk notices.....	8 00
Chase & Otis, lumber.....	510 88
Otto Weiler, breaking MacAdam.....	77 49
John Geist.....	23 45
Michael Buff.....	2 40
Thos. Orswall.....	8 24
Nolan & McLaughlin, breaking granite.....	18 72
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, MacAdam stone	131 25
J. B. Norris, sand and gravel.....	5 55
H. H. Craig, stakes and oak lumber.....	131 00
Otis & Gorsline, sewer pipe.....	26 25
S. A. Millington & Co., street signs.....	3 50
\$1,049 89	

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.	
Weekly pay roll, Aug. 16.....	\$126 48
..... 23.....	126 48
\$252 96	

R. D. Woods & Co., hydrants.....	246 81
Lucrow Valve Co., valves.....	150 29
Geo. B. Harris, freight, pipe and specials.....	63 81
Geo. B. Harris disbursements.....	13 99
William Dyer, estimate, Group 75.....	80 00
John Howe.....	300 00
James H. Neils.....	517 88
..... 79.....	182 12
Thomas Oliver.....	500 00
Howe & Clancy.....	450 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, estimate North St. Paul and Mortimer streets.....	500 00
\$3,257 96	

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Aug. 16, operating ex-	\$ 499 98
repairs.....	450 00
Weekly pay roll, Aug. 16, service and	\$ 949 98
repairs.....	450 00

Weekly pay roll, Aug. 23, operating ex-	\$ 492 48
repairs.....	309 00
\$ 801 48	

S. A. Millington & Co., lettering doors.....	\$ 4 00
A. M. Sempie, supplies.....	8 06
Thomas J. Neville, clerk, office expenses.....	7 50
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	24 41
Benj. F. Harris, rent of stable.....	20 00
A. V. Smith, horse supplies.....	3 50
James Field, supplies.....	4 58
Zimmer & Schwab, repairs to wagons.....	66 37
Gauhn & Bassett, pipe and fittings.....	78 52
National Meter Co., meters.....	285 00
Cross Brothers & Co., leather.....	8 00
M. L. Delano, estimate work at p. ho.....	100 00
Chase & Otis, lumber D reservoir.....	58 33
T. M. Blossom, labor at Hemlock Lake.....	18 00
John Coyne, conduit line.....	35 00
S. H. Oviatt, expenses.....	10 00
Bell Telephone Co., rental telephones.....	75 00
R. D. Wood & Co., sprinkling hydrants.....	224 06
\$2,706 79	

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Christian Muhl, hay, etc.....	\$ 40 74
Monthly pay roll, payable Aug. 31.....	3,342 62
Active Hose Co. No. 2, monthly appropriation	250 00
Smith, Perkins & Co., supplies.....	9 45
Municipal Gas Co., gas bills.....	23 40
B. H. Clark & Co., paint for wagons.....	7 09
Utica F. A. Telegraph Co., telegraph wire.....	87 59
F. E. Handy, labor Fire Tel (2 bills).....	24 00
Jas. S. Graham and John Kane, lot on Lyell	1,700 00
avenue.....	
\$5,464 89	

Sprinkling Streets—Special Funds.

J. W. Breaker—Estimates.
 West ave, O 2433.....\$ 125 00
 East and West Main sts. O 2435..... 150 00
 \$275 00

J. J. Weller—Estimates.
 Goodman st, O 2429.....\$ 70 00
 East ave, sec 2, O 2431..... 100 00
 \$170 00

A. W. Turnbull—Estimates.
 Meigs st; O 2428.....\$ 46 00
 East av; Sec. 1; O 2430..... 100 00
 Chestnut st; O 2437..... 40 00
 South Union st; O 2439..... 35 00
 Park av; O 2445..... 48 00
 Rowley st; O 2446..... 28 00
 Monroe av; O 447..... 105 00—402 00

Sanford D. Pierce—Estimates.
 Mt. Hope av; Sec. 2; O 2426.....\$ 65 00
 Prince st; O 2432..... 50 00
 Exchange st; O 2434..... 77 00
 East Main st; O 2436..... 12 00
 Gibbs st; O 2431..... 13 00—325 00

John Durman—Estimates.
 Clinton st, sec 1, O 2443.....\$95 00
 North ave, sec 1, O 2459..... 70 00
 University av, sec 1, O 2461..... 24 00
 Solo st, O 2469..... 19 00
 Clinton st, sec 2, O 2476..... 98 00
 Atwater st, O 2477..... 48 00
 Hudson st, O 2479..... 63 00
 Elm st, O 2480..... 17 00
 Andrews st, O 2481..... 45 00
 Franklin place, O 2483..... 12 00
 Clinton place, O 2489..... 32 00
 Court st, O 2492..... 74 00
 Franklin st, O 2493..... 20 00
 N St Paul st, sec 2 O 2502..... 134 00
 St. Joseph st, O 2512..... 103 00
 Franklin st, O 2519..... 32 00
 \$385 00

Geo. Bantel & Son—Estimates.
 State street; O 2,427.....\$120 00
 S. st. Paul st and S. av; O 2433..... 82 00
 South Fitzhugh st; O 2,440..... 50 00
 Lake av; O 2441..... 175 00
 Mill st; O 2442..... 65 00
 South av, sec 1; (C to L) O 2444..... 72 00
 South Washington st; O 2443..... 24 00
 Plymouth av; O 2449..... 70 00
 Allen st; O 2450..... 80 00
 Troup st; O 2451..... 40 00
 North Washington st; O 2452..... 24 00
 Spring st; O 2454..... 44 00
 Sophia st; O 2454..... 25 00
 North Fitzhugh st; O 2455..... 12 00
 North Water st; O 2456..... 50 00
 Mt Hope av, sec 1; O 2457..... 70 00
 Jones av; O 2458..... 70 00
 South av; O 2478..... 39 00
 Kent st; O 2482..... 48 00
 Jay st; O 2487..... 40 00
 Vincent place; O 2490..... 15 00
 Tremont st; O 2491..... 81 00
 Front st; O 2494..... 38 00
 Jones st; O 2495..... 50 00
 Ford st; O 2496..... 25 00
 Howell st; O 2500..... 40 00
 Fulton av; O 2506..... 73 00
 Platt street; O 2509..... 68 00
 Clarissa st; O 2516..... 22 00
 Frank st; O 2521..... 22 00
 \$1,688 00

Local Improvements—Special Funds.
 John Quib, inspecting masonry, Central ave. bridge.....\$ 39 00
 John Cregan, inspecting work, Lyell bridge approaches improvement..... 17 00
 Ferdinand Seifred, inspecting work, Sherman street sewer..... 30 00
 John Lutes, inspecting work, Mill st. sewer..... 30 00
 George W Hatch, inspecting work, North St. Paul street improvement..... 30 00
 P. Connaughton, inspecting work, Olean and Hunter streets sewer..... 102 50
 James Lusk, inspecting work, West Maple street sewer..... 41 25
 L. K. Smith, inspecting work, Locust street sewer..... 32 50
 J. A. Adams, inspecting work, Pleasant street sewer..... 70 00
 Thomas Oliver, detention and extra work, Olean and Hunter streets sewer..... 280 00
 John A. Meyer, extra grading, Genesee street plank walk..... 1 00
 Street Department, Stakes and expenses: Olean and Hunter streets sewer..... 8 64
 West Maple street sewer..... 5 87

Estimates.

N. L. Braver, estimate No. 1, cleaning 4th, 5th and 12 wards outlet sewer..... 900 00
 Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, estimate No. 1, North St. Paul street improvement..... 9,000 00
 R. Y. McConnell, estimate No. 4, Pleasant street sewer..... 300 00
 William Fuller, final estimate, West Maple street sewer..... 714 88
 Thomas Oliver, final estimate, Olean and Hunter street sewer..... 778 60
 John Mauder, estimate No. 3, Sherman street sewer..... 175 00
 \$12,546 24

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strauss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—12

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Collins—

ROCHESTER, Aug. 21, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your special committee, to which was referred the petition relating to the Central avenue bridge, report that a meeting of said committee was called, at which time the plans of said bridge were examined and their merits fully discussed.

It was reported to the committee that the ordinance for the construction of the bridge had been passed, the work advertised, contract awarded and executed; that the iron work had been completed and a large portion already delivered on the ground for erection. It is the opinion of your committee that the convenience of the public will be better served by constructing the bridge with two sidewalks and otherwise completing the structure in accordance with the original designs.

Respectfully submitted,

A. COLLINS,
 J. T. SOUTHARD,
 J. A. HINDS,
 JOHN A. FELSINGER,
 Committee.

Adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Mayor—

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

ROCHESTER, N. Y. Aug. 16th, 1883.

To the Members of the Common-council of the City of Rochester.

I return without approval the resolution adopted at your last regular meeting directing the Brush Electric Light company, to place electric lights on Alexander street, from East avenue to Mount Hope avenue, in East avenue from Goodman street to city line, in Goodman street from East avenue to East Main street, and in Anderson avenue from Goodman street to University avenue.

I object to the resolution for several reasons. First, I see no advantage to accrue to our city by the introduction of the electric light if any of our streets are to be disfigured by the use of crooked and unsightly poles; and some poles in use are creditable neither to the city or the company.

Second—The increase of the cost of electricity over gas in the two streets first named according to the report of the lamp committee is too great to warrant me in giving the same my sanction; it amounting to \$988.50 per year, or during the life of the contract, \$4,942.50.

Third—Resolutions have already been adopted and approved authorizing the placing of electric lights in several streets and avenues, some to be erected on arches or suspended over the center of the streets, and until all are in operation I see no reason why undue haste should be exercised, especially in view of the fact that we may want to avail ourselves in every case hereafter of such new ideas as may be presented by the company in connection with the erection of the lamps already ordered, but some of which, as I have already stated, are not yet in operation.

I desire to call the attention of your board to the fact that the distance between the arch light on Lake avenue at White street and the crane light at Ambrose street is 647 feet, and it seems pretty clearly demonstrated that the space between the two is abundantly lighted, and this is the opin-

ion of those who live in that immediate neighborhood.

I am, therefore, anxious to see Lake avenue and the other streets, for which electric lights are already ordered and not yet in use, lighted on a principle similar to that represented by the lights at the points I have mentioned.

The matter of distance and the character of the devices on which the lamps shall be placed, will have everything to do with my favorable consideration of your resolutions in the future relating to electric lights.

I am satisfied that Alexander street and East avenue can be lighted with electricity at an expense not greater than is now being paid for gas, providing the crane or arch system is adopted, and what is true of these streets also is true of other streets and avenues yet to be lighted. And in view of the fact that when erected none of the lights can be dispensed with, I must insist on the greatest care being exercised in their distribution, and the adoption of some plan to be closely adhered to in the future, a plan regulating distance between lights, and embodying other important features in connection with electric lighting.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS,

Mayor.

The President stated the question to be—"Shall the resolution stand, notwithstanding the objections of His Honor, the Mayor."

Lost by the following vote.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—12.

From the Executive Board—

Office of the EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, August 20, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: John Hilbert & Co. have made application to this board to have the Holly water main extended in Andrews st. from N. Water st. to his barn, a distance of 180 feet. The estimated cost of the extension is three hundred dollars (\$300).

This company claim that they keep over 100 horses in said barn, and they desire the extension to enable them to operate a motor for cutting hay and straw for these horses. The motor is set up and the pipes connected therewith ready for use as soon as they can be furnished with water.

The revenue that will accrue for such use will undoubtedly pay a good percentage on the cost of the extension. The extension will also be a part of a contemplated extension in the near future between North Water st. and North Clinton st. As this board has no money at its command except what is pledged for other extensions, and as any amounts used from the Water Pipe Extension Fund for new work will have to be raised by note and replaced sooner or later by the Common Council, the application in question is referred to your board for consideration, accompanied by a resolution authorizing the work, in case you should deem it advisable so to do.

Respectfully submitted,

EXECUTIVE BOARD BY
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend a Holly water main in Andrews street from North Water street to the east line of Carthage alley, a distance of about 180 feet, at an estimated cost of three hundred (\$300) dollars, the cost thereof to be paid from any moneys in the Water Pipe Extension fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly—11.

From the Commissioners in the matter of opening and extending Hayward park:

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, who were by order of the County Court of Monroe County, duly granted and entered on the 18th day of June, 1883, Commissioners to enquire into and determine to what damage and compensation for the owners and occupants of the lands to be taken for the opening and extension of Hayward park in the city of Rochester, will be entitled respectively report and certify their award of damages as in-

cident to the opening and extension of said park as follows:

The several pieces and parcels of land required for said improvement are described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot No. 34, as designated on a map of the Broomhall tract, recorded in Monroe County Clerk's Office in Liber 63, of deeds, page 224; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 34, seven hundred and twelve, (712) feet and eight (8) inches to the east line of said lot No. 34; thence southerly along the east line of said lot No. 34 thirty-two (32) feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the north line of said lot No. 34 and thirty-two (32) feet distant southerly therefrom seven hundred and twelve, (712) feet and (8) inches to a point in the east line of North Clinton street; thence northerly along the east line of North Clinton street thirty-two (32) feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Dolly Currier and Dolly Binney of Amesbury, Massachusetts, Richard Currier, and George W. Currier, of Rochester, heirs at law of Sophia A. Currier, as tenants in common.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 46, as designated upon a map of "Wilson's" subdivision of the Kacie farm, and recorded in the Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 34 of Deeds, at page 522, thence easterly along the south line of said lot No. 46 seven hundred and twelve (712) feet and eight (8) inches to the east line of said lot No. 46; thence northerly along the east line of said lot No. 46 thirty-three (33) feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the south line of lot No. 46 and thirteen (13) feet distant therefrom seven hundred and twelve (712) feet and eight (8) inches to the east line of North Clinton street; thence southerly along the east line of North Clinton street to the place of beginning.

These premises are held by Octavius O. Cottle, of Buffalo, in trust for Burrell Spencer under a devise in the will of Mary A. Spencer deceased, Mary A. McKechnie, of Canandaigua, also claims ownership of these premises by virtue of a deed from Burrell Spencer as executor of the last will and testament of Mary A. Spencer.

Therefore we, the subscribers, the Commissioners, having been duly sworn as required by the statute in such cases made and provided, and having met and acted on the matter submitted to us at the City Attorney's office in the City Hall Building, Rochester, N. Y., pursuant to a notice of at least ten days published and given according to law, and having taken a view of every part of the premises affected by this proceeding, and having inquired into and heard the allegations and proofs of the respective parties in interest, do determine and appraise the damage which the owners and several occupants of the lands and premises thus to be taken for the opening and extension of said park will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, and do award the full amount of such damages and fix the compensation which each of the foresaid owners and occupants shall receive therefor, as follows:

To Dolly Currier, Dolly Binney, Richard Currier and George W. Currier, heirs-at-law of Sophia A. Currier, seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars, payable to said heirs of Sophia A. Currier.

To Octavius O. Cottle, trustee as aforesaid, and Mary A. McKechnie, four hundred (\$400) dollars, to be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank of Rochester to the credit of the owners of the last above described parcel of land, subject to the order of the court. All of which is respectfully submitted.

F. M. BOTTUM,
E. J. GALENTINE,
LYMAN M. OTIS,
Commissioners.

Dated Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 18, 1883.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening and extension of Hayward park be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held on the fourth day of September, 1883, at six o'clock P. M. Adopted.
From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., AUG. 21, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—in accordance with Section 29 of the revised city charter, I hereby report the following named persons as having qualified and taken the oath of office:

Luther A. Pratt, Special Commissioners.
Wm. J. Sheridan,
Geo. G. Clarkson,

Tillie G. Murphy, Commissioner of Deeds.
John Dailey,
Franklin J. Stewart,
John D. Pitts,

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.
Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

OPENING AND EXTENDING FROST AVENUE.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of opening and extending Frost avenue, in a direct line, from Olean street to Caledonia avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$5,000.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The extension of Frost avenue, of its present width and in its present course, from the east end of Frost avenue to Caledonia avenue, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefore, is described as follows viz: Being a strip of land 50 feet in width, and extending from the east line of Olean street to the westerly line of Caledonia avenue, the north and south lines thereof, being an extension in their present course, of the north and south lines of Frost avenue.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$5,00 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of the following named streets, between the limits mentioned, viz: Frost avenue, from the west end thereof to Olean street; Champlain street, from the west end thereof to Olean street; Cady street, from the west end thereof to Olean street; Olean street, from Plymouth avenue to Hunter street; except street, from Frost avenue to Cady street; Reynolds street, from Frost avenue to Cady street; Francis street, from Frost avenue to Cady street.

And further, Resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvements may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Sept. the 4th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

WROUGHT IRON BRIDGE ACROSS THE GENESSEE VALLEY CANAL RAILROAD.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a wrought iron bridge across the Genessee Valley Canal Railroad and located in the centre of Frost ave as proposed to be extended.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$6,148.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a wrought iron bridge across the Genessee Valley Canal Railroad, to be located in the centre of Frost avenue as proposed to be extended; said bridge to be of a single span, with one roadway 20 feet in width, with a sidewalk on each side thereof, each 6 feet in width. Also the necessary masonry abutments.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$6,148, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of the following named streets to the limits mentioned, viz: Frost avenue, from the west end thereof to Olean street.

Champlain street, from the west end thereof to Olean street.

Cady street, from the west end thereof to Olean street.

Olean street, from Plymouth avenue to Hunter street.

Seward street, from Frost avenue to Cady street.

Reynolds street, from Frost avenue to Cady street.

Francis street, from Frost avenue to Cady street.
And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows: One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Sept. the 4th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN CAMBRIDGE STREET, BRIGHTON AVENUE AND NICHOLS PARK.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$2,291.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer nine inches in diameter in Cambridge street, from a point 172 feet south of Park avenue to the centre of Brighton avenue.

Also a pipe sewer nine inches in diameter in Brighton avenue, from a point 180 feet east of Goodman street to the centre of Cambridge street, and twelve inches in diameter from the centre of Cambridge street to a point 10 feet east of the west line of Nichols park.

Also a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter on a line 10 feet east of the west line of Nichols park, from the centre of Brighton avenue to the Oxford street sewer. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$2,291, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Cambridge street from a point 172 feet south of Park avenue to Brighton avenue.

Also one tier of lots on each side of Brighton avenue from a point 180 feet east of Goodman street to Nichols park.

Also one tier of lots on the west side of Nichols park, from Brighton avenue to Park avenue.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Sept. the 4th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON JENNINGS STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Jennings street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,300.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on each side of Jennings street, from North avenue to Nichols street, except where good plank walks now exist at the proper grade. Also the necessary crosswalks.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,300, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Jennings street in front of which the proposed plank walks shall be constructed.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, Sept. 4th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

CENTRAL PARK PLANK WALK.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Central park.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$1,690. By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 5 ft. 3 in. in width on each side of Central park, from Union street to Goodman street; also, the necessary crosswalks.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,690, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Central park, from Union street to Goodman street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII. Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Sept. the 4th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON FROST AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Frost avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$323. By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on the north side of Frost avenue, from Seward st. to Olean st.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$323, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the north side of Frost avenue from Seward st. to Olean st.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter, of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Sept. the 4th, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN FULTON STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Fulton street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$547. By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Fulton street from the east line of Mrs. Hoffman's lot, near Old street, to the sewer in Whitney street; also the necessary lot laterals, surface sewers and man-holes.

And, Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$547, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Fulton street from the east line of Mrs. Hoffman's lot to Whitney street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening September 4th, 1883, at six

o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

IMPROVING NORTH ST. PAUL STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving that portion of North St. Paul street recently widened, north of Franklin street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$2,885.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The improvement of that portion of North St. Paul street, recently widened, north of Franklin street, by constructing a pavement of Medina stone, with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof, width of roadway between curb lines to be 38 feet. Also, the necessary flag walks, brick paving, grading and sodding.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,885 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of that portion of St. Paul street proposed to be improved, from Franklin street to Ar water street.

And further, Resolved, that the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount, within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll.—On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., of section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend at the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Sept. the 4th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to deepen, enlarge and extend the Saxton street outlet sewer came up. Ald. Felsing moved to indefinitely postpone.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—11.

Nays—Ald. Strouss—1.

The final ordinance to enlarge the White street sewer came up. Ald. Felsing moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The final ordinance to improve Central avenue came up. Ald. Kelly moved to amend to make the territory to be assessed the entire first and second wards and that portion of the fifth ward lying southerly of Ward and Cavacact streets.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Watson, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—8.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Strouss, Hinds—4.

The final ordinance to construct a sewer in Exchange street came up. Ald. Foley moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to improve Mt. Hope avenue came up. Ald. Rice moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on Jennings street came up. Ald. Southard moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The report of the committee in relation to the proposition of D. D. S. Brown, donating land for a public park, published on page 162 current proceedings, came up.

Ald. Pitkin presented the following minority report:

By Ald. Pitkin—
To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned members of the Special Committee appointed to take into consideration the subject of the acceptance by the City of Rochester of certain lands owned by D. D. S. Brown, for the purpose of a Public Park, hereby submit the following minority report:

Under date of June 4th, 1883, Mr. Brown, in a communication to the Mayor, offered to cede to the City of Rochester thirty (30) acres of land upon the tract known as Lincoln Park, situated just beyond the western boundary of the city at the head of Maple street, for use by the city as a public park. Such gift was, however, to be made upon condition that the city shall within two years from the date of its acceptance, lay out the land as a park and generally begin the improvement of the property for the purpose indicated.

It is certainly desirable that the city should have a public park of sufficient size to accommodate its people, and if one park large enough for use by the people of the entire city cannot be obtained it is desirable that the city should have smaller parks so located as to accommodate the various sections. But, before taking any steps in either direction, it is well that the probable expense connected with the development of the land to be used for park purposes should be well considered by the members of the Common Council as representatives of the city. The condition imposed by Mr. Brown, while a reasonable and proper one, nevertheless would subject the city, if his offer should be accepted, to an expenditure within the ensuing two years of at least twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars. We have made considerable enquiry as to the probable expense of laying out the land offered to be donated as a park, the planting of shade trees, the opening of walks, drive-ways and the drainage of the same, and the sum above indicated is the lowest estimate that has been made of the expense thereof. We believe that the indebtedness of the city of Rochester, or the taxes for the ensuing five years, should not be increased, unless such increase is made absolutely necessary in providing for the necessary wants of the city as a municipality.

While we agree with all that has been said as to the desirability of a public park, such improvement is, nevertheless a luxury which, in the present condition of our city's finances, should not be indulged in.

We recognize the generosity of the offer made by Mr. Brown, and regret that our views as to proper municipal expenditures, under the circumstances, will not permit our advising its acceptance.

Respectfully submitted,
J. M. PITKIN,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Special Committee.

Ald. Pitkin moved that the minority report be adopted. Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Aikenhead—4.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Foley, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly—8.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the offer of D. D. S. Brown, Esq., in relation to a gift of and for a public park contained in his communication to his Honor the Mayor, dated June 4th, 1883, and published in the proceedings of the Common Council, June 19th, 1883, be and the same is hereby accepted upon the conditions named therein, and that an agreement in relation thereto, drawn under the direction of the city attorney, entered into between the city and Mr. Brown in accordance with his offer, and the agreement to be submitted to the Common Council at the next regular meeting. Adopted.

The following came up:

"The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain that Chapter XLVI of the Penal Ordinances of said city, entitled "An ordinance relating to Bill Posters," passed November 30th, 1883, be amended as follows:

Section I. The mayor or acting mayor may issue licenses to any person, firm or corporation to post bills, cards, signs and advertisements and to distribute bills, pamphlets, circulars and advertising notices in said city; such licenses shall not be for a period of more than one year:

Section II. Each person, firm or corporation, applying for and obtaining such license shall pay therefor, to the city treasurer for the use of the city, the sum of fifty dollars.

Section III. Each person, firm or corporation, obtaining such license shall register their name or firm name, or corporate name with the city clerk, together with the date of issue of said license and the date of its expiration, and shall procure a metal shield or badge, and furnish each employee with a metal shield or badge, on which shall be engraven in large letters, "Licensed Bill Poster and Distributor," together with a number, which number shall be the number of the badge, and each person wearing one of such badges shall register his name with the city clerk, in a book kept for that purpose, opposite the number of the badge worn, and no person shall engage in posting or distributing advertisements of any kind, unless wearing such badge on the breast of the coat and in such a position that it can be plainly seen.

Section IV. From and after the passage of this ordinance no person shall go upon any of the streets, sidewalks or alleys of said city for the purpose of distributing or circulating posters, circulars, handbills, printed or engraved notices or advertisements, of any kind, to or among the pedestrians or travelers on said streets, sidewalks or alleys or at offices, stores or places of business in said city for the purpose of posting handbills, notices or printed or engraved advertisements of any kind; nor shall any person post, create or distribute in said city handbills, posters, circulars, pamphlets or printed or engraved advertisements of any kind, without having obtained a license as specified in the first section hereof and complying with the requirements of the preceding section, or without being an employee of a firm or corporation having such license and complying with the requirements of said preceding section.

Section V. No person shall scatter or throw upon the streets or sidewalks of said city, posters, handbills or advertisements and nothing herein shall be construed to authorize any person to obstruct the streets and sidewalks of said city; or create any nuisance therein and to prevent the posting of notices, required by law to be posted.

Section VI. Nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent any resident of Rochester from posting or distributing posters, circulars, handbills, printed or engraved notices or advertisements, description of the business in which such resident is engaged free from liability to obtain a license therefor.

Section VII. Any person violating either of the foregoing sections or provisions shall, upon conviction, be subject to a fine of ten dollars, and in default of payment shall be sentenced to the Monroe County Penitentiary for a period not exceeding twenty days.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—12.

The following came up:

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That Mumford street, from State street to Andrews street, be hereafter known as Andrew street and that the City Clerk be requested to make necessary changes in the records of streets filed in his office.

On motion Ald. Barron tabled until the next regular meeting.

Ald. Collins presented a remonstrance.

Ald. Barron moved to amend that Andrews street be changed to Mumford street and that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Felsing moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—9.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss—2.

No choice.

Ald. Felsing moved to postpone voting for Police Commissioner for two weeks. Adopted.

Ald. Strouss moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss,

Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—11.

George Rosenberg, Sixth ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council was declared appointed Commissioner of Deeds.

MICELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Strouss presented a petition from property owners in the 6th ward remonstrating against George Eagert erecting a wood building on the south side of Hamburg street, and moved it be referred to the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of Brewster, Abeles & Remington for permission to erect a wood building and moved permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the city clerk draw orders on the city treasurer as follows:

In favor of Frank M. Bottum, chairman of the commission, for \$84, in full of fees of Commissioners Bottum, Galentine and Otis in the matter of the extension of Hayward park, including clerk hire.

And in favor of G. F. Stocum for \$16, in full for searches made of the title to the property to be taken for such extension, and disbursements, and charge contingent fund; and that the treasurer charge and carry said aggregate sum of \$100 to the fund for the opening and extension of Hayward park when created as part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—11.

By Ald. Felsing—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned committee appointed by the rackmen of the city of Rochester at a meeting held on the 11th day of August, 1883, to present to your honorable body a statement of the reasons for the reduction of the license fee for hackney coaches, cabs and carriages, do respectfully represent:

The ordinance relating to hackney coaches and carriages provides that every person who may be licensed as an owner of such coaches, cabs or carriages, shall pay to the City Treasurer for the use of the city, for each hack, coach, cab or carriage which such person shall keep for hire, the sum of five dollars per annum. In view of the fact that the Street Car Company is not required to pay any license for cars run by it, and in view of the fact that the license fee charged to hackmen as aforesaid, is much larger than the amount charged for the license fee in other kinds of business in proportion to the profits received, the hackmen of the city deem it no more than right that the license should be reduced to one dollar per year.

The undersigned committee will at any time meet with a committee of your honorable body at which time will be stated the reasons in detail why the license fee authorized by the ordinance now in force should be reduced.

We, therefore, representing the hackmen of the city of Rochester, respectfully request that a conference be held at which time the subject can be discussed and a fair basis as to the license agreed upon.

Respectfully yours, ANTHONY EBLE,
JAMES BUTLER,
JOSHUA EUSTICE,

Dated Aug. 21st, 1883.

Ald. Felsing moved it be referred to committee on ordinances. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance for the improvement of the Saxton street sewer. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented a communication from Sarah L. Mills and moved it be referred to the Assessment Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented a petition for a pipe sewer in Cambridge street, and moved it be

referred to the Improvement Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petitions of R. F. Lawrence and W. E. Stickland for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—My attention has been called to the condition of a wooden barn situated in the rear of No. 30 Ward street. I found the same a dangerous and unsafe building and liable to fall down and injure persons and property, and should be ordered taken down immediately. Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM CARROLL,
Fire Marshal.

Aug. 5, 1882.

Received, filed and published.

By Alderman Watson—Whereas, the fire marshal reports a wood barn on Ward street in rear of house No. 30, in an unsafe and dangerous condition; therefore, Resolved, that the fire marshal notify the owner or occupants of said unsafe barn to take down the same within ten days after a certified copy of this resolution shall be served on the owner or occupant; and if said owner or occupants fail to take down said barn, then the fire marshal is hereby ordered to take down the same and report the expense to the common council, to be assessed on the land on which it stood, as per section 277 of the revised city charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I duly notified the owner, agent and tenants of three tenement houses situated on Cedar street to take down the same as per resolution of your Board, July 10. I was directed to take down the same and destroy the materials if said parties failed to comply with said order. They having so failed to comply with said order I proceeded to take down said buildings and report the expense at \$23.05.

W. M. CARROLL, Fire Marshal.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Wherefore, Resolved, That the City Assessors be and are hereby directed to assess on east part of lots No. 29 and 30, Peck's subdivision being on the west side of Cedar street, the sum of \$23.05 being the amount expended in taking down and removing part of the materials of said wood and brick buildings declared to be a nuisance.

Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasury in favor of William Carroll, Fire Marshal, for the sum of twenty-three 5-100 dollars and charge Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—10.

By Ald. Barron—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, the Bell Telephone Company, respectfully shows that for the past four years it has conducted a Telephone Exchange in the city of Rochester; that in order to carry on its business it has been obliged to and has run its wires mostly by carrying the same by means of standards placed on buildings in the city of Rochester; that the wires of the numerous removals of old buildings and the erection of new ones; that the wires of the fire alarm system of the city are constructed in the same way, that in many instances the fire wire runs over the telephone wire by means of a fixture placed on the telephone standard. Wherever the company has poles the it has willingly extended the use thereof to the fire alarm system, and in all respects has extended to the superintendent of the fire alarm system all assistance in its power to keep the fire alarm wires in order.

The said company now desires to transfer all its wires from the roofs of houses and buildings to poles, so that in case of a break or interference it can more readily locate and repair the same, and we therefore

ask your honorable body to empower the said company to erect poles through the streets of the said city under the direction of the Executive Board or of a committee of the Common Council.

And in consideration of said permission being granted it shall allow the superintendent of the fire alarm the use of all such poles for the wires of the fire alarm system.

This will be a great advantage both to the city and to the company, since by the most careful management under the present system of running wires there is always more or less interference with both the telephone and fire alarm wires.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
Rochester, Aug. 23th, 1883.

CHAS. T. YOUNG,
Manager Bell Telephone Co.

1. the undersigned, Superintendent of the Fire Alarm Telegraph system of the city of Rochester, would recommend the granting by your honorable body of the prayer of the within petition.

I think the arrangement therein proposed would be mutually beneficial to the city and the telephone company. It would make the fire alarm system more complete and reliable.

C. R. FINEGAN,
Superintendent Fire Alarm.

Ald. Barron moved that the prayer of the petitioner be granted conditioned that the city have the privilege of placing the wires of the fire alarm system on the poles when desirable and that all poles erected by the Bell Telephone Company be straight and sightly. Adopted.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., AUG. 21, 1883.

To the Honorable Board of the Common Council of the city of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—I hold a claim against lot 17, on the west side of Reynolds street, on which there is due the city of Rochester the general city taxes for the years 1876, 1879 and 1882; also a tax for the Clifton and Reynolds street sewer. In order to make my claim more secure I will pay the face of the several taxes together with seven per cent. interest. If the city will issue to me tax certificates for the several sales thereof.

Yours respectfully,
LYMAN JOHNSON, City of Rochester.

Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to accept and cancel of record all city taxes on the Worcester tract with interest at 7 per cent except the general city taxes for 1883.

Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Collins presented a communication from H. D. Tucker and moved it be referred to the Assessment Committee. Adopted:

By Ald. Collins—Whereas Lot No. 11 of the Jane Taylor sub'n, pt. Sibley & Field tract, east side York st., Eleventh Ward, was assessed for Brown st. lift-bridge tax, O. 2, 159, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors dated Aug. 20, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$5.60, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1884 to Nicholas Stuenhaver, viz: Lot No. 11, Jane Taylor sub'n, pt. Sibley & Field tract, east side of York st., Eleventh ward, 35 feet front, 35 feet rear and 151 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Brown street lift bridge tax, O. 2, 159, the sum of \$5.60, upon the payment of which, less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTIEN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, Aug. 20th, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lot Nos. 11 of the Jane Taylor's sub'n Sibley and Field tract, east side of York

street, 11th ward, was assessed for Brown street lift bridge approaches tax, \$2.25, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Aug. 20th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$9.34 with expenses and interest in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1883. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Nicholas Stuenhaver, viz:

Lot No. 111 Jane Taylor's sub'n pt. Sibley and Field tract, east side of York street, 11th ward, 35 feet front, 35 feet rear and 151 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Brown street lift bridge approaches tax, \$2.25, the sum of \$9.34, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTIEN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 11, 1882. }

(A truecopy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to cancel the general city tax for 1883, on west part lot 15, Shamrock tract, east side Emmett street, 5th ward, assessed to John Doerr, the sum being assessed twice, and charge to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive \$9 68, for the general city tax for 1883, on north part lot 8, Whitney tract, east side of Orchard street, in the 11th ward, assessed to Mary Decker, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to cancel tax, the amount of \$2, for Goodman street flag walk, assessed to Abraham Kusse, north part lot 5 of C. Johnson's subdivision, west side Goodman street, 10th ward, and charge erroneous assessments. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved to adjourn. Adopted.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Common Council—Sept. 3d, 1883.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Alderman Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strous, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.
Absent—Ald. Collins, Jeffords, Felsing—3.

The president announced that the object of the meeting was to designate the polling places for the ensuing year, as required by law.

A communication from the executive board in relation to the use of fire department buildings for election purposes was read by the clerk and ordered received and filed.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the places for holding the polls of election for the several election districts of the city of Rochester for the ensuing year be designated and fixed as follows:

First Ward—Sheriff's office, Court House.
 Second Ward—Number Three Engine House, Platt street.
 Third Ward—First District—Building formerly Livermore's live y stable office, Caledonia avenue.
 Third Ward—Second District—Building No. 107 Plymouth avenue, corner Tremont street.
 Fourth Ward—Number One Engine House, Stone street.
 Fifth Ward—First District—H. Bartholomay's building, 88 North St. Paul street.
 Fifth Ward—Second District—Lawrence Nursinger's show, 3 Lowell street.
 Sixth Ward—John F. Linsen's store, Clinton Place, corner of Clinton street.
 Seventh Ward—First District—Jacob Young's store, corner Monroe avenue and Marshall street.
 Seventh Ward—Second District—Mrs. Marcotte's store, corner Monroe avenue and Meigs street.
 Eighth Ward—First District—Henry and Charles Hunt's barber shop, 50 West avenue.
 Eighth Ward—Second District—Catharine Carroll's house, 78 Barrett street, corner Reynolds street.
 Ninth Ward—First District—Building No. 4 Lake avenue.
 Ninth Ward—Second District—W.D. Brooks's building, 97 Lake avenue.
 Tenth Ward—J. Gattner's barber shop, 243 East Main street.
 Eleventh Ward—First District—George Hartel's store, on Romeyn street, between Grape and Clark streets.
 Eleventh Ward—Second District—Joseph Yawman's, corner of Saxton and Jay streets.
 Twelfth Ward—First District—Elizabeth Bradshaw's store, No. 44 South avenue.
 Twelfth Ward—Second District—Henry Rice's barber shop, No. 2 Grand street.
 Thirteenth Ward—First District—John Nodecker's store, corner of St. Joseph street and McDonald avenue.
 Thirteenth Ward—Second District—John A. P. Walter's store, No. 110 Hudson street.
 Fourteenth Ward—First District—Charles Peiffer's store, No. 110 North avenue.
 Fourteenth Ward—Second District—John G. Scherrible's building, 42 North avenue.
 Fifteenth Ward—Joseph Badhorn's building, next to Joseph Attridge's store, Child street, near corner of Jay street.
 Sixteenth Ward—First District—Mrs. Hohm's house, 26 Goodman street, near Park avenue.
 Sixteenth Ward—Second District—George Bork's building, corner Bay and East Main streets.
 Sixteenth Ward—Third District—J. George Baetzel's building, 254 St. Joseph street.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Alds. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.
 Nays—None.
 On motion of Ald. Rice the board then adjourned.
 FRANK N. LORD,
 City Clerk.

In Common Council, Sept. 4, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.
 Present—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.
 Absent—Ald. Collins, Felsing—2.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meetings, Aug. 21st and Sept. 3d, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES AND THEIR REFERENCE.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of A. Fischer for permission to erect a wood building corner Clifford street and Conkey avenue, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the fire marshal. Adopted.
 By Ald. Jeffords—bills of

Brush Electric Light Company, lighting for August.....\$1,680 20
 Municipal Gas Co., lighting for August..... 47 92

**Referred to the Lamp Committee.
 By Ald. Foley—bills of**

John McDonald, meat.....	\$ 25 00
Geo. Baker.....	100 00
Jos. Baahorn.....	200 00
Geo. Oppel, bread.....	21 24
Home of Industry, bread.....	50 92
A. Bell, groceries.....	15 50
L. J. Hall & Bro., groceries.....	59 00
L. J. Hall & Bro.,	15 50
Wm. Funch & Son, burials.....	12 00
S. Wheeler, rent.....	11 00
Lewis & Co., transportation.....	43 15

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of L. C. Langie for permission to erect a wood building corner Alexander street and Pinnacle avenue. Also a remonstrance. Referred to the wood building committee and Fire Marshal.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of J. E. Rochester for permission to erect a wood building on Atkinson street. Referred to the wood building committee with power to act.

By Ald. Southard—bills of

W. I. Hanford, serving notices.....	\$ 10 43
Williamson & Higbie, copy of directory.....	5 25
W. L. Buckland, back hire.....	21 00
C. Abby.....	3 00
H. S. Ransom.....	2 08
J. R. Chamberlin, rubber bands.....	4 63
W. W. Irwin, blank books.....	6 00

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—bills of

Gorring & Knowles, repairing roof of Front st. building.....	\$ 140 00
Thomas Gargan, painting do.....	252 70
W. C. Dickinson, Agt., coal.....	255 00
Municipal Gas Co., gas, city buildings.....	128 66
M. G. Servis, wire cord.....	3 50
Smith, Perkins & Co., soap.....	4 00
J. R. Chamberlin, rubber gaskets.....	1 30

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for water on West Orange street. Referred to Water Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for water mains in Clifford street, from Clinton street to St. Joseph street, and in Field street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp Committee; Ald. Foley, from the Poor Committee; Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee; Ald. Southard, from the Contingent Expense Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Simmelink—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your Sewer Committee to which was referred the communication of Mathias Kondolf with reference to the construction by him of a ditch across his premises on Monroe avenue, into which empties the Monroe avenue outlet sewer, does hereby report:

The claim of Mr. Kondolf is that he has constructed and kept in repair for about two years a ditch running near the western boundary of his land, which ditch has been used by the city as an outlet of Monroe avenue sewer. The said ditch occupies a place about twelve feet in width and is about fifteen hundred feet in length. It has been kept clean by Mr. Kondolf, and his proposal now is, that if the city will pay him two hundred dollars (\$200), as the expense of constructing and keeping said ditch in repair to this time, and one hundred dollars (\$100) for the use of the land which the ditch occupies, and for keeping the same clean until April 1st, 1885, that he will enter into

a contract giving the city the right of way for the purpose of its sewer until the time last mentioned, and to keep the same in suitable condition, and also to release all claim for the use of the premises occupied, and for labor expended thereon down to the present time.

Your Committee has consulted the City Surveyor as to the expense necessary in the construction and keeping in repair of said ditch and is satisfied that the aggregate amount named, three hundred dollars (\$300), is no more than the cost of the construction and cleaning of the ditch down to the time named, leaving nothing for the right of way.

Your Committee is therefore of the opinion that the proposition made by Mr. Kondolf should be accepted, and that a contract in accordance with such proposition should be entered into on the part of the city and the above mentioned amount paid to him.

J. M. SIMMELINK,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
CHAS. WATTS JR.,
Sewer Committee.

Adopted.

By Aid. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he hereby is directed to draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of Matthias Kondolf for three hundred dollars (\$300) in full of his claim against the city of Rochester for the construction of a ditch which has been used, and is to be used; for the outlet for Monroe avenue sewer, and for cleaning the same down to April 1st, 1885, and for right of way therefor to the time aforesaid, upon the execution by said Kondolf of an agreement releasing all claim by reason of the construction of said ditch and the use of the land therefor, and for cleaning the same to the date aforesaid, to be approved by the City Attorney, and charge Contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 4, 1883.

By Aid. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR AUGUST, 1883.

Cornelius R. Parsons, Mayor	\$250 00
Ambrose C. McGlavin, Treasurer	375 00
H. F. McGlavin, assistant	168 66
John Tracy, clerk	80 00
Frank Kondolf, clerk	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk	75 00
F. N. Lord, City Clerk	166 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger	100 00
Chas. M. Beattie, assistant	50 00
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor	208 33
John Gorton, City Assessor	208 33
Wm. Maher	208 32
V. Fleckenstein	150 00
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court	150 00
Geo. E. Warner	150 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall	75 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office	91 66
Wm. W. Race	75 00
Ambrose Redman	60 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building	70 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney	250 00
A. H. Smith, milk inspector	140 00
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevated tracks	60 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office	70 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office	50 00
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's Office	80 00
Wm. I. Rebaz, Jr., draughtsman	30 00
Harry J. Jeffords, clerk	30 00

MISCELLANEOUS

A. G. Wheeler, counsel fees, Hannah F. Brown vs. city of Rochester	150 00
E. D. Smith, stenographer's services	61 00
H. D. McNaughton, County Clerk's fees	48 42
C. W. Carroll, serving redemption notices	22 00
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch Sept. 4th	15 00
Clerk's disbursements	16 80
And charge that Fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR AUGUST, 1883.

N. Thompson, overseer	\$ 141 66
J. H. McGrezon, Clerk	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk	75 00
Geo. Bartel, Clerk	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk	75 00
Dr. J. J. A. Burke, City Physician	50 00
Dr. A. L. Perr, City Physician	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician	50 00
Dr. Thos Spencer, City Physician	50 00
D. J. Henry Koch, City Physician	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner	75 00
C. Herzberger	25 00
James P. Evans	75 00
Maurice Moynihan, clerk	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

A. M. Semple, groceries	\$240 45
J. C. Gray, groceries (two bills)	45 75
Davenport & Co., beans	62 26
Jeffreys & Co., burials	12 00
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal	142 00
Mary Flannigan, rent	9 00
A. L. Morris, meat	59 00
N. Kirchoff, bread	63 82
E. M. M. Smith, rent	4 00
M. Heavy, transportation	43 00
James Laney & Co., paper	6 69
N. Thompson, disbursements	20 00
And charge that Fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Henry F. Doyle, coal	\$255 00
F. Zimmer, insurance	54 62
Geo. H. Nicholson, setting glass	16 25
Curtis & Smith, use of flags	5 50
C. W. Ashman, soap	4 10
Thomas Gargan, painting roof Front street building	252 70
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care of lamps for August	\$3,047 91
Citizens' Gas Co., setting posts	10 22
Rochester Gas company, lighting and care of lamps for August	2,100 00
Howe & Snyder, lamp cocks and tip burners	55 00
And charge that fund.	

PARK FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JULY, 1883.

James Dalton	\$ 50 00
Timothy Casey	50 00
John Sheridan	50 00
John McCruden	50 00
John Dailey	50 00
Timothy Corcoran	50 00
David Cooper	50 00
Michael McCluskey	50 00
Louis Haas	50 00
Jacob Jump	50 02
John Kanelly	50 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. H. Craig, lumber	\$534 78
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR AUGUST, 1883.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer	\$ 75 00
Geo. Messmer, Register	66 66
John M. Harder, Inspector	50 00
Otho Griswold, Inspector	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector	50 00
John A. Schuey, Inspector	50 00
Henry M. Heindol, Keeper Hope Hospital	58 33
Jno. C. Vance, sewer flusher	50 00
Joseph Thompson	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector	50 00
Messenger	33 33

MISCELLANEOUS.

Milo Baker, excavating-vault for for Mrs. McDermott	25 80
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR AUGUST, 1883.

A. G. Wheeler, police justice	\$300 00
Fred'k Zimmer, police commissioner	83 33
Jacob Howe, Jr., police commissioner	83 33
Alex. M'Lean	130 00
Ferry Marzluff	85 00
Samuel Brown	85 00
Thos. Lynch	85 00
Peter Laner	85 00
P. C. Kavanagh	85 00
Thos. A. Burchill	85 00

Henry Baker	85 00
Chas. M' Cormick	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth	85 00
John C. Baydon	85 00
John H. Dana	75 00
Wm. H. White	75 00
Ed. Van Vorst	75 00
Thos. Dukelow	75 00
John C. M'Quatters	75 00
Fred. Griebel, 26 days	65 00
John M. Reis	75 00
W. R. M'Arthur	75 00
Frank B. Allen	85 00
Hugh Clark	75 00
Jacob Frank	75 00
Thos. Crouch, 19 days	47 50
John Wangman	75 00
John Monaghan	75 00
Geo. Hoffman, 25 days	82 50
Chas. Steffert	75 00
Frank S. Skuse	75 00
George Long	75 00
Daniel Goulding	105 00
Hugh Johnston	105 00
Joseph P. Cleary, in full to Sept. 1	131 66
Wm. Keith, in full to Sept. 1	115 00
Benj. C. Baccar	85 00
Nicholas J. Poes	85 00
John B. Davis	85 00
John A. Baird	85 00
Mich. Hyland	75 00
Oliver Onver, 29 days	72 50
Ralph Bendon	75 00
Andrew Connolly, 27 days	67 50
Robt. Burns	75 00
Jacob Harter	75 00
Wm. P. O'Neil	75 00
John Mitchell	75 00
Ed. McDonough	75 00
Jos. St. Hellen	75 00
Wm. M'Kevoy	75 00
Robt. M'Kee, 22 days	55 00
Michael Brady, 23 days	57 50
Chas. E. Fowler	75 00
Robert Sloan, 21 days	67 50
John Bean	75 00
Samuel Schwartz	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson	75 00
Wm. Burgess	75 00
James P. Flynn	75 00
Michael Cain	75 00
Charles W. Peart	75 00
Chas. Hart	75 00
Wm. Laragy	75 00
Michael Hynd	75 00
Henry D. Soove	75 00
Louis Nold	75 00
Peter Hess	75 00
Oliver A. Youle	75 00
Frederick Kippaut	75 00
Joseph Baker, 22 days	55 00
John E. McDermott	75 00
Patk. J. Cummings	75 00
Benj. L. Stetson	75 00
Patk. Caulfield	75 00
Patk. Culligan	75 00
Jerome P. Dowd	75 00
Wm. Murray	75 00
Michael Englert	75 00
John Sullivan	75 00
Dennis Hogan	75 00
James E. Ryan	75 00
John Yaman, 21 days	52 50
Mich. Zimmerman	75 00
Geo. H. Kron	75 00
George Liese	75 00
Henry Baker, Jr.	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick	75 00
Wm. Hillard	75 00
Fred'k Walter	75 00
Ed. O'Laughlin	75 00
George Bietzer	75 00
George Mohr	75 00
Hiram Rogers	75 00
John A. Wallace	75 00
John H. Mason	75 00
Geo. Kleisley	75 00
Jacob Markey	65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.	125 00
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER,
OFFICES, CITY HALL, SEPT. 3, 1892.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates have been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, and are hereby respectfully referred to your Honorable Board for payment as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Street Department—Highway Fund.

James R. Chamberlin supplies	\$ 6 25
Marx & Young, repairing wagon, etc.	9 00
John Straub, breaking stone	7 12
Trotter, Gaddes & Co, stoves, etc.	16 55
George Miller, sand and gravel	40 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Viciaus, work at Lyell bridge	39 25
F. N. Skuse, rent of dumping ground	18 29
	\$ 133 46

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Aug. 30	\$126 48
Sept. 6	126 48
	\$252 96
George B. Hayes, water pipe estimate No. 3	3,492 39
George B. Harris, transportation, pipes, etc.	19 97
S. J. Wagoner, delivering pipe, est. No. 3	188 30
Wm. Dyer, estimate No. 8, group 75	250 00
James H. Nellis	81
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	\$85,493 62

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Aug. 30	\$492 48
30	339 00
	\$828 48
.. .. . Sept. 6	\$492 48
6	357 00
	\$849 48
Thos. J. Neville, disbursements	21 32
F. McKenna, washing	9 00
J. Q. Maynard, tools	31 63
Joseph Cowles, work on flume, Graves st.	27 28
Weaver & Goss, hardware	17 29
J. A. Vanderwerf, work at repair shop	24 65
C. R. Pratt, repairing damages	42 75
Marx & Young, repairing wagons	11 50
National Meter Co., meters	160 00
J. R. Chamberlin, packing at pump house	93 20
M. L. Delano, work at pump house	125 00
H. D. Blackwood, bills painting	430 00
J. B. Glouchauf, repairing and cleaning well	8 00
T. M. Blossom, labor at Hemlock Lake	8 00
J. R. Chamberlin, rubber boots	5 50
R. Crennell, repairs conduit line	5 00
J. Nelson Tubbs, expenses, conduit line	10 64
T. J. Neville, Clerk, redemption of land	13 25
Morris Bortle, fender posts	3 00
	\$2,714 95

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Bascom & Morgan, plumbing	\$ 35 00
J. A. Vanderwerf, repairs to buildings	58 33
H. D. Blackwood	38 98
H. A. Kingsley & Co., brooms	9 00
Smith, Perkins & Co., soda	15 96
J. R. Chamberlin, supplies	33 69
Delaware & Hudson Canal Co., coal	165 00
Citizens' Gas Co., gas bills	3 80
Marx & Young, repairs to wagons	6 75
A. V. Smith, harness soap	6 25
Phillip Ernst, repairs	15 70
Worswich Manufacturing Co., patent hames and collars	46 75
F. E. Handy, labor fire tel	24 00
Utica Fire Alarm Co., signal boxes	250 00
Charles Klee, damages to roof, &c.	5 00
Martin Barron, telegraph poles	60 50
C. F. Paine & Co., chemicals	10 55
	\$765 17

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

John Quin, inspecting Central ave. bridge	\$ 36 00
John Lutes, inspecting Mill st. sewer	34 50
George W. Hatch, inspecting North St. Paul st. improvement	30 00
Ferdinand Seifred, inspecting Sherman st. sewer	31 25
H. B. Frowe, inspecting Weger st. sewer	118 75
James Murray, inspecting Maria st. sewer	92 50
F. C. Lauer, labor and material, extra, N. St. Paul st. sewer	25 00
Street Department, labor and material, N. St. Paul st. sewer	25 00
Edward Weiler, springing new work, Hawthorn st. improvement	3 00
Street Department, stakes and expenses	
Pleasant st. sewer	2 98
Weger st. sewer	6 00
Hawthorn st. walk	2 36
Lyell bridge approaches improvement	7 89
Sherman st. sewer	5 43
Locust st. sewer	2 39
Maria st. sewer	4 46

Estimates.

Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate	
Weeger street sewer.....	\$1,089 83
F. C. Lauer, final estimate Locust st. sewer..	314 85
H. C. Weeater & Co., final estimate Genesee	
st. sewer.....	876 78
R. Y. McConnell, final estimate Pleasant street	
sewer.....	461 02
Rauber, Whitmore & Vicinus, final estimate	
Hawthorne st. flag walk.....	1,934 46
John Mauder, final estimate Sherman street	
sewer.....	795 00
Whitmore Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate	
Lvell avenue bridge.....	1,864 62
F. C. Lauer, final estimate Maria st. sewer....	816 20
Geo. H. Thompson & Co., partial estimate No.	
1 Central avenue bridge.....	3,060 00
A. C. Bowen, partial estimate No. 1, Manhat-	
tan st. improvement.....	2,4 0 00
R. Y. McConnell, partial estimate No. 1, Park	
avenue and Culver street sewer.....	500 00
William Fuller, partial estimate, No. 1, Good-	
man street sewer.....	900 00
	\$15,219 82

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board:

ROCHESTER, Sept. 4, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: After the adoption of the tax levy for the current fiscal year, your Board authorized the City Treasurer to make the city's note, when necessary, for \$48,000, for the purposes of water pipe extension the present year. Since that date extensions have been authorized by the Common Council and the Executive Board amounting to \$6,700, which last amount was directed to be drawn from the fund already provided for Water Pipe Extension.

As a result, the amount which has been anticipated up to this date and which must be raised in the tax levy next year for water pipe extension is \$55,300, and the cost of all extensions authorized during the balance of the current year will be an addition to the sum last named to be put in the tax levy of next year.

There are now on file in the Water Department petitions for water pipe extensions, not yet acted upon, the estimated cost of which are \$14,300.

The prayer of some of these petitions you will no doubt deem proper to grant, and the purpose of this communication is not to protest against further expenditures, but rather that the Common Council may act intelligently and with a full knowledge of the facts in the case. Respectfully submitted,

EXECUTIVE BOARD.
by THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ROCHESTER, Sept. 4, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—An ordinance has been passed by your Board for constructing a sewer in and for improving Meigs street from Broadway to Monroe avenue. The water pipe has not yet been extended in that portion of the said street from Monroe avenue to a point about 180 feet north of Pearl street. The property owners claim that this pipe should be extended in advance of the said improvement. We concur in this opinion and respectfully recommend the adoption of the annexed resolution in relation thereto.

Respectfully submitted,
EXECUTIVE BOARD.
By THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend a water main in Meigs street from Monroe avenue to a point about 180 feet northerly from Pearl street at an estimated expense of twelve hundred and eighty (\$1280) dollars, the cost of said extension to be paid from any moneys provided for the water pipe extension fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Herewith please find claim of the Rochester Gas Light Company for labor performed in tak-

ing up and relaying the gas main in Platt st., from corner of Platt and State to corner of Allen and Hill sts., made necessary by the construction of the Genesee Valley canal outlet sewer. The grounds of the complaint are fully set forth in the accompanying communication and as this Board has some doubt as to the legality of its auditing the same it is respectfully referred to your honorable body with the recommendation that it be referred to the Law Committee and the City Attorney.

By Order of the Executive Board.
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Referred to the Law Committee.

Office of the EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, Sept. 4, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—At a regular meeting of your honorable body held June 12th, 1883, the following resolution was adopted:

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Executive Board is hereby authorized to purchase two lots, one on the east side of the river and one on the west side thereof, at an expense not exceeding \$3,500 for each lot, for the purpose of erecting thereon two hose carriage houses for the use of the Fire Department of the city of Rochester; and also that the said board be authorized to have plans and specifications prepared, with estimates of cost, for the erection of two hose carriage houses in accordance with the recommendations of said board and report the same to the Common Council before entering into contract for the erection of said houses.

In accordance with the foregoing the Executive Board has purchased two lots, one on the east and one on the west side of the river for the sum of \$1,700 each, and has procured plans and specifications, with estimates of cost for the erection of two houses, the one on the east side of the river to accommodate a hose cart and one or more steamers, the other on the west side to accommodate a hose cart and hook and ladder truck. The estimate cost of the first is \$7,000, of the last \$9,000.

The Executive Board would respectfully recommend the passage of the accompanying resolution:

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Executive Board is hereby authorized to build two hose carriage houses in accordance with the plans and specifications exhibited at a cost not exceeding \$8,000 for the one on the east side of the river and \$10,000 for the one on the west side thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, Sept. 3, 1883.

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law:

1. Monthly Report, showing the expenditures by this Board, for all purposes, during the month of August, 1883.

2. Monthly Statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board, August 31, 1883.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures by the Executive Board for all purposes during the month ending Aug. 31, 1883:

Total Amount of Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.	
Executive Board orders, in payment for labor.....	\$7,245 44
Orders passed by Common Council, at meetings Aug. 7 and 21.....	43,902 16
Total.....	\$51,147 60

Classification.

Highway Fund.....	\$ 9,779 64
Water Pipe Fund.....	8,507 58
Water Works Fund.....	6,531 45
Fire Department Fund.....	5,941 79
Salary and Expense Fund.....	695 60
Sundry Local Improvements.....	15,947 14
sprinkling funds.....	3,745 00
Total.....	51,147 60

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in charge of the Executive Board on the 31st day of August, 1883, at the close of business:

Dr. Balances:	
Local improvement Funds.....	166,756 30
Street sprinkling funds.....	13,511 60
Sidewalk Repair Funds.....	2,009 95
Total.....	\$182,277 85
Cr. Balances:	
City Treasurer.....	\$31,817 70
Highway Fund.....	12,365 52
Water Pipe Fund.....	42,061 70
Water Works Fund.....	36,046 09
Water Works Fund (special).....	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.....	51,883 96
Salary and Expense Fund.....	5,697 41
Total.....	\$182,277 85

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the City Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, Sept. 4, 1883

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds on the 4th day of September, 1883, as required by section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund.....	\$12,555 24
Repair.....	3,611 64
Contingent Fund.....	32,149 09
Teachers'.....	86,704 45
Fire Department Fund.....	53,670 38
Poor Department Fund.....	51,418 75
Contingent Fund.....	41,391 47
Highway Fund.....	17,785 59
Lamp Fund.....	11,440 96
Health Fund.....	44,471 46
City Property Fund.....	7,618 14
Park Fund.....	1,786 77
Water Works Fund.....	1,022 33
Water Pipe Fund.....	13,346 46
Salary and Expense Fund.....	42,800 62
	5,697 99

A. C. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of August, 1883.

EDWARD THOMAS,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Excise Commissioners—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing Aug. 1st, 1883, and ending Aug. 31st, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispense of strong and spirituous liquors, ale, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz:

Aug. 6, 1883:	
Cain, Bartholomew; 341 State st.....	\$50 00
Cummings, Michael; 10 Platt st.....	57 50
Cook, J. George; 56 Allen st.....	50 00
Dunn, James; Lime and Orchard sts.....	50 00
Jero, Mattie; 20 N Water st.....	50 00
Zuber, John; 115 Mill st.....	50 00
Schwing, Wm; Orange and Whitney sts.....	59 00
Ward, Caroline; 122 Adams st.....	50 00
Weinhard, John; 173 N Clinton st.....	56 00
Brayer, John C; 70 Water st.....	50 00
Riley, Mary J; 52 Allen st.....	50 00
Kenning, Charles B; 112 East av.....	50 00
Morthorst, Henry; 11 Bay st.....	50 00
Altman, Wm; 103 Hud-on st.....	50 00
Schlaffer, Valentine; 10 Exchange place.....	30 00
Clements, Caroline; 72 Exchange st.....	34 00
Courneen, James K; 36 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Aug. 13:	
Kiem, George; 167 E Main st.....	50 00
Forest, Fred T; 137 E main st.....	50 00
Knape, Anthony; 130 Oak st.....	30 00
Luscher, Samuel; 34 Pinnacle av.....	50 00
Campbell, Sarah; 79 West av.....	24 00
Kruger, Wm; 18 N Water st.....	50 00
McMannus, Edward; 96 East av.....	20 00
Downey, Thomas; 57 Jay st.....	50 00
Spindler, Phillip H; 7 North av.....	50 00

Bergman, Philip; 150 W Main st.....	60 00
Shorer, Basil; 5 Hudson st.....	58 00
Kehrig, Frank; 30 E. Main st.....	51 00
Callaban, Ro-ella; 48 Ford st.....	20 00
Andrews, Anthony E; 77 Bardett st.....	56 00
Spang, Peter; 24 Wilder st.....	60 00
Grover, C. M.; 114 W Main st.....	54 00
Buchan, C J & Co; 41 1/2 N Clinton st.....	50 00
Martens, 107 North av.....	58 00
Schnorr, Jacob; 1 Baden st.....	53 00
Fee Bros; 15: 17 and 19 N Water st.....	35 00
Ross & Eckler; 235 E Main st.....	30 00
Bennett, Aaron; Buell av.....	40 00
Holley, Harriet; 130 W Main st.....	50 00
Waber, Albert; 30 Francis st.....	50 00
Haungs, Augustus; 5 1/2 Wilder st.....	30 00
Connaught, Peter; 5 Hunter st.....	50 00
Sullivan, Eugene O; Monroe av.....	54 00
Wolf, Joseph A; 45 Andrews st.....	55 00
Welle, Wm; 8 S Clinton st.....	30 00
Reid, James; 38 1/2 Jay st.....	30 00
Kase, EG; 27 Plymouth av.....	50 00
Hulbert, Osmer; 1/2 Front st.....	51 00
Potter, Nelson R; 9 Center st.....	50 00
Hanton & McCabe; 96 Front st.....	50 00
Grivet, Marie; 150 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Garrison, Daniel F; 173 E. Main st.....	30 00
Blair, George; 111 S. Mill st.....	52 00
Rosser, Ferdinand; Brown and Francis st.....	50 00
Cowway, John; 514 State st.....	50 00
Aug. 27:	
Golden, Samuel; 77 Front st.....	50 00
Hub, Adam; 8 Lowell st.....	50 00
Stahl, Martin H; 45 South av.....	62 50
Bornkesel, John C; 100 Sctlo st.....	50 00
McDonald, Cornelius; 2 Lake av.....	30 00
Shellhorn, Louis; 163 Jay st.....	50 00
Stuvehauser, Catherine; 35 E Main st.....	50 00
Ptromme, John H; 99 Front st.....	60 00
Zimmerman, Catherine; 38 Colvin st.....	30 00
McGuire, Wm E; 8 Central av.....	50 00
Wes, Margaret; 143 1/2 Jay st.....	50 00
McCluskey, Thos; Lake av.....	60 00
Dempsey, John; 316 State st.....	30 00
Eggert, John; Henry and Vose st.....	50 00
Normie; Jas; 170 State st.....	54 00
Otto; Joseph A; 1: 6 N St Paul st.....	58 00
Walters; Louis M; 132 South av.....	56 00

Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer.....\$3,702 00
Dated Aug. 31, 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
COUNTY OF MONROE, } ss.
City of Rochester.

The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of Aug., 1883

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of Aug., 1883.

MAURICE MOYNAHAN,
Commissioner of Deeds,
in and for the City of Rochester.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Overseer of the Poor—

OFFICE OF THE OVERSEER OF THE POOR,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 4, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the Poor of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report that during the month of August he has relieved 334 families in the following manner:

Orders on Poor Store.....	\$1,323 50
Coal yard.....	113 93
Undertakers.....	44 56

.. for transportation.....	11 71
.. shoes.....	5 40
Total.....	\$ 1,499 04
Less amount charged to towns.....	28 45

Total to city.....\$1,470 59

All of which is respectfully submitted.

N. THOMPSON, Overseer of the Poor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 8, 1883. }
To the Honorable the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: I hereby report that the City Assessors have delivered to me the assessment roll for extending Ward and Hambarz streets,

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the next regular meeting of the Common Council, Tuesday evening, Sept. 18th, 1883, be and hereby is assigned as the time when any complaints or appeals from the assessment for the "extension of Ward and Hambarz streets" will be heard. Adopted.

The city clerk reported that the following assessment rolls had been delivered as provided by the city charter:

Extending East Main street sewer.

Court and William street outlet sewer.

Eagle street improvement.

Langham street plank walk.

Allegations being called for and no person appearing, the above named assessment rolls were confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

From the commissioners in the matter of opening a street from Campbell to Maple st.—To the Hon. the Common Council of the city of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, who were appointed by order of the County Court of Monroe county, duly granted and entered upon the 18th day of June, 1883, commissioners to inquire into and determine to what damages and compensation the owners and occupants of the lands to be taken for the opening of a street from Campbell street to Maple street in the city of Rochester will be entitled, do respectfully report and certify their award as incident to the opening of said street as follows:

The several pieces and parcels of land required for said improvement are described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of lot No. 93, as laid down on a map of the German tract, made by Silas Cornell, and recorded in Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 2 of maps, at page 33; thence northerly along the east line of said lot No. 93 four hundred and twelve and five-tenths (412.65) feet to the north line of said lot No. 93; thence westerly along the north line of said lot No. 93 twenty (20) feet; thence southerly on a line parallel with the east line of said lot No. 93 and twenty (20) feet distant westerly therefrom, four hundred and twelve and five-tenths (412.65) feet to the north line of Maple street; thence easterly along the north line of Maple street twenty (20) feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Julia Parsons of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by the Mechanics' Savings Bank of Rochester, to secure the payment of eight hundred (\$800) dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid.

Also; all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 92, as laid down on the map above referred to; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 92, four hundred and five and five-tenths (412.5) feet to the north line of said lot No. 92; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 92, twenty (20) feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 92, and twenty (20) feet distant easterly therefrom, four hundred and twelve and five-tenths (412.5) feet to the north line of Maple st.; thence westerly along the north line of Maple st. twenty feet (20) to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Christopher Voelkl, Anna Zwack, Joseph Voelkl Catharine Zimmerman, Christian Voelkl, Rosa Ritzenthaler, Magdalena Spann and George Voelkl as heirs at law or Sigmund Voelkl, subject to the dower interest of Theresa Voelkl. Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the last above described premises, thence northerly on a line at right angles to the south line of lot No. 97, of the German Tract, forty one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence westerly on a line parallel with the south line of lot No. 97, and forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet distant northerly therefrom, forty (40) feet; thence southerly on a line at right angles to the south line of lot No. 97, forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence easterly along the south line of said lot No. 97, forty (40) feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Joseph Kiler and Catharine Kiler of Rochester, as joint tenants.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the last above described premises, thence northerly on a line at right angles to the north line of lot No. 97, of the German tract, forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence westerly along the north line of lot No. 97, forty (40) feet; thence southerly along a line at right angles to the north line of lot No. 97, forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence easterly along a line parallel with the north line of lot No. 97, and forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet distant southerly therefrom, forty (40) feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by John Kaes and Anna Margaret Kaes of Rochester as joint tenants, subject to a mortgage held by Charlotte Weed to secure the payment of five hundred (\$500) dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the last above described premises, thence northerly on a line at right angles to the north line of said lot No. 97, forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence westerly on a line parallel with, and forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet distant northerly from the north line of lot No. 97, forty (40) feet; thence southerly along a line at right angles to the north line of lot No. 97, forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 97, forty (40) feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Joseph Hoffman and Catharine Hoffman, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the last above described premises, thence northerly on a line at right angles to the north line of lot No. 93, of the German Tract, forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence westerly along the north line of lot No. 93, forty (40) feet; thence southerly along a line at right angles to the north line of said lot No. 93, forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence easterly along a line parallel with the north line of lot No. 93, and forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet distant southerly therefrom, forty (40) feet to the place of beginning.

Barbara Kremer of Rochester owns an undivided two-fifths interest in these premises, the remaining three-fifths interest is owned by the heirs at law of Michael Groschbach deceased, whose names have not been ascertained by your commissioners. There is a mortgage on these premises held by the Teutonia Saving, Aid and Loan Association of Rochester, to secure the payment of five hundred (\$500) dollars. Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the last described premises, thence northerly on a line at right angles to the north line of lot No. 93, forty one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the north line of lot No. 93, and forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet distant northerly therefrom, forty (40) feet; thence southerly on a line at right angles with the north line of lot No. 93, forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 93, forty (40) feet to the place of beginning. These premises are owned by Joseph Huff of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the last above described premises, thence northerly on a line at right angles with the north line of lot No. 99 of the German tract, eighty-two and five-tenths (82.5) feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the north line of lot No. 99, and forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet distant northerly therefrom, forty (40) feet; thence southerly along a line at right angles with the north line of lot No. 99, eighty-two and five-tenths (82.5) feet; thence easterly along a line parallel with the north line of lot No. 99, and forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet distant southerly therefrom forty (40) feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by John Spitz, Barbara Paul, Peter Spitz, Mary Cook, Jacob Spitz, Louis Spitz and Nicolas Spitz as tenants in common, subject to a life estate in the premises belonging to Catharine Spitz.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the last above described premises; thence northerly on a line at right angles to the south line of Campbell st. forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet to the south line of Campbell st., thence westerly along the south line of Campbell st. forty (40) feet; thence southerly along a line at right angles to the south line of Campbell st. forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet; thence easterly along a line parallel with the south line of Campbell st. and forty-one and twenty-five one hundredths (41.25) feet southerly therefrom, forty (40) feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Margaret Barstendarff and Kate Barstendarff, subject to the dower interest of Margaret Neher.

Therefore we, the subscribers, the commissioners, having been duly sworn as required by the statute in such case made and provided, and having all met and acted on the matter submitted to us as the City Attorney's office in the City Hall Building, Rochester, N. Y., pursuant to a notice of at least ten days published and given according to law, and having taken a view of every part of the premises affected by this proceeding, and having inquired into and heard the allegations and proofs of the respective parties in interest, do determine and appraise the damage which the several owners and occupants of the lands and premises thus to be taken for the opening of said street will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, and do award the full amount of such damage and fix the compensation which each of the aforesaid owners and occupants shall receive therefor as follows:

To Julia Parsons, three hundred dollars, payable to the Mechanics' Savings Bank, mortgagee.

To Christopher Voelkl, Anna Zwack, Joseph Voelkl, Catharine Zimmerman, Rosa Ritzenbaur, Magdalena Spahn, George Voelkl and Theresa Voelkl three hundred and seventy-five dollars, to be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank to the credit of said last mentioned parties, subject to the order of the court.

To Joseph Klier and Catharine Klier twenty dollars, payable to Joseph Klier and Catharine Klier.

To John Kaes and Anna Margaret Kaes twenty dollars, payable to Charlotte Weed, mortgagee.

To Joseph Hoffman and Catharine Hoffman twenty dollars, payable to Joseph and Catharine Hoffman.

To Barbara Kremer and the unknown heirs at law of Michael Grossbach, deceased, twenty dollars, to be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank of Rochester to the credit of the last above named parties, subject to the order of the Court.

To Joseph Ruff, twenty dollars, payable to Joseph Ruff.

To John Spitz, Barbara Paul, Peter Spitz, Mary Cook, Jacob Spitz, Louis Spitz, Nicholas Spitz and Catharine Spitz, forty dollars, to be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank of Rochester to the credit of the last above named parties, subject to the order of the court.

To Margaret Barstendarff, Kate Barstendarff and Margaret Neher, eighty dollars, to be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank of Rochester to the credit of the last above named parties, subject to the order of the court.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
GEO. H. HUMPHREY,
ADAM MAY,
WM. CROWNER,
Commissioners.

Dated Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 3, 1883.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the City Attorney—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 4, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GETLEMEN—I herewith submit form of a contract to be entered into between the city of Rochester and Dyer D. S. Brown, with reference to the land for the proposed public park.

Respectfully submitted.

J. N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

FORM OF AGREEMENT.

Agreement made this — day of —, 1883, by and between Dyer D. S. Brown, of Scottsville, of the County of Monroe and State of New York, of the first part, and the City of Rochester, a municipal corporation, of the second part, witnesseth:

In consideration of the covenants and agreements hereinafter contained by the party of the second part the party of the first part hereby agrees to convey to the said party of the second part, thirty acres of land situate in the town of Gates, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows:

Being thirty acres off the north part of the east half of lot No. 35 of the Twenty Thousand Acre Tract, in township No. 1, short range of townships west of the Genesee river. Said premises being bounded on the east by Linden Lane; on the north by the north line of said lot No. 35; on the west by lands owned by Ran-

son Miller; on the south by a line parallel with the north line of said lot No. 35, and far enough distant therefrom to include within said boundary lines thirty acres of land.

Also another piece or parcel of land extending from the thirty acres of land above described southerly in a straight line through the east part of lot No. 37, owned by the party of the first part to West Avenue; said strip of land to be not less than one hundred feet in width and not more than one hundred and twenty feet in width; the location and exact width of said strip to be determined by the party of the first and second parts.

2. The conveyances of the said lands shall be made whenever the party of the second part have obtained the requisite legislation empowering the laying out of said thirty acres of land by the party of the second part as a public park and whenever the party of the second part shall have determined to lay out the said thirty acres of land as a public park; and if the requisite legislation is not obtained as aforesaid and the determination aforesaid to lay out the said land as a park is not made within two years from the date of this agreement then this agreement shall be void and of no effect.

3. In consideration of the foregoing the party of the second part hereby agrees that if the legislation aforesaid shall be obtained, and if the said party of the second part shall duly determine to enter upon said lands and lay out and improve the same as a public park, that it will receive from the party of the first part the conveyances aforesaid, and will forever maintain said lands as a public park, which public park the said out, which lands and other lands may be added thereto, shall be forever known as Lincoln Park.

4. The covenants and agreements herein contained on the part of the party of the first part shall bind the heirs, executors and administrators of said party of the first part.

In witness whereof, the parties aforesaid, the party of the second part by its Mayor, have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Ald. Kelly moved to receive, file and publish and that action be postponed two weeks.
Adopted.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

PIPE SEWER IN HENRIETTA AVENUE.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, that the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Henrietta avenue.
Adopted.

Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,184.
By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, that the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 13 inches in diameter, in Henrietta avenue, from a point 25 feet east of Goodman street, to the outlet sewer near the north end of Henrietta avenue; also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and man-holes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same as \$2,384, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, that the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Henrietta avenue, from a point 25 feet east of Goodman street, to the outlet sewer near the north end of Henrietta avenue.

And further, Resolved, that the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one-year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, September the 8th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.
Adopted.

STONE SEWER IN BAY STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, that the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a stone sewer in Bay street.
Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$563.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a stone sewer 2x2 feet in size, in Bay street, from the east end of the stone sewer, to a point 180 feet east of Rohr street. Also, the necessary surface sewers, for laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$563, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Bay street, from Hebard street to a point 130 feet east of Rohr street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1889, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, September, 18th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

WADSWORTH STREET PLANK WALK.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, that the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Wadsworth street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$570.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, that the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk four feet in width on each side of Wadsworth street, from Hudson street to North street except where good plank walk now exists at the proper grade.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$370, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Wadsworth street from Hudson street to North street, in front of which the proposed plank walk shall be constructed.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1889, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, Sept. 18th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON EAST SELLINGER STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on East Sellinger street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$119.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, that the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on the north side of East Sellinger street, from the east end thereof to St. Joseph street.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$119 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the north side of East Sellinger street, from the east end thereof to St. Joseph street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1889, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, September, 18th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to open and extend Frost avenue came up.

Ald. Foley moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a wrought iron bridge across the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad came up.

Ald. Foley moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,539.

IMPROVING NORTH ST. PAUL STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve North St. Paul street recently widened, north of Franklin street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of that portion of North St. Paul street, recently widened, north of Franklin street, by constructing a pavement of Medina stone, with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof, width of roadway between curb lines to be 33 feet. Also, the necessary flag walks, brick paving, grading and sodding.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$2,855, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of that portion of St. Paul street proposed to be improved, from Franklin street to Arwater street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount, within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll.—On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,540.

PIPE SEWER IN CAMBRIDGE STREET, BRIGHTON AVENUE AND NICHOLS PARK.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 9 inches in diameter in Cambridge st., from a point 172 feet south of Park ave. to the centre of Brighton ave.

Also a pipe sewer 9 inches in diameter in Brighton ave., from a point 180 feet east of Goodman st. to the centre of Cambridge st., and 12 inches in diameter from the centre of Cambridge st. to a point 10 feet east of the west line of Nichols park.

Also a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter on a line 10 feet east of the west line of Nichols park, from the centre of Brighton ave. to the Oxford st. sewer.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$2,291, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Cambridge st. from a point 172 feet south of Park ave. to Brighton ave.

Also one tier of lots on each side of Brighton ave. from a point 180 feet east of Goodman st. to Nichols park.

Also one tier of lots on the west side of Nichols park from Brighton ave. to Park ave.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the matur-

ity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Ald. Simmelink presented a remonstrance. The final ordinance was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,541.

JENNINGS STREET PLANK WALK.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Jennings street, from North avenue to Nichols street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on each side of Jennings street from North avenue to Nichols street, except where good plank walks now exist at the proper grade. Also the necessary cross-walks.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,300, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Jennings street in front of which the proposed plank walks shall be constructed.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a remonstrance. The final ordinance was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on Central park came up. Ald. Simmelink moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,542.

PLANK WALK ON FROST AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Frost ave. from Seward st. to Olean st.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on the north side of Frost avenue, from Seward street to Olean street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$323, which estimate is hereby approved, and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of Frost avenue from Seward street to Olean street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Accepted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Ald. Foley moved that property owners on Frost avenue be allowed sixty days to construct their own walks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Fulton street came up. Ald. Simmelink moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a sewer in Exchange street came up. Ald. Bronson

moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted. The final ordinance for the improvement of Central avenue came up.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That one-half of the expense of the improvement of Central avenue ought to be paid from the public treasury. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the ordinance for the improvement of Central avenue be so amended as to provide that one-half of the expense of said improvement shall be assessed to one tier of lots on the south side of said avenue from St. Paul street to State street and that one-half the expense be paid from the public treasury of the city of Rochester. Adopted.

The final ordinance to improve Mt. Hope avenue came up. Ald. Rice moved it be postponed four weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a sewer in Montrose, Frank and Bloss streets came up. Ald. Hinds presented a remonstrance and moved that the ordinance be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENTS.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 4, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the work authorized Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,263, for Genesee Valley Canal sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$38,389.29.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,263.

By Ald. Bronson—

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 27th day of December, 1881, enact an ordinance for an outlet sewer in the Genesee Valley Canal.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$88,389.29, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

All that portion of the First and Second wards described by and enclosed within the following boundaries, to wit: Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Platt street with the west line of State street; thence westerly along Platt street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Frank street, excepting the lot on the northwest corner of Platt and State streets; thence northerly along Frank street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Brown street, excepting the lots on the southeast and southwest corners of Brown and Frank streets; thence still northerly along Frank street excepting one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Jay street; thence westerly along Jay street, excepting one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to the center of the Erie canal; thence southerly along the center of the Erie canal to Ford street; thence northerly along Ford street, excepting one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Hunter alley; thence easterly along Hunter alley to the southerly line of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad property; thence easterly along the southerly line of said railroad property to Kent street; thence northerly along Kent street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Dean street; thence easterly along Dean street to Jones street; thence northerly along Jones street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Platt street; thence easterly along Platt street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Otsego street; thence southerly along Otsego street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Center street, excepting the lot on the northeast corner of Otsego and Center streets; thence northerly along Otsego street, and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Platt street, excepting the lot on the northeast corner of Otsego and Center streets; thence easterly along Platt street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to State street, excepting the lot on the southwest corner of Platt and State streets; thence northerly along State street to the place of beginning.

Also all that portion of the Third Ward described by and enclosed within the following boundary lines, to wit: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of the Genesee Valley canal with the center line of the Erie canal; thence southerly along the center line of the Genesee Valley canal to the south line of the Third Ward; thence easterly along the south line of the Third Ward to the Genesee river; thence northerly along the Genesee river to Clarissa street; thence westerly along Clarissa street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Greig street, including also the lot on the northwest corner of Greig and Clarissa street; thence southerly along Greig street excepting the remaining lots on the west side thereof to Plymouth avenue; thence northerly along Plymouth avenue and through Plymouth park to Edinburg street; thence still northerly along Plymouth avenue, excepting one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Adams street; thence westerly along Adams street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof, except the lot on the northwest corner of Adams street and Plymouth avenue to Caledonia avenue; thence northerly along Caledonia avenue and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Atkinson street; thence easterly along Atkinson street, and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to the alley opposite Eagle street; thence northerly along Eagle street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Troup street; thence northerly through Livingston Park to Spring street; thence easterly along Spring street to West alley; thence northerly along West alley to the center of the Erie canal; thence westerly and northerly along the center of the Erie canal to the place of beginning.

Also all that portion of the Eighth and Eleventh wards described by and enclosed within the following boundary lines, to wit: Beginning at the intersection of the south line of Jay street with the center line of the Erie canal; thence westerly along Jay street excepting one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Magne street; thence southerly along Magne street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof, excepting the lot opposite the end of Jay street, to Orange street; thence westerly along Orange street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Grape street; thence southerly along Grape street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Campbell street; thence still southerly along Grape street to Wilder street; thence southeasterly along Wilder street and including one tier of lots on the southwesterly side thereof to Brown street; thence southwesterly along Brown street and including one tier of lots on the northwesterly side thereof to West avenue; thence southerly across West avenue and along Genesee street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Hunter street; thence easterly along Hunter street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Sumner street, as proposed to be extended; thence southerly along the west side of the proposed Sumner street, and including one tier of lots on the west thereof to the south line of Champlain street as proposed to be extended; thence easterly along the proposed Champlain street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to the alley running north and south about midway between Genesee street and Francis street; thence southerly along said alley and in the line of said alley continued and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Strong street; also the lot on the southwest corner of said alley as continued and Strong street; thence easterly along Strong street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Francis street; thence southerly along Francis street and including one tier of lots on the west thereof to Seward street, excepting the lot on the northwest corner of Seward and Francis street; thence northerly along Francis street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Magnolia street, excepting the lot on the northeast corner of Seward and Francis street; thence easterly along Magnolia street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Cottage street; thence easterly in the extension of the north line of Magnolia street, to the Genesee river; thence northerly along the Genesee river to the south line of the Third Ward; thence westerly along the south line of the Third Ward to the center line of the Genesee Valley canal; thence northerly along the center line of the Genesee Valley canal to the center line of the Erie canal; thence northerly along the center line of the Erie canal to the place of beginning.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$38,389.29 being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gordon, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed

to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 8th day of September, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

"By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening and extension of Hay ward park be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held on the fourth day of September, 1883, at six o'clock, p. m. Adopted."

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, the commissioners' report was confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

The following came up:

"By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That Mumford street, from State street to Andrews street, be hereafter known as Andrews street, and that the City Clerk be requested to make necessary changes in the records of streets filed in his office.

On motion Ald. Barron tabled until the next regular meeting."

Ald. Collins presented a remonstrance.

"Ald. Barron moved to an end that Andrews street be changed to Mumford street and that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted."

Ald. Archer moved as a substitute for the whole that Mumford and Andrews streets from State street to North avenue be named Andrews street.

Ald. Foley moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint inspectors of election for the second district of the third ward. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated Francis A. Madden.

Francis A. Madden was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Francis A. Madden was declared appointed inspector of election of the second district of the third ward.

Ald. Bronson nominated Phillip McConnell.

Phillip McConnell was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Phillip McConnell was declared appointed inspector of elections for the 2d district of the 3d ward.

Ald. Strouss moved to proceed to appoint an inspector of elections for the 6th ward. Adopted.

Ald. Strouss nominated Wm. H. Scanlin.

Wm. H. Scanlin was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Wm. H. Scanlin was declared appointed inspector of election for the 6th ward.

Ald. Foley moved to proceed to appoint commissioners of deeds and the clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Wm. H. Sullivan, 8th ward, having received the concurrent vote of the common council, was declared appointed commissioner of deeds.

Ald. Aikenhead moved to proceed to appoint a police commissioner. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated Wm. Mudgett.

Ald. Pitkin nominated Jacob Howe, jr.

FIRST VOTE.

Wm. Mudgett was named by Ald. Bronson Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

No choice.

Ald. Bronson moved that the appointment of police commissioner be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized to extend a water main in Irondequoit street from North avenue to end of Irondequoit st., at an estimated cost of five hundred (\$500) dollars, a majority petition having been presented therefor, and to pay the cost of the same out of any monies provided for the Water Pipe Extension fund. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend a water main in Jay street from Ames street 225 feet west, at an estimated cost of five hundred and twenty-six (\$526) dollars, a majority petition having been presented therefor, and to pay the cost of same from any monies provided for the Water Pipe Extension fund. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, No agreement for the purchase of the lands necessary to be taken for the purpose of opening and extension of Sykes street from Colvin street to Ames street, can be made.

Resolved, That the City Surveyor be and he hereby is directed to make and file in the office of the City Clerk a copy of the ordinance for the opening and extension of said street, adopted on the 17th day of April, 1883, together with a map of said street showing on such map the lots, tracts and parcels of land which are deemed necessary to be taken, and the commencement, course and termination of said street proposed to be opened and extended in accordance with section 164 of the Revised city charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he hereby is directed to publish a notice specifying and describing the lands necessary to be taken for the purpose of opening and extending Sykes street from Colvin street to Ames street, and to take such further action as may be necessary, with reference thereto in accordance with section 175 of the revised city charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening of a street from Campbell street to Maple street, be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council to be held on the 18th day of Sept., 1883, at 6 o'clock p. m. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the city clerk draw orders on the city treasurer as follows:

In favor of George H. Humphrey, chairman of the commission, for \$120, in full for fees of Commissioners Humphrey, May and Crowner in the matter of opening a street from Campbell street to Maple street, including clerk hire.

And in favor of G. F. Slocum for \$45, in full for searches made to the title to the property to be taken for the opening of said street and disbursements; and that the treasurer charge and carry said aggregate sum of \$165 to the fund for the opening of a street from Campbell street to Maple street, when created, as a part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is directed to make the city's note for six hundred and thirty-three and 58-100 dollars (\$633.58) and procure the same to be discounted under the direction of the Finance Committee, said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance committee, and discount to be charged to the Contingent Fund, and that the Treasurer place the proceeds of said note to the credit of the fund for the repayment of the erroneous assessments for Channing street sewer as per resolution of the Common Council adopted August 7th, 1883.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the Municipal Gas Light Company be requested to light Pryor, Kelly, Hanover and Rhine streets where their mains are laid at, the price paid for other street lamps, said lamps to be located by the Lamp Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of James Casey, John Cappon, Geo. Fladd, Nicholas Lang and Mary A. Wheeler for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the wood building committee and fire marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for gas lamps in Orange street. Referred to the lamp committee.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for water in Eddie and Wilkin streets. Referred to the water works committee and Executive board.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, that the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend a water main in Plymouth avenue from Magnolia street to Francis street at an estimated expense of three thousand two hundred dollars, and in Violetta street from Plymouth avenue to Mansion street at an estimated cost of six hundred and thirty dollars, and in Flint street from Francis street to eight hundred (800) feet west at an estimated cost of one thousand, two hundred and sixty (1,260) dollars and pay for the cost of said extensions from any moneys provided for the water pipe extension fund. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the city treasurer be authorized to receive of Louis Herbst the amount of all past due taxes as appears on the sales register, with interest at 7

per cent. on lot 32, Walnut street, 11th ward, assessed to Walter Williamson and cancel said taxes. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The brick building known as No. 34 Mumford street has been gradually becoming unsafe, and liable to fall down and injure persons and property. I therefore recommend that the building be ordered taken down. WILLIAM CARROLL, Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Foley—Whereas, The Fire Marshal reports brick building No. 34 Mumford street unsafe and liable to fall down; therefore, Resolved, That the fire marshal notify the owner, agent or occupant to take down the same within ten days after a certified copy of this resolution shall be served on said owner, agent or occupant, and if said owner, agent or occupant fail to take down the same, then the Fire Marshal is hereby directed to take down the same and report the expense to the common council, to be assessed on the land on which it stood, as provided for in section 277 of the Revised City Charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Citizens' Gas Light Company be requested to lay gas mains in Meigs street, from Monroe avenue to Broadway. Adopted.

By Ald. Strouss—Whereas, Francis N. Skuse has opened a private way on his premises in the sixth ward just north of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. company's property and extending from Hudson street easterly about three hundred lineal feet, and has erected a considerable number of dwellings thereon; therefore,

Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby directed to extend a four-inch cast iron pipe in said Skuse street, at an estimated cost of three hundred dollars (\$300), and pay the cost of same out of any monies appropriated for water pipe extension, provided said Francis N. Skuse shall first execute such a legal instrument to the city as will give said city a right at all times to enter on said street, to lay, extend, take up and tap said pipe, and shut off and turn on water, and to perform any and every act which it may deem necessary in the operation of said pipe as a part of the water works system of the city of Rochester. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be and are hereby instructed to cause such lamps or lights (as in their judgment may be deemed best) to be placed on St. Michael street, between North Clinton and North St. Paul streets. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the thanks of the Common Council are hereby tendered to Hon. James Geddes, General Manager of the New York State Agricultural Society, for courtesies extended by him to members of this Board in connection with the Fair soon to be held in this city. Adopted unanimously.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend a water main in West alley from Spring to Troun street, at an estimated cost of five hundred and eighty (580) dollars, and to pay the cost of same from any moneys provided for the water-pipe extension fund. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive \$3.20 for Brown street lift bridge approaches assessment, ordinance No 2250, on lots 73, 75,

76 and 77, Frankfort tract, east side State street, assessed to Julia Whitney, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive \$51.66 less discount, for Brown street lift bridge assessment, Ordinance No. 2,159, on lots 73, 75, 76 and 77 Frankfort Tract, east side of State street, assessed to Julia Whitney, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive \$26.95 for General City Tax, for 1883, on lot 11 Ryan & Demboev's Sub'n, northeast part of Nursery lot, assessed to Peter Wilson, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby directed to cancel the assessment for Brown street lift bridge, ordinance No. 2159, and Brown street lift bridge approaches, ordinance No. 2250 on lot No. 3 south side of Butler street, Magne tract, and lots No. 41 and 41 Frankfort tract, east side of canal, in the Second ward, assessed to Hrs. Geo J. Whitney, and charge erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of Ransom H. Miller for the sum of twenty-six dollars and fifty-nine cents (\$26.59), being for erroneous assessment for opening and extending Tracy park (ordinance 2,111), on lot No. 14 and the west part of lot No. 13 of M. Codding's sub-division of lot No. 6 of Silas O Smith's sub-division on part of home lot on the north side of Tracy park in the Seventh ward, payable from Contingent Fund, and charge erroneous assessments.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Nays—Ald. Foley—1.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD,
City Clerk.

In Common Council, Sept. 18, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. M. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Pitkin—1.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, September 4th were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

John C. Moore, blanks-binding, &c.....	\$ 34 12
Union and Advertiser Company, printing manuals, &c.....	195 00
Union and Advertiser Company, Surveyor's office.....	26 50
Union and Advertiser Company, Treasurer's office.....	240 50
E. D. Smith, Jr., stenographer's services.....	60 00
Schmidt & Kaerber, rep. for Surveyor.....	8 86
John Hannan, hack hire.....	4 50

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petitions of H. D. Blackwood and S. W. Stratton for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented the petitions of A. D. Wilbur and John Daniby for permission to erect wood buildings. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of M. Heavey for relief for damages to a team of horses by falling into a sewer on Catharine street.

Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

J. W. Maser, lighting oil lamps, month of Sept.	\$ 855 00
Citizens' Gas Co., lighting gas lamps, month of Sept.	2,907 00
Citizens' Gas Co., setting posts.	4 06

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Hiram L. Barker for permission to erect a barn on Monroe avenue, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of G. Fort Secum for sixteen (\$16) dollars in payment for his services and disbursements in serving notices on the owners, occupants and tenants of property to be taken for the opening of a street from Seward street to Reynolds street, payable from the contingent fund, and that the treasurer charge and carry said sum of sixteen (\$16) dollars to the fund for the opening of said street, when said fund shall be created, as part of the cost and expenses of said improvement.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of Hugh Hamilton for permission to erect a barn on Lake avenue, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

L. A. Schlitzer, rent.	\$16 00
Benj. Haag, rent.	48 75
Curran Bros., meat.	25 00
Joseph Minges, ..	25 00
P. Kleinbans, ..	25 00
M. Gannon, groceries.	27 50
C. T. Marks, ..	27 50
Fleckenstein Bros., bread.	159 72
P. Joyce, burials.	49 00
Gerling Bros., flour.	265 00
J. A. Davis, tax list for Excise Board.	25 00

Referred to the Poor Committee for payment.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

Union and Advertiser Co., printing.	\$13 00
J. R. Chamberlin, hose &c.	17 25

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Rice—bills of

J. W. Maser, collecting garbage.	\$228 00
P. Bradley, ..	228 00
D. Hickey, ..	228 00
J. Rauber, ..	114 00
H. F. Van Dake, superintendent col. garbage	84 00
Union and Advertiser Co., printing.	79 50
Howe & Rogers, carpets.	31 50
M. Heavey, board of horse.	20 00
Marx & Young, repairs.	11 50

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Geo. Enner for relief for damages alleged to have been received from a fall on a defective sidewalk on Sherman street. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of Hinda Rosenberg for permission to erect a wood building on Chatham street. Permission was granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Southard presented a petition to open and extend Maria street. Referred to the city surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

By Ald. Kelly—bill of

C. G. Davis, labor and material.	\$ 20 00
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Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of W. A. Williamson for permission to erect a wood building on West avenue. Permission was granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal and the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for sewers in University avenue and Harvard street. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Also, a petition for a plank walk on Cambridge street. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of St. John's chapel trustees. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee; Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp Committee; Ald. Felsing, from the Poor Committee; Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee, reported favorably on the bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Assessment Committee, to which was referred the communication of G. W. Knauff, trustee, asking that an assessment against him for personal property amounting to 69 and 12-100 dollars, be cancelled as erroneous, respectfully report:

It appears that said claimant was not at the time the assessment was levied, a resident of the State of New York, but was, and for more than a year last past has been a resident of the State of Connecticut. It also appears that the beneficiaries under his trust are, and were at the time of the confirmation of the assessment roll, non-residents of this state. Under the provisions of the Revised Statutes, upon the foregoing facts, this assessment should be remitted, and your committee submits herewith the accompanying resolution.

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,

Assessment committee.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to cancel assessment against C. W. Knauff, trustee, for 69 and 12-100 dollars, for general city tax of 1885, and charge erroneous assessments.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

The Assessment Committee, to whom was referred the petition of the Rochester Savings Bank relating to unpaid taxes upon the south part of lot No. 24, and north part of lot No. 25, of the Johnson and Seymour tract, situated on St. Paul st. in the Fourth ward, hereby reports.

It appears from the records in the office of the Treasurer that the general city tax of 1864, amounting to \$10.50; general city tax of 1867, amounting to \$10.50; general city tax of 1880, amounting to \$24.00; sprinkling tax aggregating \$2.54, and assessment upon said

lots for the improvement of North St. Paul street, amounting at the time of the sale, with interest and costs to \$63, are unpaid. The owner of the property claims that the assessment for the North St. Paul st. improvement and the general city taxes of 1864 and 1867, are not collectable by reason of the fact that no redemption notices were served as provided by the city charter, but offers to pay the sum of \$600 in full of said taxes and assessments.

Your committee is of the opinion that it is for the interest of the city to receive said amount and cancel said taxes and assessments rather than take the hazard of the attempted enforcement of said taxes and therefore submit the accompanying resolution.

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. A. KENHEAD,
Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive from the Rochester Savings Bank owner of the south part of lot No. 24, and the north part of lot No. 25, of the Johnson and Seymour tract, Fourth ward, situated on St. Paul street, the sum of \$600, in full of sprinkling tax for 1882; general city tax for 1867; general city tax for 1864; general city tax for 1881, being for the improvement of North St. Paul street, with interest and expenses, and general city tax for 1880, and charge the balance of said taxes and assessments to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—
To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the petition of Levi Hot, respectfully reports:

The said petitioner alleges that on or about the 26th day of May last he was towing the canal boat H. S. Barbour, owned by him, eastward on the Erie canal through this city, and that, while crossing Allen street, owing to the negligence and carelessness of the bridge-tender, his boat came in contact with the bridge and was thereby injured.

It appears that the bridge-tender is an appointee of the State of New York, not of the City of Rochester. The municipality has no control over the bridge-tender, either as to his appointment or as to the manner in which he performs his duties.

By reason of the foregoing, your Committee is of the opinion that the city is not liable for any negligent act on the part of the bridge-tender. Independent of this, however, your Committee is satisfied that the claim should be rejected upon the merits, as the accident was an unavoidable one under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—
To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the petition of Edwin Taylor, respectfully reports:

It is alleged that in the year 1863 said Edwin Taylor became the owner of lot No. 34, on the west side of Litchfield street in the city of Rochester. From the year 1866 to the year 1872, both inclusive, said lot was erroneously assessed to William S. Thompson, and in 1869, 1870, 1871 and 1872 said lot was sold for non-payment of the taxes and struck off to Mrs. Catharine C. Seymour. The petitioner alleges that by reason of said erroneous assessment he was deprived of the possession of said lot, and he now asks compensation therefor.

Your honorable body has already directed the payment to said Edwin Taylor of the amount of said erroneous assessment, and the amount thereof has been received by him.

In the opinion of your committee this is as far as the city should go, and said petition is, therefore, reported upon adversely.

GEORGE W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—
To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee, to which was referred the claim of Sarah S. Woollara and Mary E. Briggs, asking for an apportionment of the General City Tax for 1883, upon parts of lots No. 53 and 59, on the east side of Fitzhugh street, respectfully reports:

A part of said lots has been taken by the United States Government for the purpose of a site for a government building. The deed therefor was executed some time prior to the confirmation of the Assessment Roll, but the consideration for the transfer was not paid, and possession of the property was not taken by the Government until after the confirmation of the Assessment Roll.

Your committee is, therefore, of the opinion that the General City Tax for 1883 is a lien upon the premises referred to, and, therefore, reports adversely upon this claim.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of

Rochester: GENTLEMEN—Your honorable body referred to this committee the petition of Ezra Lewis, guardian of Albert J. Riske, asking that \$400 be paid to him as damages by reason of the overflow of East avenue outlet sewer during the years 1880, 1881, 1882 and 1883.

There was also referred the petition of Frank Pond and Benjamin Wilson for compensation on account of the overflow of the Court and William street outlet sewer.

There was also referred the claims of Michael Klehammer, Catharine Streb, Frank Bartel John Doerr as executor, and John Streff, asking compensation on account of the overflow of North avenue outlet sewer. Your committee has examined into the facts relating to the claims of each of the above named parties. In view of the number of petitions presented, and the amount of damages claimed, it is thought advisable by your committee that the compensation, if any, to be paid to the various claimants should be determined by the courts, where the liability of the city, if any, and the actual damages can be determined with certainty.

Your committee, therefore, report adversely on all of the above claims.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Law Committee, to which was referred the petition of William T. Simpson, Collector of Customs, respectfully reports:

Said petition alleges that on the 17th day of March, 1883, the petitioner forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury at Washington, written propositions from several owners of land situated on the corner of Church and Fitzhugh streets, to sell such land to the United States Government as a site for a Government building; that Mary E. Briggs, owner of a part of said premises, executed and acknowledged a deed to the United States of such premises March 27, 1883. That on or about said date Belle S. Miller and Joseph Curtis and wife executed and acknowledged deeds of two other parcels of land to said government; that all of said deeds were thereafter delivered to Martin I. Townsend, United States District Attorney for the Northern District of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1883.

It appears from an investigation made by your committee, that, while alleged in the petition, the deeds were executed, acknowledged and delivered to the District Attorney aforesaid; that the consideration there expressed, was not paid by the government until after the confirmation of the assessment roll for 1883; and that possession was not taken by the government of said property, and the conveyances thereof consummated until after the confirmation of said assessment roll.

Your Committee, therefore, report adversely to the remission of any portion of the taxes assessed against said property.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Committee.

Adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 18, 1883.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.	
Union and Advertiser, printing proceedings to Oct. 1st.....	\$325 00
Post-Express Printing Co., printing proceedings to Oct. 1st.....	562 50
Rochester Printing Co., printing proceedings to Oct. 1st.....	562 50
Rochester Herald Publishing Co., publishing city notices to Oct. 1st.....	250 00

German Printing Co., publishing city notices to Oct. 1st.....	250 00
Rochester Volksblatt, publishing city notices to Oct. 1st.....	180 00
Wm. I. Hanford, serving notices.....	10 48
Williamson & Higbie, stationery.....	5 25
W. L. Buckland, livery.....	21 00
Chas. Abbey, carriage hire.....	3 00
H. S. Hanson.....	2 00
James R. Chamberlin, rubber bands.....	4 68
W. W. Irwin, blank books.....	6 00
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch Sept. 18th.....	15 00
City Clerk, disbursements.....	5 55

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

John McDonald, meat.....	\$ 37 00
Geo. Baker.....	100 00
Jos. Bathorn.....	25 00
Geo. Oppel, bread.....	21 24
Home of Industry, bread.....	50 92
A. Bell, groceries.....	15 50
L. J. Hall & Bro., groceries.....	5 00
L. J. Hall & Bro.....	15 50
Wm. Punch & Son, burials.....	12 00
S. Wheeler, rent.....	11 00
Lewis & Co., transportation.....	43 18

And charge that fund.

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Municipal Gas Co., lighting and care for August.....	\$ 47 92
Brush Electric Light Company, lighting and care for August.....	1,060 20
J. W. Maser, payable Oct. 1st, 1883 lighting for September.....	955 06

And charge that fund.

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Wm. Dickinson, Agt., coal.....	\$ 255 00
Municipal Gas Co., lighting for August.....	128 63
Smith, Perkins & Co., soap.....	4 00
J. B. Chamberlin, rubber gaskets.....	1 34
M. G. Servis, wire cord.....	3 50
Chas. Little, monthly cleaning, Sept.....	88 00
Goggin & Knowles, repairing roof of Front st. building.....	\$ 140 00

And charge that fund.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

J. W. Maser, collecting garbage to Sept. 15th.....	\$228 06
P. Bradley.....	228 00
Daniel Hickey.....	114 00
Jacob Rauber.....	84 00
H. F. Van Dake, sup't.....	79 50
Union and Advertiser Co., printing.....	31 50
Howe and Rogers, carpeting.....	20 00
M. H. Avey, board of horse.....	11 50

And charge that fund.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, OFFICES, CITY HALL, Sept. 17, 1883.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
 THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Street Department—Highway Fund

Bascom & Morgan, work for lift bridges.....	\$25 78
William Bassett, work Allen st. bridge.....	3 8 96
Fred G Traugott.....	172 05
Orto Weir, breaking McAdam stone.....	35 28
Michael Tobel.....	4 24
F C Lauer, McAdam stone.....	262 15
Horswell, Dunn & Nolan.....	110 25
Hill & French, fuel for steam roller.....	8 43
Geo B Harris, disbursements.....	13 80
J B Williams, oil, etc.....	40 40

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Sept. 13.....	\$141 48
.....	141 48
A H McNeal, cast iron pipe, Est No 2.....	\$282 96
Geo B Harris, transportation, pipe.....	1,756 96
Howe & Snyder, w i pipe and fittings.....	201 03
Street Department, labor and material.....	70 47
Geo B Harris, disbursements.....	6 17
James H Nellis, estimate No 3, Group 81.....	8 26
.....	400 00
.....	100 00
.....	81 00
.....	800 00
.....	300 00
.....	88 00
.....	266 56

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Sept. 13, operating expenses.....	\$492 43
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Weekly pay roll, Sept 13 service and repairs..... \$55 50—\$847 98

Weekly pay roll Sept. 20, op. expenses.....	\$492 43
ser, and repairs.....	348 00
Hamilton & Mathews, hardware, etc.....	12 76
Thomas J Nevill, disbursements.....	10 00
Geo B Harris.....	16 52
B F Harris, rent of stable.....	21 00
Geo E Miller, wood.....	24 00
S A Millington & Co., signs, etc.....	4 25
Hicks & McKenzie, horse shoeling.....	18 75
Walworth M manufacturing Company, tools.....	35 20
M H Conway, labor.....	36 00
Howe & Snyder wrought iron pipe and fittings.....	74 70
M L Delano, work at Pump House, estimate No. 3.....	50 00
M L Delano, work at Pump House, final estimate.....	252 29
A E Hartman, work at Distributing Reservoir.....	118 60
M Blosson, labor at Hemlock Lake.....	12 00
John Coyne, services conduit line.....	35 00
Pay roll, Sept. 3, labor conduit line.....	45 00
A V Smith, wagon cushions.....	3 00
J Nelson Tubbs, expenses.....	30 98
R D Wood & Co., strinking hydrants.....	6 73
J B Williams, oil, etc.....	6 73

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Monthly pay roll, payable Sep. 31.....	\$3,397 00
Active Hose Co., monthly appropriation.....	250 00
Alert..... quarterly.....	400 84
Protectives.....	400 00
Gaughn & Bassett, work at Actives' house.....	139 44
Geo. B. Hays, paid for hay.....	68 46
L. S. Gibson, washing for stations.....	21 40
L. S. Gibson, disbursement.....	9 47
Bell Telephone Co, special alarm telephone.....	25 00
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	13 26
Municipal Gas Co, gas bills.....	26 00
Cluzess.....	4 40
Warswick Mfg Co, balance on hames, etc.....	50 00
Peter Pitkin, work for fire tel.....	1 66
Schmidt & Kaebler, wire for fire tel.....	4 25
F. E. Handy, labor.....	24 00
Anthony Engert, ex'r, lot on N. Clinton st.....	1,760 00
Michel Hebery, horse hire, fire tel.....	24 50
T & G. Heberling, hay and straw.....	52 85

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holley, salary for Sept.....	\$ 208 83
S. B. Williams.....	2 8 33
Geo. W. Aldridge do.....	208 34

Sprinkling Streets—Special Funds.

J. W. Breakey—Estimates.

West ave: O 2433.....	\$ 118 00
East and West Main sts: O 2435.....	145 00

J. J. Willert—Estimates.

Goodman st: O 2429.....	\$ 63 00
East ave, sec 2: O 2431.....	105 00

A. W. Turnbull—Estimates.

Meigs st: O 2428.....	\$ 35 00
East av: Sec. 1: O 2439.....	105 00
Chestnut st: O 2437.....	39 00
South Union st: O 2439.....	32 00
Park av: O 2445.....	20 00
Rowley st: O 2446.....	20 00
Monroe av: O 2447.....	58 00—321 00

Sanford D. Pierce—Estimates.

Mt. Hope av: Sec. 2: O 2426.....	\$ 65 00
Prince st: O 2432.....	46 00
Exchange st: O 2434.....	77 00
East Main st: O 2436.....	12 00
Gibbs st: O 2431.....	13 00—321 00

John Duran—Estimates.

Clinton st, sec 1: O 2443.....	\$90 00
North ave, sec 1: O 2459.....	75 00
University ave, sec 1: O 2461.....	27 00
Seio st: O 2469.....	18 00
Clinton st, sec 2: O 2476.....	90 00
Atwater st: O 2477.....	47 00
Hudson st: O 2479.....	62 00
Elm st: O 2430.....	15 00
Andrews st: O 2483.....	42 00
Franklin park: O 2488.....	13 00
Clinton place: O 2489.....	30 00
Court st: O 2492.....	65 00
Franklin st: O 2493.....	19 00
N St Paul st: sec 2: O 2502.....	126 00
St. Joseph st: O 2512.....	90 00
Franklin st: O 2519.....	28 00

\$837 00

Geo. Bantel & Son—Estimates.

State street; O 2,427.....	\$116 00
S. St. Paul st and S. av; O 2435.....	80 00
South Fitzhugh st; O 2,440.....	50 00
Lake av; O 2441.....	170 00
Mill st; O 2442.....	62 00
South av, sec 1; (C to L) O 2444.....	23 00
South Washington st; O 2443.....	23 00
Plymouth av; O 2449.....	67 00
Allen st; O 2450.....	76 00
Troup st; O 2451.....	40 00
North Washington st; O 2452.....	24 00
Spring st; O 2453.....	49 00
Sophia st; O 2454.....	23 00
North Fitzhugh st; O 2455.....	27 00
North Water st; O 2456.....	50 00
Mt Hope av, sec 1; O 2457.....	70 00
Jones av; O 2460.....	70 00
South av; O 2473.....	27 00
Kent st; O 2482.....	45 00
Jay st; O 2487.....	4 00
Vincent place; O 2490.....	15 00
Tremont st; O 2491.....	80 00
Front st; O 2494.....	37 00
Jones st; O 2495.....	48 00
Ford st; O 2496.....	23 00
Howell st; O 2500.....	40 00
Fulton av; O 2500.....	47 00
Platt street; O 2509.....	20 00
Clarissa st; O 2516.....	20 00
Frank st; O 2521.....	20 00
	\$1,562 00

\$3,527 00

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

John Quin, inspecting masonry, Central ave. bridge.....	\$ 42 00
John Lutes, inspecting work, Mill st. sewer.....	36 00
George W. Haten, inspecting work, North St. Paul street improvement.....	30 00
Wm. L. Hanford, inspecting work, Meigs st. imp't.....	39 00
James Murray, inspecting work, Maria st. sewer.....	7 50
Valentine Heitz, inspecting work, Francis st. improvement.....	40 00
Daniel Gateens, inspecting work, Saxton st. sewer extension.....	12 50
Water works department, laying pipe.....	\$ 62 23
Water pipe extension, pipe and mate rial.....	169 44
William Bassett, labor and material.....	432 76
Fred. G. Traugott,	165 19
Lyle av. bridge approaches.....	859 62
Water Works Department, labor and material Mill st. sewer.....	1 84
Street Department, stakes and expenses Genesee Valley canal sewer.....	28 00
Street Department, stakes and expenses Bay st. sewer.....	8 71
Street Department, labor removing trees, &c., N. St. Paul st. improvement.....	16 75

Estimates.

N. L. Brayer, final estimate Bay st. stone sewer.....	1,331 10
A. C. Bowen, estimate No. 2, Manhattan st. improvement.....	1,200 00
R. Y. McConnell, estimate No. 2, Park avenue and Culver street sewer.....	300 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, estimate No. 2, N. St. Paul st. improvement.....	9,000 00
Geo. H. Thompson & Co., estimate No. 2, Central avenue bridge.....	12,000 00
	\$24,953 02

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Foley, Hinds, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Clerk: CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 13, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council.

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with Section 29 of the revised city charter, I hereby report the following named persons as having qualified and taken the oath of office:

- Wm. H. Sullivan, Commissioner of Decds.
- Geo. Rosenberg,
- Francis A. Madden, Inspector of Election,
- Phillip McConnell,
- Wm. H. Scanlin,

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 From the Board of Health—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 13, 1883.

IN BOARD OF HEALTH, SEPT. 17TH, 1883.

The Genesee Valley Canal was reported as being filled with stagnant water from Plymouth avenue to the first lock, and that the Vacuum Oil Company drained in. On motion it was declared a nuisance and referred to the Common Council, with recommendations for sanitary precaution. A sewer should be constructed.

A true copy of the minutes.
 FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.
 From the Police Clerk—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 1883.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, }
 Sept. 13, 1883. }

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of August, 1883:

1883.—August.	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
1—Geo Miller.....	drunk	\$10	
Mary Duffy.....	..	10	
Susan Morey.....	vio ord	25	
Jennie Williams.....	..	25	16
Frank Williams.....	..	19	10
Peter Stoppel.....	drunk	10	5
Geo Page.....	vio ord	10	
John Cook.....	drunk	10	10
Archibald Robinson.....	cruelty to animals	5	5
Geo E Thomas.....	..	cost	2
James Healey.....	petit larceny	cost	1
2—Park Slavin.....	drunk	10	
Patk Nixon.....	..	10	
John Monahan.....	..	10	15
Cath Murphy.....	..	10	
Mary Houser.....	..	10	
Patk Howard.....	..	10	7 75
Chas Galtcher.....	..	10	
3—Kate Kinsella.....	..	10	
Oscar Sorg.....	..	10	
John Mongnan.....	..	10	
Frank A. Flora.....	..	10	10
Ann Anderson.....	vio ord	15	
Antonette Verhoven.....	..	10	
Bridget Galtcher.....	drunk	10	
Patk McMahon.....	assault	10	10
Lincoln W. Perry.....	petit larceny	cost	1
4—David Alvord.....	drunk	10	
Mary Daley.....	..	10	
Emma Beaty.....	..	10	10
Geo Weidon.....	..	10	
Ed Poes.....	..	10	
5—Mary Hack.....	..	10	
James Moore.....	..	5	
Patk Griffin.....	..	10	7
Thomas Holleran.....	..	10	
August Miller.....	..	10	
Barbara Martin.....	..	10	
Charles Norton.....	..	10	10
James Doyle.....	..	10	
Kate Spears.....	..	10	10
Joseph Creggan.....	..	10	
Carl Pollis.....	..	10	10
Robt Carson.....	..	10	
John Sullivan.....	..	10	5
David Conley.....	..	10	10
John Malcoms.....	..	10	10
Toos Kelly.....	..	10	10
Toos Courtney.....	..	10	
Wm Leonard.....	..	10	
Jas McGinnis.....	..	10	5
John Brisbane.....	..	10	
Nelson McCotter.....	..	10	
7—Wm Johnson.....	..	10	3
Chas Bellingher.....	..	10	5
David Carroll.....	..	10	
Toos Gorman.....	..	10	
Frank Meyers.....	..	10	
8—Caleb Buck.....	..	10	5
John Hawkins.....	..	10	5
John T Logan.....	..	10	
John Young.....	..	10	
Toos Burke.....	assault	10	10
Alex Cook.....	drunk	10	10
Jacob Benner.....	..	10	
Allen Smith.....	..	10	
Albert Brown.....	..	10	
9—John Posey.....	..	10	
Mary Brown.....	..	10	
Geo Morgan.....	vio ord	2	
Toos W Roach.....	drunk	10	
10—John Kelly.....	..	10	
Frank B Shearer.....	..	10	10
Minnie Cullen.....	vio ord	15	10
Libbie Smith.....	..	15	10
Jennie Cline.....	..	15	10

Mary Horrigan.....	drunk	10	10
John Dillon.....	..	10	5
Jranks Capwell.....	..	10	1
Mich Downey.....	hotel fraud	cost	1
Fred Sharp.....	embezzl'm't	cost	10
12-Thos McCarly.....	drunk	10	5
James Connors.....	..	10	10
Carl Sonnonbush.....	..	10	10
Wm Gibbons.....	..	10	10
Honora Murphy.....	..	10	10
Mary Dwyer.....	..	10	10
John Barry.....	..	10	10
James Connors.....	..	10	10
Dani J Michaels.....	..	10	10
John Heffer.....	..	10	9
13-John Conlon.....	..	10	10
Dani Dwyer.....	..	10	10
Thos Moran.....	..	10	5
Carlo Gentile.....	..	10	5
Cesar Chialmos.....	..	10	10
Ed Smith.....	..	10	10
Joseph Williams.....	..	10	10
Morris Babcock.....	..	10	5
Geo DeGarmo.....	vio ord	2	2
Ed Calhoun.....	..	2	2
Albert Luckey.....	..	2	2
Ed Smith.....	..	2	2
John R Moore.....	assault	10	10
Mary F Sheridan.....	drunk	200	200
Blanche Remington.....	vio ord	250	250
Jennie Doty.....	..	250	250
Mary Hall.....	..	75	75
Bliza Thompson.....	..	100	100
Jennie Russell.....	..	200	200
Fannie Stevens.....	..	150	150
Hannah Schwartz.....	..	300	300
Matilda J Dean.....	..	25	25
Kittie Robinson.....	..	25	25
14-Rich B Peters.....	..	Cost	2
Wm Horn.....	assault	10	10
Mary DeMotts.....	..	10	1
John S Tilton.....	embezzling	Cost	10
15-Wm Holden.....	drunk	10	10
Robt Jones.....	vio. ord.	50	50
E Richball.....	..	50	50
Jay Eye See.....	..	50	50
John Stevens.....	..	50	50
Duply Dodge.....	..	50	50
John Williams.....	..	50	56
Joe Bowers.....	..	50	50
Geo Chapman.....	..	50	50
Warren Not.....	..	50	50
St Julien.....	..	50	50
16-John Houser.....	..	10	10
Mary A. DeForce.....	..	10	10
Geo Michaelson.....	..	10	10
Wm Friedler.....	..	10	10
17-Thos Crampton.....	..	10	5
John Quinn.....	..	10	10
Alber E Barker.....	embezzlement	Cost	1
Frank Brown.....	drunk	10	5
Mate Luke.....	assault	25	25
Thos Burke.....	..	20	20
Martin Dugan.....	drunk	10	10
Jeremiah Gavin.....	..	10	10
Patrick Nixon.....	assault	10	10
18-James Hannon.....	vio. ord.	10	10
Joseph King.....	..	15	15
Chas Gregg.....	drunk	10	5
John Higgins.....	..	10	5
Robt Espie.....	..	10	5
James Sherman.....	..	10	8
John Cotton.....	petit larceny	30	30
19-Julius Havens.....	drunk	10	10
Wildor Hunt.....	..	10	10
Frank Mulvey.....	..	19	10
Ed B McAdams.....	..	10	5
Michael Costello.....	..	10	10
James Collins.....	..	10	2
Thomas Waugh.....	..	10	10
Wm Stanton.....	..	10	10
Thomas Healey.....	..	10	10
Michael Hackett.....	..	10	10
James Farrell.....	..	10	10
Moses Delby.....	..	10	10
Benjamin Delby.....	..	10	10
Thomas B. Wait.....	petit larceny	Cost	1 75
John Hopwood.....	assault	5	5
Patrick Hayes.....	petit larceny	5	5
Thomas Burns.....	drunk	10	5
Honora Murphy.....	..	10	10
Thomas Purtilh.....	..	10	10
George Liberman.....	..	10	10
Kate Liberman.....	..	10	10
Wm O'Brien.....	..	10	5
Henry Ward.....	..	10	10
21-Thomas Fee.....	..	10	10
Charles McNamarra.....	..	10	10
Sarah Zimmerman.....	..	10	10
Mary Snyder.....	assault	50	50
Ed Jackson.....	drunk	10	10
Anna Walsh.....	..	10	10

Cath. Keefe.....	..	10	10
Charles Weltz.....	..	10	10
Henry Miller.....	..	10	10
Sarah Owens.....	..	10	10
James Norton.....	..	10	10
David Donovan.....	..	10	10
22-Richard Donovan.....	..	10	10
Thos Haley.....	..	10	10
Thos Burns.....	..	10	10
Margaret Murphy.....	..	10	10
Ernest Sloan.....	..	10	10
John Reardon.....	petit larceny	25	25
Walter Palmer.....	drunk	10	5
Thos Brown.....	..	10	10
Joseph Boss.....	assault	cost	1
23-Mich Finn.....	drunk	10	5
Park Donnelly.....	..	10	5
Ed Callaghan.....	..	cost	2
Timothy Daly.....	..	10	10
Ed E Perkins.....	..	10	10
24-Ed Jackson.....	petit larceny	cost	1
Albert Henry.....	..	10	10
James Mack.....	drunk	10	10
John Butler.....	..	10	10
Chas Smith.....	..	10	10
Anthony Smith.....	..	10	10
John Spring.....	..	10	10
25-John Firmingham.....	..	10	10
Philip Craig.....	..	10	10
Frank L Moore.....	..	10	10
James Brickan.....	..	10	10
27-Wm Byers.....	vio ord	10	10
Chas Kessl.....	drunk	10	10
Thos O'Neil.....	..	10	10
Thos A Shields.....	..	10	5
Chris Herman.....	..	10	10
John Gates.....	..	10	5
Mich Kenand.....	..	10	10
Mathew Hosea.....	..	10	5
Dora Smith.....	..	10	5
Peter Schaffer.....	..	10	5
Elizabeth Cassidy.....	..	10	10
John Boyle.....	..	10	10
Casper Rhinehardt.....	..	10	10
Leonard Brown.....	..	10	10
Park Hussey.....	..	10	10
Ulyses W Hutchinson.....	..	10	10
Joseph Hayes.....	petit larceny	cost	1
Fred Klemer.....	assault	cost	1
John Klemer.....	..	cost	1
28-Henry Goodman.....	drunk	10	10
Robt Toaz.....	..	10	10
Andrew McAllen.....	..	10	10
Felix McLaughlin.....	..	10	10
Thos Corrigan.....	..	10	10
Timothy Collins.....	..	10	10
John Strumpf.....	..	cost	2
John Doe.....	..	10	10
29-Patrick McDonough.....	..	10	10
Thos Williams.....	..	10	10
Thos Williams.....	vio ord	10	10
Geo Rimers.....	drunk	10	10
30-Wm Dizon.....	..	10	10
Benj Bennett.....	..	10	10
Geo Younger.....	assault	cost	1
Patrick McCormack.....	drunk	10	10
31-John Barkway.....	..	10	5
Henry Wyland.....	vio ord	cost	1
Fined by commission's	..	..	35

\$2,841 50

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester ss.

I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of August, 1888, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice and Police Commissioners of said city. B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk. Sworn to before me this 18th day of Sept. 1888.

A. G. WHEELER, Police Justice and Commissioner of Deeds.
Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

PIPE SEWER IN HARVARD STREET.

By Aid. Simmelink-Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Harvard st.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$200.
By Aid. Simmelink-Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz: The construction of a pipesewer nine inches in diameter in Harvard street, from a point 145 feet east of Rowley street to the sewer in Goodman st. Also the necessary surface sewers and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole ex-

pendence thereof, and reported the same at \$200, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz: said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, Oct. 2nd, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.
 The Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title vii, section 172 of the revised Charter of 1880 of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, Oct. 2nd, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

PLANK WALK ON CAMBRIDGE STREET.

By Aid. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Cambridge street.

Adopted.
 The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$310.
 By Aid. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on the east side of Cambridge street, from Park avenue to a point 150 feet north of Brighton avenue.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$210, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on the east side of Cambridge street, from park avenue to 150 feet north of Brighton avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, Oct. 2d, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,543.

STONE SEWER IN BAY STREET.

On motion of Aid. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Aid. Simmelink submitted the following:

An Ordinance to construct a stone sewer in Bay street, from the east end of the stone sewer to a point 180 feet east of Rohr street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a stone sewer 2x2 feet in size, in Bay street, from the east end of the stone sewer, to a point 180 feet east of Rohr street. Also, the necessary surface sewers, laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$563.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Bay street, from Hebard street to a point 180 feet east of Rohr street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,544.

PLANK WALK ON EAST SELLINGER STREET.

On motion of Aid. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Aid. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on East Sellinger street from the east end thereof, to St. Joseph street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on the north side of East Sellinger street, from the east end thereof to St. Joseph street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the as-

essment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$19, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of East Sellinger street, from the east end thereof to St. Joseph street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Rice, Southard Kelly Simmelink—14.

Ald. Southard moved that property owners be allowed sixty days to construct their own walks on Sellinger street. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Henrietta avenue came up. Aid. Simmelink presented a remonstrance and moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on both sides of Wadsworth street came up. Aid. Southard moved to amend by striking out the south side. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,545.

IMPROVING CENTRAL AVENUE.

On motion of Alderman Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Alderman Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve Central avenue from State street to North St. Paul street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of Central avenue, from the east curb line of State street to North St. Paul street, excepting that portion of Central avenue to be occupied by the proposed bridge across the Hydraulic Company's race and the Genesee river, by constructing a roadway of Medina stone, with curbstones, gutters and flagstone walks on each side thereof, where good brick walks do not now exist; flagstone walks to be of the full width of the sidewalks. Also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, etc.

Plan of improvement to be substantially in accordance with the plans presented, and on file in the office of the City Surveyor.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$20,500, which estimate is hereby approved; and the Common Council of the city of Rochester has duly determined that one-half the expense of said improvement ought to be and shall be paid from the public treasury of said city; the territory deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the remaining one half of the expense of said improvement is one tier of lots on the south side of Central ave., from State st. to North St. Paul st.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows:

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; one fifth within two years from the confirmation of such roll; one fifth within three years from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one fifth within four years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

Lost by the following vote, three-fourths not voting in the affirmative:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Rice, Southard Kelly—10.

Nays—Ald. Watson, Foley Felsing, Simmelink—4.

Ald. Barrow moved that the action just taken be reconsidered. Adopted.

The final ordinance to improve Central avenue was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly Simmelink—14.

Nays—Ald. Foley—1.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2, 546.

CENTRAL PARK PLANK WALK.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Alderman Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Central park, from Union street to Goodman street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 5 ft. 3 in. in width on each side of Central park, from Union street to Goodman street. Also, the necessary crosswalks.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,693, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvements is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Central park, from Union street to Goodman street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The final ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Fulton street came up. Ald. Felsing moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The final ordinance to open and extend Frost avenue came up. Ald. Foley moved to amend by striking out of the territory to be assessed the following streets: Cady, Champlain, Seward, Reynolds and Frances, and that action thereon be postponed six months. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a wrought iron bridge across the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad came up. Ald. Foley moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

The proposed contract between the city of Rochester and Dyer D. S. Brown, with reference to land for a proposed public park, published at page 190 Current proceedings, Ald. Barron moved to postpone for four weeks. Adopted.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That Mumford street, from State street to Andrews street, be hereafter known as Andrew street and that the City Clerk be requested to make necessary changes in the records of streets filed in his office.

On motion Ald. Barron tabled until the next regular meeting.”

Ald. Collins presented a remonstrance.

“Ald. Barron moved to amend that Andrews street be changed to Mumford street and that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.”

“Ald. Archer moved as a substitute for the whole that Mumford and Andrews streets from State street to North avenue be named Andrews street.

Ald. Foley moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.”

Ald. Barron moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening of a street from Campbell street to Maple street be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council to be held on the 18th day of Sept., 1883, at 6 o'clock p. m. Adopted.”

Ald. Foley moved that a select committee of

three be appointed, to which the report of the commissioners be referred. Adopted.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the next regular meeting of the Common Council, Tuesday evening Sept. 18th, 1883, be and hereby is assigned as the time when any complaints or appeals from the assessment for the “extension of Ward and Hamburg streets” will be heard. Adopted.”

Ald. Strouss moved that a select committee of five be appointed to hear allegations and report to the board. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds and the clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

D. M. Childs of the First ward and H. Marks of the Seventh ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council, were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Simmelink presented the resignation of J. C. Sparr, Inspector of Election of the second district of the Sixteenth ward, and moved that it be accepted. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Election for the second district of the Sixteenth ward. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink nominated George M. Handel. Geo. M. Handel was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink.

George M. Handel was declared appointed Inspector of Election for the second district of the Sixteenth ward.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Wm. Mudgett was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

Ald. Felsing moved that further balloting for Police Commissioner be postponed until next meeting. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That property owners on Jennings street be allowed thirty days to construct their own sidewalks. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the city hall be granted to the “German Protestants” for the purpose of celebrating the four hundredth anniversary of the birth of Dr. Martin Luther, Sunday, Nov. 11th, 1883. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Rochester City and Brighton Railroad Company be and hereby is requested to lay its tracks and operate its road from the intersection of West Main and State streets, along Bartlett street to the corner of Frances and Bartlett streets; the course to Bartlett street to be along such streets as shall be designated by the company. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition from residents and taxpayers on North and South Francis street, to change the name of said

street to Francis avenue, and moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—Whereas, D. B. Earl has a claim, which has been presented to the Common Council, for labor performed and materials furnished in making repairs to the City Hall and other city property; therefore,

Resolved, That Mr. Earl be requested to appear before the City Property Committee at such time as they may designate and prove said claim. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized to assign the tax certificate to wit: Like avenue improvement tax No. 1,673 confirmed April 24, 1874; Lake avenue and White street sewer tax No. 1,645, confirmed Oct. 20, 1873, and the Lake avenue sprinkling tax No. 1,876, confirmed June 20, 1876; taxes on lots, the whole of lot 583 and the south half of lot 552, Jones tract, corner of Lake avenue and Spencer street, assessed to J. H. Goodwin, late of the city of Rochester, to Frank B. Gallery, upon his paying into the City Treasury the amount of the said taxes with seven per cent. interest per annum from date of sale of the same. All of said tax certificates being now held and owned by the city of Rochester. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—by request of Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and they are hereby directed to lay a suitable water main pipe in Costar street, from Thompson street to Durkin alley. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Clerk draw an order on the City Treasurer in favor of J. Q. A. Hemstead for \$17.60 and charge erroneous assessments, such amount having been paid by Hemstead on account of general taxes 1883, in excess of the amount authorized by resolution of Common Council Aug. 7th, 1883.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

The President announced the following select committees:

On report of the commissioners in the matter of opening a street from Campbell street to Maple street—Ald. Foley, Bronson, Simmelink.

On the assessment for the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets—Ald. Strouss, Watson, Felsing, Hinds, Southard.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK W. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—October 2d, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, September 18th, 1883, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR

REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

Rochester District Telegraph Company, service.	\$ 4 25
W. G. Martens, badge.	10 00
B. L. Sheldon, meals for witnesses.	18 81
A. C. McGlachlin, disbursements.	277 02

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Strouss presented the petition of A. Stern for permission to erect a wood building on Atwater street and moved its reference to the Wood Building Committee, with power to act. Adopted.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Martha J. Reynolds for permission to erect a wood building on East avenue and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

Rochester Gas Co., lighting for September.	\$2,088 88
Municipal Gas Co.,	48 97

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petitions of J. B. Edmunds and J. Z. Culver for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Bill of

John Sheridan, cartage on tools.	\$ 2 25
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Referred to the Park Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of Philo Baker, Patrick Eagan and Lorenz Schrank for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the claim of James F. Eaton for injuries from a defective sidewalk on Clifton street. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee, presented the bills of

B. Frank Enos, expenses for August.	\$ 79 31
J. A. Campbell, medical services.	5 00
Bell Telephone Company, use of instruments August 16th.	25 00
Consumers' Ice Company, ice for headquarters.	22 00
James P. O'Neil, printing.	4 50
Samuel Sloan, repairs.	37 92

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Felsing presented the petitions of Wm. D. Callister and Emil Zipkie for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing, bills of

Sisters of Mercy, board of inmates.	\$ 138 00
City Hospital.	627 36
Church Home.	133 90
Home for the Friendless, board of inmates.	78 00
St. Patrick's Girls' Orphan Asylum, board of inmates.	787 66
Rochester Orphan Asylum, board of inmates.	376 28
St. Mary's Boys' Orphan Asylum, board of inmates.	765 26
St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, board of inmates.	876 80
St. Mary's Hospital, board of inmates.	2679 00
Mary Flammigan.	9 00
T. M. Harvey, rent.	7 00
T. Adsit, rent.	6 00
Mary Weist, rent.	8 00
Michael Hynes, rent.	3 70
Smith, Perkins & Co., pork.	825 00
Smith, Perkins & Co., sugar.	229 97
A. Biel, groceries.	6 00
L. L. Marks, meat.	50 00
H. J. Schrad, meat.	23 30
Geo. Opel, bread.	23 30
W. C. Dickson, agent, coal.	1725 00
M. Heavey, transportation.	27 00
B. O'Reilly, burials.	87 08
N. Thompson, disbursements.	20 70

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of B. Frank Enos for permission to erect a wood building on Alexander street. Permission was granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal.

Ald. Rice, from the Health Committee, presented the bills of

Daniel Hickey, collector of garbage.....	95 00
J. W. Hesser,	35 00
P. Bradley,	35 00
J. Rauber,	47 50
H. F. VanBake, Supt.	35 00
M. Heavy, board of horse, Sept	20 00

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petitions of John C. Bonekessel and Albert Reiben for permission to erect wood buildings on Scio and Kirk streets, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition for the improvement of North avenue.

Referred to the City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for a plank walk on the east side of Murray street.

Referred to the Improvement Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

Municipal Gas Company, gas city buildings....	\$ 169 02
Peter Loavenbrack, painting fountain lamp posts	35 00
L. F. & P. A. Ward, insurance, schools 23 and 27.	60 00
Rudolph Vay, insurance, schools 20 and 22.....	81 20
Albert Schinner, door cover Treasurer's office...	9 25
A. Medcauf, soft soap.....	3 00

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Simmelnick presented petitions for water in Fairmount, Norwood and Miller streets.

Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Archer presented a remonstrance from Mary Knuchling against the assessment for straightening and widening North St. Paul st.

Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the bill of M. Heavy for use of ambulance.

Referred to the Law Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, Ald. Foley from the Park Committee, Ald. Felsing from the Poor Committee, Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your Assessment Committee, to which was referred the various matters hereinafter mentioned, does hereby report:

First—Lot No. 64 of the McCracken tract, situated in the Ninth ward, in Brisbane street, was on the 20th day of June, 1878, sold for the unpaid assessment thereon for the Varnum street sewer, the amount of the assessment, expenses and interest to that date being \$113.97. The present owner of the property, claims that the proper steps necessary to make said assessment a valid lien upon said lot were not taken, but that he will pay the said amount of \$113.97, if the same is received in full of the assessment aforesaid, rather than bring an action for the purpose of setting aside the apparent lien. Your committee has investigated the facts bearing upon this matter, and is of the opinion that it is for the interest of the city to receive the fact of said claim, and, therefore, submits herewith a resolution to that effect.

Second—On the 29th day of March, 1876, William D. Merrick and wife conveyed by deed to Moses Merrick of Oswego, about 19 acres of land, all of which was described in the deed as lying in the town of Gates. At the time of the said sale there was one dwelling house only on said land. At the time of the sale none of the said property was assessed in the city of Rochester, although the easterly portion thereof was in fact within

the corporate limits of the city. In 1878 nine acres of said land, being the portion actually within said limits, was assessed to William D. Merrick, and since that time has been assessed to him. The owner of the property, Moses Merrick, did not learn that said nine acres was within the city limits, or that the same was on the city assessment roll, until within the past few months. He now asks that the city receive the amount of the taxes on said nine acres, the part within the city, without interest.

Your committee is of the opinion that his petition should be granted, and therefore submits to that end the accompanying resolution:

Third—The petition of Richard Wright and others alleges that lots 18, 20 and 22 on the east side of Culver park are now held by them as trustees, to convey the same to the rectors, wardens and vestrymen of St. John's parish, and at the time of the levy of the tax of 1883 upon said property there was a chapel actually erected thereon and occupied for religious purposes.

Your committee find that at the time that the general city tax of 1883 was levied said property was owned by Marvin A. Culver.

Your committee, therefore, reports adversely to the remission of the said tax.

Fourth—C. Eisenburg shows before your committee that he is the owner of lot No. 77 of the Boardman tract, on the north side of Henrietta avenue, and that he has paid the taxes and assessments thereon year by year until the present time, but that a portion of said land has been assessed to George W. Perry, and that taxes and assessments to the amount of \$34.14 have accumulated thereon. The petitioner now asks that the Treasurer be authorized to receive the face of said taxes and assessments.

Your committee hereby reports in favor of the proposition made, and submits the accompanying resolution:

Fifth—Asa Bell W. Rich, who is now the owner of the west part of lot No. 13 of the Whitney tract, situated on Lime street, offers to pay the unpaid taxes upon said property from 1888 to 1874, and the assessment for Vincent place bridge, for the extension of Orchard street, for the Lime street sewer and the Saxton street sewer, if the face of said taxes and assessments are received in full. It is alleged by him that none of the taxes aforesaid or the assessments are collectable.

Your committee has made a careful investigation into the facts relating to said claim, and is satisfied that it is for the interest of the city to accept said proposition, and to that end submits herewith a resolution.

Sixth—The petition of Giles B. Rich, also referred to your committee, shows that he has been assessed for general city taxes and personal property, 1883, two thousand dollars, the amount of said tax being \$55.39. The tax upon his real estate, being lots 1 and 2, north side of Main street, exclusive of personal property tax, being the sum of \$154.82.

It is proved, however, before your committee and to the satisfaction of the Assessors that Mr. Rich had at the time of the imposition of said tax no personal property subject to taxation.

Your committee, therefore, submit the accompanying resolution under which the mistake may be corrected.

Seventh—The heirs of James White, who own the west part of lot No. 13 of the Rapids tract, situated on Flint street, which lot is 93 feet wide in the front and 66 feet wide in the rear, claim that for the years 1876, 1877, 1878 and 1882, said lot was assessed upon the supposition that a house was standing thereon. It appears, from investigation made by your committee, that for those years the assessment was made larger than it should have been by reason of the belief that there was standing on said lot said house.

Your committee, therefore recommend the adoption of the resolution herewith submitted, which resolution corrects said assessment in accordance with the advice of the Assessors.

Eighth—The heirs of Mary J. Thomas claim that the assessments upon lots No. 3, 7 and 36, of the Davis and Whitley tract, situated on the south side of Clifford st., for the Clifford st. plank walk, and Clifford st. widening are not collectable, for the reason that the redemption notices which were served in 1880, were not served upon the owners of the property as required by the provisions of the City Charter.

Your committee has made an investigation and ascertains that such is the fact. Said petitioners propose to pay the cost of assessments, with interest and costs, to the time of sale, which was June 20, 1878, if there be remitted the interest from that time to the present.

Your committee is of the opinion that the proposition is one favorable to the city, and, therefore, recommends its acceptance.

Ninth—The communication of Abbie F. Ricker, bearing date August 7th, 1883, have been examined and the facts briefly stated are as follows: An ordinance was passed July 13, 1869, by the Common Council directing the construction of a pipe sewer twelve inches in diameter in Orchard street, from the sewer in Smith street to a point near the north line of lot No. 41 in the Whitney tract; said lot No. 41

being the premises in question. As is stated in the communication, an assessment for said sewer was placed on the whole of said lot. The property being subsequently evenly divided, it is manifestly just that each half of the lot should pay one half of said assessment. The north half of said lot, in the opinion of your committee, has been erroneously relieved of a portion of its just tax, and the south half, which is now owned by the petitioner, should be charged one half the original assessment with interest to date at six per cent. per annum.

Tenth—Your committee has investigated the various matters hereinafter in this subdivision named, and hereby reports adversely upon each, to wit:

The claims of John J. O'Connor, F. A. Morrison, Sarah A. Miles, George M. Heberger, S. S. Brame and Charlotte Wible.

Respectfully submitted,

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Assessment Committee.

The report was adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive from James Campbell, owner of lot No. 64 in McCracken's subdivision, situated on Brisbane street, in said city, \$113.97 being the assessment upon said lot for the Varnum street sewer, with interest and expenses to the time of sale, in full of said assessment on said lot, and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive of Moses Merrick the amount of general city taxes for the years 1878, 1880, 1881 and 1882, upon the tract of land of about nine acres, 270 feet front and 477 feet in the rear and 912 feet deep, assessed to D. W. Merrick, being lot No. 34 on Sawyer street, without interest, and charge the balance of said tax to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive from C. Eisenburg the sum of \$34.14 in full of the general city tax of 1880, 1881 and 1882, on lot No. 77, Assessors Subdivision of lots 44 and 52, situated on Henrietta avenue, and charge the balance of said taxes to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive from Ashbell W. Riley, the owner of the west part of lot 13, of the Whitney tract, situated on Lime street, the face amount, without interest or expenses, of the general city tax of 1853, 1864, 1865, 1866, 1867, 1869, 1870, 1873 and 1874, and the assessment for Vincent place bridge, for the extension of Orchard street, for the Lime street sewer and the Saxton street sewer taxes and assessments upon said lot, and charge the balance of said taxes and assessments to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive from Giles B. Rich, the sum of \$99.53, with interest, as provided in the city charter, in full of general city tax for 1883, on lots 1 and 2, north side of Main street, and in full of personal tax for said year, and charge the balance of said general city tax against him to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive the sum of \$2.81, for general city tax of 1876; \$2.53 for general city tax of 1877; \$1.95 for general city tax of 1878; and \$2.15 for general city tax of 1882, on w. pt. lot 13, Rapids tract, north side of Flint street, Eighth ward, assessed to heirs of James White, with expenses

and interest, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive from the heirs of Mary J. Thomas the sum of \$34.10, in full of assessment upon lots 3 and 7 of the Davis and Whitley tract, situated on the south side of Clifford st, in the 13th ward, for Clifford st. widening, and \$17.99, in full of assessment upon lot No. 36 of the same tract, situated on the south side of Clifford st. for the Clifford st. widening; and \$7.66 in full of assessment upon lots Nos. 3 and 7 of the same tract, situated on the south side of Clifford st., for the Clifford st. plank walk; and \$6.19, in full of assessment upon lot 36 of the same tract, situated on the south side of Clifford st, for the Clifford st. plank walk, and charge the balance of said assessments to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive from Abbie F. Ricker, owner, one-half of the original assessment upon the south part of lot No. 41, section "D," Whitney tract, situated on the east side of Orchard st., in the 11th ward, in the city of Rochester, in full of assessment upon said lot for the Orchard st. sewer, and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive from Alexander Button the sum of \$46.88, the amount of general city tax for 1881 on lot No. 15 of the Philander Davis tract, situated on North avenue, with interest at seven per cent per annum, in full of the general city tax of 1881, and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby directed to cancel the general city tax for 1883 on part lots 27 & 9 Smith tract, 42 feet front, 49 feet rear and 140 feet deep, west side Meigs street, Seventh ward, assessed to Albert E. Moore, the same being assessed twice, and charge to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive the sum of \$4.78 for Carlton street plank walk assessment, Ordinance No. 2343, on lot 87, Perry, Bly & Holmes tract, east side Carlton street, assessed to John Owen Sullivan, and charge balance to erroneous assessments, as per certificate of Assessors attached hereto. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the claim of George Ennis, for \$1,000, on account of injuries alleged to have been received on Sherman street, in September last, respectfully reports:

The petitioner alleges, that on the 3d day of September last, while walking along Sherman street, in front of premises owned by one Charles Little, owing to the defective condition of the walk in front of the said premises, he was thrown down and injured.

Your Committee has heard the statements of parties familiar with the facts, and hereby reports adversely upon said claim for the reason, that, in the opinion of your Committee, the City is not liable in the premises.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Strouss—

To the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN.—The Water Works Committee of your

board and the Executive Board, to whom was referred all matters relating to the claims of the owners of water power on Honeoye Creek and on the outlet of Hemlock Lake for damages on account of diversion of water by the City of Rochester, respectfully submit the following partial report:

The powers conferred on the undersigned by the resolution of your board passed January 29, 1883, are ample to enable us to proceed to acquire all necessary rights in the waters of Hemlock Lake either by purchase or by legal proceedings, but the matter is one of so much importance that we have deemed it proper to keep you advised of the progress of the negotiations from time to time.

By our direction, the Chief Engineer of the Water Works has visited the several owners of water power in question and received from each the amount of his claim for the diversion of water by the city of Rochester. The following comprise these claims except that of Mrs. Frances A. McD. Vandewater, formerly owner of the flouring mill located at West Bloomfield, whose address has not been found.

Statement of Claims.

Salsich & Ruland, Richmond Mills.....	\$ 800
James Rutland,	1,500
Barton & Williams,	16,000
A. W. Townsend,	13,000
Florence A. McD. Vandewater, West Bloomfield, not known.....	10,000
Cora J. Trimmer, West Bloomfield.....	7,000
Amos Lotee, North Bloomfield.....	2,000
Ira Brown,	3,000
Davis & Fairchild,	2,000
James A. Stillman,	1,000
Oliver Allen,	800
Eunice A. Lloyd	8,000
Edwin E. Bond,	10,000
Frank A. Boot	2,000
Lewis Johnson	27,500
John Idson	15,000
Neal Bros. & Brooks,	18,000
Yorks Bros, Honeoye Falls.....	50,000
George B. Smith,	15,000
Adriana C. Smith,	15,000
Pierce Bros.	35,000
Fride Bros. & Smith,	31,750
Hunt Bros,	8,000
Wm. R. Ordway, Sibleyville.....	2,920
Cook & Lee,	15,000
Weaver & Foote, East Rush.....	2,500
Benjamin Weaver,	16,250
Day & Cook, West Rush.....	
Total	\$623,150

The undersigned are of the opinion that the claims contained in the foregoing list are exorbitant and it is our intention in the absence of further directions from your board, to notify the claimants of our intention on behalf of the city to settle on the basis of said claims and to immediately proceed under the statute to acquire the rights needed by the city.

Respectfully submitted,
 E. STROUSS,
 J. MILLER KELLY,
 HENRY RICE,
 Water Works Committee.
 BYRON HOLLEY,
 S. B. WILLIAMS,
 GEO. W. ALDRIDGE,
 Executive Board.

By Aid. Strouss—Resolved, That the water works committee be, and it hereby is instructed to obtain from W. F. Cogswell, Esq., his bill for all services rendered to the city of Rochester from the time when his last bill was rendered to the present time, in the matter of the claims of the Honeoye Creek millers and owners of water rights, which bill shall be presented to the Common Council at its next meeting. And that the proceedings to be hereafter taken in said matter be taken by the City Attorney without counsel. Adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 2, 1883.

By Aid. Pitkin—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR SEPTEMBER, 1883.

Cornelius R. Parsons, Mavor.....	\$250 00
Amrose C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.....	375 00
H. F. McGlachlin, assistant.....	166 66
Frank Kondolf, clerk.....	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	83 33
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	166 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger.....	100 00

Chas. M. Beattie, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 33
John Gorton, City Assessor.....	208 33
Wm. Maher,	2 83
V. Blackstein,	2 83
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warner,	150 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	75 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. W. Race,	75 00
Ambrose Redman.....	60 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	250 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney.....	66 66
A. H. Martin, milk inspector.....	70 00
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevated tracks.....	140 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	70 00
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Wm. M. E-baz, Jr., draughtsman.....	80 00
Harry J. Jeffords, clerk.....	30 00
Jarvis Lord, 2nd City Clerk's Office.....	50 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Union and Advertiser, printing for Treas. Office	240 50
City Clerk's	195 00
Union and Advertiser, printing for Surveyor's Office.....	26 50
E. D. Smith, stenographer's services.....	60 00
John C. Moore, blanks and binding.....	34 12
Schmidt & Kaelber, repairs for Surveyor.....	8 86
John Hannan, hack hire.....	4 50
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Oct. 2.....	15 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR SEPTEMBER, 1883.	
N. Thompson, overseer.....	\$ 141 66
J. H. McGregor, Clerk.....	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk.....	75 00
Geo. Hartel, Clerk.....	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk.....	75 00
Dr. J. J. A. Burke, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. A. I. Perry, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Thos Spencer, City Physician.....	50 00
D. Henry Koch, City Physician.....	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner.....	75 00
C. Herzberger	75 00
James P. Evans,	75 00
Maurice Movnihan, clerk.....	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Gerling Bros., flour.....	265 00
Curran Bros., meat.....	25 00
Joseph Minges,	25 00
P. Kleinbans,	25 00
M. Gannon, groceries.....	27 50
C. T. Marks,	27 50
Blackester Bros., bread.....	159 72
Benj. Haag, rent.....	43 75
L. A. Schlitzer, rent.....	16 00
P. Joyce, burials.....	49 00
J. A. Davis, tax list.....	25 10
H. J. Schaad, meat.....	50 00
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

C. G. Davis, labor.....	\$ 20 00
Peter Loavenbrack, painting lamps around fountain.....	35 00
And charge that fund.	

PARK FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR SEPTEMBER, 1883.	
James Dalton.....	\$ 22 00
Timothy Casey.....	24 00
John Sheridan.....	50 00
John McCruden.....	24 00
John Dailey.....	18 00
Timothy Corcoran.....	24 00
David Cooner.....	24 00
Michael McGluskey.....	24 00
Louis Haag.....	50 00
Jacob Jump.....	22 00
John Kannelly.....	24 00
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

MISCELLANEOUS.	
Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care of lamps for September.....	\$2,907 00
Citizens' Gas Co., setting posts.....	4 60
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR SEPTEMBER, 1883.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer.....	\$ 75 00
Geo. Messmer, Register.....	66 66
John M. Harder, Inspector.....	50 60
Otho Griswold, Inspector.....	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Schuyler, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Heidold, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	58 33
Jno. C. Vance, sewer flusher.....	27 00
Joseph Thompson.....	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector.....	50 00
Messenger.....	33 33

MISCELLANEOUS.

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage to Sept. 27.....	95 00	
J. W. Maser,	27.....	95 00
P. Bradley,	27.....	95 00
J. Rauber,	27.....	47 50
H. F. Van Dake, superintendent col. garbage to Sept. 27.....	35 00	
M. Heavey, board of horse for Sept.	20 00	
And charge that fund.		

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. R. Chamberlin, hose &c.....	\$ 17 25
Union and Advertiser Co., printing.....	13 01
E. Frank Enos, expenses for Aug.....	79 31

MONTHLY 1 VY ROLL FOR SEPTEMBER, 1883.

Alex. M'Lean.....	130 00
Ferry Marzluff.....	85 00
Samuel Brown.....	85 00
Thos. Lynch.....	85 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.....	85 00
P. C. Kavanauh.....	85 00
Thos. A. Burchill.....	85 00
Henry Baker.....	85 00
Chas. M' Cormick.....	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth.....	85 00
John C. Haydon.....	85 00
John H. Darrar.....	75 00
Wm. H. White.....	75 00
Ed. Van Vorst.....	75 00
Thos. Dukelow.....	75 00
John C. M'Quatters, 29 day.....	72 50
Fred. Griebel.....	75 00
John M. Rees, 29 days.....	72 50
W. R. M'Arthur.....	75 00
Frank E. Allen.....	75 00
Hugh Clark.....	75 00
Jacob Frank.....	75 00
John Wanganman.....	75 00
John Monaghan.....	75 00
Geo. Hoffner.....	75 00
Chas. Sletford.....	75 00
Frank S. Skuser.....	75 00
George Long.....	75 00
Joseph Baker.....	75 00
Daniel Goulding.....	105 00
Hugh Johnston, 22 days.....	77 00
Joseph P. Cleary.....	103 33
Wm. Keith.....	100 00
Benj. C. Kistner.....	85 00
Nicholas J. Fos.....	85 00
John E. Davis.....	85 00
John A. Baird.....	85 00
Mich. Hyland.....	75 00
Oliver Oliver.....	75 00
Ralph Bendon, 24 dayt.....	60 00
Andrew Connolly.....	75 00
Robt. Burns.....	75 00
Jacob Harter.....	75 00
Wm. P. O'Neil, 29 days.....	72 50
John Mitchell.....	75 00
Ed. McDonough.....	75 00
Jos. St. Hellen.....	75 00
Wm. M'Keavey.....	75 00
Robt. M'Keavey.....	75 00
Michael Brady.....	75 00
Chas. E. Fowler, 25 days.....	62 50
Robert Sloan.....	75 00
John Dean.....	75 00
Samuel Schwartz.....	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson.....	75 00
Wm. Burgess.....	75 00
James P. Flynn, 26 days.....	72 50
Michael Cain, 5 day.....	12 50
Charles W. Peart, 29 days.....	72 50
Chas. Hart.....	75 00
Wm. Laragy.....	75 00
Michael Hyne.....	75 00
Henry D. Shawe, 6 days.....	20 00
Lout' Nold.....	75 00
Petar Hess.....	75 00
Oliver A. Youle, 29 days.....	72 50
Frederick Kippbut.....	75 00
Hiram Rogers, 29 days.....	72 50
John E. McDermott.....	75 00
Patk. J. Cummings.....	75 00
Benj. L. Stetson.....	75 00
Patk. Caufield.....	75 00

Patk. Culligan.....	75 00
Jerome P. Dowd.....	75 00
Wm. Murray.....	75 00
Michael Englert.....	75 00
John Sullivan.....	75 00
Dennis Hogan.....	75 00
James E. Ryan.....	75 00
John Yaman, 28 days.....	70 00
Mich. Zimmerman, 28 days.....	70 00
Geo. H. Kron.....	75 00
George Liese.....	75 00
Henry Baker, Jr.....	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick.....	75 00
Wm. Hillard.....	75 00
Fred'k Walter.....	75 00
Fd. O'Laughlin.....	75 00
George Bietzer.....	75 00
George Mohr.....	75 00
John A. Wallace, 24 days.....	60 00
Geo. Kieisley.....	75 00
Thos. Crouch, 28 days.....	70 00
John H. Mason.....	75 00
Jacob Markey.....	65 00
E. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.....	125 00
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, OFFICES, CITY HALL, Oct. 1, 1883.

To the Common Council:
The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, and are hereby referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.
Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Leary & Fellows, wagon.....	\$ 200 00
George B. Harris, disbursements.....	11 23
Andrew Nagle, stone.....	10 00
Sevie & Parker, stone.....	17 30
F. C. Lauer, MacAdam stone.....	25 16
George Miller, sand and gravel.....	43 00
William Robinson, Estimate No. 1, for cleaning and painting Vincent place bridge.....	1,500 00
Robbins, Willis & Co., oak lumber.....	61 96
James Gorsline, material for culvert.....	5 00
James Lusk, inspection, &c., Vincent place bridge.....	99 00
Hollister & Co., oak lumber, estimate.....	800 00

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay-roll, Sept. 24.....	\$141 43
Oct. 4.....	141 43
George B. Hayes, estimate No. 4, pipe.....	\$ 282 96
George B. Harris, freight, pipe and specials.....	1,539 39
S. J. Wagoner, delivering pipe.....	25 55
George B. Harris, cartage, etc.....	73 27
M. B. Anderson, pipe line, Summer park.....	7 45
James H. Nellis, estimate No. 4, Group 81.....	30 78
Thomas Oliver,	200 00
Howe & Clancy,	500 00
.....,	250 00

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Sept. 27, operating.....	\$492 43
Weekly pay roll, Sept. 27, repairs and service.....	366 75
Weekly pay roll, Oct. 4, operating.....	482 62
Weekly pay roll, Oct. 4, repairs and service.....	353 00
Thos. J. Neville, office expenses.....	835 62
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	12 55
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay and straw.....	11 66
F. Tulley, Jr., lamps and reflectors.....	33 14
John C. King, oil cloths, etc.....	5 30
National Meter Co., meters.....	48 76
John B. Snyder, fire pot, etc.....	131 50
Morris Bortle, posts, etc.....	7 75
P. J. Chesbrough, stone, Hamlock Lake.....	9 25
Henry Ruh, oats, conduit line.....	18 00

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Geo. Bantel & Son, difference in horses.....	\$387 50
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	13 90
E. S. Lee & Co., wire cutters.....	31 00
John C. King, bedding.....	19 48
Leary & Fellows, wagon seat and cushion.....	8 00
Frank E. Handy, labor, fire tel., 2 bills.....	26 00
William Murray, labor, fire tel.....	8 00
Young & Blackall, supplies do.....	104 50

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

John Quinn, inspecting Central avenue bridge..	\$ 39 00
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John Lutes, inspecting Mill street sewer.....	33 00
George W. Hatch, inspecting N. St. Paul st. im- provement.....	30 00
W. I. Hanford, inspecting Meigs st. improve- ment.....	24 00
Valentine Hatz, inspecting, \$30, Alexander Hampton, inspecting, \$38.75, Frances st. im- provement.....	68 75
Joseph Hohm, inspecting Goodman st. sewer..	40 00
Frank Rehbolst, inspecting Day st. sewer....	152 50
Sebastian Klingler, inspecting Klingler and Wid- man sewer.....	112 50
Street Department, inspecting ana expenses, 4th, 7th and 12th wards outlet sewer cleaning	17 69
Street Department, stakes and expenses, Kling- ler and Widman stis. sewer.....	6 42
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, extra work, grading, &c., Klingler and Widman st. sewer	72 00
N. L. Brayer, extrarock excavation 4th, 7th and 12th wards outlet sewer cleaning.....	763 11

Estimates.

William Fuller, final estimate, Saxton street outlet sewer improvements.....	\$228 30
N. L. Brayer, final estimate, 4th, 7th and 12th wards outlet sewer cleaning.....	842 50
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate, Klingler and Widman streets sewer.....	1,577 86
F. C. Lauer, estimate No. 1, Mill street stone sewer.....	2,400 00
James H. Nellis, estimate No. 1, Concord ave- nue sewer.....	1,200 00
A. C. Bowen, estimate No. 3, Manhattan street improvement.....	1,500 00
McConnell & Jones, estimate No. 1, Meigs street improvement.....	2,400 00
R. Y. Connell, estimate No. 3, Park avenue and Culver street sewer.....	300
Edward Wellert, estimate No. 3, repairing, &c., East avenue.....	200
	\$12,007 6

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer
Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, South-
ard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Foley—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your special committee to which was referred the questions relating to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners appointed to appraise the compensation to be paid for the land necessary to be taken for the opening of a new street from Campbell street to Maple street, hereby report:

Your committee has heard the allegations of all the persons interested in the taking of said lands. There are nine persons whose lands are taken for the improvement, and of this number seven favor the improve- ment. Two of the persons whose lands are taken al- lege that the amount awarded them is less than the value of the land taken, and they object to the con- firmation of the report of the commissioners on that ac- count.

Your committee is of the opinion that the amount awarded is what the property taken is fairly worth. But irrespective of this your committee is of the opin- ion that the commissioners, having heard the sworn statements of witnesses, are better qualified to judge as to that than any one can be who only hears the allega- tions of interested parties. If the people who com- plain have reason for complaint the mode for a review provided by the courts should be pursued.

Your committee therefore recommend that the report of the commissioners be confirmed.

JOHN H. FOLEY,
J. E. SIMMELINK,
A. BRONSON,
Special Committee.

Adopted.

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Foley moved that the report of the commissioners in the matter of opening a street from Campbell street to Maple street be confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Wat- son, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pit- kin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Ald. Strouss, from the Select Committee, to which was referred the assessment for Ward and Hamburg street opening, reported pro- gress and asked for further time. Further time was granted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, Oct. 2, 1888.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Up to this date the Common Council and Executive Board have authorized the extension of water mains in various streets during the present fiscal year at an estimated cost of \$58,570, which amount it will be necessary to raise in the tax levy of next year to meet the liabilities thus far incurred.

There are now on file additional petitions for water mains, many of them bear majorly petitions from the 15th and 16th wards, the estimated cost of which exten- sions is \$24,665.

These petitioners are very anxious for the water, many of them claiming that they have erected and are con- tinuing to erect dwelling houses on the streets named in the said petitions and contained in the annexed list, which it will be difficult if not impossible for them to sell or rent until the water mains are laid thereon.

A very small portion of the work required by these petitions can be done this fall because of the near ap- proach of cold weather and the difficulty of procuring the necessary pipe; but should your Board deem it ex- pedient to provide the money for these extensions, ma- terials could be collected during the winter and the pipes and fittings next season. It is a much better plan than to wait until the adoption of the tax levy, which comes at so late a date that it is almost impos- sible to make contracts for pipe at all, and if able to pro- cure it, it is at unfavorable prices and with provisions for delivery to suit the manufacturer rather than the purchaser, all the foundries being full of orders at that season and the manufacturer in consequence decidedly independent.

This board therefore does not hesitate to recommend that provision be made for and this board authorized to procure materials and lay water pipes in the streets named in the said petitions now on file and enumerated in the annexed list, at an estimated cost of \$24,665. This last amount added to the amount previously estimated will make \$83,235, which will have to be raised in the next tax levy for water pipe extension, provided your board shall adopt the accompanying resolution as re- commended.

List of streets for which petitions are now on file ask- ing that water mains be extended therein:

- Gostar street, from Thompson street to West street.
- God point, from Brighton avenue to Park avenue.
- Nichols park, from Brighton avenue to Park avenue.
- Edward street, from Hermon street to north end of street.
- Huntington street, from Hudson street to North street.
- Bond street, from Hamilton place to Grand street.
- Second street, from Rowe street to Glenwood avenue.
- South street, from present end to Plymouth avenue.
- Silver street, from Taylor street to Wilkins street.
- Wilkins street, from Silver street 400 feet north.
- Eddie street, from Silver street to Taylor street.
- Halbert street from Brown street to Silver street.
- Clifford street from North Clinton street to Hudson st.
- Thomas street from Clifford street to Bernhard st.
- Fourth street, from Rowe street to Glenwood avenue.
- Glenwood avenue, from First street to Fourth street.
- Third street, from present end 150 feet west.
- Field street, from Erie canal 1,140 feet south.
- Bay street, from North avenue to First avenue.
- Genesee street, from Hunter street 100 feet south of Frost avenue.
- Mt. Vernon avenue, from Lewis street to Caroline st.
- Maria street, from Clifford street to end of street.

Respectfully submitted,
EXECUTIVE BOARD.

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That in accord- ance with the report and recommendation of the Executive Board this day submitted to the Common Council, said Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend water mains in the streets enumerated in their said report, at an estimated cost of \$24,665, and that for the purpose of providing money to pay for said extensions, the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed under the direction of the Finance Committee to make the city's note when necessary for twenty-four thousand, six hundred and sixty-five (\$24,665) dollars, under the provisions of section 81 of the city charter, payable in not more than one year from the date thereof, and get the same

discounted and place the avails thereof to the credit of the Water Pipe Extension Fund, the said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee, and the discount to be charged to the Contingent Fund.

On motion of Ald. Kelly tabled until the next regular meeting.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I am directed by the Executive Board to invite your Honorable Body to attend the annual inspection and parade of the Rochester Fire Department, which will take place on Tuesday, Oct. 9th, 1883. The department will be reviewed at 2:45 p.m., in front of Powers' Hotel.

Respectfully, THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Accepted.

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law:

1. Monthly Report, showing the expenditures by this Board in the month of September, 1883.
2. Monthly Report, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of this Board at the close of the month of September, 1883.

Respectfully submitted.

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT showing the expenditures by the Executive Board, for all purposes, during the month of September, 1883:

Total orders drawn upon the City Treasurer:	
Executive Board orders for labor.....	\$ 5,785 42
Common Council orders passed Sept. 4th and 18th.....	67,970 17
Total.....	\$73,755 59
Classification:	
Highway Fund.....	\$ 6,894 98
Water Pipe Fund.....	9,685 88
Water Works Fund.....	5,359 69
Fire Department Fund.....	7,430 25
Salary and Expense Fund.....	625 00
Sundry Street Sprinkling Funds.....	3,527 00
Sundry Local Improvement Funds.....	40,232 84
Total.....	\$73,755 59

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in charge of the Executive Board on the 29th day of September, 1883, at the close of business:

Dr. Balances:	
Local improvement Funds.....	135,998 73
Street sprinkling funds.....	17,088 60
Sidewalk Repair funds.....	2,009 95
Total.....	\$155,042 28
Cr. Balances:	
Highway Fund.....	\$ 5,586 63
Water Pipe Fund.....	32,515 31
Water Works Fund.....	37,606 98
Water Works Fund (Special).....	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.....	44,408 71
Salary and Expense Fund.....	5,072 41
City Treasurer.....	28,941 72
Total.....	\$155,042 28

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, Oct. 2nd, 1883.

To the Hon. Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds, on the second day of October, 1883, as required by section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund.....	\$5,952.24
.. Repair	2,730.54
.. Contingent Fund.....	26,535.21
.. Teachers'	86,704.49
Fire Department Fund	46,222.96
Police Department Fund.....	50,846.37
Contingent Fund	12,503.63
Highway Fund.....	5,496.16
Lamp Fund	37,195.15
Health Fund.....	6,198.68
City Property Fund.....	740.02
Park Fund.....	363.02
Water Works Fund.....	14,268.62
Water Pipe Fund.....	32,631.91
Salary and Expense Fund.....	5,072.99

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Sworn before me, this 2nd day of October, 1883.
CHAS. H. STILWELL, Com'r. of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Board of Education:

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The following resolution was adopted at a meeting of the Board of Education, held in the Free Academy Oct 1st, 1883:

By Com. Cook—Whereas, additions have been built to Nos. 20 and 26, and new buildings erected for Nos. 23 and 27, and the insurance upon the same is not sufficient, therefore,

Resolved, That the matter be referred to the Common Council with the request that additional insurance be placed upon the above, as follows:

No.	Building.	Fur. and Fixtures.
No. 20.....	\$5,000.....	\$400 00
" 23.....	3,000.....	200 30
" 26.....	4,000.....	400 00
" 27.....	3,000.....	200 00

Respectfully,
S. A. ELLIS, Clerk.

Referred to the City Property Committee.
From the Overseer of the Poor—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the Poor of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report that during the month of September he has relieved 333 families in the following manner:

Orders on Poor Store.....	\$1 068 00
.. .. Coal yard.....	164 15
.. .. Undertakers.....	55 50
.. .. for transportation.....	92
.. .. Shoes.....	3 55
Total.....	\$1,292 12
Less amount charged towns.....	14 00

Total to city.....\$1,278 12
All of which is respectfully submitted,
N. THOMPSON, Overseer of Poor.

Ordered received and published.
From the Chief of Police—

To the Hon. Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I report the following number of lamps not burning during the month of September, 1883.

Gas.....	32	Oil.....	114
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Respectfully,
ALEX. McLEAN,
Chief of Police.

Ordered, received, filed and published.
ACTION ON ORDINANCES.
FIRST ORDINANCES.

PLANK WALK ON JENNINGS STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Jennings street.

Adopted.
The surveyor submitted as such estimate \$319.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width, on the south side of Jennings street, from a point 277 feet west of the Jennings tract, to Nichols street; also the necessary cross walks.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same as \$319, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on the south side of Jennings street from a point 277 feet west of the Jennings tract, to Nichols street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, October the 16th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

FOOT BRIDGE ACROSS THE ERIE CANAL ON WEST MAIN STREET.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a wrought iron foot bridge 10 feet in width between the centre of trusses, across the Erie canal on the north side of West Main street. Also the necessary stair cases and foundations. Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$8,000.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz: the construction of a wrought iron foot bridge 10 feet in width between the centre of trusses, across the Erie canal on the north side of West Main street. Also the necessary stair cases and masonry foundations.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$6,000, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:—

One tier of lots on each side of West Main street from State street to the Erie canal, also one tier of lots on each side of West avenue from the Erie canal to the west line of the city.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter, of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Oct. the 16th, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON MURRAY STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Murray street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$190.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on the east side of Murray street, from Lyell avenue to the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$190 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on the east side of Murray street from Lyell avenue to the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., of section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend at the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Oct. the 16th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

OPENING AND EXTENDING MARIA STREET.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of opening and extending Maria street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$600.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The opening and extension of Maria street, of its present width, from its present southerly terminus, to the rear line of lots fronting on the northerly side of the street known as Klingler street, and the further extension of said Maria street of a width of 35 feet, to Klingler street. The territory deemed necessary to be taken for said extension is described as follows, viz: A strip of land 50 feet in width, extending from the present southerly terminus of Maria street to the northerly line of lands sub-divided by Messrs. Klingler and Leidecker, and bounded on the east and west, by the respective east and west lines of Maria street, produced southerly to the lands sub-divided by said Klingler and Leidecker. Also, a strip of land 35 feet in width, known as lot No. 20 on a sub-division of lot No. 24 of the A. G. Smith tract, made by said Klingler and Leidecker. Said lot No. 20, being located on the north side of Klingler street, and between lot No. 10 and lot No. 11.

And whereas, the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$600 which estimate is hereby approved:

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Maria street as at pres-

ent, and as proposed to be opened, from Clifford street to Klingler street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, October the 16th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

IMPROVING NORTH AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving North avenue from the north curb line of East Main street to the south curb line of University avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$19,463.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz: The improvement of North avenue, from the north curb line of East Main street, to the south curb line of University avenue, by constructing a pavement of Medina stone, with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof; width of roadway between curb lines to be 40 feet.

Also, the construction of a stone sewer 15x24 feet in size with turned invert, from a point 50 feet north of East Main street, to the sewer in University avenue.

Also, the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$19,463, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of North avenue from East Main street, to a point opposite the south curb line of University avenue.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows: One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII., section 172 of the revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, October 16th, 1883, at 6 o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

Ald. Southard presented a remonstrance against extending Maria street and moved it be received and filed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to improve Mt. Hope avenue came up.

Ald. Rice moved that action be postponed until the first regular meeting in December. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,547.

CAMBRIDGE STREET PLANK WALK.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Cambridge street, from Park avenue to a point 150 feet north of Brighton avenue.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk, 4 feet 8 inches in width, on the east side of Cambridge street, from Park avenue to a point 150 feet north of Brighton avenue.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$210, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the east side of Cambridge street,

rom Park avenue to 150 feet north of Brighton avenue. On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,548.

WADSWORTH STREET PLANK WALK.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing.

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Wadsworth street, from Hudson street to North street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk four feet in width on the north side of Wadsworth street, from Hudson street to North street, except where good plank walks now exists at the proper grade.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of lands to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$383, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of Wadsworth street, from Hudson street to North street, in front of which the proposed plank walk shall be constructed.

On which described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The final ordinance to construct a sewer in Harvard street came up. Ald. Jeffords moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink moved that the final ordinance to construct a plank walk on the east side of Jennings street, passed Sept. 4th, 1883, be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink moved that the final ordinance to construct a plank walk on each side of Jennings street be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he hereby is directed to prepare and submit to this Board, at its next regular meeting, a penal ordinance prohibiting persons, except employes of the railroad company, from walking or being on the elevated tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company in the city of Rochester. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

“Ald. Foley presented a petition from residents and taxpayers on North and South Francis street, to change the name of said street to Francis avenue, and moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.”

Ald. Foley moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Archer in the chair.

Ald. Pitkin moved to proceed to appoint an inspector of election for the Tenth ward. Adopted.

A. H. Fay was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

A. H. Fay was declared appointed inspector of election for the 10th ward.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint an inspector of election for the 15th ward.

Ald. Kelly nominated William G. Walters.

Wm. G. Walters was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss,

Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16. Wm. G. Walters was declared appointed inspector of election of the 15th ward.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the resignation of Louis H. Miller for inspector of election for the first district of the 14th ward. Accepted.

Ald. Aikenhead moved to proceed to appoint inspectors of election for the first district of the 14th ward. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead nominated Henry Kuenzi.

Henry Kuenzi was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Henry Kuenzi was declared appointed Inspector of Election for the First district of the Fourteenth ward.

Ald. Aikenhead nominated B. A. Child.

B. A. Child was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

B. A. Child was declared appointed Inspector of Election for the First District of the Fourteenth ward.

Ald. Southard moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Election for the First district of the Thirteenth ward. Adopted.

Ald. Southard nominated A. J. Weining. A. J. Weining was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink.

A. J. Weining was declared appointed inspector of Election for the 1st District of the Thirteenth ward.

Ald. Barron moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Election for the Second ward. Adopted.

Ald. Barron nominated E. G. Gould.

E. G. Gould was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

E. G. Gould was declared appointed Inspector of Election for the Second ward.

Ald. Southard moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Geo. G. Youngman, 6th ward; Jason Jeffrey, 7th ward; Geo. C. Lentner, 10th ward; Andrew Van Dyck and Agnes Moore, 13th ward; Edward S. Martin, 15th ward, and Frank A. Harlbart, 16th ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council, were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Pitkin moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin nominated Jacob Howe, Jr.

Ald. Jeffords nominated Jos. W. Rosenthal.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

J. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Bronson moved to postpone balloting for two weeks.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Watson—2.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob How, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Watson moved to postpone balloting for two weeks. Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds—5.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Foley,

Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

TENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

ELEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

TWELFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

THIRTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

FOURTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

FIFTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

SIXTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Jos. W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to postpone balloting and proceed under the head of miscellaneous business.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing-er, Southard—7.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Jeffords, Pitkin, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

SEVENTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing-er, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Kelly moved to postpone balloting until the next regular meeting.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin—5.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of Henry Roberts for permission to move a wood building on Boardman avenue.

Referred to the Fire Marshal and Executive Board.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the clerk draw an order on the treasurer in favor of Chas. W. Carroll for thirty (\$30) dollars in payment for his services and disbursements in serving notices, on the owners, occupants, and tenants of the property to be taken for the extension of Syke street, payable from the contingent fund, and that the treasurer charge and carry said sum of thirty (\$30) dollars to the fund for the extension of said street when said fund shall be created, as part of the costs and expenses of said improvement.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Police Commissioners be, and they are hereby authorized and requested to appoint Anthony H. Martin, a special policeman of the city of Rochester, for the purpose of facilitating the enforcement of the Penal Ordinance relating to the sale and delivering of milk and licensing of dealers in the city of Rochester, without pay other than his salary as Milk Inspector, and with full powers and immunities. Subject to the rules and regulations established by said commissioners. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of M. Barry for permission to erect a wood building on Munger street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted. Also a petition for water in Mt. Vernon avenue. Referred to the Water Works Committee.

Ald. Rice presented a map showing a portion of the 12th and 16th wards, and containing a description of a tract of land adjacent to the Reservoir which Messrs. Ellwanger & Barry offer to donate to the city for the purpose of a public park, and moved that a committee of five, of which the President of the Board should be one, be appointed to confer with Messrs. Ellwanger & Barry as to the terms and conditions of said proposed grant. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of E. Bauer for permission to erect a wood building on Orange street, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Clerk is hereby directed to draw an order on the City Treasurer for \$32, payable to the President of the Society to Prevent Cruelty to Children and Animals, that being the amount in the Treasury belonging to that Association, September 18th, and charge Police Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of Lawrence Feely, for permission to erect a wood building on Fulton avenue, and moved that permission be granted, under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for water in Plymouth avenue from Frances street, to the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad, and presented the following:

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Executive Board be, and it hereby is directed, to lay water mains in Plymouth avenue, from Francis street to the Genesee Valley Canal railroad, a majority of the property owners on said street having petitioned therefor, the expense thereof to be charged to the water pipe extension fund.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be, and hereby is authorized, to employ a competent person at an expense not to exceed \$75 per month, whose duty it shall be to examine and inspect the public lamps of the city and report monthly to the Common Council the condition of lamps and any violation of the contracts for street lighting which may occur either in time of lighting or quantity or quality of light furnished, or on other matters pertaining thereto. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Fire Marshal be and he hereby is directed to at once notify the owner of the portion of the building formerly owned by Mr. Rosenberg, standing on the land taken for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street, to take down and remove said portion of the building. If said portion of the building shall not have been removed within three days from the date of such notice, that the Fire Marshal at once take down and remove the same and report the expense thereof to the Common Council, and that the City Attorney proceed to collect said expense of the persons liable to pay the same. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to receive fifty-three dollars and eighty-four cents in full of the assessment on lot 19, southwest middle part, for Ames street sewer, ordinance No. 1,914. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 2, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The Rochester City & Brighton Railroad Company respectfully ask your consent and permission to lay, operate and maintain a double track street railroad, commencing at the corner of State street, in and through Central avenue to North Water street, connecting with the present tracks to the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. depot.

Respectfully,

P. BARRY, President.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That consent and permission be granted to the Rochester City & Brighton R. R. Co. to lay, operate and maintain a single track from State street to Mill street, and a double track street railroad from Mill street in and through Central avenue to North Water street, connecting with the present track to the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. depot. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to construct a flagstone crosswalk across State street opposite the sidewalk on the north side of Church street. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to ac-

cept all back taxes on the Worcester track at 7 per cent. interest, except the general city taxes of 1883, and cancel the same of record. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the Treasurer, in favor of John R. Fanning, for sixty dollars and nine cents, in full of costs and disbursements in William S. Little vs. The City of Rochester, as per agreement with Law Committee, and charge contingent fund. Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Waston, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to issue the city's note for the sum of twenty thousand dollars, the discount on said note to be charged to contingent fund and the proceeds thereof to be placed to the credit of the contingent fund, said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Waston, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The chair announced the following committee to confer with Messrs. Ellwanger & Barry in relation to the proposed gift of land for a public park: Ald. Rice, Waston, Archer, Felsing, Barron.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—October 10, 1883.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Waston, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Aikenhead, Kelly—9.

Absent—Ald. Bronson, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Simmelink—7.

From the Mayor--

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Oct. 9, 1883. }

Frank N. Lord, Esq., City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—Please call a Special Meeting of the Common Council at Common Council Chamber, for Wednesday, Oct. 10th, 1883, at 10 o'clock a.m. Subject: Designation of a polling place for the 15th Ward.

C. R. PARSONS, Mayor.

By Ald. Kelly--Whereas, The place heretofore designated and fixed as the polling for the Fifteenth ward, for the ensuing year, is deemed unsafe and unsuitable for such purpose, therefore,

Resolved, That Joseph Attridge's new building, on Jay street, near the corner of Childs street, be and hereby is designated and fixed as the polling place for the Fifteenth ward during the remainder of the year. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords asked unanimous consent to present the following. Consent was granted.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 10, 1883.

The Rochester Hydraulic Motor Company of the city of Rochester, N. Y., desires the privilege of running their cars by compressed air on the street car tracks in the city of Rochester, for the purpose of demonstrating the power of the compressed air made at their works at the lower falls in the city of Rochester.

B. L. SHELDON.

We consent to the testing of the compressed air car on our tracks when practicable. P. BARRY, President R. C. & B. RR. Co. Oct. 10, 1883.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the Rochester Hydraulic Motor Company of the city of Rochester, N. Y., to run a car by compressed air on the street car tracks of the Rochester City and Brighton Railroad Co. along the streets of Rochester, for the purpose of demonstrating the power of compressed air as a motor, upon said company's executing and delivering to the Mayor a bond conditioned that said company will indemnify the city against all damages by reason of the running of said car. Said bond to be approved as to form by the City Attorney and as to the sufficiency of the sureties by the Mayor. Adopted.

By consent of the board, Ald. Barron moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Election for the Second ward. Adopted.

Ald. Barron nominated C. J. Robinson. C. J. Robinson was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Waston, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Aikenhead, Kelly—9.

C. J. Robinson was declared appointed Inspector of Election for the Second ward.

Ald. Archer asked and received unanimous consent to present the following:

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be instructed to place such electric lights on Central avenue, between North St. Paul street and North Clinton street, as in their judgment they may deem proper. Adopted.

The board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, October 16, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, president of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Waston, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meetings, Oct. 2d and 10th, 1883, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

C E Morris, stationery	\$ 182 70
Jackson & Burleigh	26 03
A. W. Mudre, livery for surveyor	5 50
M Heavy, hack hire to W B committee	9 50
D Behan, hack hire to Mayor Hill's funeral	12 00
Williamson & Hieble, stationery for court	23 10
Sunday Morning Herald, printing	2 00
James L Angle, legal services	65 00
S W. Stott, expense services Groves vs. city	40 00
Bell Telephone company, use of instruments	25 00
E D Smith, stenographer's services city attorney's office	60 00

Referred to the contingent expense committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petitions of John H. Stedman and E. F. Larson for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

Brush Electric Light Co, lighting for Sept. \$ 1450 00

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Chas.

H. Clark for permission to erect a wood building and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Bills of
 B H Clark & Son, paint, Oil, &c 26 53
 Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, Earth for Madison square 58 90

Referred to the Park Committee.
 Ald. Foley presented petitions of M. Garson and J. H. Coplin for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for a plank walk on Penn st. Referred to City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of E. A. Naramore for permission to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee, presented the following bills:
 Fifty fourth Regiment Band, annual parade....\$ 75 00
 Wm Basset, rep hdr. 19 96
 S A Pierce, medical services. 56 00
 B Frank Enos, expenses Sept. 106 48

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of Maggie Yattau for permission to erect a wood building on Van street, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented a petition for a sewer in Mount Vernon ave. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of
 Geo H Nicholson, setting glass\$ 8 70
 P G Miller, disbursements. 4 20
 Geo E Miller, wood 2 75
 Alfred Ellwood, keys, &c 5 03
 C H Carroll & Co, rep desk, &c 14 00
 Walter Williamson, labor and material. 161 44
 Burke, Fitzsimons, Hone & Co, sundries 11 88

Referred to the City Property Committee.
 Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for water in Union street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

By Ald. Foley—Bills of
 P Connaughton, groceries \$ 35 00
 A M Semple, " 217 60
 A H Martin, " 37 50
 Smith, Perkins & Co, candles 44 49
 Caspar Fromm, meat 578 65
 McCall & Huther, " 25 00
 E B Fero, board, " 30 42
 Home of Industry, board of inmates 165 48
 Industrial School, " 389 71
 Charles Englet, rent 12 00
 Geo S Thompson, rent 28 00

Referred to the Poor Committee.
 Ald. Archer presented the petition of Remi Miller and J. J. Schaffer for remission of taxes on their property taken by commission for the straightening and widening of North St. Paul street. Referred to the Law Committee.

Ald. Archer presented a petition for water on Avenue B, and presented the following:

By Ald. Archer—Resolved that the Executive Board be requested to extend the water main on Avenue B. from its eastern terminus to Conkey avenue. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Thomas J. Enright for permission to erect a wood building. Referred to the Wood building Committee and Fire Marshal.

Also a petition for water in Walnut street. Referred to the water works committee and Executive Board.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Jeffords from the lamp committee, Ald. Kelly from the city property committee, Ald. Collins from the contingent expense committee, Ald. Foley from the park and poor committees reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the finance committee for payment.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 16, 1883.

By Ann. Archer—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.	
A. C. Hachlin, disbursements.....	\$ 277 02
W. G. Hartens, badge.....	10 00
Rochester District Telegraph Company, service.	4 25
Clerk's disbursements.....	16 55
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Oct. 16.....	15 40
B. L. Sheldon, extra meals for witnesses.....	13 91
James L. Angle, legal services.....	65 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.	
St. Mary's Hospital, board of inmates.....	\$2,679 00
St. Patrick's Girls' Orphan Asylum, board of inmates.....	737 66
St. Mary's Boys' Orphan Asylum, board of inmates.....	765 26
St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, board of inmates.....	876 80
City Hospital, board of inmates.....	627 36
Rochester Orphan Asylum.....	376 23
Home for the Friendless, board of inmates.....	78 00
Church Home.....	133 90
Sisters of Mercy, board of inmates.....	153 00
W C Dickinson, 300 tons coal.....	1,725 00
Mary Mannigan, board.....	9 00
F M Harvey, rent.....	7 00
F Adst.....	6 00
Mary Wiest, ".....	8 00
Mich'l Hyznes, ".....	3 70
Smith, Perkins & Co, sugar.....	229 97
Anton Bel, groceries.....	50 00
A L Worth, meat.....	23 20
George Oppel, bread.....	27 00
M Heavey, transportation.....	87 03
B O'Reilly, burials.....	20 73
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	1,725 00
J Van Ingen, coal.....	1,725 00
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.	
Samuel Sloan, repairs.....	\$37 92
Bell Telephone Company, bill to August 16th, 1884.....	25 00
Consumers' Ice Company, ice.....	22 00
J. A. Campbell, medical services.....	5 00
James F. O'Neil, printing.....	4 50
And charge that fund.	

PARK FUND.	
John Sheridan, cartage.....	\$ 23 25
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.	
Rochester Gas Co., lighting and care for September.....	\$2,038 88
Municipal Gas Co., lighting and care for 23 lamps for September.....	48 97
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.	
Municipal Gas Company, lighting city buildings for September.....	\$ 169 02
L. F. & F. A. Ward, insurance.....	60 00
Eudolph Vay, insurance.....	81 20
Albert Schiffer, repairing furniture.....	6 25
A. Medcaf, soft soap.....	3 00
Chas. Little, monthly cleaning.....	88 00
W. Williamson, labor and material.....	161 44
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.	
John Becker, removing dead animals.....	\$88 60
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
 OFFICES, CITY HALL, Oct. 15, 1883. }

To the Common Council:
 The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby referred to your Honorable Board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
 THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holley, salary for October.....	\$ 208 84
Samuel B. Williams.....	208 83

George W. Aldridge,	208 33
W. J. Wilcox, stationery.....	14 87
John C. Moore, blank book.....	5 25
	\$645 12

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay-rolls, Oct. 11.....	\$141 48
Oct. 18.....	141 43
	\$ 282 96

George B. Harris, freight, pipe and specials.....	43 99
Eureka Steam Heating Co., castings.....	181 88
Thomas Oliver, estimate No. 5, Group 82.....	250 00
Howe & Clancy,	300 00
	\$1,008 28

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Payable when there are funds applicable.

Geo W Hart, extra pieces for scraper.....	\$ 6 00
James Hart, repairing harness.....	75
Coccard & Stiles, saddles, etc.....	5 33
Hack & Co, tools & repairs.....	43 83
Henry Leiman, wagon repairs.....	111 63
Leary & Bellows, repairing watch.....	12 00
Ekoummez & Son, iron work.....	25 21
Henry Blake, hardware and nails.....	34 98
Hamilton & Matthews, hardware and nails.....	38 86
Chace & Myers, lumber.....	394 91
H. H. Craig, lumber.....	41 30
Henry Harrison, rent of stone yard.....	37 50
Outs. Weyant, breaking MacAdam.....	45 80
Michael Tobel,	12 26
Pay roll,	149 58
E. L. Feltie, stone for Lake avenue.....	3 75
James Corrine,	3 60
J. L. Ludwiger, paint and oil.....	21 82
A. Elwood, repairing locks.....	4 85
Charles S. Fletcher, watching bride.....	14 00
Geo Bantel & Son, sprinkling Church st.....	40 00
George B. Harris, disbursements.....	7 75
George S. Libey, stone for Lake avenue.....	33 75
	\$1,083 76

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Pay rolls, Oct 11.....	\$ 475 22
	888 50
	\$ 1,363 72

Pay rolls, Oct 18.....	475 22
service and repairs.....	387 00
	\$ 862 22

T J Neville, disbursements	18 00
Geo B Harris	7 40
W J Wilcox, stationery.....	12 65
Scranton, V. Etuore & Co, stationery.....	8 10
Esauwick & Reindl, printing.....	11 35
Wm Bassett, work in office.....	53 87
B F Harris, rent of stable.....	20 00
M. E. Jarvis, sundries.....	1 74
James Kitch, supplies.....	4 25
Ludow W. Lehigh Co, supplies.....	208 81
Coccard & Stiles, rumps, etc.....	4 17
James Hart, repairing harness.....	4 99
H. A. Kingsley & Co, tools, etc.....	9 85
E. D. Rice, use of horses.....	5 88
G. F. Schilling, coal.....	175 74
Union Meter Co, meters and repairs.....	41 30
National Co.....	31 65
Rochester Gas Light Co, gas bills.....	19 00
E. H. Cook & Co, tools and supplies.....	17 23
F. Tuttle, Jr, pump.....	12 00
D. M. Hecce, hay and stabling.....	8 71
John Coyne, services.....	35 00
Gaumn & Bassett, pipe and fittings.....	71 21
	\$2,408 56

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

S M Stewart, horse carriage.....	\$ 650 00
Barnum & Co, painting, &c.....	65 50
J A Vanderwerf, repairing building.....	112 00
Wm Bassett.....	27 92
Christian Muhl, bills, hay.....	45 78
Monthly pay roll, payable Oct 31.....	2,890 40
Active Base Co, appropriation.....	250 00
G S Hannell, supplies.....	16 50
64th Regiment Band, services.....	75 00
Hebling's band.....	63 00
G F Schilling, coal.....	165 00
A Elwood, repairing locks, etc.....	1 40
E E Handy, labor, one tel., 2 bills.....	24 00
W Murray.....	24 00
Geo B Harris, expenses, fire tel.....	24 20
Utica Fire Alarm Tel. Co, instruments and supplies.....	785 14
Fanny A Jordan, damages by fire tel.....	3 00
J A Vanderwerf, estimate No 1 for Lyell avenue station.....	1,500 00
Reverend & Byce, estimate No 1 for Clinton street station.....	1,500 00
	\$8,732 85

Local Improvements—Erectal Funds.

John Quinn, inspecting Central avenue bridge.....	\$ 42 00
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John Lutes, inspecting Mill street sewer.....	36 00
George W. Hatch, inspecting A. St. Paul st. improvement.....	30 00
W. I. Hanford, inspecting Meigs st. improvement.....	24 00
Vaienne Hartz, inspecting Frances st. improvement.....	30 00
H Hampton, inspecting Frances street improvement.....	30 00
Jacob Bauer, inspecting Silver street sewer.....	58 75
Joseph Hohm, inspecting Goodman st. sewer.....	25 00
James Harion, inspecting Park avenue and Culver sewer.....	100 00
John Koch, inspecting Lewis street and Mount Vernon sewer.....	20 00
John Krecan, inspecting Central avenue improvement.....	21 00
L. Mansuet, inspecting Huntington street sewer.....	42 50
Street Department, inspecting and expenses, Huntington street sewer.....	4 27
Street Department, Goodman street sewer.....	10 54
Street Department, Caroline street walk.....	1 19
George Bantel & Son, sprinkling Lyell bridge apps. improvement.....	18 64
	\$ 493 89

Estimates.

John A. Meyer, final estimate, Caroline street walk.....	\$115 37
N. L. Brayer, final estimate, Huntington street sewer.....	1,180 50
William Fuiler, final estimate, Goodman st. sewer.....	1,532 70
Edward Wehert, estimate No. 4, upholding East avenue.....	100 00
Aigen & Lassisg, estimate No. 2, Central avenue bridge.....	6,000 00
Geo W. Thompson & Co., estimate No. 3, Central avenue bridge.....	6,000 00
John haucer, estimate No 1, Cambridge st. & c., sewer.....	300 00
R. Y. Connell, estimate No. 4, Park avenue and Culver street sewer.....	650 00
McCConnell & Jones, estimate No. 2, Meigs street improvement.....	2,400 00
A. C. Bowen, estimate No. 4, Manhattan street improvement.....	1,500 00
Whimmore, Kauber & Vicinus, estimate No. 1, Francis st. improvement.....	9,000 00
	\$29,282 46

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Cousins, Barton, Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Jenour, Foley, Pitkin, Reisinger, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simonenk—13.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Ald. Rice, from the select committee to confer with Messrs. Ellwanger & Barry in relation to a public park, reported progress and presented the following:

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the President be and he hereby is requested to name seven citizens of Rochester, not members of this board, to act in conjunction with the special committee heretofore appointed, with reference to the donation of Ellwanger & Barry of land to the city for a public park. Adopted.

By Ald. Strouss—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your special committee to which was referred the assessment roll for the extension of Ward and Hamburg street has had several meetings and has carefully considered the allegations of all parties interested therein, and hereby reports:

The ordinance for the extension of Ward and Hamburg street provided for the acquiring of lands sufficient to make a street 3 feet in width from Ward street to Hamburg street. The territory which was obtained benefited and held proper to be assessed therefor was comparatively limited. The expense of said improvement is, in the opinion of your committee, much in excess of the benefit to be derived from the improvement itself, and the assessments on the lots and parcels owned and benefited are more than the people are able or willing to pay.

It is and the unanimous request of the people, and who, if the assessment roll should be continued will be required to pay for the improvement, that the matter should be abandoned until such time as they are better able to bear the burden of the expense necessary therefor.

Your committee, therefore, recommend that the assessment roll be set aside, and that the ordinance under which action has been taken be reconsidered and indefinitely postponed.

Respectfully submitted,

E. STROUSS,
J. T. SOUTHWARD,
CHARLES WATSON,
J. A. HINDS,
J. A. FELSINGER,
Special Committee.

Adopted.

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Strouss presented the following :

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the assessment roll for the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets be, and the same hereby is, set aside, Adopted.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the final ordinance for the acquiring of lands for the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets be, and the same hereby is, reconsidered. Adopted.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the final ordinance for the acquiring of lands for the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets be, and the same hereby is, indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, Oct. 12, 1883.

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: In accordance with the provisions of the City Charter, at the beginning of the fiscal year, this board made requisition for the sum deemed necessary to be placed in the tax levy for the Highway Fund for the current year. Of this amount (\$90,000) of said requisition but \$50,000 was placed in said tax levy. Said fund is now exhausted and must be at once replenished. Said board would therefore respectfully request you to raise upon the credit of the city \$35,000 and place the same to the credit of the Highway Fund.
Respectfully submitted

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to make the city's note for one year for the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000) dollars, under the provisions of section 81 of the City Charter, and get the same discounted and place the avails to the credit of the highway fund and charge discount to contingent fund, said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the finance committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

From the Board of Health—

To the Honorable Board of Health:
GENTLEMEN—At the request of many property holders and residents on Exchange street, between Adams and Glasgow street, I wish to report the condition of twenty-one cellars, that depends on the sewer in the street for drainage; not one of those herein complained of has been in a suitable condition for use for the last six months on account of the water backing up from the sewer at every rainstorm. The sewer is stone, 24x24 inches, four feet six inches below the surface. It was built over thirty years ago; it is probably filled up with sediment, the drainage from Adam street, Edinborough, and Glasgow, emptying into so small a sewer is more than can be expected to readily discharge, even if there was no obstruction. As the Common Council has had this sewer under consideration for some time, I delayed this report. There are so many south of Glasgow and west of Exchange streets up on high ground that opposed the improvement, caused the defeat, as a sanitary necessity, the residents will all unite in petitioning your honorable body for relief.

Respectfully submitted,
G. W. HALL, Health Inspector.
referred back to the Common Council.

Referred to the Sewer Committee and Surveyor.

From the Excise Commissioners :

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester.

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing Sept 1st, 1883, and ending Sept 30th, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz:

Sept. 3, 1883:	
Moandge, W. A., act, 18 Spring st.	\$ 50 00
May, Gustave, Reynolds and Bartlett sts.	54 00
Dolaney, Matthew, 39 Mill st.	50 00
Lynch, Ellen M., 180 N St Paul.	30 00
Sept. 10—	
Staudenmaier, Joseph, 111 North ave.	50 00
O'Connor, John, 103 Mill st.	50 00
Tuby, George, 184 West ave.	54 00
Sept. 17—	
Yawman, John, 41 Saratoga ave.	50 00
Kase, Nicholas, 108 Orange st.	56 00
Breaky, James W., 54 West ave.	65 00
McDonald, Joseph, 92 N Clinton st.	50 00
Cooney, Henry, 317 E Main st.	50 00
Tuschinger, M & H, 95 N ave.	50 00
Kase, Charles, Reynolds and Hunter sts.	56 00
Young, William, Maple and Hunter sts.	50 00
Nero, Dominico, 124 North ave.	50 00
Ford, George, 129 and 131 State st.	52 00
Ovenburg, Roman, 1 Lowell st.	30 00
Hohenstein, John, 116 West Main st.	56 00
Sept 24—	
Vall, Edward, 25 South St Paul st.	50 00
Hartung, Chas. W., 136 Seio st.	50 00
McNeill, Mrs Olive, 59 Lyell ave.	50 00
Slavin, Matthew, 122 Mill st.	54 00
Nersinger, Ane, 2 North ave.	50 00
Brewer, S S, 3 Front st.	65 00
Schroedel, August, 9 and 11 Hawkins st.	60 00
Total amount received and all deposited with the City Treasurer.	\$1,394 0

Dated Oct. 1st, 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CO-RAID HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
COUNTY OF MONROE, } ss.

City of Rochester.
The undersigned Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the money received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all money received by them during the month of September 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October, 1883.
E. F. STILLWELL,
Com. of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Police Clerk—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1883.
POLICE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, October 16, 1883.

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of September, 1883.

Sept.	Crime.	Fualty.	Paid.
1—Ann Moore.....	Drunk	\$10	\$10
John.....	"	10	
George Doyle.....	"	10	
Ames Flynn.....	"	10	
Josephine Allen.....	"	10	
Ann Sullivan.....	"	10	
3—Chas B Brown.....	"	5	5
Elen Cottoer.....	"	10	10
James.....	"	10	5
John Monaghan.....	"	5	
Francis Fisher.....	petit larceny 10		
Nellie Parker.....	viu ord	10	
4—Wm Richer.....	Drunk	10	
Samuel Nelligan.....	"	10	
Della Kelly.....	"	10	5
Fred Satter.....	"	10	
Ed Damon.....	"	10	
Ed Farley.....	"	10	
Hannah Dwyer.....	"	10	
Georgie McCann.....	"	10	
Madalena Schubert.....	assault	15	15
Robt Trollip.....	drunk	10	5
Barbara Hursk.....	"	10	
Geo Frederick.....	assault	Cost	1

Anna Nash.....	vio ord	10		
James Fluncan.....	drunk	10		
Dennis McCarthy.....	..	10	5	
5-Richard Howe.....	..	10		
Lottie Lawson.....	..	10		
Geo A Miller.....	assault	10	5	
Wm Webb.....	drunk	10		
Eliza Howard.....	..	10		
6-James Brady.....	..	10		
Gordon H Hiddings.....	..	10		
Philip Niner.....	vio ord	Cost	50	
Geo Burger.....	..	Cost	51	
John Geysesbach.....	..	cost	50	
Betsy Collins.....	pet lar	25	25	
Magdalena Roth.....	..	25	25	
Mary Dow.....	..	10		
Mary Greenough.....	..	15	15	
7-Anna Black.....	assault	5	25	
Andrew Schaf.....	drunk	10	5	
Conrad Hetzler.....	..	10		
Mich Ryan.....	..	10		
Fred Zimmer, Jr.....	assault	cost	1	
Elias Swanton.....	pet lar	15	15	
8-Albert Aurrighs.....	drunk	10	10	
Joseph Meyers.....	..	10		
10-Frank S Bearner.....	..	10		
Henry E White.....	vio ord	cost	1	
Jas Hughes.....	drunk	10	10	
John Keegan.....	..	10		
John Mulvey.....	..	10		
Wm Kelly.....	..	10		
John Keefer.....	..	10	10	
John Huffmann.....	..	10		
Sam Green.....	..	10		
Jas Beardsley.....	..	10	10	
Mich Burke.....	..	10	10	
John Miller.....	assault	5	5	
Wm A Sullivan.....	drunk	cost	1	
Wm Coughlin.....	..	10		
Chas Rundel.....	..	10		
John Quetchenback.....	..	10		
11-Margaret Murphy.....	..	10		
Jas Temple.....	..	10		
Geo Reed.....	..	10		
Otto Balo.....	assault	10	13	
Jas Carroll.....	..	25	13	
Mathew McMahon.....	..	cost	1	
12-Mich O'Brien.....	drunk	10	5	
John Kelly.....	..	cost	1	
Bridget Colbert.....	..	10		
Geo Weldon.....	..	10		
John Conway.....	..	10		
John Moore.....	..	10		
Daniel Donovan.....	..	10		
13-John V Raye.....	..	10		
Mary Smith.....	..	10		
Eliza Ackerson.....	vio ord	10		
Peter McMunn.....	drunk	10		
Henry Miller.....	..	10		
Mich Lavin.....	..	10		
Chas Durand.....	..	10	5	
14-Thos Quinn.....	..	10		
Henry Jennings.....	..	10		
Mary Dryer.....	..	10		
John O'Brien.....	assault	15	15	
Ann Moore.....	drunk	10		
Thos Moran.....	assault	2	50	
15-Hannah Dwyer.....	drunk	10		
Peter McCuen.....	..	10		
Ellen Allen.....	..	10		
Geo Reed.....	..	10		
Thos Day.....	..	10		
17-Lewis Warren.....	..	10	5	
Libbie Kistin.....	..	10	5	
Kate Warren.....	..	10		
Kate Kinsella.....	..	10		
James Sylvester.....	..	10	5	
John Blaine.....	..	10		
Rich Connell.....	..	10	5	
Danl Sweeney.....	..	10	5	
Maggie Doolittle.....	..	10	5	
Libbie Bell.....	..	10	5	
John Mansfield.....	..	10	5	
John Kelly.....	..	10		
Ann O'Rourke.....	..	10		
John Schinck.....	..	10		
Joseph Schellenger.....	..	10		
Waler S Ferris.....	vio ord	25		
Frank Marnor.....	drunk	10		
Chas Williams.....	..	10		
Chas Warner.....	hotel fraud, cost	1		
18-Maggie Barry.....	drunk	10		
Leonard Regg.....	..	10		
John Mansfield.....	..	10	4	50
Kate McIntyre.....	..	10		
Cyrus Marsh.....	..	10		
Thos Kelly.....	..	1		
Fred Rowe.....	assault	1	1	
Henry Paine.....	..	5	5	
Emma Paine.....	..	5	3	
John Herman.....	petit larceny	10	10	

Joseph Wanten.....	..	5	5	
Ellen McLoughlin.....	..	10	5	
Christopher Nungent.....	..	5	5	
Amust Haddeman.....	..	5	5	
Fritz Calpen.....	..	5	5	
Fred McIntel.....	..	5	5	
Albert Deo.....	..	5		
Robt Warney.....	..	5	5	
Gibhard Schaffer.....	..	5	7	
Christopher Myers.....	drunk	10	7	
19-Mary Padmore.....	..	10		
John Thomas.....	..	10		
Theron Huechinson.....	via ord	25		
Christopher Ernest.....	..	10		
20-John Brisman.....	drunk	10	5	
Chas Chapman.....	..	10		
Robt Trollop.....	..	10		
Cyrous Marsh.....	..	10		
Erl H Lowe.....	..	10	5	
21-Patk Brady.....	..	10		
Duke Tanner.....	..	10	10	
Barbara Hursh.....	..	10		
Robt Trollop.....	..	10	10	
James Healy.....	..	10	10	
Pats McGee.....	..	10	10	
Thos Maloney.....	..	10		
Chas McNamara.....	..	10		
Elijah Russell.....	..	10		
24-Emil Thomas.....	..	10		
Abraham Henakin.....	..	10	5	
Thos Tierney.....	petit larceny	9	9	
Thos McGuire.....	drunk	10		
Chas Glenn.....	..	10		
Hugh O'Neil.....	..	10		
David Norton.....	..	10		
Andrew McCreary.....	..	10		
John Butler.....	..	10		
Wm Murray.....	..	10	5	
Nelle Kelley.....	..	10		
Thos Spillane.....	..	10		
Mathew Nagle.....	..	10		
Max Weber.....	petit larceny	5	5	
Mary Lynch.....	drunk	10		
Peter Mack.....	..	10		
Wm Carr.....	..	10		
Solomon Earlander.....	..	10	4	
Wm Crocker.....	..	10		
Frank Tully.....	..	10		
Thos Hackett.....	..	10	5	
Jas O'Shaughnessy.....	..	10	5	
Jacob Webber.....	..	10		
25-Mich Maigan.....	..	10	5	
Geo Schmuur.....	assault	10	10	
Thos Eley.....	drunk	10		
James McCamridge.....	..	10		
Robt Trollop.....	..	10		
Sarah Bradley.....	..	10	10	
Emma Day.....	..	10	5	
Anna Decker.....	..	10	5	
Mary Murphy.....	..	10		
Jessie Wilson.....	..	10		
James Morgan.....	..	10	5	
Thos Burke.....	..	10		
26-Jeremiah Lyons.....	..	10	5	
Dennis Mahoney.....	..	10	10	
John White.....	..	10	5	
Mich Fairbrand.....	..	10	5	
Thos Nolan.....	..	10		
Frank Clay.....	..	10		
27-Fred Davis.....	..	10		
Thos Burke.....	..	10		
Peter crak.....	assault	10	10	
28-Kate Wardell.....	drunk	10		
Jeremiah Lyons.....	..	10		
Daniel Grabam.....	..	10		
29-Fred Dopsce.....	..	10		
Arthur Bain.....	..	10		
Ida Day.....	..	10	10	
Mary Johnson.....	..	10		
Maggie Moran.....	..	10		
Jennie Russell.....	old judgment		50	

\$665 50

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester, ss:
 I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of September, 1888, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.

Sworn to before me this 16th day of October, 1888,
 A. G. WHEELER,
 Police Justice and Commissioner of Deeds.
 Ordered received, filed and published.
 From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
 Rochester, October 16th, 1888.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In accordance with Sec. 29 of the City Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath prescribed by law:

A. J. Weinting	Inspector of Elections.
William G. Walters	.. .. .
B. H. Childs	.. .. .
Asbury Fay	.. .. .
Henry Knezel	.. .. .
C. J. Robinson	.. .. .
Geo. M. Handel	.. .. .
Edward S. Martin, Geo. G. Youngman, Geo. C. Leuten- ner, Andrew Van Dyck, D. M. Childs, Agness Moore, Commissioners of Deeds,	.. .. .

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Commissioners in the matter of
extending Pinnacle avenue—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of
Rochester.

The undersigned, who were appointed by order of the County Court of the State of New York, duly granted and entered on the 13th day of August, 1883, commissioners to inquire into and determine to what damages and compensation the owners and occupants of the lands to be taken for the opening of a street from Pinnacle avenue to Griffith street, in the city of Rochester, will be entitled, do respectfully report and certify their award of damages, as incident to the opening of said street, as follows:

The several pieces and parcels of land required for said improvement are described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot number sixteen (16), as designated on a map of the Griffith tract, made by James J. Bruin and recorded in the Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 124 of Deeds at page 473, thence running easterly along the south line of Griffith street forty-eight feet; thence southerly along the east line of the proposed street one hundred and ten feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the south line of Griffith street and one hundred and ten feet distant therefrom, forty-eight (48) feet; thence northerly along the west line of said lot number sixteen, one hundred and ten feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Mary J. Keith of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon, held by the Mechanics' Savings Bank of Rochester, to secure the payment of two hundred dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid, with interest thereon from the first day of May, 1883.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot number sixteen above referred to, thence southerly along the west line of said lot number sixteen one hundred and ten feet; thence easterly along a line parallel with the south line of Griffith street and one hundred and ten feet therefrom, forty-eight feet; thence southerly along the east line of the proposed street ninety-two and nine-tenths (92 9/10) feet, to land belonging to the State of New York; thence westerly along the north line of said lands belonging to the State of New York to the west line of the proposed street, one hundred and ninety-two and one-half feet to the south line of Griffith street, thence easterly along the south line of Griffith street twelve feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Ardella A. Fullam of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the west line of the proposed street with the north line of Pinnacle avenue; thence northerly along the west line of the proposed street to lands belonging to the state of New York; thence easterly along the southerly line of said lands belonging to the state of New York, to the east line of the proposed street; thence southerly along the east line of the proposed street, one hundred and ninety-two and one-half feet to the north line of Pinnacle avenue; thence westerly along the north line of Pinnacle avenue to the place of beginning, being a strip of land sixty feet wide, at right angles between the lines of the proposed street, lying between the north line of Pinnacle avenue and the south line of said lands belonging to the state of New York.

Jane Montgomery of Rochester appears to have a life estate in these premises, while there are several claimants of the reversion. There are also numerous liens on the premises by way of judgments against one of said claimants.

Therefore, we, the subscribers, the commissioners, having been duly sworn, as required by the statute in such case made and provided, and having all met and acted on the matter submitted to us at the City Attorney's office, in the City Hall building, Rochester, N. Y., pursuant to a notice of at least ten days, published and given according to law, and having taken a view of every part of the premises affected by this proceeding, and having inquired into and heard the allegations and proof of the respective parties in interest, do therefore determine and appraise the damage which the

several owners and occupants of the lands and premises thus to be taken for the opening of said street, will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, and do award the full amount of such damage and fix the compensation which each of the aforesaid owners and occupants shall receive therefor, as follows:

To Mary J. Keith three thousand three hundred dollars, of which two hundred dollars, with interest from May 1st, 1883, is payable to the Mechanics' Savings Bank of Rochester, mortgagee, and the remainder is payable to Mary J. Keith.

To Ardella A. Fullam one thousand nine hundred dollars, payable to Ardella A. Fullam.

To Jane Montgomery and others two thousand (\$2,000) dollars, to be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank of Rochester, N. Y., to the credit of the owners of the premises last above described.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN R. FANNING,
C. C. MEYER,
JOHN S. KRATZ,
Commissioners.

Ordered received, filed and published.
By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the extension of Pinnacle avenue be heard at a regular meeting of the Common Council to be held in Common Council Chambers, in the City Hall building, on the 30th day of October, 1883, at 6 o'clock p. m.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,549.

PIPE SEWER IN HARVARD STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Harvard street from a point 145 feet east of Rowley street to the sewer in Goodman street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 9 inches in diameter in Harvard street, from a point 145 feet east of Rowley street to the sewer in Goodman street; also the necessary surface sewers and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by an assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$300, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Harvard street, from a point 145 feet east of Rowley street to the sewer in Goodman street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strous, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The final ordinance for opening and extending Maria street came up, and on motion of Ald. Southard action was postponed two weeks.

The final ordinance for the construction of a foot bridge across the Erie canal on West Main street came up. On motion of Ald. Kelly action was postponed two weeks.

The final ordinance for a plank walk on Jennings street came up, and on motion of Ald. Simmelink was indefinitely postponed.

FINAL ORDINANCE—NO. 2,550.

IMPROVING NORTH AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to improve North avenue, from East Main street to University avenue.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of North avenue, from the north curb line of East Main street, to the south curb line of University avenue, by constructing a pavement of Me-

the stone, with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof; width of roadway between curb lines to be 43 feet.

Also, the construction of a stone sewer $1\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{4}$ feet in size; with curved invert, from a point 50 feet north of East Main street, to the sewer in University avenue.

Also, the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers, lot line stakes and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$19,468 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North avenue from East Main street, to a point opposite the south curb line of University avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows: One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Ald. Strouss presented a remonstrance, which was read.

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Simmelinck submitted the following:

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Sewer Committee has had its attention called to the condition of the cellars of residents residing on North avenue, from East Main street to University avenue, and has investigated the complaints made by such residents and hereby reports to your honorable body:

Your committee finds, as a result of its investigation, that the sewers under most of the houses situated on said street are now over five and a half feet deep, and that by reason of the water which accumulates in such cellars a greater depth being inadvisable.

Your committee examined the cellars of twelve houses on said street and was told by the people residing in said houses that every fall and spring water stood in said cellars, and also after heavy rains. In the summer, Great complaint was made by nearly all of the people living on said street with whom your committee conversed on this subject.

Your committee finds that the distance from the top of the sewer in the street to the crown of the road-bed is only five feet, which fact accounts for the water accumulating in the cellars.

Your committee believes that it is a matter of great importance to the health of the people residing on said street that the sewer in North avenue should be deepened. Respectfully submitted,

J. B. SIMMELINCK,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
CHARLES WATSON,
Committee.

The final ordinance for the improvement of North avenue was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

The final ordinance for a plank walk on Murray street came up.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the ordinance for a plank walk on Murray street be amended so as to extend to Hensler Alley, and that the estimate be changed accordingly. Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved that the Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance for a sewer in South St. Paul street, in accordance with the request of Mr. Clark Johnson. Adopted.

PENAL ORDINANCE.

Ald. Kelly submitted the following:

An ordinance to prevent persons from walking or

being on the elevated tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company in the city of Rochester.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain as follows:

Section I.—It shall not be lawful for any person, except employes of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, who shall be specially permitted by said company so to do, to walk or be upon the elevated tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company in the city of Rochester.

Section II.—Any person violating any of the provisions of the foregoing section shall forfeit and pay a penalty of five dollars for each offense.

Section III.—Every execution issued upon a judgment recovered for a violation of any of the provisions of Section I of this ordinance shall command the amount to be made of the property of the defendant, if any such can be found; if not, then to commit the defendant to the Monroe County Penitentiary for a period of ten days.

Section IV.—This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ald. Kelly moved that action be postponed until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Action on the proposed agreement between the city of Rochester and Dyer D. S. Brown being in order Ald. Kelly moved a further postponement of four weeks. Adopted.

Ald. Archer in the chair.

The resolution of Ald. Strouss directing the extension of water mains in several streets and published at page 208, current proceedings, came up.

On motion of Ald. Strouss action was postponed four weeks.

The following came up:

"Ald. Foley presented a petition from residents and tax payers on North and South Francis street, to change the name of said street to Francis avenue, and moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted."

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the name of North and South Francis street be changed to Jefferson avenue, and the City Clerk be directed to enter the same in the street register, and the Executive Board be notified of said change. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Strouss moved to proceed to the appointment of Commissioners of Deeds and that the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—13.

Henry C. Covell, 3d ward,

James McCullin, 4th ward,

M. J. Gannon, 5th ward,

R. D. Jeffreys, 7th ward,

Henry L. Fish, Jr., 8th ward,

Frank W. Bowby, 10th ward,

John A. Hurlbert, 16th ward,

Having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appointed Commissioner of Deeds.

Ald. Pitkin moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—9.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved that further voting for Police Commissioner be postponed until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for water in Brighton avenue. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for a street railroad from tax-payers and residents of the south end of the 15th ward and moved to table two weeks. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition of the Rochester Bicycle club for permission to use the City Hall for an exhibition. Referred to the city property committee.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition for the improvement of Selden street. Referred to the City Surveyor.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition to change the name of Cherry street and offered the following:

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the street heretofore known and called Cherry street be named Windsor street, and the City Clerk be directed to enter the same in the Street Register, and that the Executive Board be notified of said change. Adopted.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of Mr. P. Bainbridge for permission to erect a wood building on Joslyn park and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the City Clerk be, and he hereby is, directed to draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of John R. Fanning, chairman of the Commission, for \$120, in full of all fees of John R. Fanning, C. C. Meyer and John S. Kratz, commissioners in the matter of acquiring lands for the extension of Pinnacle avenue, including clerk hire, and charge Contingent Fund; and that the Treasurer charge and carry said sum of \$120 to the fund for the opening and extension of Pinnacle avenue, when such fund shall have been created, as part of the costs and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead—13.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of P. H. Andrews for permission to erect a wood building. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Hinds presented a petition for a sewer in Thorn and Rowe streets and Lake avenue. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Ald. Hinds presented a petition for water in Glenwood avenue. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of John O'Neil for permission to move a wood building on Arkle w street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Whereas, The Rochester Gas Light Company proposes to lay its gas mains through and along Plymouth avenue, from Genesee Valley Canal bridge south, Strong street, Bartlett, Frost avenue, Champlain and Cady streets, Seward, Reynolds and Francis streets, if the city will obligate itself to obtain from said company light for said streets for three years. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is instructed to enter into a contract with said company, to be drawn and approved by the City Attorney, providing that said company shall lay its mains in said streets, and that the city will for three years obtain its lights for said streets from said company at a price per lamp per year not exceeding the price

paid per lamp per year to the said company, under the existing contract with said company the present year.

On motion of Ald. Barron action was postponed two weeks.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Citizens' Gas Light Co. be requested to lay their mains in Elizabeth Place, from North Clinton street to the east end thereof. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords moved that action on the resolution adopted at the last regular meeting authorizing the Lamp Committee to employ a lamp inspector be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords moved that the resolution be amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be and hereby is authorized to employ a competent person, from month to month, at an expense not to exceed \$75 per month, whose duty it shall be to examine and inspect the public lamps of the city, and to report monthly to the Common Council the condition of said lamps and any violation of contracts for street lighting which may occur, either in time of lighting or the quality and quantity of the light furnished, and all other matters pertaining to the furnishing of satisfactory light under the provisions of said contracts. The person thus employed shall not continue in said employment beyond the first day of April next. Adopted.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he hereby is authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of William Carroll, Fire Marshal, for \$32.50, in payment of the expense incurred by him in the clearing away of building materials from the Miller lot on the corner of North St. Paul and Atwater streets.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—14.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he hereby is authorized on behalf of the city of Rochester to offer judgment against the said city in favor of the plaintiff in the action in the Supreme Court entitled "The National Gas Light Company of the City of New York against the City of Rochester," for an amount not in excess of one hundred dollars and the costs of said action to the time of said offer.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—14.

By Ald. Barron—Whereas, Lot No. 4 e pt and 5 s pt of the sub-division of lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, tract, west side Mill street, Second Ward, was assessed for opening a street from State street to Sophia street, No. 3161, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated October 3d, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such Tax upon the payment of \$87.50, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 3, 1883.

A. C. McGlavin, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to J. Sherwood Comins, viz:

Lot No 4 e pt and 5 s pt of sub-division of lot 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, tract, west side of Mill street, Second Ward,

37 feet 8 inches front, 38 feet rear, and 102 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of opening a street from State street to Sophia street, No 2161, the sum of \$87 50, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed.)

WM. MAHAR,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., October 16, 1883
A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is, authorized to receive from the owner of lots from No. 4 to No. 10, both inclusive, on the corner of Savannah and Court streets, and lots No. 1 to No. 10, both inclusive, on the corner of Union and Court streets, in the Seventh ward, the sum of \$856.88, being the original assessment, with interest thereon at seven per cent per annum from June 10th, 1874, in full of assessment for Court street improvement, and charge the balance of said assessment to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of Sarah S. Woolard and Mary E. Briggs in relation to taxes on the property sold by them for the government building. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of C. A. Cary & Co. for permission to store powder outside of the doorway of their store. Referred to the Fire Marshal to report to the Board.

By Ald. Collins—

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of Rochester:

I hereby tender my resignation as Inspector of Election in the First Ward in favor of C. C. Werner, who received the next highest number of votes at the election I was elected.

Dated at Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 16, 1883.

C. D. KEIHEL.

Accepted.

Ald. Collins moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Elections for the First ward. Adopted.

C. C. Werner was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Akienshead, Kelly—13.

C. C. Werner was declared appointed Inspector of Election.

Ald. Barron moved that the Brush Electric Light Co. be directed to place their light in Frank street from Centre street to Jay street, under the direction of the lamp committee. Adopted.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, October 30, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, president of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly—14.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, Oct. 16th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, & C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

W. J. Sheridan, services special commissioner.	\$ 140 00
Geo. G. Clarkson,	140 00
L. A. Pratt,	140 00
C. A. Brady, investigating water works books.	470 00
C. W. Carroll, serving redemption notices.	75 00
Steele & Avey, stationery	116 40
J. N. Beckley, disbursements.	214 98
John Snow, wire pins, surveyor.	1 09
James Kavanagh, hack hire.	3 00
John Hannan,	4 00
Thomas Knowles,	4 00
D. Livermore, livery.	10 00
S. W. Stott, serving improvement notices.	100 28
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, labor and material Coggswell fountain	692 18

Referred to the contingent expense committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petition of Joshua Thompson for permission to erect a wood building on Plymouth ave. and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and wood building committee. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Mrs. Dr. L. E. Franks for permission to erect a wood building on North Clinton st. Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

J. W. Maser, setting lamp posts.	\$ 50 50
J. W. Maser, lighting and care oil lamps, Oct.	941 75
Citizens' Gas Co., lighting gas lamps Oct.	2,802 54
Citizens' Gas Co., setting posts.	34 85
Rochester	109 00
Rochester Gas Co, lighting and care Oct.	2,067 42

Referred to the lamp committee.

Ald Jeffords presented a petition for a flag stone walk on Meigs st.

Referred to the improvement committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Louis Jesserer for permission to erect a wood building. Referred to the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That Delbert Marselja, Thomas J. Enright and P. H. Andrews are hereby granted permission to erect wood buildings according to their petitions. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Mathilda Poggendorf for permission to erect a wood building on Cady st. Referred to the Fire Marshal with power to act.

Ald. Hinds presented the petitions of B. Cain and Mary Burke for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds presented a petition for water mains in West st. Referred to the Water Works Committee.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee, presented the following bill:

A. Ellwood, keys and repairs.	\$ 4 50
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Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of J. C. Taylor for permission to erect wood buildings on North Goodman street and Strathallan park and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the petitions of John Van Houte and Geo. C. Staud for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

Smith, Perkins & Co., groceries.	\$263 88
.. .. sugar.	265 58
.. .. pork.	236 00
.. .. candies.	38 11

Fleckenstein Bros., bread.....	124 80
Geo. Oppel.....	23 16
Schaffer Bros.....	56 84
O'Kane Bros., meat.....	172 48
John McDonald.....	25 00
E. L. Thomas, rent.....	15 00
Wm. Coughlin.....	9 00
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	24 50

Referred to the Poor Committee.
Ald. Rice, from the Health Committee, presented the following bills:

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage.....	\$238 00
J. W. Maser.....	128 25
P. Bradley.....	228 0
Jacob Rauber.....	114 00
Jerome Keys, supt.....	84 00
M. Heavey, board of horse.....	20 00

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of P. L. Apgar for permission to move a frame building, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Executive Board.

Adopted.
Ald. Southard presented the petition of C. Rosenbower for permission to erect a wood building on Hanover street. Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

Geo. Chambers, labor and material Cogswell fountain.....	\$505 50
J. S. Graham & Co., labor and material Cogswell fountain.....	25 00
A. E. Hartman, labor and material Cogswell fountain.....	14 70
Gaugh & Bassett, plumbing.....	121 71

Referred to the City Property Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Felsing from the Poor Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp committee, Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense committee, Ald. Kelly from the City Property committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance committee for payment.

Ald. Archer in the chair.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 30, 1883.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR OCTOBER, 1883.

Cornelius R. Parsons, Mayor.....	\$250 00
Ambrose C. McGlavin, Treasurer.....	875 00
H. F. McGlavin, assistant.....	168 66
Frank Kondolf, clerk.....	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	83 33
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	168 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger.....	100 00
Chas. M. Beattie, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 33
John Gorton, City Assessor.....	208 33
Wm. Maher.....	208 33
V. Fleckenstein.....	2 8 33
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warner.....	150 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk.....	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	75 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. V. Race.....	75 00
Ambrose Redman.....	60 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	75 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney.....	250 00
A. H. Martin, milk inspector.....	66 66
Wm. C. Gray, Inspector of elevated tracks.....	140 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	70 00
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Wm. M. Rebaz, Jr., draughtsman.....	30 00
Harry J. Jeffords, clerk.....	30 00
Jarvis Lord, 2nd City Clerk's Office.....	50 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

C. E. Morris, stationary.....	\$ 182 70
E. D. Smith, Jr., stenographer's service.....	60 00
S. W. Stott, services, Groves vs. City.....	40 00
Bell Telephone, rent to April 1, 1884.....	25 00
Williamson & Hightie, stationery.....	23 10
Jackson & Burleigh.....	26 03
A. W. Mudge, livery.....	5 50
M. Heavey, livery.....	9 50
Dennis Bean, carriages, C. J. Hill's funeral.....	12 00
Sunday Morning Herald, notice.....	3 00
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Oct. 30.....	15 00
C. A. Brady, investigating water works books.....	470 00
And charge that fund.....	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR OCTOBER, 1883.

N. Thompson, overseer.....	\$ 141 66
J. H. McGregor, Clerk.....	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk.....	75 00
Geo. Hartel, Clerk.....	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk.....	75 00
Dr. J. J. A. Burke, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. A. L. Perry, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Thos. Spencer, City Physician.....	50 00
D. Henry Koch, City Physician.....	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner.....	75 00
C. Herzberger.....	75 00
James P. Evans.....	75 00
Maurice Movnihan, clerk.....	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Casper Fromm, meat.....	\$ 378 65
McCall & Huther, meat.....	25 00
P. Connaughton, groceries.....	35 00
A. M. Sample.....	217 60
A. H. Martin.....	37 50
Geo S Thompson, rent.....	25 00
Chas Englert.....	12 00
Industrial School.....	389 71
Home of Industry, board of inmates.....	165 48
Smith, Percins & Co, candles.....	44 40
B. Bevo, board.....	30 42
And charge that fund.....	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR OCTOBER, 1883.

Dr. W. F. Sheenan, Health Officer.....	\$ 75 00
Geo. Messmer, Register.....	66 66
John M. Harder, Inspector.....	50 00
Otho Griswold, Inspector.....	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Schuey, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Heindol, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	58 33
Jno. C. Vance, sewer flusher.....	27 00
Joseph Thompson.....	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector.....	50 00
Messenger.....	33 33

MISCELLANEOUS.

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage to Oct. 26.....	228 00
P. Bradley.....	26.....
J. W. Maser.....	26.....
J. Rauber.....	27.....
Jerome Keys, superintendent col. garbage to Oct. 26.....	34 00
M. Heavey, board of horse for Oct.....	20 00
And charge that fund.....	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Burke, FitzSimons, Hone & Co, sundries.....	\$ 11 88
Geo H Nicholson, setting glass.....	8 70
P G Miller, disbursements.....	4 20
Geo E Miller, wood.....	2 75
Alfred Ellwood, keys, &c.....	5 65
C H Carroll & Co, rep desk &c.....	14 00
Gaugh & Bassett, repairs, &c., city buildings.....	121 71
E Emerick (contract for quarter) care of city clocks.....	87 50
And charge that fund.....	

PARK FUND.

Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, earth for Madison park.....	53 90
B. H. Clark & Co., material.....	26 55
And charge that fund.....	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Brush Electric Light Co., light for Sept.....	1,450 80
J. W. Maser, lighting oil lamps Oct.....	941 75
setting posts.....	50 50
And charge that fund.....	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

B Frank Enos, expenses Sept.....	108 48
Fifty-fourth Regiment Band, annual parade.....	75 00
S A Pierce, medical services.....	56 00
Wm Bassett, rep hqdr.....	19 96
And charge that fund.....	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER.)
Offices, City Hall, Oct. 29, 1883. }

To the Hon. Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby referred to your honorable board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted, THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Williamson & Higbie, stationery.....	\$ 25 26
Rochester Printing Co., printing.....	4 75
<i>Street Department—Highway Fund.</i>	
Weekly pay roll, Oct. 25.....	87 25
James Dorsey, repairs to steam roller.....	72 59
Pay roll, breaking MacAdam.....	67 41
L. Mandery, sewer pipe and material.....	177 27
Charles S. Fletcher, watching bridge.....	16 00
J. W. Fiske, drinking fountains.....	38 83
Chase & Otis, lumber.....	330 37
J. E. Whitbeck, agent, lumber.....	81
S. A. Millington & Co., repainting bridge signs..	7 00
	\$1,253 53

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Oct. 25.....	\$141 48
Weekly pay roll, Nov. 1.....	141 48
	\$282 96
R. D. Wood & Co., final estimate c. i. pipe	170 53
George B. Hayes, est. No. 5, c. i. pipe and specials	5,283 64
George B. Hayes, labor and materials, c. i. pipe	39 15
George B. Harris, transportation.....	183 49
J. H. Nellis, estimate No. 5, group	81
Thomas Oliver.....	6
Howe & Clancy.....	82
N. L. Brayer, final estimate group	71
David Clancy.....	72
J. H. Decker & Co.....	74
F. C. Lauer.....	77
N. L. Brayer.....	78
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate, group 80.....	25 95
N. L. Brayer, final estimate, Goodman street railroad crossing.....	57 18
Howe & Snyder, w. i. pipe and fittings.....	19 42
	\$3,721 51

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Oct. 25, operating expenses.....	\$475 22
Weekly pay roll, Oct. 25, service and repairs.....	344 50
	\$819 72
Weekly pay roll, Nov. 1, operating expenses.....	475 22
Weekly pay roll, Nov. 1, service and repairs.....	358 00
	\$833 22
T. J. Neville, disbursements	16 20
Rochester Printing Co., blank books.....	18 00
Serantom, Wetmore & Co., stationery.....	4 50
John C. Moore, registers.....	60 50
S. Marshall, hay and straw.....	39 47
Curtis & Co., supplies.....	2 58
Scott brothers, bill of files.....	4 36
G. Stritt, supplies.....	5 00
Weaver & Goss, hardware, etc.....	20 28
J. Emory Jones, labor and material at pump house.....	144 09
Alling Brothers, supplies.....	5 39
Holley Manufacturing Co., labor and material.....	463 65
James Long, labor D. reservoir.....	3 00
Henry D. Blackwood, painting, etc., D. Res.....	119 85
Chase & Otis, lumber.....	30 78
Wm. Bell, teaming, S. reservoir.....	6 60
George Bugby, teaming, Hemlock Lake.....	15 00
Orrin Purcell, services at Canadice.....	31 00
W. L. Buckland, horse hire, H. L. Tel. line.....	12 00
Edwin T. Marsh, erroneous water rent.....	4 14
National Meter Co., meter.....	55 50
Howe & Snyder, wrought iron pipe and fittings.....	106 45
John Snow, supplies.....	10 50
	\$2,816 73

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

William Bassett, repairs to buildings.....	14 76
T. & G. Heberling, hay and straw.....	41 70
H. G. Thayer, supplies fire tel.....	64 75
Frank B. Handy, labor fire tel., 2 bills.....	24 00
Wm. Murray, labor fire tel., 2 bills.....	21 60
J. A. Vanderwerf, estimate No. 3, Lyell avenue fire station building.....	2,500 00
Heveron & Hyde, estimate No. 2, Clinton street fire station building.....	1,200 00
J. A. Vanderwerf, estimate No. 3, Lyell avenue fire station building.....	1,000 00
	\$4,869 21

Sprinkling Streets—Special Funds.

J. W. Breaker—Estimates.	
West avenue, O. 2,438.....	\$ 125 48

East and West Main streets, O. 2,430.... 154 12

J. J. Weiler—Estimates. \$ 279 60

Goodman street, O. 2,429..... 72 94

East avenue, Sec. 2, O. 2,431..... 106 45

A. W. Turnbull—Estimates.

Meigs street, O. 2,428..... 47 40

East avenue, Sec. 4, O. 2,430..... 104 68

Chestnut street, O. 2,437..... 41 13

South Union street, O. 2,439..... 34 43

Park avenue, O. 2,445..... 49 32

Rowley street, O. 2,446..... 30 32

Monroe avenue, O. 2,447..... 106 64

Sanford D. Pierce—Estimates.

Mt. Hope avenue, Sec. 2, O. 2,426..... 65 93

Prince street, O. 2,432..... 50 88

Exchange street, O. 2,434..... 30 88

East Main street, O. 2,436..... 122 24

Gibbs street, O. 2,481..... 13 94

John Duran—Estimates.

Clinton street, Sec. 1, O. 2,413..... \$94 00

North avenue, Sec. 1, O. 2,459..... 75 93

University avenue, Sec. 1, O. 2,461..... 29 93

Scio street, O. 2,469..... 19 80

Clinton street, Sec. 2, O. 2,476..... 94 44

Atwater street, O. 2,477..... 50 85

Hudson street, O. 2,479..... 66 86

elm street, O. 2,480..... 18 93

Andrews street, O. 2,483..... 46 14

Franklin park, O. 2,488..... 15 00

Clinton place, O. 2,489..... 31 00

Court street, O. 2,492..... 74 43

Franklin street, O. 2,493..... 21 71

North St. Paul street, Sec. 2, O. 2,502..... 135 43

St. Joseph street, O. 2,512..... 94 00

Franklin street, O. 2,513..... 31 00

G. Bantel & Son—Estimates.

State street, O. 2,427..... 123 32

South St. Paul street and South avenue, O. 2,438..... 81 64

South Fitzhugh street, O. 2,440..... 51 10

Lake avenue, O. 2,441..... 178 36

Mill street, O. 2,442..... 66 23

South avenue, Sec. 1 (C. to L.), O. 2,444..... 76 14

South Washington street, O. 2,448..... 25 82

Plymouth avenue, O. 2,449..... 70 47

Allen street, O. 2,450..... 80 45

Troup street, O. 2,451..... 39 86

North Washington street, O. 2,452..... 25 71

King street, O. 2,453..... 47 77

Sophia street, O. 2,454..... 26 04

North Fitzhugh street, O. 2,455..... 27 81

North Water street, O. 2,456..... 50 64

Mt. Hope avenue, Sec. 1, O. 2,457..... 72 36

Jones avenue, O. 2,460..... 71 51

South avenue, O. 2,478..... 20 49

Kent street, O. 2,482..... 49 88

Jay street, O. 2,487..... 44 18

Vincent place, O. 2,490..... 15 44

Tremont street, O. 2,491..... 31 00

Front street, O. 2,494..... 38 79

Jones street, O. 2,495..... 51 39

Ford street, O. 2,496..... 25 23

Howell street, O. 2,500..... 40 71

Fulton avenue, O. 2,506..... 194 64

Platt street, O. 2,509..... 66 43

Clarissa street, O. 2,516..... 25 10

Frank street, O. 2,521..... 21 00

1,746 99

\$3,853 42

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

John Quin, inspecting masonry Central avenue bridge.....	15 00
John Lutes, inspecting Mill st. sewer.....	36 00
George W. Hatch, inspecting N. St. Paul st. improvement.....	20 00
W. I. Hanford, inspecting Meigs st. improvement.....	12 00
Valentine Haitz, inspecting Francis st. improvement.....	15 00
Alick Hampton, inspecting Francis st. improvement.....	30 00
Jacob Bauer, inspecting Silver st. sewer.....	15 00
Joseph Hohm, inspecting Goodman st. sewer.....	62 50
John Koch, inspecting Lewis st. Mt. Vernon sewer.....	30 00
John Creggan, inspecting Central avenue improvement.....	36 00
Frank Rebohoitz, inspecting Bay st. sewer.....	41 25
L. Mansnest, inspecting Huntington street sewer.....	2 50

Estimates.

William Fuller, final estimate Bay street sewer.....	468 55
F. C. Lauer, final estimate Silver street pipe sewer.....	1,584 10

Goe. H. Thompson & Co., final estimate Central avenue bridge "Massey".....	5,848 48
John Hauder, estimate No. 2, Cambridge street et al. pipe sewer.....	200 00
R. V. McConnell, estimate No. 5, Park ave. and Culver sewer.....	350 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, estimate No. 3, N. St. Paul st. improvement.....	5,361 00
	\$14,124 08

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly—14.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Mayor—

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 23, 1883. }

Gentlemen of the Common Council:

I return to you without approval the resolution adopted at your last regular meeting, directing the Brush Electric Light Company to place their lights on Frank street from Centre street to Jay street.

In a communication to your Board in July last (see page 182 of your proceedings), I requested that all resolutions for electric lighting hereafter presented be referred to the Lamp Committee, and that it be the duty of said committee, before reporting favorably upon the same, to submit a detailed statement of the number of lights necessary for each street mentioned, and the number of gas lamps to be displaced. In this instance the request above mentioned has not been complied with, and we are, therefore, without information as to the desirability of the change.

Resolutions for electric lights in Anderson avenue, in Alexander street, and in East avenue from Goodman street to the city line were in August last referred to the Lamp Committee, and in your communication of the 7th of that month the said committee in a report at that time submitted, stated that its members had carefully examined the territory through which it is proposed to extend electric lights, and accompanying said report was a detailed statement as to cost, number of lamps needed, etc. I must, therefore, insist on a strict compliance with this mode of procedure. In conclusion, I respectfully ask that you pass no more resolutions for electric lighting until the lamps already ordered for other streets are erected and in use.

CORNELIUS P. PARSONS, Mayor.

The chair stated the question to be: "Shall the resolution stand, notwithstanding the objections of his honor the Mayor?"

Lost by the following vote, not two-thirds voting in the affirmative:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Southard, Kelly—9.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard—5.

The veto of the Mayor was sustained.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 30, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: At a meeting of your board on date of October 2d, the following resolution was adopted:

"By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the Water Works Committee be, and it hereby is instructed to obtain from W. F. Cogswell, Esq., his bill for all services rendered to the City of Rochester from the time when his last bill was rendered to the present time in the matter of the claims of the Honeye Creek millers and owners of water rights, which bill shall be presented to the Common Council at its next meeting, and that the proceedings to be hereafter taken in said matter be taken by the City Attorney without cost to the City. This action having been taken without consultation with the Executive Board, whose duty it is under the law to acquire the water and other rights which are the subject of the litigation in question, and also without consultation with the Chief Engineer of the Water Works, who is more familiar with the questions involved than any other person, and on whom will devolve the furnishing of evidence in the several cases and expert advice in regard to their management, we deem it our duty to make the following suggestions to your honorable body, trusting that you will deem them of sufficient force to warrant you in rescinding the said resolution:

1. The amounts involved in the litigation are very large, amounting, as claimed, to over \$300,000.

2. The claimants are a large and influential class in the three counties in which the litigation is to occur and

this fact will no doubt have its due influence on witnesses and jurors.

3. The attorney for a large number of these claimants is acknowledged to be the peer of any lawyer in this State in that class of cases, and it is safe to conclude that the legal contests he has inaugurated will be pushed with great vigor and consummate ability.

4. The litigation in question must last several years, and it is important that the counsel in the case should continue through the litigation. The person who occupies the position of city attorney is liable to be changed from time to time, and should this unfortunately prove the case with the present incumbent then under the terms of your resolution a new city attorney, totally unacquainted with the case, must take it in charge.

5. It has been a wise and universal practice of the city to employ eminent and experienced counsel to assist the city attorney in the cases of the magnitude and importance of those in question.

6. While we are glad of this opportunity to publicly express our confidence in the great ability of the present city attorney, yet we feel that the magnitude of the interests involved in these cases, the number, activity and influence of our opponents, render it exceedingly important that the city should have the influence and services of a gentleman so eminent in his profession as Wm. F. Cogswell; but more particularly would this seem to be true when we consider that he is thoroughly familiar with all the details of the questions at issue in these cases, having acted as counsel for the city in all its litigations with the same parties and the old water company in relation to water rights. This, with other cases of like character which he has conducted in other localities in this State, has given him a very complete knowledge of the practice, the decisions and the law applicable to the questions involved.

Respectfully submitted,
EXECUTIVE BOARD,
By THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, Oct. 25th, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Complaint having been made of defective drainage on Gorham st., an examination of the sewer was ordered and the fact developed that the portion of said sewer extending from the west line of Clinton street to Auna street is so nearly filled with sediment as to effectually prevent efficient drainage of cellars along this portion of the street. This Board would therefore recommend that an ordinance be passed for cleaning said sewer between the points indicated.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

From the City Attorney—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: I deem it my duty to inform you that the following actions have been brought against the city of Rochester, to wit:

Twelve actions by the owners of mills, mill privileges and water rights on the Honeye creek, to recover damages against the city by reason of the alleged diversion of the waters of Hemlock Lake from the outlet which flows into said creek.

Also the following: Orrin Harris has brought an action against the City of Rochester in the Municipal Court to recover the amount paid by him for the Oak street improvement. I am informed that other actions of like nature are to be brought.

Frank W. Elwood has brought an action against the city for the purpose of having set aside as void and illegal the assessment on his property for the opening of Church street. I am informed that a large number of other actions of like nature are to be brought. In said case the Court has granted an injunction restraining the Treasurer from issuing warrants for the collection of said assessment.

James H. Hooper has brought an action against the city to recover damages alleged to have accrued since the commencement of the present litigation, and previously tried, by reason of the alleged nuisance caused by the North avenue sewer opening into a stream running across his farm.

Albert J. Fisk, by guardian, has brought an action against the city to recover damages on account of the alleged overflow of the East avenue outlet sewer.

William Smith has also brought an action against the city to recover damages alleged to have occurred by reason of the overflow of East avenue outlet sewer.

The case of Patrick Crough against the city of Rochester, which was an action brought to recover \$5,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the city, was tried at the October Circuit and resulted in the plaintiff being not a party.

The case of the National Gas Light Company of the City of New York was referred and has been tried by

fore George H. Humphrey, Esq., referee. No decision has yet been rendered.

In accordance of the instructions of the Executive Board and the Water Works Committee, I have ordered searches of the property of the Homeoymillers, preparatory to instituting commission proceedings. The searches of the land located in Ontario county have all been received. The searches of the property located in Monroe and Livingston counties are not ready as yet.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN N. BECKLEY, City Attorney,

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Treasurer—

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Oct. 30, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully submit the following:
The balance of assessments on ordinances,
Oct. 29, 1883, was \$ 619,000 01
Balance of acceptances..... 210,548 69

Cash advanced by city on account of local improvements \$ 408,451 31

I desire in this connection simply to refer you to my communication on the subject of local improvements in Common Council, November 14th, 1882, which covers all that I might say on this question. In one year, at the rate local improvements have been ordered, the cash advances increase \$100,000.00. The present system should be changed in some respects. Either return to the old method of first assessing and collecting the money for a local improvement before executing the same, is to be preferred, or there must be some method devised by which the assessment rolls can be placed in the Treasurer's office for collection in much quicker time than at present.

For instance: The Genesee Valley Canal Sewer—First payment on same was made February 10th, 1882. Total cost of sewer, \$70,935.41. In addition to cash payments nearly all the one year's acceptances have been paid, representing cash advanced to the amount of two-thirds the entire cost of the work, and no assessment roll has yet reached this office. The city loses the interest on all acceptances paid before the assessment roll for the improvement is confirmed.

In this connection I desire to state that while the Treasurer has hitherto advanced the cash payments on local assessments from the moneys on hand, the amount of the same has become so large the city's notes must now be issued to provide funds for the same, as the budget of this evening, together with the monthly payments of the Board of Education and police department, necessitates such a course.

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

On motion of Ald. Barron, referred to the Assessment Committee, to investigate and report to the Board.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 18th, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby report that the Special Commissioners to assess for opening a street from Mill street to Water street, have delivered to me the assessment rolls for opening a street from Mill street to Water street.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the next regular meeting of the Common Council, Tuesday evening, Nov. 13th, 1883, be and hereby is assigned as the time when any complaints or appeals from the assessment for opening a street from Mill street to Water street (now known as Central avenue) will be heard. Adopted.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
Rochester, October 30th, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In accordance with Sec. 29 of the City Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath prescribed by law:

C. C. Werner, Inspector of Elections.
Frank H. Bowby, Commissioners of Deeds.
H. C. Covell,
Henry L. Fish jr.,
John A. Hulbert,
R. D. Jeffrey,

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Rice presented a communication from residents in the vicinity, remonstrating against the erection of a wood building and the use of a steam engine therein by Mary Barry. Referred to the Fire Marshal.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

FLAG STONE WALK ON MEIGS STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a flagstone walk on Meigs street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$3,925.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a blue stone flag walk five feet in width on each side of Meigs street, from the south curb line of Monroe avenue to the north curb line of Broadway, except where good flag stone walks now exist at the proper grade.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$3,925, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Meigs street, from Monroe avenue to a point opposite the north curb line of Broadway.

And further resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount, within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll.—On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, November 13th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

PIPE SEWER IN THORN STREET, ROWE STREET AND LAKE AVENUE.

By Ald. Shimmelnk—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a sewer in Thorn street, Rowe street and Lake avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,000.

By Ald. Shimmelnk—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Thorn street, from a point 40 feet south of McCracken street to the centre of Rowe street; also, a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Rowe street, from the centre of Thorn street to the centre of Lake avenue; also, a pipe sewer 18 inches in diameter in Lake avenue in place of the present pipe sewer, 12 inches in diameter, from the centre of Rowe street to the Deep Hollow creek outlet sewer. Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,000 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole cost, for the purpose, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Thorn street, from a point 40 feet south of McCracken street to Rowe street.

One tier of lots on each side of Rowe street, from the west line of Thorn street to Lake avenue.

Also, one tier of lots on each side of Lake avenue, from the north line of the Sweating property to Deep Hollow creek outlet.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required, for its proportion of enlarging and deepening the sewer in Lake avenue, from Rowe street to the Deep Hollow creek outlet.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON FAIRMOUNT STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Fairmount street. Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$135.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.: the construction of a plank walk four feet in width on the east side of Fairmount street, from Anderson street to University avenue, except where good plank walks four feet in width now exist.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$135, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the east side of Fairmount street, in front of which the proposed plank walk shall be constructed.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, Nov. the 13th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON PENN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Penn street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$266.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet and 8 inches in width on the north side of Penn street, from Francis street to a point opposite the west line of Saxe street, except where good plank walks now exist at the proper grade.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$266, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the north side of Penn street, from the west line of Francis street to a point opposite the west line of Saxe street, in front of which the proposed plank walk shall be constructed.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, November the 13th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

IMPROVING SELDEN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving Selden street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$2,500.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The improvement of Selden street from the east line of Gibbs street to the west curb line of Windsor street, by constructing a gravel roadway on a quarried stone foundation, with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof—width of roadway between curb lines to be 17 feet. Also a flagstone walk 4 feet in width on each side of said street, from Gibbs street to Windsor street. Also the necessary lot laterals, surface sewers and manholes.

And whereas the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$2,500 which estimate is hereby approved:

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Selden street from Gibbs street to Windsor street.

And further, Resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvements may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, November the 13th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN MT. VERNON AVENUE.

By Ald. Simmelnik—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a sewer in Mt. Vernon avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$295.00

By Ald. Simmelnik—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Mt. Vernon avenue, from the centre of Benton street to a point 139 feet south of Benton street.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$295.00 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Mt. Vernon avenue, from the center of Benton street to a point 139 feet south of Benton street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Nov. the 13th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to construct a foot bridge across the Erie canal, on West Main street, came up.

Ald. Kelly moved it be postponed two weeks.

Adopted.

The final ordinance to open and extend Maria street came up.

Ald. Southard moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,551.

PLANK WALK ON MURRAY STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Murray street from Lyell avenue to Hensler alley.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on the east side of Murray street, from Lyell avenue to Hensler alley.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$380, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the east side of Murray street from Lyell avenue to Hensler alley.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelnik—14.

Ald. Kelly moved that property owners on Murray street from Lyell avenue to Hensler alley be allowed 30 days to construct their own walks. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the extension of Pinnacle avenue be heard at a regular meeting

of the Common Council to be held in Common Council Chambers, in the City Hall building, on the 30th day of October, 1883, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Ald. Rice moved that a committee of five be appointed to hear allegations on the report of the commissioners and to report at the next regular meeting. Adopted.

Action on the penal ordinance relating to persons on the elevated tracks, published at page 220, current proceedings, came up. Ald. Kelly moved to amend so as to read as follows :

An ordinance to prevent persons from walking or being on the elevated tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company in the city of Rochester.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain as follows:

Section I.—It shall not be lawful for any person, except employes of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, who shall be specially permitted by said company so to do, to walk or be upon the elevated tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company between Union and Brown streets in the city of Rochester.

Section II.—Any person violating any of the provisions of the foregoing section shall forfeit and pay a penalty of five dollars for each offense.

Section III.—Every execution issued upon a judgment recovered for a violation of any of the provisions of Section I of this ordinance shall command the amount to be made of the property of the defendant, if any such can be found; if not, then to commit the defendant to the Monroe County Penitentiary for a period of ten days.

Section IV.—This ordinance shall take effect immediately. Adopted.

The penal ordinance as amended was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

The following came up:

By Ald. Foley—Whereas, the Rochester Gas Light Company proposes to lay its gas mains through and along Plymouth avenue, from Genesee Valley Canal bridge south, Strong street, Bartlett, Frost avenue, Champlain and Cady streets, if the city will obligate itself to obtain from said company light for said streets for three years. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is instructed to enter into a contract with said company, to be drawn and approved by the City Attorney, providing that said company shall lay its mains in said streets, and that the city will for three years obtain its lights for said streets from said company at a price per lamp per year not exceeding the price paid per lamp per year to the said company, under the existing contract with said company the present year.

“On motion of Ald. Barron action was postponed two weeks.”

Ald. Foley moved to amend by adding Hunter, Tremont and Atkinson streets. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly moved that the resolution as amended be referred to the Lamp Committee, and to report at the next regular meeting. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved to postpone balloting for

Police Commissioner until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

Ald. Strouss moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

L. W. Moore, Isaac A. Baum, Fifth Ward, James H. Quinlan, Sixth Ward, F. W. Elwood, Seventh Ward.

Having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council, were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for a sewer in Avenue A and North Clinton street, and moved it be referred to the Sewer Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard, by request of Ald. Aikenhead—

Whereas, The Common Council on the seventh day of August, 1883, duly adopted a resolution providing, among other things, for the refunding to the owners of various lots situated on Hollister street in this city of the sums paid by such owners assessed against said lots for the construction of Channing street sewer; and,

Whereas, The lots hereinafter described were not included in the said resolution by mistake; therefore,

Resolved, That the City Clerk be, and he hereby is, directed to draw orders on the Treasurer in favor of the owners of the following described lots respectively and charge erroneous assessments, to wit;

To the owner of lot No. 98, of the Davis & Hollister tract	\$19 54
To the owner of lot No. 34, of the Davis & Hollister tract	13 10
To Abraham Ernisee, the owner of a part of a lot of the Davis & Hollister tract marked on Channing st. assessment roll No. —	12 45
To Christian Haller, the owner of part of a lot of the Davis & Hollister tract marked on Channing st. assessment roll No. —	12 44
To Sophia Quanst, the owner of part of a lot of the Davis & Hollister tract marked on Channing st. assessment roll No. —	11 79
To the owner of lot No. 1, of the Mary J. Requa subdivision of lot between Lincoln and Hollister sts. of the Davis & Hollister tract	11 32
To the owner of lot No. 2, of the Mary J. Requa subdivision of lot between Lincoln and Hollister sts. of the Davis & Hollister tract	11 32
To the owner of lot No. 3, of the Mary J. Requa subdivision of lot between Lincoln and Hollister sts. of the Davis & Hollister tract	11 32

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes. Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to make the city's note for \$2,500, get the same discounted, and charge discount to Contingent Fund, and credit the proceeds to City Property Fund, said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Pitkin—Whereas, On and after November 18th, next, the railroad companies of this state intend to run their trains on the standard meridian time, which time is about

four minutes faster than New York city meridian time. Resolved, That the standard time for the city of Rochester, on and after November 18th, next, be the standard meridian time, and the city offices shall be opened and closed thereafter, and the City Hall bell being on such time. Ald. Pitkin moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—

EXECUTIVE BOARD.
Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 30, 1888.)

ALD. HINDS—*Dear Sir:* As appears from the published proceedings of the Executive Board, petitions were duly presented and filed early last Spring for water mains in Glenwood avenue, from First to Fourth street, and in Fourth street, from Rowe street to Glenwood avenue. When the appropriations for water mains came to be made, these said petitions had been mislaid and hence they were omitted from the list. Petitions have since been filed, and the petitioners are very solicitous that the mains should be laid before winter, so that dwellings now erected may be supplied with water. I think the pipes can be procured and laid if the Council will at once authorize the work by passing the annexed or a similar resolution.

Respectfully,
J. NELSON TUBBS,
Chief Engineer Water Works.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend suitable water mains in Glenwood avenue, from First street to Fourth street, and in Fourth street from Rowe street to Glenwood avenue, at an estimated cost of \$2,495, and to pay the expense thereof out of any moneys in and provided for water pipe extension fund.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Simmelink—13.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of Robert Morgan and James S. Vick to erect wood buildings, and moved that they be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition to change the name of Hunter street to Garfield avenue.

Ald. Foley moved that the name of Hunter street be changed to Garfield avenue.

Ald. Bronson moved to amend by calling it Cleveland avenue.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Watson, Felsing, Rice—4.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Simmelink—10.

The motion of Ald. Foley to change the name of Hunter street to Garfield avenue was then lost.

By Ald. Foley—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

The Rochester City and Brighton Street Railroad Company, having obtained the consent of the property owners, respectfully ask the consent and permission of your honorable body to lay, operate and maintain a single track street railroad, with the necessary turnouts, from the intersection of West avenue and Caledonia avenue through Caledonia avenue to Hunter street, through Hunter street to South Francis street, thence through South Francis street to Magnolia street.

P. BARRY,

President Rochester City and Brighton Street Railroad Company.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Rochester City and Brighton Street Railroad Company be and is hereby granted consent and permission to lay, operate and maintain a single-track street railroad, with the necessary turn-outs, from the intersection of West avenue and Caledonia avenue, through Caledonia avenue to

Hunter street, through Hunter street to South Francis street, thence through South Francis street to Magnolia street; such tracks to be laid and the operation of said road begun on or before January 1st, 1884,—otherwise said permission to be null and void.

Ald. Bronson moved to postpone action for two weeks. Lost.

The resolution was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Nays—Ald. Bronson—1.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it hereby is directed to publish monthly in the proceedings of said board the names of all employees of the said board who shall have been employed during the preceding month, with the nature of the employment, the number of days of labor rendered by each and the amount paid therefor. Adopted.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the Executive Board and water works committee be and hereby are instructed to retain for the city William F. Cogswell to assist the city attorney in the litigation between the owners and occupants of mills, mill privileges and water rights on Honeoye creek and the city of Rochester, and also in the commission proceedings about to be taken with reference to the water works.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin—8.

Nays—Ald. Bronson, Jeffords, Southard, Simmelink—4.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the mayor be and he hereby is authorized to assign the tax certificates for general city taxes for the years 1859, 1864 and 1866, as they appear on the sales register ; also general city taxes for 1870, 1874 and 1877, as they appear on the sales register, with 7 per cent. interest from the date of sale, on lot 26, Park place tract, eighth ward, assessed to J. B. Bennett, to Mrs. Catharine C. Seymour, upon her paying into the city treasury the amount of said taxes. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive \$6.76 for Brown street bridge assessment, ordinance No. 2,159, on lot No. 27, J. R. Thomas sub-division of P. P. Granger, Sibley and Field tract, west side of York street, 11th ward, assessed to Philadelphia Flowerday, in accordance with the Assessors' certificate attached hereto, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to cancel the general city tax for the year 1870 upon lot 21, Johnson and Seymour tract, section B, east side of South St. Paul street, assessed to Thomas Moulson, the face of said tax being \$38.75, the amount of said tax having been paid in 1872 to a tax collector and not returned to the Treasurer, and charge erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to place a firm alarm box at the corner of Exchange and Adams streets. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to place a fire alarm box at the corner of Plymouth avenue and Magnolia street. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester :

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, to whom was referred the communication of C. A. Cary & Company, asking permission for the storage of powder outside the doorway of their store, located on West Main street in the city of Rochester, respectfully reports :

I am of the opinion that public safety requires that an ordinance regulating the storage and sale of powder and its various products should at once be adopted by your honorable body. As the matter now stands there is no ordinance which in any way regulates such storage or sale, and consequently, powder has been kept by many without much regard to the safety of their own property and the preservation of the lives of those having occasion to be in the premises where such powder is kept. I am of the opinion that not more than one hundred pounds of powder should be kept in a box constructed of boiler iron in such a manner as to prevent the probability of any accident resulting from the lighting of the same.

As far as the storage of powder is concerned I think the safety of persons and property would be served by requiring the storage of the same in a brick or stone building at least six hundred feet from any other building or from the street.

I am also of the opinion that nitro-glycerine, dynamite, giant powder and other compounds known as high explosives should not be allowed to be stored or kept on sale within the corporate limits of the city. In the event of an explosion of any such compounds occurring the destruction of life and property might be large. The interest of merchants and others who deal in such compounds could be subserved by the storage of all such compounds without the corporate limits and the delivery from thence in small quantities to the parties that have occasion to use the same.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM CARROLL, Fire Marshal.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Collins—

An Ordinance to regulate the storage and keeping of powder, or any of its products and high explosives, within the corporate limits of the city of Rochester :

The Common Council of the City of Rochester does ordain as follows :

Section 1. No person shall keep upon sale or store in any place or building, or upon any lot within the corporate limits of the city of Rochester, any powder, or any of its products, except under sections 2 and 3 of this ordinance.

Section 2. No powder shall be stored within the corporate limits of the city of Rochester, except within a building constructed of stone, brick or iron, which building shall stand at least six hundred feet from any street, highway, public place or building, and no powder shall be so stored unless consent to the storage thereof, and to the place of such storage, shall be given by the Fire Marshal of the city of Rochester. Not more than five hundred pounds of powder shall be stored as herein provided, at any one time.

Section 3. No person shall keep upon sale in or about any place or building within the corporate limits of the city of Rochester, any powder, or any of its products without first having obtained a license therefor, as provided in section 8 of an ordinance of the city of Rochester relating to nuisances, passed November 30, 1880, and any person or persons who shall have obtained such license may, under the direction of the Fire Marshal, keep on sale in such portion of the building or buildings owned and occupied by such person or persons, as the Fire Marshal shall designate, not more than one hundred pounds of powder, at any one time. Such powder thus stored shall be kept in a box constructed of boiler iron, which iron used in the construction of said box shall be not less than three-sixteenths of an inch in thickness, and of which box shall be lined with wood or zinc. The cover of said box shall be likewise constructed of boiler iron of at least the thickness aforesaid, and shall be attached to said box, in such manner as to render such box when closed as nearly air tight as possible, except which said box shall be kept securely locked, except when powder is being placed therein or taken therefrom. Said box shall be provided with iron wheels at least six inches in diameter securely attached to the same in such manner as to enable said box to be readily moved from place to place.

Section 4.—No license fee shall be charged to any person or persons to whom a license shall be duly granted as provided in section 8 of said ordinance relating to nuisances.

Section 5.—No nitro-glycerine, dynamite, giant powder or other high explosive compounds, shall be stored or kept on sale within the corporate limits of the city of Rochester.

Section 6.—Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of the foregoing sections shall forfeit and pay a penalty of fifty dollars for each offense.

Section 7.—Every execution issued upon a judgment recovered for a violation of any of the provisions of this

ordinance shall command the amount to be made of the property of the defendant, if any such can be found, and if not, then to commit the defendant to Monroe County penitentiary for a period of not less than fifty days.

Ald. Collins moved that action be postponed for two weeks. Adopted.

The President of the Board announced the following special committees: To confer with the select committee and Messrs. Ellwanger & Barry, in relation to a Public Park, D. W. Powers, Gilman H. Perkins, H. H. Warner, James E. Booth, Frederick Cook, M. F. Reynolds, William Gleason; To hear allegations on report of Commissioners for taking lands for extension of Pinnacle avenue: Ald. Rice, Watson, Bronson, Southard Jeffords.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, Nov. 13, 1883

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, president of the Board, presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, Oct. 30th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

J. R. Chamberlin, rubber bands.....	\$12 00
E. D. Smith, stenographer's services City Attorney's office.....	60 00
W. L. Buckland, hvery.....	33 00
John C. Moore, blanks and binding.....	87 65

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Collins presented the petition of A. W. Reily for permission to erect a wood building on Fitzhugh street and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson presented a remonstrance against the erection of a wood building by Galusha Phillips. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald Archer presented a petition for water in Louis park. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting, Oct.....	\$1,887 30
Municipal Gas Light Co., lighting, Oct.....	110 80
Municipal Gas Light Co., labor and material.....	213 25
Kelly Lamp Co., lamp globes and reflectors.....	216 50
Wm. Huddy, painting 3,843 lamp posts.....	576 45

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of J. W. Ets, Howard P. Stone and J. P. Kislingbury for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the supervision of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Bill of

S. E. Williams, oil.....	\$7 80
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Referred to the Park Committee.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for a sewer in Strong and Francis streets. Referred to the Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Hinds presented the petitions of Mrs. Maria Hoban and Mary Murphy for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that per-

mission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Martha Wilbur for permission to erect a wood building on Selden street; also a remonstrance against the same. Referred to the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

M. Heavey, transportation.....	\$39 00
Mat Miller, meat.....	25 00
S. B. Stuart, coal.....	244 38
L. A. Hedges, burials.....	12 00
Sophia Brock, rent.....	15 00
F. M. Harvey, rent.....	6 00
Mary Flammigan, board.....	9 00
Frank Horn, stove and furniture.....	30 25

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Felsing presented petitions of V. W. Stoeckline and Staud & Knapp for permission to erect wood buildings. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

Ald. Felsing presented a petition for a gas main in Sherman street. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Rice presented a petition for a plank walk on Ashland st. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Aikenhead presented petitions of F. N. Skuse and Miss Eveline Place for permission to move and erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

Chas. Little, rep. tools.....	\$ 1 50
A. Metcalf, soap.....	3 00
American Chem. Manf. Co., cleaning carpets....	6 44
Henry Martin, supplies.....	21 30
Municipal Gas Light Co., gas for city buildings for Oct.....	219 3

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for water mains in Colvin st. Referred to Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of Ritzenthaler Bros. for permission to erect a barn and sheds on West Maple st., and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petitions of Willis J. Howard and Fred. P. Wilcox for permission to erect wood buildings. Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Barron—

ROCHESTER, Nov. 12, 1888.

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—I am instructed to correspond with your Board with a view of calling your attention to the safety of electric lights as now used in this city, and in particular to manner of lighting the same where combustible materials are used in the suspending of lights.

I understand two accidents have occurred quite lately and both happened when the electricity was first turned on.

Allow me to ask you if it would not be well for the very competent Superintendent of the Fire Alarm Telegraph to examine some of these lights and the manner in which they are put up to see if any thing can be done to make them more safe and less liable to accidents.

Very respectfully,

O. L. ANGEVINE, Secretary.

Referred to the Executive Board and Sup't Fire Alarm Telegraph.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, Ald. Foley from Park Committee, Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, Ald. Felsing from the Poor Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee, presented the bill of—

B. F. Enos, expenses Police Department for October.....	\$ 111 88
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Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Foley, from the Wood Building Committee, reported favorably on the petitions of Mrs. Mary Burke, Ellen E. Bromley and J. D. Chamberlain, for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that the prayer of their petitions be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the claim of Michael Heavey for thirty-nine dollars for services rendered in conveying people in the city ambulance with his team, respectfully reports:

The claims aforesaid consist of twenty-six charges at one dollar and fifty cents each for conveying people found in the streets or elsewhere, who have sustained some injury or require immediate medical attention, to the hospital, police office or elsewhere. The ambulance is the property of the city, and Mr. Heavey has agreed with the city officials to use his team and perform such service as above indicated at any time, day or night for \$1.50 for such service. No claim is made, but that the bill is correct, the only question being as to the fund from which it should be paid.

Your Committee is of the opinion that the amount of said bill should be placed upon the budget, and made payable from the Poor Fund.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the claim of James F. Eaton, respectfully reports:

The said claim is for \$200 damages on account of injuries alleged to have been received by reason of the defective condition of the sidewalk on Clinton street on the 27th day of July last. It appears from the claimant's statement that the walk in question had been for a long time out of repair. Your committee is of the opinion that the city is not liable in this matter, but that the remedy lies against the owner of the lot in front of whose premises the accident occurred, and therefore report adversely on said claim.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee, to which was referred the claim of Michael Heavey for damages on account of the opening of a trench on Catharine street, hereby reports: The facts testified to before your Committee disclose that one George W. Connolly opened said trench for the purpose of making connection with a water main. On the night of the day of its being opened the claimant's driver was passing along said street with a team and hack, and, as is alleged, by reason of the trench being left unguarded the team went into the ditch, by reason of which one of the team was so badly injured that it has not been used at all since and the other received injuries which are likely to be permanent. The testimony shows that no notice of the condition in which the trench was left was given to the city officials having charge of the highways and sufficient time had not elapsed so that the city officials would have constructed notice of its alleged dangerous condition. This being so, your committee must report that the city is not liable to Mr. Heavey for the damages sustained by him.

If the statements of Mr. Heavey and his witnesses should be proven on the trial of an action against the contractor, there would seem to be no doubt of his right to recover as stated said contractor. Your committee has no knowledge as to the responsibility of the particular contractor, but in some cases the persons sustaining injuries under similar circumstances are practically without remedy by reason of the irresponsibility of the contractor and the worthlessness of the bond given by him. Your committee is of the opinion that more care should be exercised in examining into the sufficiency of securities upon plumbers' bonds, and that such bonds should run for one year and at the expiration of the year new bonds should be given for the ensuing year. The contractors should also be held to a more rigid ac-

countability as to the manner in which they leave trenches opened by them. It is very evident that all such trenches should be not only protected by barriers during the day and night but by lights during each night that they are left open. Your committee recognize the difficulty of compelling plumbers and others in all cases to take these necessary precautions, but the number and frequency of accidents caused by such neglect should if possible be diminished.

GEORGE W. ARCHER,
AMON BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Adopted.
By Ald. Simmelink—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Sewer Committee to which was referred the question as to the necessity of the construction of a new outlet sewer in Exchange street, from Clarissa street to the present outlet sewer in Exchange street, hereby reports:

Your Committee has carefully examined into this matter and finds that the present sewer in Exchange street is entirely inadequate to drain the territory that is tributary to it. It has not sufficient depth or size and in consequence thereof the cellars of many people on said street and on other streets which are supposed to be drained into said sewer, are incapable of being used by reason of the water that stands therein. The Board of Health has recommended the construction of this proposed sewer on the ground that the public health imperatively demands it. Your committee therefore report in favor of the adoption of the ordinance for said sewer.

J. B. SIMMELINK,
CHARLES WATSON,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Sewer Committee.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the report was adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 13, 1883.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, labor for fountain.....	692 13
W. J. Sheridan, services as commissioner.....	140 00
Geo. G. Clarkson,	140 00
L. A. Pratt,	140 00
C. W. Carroll, serving notices.....	75 00
Steele & Avery, stationery.....	116 40
J. N. Beckley, disbursements.....	214 98
John Snow, surveyors' pins.....	1 00
James Kavanagh, hack hire.....	3 00
John Hannan,	4 00
Thomas Knowles,	4 00
D. Livermore, livery.....	1 00
S. W. Stott, serving notices.....	100 26
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Nov. 13th.....	15 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

Smith, Perkins & Co., groceries.....	\$263 88
.. .. sugar.....	265 58
.. .. pork.....	296 00
.. .. candles.....	83 11
O'Kane Bros., meat.....	172 48
John McDonald,	25 00
Fleckenstein Bros., bread.....	124 80
Geo. Oppel,	23 16
Schaffer Bros,	56 84
E. L. Thomas, rent.....	15 00
Wm. Coughlin,	9 00
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	34 50
M. Heavey, transportation.....	39 00
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care for Oct. ..	2,802 54
.. .. setting posts.....	34 55
Rochester Gas Co., lighting and care Oct.....	2,167 42
Rochester setting posts, etc.....	108 00
Wm. Huddy, painting 3,843 lamp posts.....	576 45
Kelly Lamp Co., globes and reflectors.....	216 50
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Charles Little, monthly cleaning.....	38 00
Geo. Chambers, labor for fountain.....	505 50
A. E. Hartman, labor for fountain.....	14 70
J. S. Graham & Co., labor for fountain.....	25 00

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

A. G. Wheeler, Police Justice.....	\$ 300 00
Fred. Zimmer, Police Commissioner.....	83 33
Jacob Howe, Jr., Police Commissioner.....	83 33

MONTHLY TAX ROLL FOR OCTOBER, 1883.

Alex. M'Lean.....	130 00
Ferry Marzluft.....	85 00

Samuel Brown.....	85 00
Thos. Lynch.....	85 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.....	85 00
P. C. Kavanauch.....	85 00
Thos. A. Burchhill.....	85 00
Henry Baker.....	85 00
Chas. M' Cormick.....	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth.....	85 00
John C. Haydon.....	85 00
John H. Dana.....	75 00
Wm. H. White.....	75 00
Ed. Van Vorst.....	75 00
Thos. Dukelow.....	75 00
John C. M'Quatters, 29 days.....	72 50
Fred. Griebel, 29 days.....	72 50
John M. Reis.....	75 00
W. R. M'Arthur.....	75 00
Frank B. Allen.....	85 00
Hugh Clark.....	75 00
Jacob Frank.....	75 00
John Wanzman.....	75 00
John Monaghan.....	75 00
Geo. Hiffner.....	75 00
Chas. Siefert.....	75 00
Frank S. Skuse.....	75 00
George Loug, 29 days.....	72 50
Joseph Baker.....	75 00
Daniel Goulding.....	105 00
Rugh Johnston.....	105 00
Joseph Cleary.....	108 33
Wm. Keith.....	100 00
Benj. C. Furtnerer.....	85 00
Nicholas J. 'cos.....	85 00
John B. Davis.....	85 00
John A. Barrd.....	85 00
Mich. Hyland.....	75 00
Oliver Oliver.....	75 00
Ralph Bendon, 17 days.....	42 50
Andrew Connolly.....	75 00
Robt. Burns.....	75 00
Jacob Harter.....	75 00
Wm. P. O'Neil.....	75 00
John Mitchell.....	75 00
Ed. McDonough.....	75 00
Jos. St. Hellen.....	75 00
Wm. M'Kelvey.....	75 00
Robt. M'Kee.....	75 00
Michael Brady.....	75 00
Chas. E. Fowler, 21 days.....	52 50
Robert Sloan, 28 days.....	75 00
John Dean.....	75 00
Samuel Schwartz.....	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson.....	75 00
Wm. Burgess.....	75 00
James P. Flynn.....	75 00
Michael Cain, 8 days.....	20 00
Charles W. Peart.....	75 00
Chas. Hart.....	75 00
Wm. Laragy, 28 days.....	70 00
Michael Hyne.....	15 00
Henry D. Shove.....	75 00
Louis Nold.....	25 00
Peter Hess.....	43 00
Oliver A. Youle.....	75 00
Frederick Kipplut.....	75 00
Hiram Rogers.....	75 00
John E. McDermott.....	75 00
Patk. J. Cummings.....	75 00
Benj. L. Steuson.....	75 00
Patk. Cauffield.....	75 00
Patk. Culligan.....	75 00
Jerome P. Dowd.....	75 00
Wm. Murray.....	75 00
Michael Englert.....	75 00
John Sullivan.....	75 00
Dennis Hogan.....	75 00
James E. Ryan.....	75 00
John Yaman, 23 days.....	57 50
Mich. Zimmerman.....	75 00
Geo. H. Kron.....	75 00
George Liese.....	75 00
Henry Baker, Jr.....	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick, 23 days.....	70 00
Wm. Hilla.....	75 00
Fred'k Walter.....	75 00
Ed. O'Laughlin.....	75 00
George Bletzer.....	75 00
George Mohr.....	75 00
John A. Wallace.....	75 00
Geo. Klesley.....	75 00
Thos. Cronin, 25 days.....	63 50
John H. Mason.....	75 00
Jacob Markey.....	65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.....	125 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

A Elwood, keys and repairs.....	\$4 50
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
Offices, City Hall, Nov. 13, 1883. }

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are

hereby referred to your honorable board for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted, THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Street Department—Highway Fund.

(Payable when there are funds applicable.)

Hollister & Co., oak lumber, estimate.....	\$ 800 00
H. Flake, nails, &c.....	32 71
John Geist, breaking stone.....	12 36
Adam Gaertner.....	4 95
George Miller, sand and gravel.....	26 00
H. S. Brewer,	5 00
J. B. Norris,	77 40
Bascom & Morgan, labor and material.....	4 98
H. A. Kingsley & Co., spikes.....	28 40
Martin Barron, coal.....	46 75
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, labor and material.....	774 11
J. Emory Jones, do.....	245 51
A. Tegg, veterinary services.....	6 00
C. H. Babcock, coal.....	3 15
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	12 58
J. Flint, repairing saws.....	3 81
	\$2,068 61

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Nov. 3.....	\$ 141 48
..... 15.....	141 48
	332 96
Cornell Lead Co., bill lead.....	862 23
John H. Gowse, stop gate wrenches.....	85 28
Geo. B. Hayes, estimate, pipe and specials.....	3,232 07
Geo. B. Harris, transportation, pipe.....	73 22
S. J. Wagoner, drawing and delivering pipe.....	192 30
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	17 18
J. H. Decker, final est. trenching, Group 76.....	39 20
..... pipe laying.....	76 14 85
John Howe, estimate No. 3.....	79 140 00
Jan. H. Nellis	6 tren'g 81 250 00
..... p laying.....	31 160 00
Thomas Oliver	7 630 00
Howe & Clancy	7 300 00
	\$6,078 45

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay rolls, Nov. 3.....	\$ 475 22
..... 8.....	409 00
..... 15.....	475 22
..... 15.....	376 50
	\$51 72
T. J. Neville, clerk, office expenses.....	14 05
Clague, Wegman, Schlicht & Co., stationery.....	9 00
Curtis & Co., supplies.....	2 90
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	30 29
Stone & Campbell, oats.....	53 09
H. A. Kingsley & Co., hardware.....	5 40
Ludlow Valve Manufacturing Co., extra pieces.....	17 00
A. Tegg, veterinary services.....	23 00
Boston Machine Co., tools.....	18 00
Citizens' Gas Co., pipe and labor.....	8 85
Rochester Gas Light Co., gas bills.....	14 40
J. E. Waters, coal.....	82 17 70
Chicago Rawhide Manufacturing Co., valve leather.....	5 25
R. McIntyre, boat and oars.....	25 00
Brewster, Crittenden & Co., clover seed.....	1 25
C. H. Babcock, coal.....	11 50
H. P. Hoppaugh, lumber, etc.....	22 65
M. Barron, coal.....	12 13
J. R. Strauchen, water bill paid twice.....	156 56
Bolivar Ellis, Co. Clerk, searches in Ontario Co.....	242 63
P. J. Chesbrough, stone at Hemlock lake.....	18 00
	\$2,449 64

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Zimmer & Schwan, repairs apparatus.....	\$263 71
John B. Snyder.....	15 60
H. J. Bowman,	3 40
J. P. Lemley, rent of stable.....	2 50
Hartel Brothers, four loads hay.....	65 64
Stone & Campbell, mill feed.....	2 00
James Field, supplies.....	5 91
Smith, Perkins & Co., supplies.....	16 96
Municipal Gas Co., gas bills.....	24 40
M. Barron, coal.....	23 30
Schmidt & Kaciber, telegraph supplies.....	75
Utica Fire Alarm Tel. Co.,	\$238 10
.....	250 00
	533 10
Frank E. Handy, labor, fire tel., 2 bills.....	24 02
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements, fire tel.....	14 75
	\$1,013 22

Sprinkling Streets—Special Funds.

Geo. Bantel & Son, sprinkling Exchange street before letting.....	\$10 00
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Local Improvements—Special Funds.

John Mauder, estimate No. 3, Cambridge street sewer.....	\$ 550 00
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A. C. Bowen, estimate No. 5, Manhattan street improvement.....	700 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, estimate No. 2, N. and S. Francis street improvement.....	6,000 00
R. Y. McConnell, estimate No. 6, Park ave. and Culver sewer.....	500 00
Goe. H. Thompson & Co., costs and extra work Central avenue bridge.....	1,199 65
Thomas Oliver, final estimate, Beacon street walk.....	354 36
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate, N. St. Paul st. improvement.....	2 58
James H. Nellis, final estimate, Concord avenue sewer.....	1,174 05
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Manhattan street improvement.....	516 56
F. C. Lauer, final estimate, Mt. Vernon avenue and Lewis street sewer.....	1,151 81
John Lutes, inspecting Mill st. sewer.....	33 00
John Creegan, inspecting Central avenue improvement.....	36 00
Valentine Hantz, inspecting Francis st. improvement.....	22 50
A. Hampton, inspecting Francis st. improvement.....	12 50
Wm. I. Hanford, inspecting Meigs st. improvement.....	12 00
John Koch, inspecting Mt. Vernon ave. and Lewis st. sewer.....	15 00
Jacob Bauer, inspecting Silver st. sewer.....	5 00
F. W. Caring, inspecting North St. Paul st. improvement.....	15 00
Luman Smith, inspecting Concord ave. sewer.....	122 50
Frank Chaffey, inspecting Manhattan st. improvement.....	197 50
Street Dep't, test pits, Park ave. and Culver st. sewer.....	3 00
Street Dep't, test pits, Locust st. sewer.....	2 50
..... Maple.....	3 00
..... Saxton st. outlet.....	11 00
..... Oakman st. sewer.....	6 25
..... Cambridge, &c., sewer.....	3 00
..... stakes and expenses.....	\$ 9 00
..... use of street roller.....	12 00
	225 00
	246 00

Manhattan st. improvement.....	
Street Dep't, test pits.....	\$ 3 00
..... stakes and expenses.....	16 18
..... use of street roller.....	150 00
	169 18
Meigs st. improvement.....	
Street Dep't, test pits.....	\$ 3 00
..... stakes and expenses.....	5 33
	8 33
Mt. Vernon ave. sewer.....	
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses N. St. Paul st. improvement.....	19 92
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses Beacon st. walk.....	3 48
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses Concord ave. sewer.....	7 34
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses Silver st. sewer.....	4 81
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses Bay st. sewer, No. 2.....	2 75
James H. Nellis, extra labor and material Concord ave. sewer.....	27 00
Street Dep't, labor and material N. St. Paul st. improvement.....	130 12
	\$13,273 19

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your special committee, to which was referred the report made by the Commissioners in the matter of the extension of Pinnacle avenue, together with objections thereto, hereby reports.

Your committee has heard the allegations of the persons whose property is proposed to be taken, and is of the opinion that the award of the Commission is, in view of all the circumstances, somewhat lower than should be made. Your committee is of the opinion that the report for this reason should not be confirmed.

A. BRONSON,
CHARLES WATSON,
C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. T. SOUTHARD,
Special Committee.

By Ald. Rice—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, one of the members of the special committee appointed with reference to the report of the Pinnacle Avenue Commission, submits the following minority report:

The report was made by John R. Fanning, C. C. Myer and John Kratz, all of whom are owners of real estate and two of whom are especially qualified to pass upon the value of the property in question. Said commissioners was sworn and heard all the testimony and allegations of the parties after carefully examining the property. None of said commissioners had any interest for or against the parties. Their report was unanimous and should not be set aside, unless some reason is shown of more force than any yet given. The expense to the city in this matter is already about four hundred dollars, and should not be increased by the appointment of another commission.

Minority report.
HENRY RICE, Committee.

On motion of Ald. Bronson the report of the majority of the committee was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE. From the Executive Board—

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
ROCHESTER N. Y., Oct. 31, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law.

1. Monthly report, showing the expenditures by this Board, for all purposes, during the month ending October 31, 1883.

2. Monthly statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board at this date.

Respectfully your obedient servant,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures by the Executive Board for all purposes during the month ending Oct. 31, 1883:

Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.

By the Executive Board in payment for labor.	\$ 5,948 40
Orders for bills and estimates passed by the Common Council at sessions October 2d, 16th and 30th.	99,087 27
Total.	\$105,035 67

CLASSIFICATION.

Highway fund.	\$ 10,851 27
Water Pipe fund.	12,644 19
Water works fund.	7,354 50
Fire Department fund.	14,303 09
Local improvement fund.	55,354 17
Street Sprinkling fund.	3,823 42
Salary and expense.	675 13
Total.	\$105,035 67

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in charge of the Executive Board on the 31st day of October, 1883, at the close of business:

Dr. Balances:	
Local improvement Funds.	191,347 90
Street sprinkling funds.	20,892 02
Sidewalk Repair funds.	2,009 95
Total.	\$214,249 87

Cr. Balances:

City Treasurer.	\$115,157 51
Highway Fund.	4,305 87
Water Pipe Fund.	19,922 02
Water Works Fund.	88,851 10
Water Works Fund (Special).	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.	30,100 62
Salary and Expense Fund.	4,397 28
Total.	\$214,249 87

Ordered received, filed and published.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
OFFICES, CITY HALL, NOV. 13, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: A careful examination of the resolutions passed by your Board in relation to water pipe extensions for the current year develops the fact that you have directed the City Treasurer to borrow \$48,600 for water pipe extensions in certain specified streets. You have also in conjunction with the Executive Board, since that date, authorized other water pipe extensions, and which have been made or commenced, amounting to \$15,417, without authorizing the raising the same by note, but directing that the cost should be paid from funds previously raised for water pipe extensions.

On date of October 2d the following list of petitions for water pipe extensions then on file with the Execu-

tive Board, was presented to you, the estimated cost of which is \$24,665. The communication and resolution accompanying the list was laid on the table and comes up for action at your meeting of this date.

Goodman street, from Thompson street to West street; Good Court from Park ave. to 360 feet north; Nichols park from Brighton ave. to Park ave.

Edward street, from Herman st. to north end of street.

Huntington street, from Hudson st. to North st.

Bond street, from Hamilton place to Grand st.

Good street, from Rowe st. to Glenwood ave.

Cottage street, from present end to Plymouth ave.

Silver street, from Taylor st. to Wilkins st.

Wilkins street, from Silver st. to 400 feet north.

Eddie street, from Silver st to Taylor st.

Halbert street, from Brown st. to Silver st.

Clifford street, from North Clinton st. to Hudson st.

Thomas street, from Clifford st. to Bernhardt st.

Fourth street, from Rowe st. to Glenwood ave.

Glenwood avenue, from First st. to Fourth st.

Third street, from present end to 150 feet west.

Field street, from Erie canal to 1,140 feet south.

Bay street, from North ave. to First ave.

Genesee street, from Hunter st. to 100 feet south of Frost ave.

Mt. Vernon avenue, from Lewis st. to Caroline st.

Maria street, from Clifford street to end of street.

Since the date of that report the following additional petitions have been filed, asking for water pipe extensions in the streets named, at an estimated cost of \$10,783:

Walnut street, from Smith st. to Magne st.

Union street, from Pennsylvania ave to German st.

Mt. Vernon avenue, from Lewis st. to 139 feet south.

Plymouth avenue, from Frances st. to Genesee Valley Canal.

Miller street, from Bay st. to north line of Hertweck property.

Fairmount street, from University ave. to Anderson ave.

Norwood street, from University ave. to Anderson ave.

West street, from Lyell ave. to 250 feet north.

Brighton avenue, from Goodman st. to Nichols park.

Avenue "B," from present end to Conkey ave.

Goodman street, crossing under Erie canal.

Louis park, from Scrantom st. to Oakman st.

Should extensions be now authorized in accordance with the petitions on file to this date and enumerated in the foregoing lists, it will be necessary to insert in the tax levy of next year, for water pipe extensions, \$99,467, as follows:

Directed to be raised by note, as per resolution of May 1st, 1883. \$ 48,600

Authorized at various times and extensions made or commenced but no money provided. 15,417

Estimated cost of extensions in streets embraced in list submitted October 2d, 1883. 24,665

Estimated cost of extensions in streets embraced in list submitted this date. 10,785

Total. \$99,467

Colvin street, from Maple to Wilder. 510

It is certainly desirable that you should determine at an early date the streets in which you will have water mains extended next spring and also that you provide money for the same, so that contracts for pipe and other materials may be made for delivery during the coming winter.

The amount required by the petitions now on file is, however, greater than you will probably regard prudent to raise in the tax levy of next year, and therefore some of them will have to be deferred until after the adoption of the tax levy, when the balance of the list may be provided for by borrowing on the credit of the tax levy of the following year.

In view of these facts the Executive Board respectfully recommends that no action be taken upon the communication and accompanying resolution of October 2d, now upon your table, but that the whole subject be referred to your Water Committee and Executive Board to examine the subject and report such recommendation to your board as they may deem wise and prudent.

Respectfully submitted.

Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, NOV. 13th, 1883. }

GENTLEMEN—The Executive Board forwarded the following communication to your honorable body, under date of Oct. 12th:

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, Oct. 12, 1883. }

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of the City Charter, at the beginning of the fiscal year, this board made requisition for the sum deemed necessary

to be placed in the tax levy for the Highway Fund for the current year. Of this amount (\$90,000) of said requisition but \$50,000 was placed in said tax levy. Said fund is now exhausted and must be at once replenished. Said board would therefore respectfully request you to raise upon the credit of the city \$25,000 and place the same to the credit of the Highway Fund.

At the meeting at which this resolution was presented Ald. Hinds from the Finance Committee, presented a resolution which was adopted appropriating \$3,000 for the purpose designated in the communication. The Executive Board beg leave to inform you that the amount then placed to the credit of the Highway Fund has been exhausted, and respectfully request that suitable provisions be made by your honorable body to carry on the necessary work of this department.

Respectfully, THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the city treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to make the city's note for one year for the sum of \$8,000, under the provisions of section 81 of the city charter, and get the same discounted and place the avails to the credit of the highway fund, and charge discount to contingent fund, said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the finance committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink.—15.

Nays—Ald. Foley.—1.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Executive Board be, and hereby is requested to report to this board at its next regular meeting the amount in detail expended by said Board during the past three months upon the streets and avenues of the city which are improved. Adopted.

From the Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, Nov. 13th, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds, on the 13th day of November, 1883, as required by section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund.....	\$1,138 50
.. .. . Repair.....	90 76
.. .. . Contingent Fund.....	18,893 06
.. .. . Teachers'.....	59,667 24
Fire Department Fund.....	30,109 10
Poor Department Fund.....	39,608 15
Police Department Fund.....	26,212 93
Contingent Fund.....	26,208 42
Highway Fund.....	602 97
Lamp Fund.....	29,637 86
Health Fund.....	4,206 63
City Property Fund.....	2,379 03
Park Fund.....	116 87
Water Works Fund.....	18,886 95
Water Pipe Fund.....	20,068 71
Salary and Expense Fund.....	397 86

A. C. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

Sworn before me, this 13th day of November, 1883, EDWARD THOMAS, Com'r. of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Excise Commissioners:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing Oct. 1st, 1883, and ending Oct. 31st, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, a. e. beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz:

Oct. 1.	
Crowley, Bartholomew, 22 W Main st.....	\$ 62 00
Oberst, Henry, 67 Front st.....	50 00
Sullivan, Daniel, 30 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Duffy, William, 62 S St Paul st.....	50 00
Eagan & Lamont, 55 Prospect st.....	50 00
Donivan, John, 34 S St Paul st.....	50 00

Jacobs, Erastus N, agt, Brewer's dock	40 00
Sheehy, Mary J, 11 Magne st.....	30 00
Agram, Joseph, 126 East ave.....	50 00
Raisner, Theodore, 162 Jay st.....	30 00

Oct. 8:	
Buhr, Frederick, 16 Atwater st.....	70 00
Goulding, Catherine, 96 S St Paul st.....	68 00
Hoihoan, Michael, Solo and Davis st.....	50 00
Kreuser, Charles, 185 N Clinton.....	30 00
Agram, Joseph, 126 East ave.....	58 00
Swartz, Lena, 315 E Main st.....	30 00
Elder, Louis J, 130 N St Paul st.....	62 00
Goenner, Charler A, 170½ N Clinton st.....	62 50
Leonard, James, 236 State st.....	55 00
Attridge, Joseph, Jay and Child st.....	55 00
Rigney, Eliza, 220 State st.....	25 00
Wandell, Alonzo, 43 N St Paul st.....	62 00
Daly, Rose A, 245 State st.....	38 75
Maxwell, James A, Congress Hall.....	60 00
Mason, Martin, 11 West ave.....	50 00
Martin, Anthony H, Lyell ave and Childs st.....	50 00

Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer.....\$2,501 00

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

Dated Oct. 31, 1883.
STATE OF NEW YORK, }
COUNTY OF MONROE, } ss.
City of Rochester. }

The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of October, 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of October, 1883. MAURICE MOYNIHAN,
Com. of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Police Clerk—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1883.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, Nov. 13, 1883.

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of October, 1883.

October.	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
1—Frank Skully.....	Drunk	\$10	\$5
Jacob Knapp.....	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
John Harrison.....	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Thomas Maher.....	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Ida Day.....	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Willie Mack.....	vi o r d	Cost	2
Alvin Johnson.....	assault	5	5
2—James Smith.....	drunk	10	
Thos Johnson.....	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Robt McFarlane.....	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Michael Gunther.....	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
John Sandie.....	vi o r d	25	
Richard Sprague.....	assault	1	1
Wm Elwell.....	using hb. lang.	1	1
3—Patrick Boyland.....	drunk	10	
Wm Nichols.....	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .

August Karwick.....	assault	15	15
4—John Farron.....	drunk	10	5
Mary Farron.....	..	10	5
Skuse Pflunkey.....	assault	5	5
Wm Steinkamp.....	via ord	10	10
5—John S Mchinton.....	drunk	10	5
Dennis Buckley.....	..	10	5
Chauncey Sedon.....	..	10	10
Wm H Resencelt.....	via ord	10	10
Frank Conly.....	petit larcens	10	10
6—George Weldon.....	..	10	10
Mary Harrisoe.....	..	10	10
8—Maria Jones.....	..	10	10
John Sullivan.....	..	10	10
Thomas Gorman.....	..	10	10
Edward Burke.....	..	10	10
Geo Caler.....	..	10	5
Barney Corrigan.....	..	10	10
Maria Corrigan.....	..	10	10
James Sullivan.....	assault	cost	1
Nora Smith.....	drunk	10	10
Chas G Sney.....	..	10	10
Geo W Sharp.....	..	10	5
Wm Henry.....	..	10	10
9—Nicholas Bryer.....	..	10	10
Thos Courtney.....	..	10	10
Jacob Scholl.....	..	10	10
Thos McNaught.....	..	10	10
10—August Buckley.....	..	10	5
John Lynch.....	..	10	10
Morris Bloom.....	petit larceny	10	10
Mary Lysaigt.....	drunk	10	10
H D Kelson.....	..	10	10
Henry Clay.....	..	10	10
James Marron.....	old fine	5	5
11—Edward Dorsey.....	..	10	5
Mich Hannon.....	..	10	5
Daniel Graham.....	cost	1	1
Chas Whipple.....	..	10	10
12—L B Chappell.....	..	10	5
John Michaels.....	..	10	5
James Connors.....	..	10	5
John Hogan.....	..	10	10
John Kelly.....	..	10	10
Pat k Casey.....	..	10	10
John Hogan.....	..	10	10
Wm Maynard.....	..	10	10
Joseph Faulkner.....	Riding on freight cars	5	5
John Kessler.....	..	5	5
J Adolph Youncell.....	..	5	5
Sam l Saffren.....	..	5	5
13—Thos Howard.....	drunk	10	5
Geo Coxon.....	..	10	10
Henry Frost.....	..	10	10
Dennis Meehan.....	..	10	5
Joseph Burtfeld.....	..	10	10
15—John Kelly.....	Left	10	10
Silas McNett.....	..	10	10
Wm Post.....	..	10	10
James Hughes.....	..	10	10
Marilyn Guerin.....	..	10	5
John Schneider.....	..	10	10
Dennis Meehan.....	..	10	10
Patk Connors.....	Left	4	31
Barry McGuire.....	petit larceny	15	15
John Monaghan.....	drunk	10	10
John Kelly.....	..	10	5
Wm Carr.....	..	10	5
Libbie Pellett.....	..	10	10
Patk McHale.....	..	10	10
James Butler.....	..	10	5
Daniel Connors.....	..	10	10
Thos O'Hare.....	via ord	10	10
Patk Purtell.....	drunk	10	10
James Burns.....	..	10	10
Ed Farley.....	..	10	10
Chas Stade.....	..	10	10
James Moore, jr.....	..	10	10
16—Anthony McKinty.....	..	10	10
Mich Bennett.....	assault	15	15
James McInnis.....	drunk	10	10
Chris Monk.....	..	10	10
Fred E Steel.....	..	10	10
Dani Connors.....	..	10	10
Joseph Christ.....	..	10	10
Leonard Bach.....	vio. ord.	25	10
Morris Van Graffand.....	..	10	10
17—Maria Jones.....	drunk	10	10
James Lewis.....	..	10	5
Samuel T Baker.....	..	10	10
18—John Murphy.....	..	10	10
Andrew Murphy.....	..	10	10
Kate Lynch.....	..	10	10
Kate Smith.....	vio. ord.	10	10
Mich Crouse.....	..	10	10
19—Wm Cating.....	drunk	10	10
Reuben Lewis.....	vio. ord.	10	10
20—Peter Core.....	drunk	10	10
Ann Moore.....	..	10	10
Kate Barry.....	..	10	10
Bridget McGann.....	..	10	10

Thos. Barry.....	..	10	10
Thos. Moore.....	..	10	10
John Maher.....	..	10	10
John Mills.....	..	10	10
22—Louis H. McNish.....	petit larceny	cost	1 50
Geo. Sable.....	..	cost	1 50
Ida Dean.....	drunk	10	5
Mich. Fennell.....	..	10	10
Dani. Mcintyre.....	..	cost	1
Patk. Hoolihan.....	..	10	10
Moses J. Sackett.....	..	10	10
Ann Ryan.....	..	10	10
Josepe Solberger.....	..	10	5
John Christie.....	..	10	10
23—John Maher.....	..	10	10
James Murphy.....	..	10	10
John Cullen.....	..	10	10
Elizabeth Cassidy.....	..	10	10
Thomas Lavis.....	..	10	5
Geo. W. Wyznan.....	..	10	10
Francis Stanton.....	..	10	10
24—Wm. Richardson.....	petit larceny	cost	5
Robt. Anderson.....	drunk	10	2
Seymour Jeffords.....	..	10	10
Wm. Garrigan.....	..	10	10
25—John Butler.....	..	10	10
Barbara Martin.....	..	10	10
Frank Hackett.....	..	10	5
Chas. Poise.....	..	10	5
Augustus A. Vogel.....	..	10	10
Peter Cone.....	..	10	10
26—Constanting Brown.....	..	10	10
Joseph Neary.....	..	10	10
Wm. Keefe.....	..	10	10
Wm. Martin.....	assault	5	5
27—Chas. FitzPatrick.....	drunk	10	5
James Dowd.....	..	10	10
Carl Johnson.....	..	10	10
Chas McNamara.....	..	10	10
Thos Kenny.....	..	10	10
Frank Brown.....	..	10	10
Maggie Hayes.....	..	10	10
John Hackett.....	..	10	5
Barbara Magin.....	..	10	10
Chas Moore.....	vio ord	15	10
Geo Edmunds.....	..	15	10
Jennie McKinnon.....	..	100	100
Gordon H. Giddings.....	drunk	10	10
Thos McNamara.....	..	10	5
Anna Decker.....	vio ord	15	10
Wm June.....	..	10	10
Martin Gucker.....	..	100	100
Wm Holden.....	drunk	10	10
29—James Healy.....	Left	10	10
John Dugan.....	..	10	10
Bernard Boyland.....	..	10	10
Anthony Leavach.....	..	10	10
John H. Herman.....	Left	2	2
Kate Kinsella.....	..	10	10
George Herring.....	..	10	5
Morris B. Angie.....	..	10	10
Wm. Herring.....	..	10	5
Mich. Fairbrand.....	..	10	10
Thos. Fitzpatrick.....	..	10	10
James O'Connor.....	drunk	10	10
Hugh Hazard.....	..	10	10
Thomas Spillane.....	..	10	4 75
Patrick Fields.....	..	10	10
James Godwin.....	..	10	10
Cyrus Marsn.....	..	10	10
Wm. Dugan.....	..	10	10
Geo. Huber.....	assault	5	5
F. A. Moore.....	hotel fraud	cost	3
30—John Keefe.....	drunk	10	5
John Cunningham.....	..	10	10
John Monaghan.....	..	10	10
Julius Havens.....	..	10	10
LeRoy Nidler.....	..	10	10
Geo. Collins.....	..	10	10
Catharine Keefe.....	..	10	10
Sarah Van Riper.....	..	10	10
Joseph Connolly.....	..	10	10
Ed Crosby.....	..	10	10
Geo. Eisenhauer.....	..	10	5
Joseph Joyce.....	..	10	10
Ernest Striebling.....	cru to animals	5	5
Geo. Fox.....	vio ord	10	10
Thos. Coughlin.....	assault	5	5

Total.....\$684 06

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester, ss
 I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of October, 1883, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.
 Sworn to before me this 13th day of November, 1883.
 A. G. WHEELER.

Police Justice and Commissioner of Deeds.
 Ordered received, filed and published.
 From the Overseer of the Poor—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 13, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the Poor of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report that during the month of October he has relieved 367 families in the following manner:

Orders on Poor Store.....	\$1 205 70
.. .. Coal yard.....	355 25
.. .. Undertakers.....	25 00
.. .. for transportation.....	9 36
.. .. Shoes.....	32 55

Total.....\$1,627 86
 Less amount charged towns..... 24 13

Total to city.....\$1,603 73

All of which is respectfully submitted,
 N. THOMPSON, Overseer of Poor.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 12th, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby report that the Assessors have delivered to me the assessment roll for the Genesee Valley canal sewer, certified and sworn to as required by Section 205 of the City Charter.

Respectfully submitted,
 FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received filed, and published.

Ald. Simmelink presented a remonstrance from persons in the Eighth ward against the confirmation of the assessment roll for the Genesee Valley canal sewer.

Ald. Bronson moved that the assessment roll and the remonstrance be referred to the Assessment Committee. Adopted.

From the Surveyor—

CITY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 13th, 1883. }

To the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: At a meeting of the Common Council held September 9th, 1879, the following resolution was adopted:

"By Ald. L. M. Otis—Resolved, That the City Surveyor be requested to prepare an ordinance for an outlet sewer on the east side of the Genesee river, said outlet sewer to be designed for the purpose of cutting off all sewers which now drain into the country, and carrying all sewage matter into the Genesee river."

Also, at a meeting held July 27th, 1880, the following resolution was adopted:

"By Ald. Ira L. Otis—Whereas, The city is frequently subjected to lawsuits, expenses, etc., for emptying the sewage of nearly all the sewers on the east side of the Genesee river on private property; and

"Whereas, The city is capable, far beyond almost any city, of providing a proper outlet for all its sewers; therefore,

"Resolved, That the City Surveyor be instructed to prepare and bring in an ordinance for building an intercepting sewer capable of receiving the sewage of all outlet sewers on the east side of the river, with its outlet below the lower falls."

Pursuant to the above resolutions an ordinance for the proposed sewer was submitted to the Common Council September 4th, 1880, which was indefinitely postponed August 9th, 1881. Since that time many claims for damages have been presented and a number of actions to recover damages sustained, have been brought against the city, in one of which, that of Brown against the City, the court held that the plaintiff was entitled to an injunction, restraining it from conducting its sewage across the premises of the plaintiff. With reference to another case, a select committee of your honorable body made a report, which is as follows:

ROCHESTER, July 24, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your select committee, to which was referred the matters connected with the North avenue outlet sewer, hereby reports:

Your committee visited the locality in question and has made careful investigation into the alleged abuses existing in connection therewith. It appears in 1874 and 1875 there was constructed by commissioners who were appointed by the County Court, an outlet sewer extending from Bay street to Norton street, nearly two-thirds of which was made as a covered sewer. At the point where the sewer crosses North avenue it was made to empty into a stream, which previous to that time had been a stream of running water. Said stream from

thence runs nearly parallel with North avenue and crosses Norton street and North avenue and passes over the lands belonging to various parties, and so on to Irondequoit Bay. In the action of Hooker against the city, which was lately tried before Judge Rumsey and a jury, the Court charged as matter of law that the city was liable if the amount of water and sewage matter flowing into said stream was increased by reason of the construction of said sewer, and that if such were the fact the only question for the jury in said action was to determine the damages which the plaintiff suffered by reason of the sewage matter of nearly 600 acres in the city of Rochester passing along said stream and crossing his farm. The verdict of the jury, as your Honorable Body will remember, was in favor of the plaintiff for \$600, and it is more than likely that other claims will be made and other suits brought, the result of which may be the payment by the city of large sums of money for damages. Furthermore actions may be brought for the purpose of obtaining a permanent injunction restraining the city from depositing its sewage in the manner above indicated.

Your Committee is of the opinion that the sewage of the east side of the river should be, by means of one large outlet, sewer, conducted into the Genesee river below the Lower falls. Such sewer should be begun at the river and continued as far as possible this year, and extended from year to year until all of the outlet sewers in the city shall have been afforded outlet thereby.

If this work should at once be begun the North avenue sewer could be disposed of within a year, and as the sewer is extended the Court and William street outlet and the Monroe avenue sewers could be drained thereby, thus avoiding all liability such as is above suggested.

Your committee would, therefore, recommend that the Surveyor be instructed to prepare an ordinance providing for the construction of such sewer so that the same can be presented at the next regular meeting of your honorable board.

Respectfully submitted,
 GEORGE W. ARCHER,
 J. T. SOUTHWARD,
 J. M. AIKENHEAD,
 JOHN B. SIMMELINK,
 J. M. PITKIN,
 Committee.

Adopted.

Ald. Archer moved that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance in accordance with the recommendation of the committee. Adopted.

In accordance with the above recommendations I have prepared the required ordinance, and that all interested persons may understand the condition of things in that locality, I submit an extract from a previous report to the Common Council on that subject:

The true and perfect drainage of that portion of the city of Rochester lying east of the Genesee river, is a matter of vital importance, not only to the inhabitants of that particular locality, but to the entire city, and for many years has been the subject of frequent discussions. The late Board of Public Works, during the year 1875 had under consideration at various times the question of the manner of draining the western and eastern portion of the city, and a great effort at that time was made to give relief to those localities. The Board of Health have also at various times given the subject a careful consideration, not only in relation to local drainage, but to a plan providing for the general drainage of the city. The Executive Board from time to time has presented the subject to you for your consideration and especially by communications dated May 13th, 1880, and in the preparations of the various ordinances for sewers, directed to be drawn by you, I have on many occasions expressed my inability to construct sewers properly in many localities, on account of the want of a proper outlet for said sewers to discharge into. That many evils in this respect are in existence the entire city is aware of, and a remedy for the greater portion of those existing on the east side of the Genesee River is now sought for. The facts of the case as they exist at the present time may be briefly stated as follows: First, the eastern portion of the 12th ward and portions of the 16th ward lying south of the Erie Canal are drained into the Erie Canal, at a point just east of the lock near Henrietta avenue, an outlet sewer between this lock and Pinnacle avenue was constructed by the State authorities in 1862, and is entirely insufficient for the wants of that locality; a moderate rainfall only being necessary to flood a majority of the cellars in that vicinity, as the water in the canal at all times backs a long distance up the sewer, by reason of the bottom of the outlet having been located below the surface of the water in the canal. Second, a great portion of the 7th ward, and that portion of the 16th ward lying between Park avenue and the Erie canal, have no outlet facilities whatever, except such as are afforded by a small, shallow and sluggish open stream. This stream begins near Nichols park and passes through private property to Irondequoit Bay, extending 36-100

miles within the city limits and 3 and 58-100 miles beyond the same. Third, the present sewer in East avenue and the Culver road discharges into an open ditch at the Culver road, on the north side of the New York Central Railroad. This open ditch also extends through private property to Irondequoit Bay, a distance of 3 and 12-100 miles outside of the city limit. Fourth, those portions of the 7th, 10th and 16th wards which drain through Upton park discharge their contents into a shallow stream, which begins at Leighton avenue near Goodman street, and extends through private property to its intersection with the Court and William streets outlet, a distance of 1 and 91-100 miles within the city limits, and thence to Irondequoit Bay. Fifth, the Court and William streets outlet sewer discharges into an open shallow stream, beginning on the north side of the New York Central Railroad, a short distance west of Goodman street, and extends through private property 2 and 18-100 miles to the city limits, and thence 2 and 65-100 miles to Irondequoit Bay. Sixth, The North avenue outlet sewer discharges into an open shallow stream, beginning at North avenue, between Jennings and Stewart streets, and extends through private property 37-100 miles to the city limits and thence 4 and 20 miles to Irondequoit Bay. Seventh, The territory lying west of the area drained by the North avenue outlet, and south of and adjacent to Norton street, amounting to over 900 acres, has not a sewer constructed in it, and must remain in that condition until a proper outlet has been prepared. Eighth, The greater portion of the sewers on the east side of the Genesee river discharges into the stream, and extends into the country and aggregating 6 and 5-100 miles in length within the city limits.

Such are the leading facts showing the condition of things at the present time. A careful examination of the topographical features of the east side of the city shows that, with slight exceptions, the surface of the ground slopes generally eastwardly, as is indicated by the leveling instruments and also by the flow and courses of the various natural drains and open streams now used for sewer outlets.

The entire surface is subdivided into many drainage areas, the flow from which, in nearly all cases, when concentrated by lateral sewers leading into one general outlet sewer may be discharged at the lower or northerly portion of the city and into the Genesee river. From the use of the various open streams for outlet purposes, have arisen many vexed questions of law regarding damages alleged to have been caused to various land owners from overflow and other causes, and suits at law arising therefrom, have been brought against the city. In numerous cases, the city has been unable to defend itself successfully, and has been obliged to pay large amounts to settle claims for damages; but even in cases where the city has been successful, the expenses of each suit have been very heavy. It is my opinion that it is only a matter of time when the city will be obliged to abandon these open streams for sewerage purposes, and seek outlets in other localities. From the fact that it is an impossibility in constructing sewers to spend the money of the people economically, and to good advantage, without having a proper outlet for the various sewers, it seems desirable that this subject receive something more than a passing notice. This outlet sewer when constructed can readily be made to drain nearly the entire Twelfth ward and other areas amounting to about 4,000 acres, and will intercept such of the present outlet sewers as discharge into the open streams leading across farming lands, thereby settling at once and for all time the question of damages arising between land owners and the city of Rochester.

Respectfully, OSCAR H. PEACOCK,
City Surveyor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

OUTLET SEWER ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE GENESSEE RIVER.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing an outlet sewer on the east side of the Genesee river, and extending from the intersection of the centre line of Henrietta avenue with the centre line of Pinnacle avenue in the 12th ward, to the Genesee river near the ridge road in the 5th ward, said estimate to be exclusive of damages and compensation to be paid for right of way.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$451,926. By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of an outlet sewer on the east side of the Genesee river, and extending from the intersection of the centre line of Henrietta avenue with the centre line of Pinnacle avenue in the 12th ward, to the Genesee river, near the ridge road in the 5th ward, and to be constructed substantially and as far as may be found practicable along the following described route, which represents generally the course of the centre line of the proposed sewer, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Henrietta avenue with the centre line of Pinnacle avenue in the 12th ward; thence easterly and northerly along the centre of Henrietta avenue to the south bank of the Erie canal; thence northerly across the Erie canal to the north bank thereof at a point opposite the centre of Wilcox street; thence N. 28 deg. 30 min. E. to the south end of Wilcox street; thence northerly along the centre of Wilcox street to the centre of Monroe avenue; thence easterly along the centre of Monroe avenue to Adwin street; thence northerly and easterly, outside of, and along the respective westerly and northerly sides of Mathias Kondolf's ice pond, to Bowen street; thence easterly to a point in the present open ditch in line with and opposite the centre of Bates street; thence N. 28 deg. 30 min. E. to the centre of Bates street; thence northerly along the centre of Bates street to the centre of East avenue; thence N. 26 deg. E. to a point opposite the centre of Culver park; thence N. 42 deg. 15 min. W. 100 feet; thence N. 26 deg. 30 min. E. along the east line of Marvin A. Culver's wood lot to the south line of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad; thence northerly across said New York Central & Hudson River railroad to Henry street; thence northerly along the centre of Henry street to the centre of Schanck avenue; thence westerly along the centre of Schanck avenue about 1,150 feet; thence northwesterly to the intersection of the Upton park outlet ditch with the east line of the Webster plank road, and in said line continued to the centre of Goodman st.; thence northerly along the centre of Goodman street to a point opposite the centre of High street; thence northerly to the south end of Eighth avenue; thence northerly along the centre of Eighth avenue to the centre of Bay street; thence N. 16 deg. 50 min. E. across the Court and William street outlet to the centre of High street, at a point 623 feet east of the centre of Elm street; thence N. 2 deg. 15 min. W. to the south line of the Jennings tract to the centre of Carter street at a point 10 feet north of the south line of Chauncey Nash's lot; thence N. 85 deg. 30 min. W. to the centre of Hudson street; thence northerly along the centre of Hudson street to the centre of Norton street; thence westerly along the centre of Norton street to the centre of Hollenbeck street; thence northerly along the centre of Hollenbeck street to a point at right angles to the intersection of the centre line of the ridge road with the centre line of North St. Paul street; thence westerly to said point of intersection and in said line continued to the east high bank of the Genesee river; thence westerly along the slope of the bank to the Genesee river. Said sewer shall be constructed with a stone arch and stone bench walls and a flared, curved invert, and of a capacity equal to the following sizes of circular sewers, viz.: From the centre of Pinnacle avenue to the centre of Monroe avenue, 5½ feet in diameter; from the centre of Monroe avenue to the centre of Bowen street, 6 feet in diameter; from the centre of Bowen street to the centre of East avenue, 6½ feet in diameter; from the centre of East avenue to the centre of the Webster plank road, 7 feet in diameter; from the centre of the Webster plank road to the Court and Williams street outlet, 7½ feet in diameter; from the Court and Williams street outlet to the North avenue outlet, 8 feet in diameter; from the North avenue outlet to the centre of Clinton street, 8½ feet in diameter; from the centre of Clinton street to the high bank of the Genesee river, 9 feet in diameter, and from the top of the high bank to the Genesee river such special sizes of iron pipe not exceeding 9 feet in diameter as may be found necessary.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$451,926, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

All that portion of the city of Rochester lying on the east side of the Genesee river.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in five equal payments, as follows: the fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised

Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, Nov. the 27th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

NORTH LINDEN STREET PLANK WALKS.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of grading and constructing plank walks on North Linden street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$500.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The grading of North Linden street, and the construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side thereof, from Clinton street to Joiner street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$800, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

One tier lots on the east side of North Linden street, from Clinton street to Joiner street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title vii, section 172 of the revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, November 27th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

NORTH CLINTON STREET AND AVENUE A SEWER.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a sewer in North Clinton street and Avenue A.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$3,500.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in North Clinton street, from a point 450 feet north of Clifford street to the center of Avenue A; also a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Avenue A, from the center of North Clinton street to the sewer in Conkey avenue; also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$3,300, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

One tier of lots on each side of North Clinton street, from a point 450 feet north of Clifford street to the center of Avenue A.

Also one tier of lots on each side of Avenue A, from North Clinton street to Conkey avenue.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed, within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one-year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, November 27th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON ASHLAND STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Ashland street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$38.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The construction of a plank walk three feet and three inches in width on the east side of Ashland street, from Hickey street to Munger street, except where good plank walks now exist.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$38, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of

said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the east side of Ashland street in front of which the proposed walk shall be constructed.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, November the 27th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

EXCHANGE STREET FOOT BRIDGE.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a wrought iron foot bridge 10 feet in width between the center of trusses, across the Erie canal, on the east side of Exchange street. Also the necessary stair cases and masonry foundations.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$4,500.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The construction of a wrought iron foot bridge 10 feet in width between the center of trusses, across the Erie canal, on the east side of Exchange street. Also the necessary stair cases and masonry foundations.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$4,500, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

All that portion of the First Ward lying east of Fitzhugh street and south of West Main street; also all that portion of the Third Ward lying east of Plymouth avenue from the Erie canal to the southwesterly line of the Third Ward.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, of section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend at the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Nov. the 27th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

CLEANING THE SEWER IN GORHAM STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of cleaning the sewer in Gorham street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$208.00.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The cleaning of the sewer in Gorham street, from Clinton street to a point opposite the west line of Almira street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$208, 00, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Gorham street, from Clinton street to a point opposite the west line of Almira street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of Revised Charter of 1880 of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, Nov. the 27th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to construct a foot bridge across the Erie canal on West Main street came up. Ald. Bronson moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to open and extend Maria street came up. Ald. Southard moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,552.

FLAGSTONE WALK ON MEIGS STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing.

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following :

An ordinance to construct a flagstone walk on Meigs

street, from the south curb line of Monroe avenue to the north curb line of Broadway.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a blue stone flag walk five feet in width on each side of Meigs street, from the south curb line of Monroe avenue to the north curb line of Broadway, except where good flag stone walks now exist at the proper grade.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$3,925, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Meigs street, from Monroe avenue to a point opposite the north curb line of Broadway.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,553.

PLANK WALK ON FAIRMOUNT STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Fairmount street from Anderson avenue to University avenue.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk four feet in width on the east side of Fairmount street, from Anderson avenue to University avenue, except where good plank walks four feet in width now exist.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$135 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the east side of Fairmount street, in front of which the proposed plank walk shall be constructed.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Simmelink moved that the property owners be allowed fifteen days to construct their own walks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,554.

PLANK WALK ON PENN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the Ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Penn street, from Francis street to a point opposite the west line of Saxe street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet and 8 inches in width on the north side of Penn street, from Francis street to a point opposite the west line of Saxe street, except where good plank walks now exist at the proper grade.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$266 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem to be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of Penn street, from the west line of Francis street to a point opposite the west line of Saxe street, in front of which the proposed plank walk shall be constructed.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Foley moved that the property owners on Penn street be allowed fifteen days to construct their own walks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,555.

PIPE SEWER IN MT. VERNON AVENUE.

On motion of Alderman Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Alderman Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a sewer in Mt. Vernon avenue, from the center of Benton street to a point of 139 feet south of Benton street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Mt. Vernon avenue, from the center of Benton street to a point 139 feet south of Benton street.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$295, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Mt. Vernon avenue, from the center of Benton street to a point 139 feet south of Benton street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,556.

IMPROVING SELDEN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An Ordinance to improve Selden street, from the east line of Gibbs street to the west curb line of Windsor street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The improvement of Selden st. from the east curb line of Gibbs street to the west curb line of Windsor street, by constructing a gravel roadway on a quarried stone foundation, with curbstones and gutters on each side thereof—width of roadway between curb lines to be 17 feet. Also a flagstone walk 4 feet in width on each side of said street, from Gibbs street to Windsor street. Also the necessary lot laterals, surface sewers and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$2,500.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Selden street from Gibbs street to Windsor street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson,

Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink-16.

The final ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Thorn street, Rowe street and Lake avenue, came up. Ald. Hinds presented a remonstrance and moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENTS.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE. }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,386, for Genesee street stone sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,663.33.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,336.

STONE SEWER IN GENESEE STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 5th day of September, 1882, enact an ordinance for stone sewer in Genesee street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,663.33, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Genesee street, from the center of Clifton street to a point 150 feet south of Hunter street.

Therefore, Resolved—That the sum of \$2,663.33, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton the Assessors of said city not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink-16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE. }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,526, for West Maple street pipe sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$765.00.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,526.

WEST MAPLE STREET PIPE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 10th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for West Maple street pipe sewer.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$765.00, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of West Maple street, from Ar es street to a point 400 feet west thereof.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$765.00, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday,

the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink-16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE. }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2335, for Klingler and Widman street pipe sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of funds, is \$1,989.88.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2325.

KLINGLER AND WIDMAN STREET PIPE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 10th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for Klingler and Widman street pipe sewer.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,989.88, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Klingler street for its entire length. Also one tier of lots on each side of Widman street for its entire length.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,989.88, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink-16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE. }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2484, for Brooks avenue plank walk, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$309.26.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2484.

BROOKS AVENUE PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 15th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for Brooks avenue plank walk.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$309.26, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Brooks avenue, from said river road to the west line of land owned by John B. Wilson.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$309.26, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expenses, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,
 Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner, Rice,
 Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,485, for repairing and cleaning Pindell Alley Sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$430.99.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,485.
 REPAIRING AND CLEANING PINDELL ALLEY SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 15th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for repairing and cleaning Pindell alley.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$430.99, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots of each side of Pindell alley, from Allen street to a point 85 feet north of West Main street. Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$430.99, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,
 Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner,
 Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,370, for Church street improvement has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its fund, is \$11,590.39.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,370.
 CHURCH STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 11th day of July, 1882, enact an ordinance for Church street improvement.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has paid the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$11,590.39, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of the above mentioned new street, recently opened from State street to Sophia street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$11,590.39, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,
 Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner,
 Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—17.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified us that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,417, for 4th, 7th and 12th wards outlet sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,939.41.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, No. 2,417.
 4TH, 7TH AND 12TH WARDS OUTLET SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 9th day of January, 1883, enact an Ordinance for 4th, 7th and 12th wards outlet sewer.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,939.41, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Court street with South St. Paul street, thence southerly along South St. Paul street, and including on tier of lots on the west side thereof, to Mt. Hope street, thence easterly along Mt. Hope avenue, and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof, to a point opposite the south side of Linden street; thence easterly along Linden street, and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to South avenue; thence northerly along South avenue, excepting one tier of lots on the west side thereof, to Grand street, thence still northerly along Grand street, including one tier of lots on the east side thereof, to Hamilton place; thence easterly along Hamilton place, and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to Pinnacle avenue; thence northerly along Pinnacle avenue, excepting one tier of lots on the westerly side thereof, to Alexander street; thence easterly along Alexander street to Cobb street, thence northerly along Cobb street, and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof, to Monroe avenue, thence westerly along Monroe avenue, and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof, to Clinton street; thence northerly along Clinton street, and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof, to Court street; thence westerly along Court street, excepting one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to the place of beginning. Also, one tier of lots on each side of Munger street, from South avenue to a point three hundred feet (300 ft.) east thereof. Also, one tier of lots on each side of Savannah street, from Monroe avenue to George street. Also, one tier of lots on each side of Union street, from Monroe avenue to George street, and one tier of lots on each side of Union Park, for its entire length. Also, one tier of lots on each side of Park avenue, from Alexander street to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Meigs street. Also, one tier of lots on each side of Monroe avenue, from Alexander street to Averill street. Also, one tier of lots on the west side of Chestnut street, from Court street to Monroe avenue.

One tier of lots on each side of Alexander street from Monroe avenue to East avenue. One tier of lots on each side of Crothers Place, from the north end thereof to Monroe avenue. One tier of lots on the west side of Averill street from Pearl street to Monroe avenue. Also the lots near the corner of Alexander and Pearl street owned by C. H. Morse, F. Crouch, E. E. Lambertson and E. J. Gallentine.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$2,939.41, being the whole amount of the expense aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,
 Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner,
 Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y. Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized

under Ordinance No. 2,422, for repairing Saxton street sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to for the use of its funds is \$607.75.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. MCGLACHLIN,
Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,422.

IMPROVING SAXTON STREET OUTLET SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day February, 1883, enact an ordinance for improving Saxton street outlet sewer.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$607.75, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

All the territory easterly of the Erie canal enclosed within and described by the following boundary lines, viz: Beginning at the intersection of the west line of Lake avenue, with the north line of White street, thence westerly along White street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Frank street; thence northerly along Frank street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Spencer street; thence westerly along Spencer street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Saratoga avenue; thence northerly along Saratoga avenue and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Lorimer street; thence southerly along Saratoga avenue and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Jones avenue, westerly along Jones avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to Durkin alley; thence southerly along Durkin alley to Lyell avenue; thence westerly along Lyell avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the Erie canal; thence southeasterly along the Erie canal to Jay street; thence easterly along Jay street, except on the east side thereof to Jones street; thence northerly along Jones street and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to Smith street; thence easterly along Smith street, including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to State street; thence southerly along State street, including one tier of lots on the west side thereof, to a point fifty (50) feet north of Jay street; thence northerly along State street and Lake avenue and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof from said point fifty (50) feet north of Jay street to White street; thence direct to the place of beginning. Also one tier of lots on each side of Jones avenue, from Saratoga avenue to Frank street; also one tier of lots on each side of Ambrose street, from Saratoga avenue to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Lake avenue. Excepting from the above described territory east of the Erie canal, the lots on the southeast and northwest corners of Lake avenue and White street; also the lot on the southwest corner of Saratoga avenue and Lorimer street; also the lot on the northeast corner of Jay street and Jones street, including also all the territory westerly of the Erie canal inclosed within and described by the following boundary lines, viz: Beginning at the intersection of the west line of Sherman st. with the south line of Otis street; thence southerly along Sherman street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Lyell avenue; thence westerly along Lyell avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the west side of Childs street; thence southerly along Childs street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Jay street; thence westerly along Jay street and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the west side of Ames street; thence southerly along Ames street and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Colvin street; thence southerly along Colvin street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to West avenue; thence westerly along West avenue and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof to the city line; thence easterly along West avenue and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to Brown street; thence easterly along West avenue to Brown street; thence easterly along Brown street, excepting one tier of lots on the northerly side thereof to Wilder street; thence northerly along Wilder street and Grape street, excepting one tier of lots on the west side thereof to Jay street; thence easterly along Jay street, including one tier of lots on the south side thereof to the Erie canal; thence northerly along the Erie canal to a point opposite the south side of Otis street; thence westerly in a direct line to the place of beginning. Also including one tier of lots on each side of Lyell avenue, from Childs street to a point one hundred and eleven (111) feet west of Murray street; also one tier of lots on each side of Chilli avenue, from the Colvin street sewer to West avenue; also one tier of lots on each side of Briggs place, from Chilli avenue to a point opposite the center of Edwin Tripp's house.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$607.75, being

the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby directed and designated to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883.

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 1,959, for Moulson street plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$78.92.

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 1,959.

MOULSON STREET PLANK WALK.

By Ald. Bronson—

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 4th day of September, 1877, enact an ordinance for a two plank walk on Moulson street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$78.92, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

All the lots and parcels of land on the east side of Moulson street, from Jay street to Lyell street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$78.92, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,419, for enlarging and straightening stone culvert, East ave. outlet sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$988.59.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,419.

ENLARGING AND STRAIGHTENING CULVERT, EAST AVENUE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 23d day of January, 1883, enact an ordinance for enlarging and straightening stone culvert on the East ave. sewer outlet.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$988.59 including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots, commencing at the intersection of the west line of the Culver road with the south line of lands owned by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; thence southerly along the west line of said Culver road to a point 1,900 feet south of the south line of East avenue; thence westerly on a line parallel with the south line of East avenue, and

1,300 feet south therefrom to the west line of land owned by John D. Butts; thence northerly on said line to and along the west line of the Butts estate, and in a continuation of said line to a point 300 feet north of East avenue; thence easterly on a line parallel with East avenue; and 300 feet north therefrom to Hawthorne street; thence northerly along Hawthorne street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof 300 feet; thence easterly on a line parallel with the north line of East avenue, and 600 feet north thereof to a point 500 feet west of the Culver road; thence northerly on a line parallel with the west line of the Culver road, and 500 feet west therefrom to the south line of the aforementioned railroad company's lands; thence easterly along the south line of said railroad company's lands to the place of beginning.

Also one tier of lots on each side of Park avenue from the west line of the Butts property to a point 150 feet east of Goodman street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$983.59, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simuelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2416 for Hawthorne street improvement has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$4,555.34.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2416.

HAWTHORNE STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 12th day of December, 1882, enact an ordinance for improving Hawthorne street.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$4,555.34, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Hawthorne street, from East avenue to Culver park.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$4,555.34, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, Nov. 17th, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2493, for Sellinger street pipe sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$506.87.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2493.

EAST SELLINGER STREET PIPE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for a pipe sewer in East Sellinger street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$506.87, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East Sellinger street, from St. Joseph street to the east end of East Sellinger street; also the lots adjoining the east end of East Sellinger street.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$506.87, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of Nov., 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Chambers, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Hart—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10th, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,508, for Child street plank walk No. 2 has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$141.65.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,508.

CHILD STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 12th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for Child street plank walk.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$141.65, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the west side of Child street between Maple street and the south line of the Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad property, in front of which the proposed walk shall be constructed.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$141.65, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of Nov., 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Nov. 10th, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,474, for Pleasant street pipe sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,604.00.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,474.

PIPE SEWER IN PLEASANT STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 1st day

of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for a pipe sewer in Pleasant street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,604, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on Clinton street, from North St. Paul street to Clinton street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,604, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 17th day of Nov., 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnick—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 10th 1883. }

To the Hon. Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2469, for Child street plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$486.66.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2469.

CHILD STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for Child street plank walk.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$486.66, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Child street, from Thomas park to the Rochester and Pittsburg railroad tracks.

Therefore, resolved, That the sum of \$486.66, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and the Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the City Assessors No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnick—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2468, for Wesley street plank walk, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$32.00.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2468.

PLANK WALK ON WESLEY STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for Wesley street plank walk.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of

\$32.00, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Wesley street from Concord avenue to North avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$32.00, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnick—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2376, for North St. Paul street stone sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$13,392.53.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2376.

STONE SEWER IN NORTH ST. PAUL STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 25th day of July, 1882, enact an ordinance for stone sewer in North St. Paul street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$13,392.53 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

All the territory enclosed within and described by the following boundary lines, viz: Beginning at the intersection of North St. Paul street with Atwater street, thence southerly along North St. Paul street and including one tier of lots on the west side thereof to a point 75 feet north of East Main street; thence easterly along Division street, including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to Clinton street, excepting the lot on the southwest corner of Clinton street and Division street; thence northerly along Clinton street, excepting one tier of lots on the west side thereof, to Granger street; thence westerly along Granger street, and including one tier of lots on the north side thereof, to North St. Paul street; thence northerly along North St. Paul street, and including one tier of lots on the east side thereof, to Atwater street; thence to the place of beginning.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$13,392.53, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of Nov., 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnick—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2504, for Whitmore park plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$33.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,504.
WHITMORE PARK PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 29th day May 1883, enact an ordinance for Whitmore park plank walk.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$33.00, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Whitmore park, from Mt. Vernon avenue to Meigs street.

Therefore, Resolved, That at the sum of \$33.00, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.
CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Nov. 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,505, for Hawthorn street flag walk, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,178.92.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,505.

FLAG WALK ON HAWTHORNE STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 12th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for flag walk on Hawthorne street.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,178.92, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Hawthorne street, from East avenue to Culver park, in front of which the proposed flag walk shall be constructed.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$2,178.92, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of Nov., 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.
CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Nov. 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,407, for Hamilton place walk, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$81.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,407.

FLAG WALK ON HAMILTON PLACE.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 14th day of Nov., 1882, enact an ordinance for flag walk on Hamilton place.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$81, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Hamilton place, from the east line of Mt. Hope avenue to a point 90 feet east of the walk on the east side of Mt. Hope avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$81, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of said property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of Nov., 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.
CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,614 for Locust street pipe sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$371.74.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,614.

PIPE SEWER IN LOCUST STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 26th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for Locust street pipe sewer.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$371.74, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Locust street, from Fulton avenue to a point 10 feet east of the west line of lot No. 16.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$371.74, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.
CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER N. Y., Nov. 10th, 1883.

To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,465, for Frederick street plank walk, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$78.91.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,465.

FREDERICK STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for Frederick street plank walk.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$78.91, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Frederick st. from Helena st. to Rochester in front of which the proposed plank walk shall be constructed.

Therefore, Resolved, that the sum of \$75.91, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,472, for Olean and Hunter street sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or be entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,075.33.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,472.

OLEAN AND HUNTER STREET SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for pipe sewer in Olean street and deepening the stone sewer in Hunter street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,075.33 including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Olean street, from Hunter street to a point 80 feet south of Hunter alley; also one tier of lots on each side of Cady street, from Olean street to a point 50 feet east of Seward street, for their proportion of the cost of enlarging the size of the sewer in Olean street, between Cady street and Hunter street, and deepening the sewer in Hunter street from Olean street to the Genesee Valley Canal sewer.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$2,075.33, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of such improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,508, for Brighton avenue flag walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or be entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$870.17.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,508.

BRIGHTON AVENUE FLAG WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 9th day of May, 1882, enact an ordinance for Brighton avenue flag plank.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of

\$870.17, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Brighton avenue, from Goodman street to the street extending from Oxford place to Nichols park.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$870.17, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ord. No. 2,404, for Genesee street improvement has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to for the use of its funds, is \$7,401.14.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,404.

IMPROVING GENESSEE STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 31st day of October, 1882, enact an ordinance for improving Genesee street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$7,401.14 including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Genesee street from West avenue to the south line of Hunter street.

Therefore, Resolved, that the sum of \$7,401.14 being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10th, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,497, for Weiger street pipe sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,214.63.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,497.

PIPE SEWER IN WEIGER STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for Weiger street pipe sewer.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,214.63, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Welger street, from Henry street to a point 100 feet west of Hudson street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,214.63, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10th 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,427, for Tappan st. pipe sewer, sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$754.51.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,427,
TAPPAN ST. SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 3d day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for Tappan st. pipe sewer, Sec. 2.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$754.51, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Tappan st., from Scio st. to a point 37 feet west thereof.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$754.51 being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10th, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,464, for Thomas Park plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$116.34.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,464,
PLANK WALK ON THOMAS PARK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for a plank walk on Thomas park.

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$116.34, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of Thomas Park, from Child st. to York st.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$116.34, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher,

the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of Nov., 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,531, for Maria st. pipe sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$860.66.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,531,

PIPE SEWER IN MARIA STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 24th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for Maria street pipe sewer.

And whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$860.66, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Maria st., from Clifford st. to the south line of Bernard st.

Therefore, resolved, That the sum of \$860.66, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,358, for Alexander street improvement, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$15,716.87.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,353,

ALEXANDER STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 27th day of June, 1882, enact an ordinance for Alexander street improvement.

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$15,716.87 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

For that portion of Alexander street between South avenue and the Erie canal one tier of lots on each side of Alexander street from South avenue to the Erie canal; for the portion of Alexander street between the Erie canal and Monroe avenue, one tier of lots on each side of Alexander street from the Erie canal to Monroe avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, that the sum of \$15,716.87, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so

interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for that purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., NOV. 10th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,423, for Monroe avenue outlet stone sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,414.50.

Yours respectfully,
 A. G. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,423.

MONROE AVENUE OUTLET STONE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 7th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for a stone sewer in the Monroe avenue outlet ditch,

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,414.50, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of the following named streets between the limits mentioned, viz.:

Tracy park, from Alexander street to Meigs street.
 Meigs street, from Park avenue to Broadway.
 Rowley street, from Brighton avenue to Monroe avenue.

Harvard street, from Meigs street to Rowley street.
 Maple place, from the south end thereof to Monroe avenue.

Edmonds street, from a point 150 feet south of Pearl street to Monroe avenue.
 Goodman street, from a point 150 feet south of Pearl street to Monroe avenue.

Pearl street, from Averill street to a point 150 feet west of Boardman street.

Also, one tier of lots on the south side of Monroe avenue from Averill street to a point 270 feet east of Goodman street.

Also, one tier of lots on the north side of Monroe avenue from a point opposite the west line of Averill street to Goodman street.

Also, one tier of lots on the east side of Averill street from Pearl street to Monroe avenue.

Also, one tier of lots on the north side of Brighton avenue from Meigs street to a point 150 feet east thereof.

Also, one tier of lots on each side of Nichols park, from the north line of Nichols park to the south line of lots 9 and 24.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,414.50, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expenses, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., NOV. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,510 for Bay Street stone sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds is \$3,023.85.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,510.

STONE SEWER IN BAY STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 12th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for stone sewer in Bay street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense or said improvement to be the sum of \$3,023.85, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Bay street, from North avenue to Hebard street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$3,023.85, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 17th day of Nov., 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., NOV. 10th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,513, for Sherman street pipe sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,331.68.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,513.

PIPE SEWER IN SHERMAN STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 26th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for Sherman street sewer.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,331.68, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Sherman street, from north line of Otis street to Deep Hollow creek.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,331.68, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 17th day of November, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., NOV. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,399, for Briggs place and Chili avenue sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$4,063.01.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,399.

BRIGGS PLACE AND CHILI AVENUE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of October, 1882, enact an ordinance for Briggs place and Chili avenue sewer.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$4,003.01, including such interest, as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows :

One tier of lots on each side of Briggs place, from a point opposite the middle of Edwin Tripp's house to Chill avenue, and one tier of lots on each side of Chill avenue, from the center of Briggs place to what is known as the Colvin street sewer.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$4,003.01, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,507, for Genesee street plank walk, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds is \$92.16.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,507.

GENESSEE STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 12th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for Genesee street plank walk.

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$92.16, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows.

One tier of lots on each side of Genesee street, from Brooks avenue to the south line of Mrs. J. G. Rogers' property.

Therefore resolved, That the sum of \$92.16, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Ald. Foley moved that the action taken at the last meeting on the resolution to change the name of Hunter street to Garfield avenue be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Foley then moved that the resolution to change the name of Hunter street to Garfield avenue be adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved to amend by inserting "Bronson avenue" in place of Garfield avenue. Adopted.

The resolution as amended was then adopted. Action on the proposed agreement between the City of Rochester and D. D. S. Brown in relation to a public park being in order, Ald.

Kelly moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The following came up:

"By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the next regular meeting of the Common Council, Tuesday evening, Nov. 13th, 1883, be and hereby is assigned as the time when any complaints or appeals from the assessment for opening a street from Mill street to Water street (now known as Central avenue) will be heard. Adopted."

Allegations being called for and no person appearing,

Ald. Archer moved that the assessment roll for opening a street from Mill street to Water street (now known as Central avenue) be confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The resolution by Ald. Foley in relation to laying gas mains in several streets in the Eighth ward, referred to the Lamp Committee at the last meeting, came up.

Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee reported progress and asked for further time. Further time was granted.

The following came up:

"By Ald. Pitkin—Whereas, On and after November 18th, next, the railroad companies of this state intend to run their trains on the standard meridian time, which time is about four minutes slower than New York city meridian time.

Resolved, That the standard time for the city of Rochester on and after November 18th, next, be the standard meridian time, and the city offices shall be opened and closed thereafter, and the City Hall bell be rung on such time. Ald. Pitkin moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted."

On motion of Ald. Pitkin the resolution was adopted.

Action on the proposed penal ordinance to regulate the storage and keeping of powder, &c., printed on page 230 of the current proceedings being in order, on motion of Ald. Collins the penal ordinance relating to the storage and keeping of powder, &c., was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Ald. Bronson called up the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening and extension of Pinnacle avenue, and submitted the following:

Resolved, That the report of the commissioners in the matter of the extension of Pinnacle avenue be not confirmed. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords moved that the City Attorney be directed to proceed as required by law for the appointment of a new commission in the matter of extending Pinnacle avenue. Lost.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

George Mathew Dowd, Charles M. Blakeslee, A. C. McCall, Elmer C. Charles, of the Third ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—4.

George Mathew Dowd was named by Ald. Foley—1.

No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to postpone balloting for two weeks.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Aikenhead, Kelly—7.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Pitkin, Southard, Simmelink—8.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved to postpone further balloting for two weeks. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of George H. Hancock for permission to erect a wood building on Adams street, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the fire marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the use of the City Hall be granted to the Lincoln club for the purpose of a lecture Wednesday evening, December 5th, 1883. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That (\$1072) one hundred and seventy-two dollars be and the same hereby is fixed as the amount of damages

for the taking of lands and premises for the opening of a new street from Campbell street to Maple street. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That all persons interested in the matter of the ordering of an assessment roll for the opening of a new street from Campbell street to Maple street be heard as to the same at the next regular meeting of this Board, November 27th, and that the City Clerk cause to be published a notice of said hearing as provided by section 190 of the city charter. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition to change the name of Schlitzer alley, and submitted the following :

By Ald. Aikenhead — Resolved, That the name of Schlitzer alley be changed to Schlitzer Place, and that the City Clerk be directed to enter the same in the street register, and the Executive Board notified of said change. Adopted.

By Ald. Aikenhead — Resolved, That the Citizens' Gas Co. be requested to lay their gas mains on Weld, Kirk and Ontario streets. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard — Resolved, That the Executive Board be directed to ascertain what the property for the extension of Maria street can be bought for, and report to this Board at its next meeting. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Resolved, That St. Peter and Paul church be granted the use of the City Hall Monday evening, January 14th, 1884. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Whereas, The expense for the acquiring of lands for a new street from Mill to Water st. has been ascertained to be the sum of \$15,842 and the assessment roll therefor has been duly confirmed.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is directed under the direction of the Finance committee to procure the note of the city for fifteen thousand eight hundred and forty-two dollars to be discounted, said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance committee, and charge discount to contingent fund; credit \$392 the amount heretofore paid for expenses of said improvement to contingent fund and credit the balance of the proceeds of said note to the fund for the acquiring of lands for said new street, and that the treasurer pay to the several claimants from said fund the amount awarded them respectively or make deposit as provided by the city charter.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Ald. Bronson called up the resolution authorizing the Mayor to assign certain tax certificates to Mrs. John H. McRoden, printed on page 167 of the proceedings of 1882 and 1883, and moved that action thereon be reconsidered. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized to assign to Mrs. John H. McRoden the tax certificates of sale of lot No. 84, on Genesee street, in the Genesee Street Co-operative Building Lot Association, assessed to John H. McRoden, and sold for the general city taxes of 1875, 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880 and 1881, upon her paying into the city treasury the amount of the said taxes and expenses, with interest at 7 per cent. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot pt. A of the Carthage

tract, west side N. St. Paul street Fifth Ward, was assessed for sprinkling N. St. Paul st., under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore.

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Nov. 13, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$3.45, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 13th, 1883. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer

SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1884, to Elizabeth P. Britton, viz:

Pt. lot A, Carthage tract, west side of N. St. Paul street, 5th Ward, 72 feet front, 72 feet rear, and 50 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay her portion of sprinkling N. St. Paul st., 2,319, the sum of \$3.45, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, she will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECK, NYSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON, ASSESSORS.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 13th, 1883.
(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to receive \$27.30 for King street sewer assessment, Ordinance No. 2,394, on lots 6 and 7, Bush and King Tract, east side of King street, Eighth ward, assessed to Lucinda D. Fish, in accordance with Assessors' certificate attached hereto, and charge balance to Erroneous Assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to draw orders on the City Treasurer in favor of the Chairman of each of the Boards of Inspectors of Election (including clerks) for (\$75) seventy-five dollars each in full for services as registrars and inspectors of the general election of 1883, provided no objection is made by any inspector or clerk. Objection being made, the clerk is directed to draw an order in favor of each claimant for his individual compensation, retaining from the same all proper charges against such inspectors; also an order in favor of each proprietor (except the city of Rochester) of places used for election purposes for the sum of (\$30) thirty dollars; also an order in favor of Engine Cos. No. 1 and 3 for the sum of (\$10) ten dollars each, and charge the Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

On motion adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, Nov. 27, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, president of the Board. presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, Nov. 13th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, &C.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

George Wolford, hack hire.....	\$ 3 00
Wm. Whitehair	2 00
Rochester District Telegraph Co., services.....	4 70
John F. Smith, binding rolls.....	9 00
D. T. Hunt, stamps, &c.....	33 00
Mensing & Stecker, printing, treasurer.....	18 00

Referred to the contingent expense committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petitions of J. H. Foley, Galusha Phillips and E. H. Daniels for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords--Bills of

J. W. Maser, lighting and care of lamps Nov... \$	927 51
Nov. setting posts	76 10
Citizens' Gas Co. lighting and care of lamps for Nov.....	2,520 25
Rochester Gas Co., lighting and care of lamps for Nov.....	2,010 30
Citizens' Gas Co., setting posts.....	70 25
Wm. Huddy, caulking lamp posts.....	183 25

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Henry M. Hill for permission to erect a wood building on Sibley place. Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Mary Braman and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for water in Mansion street. Referred to the Water Works Committee.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of George G. Clarkson. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of John Wohlfort for permission to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of Alexina Fullam. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

A. C. McGLachlin, reimbursements for lamp posts for Cogswell fountain.....	\$200 00
Margaret Hirsch, cleaning front street building..	28 75
George F. Flannery, printing cards.....	6 00
Walter Williamson, labor and material Treasurer's office.....	77 62
Thomas H. Gargan, painting roof City Hall.....	440 00

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of C. W. Pardee for permission to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsinger—Bills of

P. Joyce, burials	\$ 8 00
Hoffman & Co., burials.....	13 00
George Oppel, bread.....	20 92
C. T. Marks, groceries.....	9 00
J. C. Gray, groceries.....	35 75
Curran Bros., meat.....	25 00
John McDonald, meat.....	25 00
Mary Weist, rent.....	8 00
Davenport & Gilman, beans.....	53 75
Smith, Perkins & Co., pork.....	247 50
M. Heavey, transportation.....	32 50
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	36 28

Referred to the Poor Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Felsinger from the Poor Committee, Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, reported favorably on the several bills

referred to their several committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee presented bills of—

Henry C. Wisner, cuspadores.....	\$ 5 50
G. L. VanVorst, use of arsenal for drill purposes.....	45 00

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Southard, from the Health Committee, presented bills of—

J. W. Maser, collecting garbage.....	\$114 00
Jacob Rauber,	114 00
P. Bradley,	228 0
Daniel Hickey,	228 00
Jerome Keyes, Supt.	84 00
M. Heavey, board of horse, Nov.....	20 00

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Foley, from the Wood Building Committee, reported favorably on the petitions of Staude & Knapp, V. W. Stoeckline and W. S. Oliver for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted.—Adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 27, 1883.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR NOVEMBER, 1883.

Cornelius R. Parsons, Mayor.....	\$250 00
Ambrose C. McGlavin, Treasurer.....	375 00
H. F. McGlavin, assistant.....	166 66
Frank Kondolf, clerk.....	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	83 33
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	166 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger.....	100 00
Chas. M. Beattie, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 33
John Gorton, City Assessor.....	208 33
Wm. Maher,	208 33
V. Fleckenstein,	208 33
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warner,	150 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk.....	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	75 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. W. Race,	75 00
Ambrose Keenan,	60 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	70 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney.....	250 00
A. H. Martin, milk inspector.....	66 66
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevator tracks.....	140 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	70 00
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Wm. M. Robaz, Jr., draughtsman.....	80 0
Jarvis Lord, 2nd, City Clerk's Office.....	50 00
Charles Stillwell, Treasurer's Office.....	100 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Jno. C. Moore, blanks and binding.....	87 65
E. D. Smith, stenographer.....	60 00
W. S. Buckland, livery.....	33 00
J. R. Chamberlin, bands, etc.....	12 00
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. Lunch, Nov. 27.....	15 00
D. T. Hunt, Postmaster, stamps and envelopes.....	33 60

And charge that fund.

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR NOVEMBER, 1883.

N. Thompson, overseer.....	\$ 141 66
J. H. McGregor, Clerk.....	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk.....	75 00
Geo. Hartel, Clerk.....	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk.....	75 00
Dr. J. J. A. Burke, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. A. L. Perry, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Thos Spencer, City Physician.....	50 00
D. Henry Koch, City Physician.....	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner.....	75 00
C. Herzberger.....	75 00
James P. Evans.....	75 00
Maurice Movnhan, clerk.....	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	244 38
Mat Miller, meat.....	25 00

Sophia Brock, rent.....	15 00
F. M. Harvey, rent.....	6 00
Mary Flannigan, board.....	9 00
Frank Horn, stove and furniture.....	30 25
L. A. Hedges, burials.....	12 00
And charge that fund.....	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR NOVEMBER, 1883.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer.....	\$ 75 00
Geo. Messmer, Register.....	66 66
John M. Harder, Inspector.....	50 00
Otho Griswold, Inspector.....	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Senteuy, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Heimold, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	58 33
Joseph Thomson.....	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector.....	50 00
Messenger.....	33 33

MISCELLANEOUS.

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage.....	\$238 00
P. Bradley,	228 00
Jacob Rauber,	114 00
J. W. Maser,	114 00
M. Heavey, board.....	20 00
Jerome Keyes, Supt. for collecting garbage.....	84 00
And charge that fund.....	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting, Oct.....	\$1,887 30
Municipal Gas Light Co., lighting, Oct.....	110 80
Municipal Gas Light Co., labor and material.....	218 25
J. W. Maser, setting, lighting and care oil lamps for Nov.....	927 51
J. W. Maser, repairing tops and setting posts.....	76 10
E. A. Maher, lamp inspector for Nov. 1883.....	75 00
Wm. Huddy, caulking 738 lamp posts and furnishing lead at 25c per post.....	188 25
And charge that fund.....	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Municipal Gas Light Co., gas for city buildings for Oct.....	219 24
Henry Martin, supplies.....	21 30
Chas. Little, rep. boots.....	1 50
A. Metcalf, soap.....	3 30
American Chem. Manf. Co., cleaning carpets.....	6 44
And charge that fund.....	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

B. F. Enos, disbursements Oct.....	111 88
And charge that fund.....	

PARK FUND.

S. B. Williams, oil.....	7 80
And charge that fund.....	

**EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
Offices, City Hall, Nov. 26, 1883. }**

To the Common Council:
The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment; as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, CLERK.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holley, salary for November.....	\$ 208 33
Samuel B. Williams,	208 34
George W. Aldridge,	208 33

Street Department—Highway Fund.

John Karwelck, breaking stone.....	\$ 15 15
John Straut,	11 44
Patrick Hardigan,	15 10
Widert & Greiner,	46 17
Pay roll, breaking granite.....	211 20
A. J. Schwalbach, sand and gravel.....	64 40
John G. Ketzler, stone for Lake avenue.....	148 40
.....	\$511 86

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly payroll, Nov. 22.....	\$ 126 47
.....	126 47
Geo. B. Harris, freight, lead and pipe.....	\$ 252 94
James H. Nellis, estimate No. 7 group 81.....	33 24
.....	80 00
.....	50 00
Thomas Oliver, .. No. 8 ..	82.....
.....	200 00
Howe & Clancey, .. No. 1 ..	83.....
.....	700 00
George Chambers, .. No. 1 ..	84.....
.....	1,025 00
E. Kuehling, Asst. Engr., disbursements.....	15 31
Eureka Steam Heating Co., labor and material.....	101 25
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, stop gate stones.....	119 25
.....	\$2,576 99

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Zimmer & Schwan repairs apparatus.....	\$ 80, 45
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George B. Harris, paid for hay.....	37 40
Christian Muhl, hay.....	36 95
T. & G. Heberling, hay and straw.....	25 13
Monthly pay roll, payable Nov. 30.....	3,455 83
Active Hose Co., appropriation.....	230 00
Raymond & Whitlock, F. D. buttons.....	11 25
John C. King, bedding, etc.....	14 55
Municipal Gas Light Co., gas bills.....	28 80
Philip Ernst, repairing harness.....	12 05
Geo. Weidon & Co., labor and material.....	19 10
F. E. Handy, labor, fire tel. (2 bills).....	24 00
John A. Vanderwerf, estimate No. 4 Lyell St. station.....	1,400 00

N. L. Brayer, final estimate, Cambridge street walk.....	159 34
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Wadsworth street walk.....	180 02
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Harvard street sewer.....	158 90
R. Y. McConnell, estimate No. 7, Park avenue and Culver street sewer.....	600 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, estimate No. 1, Central avenue improvement.....	9,000 00
	\$24,526 78

	\$5,401 01
Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.	
Weekly pay roll, Nov. 22.....	\$490 22
	386 00
Weekly pay roll, Nov. 29.....	\$490 22
	386 00

Adopted by the following vote :
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Thomas J. Neville, Clerk, office expenses.....	11 05
Geo. Weidon & Co., supplies.....	10 18
B. F. Harris, rent of barn.....	22 55
James Donlon, use of horse.....	20 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, labor and material.....	710 86
Eureka Steam Heating Co., material and labor.....	84 69
Foster & Hennegan, corporation cocks.....	4 72
National Meter Co., meter (June 26).....	460 75
National Meter Co., meters.....	730 00
M. E. Wolf, agent, insurance on boilers.....	90 00
E. H. Cook & Co., labor and material.....	8 26
Robert McIntyre, use of boat.....	10 50
Schmidt & Kaelber, standard thermometer.....	5 00
John Coyne, services C. line.....	35 00
D. M. Reed, stabling, etc., do.....	8 71
Pay roll, Nov. 22, survey Honeyoye creek.....	70 00
L. L. Nichols, surveying, do.....	30 00
George Hawes, land damages, etc.....	2 00
Aaron Plympton, do.....	8 00
J. R. Chamberlin, packing, etc.....	41 64
J. B. Colman, corporation cocks.....	484 93
J. B. Colman, repairs meters, hydrants, &c.....	60 50

By Ald. Bronson—
 To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester—

Local Improvements—Special Funds.	
John Lutes, inspecting Mill st. sewer.....	36 00
John Creagan, inspecting Central avenue improvement.....	36 00
Valentine Hartz, inspecting Francis st. improvement.....	25 00
John Quin, inspecting Central park walk.....	32 50
Wm. I. Hanford, inspecting Meigs st. improvement.....	4 00
John Koch, inspecting Mt. Vernon ave. and Lewis st. sewer.....	2 50
A. DeMaille, inspecting Cambridge street. &c. sewer.....	101 25
S. P. Clements, inspecting Harvard st. sewer.....	25 00
N. L. Brayer, extra work as agreed, 4th, 7th and 10th wards outlet sewer cleaning.....	89 51
J. Emory Jones, castings, labor and material Lyell avenue bridge.....	72 41
Water Works Dep't, labor and material N. St. Paul st. improvement No. 2.....	17 11
Street Dep't, labor, &c., Huntington st. sewer.....	8 13
Street Dep't, labor, &c. Concord ave. sewer.....	9 48
Street Dep't, labor and material Goodman st. sewer.....	5 20
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses Second ave. walk.....	8 80
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses N. St. Paul st. improvement, No. 2.....	9 97
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses Cambridge st. sewer.....	13 04
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses, Cambridge st. walk.....	3 08
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses, Wadsworth st. walk.....	3 84
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses, Central park walks.....	12 86
Street Dep't, crosswalk, N. St. Paul st. improvement No. 2.....	12 03
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses.....	\$31 98
Use of steam roller.....	390 00

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on Assessments, to which was referred the matter of the assessment roll for the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer hereby reports:
 Your Committee, in accordance with section 406 of the City Charter, caused five days notice of its meeting for the purpose of considering said roll, to be published, and at the time proceeded to hear the allegations of all parties appearing with reference to the same.
 While it is impossible that an assessment roll imposing such a large amount of money should be made so as to satisfy all of the people to be assessed, your committee believes that in this case, the roll as made is, on the whole, as fair and equitable as, under the circumstances, can be made.

The Assessors have adopted a plan for such assessment as seems to your committee to be just. After giving full consideration to all of the statements and allegations made, your committee is unanimously of the opinion that said assessment roll should be confirmed.
 A. BRONSON,
 A. COLLINS,
 J. M. AIKENHEAD,
 Assessment Committee.

Adopted.
 By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Assessment roll for the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, as made by the Assessors and presented by them to the Common Council of the City of Rochester, be and the same hereby is confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote :
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Jeffords—
 To the Honorable the Common Council:

Francis street improvement.....	411 98
F. C. Lauer, final estimate, Mill st. sewer.....	2,034 10
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate, Francis st. improvement.....	3,892 00
McConnell & Jones, final estimate, Meigs st. improvement.....	2,630 93
N. L. Brayer, final estimate, Second ave. walk.....	622 68
McConnell & Jones, final estimate, N. St. Paul street improvement, No. 2.....	\$2,302 20
John Mauder, final estimate, Cambridge street, &c., sewer.....	639 26
Thomas Oliver, final estimate, Central park walk.....	1,468 48

GENTLEMEN—Your Lamp Committee, to which was referred the resolution offered by Ald. Foley relating to the laying of gas mains through and along Plymouth avenue and certain other streets situated in the Eighth ward, hereby reports:
 Your committee has made a careful examination as to the advisability of the adoption of the said resolution and is of the opinion that at this time Plymouth avenue from the Genesee Valley canal bridge south to Genesee street, Strong street, Bartlett street and Frost avenue to Francis street should be lighted with gas.

Your committee is of the opinion that the Mayor should be authorized to enter into a contract with the Rochester Gas Light Company providing, in substance, that said company will lay its mains upon said streets and light said streets with gas for three years, provided the City of Rochester will agree to have such streets lighted by gas for said term of three years, at the current rates per foot per year, to be paid during said term to said company under the contracts made between the city and the company from year to year.
 C. A. JEFFORDS,
 J. MILLER KELLY,
 J. A. HINDS,
 Lamp Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Mayor be, and he hereby is instructed to enter into a contract with the Rochester Gas Light Company, to be drawn and approved by the City Attorney, providing that said company shall lay its mains through and along Plymouth avenue, from the Genesee Valley canal bridge, south to Genesee street; through and along Strong st.,

from Plymouth avenue to Francis st.; through and along Bartlett st., from Plymouth avenue to Francis st., and through and along Frost avenue, from Plymouth avenue to Francis st.; and that the city will for three years from the first day of January, 1884, obtain its light for said streets from said company at the current price per lamp per year paid for lighting other streets of the city with gas for said ensuing three years.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Rice, Southard, Aikenead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Ald. Aikenhead moved that the Lamp Committee be directed to investigate and report at the next regular meeting of the Common Council as to the expediency and advisability of entering into a contract with the Citizens' Gas Light Co. to light Weld, Kirk and Ontario sts. Adopted.

By Alderman Jeffords, Whereas, a majority of the taxpayers on Anderson avenue from Goodman street to University avenue, situated in the Sixteenth ward, have petitioned for the extension of electric light lamps upon such street for their benefit, thereby becoming liable upon their assessments in said territory with the old territory of said city for their proportion for lighting said city, the kind of lamps petitioned for being electric lamps, and,

Whereas, the most practicable way of transmitting electric light to said Goodman street is from Scio street along East Main street, and,

Whereas, by the use of five electric lights on East Main street between Scio street and Goodman street thirty-two gas lamps and five oil lamps can be displaced with a saving to the city of, at least, fifteen dollars and fifty cents per annum by reason of the change upon said street alone.

Therefore, Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be, and hereby is instructed, in accordance with the provisions of the contract between the Brush Electric Light Company and the city, to cause to be placed on East Main street from Scio street to the bridge of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, five electric light lamps to displace in said territory thirty-two gas and five oil lamps; on Goodman street between East Main street and Anderson avenue, two electric light lamps, one of which shall be placed at the corner of Anderson avenue and Goodman street, and to place on Anderson avenue between Goodman street and University avenue four electric light lamps. And that the electric light lamps to be used upon said East Main street, Goodman street and Anderson avenue, in accordance with the terms of this resolution, shall be those heretofore ordered for Plymouth avenue and South Clinton street, or so many thereof as may be necessary.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Aikenhead—

To the Common Council:

Your Sewer Committee respectfully reports that it has made a careful investigation as to the need of a pipe sewer in Huron street. The cellars on the street are uniformly damp, and for several weeks in the spring and fall are partly filled with water. The property owners are almost unanimously in favor of a sewer, and your committee recommends the adoption of a

resolution directing the City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance for a pipe sewer in said street.

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. AIKENHEAD,
CHARLES WATSON,
Sewer Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor be instructed to prepare an ordinance for a pipe sewer in Huron street. Adopted.

By Ald. Strouss—

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee consisting of the water works committee and the Executive Board to whom was referred the several petitions for water mains now on file, with directions to "examine the whole subject and report such recommendation to your board as we might deem wise and prudent," would respectfully submit the following report and recommendations. On date of May 1, 1883, the common council voted to raise by vote the sum of \$48,600 for water pipe extension in certain designated streets, to be paid from the tax levy for 1884. Since that date other extensions have been authorized, but no money provided, to the extent of \$18,202.

There are now on file petitions for water pipe extensions in various streets (enumerated in the annexed list) amounting to \$42,493. It seems very desirable on many accounts, that such sufficient funds should be provided, as will enable the Executive board to contract for the necessary pipe for use next season and have it delivered during the coming winter. The additional amount necessary to be provided for that purpose is \$20,652, which will leave \$21,778 to be borrowed next summer on the credit of the tax levy of 1885, to lay the said pipes. Our recommendation is therefore as follows:

First—That the city treasurer be authorized to borrow when necessary \$18,202 to pay for work heretofore authorized to be done and for which no money has been specifically provided.

Second—That the city treasurer be authorized to borrow when necessary the further sum of \$20,652 to be used in the paying for pipes to be procured during the present winter for laying in the several streets enumerated in the annexed list.

Third—That the further sum of \$21,778 required for the laying of said pipe, be borrowed when necessary after the adoption of the tax levy for 1884 on the credit of the tax levy for 1885. It is also recommended that the treasurer be authorized to borrow said sums, in such amounts and at such times as the necessary payments therefrom seem to require.

Should it be necessary to borrow the whole of said first two named amounts previous to the adoption of the tax levy for 1884, then the amount which will be required to be placed in said tax levy will be as follows:

Borrowed as per resolution of May 1, 1883.	\$48 600
To be borrowed to pay for work since authorized	18 202
To be borrowed to purchase pipe during present winter	20 652

Total..... \$87 454

Should the delivery of pipe, however, be slower than is anticipated, it might not prove necessary to borrow all of the last amount until after the adoption of the tax levy for 1884, when the balance could be borrowed thereafter, on the credit of the tax of 1885, thereby reducing to that extent the amount to be raised in 1884.

To carry these several recommendations into effect we respectfully submit the annexed resolutions and recommend their adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

E. STROUSS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
HENRY RICE,
Water Works Com.
BYRON HOLLEY,
S. B. WILLIAMS,
GEO. W. ALDRIDGE,
Executive Board.

Ordered received, filed and published.

LIST OF STREETS

For which petitions for water pipe extension are filed, and for which it is recommended that materials be procured during the present winter :

Center street (E), from west side Brown's Race to 250 feet east.

Avenue B, from present end of pipe east to Conkey avenue.

Louis Park, from Scramton street to Oakman street. Genesee street, from Hunter street to 100 feet south of Frost avenue.

Plymouth avenue, from Magnolia street to Frances street.

Plymouth avenue, from Frances street to Genesee Valley canal.

Cottage street, from present end of pipe east to Plymouth avenue.

Second street, from Glenwood avenue to Rowe street. West street, from Lyell avenue to 250 feet north.

Rowe street, from present end of pipe east to Hastings avenue.

Silver street, from Taylor street to Wilkins street. Wilkins street, from Silver street to 400 feet north.

Eddie street, from Silver street to Taylor street. Walnut street, from Smith street to Magne street.

Goodman street, Erie canal crossing. Mt. Vernon avenue, from Caroline street to Lewis street.

Bond street, from Hamilton place to Grand street. Edward street, from Herman street to north end of street.

Huntington street, from Hudson street to North street. Colvin street, from Wilder street to Maple street.

Clifford street, from North Clinton street to Hudson street.

Maria street, from Clifford street to end of street. Thomas street, from Clifford street to Bernhard street.

Bay street, from North avenue to First avenue. Miller street, from Bay street to middle of lot 50.

Union street, from Pennsylvania avenue to German street.

Fairmount street, from University avenue to Anderson avenue.

Norwood street, from University avenue to Anderson avenue.

Nichols park, from Park avenue to Brighton avenue. Brighton avenue, from Nichols park to Goodman street.

Field street, from Erie canal to 1,140 feet south. May street, from South avenue to Mt. Hope avenue.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Strouss—

Resolved, That for the purpose of paying for the work and materials for extending water mains in various streets heretofore authorized by the Common-council and Executive board and for which no money has previously been provided, the city treasurer be, and he is hereby authorized and directed under the direction of the finance committee to make the city's notes when necessary, in such sums as may be deemed expedient, not to exceed in the aggregate eighteen thousand, two hundred and two (\$18 202) dollars, under the provisions of section 81 of the city charter, payable in not more than one year from the date thereof, and get the same discounted and place the avails thereof to the credit of the water pipe extension fund, the said notes to be countersigned by the chairman of the finance committee, and the discount to be charged to the contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That for the purpose of providing money for purchasing material for extending water mains in the several streets enumerated in the list accompanying the report of the Water Works Committee and Executive Board of this date, and for which there are petitions now on file in the water department, the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed under the direction of the Finance Committee to make the city's notes when necessary, in such sums as may be deemed expedient, not to exceed in the aggregate twenty thousand six hundred and fifty-two (\$20,652) dollars, under the provisions of section 81 of the city charter, payable in not

more than one year from the date thereof, and get the same discounted, and place the avails thereof to the credit of the Water Pipe Extension Fund, the said notes to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee and the discount to be charged to the Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
OFFICES, CITY HALL, NOV. 21, 1883. }

To the Common Council :

The wood roadway in South Water street is in a dangerous condition and requires to be reconstructed. The Executive Board would respectfully recommend that an ordinance be passed for an improvement similar to that recently constructed in North Water street.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Referred to the Improvement Committee.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, NOV. 19th, 1883. }

To the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with your request the Executive Board would respectfully report, that the owners of property to be taken for opening and extending Maria street demand as follows: Messrs. Brown and Thomas, through whose lands a portion of the extension will extend, are willing to give the necessary lands providing they are exempted from paying for any other lands that may be required for said extension. Mr. Sebastian Klingler, the owner of the remaining land required, demands three hundred and fifty (\$350) dollars for it. This Board is of the opinion that the sum demanded is reasonable.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

The above communication was accompanied by a deed to the city of Rochester of that portion of the land necessary to be taken of Messrs. Brown and Thomas for the opening of Maria street.

Ald. Southard moved that the deed be accepted. Adopted.

A communication was received from the Executive Board relating to a claim of the Rochester Gas Light Company.

Referred to the Law committee.

From Board of Education—

By Com. Noyes—Resolved, That the Common Council be, and is hereby requested to authorize the Executive Board to enlarge to a six inch pipe the Holy water main in South Fitzhugh street, to supply service of the Free Academy elevator motor. Adopted.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true copy of the minutes of the Board of Education, Nov. 5, 1883.

S. A. ELLIS, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and is hereby instructed to increase the water supply of the Rochester Free Academy by laying a six inch main in South Fitzhugh street, and charge expense thereof to the Water Pipe Extension Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., NOV. 27th, 1883. }

To the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with Sec. 29 of the City

Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath of office:
Isaac A. Baum, F. W. Elwood, Charles H. Blakeslee, A. C. McCall, Elmer E. Charles, George Mathew Dowd, Commissioners of Deeds.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received filed, and published.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 27, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

Your inspector, appointed by the Lamp Committee of the Common Council, would make the following report to date:

3,848 lamp posts painted.
783 caulked.
Putting in glass and repairing gas lamps, 171.
oil 474
The total number of lamps, gas discontinued, 724.
oil 151
The total number of electric lights now in use, 199.
Yours respectfully,
E. A. MAHER, Lamp Inspector.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

PLANK WALK ON SILVER STREET.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Silver street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$703.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 3 feet and 6 inches in width on each side of Silver street, from Maple street to a point 200 feet west of South Orchard street. Also, the necessary crosswalks.

And Whereas, the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$703, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, Further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Silver street, from Maple street to a point 200 feet west of South Orchard street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, December 11th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

STRONG STREET AND JEFFERSON AVENUE STONE SEWER.

By Ald. Simmelnik—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a stone sewer in Strong street and Jefferson avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$2,600.

By Ald. Simmelnik—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a stone sewer 2x2 feet in size in Strong street, from a point 50 feet east of Jefferson avenue to a point 487 feet west of Jefferson avenue.

Also a stone sewer 1½x2 feet in size in Jefferson avenue, from the center of Strong street to a point 20 feet south of Bartlett street.

Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals, connections and manholes.

And Whereas, the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,600, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Strong street, from a point 50 feet east of Jefferson avenue to a point 487 feet west of Jefferson avenue.

Also one tier of lots on each side of Jefferson avenue, from Strong street to Bartlett street.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one-year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in

pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Dec. the 11th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to open and extend Maria street, came up. Ald. Southard presented the following amendment:

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the ordinance for the extension of Maria street be amended as follows, viz.:" And the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor is lot No. 20, of Klingler and Leidecker's subdivision of the A. G. Smith tract.

And the territory deemed benefited and proper to be assessed therefor is described as follows: One tier of lots on the west side of Maria street, as at present, and as proposed to be opened, from Clifford street to Klingler street, and one tier of lots on the east side of Maria street, as at present opened, from Clifford street to the present south end of Maria street, as opened; also, lot No. 11, adjoining lot No. 20 on the east side. And that the estimate be changed to \$350. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,557.

FOOT BRIDGE ACROSS THE ERIE CANAL ON WEST MAIN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Southard the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing; Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a wrought iron foot bridge 10 feet in width between the centre of frusses, across the Erie canal on the north side of West Main street. Also the necessary stair cases and masonry foundations.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$6,000 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of West Main street from State street to the Erie canal, also one tier of lots on each side of West avenue from the Erie canal to the west line of the city.

On which above described portion of the city the expense of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Folsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnik—16.

The final ordinance to construct a foot-bridge across the Erie canal on Exchange street came up.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the ordinance for a foot-bridge across the Erie canal on the east side of Exchange street be amended by making the territory to be assessed as follows, viz. : One tier of lots on each side of Exchange street, from Main street to the Erie canal; also, all that portion of the Third ward lying east of Plymouth avenue, excepting one tier of lots on the east side of Plymouth avenue, from the Erie canal to the southwesterly line of the Third ward. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a plank

walk on Ashland street came up. Ald. Rice moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,559.

NORTH CLINTON STREET AND AVENUE A. SEWER.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a sewer in North Clinton street and Avenue A from a point 450 feet north of Clifford street to the sewer in Conkey avenue.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in North Clinton street, from a point 450 feet north of Clifford street to the center of Avenue A; also a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Avenue A, from the center of North Clinton street to the sewer in Conkey avenue; also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$3,800 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North Clinton street, from a point 450 feet north of Clifford street to the center of Avenue A.

Also one tier of lots on each side of Avenue A, from North Clinton street to Conkey avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the taxpayers to be assessed for making said improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third, within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,560.

CLEANING THE SEWER IN GORHAM STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to clean the sewer in Gorham st., from Clinton street to a point opposite the west line of Almira street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The cleaning of the sewer in Gorham street, from Clinton street to a point opposite the west line of Almira street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$208, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Gorham street, from Clinton street to a point opposite the west line of Almira street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2560.

NORTH LINDEN STREET PLANK WALKS.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to grade and construct a plank walk on North Linden street, from Clinton street to Joiner street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The grading of North Linden street, and the construction of a plank walk 4 feet in width on each side thereof, from Clinton street to Joiner street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$300, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North Linden street, from Clinton street to Joiner street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The final ordinance to construct an outlet sewer on the east side of the Genesee river came up.

Ald. Archer moved it be postponed until the first meeting in February next.

Ald. Simmelink moved to amend that it be postponed until the first meeting in April.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Jeffords, Foley, Felsinger, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—7.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice—9.

Ald. Kelley moved to amend that action be postponed until the second meeting in April, 1884.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Jeffords, Foley, Felsinger, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—7.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice—9.

Ald. Archer's motion to postpone until the first meeting in February was then adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the matter of an outlet sewer on the east side of the river be referred to a special committee of thirteen, to be composed of four aldermen from the east side of the river, four citizens from the east side of the river, and Dr. E. M. Moore, sr., of the Board of Health, O. H. Peacock, City Surveyor; J. Nelson Tubbs, Chief Engineer of the Water Works; Emil Kuichling, Assistant Engineer of the Water Works, and J. N. Beckley City Attorney; said committee to investigate said matters and to report back to the board at its first regular meeting in February, 1884, the best and most economical route and plan for the construction of said sewer. Adopted.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENTS.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 25, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,518, for Caroline street plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or be entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$116.56.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,518.

CAROLINE STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 10th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for Caroline street plank walk.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$116.56 including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of Caroline street from South avenue to Meigs street, in front of which the proposed walk was built or relaid.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$116.56, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of such improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., NOV. 25, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,524, for Beacon street plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$357.84.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,524.

BEACON STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 10th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for Beacon street plank walk.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$357.84 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Beacon street, from University avenue to Anderson avenue, in front of which the walk was constructed or related.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$357.84, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., NOV. 25, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,543, for Bay street sewer, No. 2, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$511.75.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,543.

BAY STREET SEWER—SEC. 2.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 27th day of June, 1882, enact an ordinance for Bay street sewer, Sec. 2.

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$511.75, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Bay street, from Herbard street to a point 180 feet east of Rohr street.

Therefore, Resolved, that the sum of \$511.75, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the

property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER N. Y., NOV. 25, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,535, for Mt. Vernon avenue and Lewis street sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,227.69.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,535.

PIPE SEWER IN LEWIS STREET AND MT. VERNON AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 7th day of August, 1883, enact an ordinance for a pipe sewer in Lewis street and Mt. Vernon avenue.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,227.69 including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Lewis street from a point 111 feet west of Meigs street to Mt. Vernon avenue, and one tier of lots on each side of Mt. Vernon avenue from the center of Lewis street to Caroline street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,227.69, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., NOV. 25th, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified us that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,527, for Huntington street pipe sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,237.90.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, No. 2,527.

PIPE SEWER IN HUNTINGTON STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 24th day of July, 1883, enact an Ordinance for a pipe sewer in Huntington street.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,237.90, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Huntington street, from a point 115 feet east of Hudson street to North street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,237.90, being the whole amount of the expense aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so

interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 27, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2535, for Meigs street improvement, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$8,679.39.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. MCGILACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2535.

MEIGS STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 7th day of August, 1883, enact an ordinance for the improvement of Meigs street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$8,679.39, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Meigs street from Monroe avenue to a point opposite the north curb line of Broadway.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$8,679.39, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 25th, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,540, for Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,037.99.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. MCGILACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,540.

CAMBRIDGE ST., BRIGHTON AVE. AND NICHOLS PARK SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 4th day of September, 1883, enact an ordinance for a sewer in Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,037.99, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Cambridge street, from a point 17 feet south of Park avenue to Brighton avenue; also one tier of lots on each side of Brighton avenue, from a point 18 feet east of Goodman street, and also one tier of lots on the west side of Nichols park, from Brighton avenue to Park avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$2,037.99, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessor., No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 25, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,538, for Silver st. pipe sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,872.74.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. MCGILACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,538.

PIPE SEWER IN SILVER STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 7th day of August, 1883, enact an ordinance for Silver street pipe sewer.

And whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,872.74, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Silver street, from the Rochester & Pittsburg Railroad, to a point 90 feet west of Eddie st.

Therefore, resolved, That the sum of \$1,872.74, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 25, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2529, for Goodman street pipe sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,897.98.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. MCGILACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2529.

PIPE SEWER IN GOODMAN STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 24th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for a pipe sewer in Goodman street.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,897.98, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Goodman street, from a point 50 feet south of Park avenue to a point 140 feet north of Monroe avenue.

Also, one tier of lots on each side of the first street north of Monroe avenue (unnamed), extending across property owned by Hiram Sibley, from the center of Goodman street to the east end of said unnamed street.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$2,897.98, be

the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Hart—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER N. Y. Nov. 25, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,528, for Concord avenue pipe sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,857.92.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,528.
PIPE SEWER IN CONCORD AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 24th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for a pipe sewer in Concord avenue.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,857.92, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Concord avenue, from North street to Channing street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$2,857.92, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER N. Y., Nov. 25, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,515 for North St. Paul street improvement has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$29,556.76.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,515.
NORTH ST. PAUL STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 26th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for North St. Paul street improvement.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$29,556.76, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street, from East Main street to Alwater street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$29,556.76 being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so

interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Nov. 25, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,523, for Manhattan street improvement, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$10,283.77.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,523.
MANHATTAN STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 14th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for Manhattan street improvement.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$10,283.77, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Manhattan street, from Court street to Monroe avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$10,283.77, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of said property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 1st day of Dec., 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—16.

FRANK N. LORD City Clerk.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That all persons interested in the matter of the ordering of an assessment roll for the opening of a new street from Campbell street to Maple street be heard as to the same at the next regular meeting of this Board, November 27th, and that the City Clerk cause to be published a notice of said hearing as provided by section 190 of the city charter. Adopted.”

After hearing from all person appearing Ald. Bronson submitted the following:

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,471.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, The Common Council did upon the first day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for opening a street from Campbell street to Maple street.

And whereas, The total expense of said improvement having been ascertained to be the sum of \$1,072.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of the proposed street from Maple street to Campbell street in the city of Rochester.

Therefore, Resolved, that the sum of \$1,072, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land, to wit: On one tier of lots on each side of the proposed street from Campbell street to Maple street in said city.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the

property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The following came up:
Relating to the agreement between the city of Rochester and D. D. S. Brown in relation to a public park.

Ald. Kelly moved it be referred to the select committee on Ellwanger & Barry park.
Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Hinds presented the resignation of Patrick McKoen, constable of the 9th ward, and moved the resignation be accepted. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds moved to proceed to appoint a constable for the 9th ward. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds nominated Wm. Daningburg.

Wm. Daningburg was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Wm. Daningburg was declared appointed constable for the 9th ward.

Ald. Southard moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Chas. Cherain, 6th ward; Wm. Braton, 7th ward; Franklin W. Morse, 16th ward, and Frank E. Rowe, 13th ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council, were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Collins moved to proceed to appoint a police commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr. was named by Ald. Collins! Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

FOURTH VOTE:

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing,

Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

SIXTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

SEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved to postpone balloting for two weeks.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petitions of Myron Adams jr. and Henry Wickes for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, There seems to be unnecessary delay in the completion of the Central avenue bridge across the Genesee river; therefore

Resolved—That a committee of five members of this board be appointed by the chair to investigate and ascertain the cause of such delay and report at the next meeting of the Common Council. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to construct a suitable crosswalk across Lyell avenue at the east side of Oak st. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 27th, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The contact of the electric light wires with the wires of other companies has been of such frequent occurrence recently, setting buildings on fire and burning up electric lamps, and suggesting the great liability in future of causing large and destructive fires, compels us to request that you, gentlemen, take immediate and decided action in the matter of the construction and operation of the several electric light systems of this city. In order that this matter should be considered in all its detail, we would beg your Honorable Body to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee of this Board for the purpose of preparing such recommendations as may be deemed necessary on this subject, and presenting the same to your Board for action. Respectfully,
O. L. A'GEVINE,
Secretary Board of Underwriters.

On motion of Ald. Kelly received, filed and published and referred to a select committee of three members of the Common Council.

Ald. Southard presented a petition for water mains in Klingler street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That a license be granted to A. Forepaugh to exhibit the Forepaugh show one day in the city of Rochester, on the base ball grounds, between May 20th and June 20th, 1884, upon paying into the city treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of Trott & Weigand for permission to erect a wood building on Mount Hope avenue, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented a petition for lamps in Goodman street. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Christian Ernst for permission to erect a wood building on Wilder street, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, Oct. 26, 1883. }

To the Finance Committee:

GENTLEMEN: The City Surveyor has certified to this Board that the following amounts in cash are due upon the contracts hereinafter enumerated. The City Treasurer gives information that there are no funds at present in his hands applicable for payment for same. Your attention is respectfully called to this matter that you may make such provision as may be necessary to meet these obligations. Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Local Improvement, Estimates Passed Nov. 26, 1883.

	Cash.	Time	Notes.
Central avenue improvement, partial.	\$3,000 00		\$6,000 00
Mill street sewer, final	678 04		1,356 08
N. and S. Francis street improvement,			
final	1,297 04		2,594 66
Meigs street improvement, final	876 95		1,753 88
Second avenue walks, final	622 63		
North St. Paul street improvement			
No. 2, final	767 49		1,534 80
Cambridge, etc., sewer, final	84 26		535 00
Central Park walk, final	1,468 48		
Cambridge street walk, final	159 34		
Wadsworth street walk, final	180 02		
Harvard street sewer, final	158 90		
Park avenue and Culver street sewer,			
partial	500 00		
Cash	\$9,798 06		
Notes			\$13,794 42

By Ald. Hinds, Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is directed under the direction of the Finance Committee, to procure the note of the city for ten thousand dollars; said note to be countersigned by the Chairman of the Finance Committee and the discount charged to Contingent Fund, and the proceeds to pay for local improvement. Estimates passed Nov. 26th, 1883, by the Executive Board.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Wm. and Frederick O'Neil, in relation to the obstruction of South St. Paul street.

Referred to the Executive Board.

By Ald. Watson—Whereas, The city building, Front street, having been recently renovated, repaired and painted, complaint is frequently made that nuisances are committed in and around said building by defacing the walls and otherwise injuring the same, therefore,

Resolved, That for the better protection of the city building, Front street, the Police Commissioners of the city of Rochester be requested to appoint the janitor of said building Peter C.

Miller, a special policeman, without pay, other than his salary as janitor of said building, with full powers and immunities, subject to the rules and regulations established by the said Police Commissioners. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords called up the following, published on page 250 of the current proceedings:

“Ald. Jeffords moved that the City Attorney be directed to proceed as required by law for the appointment of a new commission in the matter of extending Pinnacle avenue. Lost.”

Ald. Jeffords moved that action on the above resolution be reconsidered. Adopted.

On motion of Ald. Jeffords the resolution was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Nays—Ald. Hinds, Pitkin, Rice—3.

Ald. Bronson presented the petitions of Myron Adams and P. H. Curtis for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Premises on Pine alley, owned by Mrs. McMahon and Mrs. Proctor, and used as tenement houses, have been declared a nuisance by the Board of Health, and

Whereas, It appears that said premises are in a dilapidated and dangerous condition.

Resolved, That the Fire Marshal be empowered to investigate the condition of said premises, and report to the Common Council such action as he may deem best. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to receive of Margaret Schlegel the sum of \$9.29, in full for General City Tax for 1880, on lot 7, Strong Sub., on the west side of St. Paul street, 5th ward, she having paid in 1880, on wrong lot. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the Treasurer for \$55.39, payable to Giles B. Rich, for erroneous assessment on personal property, and charge erroneous assessment.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to lay a crosswalk on Troup street, in continuation of Greenwood avenue to the north line of Troup street. Adopted.

Ald Hinds presented the petition of Mrs. J. Fitzgerald for permission to erect a wood building on Phelps avenue, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

The chair announced select committees as follows:

Committee to investigate delay in completing Central avenue bridge—Ald. Kelly, Collins, Bronson, Felsing, Southard.

Committee on electric light and telegraph wires—Ald. Kelly, Archer, Aikenhead.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, Dec. 11, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, president of the Board. presiding.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmeink—16.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, Nov. 27th, 1883, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

H. D. McNaughton, County Clerk's fees.....	\$	268	95
J. F. O'Neil, printing.....		10	00
M. W. Rundel, frame for Mayor's office.....		5	00
E. D. Smith, services, Attorney's office, e.....		60	00
A. C. McCall		13	00
A. W. Mudge, livery.....		10	00
Thomas Knowles, hack hire.....		3	00
H. S. Bansom		9	00
J. C. Moore, book binding, &c.....		49	45
American District Telegraph Co., services.....		2	85
J. N. Beckley, disbursements, City Attorney's office.....		194	28

Referred to the contingent expense committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of R. Marean for permission to erect a wood building on Rowley street. Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting for November	\$2,540	70
Municipal Gas Co.,	104	17

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of J. S. Soan, E. R. Clark and Martha Rowe for permission to erect wood buildings. Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for a stone sewer in Summer street. Referred to the Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Hinds asked unanimous consent to present the following:

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That as the time for the next regular meeting of the Common Council is on Christmas night, that the next regular meeting of this Board be held Wednesday, Dec. 26th, 1883, at 6 o'clock P. M., at the Common Council chamber. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of Hiram Holdridge and Jane Contant for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented a petition for the improvement of Tappan street, and moved that the Surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of Ernest Wolenhauss for permission to erect a wood building on Wilder street, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

L. J. Hall & Bro, groceries (three bills).....	\$48	75
C. H. Mathews	13	00
Philip Welder	13	50
M. Gannon	16	25
T. J. Kenning	27	00
Smith, Perkins & Co., sugar.....	306	27
P. Kleinhaus, meat.....	25	00
A. L. Morris	50	00
J. Fleckenstein, bread.....	122	08
N. Kirchoff	70	12

F. M. Harvey, rent.....	4	00
Jerome Keyes	37	00
Gerling Bros., flour.....	366	75
Leo Stadler, shoes.....	188	60
Jas. Laney & Co., paper.....	30	59
Jeffreys & Co, burials.....	18	50
Hayden & Havens Co, cot for ambulance.....	10	00
Burke, Fitz Simons, Hone & Co, dry goods.....	10	00

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Rice presented a petition for water in Mt. Vernon avenue. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of F. N. Skuse for permission to erect wood buildings on Skuse park. Permission was granted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition for electric lights in University avenue. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

Municipal Gas Co., gas for city buildings, Nov.	\$192	60
A. H. Martin, instruments.....	17	00
A. Medcalf, soap.....	3	00
D. McCormick, rep. Front street building.....	15	50

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for plank walks on Sherman and Emerson streets. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of Geo. H. Nicholson for permission to erect a wood building and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented a copy of a judgment against the city in favor of James Buckley. Referred to the Law Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee, reported the bills of

B. F. Enos, expenses for November.....	\$91	26
C. E. Morris, blanks and stationery.....	57	90

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, Ald. Felsing from the Poor Committee, reported favorably on the bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your Lamp Committee would call the attention of your honorable body to the fact that the contract for lighting of kerosene lamps of the city expires on the first day of January next.

The contracts for gas and electric lighting of the streets all expire on the first day of July of each year. Formerly the contract for kerosene lighting expired at the same time, but some years since, owing to the large increase of the cost of oil, the Common Council saw fit to extend the contract for the kerosene lighting from the first of July to the first of January, and upon such extension paid to the contractor, during said six months the additional expense incurred by him by reason of such increase. Thereafter the contract for kerosene lighting began on the first day of January and ended on the 31st day of December in each year.

There are many reasons which make it important that the contracts for lighting the streets with the various materials should expire at the same time.

The question of competition alone would be sufficient to determine that the contracts should all thus end. It is furthermore better that the work to be done by a new contractor should begin in the summer rather than in the winter. The extra care and attention required during the winter months can be better performed by a contractor who has had the benefit of a few months experience during less inclement weather. There are many other reasons, which with the foregoing, make it desirable, in the opinion of your committee, that the contract for lighting with kerosene, as well as other contracts for lighting, should expire on the first day of July.

Your committee, therefore, recommend that a resolution be adopted for the extension of the present contract for lighting by kerosene until July first next.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
J. A. HINDS,
Lamp Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Mayor be, and hereby is directed to extend the present contract for the care and lighting of kerosene lamps of the city until the first day of July, 1884. The contract of extension to be the same in all respects as the present contract except as to time, the bond to be given on such extended contract to be approved by the Mayor and the contract to be approved by the City Attorney.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingser, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 11, 1883.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

Mensing & Stecker, printing blanks.....	\$18 00
John P. Smith, binding.....	9 00
Wm. Whitehair, carriage.....	2 00
Rochester District Telegraph Co., rent and services.....	4 70
George Wolford, carriage.....	3 00
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Dec. 11th.....	15 00
Clerk, disbursements.....	35 15
And charge that fund.....	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

Curran Bros., meat.....	\$25 00
John McDonald, meat.....	25 00
George Oppel, bread.....	20 82
J. C. Gray, groceries.....	35 75
Mary West, rent.....	8 00
Davenport & Gilman, beans.....	58 75
Smith, Perkins & Co., pork.....	247 50
M. Heavey, transportation.....	32 50
C. T. Marks, groceries.....	9 00
Hoffman & Co., burials.....	13 00
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	36 28
P. Joyce, burials.....	8 00
And charge that fund.....	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

A. C. McGlavin, Treasurer, remittances for lamp posts and lamps for Cogswell fountain, request of Mayor.....	\$200 00
Walter Williamson, desk, &c., Treasurer's office.....	77 62
Margaret Hirsch, cleaning front street building.....	28 75
George F. Flannery, printing cards.....	13 00
Thomas H. Gargan, painting roof City Hall.....	440 00
Chas. Little, monthly cleaning.....	38 00
And charge that fund.....	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care of lamps for Nov.....	2,520 25
Citizens' Gas Co., removing and setting posts.....	70 35
Rochester Gas Co., lighting and care of lamps for Nov.....	2,010 30
And charge that fund.....	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR NOVEMBER, 1883.

Alex. McLean.....	130 00
Ferry Marzluff.....	85 00
Samuel Brown.....	85 00
Thos. Lynch.....	85 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.....	85 00
P. C. Kavanaugh.....	85 00
Thos. A. Burchill.....	85 00
Henry Baker.....	85 00
Chas. M' Cormick.....	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth.....	85 00
John C. Haydon.....	85 00
Frank B. Allen.....	85 00
John H. Dana, 29 days.....	72 50
Wm. H. White.....	75 00
Ed. Van Voorhis.....	75 00
Thos. Dukelow.....	75 00
John C. M'Quatters, 29 days.....	72 50
Fred. Griebel.....	75 00
John M. Reis.....	75 00
Frank S. Skuse.....	75 00
W. R. M'Arthur.....	75 00
Hugh Clark.....	75 00
Jacob Frank.....	75 00
John Wansman.....	75 00
John Monaghan.....	75 00
Geo. Hofner, 26 days.....	62 60

Chas. Stefferd.....	75 00
George Long.....	75 00
Joseph Baker.....	75 00
Daniel Goulding.....	105 00
Hugh Johnston, 26 days.....	91 00
Joseph P. Cleary.....	108 33
Wm. Keith.....	100 00
Benj. C. Furthner.....	85 00
Nicholas J. Fos.....	85 00
John B. Davis.....	85 00
John A. Baird.....	85 00
Mich. Hyland.....	75 00
Oliver Oliver.....	75 00
Ralph Benson.....	75 00
Andrew Connolly.....	75 00
Robt. Burns.....	75 00
Jacob Harter.....	75 00
Wm. P. O'Neil.....	75 00
John Mitchell.....	75 00
Ed. McDonough.....	75 00
Jos. St. Keelvey.....	75 08
Wm. M'Keelvey.....	75 00
Robt. M'Keel, 22 days.....	55 00
Michael Brady.....	75 00
Chas. E. Fowler.....	75 00
Robert Sloan.....	75 00
John Dean.....	75 00
Samuel Schwartz.....	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson.....	75 00
Wm. Burgess.....	75 00
James P. Flynn.....	75 00
Michael Cain.....	75 00
Charles W. Peart.....	75 00
Chas. Hart.....	75 00
Wm. Laraey.....	75 00
Michael Hyge.....	15 00
Henry D. Shove, 25 days.....	57 50
Louis Nold.....	75 00
Peter Hess.....	75 00
Oliver A. Youle.....	75 00
Frederick Appburt.....	75 00
Eliam Rogers, 25 days.....	65 00
John E. McDermott.....	75 00
Patk. J. Cummings.....	75 00
Benj. L. Stetson.....	75 00
Patk. Caulfield.....	75 00
Patk. Culligan.....	75 00
Jerome P. Dowd, 29 days.....	72 50
Wm. Murray.....	75 00
Michael Englert.....	75 00
John Sullivan.....	75 00
Dennis Hogan.....	75 00
James E. Ryan.....	75 00
John Yarnan, 28 days.....	70 00
Mich. Zimmerman.....	75 00
Geo. H. Kron.....	75 00
George Liese.....	75 00
Henry Baker, Jr.....	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick.....	75 00
Wm. Hillard.....	75 00
Fred. Wald.....	75 00
Ed. O'Laughlin.....	75 00
George Bletzer.....	75 00
George Mohr.....	75 00
John A. Wallace 26 days.....	65 00
Geo. Kleisley.....	75 00
Thos. Crouch, 16 days.....	40 00
John H. Mason.....	75 00
Jacob Markey.....	65 00
Mich. Cain, 47 days' time lost in Sept. and Oct.....	117 50
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.....	126 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

G. L. Van Vorst, use of Arsenal.....	45 00
Henry C. Wisner, cuspadores.....	5 00
C. E. Morris, stationery.....	57 90
B. Frank Enos, disbursements.....	91 25
And charge that fund.....	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER.

Officers, City Hall, Dec. 10, 1883.

To the Common Council:
The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, CLERK.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holley, salary for December.....	\$ 208 33
Samuel L. Williams.....	208 33
George W. Aldridge.....	208 84
W. J. Wilcox, stationery.....	5 35

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Weekly Payroll, Dec 6.....	\$ 67 25
Geo B Harris; disbursements.....	14 77
A V Smith, whip, blanket, etc.....	5 75
Mack & Co, tools and repairs.....	30 15
Henry Hebing, nails.....	9 00
John Geist, breaking McAdam.....	18 49

Adam Gaertner, 9 45
Otto Wellert, 41 02
F P Stallman, McAdam 74 62
William Dolan, 35 00
G E Pratt, flag stone work 45 00
David Dunn, breaking granite 15 79
William Moran, stove pipe, etc. 4 30
John G. Hetzler, stone for Lake avenue 35 00
Lylell avenue bridge (O. 2313) transfer to construction account 928 00
G W & C T Crouch & Sons, lumber and stakes 428 14
J E Williams, oil 46 00

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Dec. 6 \$476 61
Dec. 13 336 00
\$ 812 61

Weekly pay roll, Dec. 13 \$476 61
Dec. 20 336 00

Emil Kuehling, services to December 5 319 61
James F. O'Neil, printing 32 88
Bell Telephone Co., rent of telephone 7 50
W. J. Wilcox, stationery 30 00
Thomas J. Neville, Clerk, office expenses 1 25
George B. Harris, disbursements 14 55
George B. Harris, paid for hay 17 56
Stone & Campbell, oats 16 30
Geo. A. Raymond 83 75
Steam Gauge and Lantern Co., pressure gauge 58 12
Tower & Ross-Lewin, paper and hanging 18 00
Rochester Gas Light Co., gas bills 2 65
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, stop gate stones 89 80
John R. Smy, harness work 18 00
James Field, packing 3 20
Howlett Brothers rubber boots 4 03
H. H. Babcock, coal 27 00
William Moran, tinwork and supplies 2 00
A. V. Smith, blankets 10 20
G. W. & C. T. Crouch, lumber 11 25
National Meter Co., meters and repairs 56 00
John Kelly, erroneous water tax 188 73
J. B. Williams, oil 4 03
Brown's Race Co., assessment five rights 26 35
H. D. McNaughton, searches in matter of Honoyce creek claim 75 00
770 00

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Dec. 6 \$136 42
Dec. 13 137 00
\$ 273 42

George B. Hayes, final estimate on pipe 2,017 93
George B. Harris, transportation on pipe 10 60
S. J. Wagoner, delivering pipe, final estimate 71 94
E. H. Cook & Co., lead 35 58
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, repairing sewer 3 75
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements 11 40
G. W. & C. T. Crouch & Sons, stakes, blocks and wedges 42 63
William Dyer, final estimate, group 75 123 77
Thomas Oliver, final estimate, Rowe street 331 53
Howe & Clancy, estimate No. 9, group 83 450 00

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Mack & Co., repairing tools \$ 5 30
H. S. Henard, repairs, Ford St. station 17 52
Ford & Madden, repairs Ford St. station 2 75
T. H. Christie, repairs, buildings 23 75
Stone & Campbell, oats and mill feed 517 79
Dr. A. Tegge, veterinary services 10 00
R. Stewart, pasture 61 00
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay 13 40
Monthly pay roll, (Fire Department) payable Dec. 24 \$ 3,422 33
E. W. Tripp, ice bills 8 10
John Foss, ice bills 18 60
L. S. Gibson, washing 17 50
Bell Telephone Co., rent of telephone 30 00
Citizens' Gas Co., gas bill 17 13
G. W. & C. T. Crouch & Sons, trucking telephone poles 2 00
F. E. Handy, labor, fire telegraph 24 00
John Tyler, 5 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, paving and walks, Clinton St. Station 475 11
J. B. Williams, oil 8 20
Heveron & Hyde, estimate No. 5, Clinton St. station 1,000 00
S. A. Millington & Co., sign, fire telegraph 1 50
\$5,679 20

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

John Creegan, inspecting Central avenue improvement 18 00
Frank W. Caring, inspecting work, N. St. Paul st. imp't, No. 2 67 50
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, extra work, Frances st. imp't 20 00

Water Works Dep't, stop gate stones, Frances st. imp't 11 25
Water Works Dep't, stop gate stone, N. St. Paul st. imp't, No. 2 2 25
Water Works Dep't, stop gate stone, Central ave. imp't 4 50
Street Dep't, material furnished, Lylell bridge approaches 452 55
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses, Mill st. sewer 13 67
Street Dep't, stakes, expenses and test pits, Park ave. and Culver st. sewer 14 64
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses, Oakman st. sewer cleaning 5 31
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses, Central ave. imp't 19 69
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses, Mt. Vernon ave. sewer 1 7

Estimates.

Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, final estimate, Central ave. imp't 6 788 76
R. Y. McConnell, final estimate, Park ave. and Culver st. sewer 1,558 50
N. L. Brayer, final estimate, Oakman st. sewer cleaning 597 65
John Mauder, final estimate, Mt. Vernon ave 197 00
\$9,764 98

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Stroussa, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Kelly—

To the Honorable, the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: Your special committee, to which was referred the communication of O L Angevine with reference to the danger caused by electric light wires placed in the city, does hereby report:

Your committee had a conference with the committee of the board of underwriters, and has made a careful examination into the matters referred to in said communication.

Your committee is of the opinion, that as such electric light wires are now placed, there is liability of fires occurring caused by the placing of such wires, and that immediate steps should be taken for the purpose of protecting the property of citizens which is located in proximity to such wires.

Your committee is informed by said committee of the board of underwriters, that unless some action is at once taken with reference to the protection of property in this matter that the different insurance companies will refuse to issue any further policies on business property located in proximity to such wires, and it is a matter of very great importance to our business interests that some action should be at once taken in this matter.

Your committee is of the opinion that some suitable and competent person should be at once employed whose duty it shall be to inspect the location of the electric wires and lamps, and who should in general be given ample powers with reference to the protection of property. Your committee would, therefore, recommend that Charles B Finnegan, superintendent of the fire alarm telegraph, should be directed to superintend the erection and the placing of the electric light wires and lamps, and to that end, employ such assistants as may be necessary, and that he should be given such power by the Common council as is necessary in the premises. Your committee further recommends that Mr. Finnegan be paid for such service, and for the employment of such assistants, and for his expenses connected with such service, the sum of \$600 per annum.

Respectfully submitted.

J. MILLER KELLY,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
GEO. W. ARCHER,
Special Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That Charles B. Finnegan be, and he hereby is, employed by the city of Rochester to superintend the erection and placing of electric wires and lamps, telephone wires and telegraph wires in the city of Rochester, and that before the erection or

placing of any such wire or lamp the electric light companies, the telephone company and the telegraph companies shall be required to obtain from him a permit for the erection and placing of such wires and lamps, and that it shall be his duty to inspect such wires and lamps from time to time and to cause the removal of the same whenever he shall find that the location thereof renders property unsafe, and that he shall make report at each meeting of the Common Council of such matters as he shall deem necessary to bring before such Council relating to such matters, and that his salary for such service, which shall include all amounts paid by him for assistants and the necessary disbursements, shall be and hereby is fixed at six hundred dollars per annum.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Ald. Kelly, from the Select Committee on the Central Avenue Bridge, reported that after a thorough investigation they find that the delay heretofore in the construction of the bridge was unavoidable, and that the contractors have assured the committee that the bridge would be completed by Saturday next. The report was accepted and the committee discharged.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Surveyor—

CITY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 11th, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—At your last regular meeting, held Nov. 27th, an ordinance was passed for the construction of a foot bridge across the Erie canal at West Main street, to be located on the north side of said street. As the north line of West avenue is 14 feet south of the north line of West Main street, I suggest the purchase of a small piece of land on the west side of the canal, sufficient for the approach to said bridge, and that the structure be located so that its south face shall coincide with the north line of West avenue.

I suggest also that the proposed foot bridge across the Erie canal at Exchange street be located entirely east of the east line of Exchange street. Respectfully,

OSCAR H. BEACOCK, City Surveyor.

Ald. Kelly moved that the communication be received, filed and published and referred to a committee of five members of the Board from wards in which the territory to be assessed is located, and that the Executive Board be directed not to let the contract for the bridge until further notice. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a remonstrance from taxpayers on West Main street and West avenue against the assessment as proposed for the West avenue foot bridge, asking that the ordinance be reconsidered and a new ordinance passed in which a larger territory shall be assessed. On motion of Ald. Foley laid on the table.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 1st, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Since the location of the depot of the B. P. & N. Y. Railroad on Trowbridge street, a very extensive use of adjacent streets by heavily laden teams has prevailed, and is likely to increase in the future. These streets being unimproved, they become almost impassable in the spring and fall. Upon solicitation of some of the property owners, the Executive Board would respectfully recommend that during the present winter you pass ordinances for the improvement of Troup street, from Caledonia avenue to Prospect street, and Trowbridge street from West avenue to Troup street. Respectfully submitted.

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
ROCHESTER N. Y., Dec. 1, 1883. }

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law

1. Monthly report, showing the expenditures by this Board, for all purposes, during the month of November, 1883.
2. Monthly statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the this Board November 30th, 1883.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures by the Executive Board, for all purposes, during the month ending with the 30th day of November, 1883.

Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.

Executive Board, orders for labor.....	\$7,368 28
Orders for bills and estimates passed by the Common Council at sessions of November 13 and 27th.....	62,415 48
Total.....	\$ 69,783 71

CLASSIFICATION.

Highway fund.....	\$ 9,710 82
Water Pipe fund.....	8,660 44
Water works fund.....	6,492 62
Fire Department fund.....	6,544 86
Local improvement funds.....	37,799 97
Salary and expense.....	625 00
Street Sprinkling fund.....	10
Total.....	\$ 69,783 71

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board on the 30th day of November, 1883, at the close of business.

Dr. Balances:	
Local Improvement Funds.....	100'157 46
Street sprinkling funds.....	20,892 02
Sidewalk Repair funds.....	2,009 95
Total.....	\$123,059 43

Cr. Balances:

City Treasurer.....	\$ 37,368 85
Highway Fund.....	3,719 97
Water Pipe Fund.....	11,264 58
Water Works Fund.....	41,574 52
Water Works Fund (Special).....	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.....	23,555 76
Salary and Expense Fund.....	3'772 28

Total..... \$123,059 43

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Treasurer—

To the Honorable Common Council.

GENTLEMEN: I have received from the executive board notice that all work authorised under ordinances No. 2,313, Lyell avenue lift bridge; No. 2,424, Lyell avenue lift bridge approaches; No. 2,511, improving approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge, had been completed.

I have not certified to the amount to be assessed upon the property benefited under the above ordinances for the following reasons: It seems, from the official statement of the executive board, that under ordinance No. 2,313 the total cost of such work completed was \$13,484.83. I have already paid and charged to such fund amounts equal to \$12,923. The original estimate under which the ordinance was passed was for \$12,000.

The executive board have passed an order against the highway fund to the credit of ordinance No. 2,313 for the sum of \$923 to reduce the amount standing against such ordinance to \$12,000, the amount of the original estimates. Under ordinance No. 2,424 I have paid amounts equal to \$2,047.45. The amount of the certificate of the Executive board is for \$2,500, which is the amount of the original estimate.

From this I am at present obliged to come to the conclusion that work done under and properly belonging to ordinance No. 2,313 has been or is to be paid for and charged to ordinance No. 2,424. While both ordinances may cover the same territory to be assessed and practically this may make no difference to the tax payer or the city treasury, yet it is manifestly a bad precedent to establish, if not absolutely illegal.

Any amount advanced on account of Lyell ave-

new lift bridge under ordinance No. 2,313 (it being a new structure and therefore at present exempt from any charges for repairs) and charged to the highway fund represents an injustice to the taxpayers who are not embraced in the territory mentioned in such ordinance, and must be corrected under authority of the provisions of section 214 of the city charter.

The Common council should therefore adopt a second ordinance covering the amount of such deficiency now borne by the highway fund represented in the report of the Executive board as being \$1,484.33 (although if I am correct in my assumption of the expenditures under ordinance number 2,424, such amount should be \$1,937.38) and this deficiency being assessed upon the original territory embraced under ordinance number 2,313, the highway fund should be credited therewith.

This would enable the tax-payers to correctly understand the cost of such improvement, and, in conclusion, I would call your attention to the fact that if expenditures can be made under ordinances for local improvements to a greater amount than what is specified therein, the sooner the charter is amended so that it will strictly prohibit such expenditures, the better it will be for the city's interests. In view of a number of very costly local improvements now being contemplated, the people should at least have the right to know the actual limit of expenditures involved. It has also become a matter of great importance to the city that assessment rolls for local improvements should not be contested in the courts on account of illegal expenditures of money or defects in preliminary proceedings.

Very respectfully your obedient servant,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Ordered received, filed and published.

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, Dec. 11th, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds, on the 11th day of December, 1883, as required by section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund.....	\$1,042 50
.. .. Repair	96 00
.. .. Contingent Fund.....	13,323 39
.. .. Teachers'	45,065 49
Fire Department Fund	23,624 85
Poor Department Fund	4,028 32
Police Department Fund	13,355 14
Contingent Fund	17,469 10
Highway Fund.....	2,255 97
Lamp Fund	20,343 10
Health Fund.....	2,835 31
City Property Fund.....	1,519 30
Park Fund.....	32 30
Water Works Fund.....	15,743 63
Water Pipe Fund.....	39,615 27
Salary and Expense Fund.....	3,672 86

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of December, 1883.
EDWARD THOMAS,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the City Attorney—

OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY,
No. 19 City Hall Building,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 11, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester.

GENTLEMEN—The action brought by the National Gas Light Company of the city of New York to recover \$1,385.01, with interest from January 10th, 1881, against the city, has been tried before George H. Humphry, Esq., as referee, and resulted in a decision against the city for \$346.59 with interest thereon amounting to the sum of \$895.00. The cost as taxed amount to \$306.27, making the total claim against the city growing out of said litigation the sum of \$1,301.27.

I regard it as my duty to state, as briefly as possible, the facts bearing on this most unfortunate litigation.

The contract out of which the litigation grew was between the city and said company and by its terms extended from March 1, 1880, to March 1, 1881. Said contract provided that the company should light four hundred of public lamps with naphtha at a compensation of \$595 per month. The Common Council canceled the

said contract and the same was terminated on the 10th day of January, 1881. At the time of the cancellation of the contract the city was owing the company \$595 for December, \$173.80 for the nine days of January lighting subject to deductions for unlighted lamps. At such time there was also a claim made by the company that \$208 was still owing on the bill for August lighting. I have no doubt but that, if no further complications had arisen the city and the company would have settled and adjusted the matters in dispute. But soon after one Daniel O'Grady filed with the proper municipal officers a lien against the moneys owing by the city on said contract, claiming that the company was indebted to him thereon. Under the provisions of the statute said lien would expire in sixty days unless proceedings were by said lienor taken to enforce his lien. For some reason, nineteen days before the expiration of said lien an action was brought by the city against the company and O'Grady to determine the said lien. The said company and O'Grady answered and the issues were referred to a referee to hear, try and determine the said matter and to report to the city. I do not claim whatever on the moneys owing by the city, and held that the city was entitled to its costs, to be paid out of the money owing to the company by the city. In other words, while it was held that the gas company succeeded on the issues tried, it must nevertheless pay the costs of the action. From the judgment entered on the 5th of February the gas company appealed to the General Term and that appeal is still pending. At the first meeting of the Common Council held after the recovery of said judgment, the amount of costs in said action, being the sum of \$266.44, was ordered paid to Mr. Fanning, late City Attorney, and was in due course so paid. Soon after the said company brought the action first above referred to against the city. The action in which an appeal is pending did not in any way affect the question as to the amount owing on the contract by the city, and was in fact an unnecessary proceeding out of which has grown the unfortunate condition of things now existing. I deem it but justice to myself to say that for that action I am in no way responsible.

I am of the opinion that the judgment recovered against the city should be paid if such payment is received by the Gas Company in full satisfaction of all matters above referred to. While there is a possibility of the reversal of the judgment last recovered, there would be undoubtedly a recovery for nearly as much on another trial, which, with the additional cost would increase rather than diminish the ultimate liability.

Respectfully submitted,
J. N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

Referred to the Law Committee.

From the Excise Commissioners:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing Nov. 1st, 1883, and ending Nov. 30th, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, ale, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz:

Nov. 5:	
Callihan, John, 89 Front st.....	\$66 70
Helfer, Jacob, 52 Mill st.....	50 00
Bertru, Francis, 28 Warehouse st.....	50 00
Stiefel, Jacob, 26 Centre st.....	30 00
Heilman, Frank J., 86 E. Main st.....	50 00
Quanz, Geo. A., 214 Pinnacle ave.....	50 00
Sigl, John H., 17 N. Clinton st.....	50 00
Simpson, Catharine, 37 1/2 Lyell st.....	58 00
Minges, Frank A., 190 North Clinton st.....	50 00
Hauemuller, Fred. J., 146 St. Joseph st.....	50 00
Chambers, Wm., 78 Caledonia ave.....	30 00
Assman, Joseph, 22 South st.....	50 00
O'Leary, Wm., 126 South ave.....	50 00
Nov. 19:	
Ritzenthaler Bros., Maple and Ames sts.....	55 00
Galloway & Masury, 11 South St. Paul st.....	50 00
Nov. 19:	
Greunke, Wilhelm, 110 St. Joseph st.....	50 00
Ryan, Joseph M., N. Water st. and Central ave.....	58 00
Eckman, Peter, 208 North Clinton st.....	50 00
Smith, Homer, 10 Central ave.....	50 00
Wagner, Fred., 45 Child st.....	50 00
Mills, Gasper B., 56 Jay st.....	50 00
Nov. 26:	
Kase, George, Brown and W. Maple sts.....	50 00
Koib, Jacob, Central ave. and N. Clinton st.....	30 00
Hanna, John, Lime and Orchard sts.....	35 00
Hayde, Richard, 132 Fulton st.....	50 00
Johnson, Mary, 26 North Water st.....	20 00
Schuessler, Jacob, 119 North Clinton st.....	35 00

Total amount received and deposited with the
City Treasurer.....\$1,265 70

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HEIZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

Dated Nov. 30, 1883.

STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF MONROE, City of
Rochester, ss.

The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the
City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself
says, that the above report of persons licensed, the
date of the license and their respective places of bu-
siness, and the moneys received from them is in all
respects just and true, and that said report contains
a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys
received by them during the month of November,
1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HEIZBERGER
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of
November, 1883. MAURICE MOYNIHAN,
Com. of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Overseer of the Poor—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 11, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Roches-
ter:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the POOR
of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report
that during the month of November he has relieved
385 families in the following manner:

Orders on Poor Store.....	\$1 230 90
.. .. Coal yard.....	530 40
.. .. Undertakers.....	67 50
.. .. for transportation.....	4 35
.. .. Shoes.....	32 40
Total.....	\$1,855 73
Less amount charged towns.....	32 56
Total to city.....	\$1,823 22

All of which is respectfully submitted,
N. THOMPSON, Overseer of Poor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the commissioners in the matter of
opening a street from Reynolds street to Sew-
ard street:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of
Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, who were appointed
by order of the County Court of Monroe county, duly
granted and entered on the 18th day of September, 1883,
to inquire into and determine to what damages and
compensation the owners and occupants of the lands to
be taken for the opening of a street from Reynolds st.
to Seward st., in the City of Rochester, would be en-
titled, respectfully report and certify their award of
damages as incident to the opening of said street, as
follows:

The several pieces and parcels of land required for
said improvement are described as follows:

All that that tract or parcel of land described as fol-
lows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 27 as laid
down and designated on a map of the Rapids tract re-
corded in Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 66 of
Deeds, at page 11; thence westerly along the north
line of said lot No. 27, two hundred and twenty-one
and three-tenths (231.3) feet to the west line of said lot;
thence southerly along the west line of said lot No. 27,
twenty-five (25) feet; thence easterly along a line parallel
with the north line of said lot No. twenty-seven and
twenty-five feet distant southerly therefrom to the west
line of Seward street; thence northerly along the west
line of Seward street to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Eliza J. Calwell, of
Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as fol-
lows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. twenty-
six of the Rapids tract above referred to; thence run-
ning westerly along the north line of the Rapids tract
two hundred and sixty-four feet to the west line of lot
No. twenty-five of said tract; thence southerly along
the west line of said lot No. twenty-five of said tract
twenty-five feet; thence easterly along a line parallel
with the north line of the Rapids tract and twenty-five
feet distant southerly therefrom, two hundred and
sixty-four feet to the east line of lot No. twenty-six
thence northerly on the east line of lot No. twenty-six
twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Florence M. Fitch, of
Rochester, subject to a mortgage given by John Girvin
and wife to James P. Tumity, dated February third,
1880, recorded February 4th, 1880, in Liber 223 of mor-
gages at page 340, to secure the payment of one thousand

dollars with interest, which mortgage is now owned by
Eliza M. Reed of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as fol-
lows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Lot No. twenty-
four of the Rapids tract; thence westerly along the
north line of the Rapids tract two hundred and sixty-
four feet to the east line of Reynolds street; thence
southerly along the east line of Reynolds street twenty-
five feet; thence easterly on a line parallel with the
north line of the Rapids tract and twenty-five feet dis-
tant southerly therefrom, two hundred and sixty-four
feet to the east line of Lot No. twenty-four; thence
northerly on the east line of Lot No. twenty-four twen-
ty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by John A. Burgess, of
Rochester, subject to a mortgage given to the Monroe
County Savings Bank of Rochester to secure the pay-
ment of one thousand dollars, which mortgage bears
date April twenty-fourth, 1877, and is recorded in Mon-
roe County Clerk's office in Liber 107 of mortgages, at
page 478.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as fol-
lows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last above
described premises; thence easterly along the north
line of the Rapids tract two hundred and fifty-one
and three-tenths feet; thence northerly on a line parallel
with the east line of Reynolds street and two hundred
and fifty-one and three-tenths feet easterly therefrom,
twenty-five feet; thence westerly along a line parallel
with the north line of the Rapids tract and twenty-five
feet distant northerly therefrom, two hundred and
fifty-one and three-tenths feet to the east line of Rey-
nolds street; thence southerly along the east line of
Reynolds street twenty-five feet to the place of begin-
ning.

These premises are owned by Mary E. Briggs of Roch-
ester, subject to a mortgage to Henry B. Hathaway and
Charles Gordon, recorded in Monroe County Clerk's office
in Liber 220 of mortgages at page 52, to secure any in-
debtedness of Briggs Brothers and Company to Hatha-
way and Gordon, also subject to a mortgage to Asa T.
Soule to secure the sum of twelve thousand dollars,
which mortgage is recorded in Monroe County Clerk's
office in Liber 247 of mortgages at page 230.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as fol-
lows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot D, as desig-
nated on a map of the Rosenblatt and Lowenthal sub-
division of a part of the Strong tract, recorded in the
Monroe County Clerk's office; thence running easterly
along the south line of said lot D, thirty-three feet;
thence northerly on the east line of said lot, twenty-
five feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the
south line of said lot D, and twenty-five feet distant
northerly therefrom thirty-three feet; thence southerly
along the west line of said lot D, twenty-five feet to the
place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Rosa M. Hauratty, sub-
ject to a mortgage to secure the payment of ten dollars
and ninety cents, recorded in Monroe County Clerk's
office in Liber 160 of mortgages at page 407, and now own-
ed by Norman H. Galusha.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as fol-
lows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of Lot C. of the
Rosenblatt and Lowenthal subdivision; thence easterly
along the south line of said Lot C, thirty-three feet;
thence northerly along the east line of said lot twenty-
five feet; thence westerly on a line parallel with the
south line of Lot C., and twenty-five feet distant north-
erly therefrom, thirty-three feet; thence southerly
along the west line of said Lot C. twenty-five feet to the
place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Charles Young, of Roch-
ester, subject to a mortgage to secure the payment of
eleven hundred dollars which mortgage is recorded in
Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 180 of mor-
gages at page 477, and which is now owned by Norman
H. Galusha; also subject to a mortgage recorded in
Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 108 of mortgages
at page 478 to secure the payment of eleven hundred
and six cents. This mortgage is owned by Gustave
May.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as fol-
lows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of Lot B. of the Ro-
senblatt and Lowenthal subdivision; thence easterly
along the south line of said Lot B, thirty-three feet;
thence northerly on the east line of said Lot B, twenty-
five feet; thence westerly on a line parallel with the
south line of said lot and twenty-five feet distant north-
erly therefrom thirty-three feet; thence southerly along
the west line of said lot twenty-five feet to the place of
beginning.

These premises are owned by William H. Davis, of
Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as fol-
lows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot A, of the
Rosenblatt and Lowenthal subdivision; thence easterly

along the south line of said lot thirty-three feet; thence northerly along the east side of said lot twenty-five feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the south line of said lot and twenty-five feet distant northerly therefrom thirty-three feet; thence southerly along the west line of said lot twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Martin O'Brien, subject to a mortgage to the Security Loan Association of Rochester to secure the payment of five hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the premises last above described; thence southerly along the east line of said lot A, twenty-five feet; thence easterly along the south line of the Strong tract fifty feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot A, and fifty feet distant easterly therefrom twenty-five feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the south line of the Strong tract, and twenty-five feet distant northerly therefrom fifty feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by John H. Foley, subject to a mortgage to the Rochester Savings Bank to secure the payment of five hundred dollars.

Also all that tract and parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the last above described premises, thence southerly on the east line of said last described premises twenty-five feet; thence easterly along the south line of the Strong tract thirty-eight and twenty-five one-hundredths feet; thence northerly on a line parallel with the east line of the last described premises, and thirty-eight and twenty-five one-hundredths feet easterly therefrom, twenty-five feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the south line of the Strong tract and twenty-five feet northerly therefrom, thirty-eight and twenty-one one-hundredths feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Michael J. Hyland, subject to a mortgage to the Security Loan Association of Rochester, to secure the payment of fourteen hundred and seventy dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the last above described premises, thence easterly along the south line of the Strong tract two hundred and seventy-seven and seventy-five one-hundredths feet to the west line of Seward street; thence northerly along the west line of Seward street twenty-five feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with south line of the Strong tract, and twenty-five feet northerly therefrom, two hundred and seventy-seven and seventy-five one-hundredths feet; thence southerly on a line parallel with the west line of Seward street and two hundred and seventy-seven and seventy-five one-hundredths feet westerly therefrom, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

Those premises are owned by Michael Farley of Rochester, subject to a mortgage on part of them to Ann C. Gates to secure the payment of three hundred dollars.

Therefore, we, the subscribers, having been duly sworn, as provided by the statute in such case made and provided, and having all met and acted upon the matter submitted to us at the City Attorney's Office, at the City Hall building Rochester, N. Y., pursuant to a notice of at least ten days published and given according to law, and having taken a view of every part of the premises affected by this proceeding, and having enquired into and heard the allegations and proof of the respective parties in interest, do determine and approve the damage which the several owners and occupants of the premises thus to be taken for the opening of said street will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, and do award the full amount of such damage, and fix the compensation which each of the aforesaid owners and occupants shall receive as follows:

To Eliza J. Calwell, twenty-five hundred dollars, payable to Eliza J. Calwell.

To Florence M. Fitch, one dollar, payable to Eliza M. Reid, mortgagee.

To John A. Burgess, one dollar, payable to the Monroe County Savings Bank, mortgagee.

To Mary T. Briggs, one dollar, payable to Hathaway & Gordon, mortgagee.

To Rosa M. Hauratt, one dollar, payable to Norman H. Galusha, mortgagee.

To Charles Young, one dollar, payable to Norman H. Galusha, mortgagee.

To William H. Davis, one dollar, payable to William H. Davis.

To Martin O'Brien, one dollar, payable to the Security Loan Association of Rochester, mortgagee.

To John H. Foley, one dollar, payable to the Rochester Savings Bank, mortgagee.

To Michael J. Hyland, one dollar, payable to the Security Loan Association of Rochester, mortgagee.

To Michael Farley, two hundred and eighty dollars, of which one dollar is payable to Ann C. Gates, mortgagee, and the remainder payable to Michael Farley.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

L. H. HOVEY,
N. L. BUTTON,1883.

Dated Rochester, N. Y., December 11, 1883.
I concur in the above report, except so far as it determines the damage and fixes the compensation to be paid to Eliza J. Calwell at twenty-five hundred dollars.

I determine the damage and fix the compensation to be paid to said Eliza J. Calwell at sixteen hundred dollars.
J. P. TUMILTY.

Dec. 11, 1883.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners to appraise the damages to be paid for the taking of lands for a new street from Seward street to Reynolds street, be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council to be held December 26th, 1883, at the Common Council chamber. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw orders on the City Treasurer, as follows: In favor of Luther H. Hovey, chairman of the commission, for eighty-one (\$81) dollars in full of fees of commissioners Hovey Button and Tumilty in the matter of the opening of a street from Reynolds street to Seward street; and in favor of G. F. Slocum for forty and 50-100 dollars, in full for searches made of the title to the property to be taken for the opening of said street, and disbursements, payable from Contingent Fund, and that the Treasurer charge and carry said aggregate sum of one hundred and twenty-one dollars and fifty cents to the fund for the opening of a street from Reynolds street to Seward street, when created, as part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Sonthard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Archer—

ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 11th, 1883.

To the Law Committee of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—My connection with the construction and management of the Water Works of this city has necessarily made me very familiar with the litigations arising therefrom and the quality and character of the resulting legal labor. The recent large addition to the number of this class of cases is my excuse for this communication.

During the last two or three years the regular business of the City Attorney's office has largely increased in consequence of the very rapid growth of the city, the appointment of numerous commissioners for opening new streets and widening and extending old ones; the changes due to the elevation of the tracks of the N. Y. C. & H. R. Railroad, the extension of new railroads into the city and the increase of suits against the city in consequence of assumed damage from the present outlet sewers.

In addition to the large increase of regular business arising from the causes above enumerated, the City Attorney now has charge of the defense in the following named suits now pending against the city on account of the construction and operation of its Water Works as follows:

Name of Claimant.	Amount of Claim.
Daniel Runkle	\$ 26,000
Jas. A. Stillman	5,000
Pierce Bros.	15,000
Carl Baos	15,000
Frank A. Booth	10,000
Pride Bros.	15,000
A. C. Smith	15,000
Geo. R. Smith	75,000
Hunt Bros.	5,000
Amos Lotce	10,000
A. T. Smith	15,000
A. W. Townsend	15,000
E. E. Bond	10,000
Neal Bros.	25,000

This is a total of fourteen separate actions and involving claims amounting to \$246,000. In addition to these there are sixteen more suits of like character which will soon be commenced.

The preparation of the answers in these cases and of the cases themselves for trial, will require a vast amount of work of a clerical character, much of which

must be performed by a person of legal education and training.

In addition to the above, it is the intention of the attorneys for the city to immediately file petitions with the Court asking for the appointment of commissions in about thirty cases, the preparation and trial of which cases will also involve great labor.

I am clearly of the opinion that the City Attorney will and does now require considerable assistance of the character above indicated during the progress of these litigations.

I therefore earnestly recommend that in addition to his present salary of \$3,000 per annum, that you should allow the City Attorney the sum of \$166.66 per month for procuring such assistance in his office as he may deem necessary, during such time as may be deemed necessary, in consequence of the press of business indicated by the foregoing statement.

It is proper for me to state in conclusion that this recommendation is made by me upon my own motion, and not at the request or instigation of the City Attorney. Respectfully submitted,

J. NELSON TUBBS, Chief Eng. Water Works.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCE.

PLANK WALK ON EMERSON STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Emerson street.

Adopted.
The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$156.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a two-plank walk on the south side of Emerson street from Sherman street to a point opposite the east curb line of Sixth street; also, a two-plank walk on the north side of Emerson street from the east line of Sixth street to Eighth street.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$156, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the south side of Emerson street from Sherman street to a point opposite the east curb line of Sixth street, and one tier of lots on the north side of Emerson street from the east line of Sixth street to the east line of Eighth street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, December the 26th, 1883, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SHERMAN STREET PLANK WALK.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Sherman street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$142.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a 2-plank walk on the west side of Sherman street, from Bauer street to Emerson street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$142, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the west side of Sherman street from Bauer street to Emerson street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Dec. the 26th, 1883, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

HURON STREET PIPE SEWER.

By Ald. Simmellink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Huron street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$685.

By Ald. Simmellink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer, 12 inches in diameter, in Huron street, from the sewer in Scio street, to a point 126 feet west of Hebard street.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$683 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Huron street from Scio street to a point 126 feet west of Hebard street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., of section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend at the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Dec. the 26th, 1883, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,561.

OPENING AND EXTENDING MARIA STREET.

On motion of Ald. Southard, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Southard submitted the following:

An Ordinance to open and extend Maria street, from its present southerly terminus to the street known as Klingler street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:
The opening and extension of Maria street, of its present width, from its present southerly terminus, to the street known as Klingler street, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor is lot No. 20, of Klingler and Leidecker's subdivision of the A. G. Smith tract.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$359.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the west side of Maria street as at present, and as proposed to be opened, from Clifford street to Klingler street, and one tier of lots on the east side of Maria street, as at present opened, from Clifford street to the south end of Maria street, as opened; also, lot No. 11, adjoining lot No. 20 on the east side.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, reher, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hind, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simme link—16.

The final ordinance to construct a wrought iron foot bridge across the canal on Exchange street came up. Ald. Bronson presented a remonstrance and moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to improve Mt. Hope avenue came up. Ald. Rice moved it be postponed until the last meeting in February. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on Silver street came up. Ald. Felsing moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a stone sewer in Strong street and Jefferson avenue came up. Ald. Foley moved to amend by striking out all that portion of Strong street west of Jefferson avenue. Adopted.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENTS.

By Ald. Bronson—

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GE. LEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,532, for North and South Francis street, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$24,410.07.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,592.

IMPROVING NORTH AND SOUTH FRANCIS STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 24th day of July, 1882, enact an ordinance for improving North and South Francis street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$24,410.07, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North Francis street, from Brown street to West avenue; also one tier of lots on each side of South Francis street, from West avenue to Cady street.

Therefore, Resolved—That the sum of \$24,410.07, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,546, for Central park plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,513.34.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,546.

CENTRAL PARK PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 18th day of Sept., 1883, enact an ordinance for plank walk on Central park.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,513.34 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows: One tier of lots on each side of Central park from Union street to Goodman street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,513.34, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 15th day of Dec., 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 10th, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,537, for Second avenue plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$680.71.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,537.

PLANK WALK ON SECOND AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 7th day of Aug., 1883, enact an ordinance for a plank walk on Second ave.

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$680.71, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows: One tier of lots on each side of Second ave., from Pennsylvania ave. to Bay st.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$680.71, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 15th day of Dec., 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y. Dec. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,546, for Wadsworth street plank walk, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to for the use of its funds is \$133.36.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN,
Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,548.

WADSWORTH STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 2d day of October, 1883, enact an ordinance for a plank walk on Wadsworth street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$133.36, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the north side of Wadsworth street from Hudson street to North street, in front of which said street was constructed.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$133.36, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,517, for Mill street stone sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of funds, is \$5,304.50.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,517.

STONE SEWER IN MILL STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 10th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for a stone sewer in Mill street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$5,304.50, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common

Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Mill street, from Center street to a point 55 feet north of Mumford street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$5,304.50, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage of each, which shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 10th, 1883.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,547, for Cambridge street plank walk has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$162.42.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,547.

CAMBRIDGE STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 2d day of October, 1883, enact an ordinance for a plank walk on Cambridge street

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$162.42, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the east side of Cambridge street, from Park avenue to 150 feet north of Brighton avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$162.42, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage of each, which shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessor, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,539, for North St. Paul street improvement Nov. 2, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,729.37.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,539.

NORTH ST. PAUL STREET IMPROVEMENT No. 2.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 4th day of September, 1883, enact an ordinance for the improvement of North St. Paul street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,729.37, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of that portion of North St. Paul street improved, from Franklin street to Atwater street, now known as Central avenue.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$2,729.37, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lands and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkins, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Archer moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to postpone balloting until the next meeting.

Lost by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Foley, Rice, Kelly—6.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—10.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

Ald. Kelly moved to postpone further balloting until the next meeting. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson moved to appoint an Assessor in place of Wm. Maher, whose term of office expires Dec. 31, 1883. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson nominated Wm. Maher.
Ald. Pitkin nominated Luther A. Pratt.
Wm. Maher was named by Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Kelly—9.

Luther A. Pratt was named by Ald. Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—5.

Wm. Maher was declared appointed Assessor.
Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Wm. G. Raines, Milton A. Brown, James Robinson, 7th ward, G, T. King, Charles Enders, Seth S. Terry, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly in the chair.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, In extending the electric light through West Main street it was necessary to place an electric lamp at the corner of West Main and Fitzhugh streets, a short distance from the Cogswell fountain, and thereby making gas lights around the fountain superfluous; therefore

Resolved, That the Rochester Gas Light Co. be directed to discontinue lighting the four lamps adjacent to the Cogswell fountain.

Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a communication from M. Marsh relating to taxes and assessments and moved it be referred to the assessment committee. Adopted.

Ald. Rice moved to reconsider the resolution adopted at the last meeting of the Council on page 263 of the current proceedings relating to appointment of a new commission in the matter of extending Pinnacle avenue.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—9.

Nays—Ald. Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley, Kelly—5.

Ald. Rice then moved that it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presents several tax bills of Thos. Moulson and moved their reference to the Assessment Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to issue the city's notes for the sum of two hundred forty-five thousand four hundred and twenty-five dollars, for a time not exceeding one year, to pay interest and bonds due January 1st and February 1st, 1884, and for advances made on local assessments, as authorized by section 81, City Charter; the same to be issued when necessary, and all notes to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, W son, Archer Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Hinds—

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
OFFICES, CITY HALL, Dec. 10, 1883. }

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The final estimates passed upon and approved by this Board at the meeting of this date, and the payments to be made therefor are as follows, viz:

	Cash.	Notes.
Central avenue improvement.....	\$2,261 26	\$4,522 50
Park avenue and Culver st. sewer...	35 16	1,470 34
Oakman st. sewer cleaning.....	597 65	
Mt. Vernon avenue sewer.....	197 00	

Amount payable in cash..... \$3,141 07

Amount payable in notes..... \$5,992 84

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is directed under the direction of the Finance Committee, to procure the note of the city for five thousand dollars; said note to be countersigned by the Chairman of the Finance Committee and the discount

charged to Contingent Fund; and the proceeds to pay for local improvement estimates passed December 10th, 1883, by the Executive Board.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Hinds—

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The street pay roll for the current week will nearly exhaust the amount placed to the credit of the highway fund. Please make necessary provision for the requirement of this department, and oblige Executive Board.

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ald. Hinds presented the following and asked the Clerk to read :

CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1883. }

Byron Holly, Esq., Chairman of the Executive Board :

DEAR SIR—I am asked by the Executive Board my opinion as to the following:

Can the Common Council require the Executive Board to file with the report of its proceedings a statement showing the names of all persons employed by said board, with nature of work done and number of days employed, and the price paid?

Section 143 of the charter is as follows :

"All the lawful expenses of the said (Executive) board, and all the accounts and demands lawfully contracted by that board shall be examined, audited and settled and then certified by the Clerk of all charges made, and the same shall be paid by the Common Council out of the proper funds raised for the Executive Board, excepting that moneys to be disbursed for labor to the amount of not more than one thousand five hundred dollars in any one week may be drawn by orders or warrants made by the Executive Board directly upon the City Treasurer, who shall pay the same when there are funds for that purpose."

Section 153 of the charter, among other things, contains the following provisions :

"Any member of said board may be removed by the Common Council for official misconduct by a vote of two thirds of the members elected to said Council, but notice in writing shall be given of the charges made, and he shall have an opportunity of being heard in his defence. The said board shall make monthly reports to the Common Council of their expenditures and the condition of the funds under their control. They shall keep a record of their proceedings and of all receipts and expenditures, which shall be published in at least one copy of the report of the said city, on the 1st day of June in each year the said board shall present to the Common Council a statement of the moneys needed by said board for the fiscal year, specifying the purposes for which it shall be used. It shall be the duty of the Common Council, after receiving such statement, to raise such money as the Common Council may deem necessary for the said board, with other general city taxes. Such moneys and the moneys received for water rates and the use of water shall only be paid out by the order of the Common Council on the certified resolutions or orders of the said Executive Board, except as otherwise provided."

Section 40 provides that the Common Council shall have the management and control of the fiscal and prudential affairs of the city, and that said Common Council may make such orders and resolutions relating to the same as it may deem proper and necessary.

Section 40 directs that the Common Council shall at its first regular meeting in each year, or as soon as practicable, select one daily newspaper published in said city for publication of the proceedings, resolutions and ordinances of the Common Council and of the Executive Board of said city.

As the Common Council has the management of the fiscal affairs of the city, and has power to make such orders and by-laws relating to the same as such Common Council shall deem proper and necessary, as the funds disbursed by the Executive Board, excepting water rates, are raised by the authority of the Common Council, as the expense of the publication of the proceedings is provided for by the act of the Common Council, as the Executive Board is required to keep a record of its receipts and expenditures and to publish the same at the expense of the city, as the Common Council must exercise its discretion as to the amount of money needed to be furnished for its payment by the Executive Board, and as the proper exercise of such discretion requires a knowledge on the part of the Common Council as to the wages paid, the number of employees in each department and the amount of work done, I am of the opinion that the Common Council can require the said board to publish a record in detail of its

receipts and expenditures as set out in said enquiry.
J. N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Hinds called the attention of the Council to the resolution passed October 30th, directing the Executive Board to publish the names of all employees of said Board, and also the resolution passed Nov. 13th, directing the Executive Board to report to the Council a detailed statement of the amount expended during the past three months upon improved streets and avenues, and moved that the communication be received, filed and published and tabled until the next meeting.

Ald. Archer moved to amend "and that the Executive Board be directed to report at the next meeting."

Accepted by Ald. Hinds.

The motion of Ald. Hinds was then carried.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of Charles E. Kruger for permission to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—On the afternoon of the 13th instant the factory of the undersigned, situated at 91 North Water street, was flooded by water from the street, and we thereby were damaged to the extent of at least \$250.00. We claim that that damage was the result negligence on the part of the city in not providing adequate facilities for taking the water from the streets to the sewers.

During rain storms the water from Andrew street, west of North St. Paul, rushes westerly down the hill till it reaches Water street, where, not meeting laterals sufficient to carry it off, it dashes over to the factory of the undersigned and does more or less damage.

The city authorities have been notified before of this state of facts, but have not remedied it, and we claim the city, therefore, is liable to us for our loss. We submit our claim to you, respectfully requesting such action on your part as may tend to its speedy adjustment.

THE P. COX SHOE MANUFACTURING CO.
June 26th, 1893.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Archer—Whereas, Certain property located on South Alexander street, Rochester, N. Y., known as lot No. 438, assessed to Maggie Yattau, was duly sold for the general tax for 1880 and bid in by the city of Rochester for the sum of seventy-two dollars and ninety-two cents, (\$72.92.) It is, upon the statement of the City Treasurer, that all other taxes have been paid.

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be authorized to accept the sum of \$72.92, with interest thereon at six per cent. per annum, in full of said tax, and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he hereby is directed to draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of the National Gas Light Company of the City of New York, or its duly authorized attorney, for one thousand three hundred and one dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$1,301 27), upon the certificate by the City Attorney being filed with him to the effect that there has been delivered to such City Attorney a proper discharge of the judgment docketed against the City of Rochester in favor of the said Gas Light Company for \$1,301 27 in Monroe County Clerk's office, and a proper discharge of all claim in and the discontinuance of the action, "The City of Rochester against the National Gas Light Company of the City of New York and Daniel O'Grady," and charge Contingent Fund. On motion of Ald. Archer postponed two weeks.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Hugh

E. Stuart for permission to erect a wood building, and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, to whom the matter of the Board of Health relating to dilapidated buildings on Pine alley, offered and referred by Alderman Bronson at the last meeting of the Board, reports that I have examined the buildings belonging to the heirs of F. McMahon and E. C. Proctor and M. F. Nettleton, and found the same in a miserable, filthy and out of repair condition, and in the present condition unfit for human habitation, and the owners should be ordered to repair the buildings or take the same down.

All of which is respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM CARROLL, Fire Marshal.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Fire Marshal notify the owners of said buildings to cleanse and repair the buildings and put a sewer from the cellars so as to properly drain the premises; and if the owners refuse to repair and drain the same, the Fire Marshal shall report the same for future action of this Board. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson presented the following assessment rolls:

Brooks avenue plank walk.
Tappan street sewer, sec. 2.
Klingler and Widman street sewer.
Hawthorne street flag walk.
Hawthorne street improvement.
Chili avenue and Briggs place sewer.
Genesee street sewer.
Child street plank walk.
Third street plank walk.
Wesley street plank walk.
Church street improvement.
Maria street pipe sewer.
West Maple street sewer.
Genesee street plank walk.
Hamilton place flag walk.
Monroe avenue outlet sewer.
Pleasant street sewer.
Weiger street sewer.
East avenue sewer.
East Sellinger street sewer.
Bay street sewer.
Moulson street plank walk.
Locust street sewer.
Pindell alley sewer cleaning.
Frederick street plank walk.
Mason street plank walk.
Olean and Hunter street sewer.
Genesee street improvement.
North St. Paul street sewer.
Brighton avenue flag walk.
Sherman street sewer.
Alexander street improvement,
Whitmore park plank walk.
Thomas park plank walk.
Child street plank walk.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the foregoing assessment rolls be and the same are hereby confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelmink—14.

Ald. Jeffords moved to reconsider the confirmation of the assessment roll for improving Alexander st. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords moved that the assessment roll for improving Alexander st. be referred back to the assessors. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, The firm of H. Michaels & Co. was assessed for the Genera

City Tax of 1883 for personal property on a valuation five thousand dollars, while there was in fact no such firm at the time; and,

Whereas, H. Michaels, of the city of Rochester, will pay on a valuation of two thousand dollars, the tax against said H. Michaels & Co.; and,

Whereas, H. Michaels is not subject to an assessment upon more than two thousand dollars of personal property,

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to receive from H. Michaels the sum of \$55.29, and cancel the tax against H. Michaels & Co. of \$5,000 of personal property and charge balance of said tax to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Clerk is hereby directed to draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of Mary Kuichling for (\$14.06) fourteen dollars and six cents, the said Mary Kuichling being the owner of lot 12 of the C. A. Davis tract, on Hollister street, said amount being the sum paid by her for the assessment on said lot for the Channing street sewer, said lot receiving no benefit therefrom and not being included in the resolution heretofore adopted for the refunding of said erroneous assessment, and charge erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Alderman Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 5 of the Emerson and Wilson tract, Summer street, 8th ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Dec. 8th, 1883, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$37.60 with expenses and interest in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1883. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Wm. H. Emerson, viz.: Lot No. 5, Emerson & Wilson tract, west side of Summer street, 8th Ward, 16 feet front, 46 feet rear, and 75 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, the sum of \$27.60 upon the payment of which less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKE STEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Ald. Bronson gave notice that at the next regular meeting of the Common Council he would move that the wires of the Electric Light companies, the Telephone company and the Telegraph companies, in the corporate limits of the city of Rochester, be placed and maintained underground.

By Ald. Collins—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

The Rochester City & Brighton R. R. Company respectfully ask the consent and permission of your honorable body to place, operate and maintain a turn-table at the junction of West Main and Fitzhugh streets.

P. BARRY, President.

Ordered, received, filed and published.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Rochester City and Brighton Railroad Company be and is hereby granted consent and permission

to place, operate and maintain a turn table at the junction of West Main and Fitzhugh streets upon the filing with the Clerk of the City of Rochester, an agreement on the part of said company with the City of Rochester to maintain and operate the same in connection with some part of the lines of the company now using the turn table at the junction of State, West Main and Exchange streets, and keep the street within three feet thereof in perfect repair for public use during the existence of the company. Adopted.

The chair announced the select committee on foot bridges over the Erie canal as follows: Ald. Kelly, Collins, Bronson, Foley, Felsing. The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—December 17th, 1883.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in the chair.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmeling—14.

Absent—Ald. Hinds, Rice—2.

The Clerk submitted the following:

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 15, 1883. }

F. N. Lord, Esq., City Clerk:

Please call a special meeting of the Common Council for Monday morning, December 17th, 1883, at eleven o'clock, that said Board may take into consideration the following communication:

"Gentlemen of the Common Council:

"My attention has been directed to the fact that at your meeting held on Tuesday evening last the following communication was presented:

"By Ald. Hinds:

"To the Finance Committee of the Common Council: "GENTLEMEN—The street pay-roll for the current week will nearly exhaust the amount placed to the credit of the Highway fund. Please make necessary provision for the requirement of this department, and oblige Executive Board.

"THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk."

No action was taken on the above communication, and the Executive Board, without money to the credit of the highway fund, has been compelled to discharge the men formerly employed upon the streets. This has produced great hardship. The storms and the severity of winter are upon us, and prompt action is necessary to relieve distress and maintain as well the reputation of our city for cleanliness and healthfulness. While matters of difference among municipal officers are likely to occur at any time, none of us have a right to allow the same to proceed so far as to cause the innocent to suffer, and drive worthy people and men willing to work to the poor master for the purpose of obtaining the necessities of life. This, in many instances, is the condition of things, and it matters not where the responsibility rests. One thing seems imperative, and that is, your board should take immediate action and provide the necessary funds. Every interest of the city demands it, and there is no economy or justice in further delaying action.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS, Mayor.

Ald. Kelly moved, that the members of the Executive Board be invited to make an explanation in relation to the subject before the Board. Adopted.

Mr. Holley, Chairman of the Executive Board, replied—by referring the Council to the following communication, which he said contained all the explanations the Executive Board had to make.

Hon. C. R. Parsons, Mayor:

SIR: In response to your communication bearing date Dec. 14th, '83, this board would submit the following: The clerk of the city has filed with us cer-

In Common Council, Dec. 17, 1883.

tified copies of resolutions passed by the Common Council. One of these resolutions calls for a detailed statement of the amount expended by us "during the past three months upon the streets and avenues of the city which are improved." As regards this resolution, we would say that our weekly published reports, made in accordance with law, contain all the items called for, and a glance at such published statement is all, in our judgment, that is necessary for you to obtain the fullest information in regard to this class of work. We have never refused to comply with Ald. Hinds' resolution, nor have we violated any law by which we are governed. Our Clerk, however, has been directed to prepare a report in accordance with the Alderman's wishes, and the same will be completed without unnecessary delay. Another of the resolutions referred to directs the Executive Board to publish monthly in the proceedings of this board the names of all its employees "who shall have been employed during the preceding month, with the nature of the employment, the number of days of labor rendered by each and the amount paid therefor." Legally, as we are informed, the Common Council has no right to insist any such action, but in dismissing this fact for a moment, we would say that to comply with the terms of Ald. Foley's resolution would involve an expense greater than this board, in justice to the taxpayers, would feel warranted in incurring. We are told by authority that cannot be questioned, that it is extremely doubtful if the contracts with the printers of Rochester for printing any of the several other papers holding similar contracts, the aggregate expenses of this extra labor can be easily computed. The pay rolls of this department and all the books connected with our branch of the city government are at all times open to the inspection of the Board of Aldermen, every city official, and every citizen, and the careful attention of all interested, is hereby called to this statement. A respectful request from the Common Council that duplicate copies of this Board's several pay rolls be filed from time to time with the City Clerk or transmitted to that body for such action as it may see fit to make respecting them will be most cheerfully complied with. As regards a suspension of work to which you have referred, we would say that the highway fund is practically exhausted, and under the provision of the charter no course was left open to us but to discharge the men and cease operations. At a meeting of the Common Council held on Tuesday last the following communication from our board was presented:

"To the Honorable the Common Council:
 "GENTLEMEN: The street pay roll for the current week will nearly exhaust the amount placed to the credit of the highway fund. Please make necessary provision for the requirements of this department, and oblige Executive Board.
 "THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk."

To the above communication, more than the reading of the same, no attention was paid, and the Common Council having failed to act on the timely notice given by us, with it rests the responsibility for the present condition of affairs.

After remarks by Ald. Foley, Kelly and Barron, Ald. Barron moved that when the Board adjourn it be until this Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Adopted.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and hereby is, requested to present to this Board at the adjourned special meeting to be held at 8 o'clock, P. M., December 17th, 1883, a detailed statement showing the names of men employed by said Board, the nature of their employment, and the amount paid to each during the month of November, 1883.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The Board then adjourned.
 FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

ADJOURNED SPECIAL MEETING.

Ald. Barron, president of the Board, called the meeting to order.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Absent—Ald. Jeffords, Hinds—2.
 Ald. Kelly in the chair.

The Clerk submitted the following:
 From the Executive Board—

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER.
 Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 17, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In accordance with the direction of the Executive Board, and at the request of your Honorable Body, as presented in a communication received this day, I herewith transmit a copy of the pay rolls of the several departments in charge of this Board, for the month of November, 1883. And I hereby certify that each of said rolls is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.
 Respectfully,
 THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER.

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Copies of all the pay rolls for labor or service in the Water Works Department from November 1st, 1883, to November 29th, 1883.

OPERATING EXPENSES.

Names.	Service.	Time.	Am't.
J. Nelson Tubbs, engineer	5 weeks	\$37 53 \$287 65
E. Kuchling, engineer	5 "	88 36 191 50
T. Neville, clerk	5 "	34 52 172 60
F. E. Witherspoon, clerk	5 "	23 01 115 05
William N. Tubbs, clerk	5 "	19 13 95 90
J. Kavanagh, clerk	5 "	18 41 92 05
J. B. Davis, clerk	5 "	18 41 92 05
F. D. Ayers, clerk	5 "	17 26 86 50
P. H. Callahan, clerk	5 "	17 00 85 00
M. Race, clerk	5 "	17 00 85 00
M. W. Conway, clerk	2 "	15 00 80 00
L. W. Daus, clerk	5 "	6 00 30 00
C. W. Barnes, clerk	5 "	6 00 30 00
Geo. B. Harris, clerk	5 "	16 30 81 50
S. C. McKay, foreman	5 "	28 85 134 25
H. Jones, engineer pump house	5 "	28 75 143 80
H. G. Glen,	3 "	23 01 69 03
James Glavcy,	2 "	23 01 46 03
P. J. McCracken, keeper pump house	5 "	13 81 69 05
P. J. Healey, keeper pump house	5 "	13 81 69 05
D. S. Almsted, gate keeper	5 "	12 00 60 00
W. Mengerink, gate keeper	5 "	12 00 60 00
Alex. Gray, gate keeper	5 "	12 00 60 00
Thos. M. Blossom, gate keeper	5 "	12 00 60 00
R. Crennell, overseer	5 "	16 00 80 00
S. H. Oviatt, overseer	5 "	16 00 80 00

Service and Repairs.

P. C. Fleming, machinist	.....	5 weeks	18 00 90 00
L. T. Lidster, plumber	.....	5 "	16 50 82 50
H. Weber, inspector	.....	5 "	15 00 75 00
R. N. Wardell, flusher	.....	5 "	15 00 75 00
A. Knolles, inspector	.....	5 "	15 00 75 00
F. Curran, watchman	.....	5 "	15 00 75 00
W. H. Plant, repairing trenches	.....	5 "	15 00 75 00
C. N. Routier, service man	.....	5 "	13 50 67 50
P. McKenna,	.....	5 "	13 00 65 00
J. Gallagher,	.....	5 "	12 00 60 00
J. Lick,	.....	5 "	13 00 60 00
Jas. Smith,	.....	5 "	16 00 80 00
M. Dabelbeiss, tapper	.....	5 "	12 00 60 00
Wm. McCarthy, inspector	.....	4 "	12 00 60 00
C. B. Schlager,	.....	5 "	12 00 60 00
M. W. Conway,	.....	3 "	12 00 36 00
F. C. Holbrook,	.....	.....	21 00
F. McKenna, tool man	.....	5 "	11 50 57 50
M. Schneider, laborer	.....	5 "	11 50 57 50
G. F. Johnson, hostler	.....	5 "	11 50 57 50
T. McKenna, laborer	.....	5 "	10 50 52 50
P. Guinan,	.....	5 "	10 50 52 50
A. Burbott,	.....	5 "	10 50 52 50
Jas. Dowlon,	.....	5 "	9 00 45 00
J. Cox,	.....	5 "	9 00 45 00
C. Hawley,	.....	5 "	9 00 45 00
Wm. Smith,	.....	5 days	9 00
J. King, service man	.....	5 weeks	59 00
R. Thomas, laborer	.....	5 "	9 00 45 00
S. Wierth,	.....	3 "	9 00 27 00

J. Selberstein,	3	9 00	27 00
C. Greebel,	13 days		19 50
J. Sullivan,	1 day		1 50
C. Moffatt,	5 days		7 50
J. Rawlings, blacksmith	17 days		35 00
J. Swanton, cartman	7 1/2 days		30 00

Conduit Line Repairs.

W. Thompson, laborer	3 days	\$1 50	\$4 50
James Davidson,	3	1 50	4 50
John Noonan,	3	1 50	4 50
J. McDaniels,	2	1 50	3 50
C. Clow,		1 50	3 00
J. Broughton,	1 day	1 50	1 50
L. Broughton,	1	1 50	1 50
E. Cullen,	1	1 50	1 50
C. Nixon,	1	1 50	1 50
E. Yawman,	1	1 50	1 50
J. King,	1	1 50	1 50
S. Wilcox, teamster,	1	2 00	1 65
W. G. Starr, laborer, part of	2 days		1 65
G. F. Brown, laborer	1 day	2 00	2 00

Surveying Party on the Honeyoe Creek.

L. L. Nichols, surveyor	5 days	\$6 00	\$30 00
F. W. Tubbs, assistant	10	2 50	25 00
A. Gray, Jr.,	10	1 50	15 00

Water Pipe Extension.

R. J. Smith, engineer	5 w'ks	\$26 47	\$132 35
Geo. W. Rafter,	5	24 00	120 00
J. McMahon, inspector	5	18 00	90 00
W. A. Anderson,	5	18 00	90 00
T. H. Rogers, draughtsman	5	15 00	75 00
W. F. McCarthy, inspector	3	15 00	45 00
M. K. Gannon, pipe receiver	5	13 50	67 50
F. M. Hills, clerk	5		57 53

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PAY ROLL THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1883.

Names.	Service.	Time.	Comp'y.	Am't.
L. S. Gibson, Chief Depm't.		.30 days		\$166 67
Sam'l Bemish, Ass't				100 00
Jas. Malcomb,				50 00
P. J. Hartel, foreman	No. 1			75 00
Michael Lambert, driver				60 00
Edward H. Colbert, hoseman				60 00
John McDermott,				60 00
Geo. A. Mumford				60 00
F. A. Jaques, foreman	No. 2			70 00
Edgar F. Tobor, driver				60 00
J. B. Teller, hoseman				60 00
Chas. F. Weaver				60 00
J. H. Carey				60 00
John P. Popham, foreman	No. 3			75 00
F. R. McCord, driver				60 00
Andrew Nolan, hoseman				60 00
Leo. White				60 00
C. F. Gretton				60 00
Thos. Cole, foreman	No. 4.			70 00
Bernard Kersey, driver				60 00
G. E. Baker, hoseman				60 00
Thos. Irwin				60 00
Edward Engel				60 00
Nicholas Oldfield, foreman	Extr.			75 00
Ralph Pencilbury, pipeman				70 00
Edmund Barker, ass't				65 00
Joseph Dromel, driver				60 00
J. P. Forman, supt. hose	Dept.			70 00
G. E. Miller, ass't				60 00
Chas. Armstrong, driver	Prots.			60 00
M. S. Butler, driver				60 00
Geo. Whitbeck, driver				60 00
C. R. Finnegan, Supt. tel	Error			3 00
Joseph Ringiestein, foreman	Hook 1			144 65
Thomas W. Rice, Tillerman				75 00
James Snider, driver				65 00
P. O'Meara, ladderman				60 00
William Fogarty				60 00
Frank Huck				60 00
James H. Lynch				60 00
James Hayden				60 00
August Weigel				60 00
William Boon, foreman	Hook 2			75 00
Chas. Whitbeck, driver				60 00
Frank Spears, tillerman				65 00
Thomas Whitley, ladderman				60 00
John McCormick				60 00
Edward Huck				60 00
Sharon Sherman				60 00
James Lynch				60 00
Fred Howard				60 00
Joseph Ringiestein, extra	10 1/2			21 00

Name.	Kind of Service.	Time.	Price.	Am't.
Brasch, Valentine, carpenter		8 days		2 00
Brown, Jacob, laborer		21	1 25	26 25
Bowes, Patrick		6	1 25	7 50
Boylan, Patrick		4	1 25	5 00
Boylan, Hugh		6	1 25	7 50
Buschalic, Chas.		20 1/2	1 50	30 38
Buschalic, Henry		18 1/2	1 25	23 12
Buckley, Thomas		30 1/2	1 50	30 75
Bauerlein, Peter		21 1/2	1 37 1/2	29 22
Bauer, John		23	1 50	34 50
Buff, Michael		3	1 25	3 75
Bergan, John		19 3/4	1 50	29 63
Burbott, Geor e		15	1 50	22 50
Burns, Patrick		17 3/4	1 25	22 19
Birmingham, John		21 1/4	1 25	14 69
Bauer, William, bridge tender	4 weeks		1 25	26 56
Balsell, T. laborer	1 day		1 25	46 07
Ball, Patrick	12 1/2 days		1 25	1 25
Butler, John H.	1 day		1 25	1 25
Caverish, Joseph	10		1 25	12 50
Clancey, James	4 1/2		1 25	5 94
Cosgrove, Patrick	5		1 25	6 25
Cubitz, Ford	5		1 25	1 25
Cleary, Michael	1		1 25	1 25
Connell, Joseph	5		1 25	6 25
Coffey, Jas.	1		1 25	1 25
Cummins, John	7 3/4		1 25	9 69
Callan, John	2		1 25	1 25
Callahan, John	2		1 25	2 50
Connors, Lawrence	17		1 25	21 25
Coles, James	6		1 25	7 50
Callighan, John	11 3/4		1 25	14 69
Cochrane, Jerome	10		1 25	12 50
Clancey, Michael	12		1 25	15 00
Coggan, Dennis	8		1 25	6 25
Costello, John	16		1 50	24 00
Callihan, Thomas	15 1/4		1 25	19 06
Conack, John	1		1 25	1 25
Cramer, John	6 1/4		1 25	7 81
Cheesman, Geo., insp. of walks	23		2 00	46 00
Conway, Patrick, bridge tender	4 wks			46 04
Carroll, Wm. J.	4			46 04
Daly, James, laborer	7 days		1 25	8 75
Dowd, Geo. Patrick	3 1/2		1 25	4 37
Daly, John insp. s. w. r.	12		2 00	24 00
Daly, John laborer	4		1 25	5 00
Daly, Pat'k	4		1 25	5 00
Dougherty, Martin	4 1/2		1 25	5 94
Delaney, Patrick	23		1 25	28 75
Daus, Louis clerk	4 weeks			24 00
Darmon, Henry laborer	12 1/2 days		1 25	15 62
Devereaux, John	2 1/2		1 25	3 12
Eisenhauer, John	22		1 50	33 00
Emperor, John	4 1/2		1 25	5 94
Ementraut, Chas.	20 1/2		1 50	30 75
Freidel, Jos. foreman	4 weeks			84 00
Frankenberger, J. laborer	19 1/2 days		1 50	29 25
Feeley, James	3 1/2		1 25	4 37
Frank, Nicholas	16 3/4		1 25	21 94
Fitsch, Martin	18 1/2		1 25	23 13
Geib, John	23 1/2		1 50	35 25
Geib, Jacob	21 1/2		1 50	32 25
Gosnell, James	13 1/4		1 25	17 14
Gallagher, Domen	9		1 25	11 25
Gleason Wm.	7		1 25	8 75
Gaffney, Peter	3		1 25	3 75
Garvey, James	8		1 25	10 00
Gottschalk, Ferden	11 1/4		1 25	14 07
Glichauf, J. B.	1 day		1 25	1 25
Gerselek, Jos.	1		1 25	1 25
Holahan, James foreman	4 weeks			72 00
Hook, Alex'r bridge tender	4			46 04
Harris, Geo. B. clerk	4			65 30
Harrington, Dn'l laborer	8 days, \$1 25.			10 00
Hunt, George	13		1 25	16 25
Hepfer, Adam	14		1 25	17 50
Hennesy, Patrick	7		1 25	8 75
Hogan, Michael	16		1 25	20 00
Hokier, Lew	11 1/2		1 25	14 37
Hawkins, John	21 1/2		1 25	26 56
Hennesy, John	21 1/4		1 25	26 56
Hickey, John	19		1 25	23 75
Hunt, Wm.	3		1 24	3 75
Hugenberger, John	10		1 25	12 50
Hamilton, John	2		1 25	2 50
Holbrook, F. C s. w. ins	12		1 25	18 00
James, Wm. laborer	1		1 25	1 25
Jarvis, Henry	4		1 25	5 00
Kase, John B., carpenter	16		2 25	36 00
Kraft, William, toolman	25		2 25	47 45
Kavanagh, Michael, laborer	1		1 25	1 25
Kilpeck, Martin	22		1 50	33 00
Knocher, Joseph	15 3/4		1 25	19 69
Keller, Andrew	16		1 50	24 75
Kelly, Michael	5 1/4		1 25	7 19
Koehler, Frederick	22		1 25	29 91
Kuehn, John	4		1 25	5 00
Kosban, Herman	15 3/4		1 50	23 63
Knorr, John	15 1/4		1 25	19 69
Kanole, Thomas,	5		1 25	6 25

STREET DEPARTMENT PAY ROLL.
FROM NOV. 1ST TO NOV. 30TH, 1883.

\$9,485 33

Kelly, John, 1st	3	1 25	3 75
Kinney, Thomas	15 1/2	1 25	19 69
Kelly, Patrick	15	1 25	18 75
Koos, Peter	6	1 25	7 50
Kelly, John, No. 2	2	1 25	2 50
Klein, John	3	1 25	3 75
Kirby, Robert	16 1/2	1 25	20 62
Kuhn, Peter	13	1 25	19 50
Keegan, Hugh	1/2	1 25	62
Kenaly, John	3 1/2	1 25	4 37
Kenally, Patrick	2	1 25	3 75
Lany, Charles	5	1 25	6 25
Lueltry, Chas.	19 1/2	1 25	24 38
Leonard, Thomas	1	1 25	1 25
Lavis, John	4	1 25	5 00
Lennon, James	6	1 25	7 50
Love, Loyal	2	1 25	2 50
Leachworth, W.	13 1/2	2 25	54 00
McMahon, M. J., Supt. S. walks	24	2 00	41 50
McIntyre, Wm., paver	20 1/2	1 25	27 50
McMahon, John, laborer	22	1 25	28 06
McCarthy, Wm.	15 1/2	1 25	22 50
McInerney, John	18	1 25	8 75
McKale, Michael	7	1 25	20 63
McAvery, Barnard	7	1 25	18 75
McCarthy, Hugh	13 1/2	1 50	27 75
McCarthy, John 1st	15	1 25	1 00
McCarthy, John 2d	19	1 25	7 50
McCarthy, John 3d	4	1 25	3 25
McDermott, P.	6	1 25	5 25
McKenny, Jno.	1	1 25	54 03
McLain, Patk.	1	2 25	20 32
Moore, J. H. S. W. inspector	24	1 50	36 87
Mulligan, James, laborer	16 1/2	1 25	8 13
Moore, Samuel	21 1/2	1 25	9 69
Mulqueen, Mich.	6 1/2	1 25	24 06
Murphy, Patrick	7 1/2	1 25	6 25
Murphy, Patrick	7 1/2	1 25	7 19
Murphy, Wm.	19 1/2	1 25	3 75
Murphy, Jno.	5 1/2	1 25	10 00
McCarthy, Peter	5 1/2	1 50	12 37
Maloney, M.	3	1 25	5 62
Marker, Jacob	8	1 25	12 81
Miller, Jacob paver	8 1/2	1 25	5 94
McGuines, P. laborer	4 1/2	1 25	1 25
Mehni, Conrad	10 1/2	1 25	3 75
Miller, Geo	3	1 25	34 53
Mensier, Herman	4 1/2	1 25	7 50
Miller, Fred	1	1 25	9 69
Mauran, Patk.	3	1 25	5 63
Murphy, Patk., bridge tender	18	1 25	16 25
Maxwell, Jno. laborer	6	1 25	15 04
Mutz, Wen ell	7 1/2	1 25	31 13
Monchien, Jacob	4 1/2	1 25	7 50
Nolan, Andrew	13	1 25	8 44
Needham, Thomas	19	1 25	5 75
O'Brien, Terence	20 1/2	1 25	7 50
O'Brien, William	6	1 25	10 00
O'Brien, Michael	6	1 25	11 00
O'Donnell, Miles	8	1 25	7 50
Ott, Conrad	8	1 37 1/2	7 50
Oster, Jacob	6	1 25	6 25
O'Reilly, M.	5	1 25	6 25
Orchard, C. W.	6	1 25	8 44
Pyne, John	6 1/2	1 25	11 25
Pfeiffer, John	9	1 25	10 00
Payel, John	8	1 25	7 82
Painter, Robt.	6 1/2	1 15	8 44
Phalen, Wm.	6 1/2	1 25	5 75
Quinn, Edward	6	1 25	7 50
Quinn, Mathew	6	1 25	8 44
Reeder, Peter carpenter	21 1/2	2 00	42 50
Root, Jason laborer	25	1 50	35 00
Ryan, Michael	11	1 25	18 75
Ruby, Michael	4 1/2	1 25	5 94
Rittenbacher, Martin	19 1/2	1 50	29 25
Roth, Henry paver	15 1/2	2 00	37 00
Ryan, Thomas laborer	20	1 25	25 00
Reynolds, G.H. sup't of st's.	4 weeks	84 52	138 08
Rosney, Ed. foreman	4	1 80	72 00
Russell M. S.	21 1/2 days	2 00	43 50
Reynolds, H. laborer	4 1/2	1 25	5 62
Smith, John W. pilot s. roller	24	1 50	60 00
Steinhuser, W. J. clerk	4 days	21 10	84 40
Sullivan, Jeremia laborer	11 days	1 50	16 50
Scanlon, John	6	1 50	7 50
Sweetman, Rich'd	18	1 25	23 50
Scheurman, A.	8	1 25	10 00
Smith, John	11	1 25	13 75
Smith, Frederick	10 1/2	1 25	12 81
Smith, Owen	4	1 25	11 25
Sweeny, John	9	1 25	11 25
Siebert, Henry	9 1/2	1 25	12 19
Scheuer, Adam foreman	16 1/2	1 50	24 37
Skelly, Luke ass't	20 1/2	1 50	31 13
Sheridan, Thos., laborer	2	1 25	2 50
Schlag, Fred.	17 1/2	1 50	26 25
Seoville, Henry, bridge tender	4 weeks	11 51	46 04
Tate, James, laborer	6 days	1 25	7 50
Underhill, Geo., bridge tender	4 weeks	11 51	45 04
Welch, James, laborer	14 days	1 25	17 50
Weiser, John	10 1/2	1 25	13 44
Wyland, J. L., assist. foreman	18	1 50	27 00

Westberry, James, laborer	3	1 25	3 75
Whitbeck, Orrin, Eng. S. roller	24	2 50	60 00
Young, John, laborer	10 1/2	1 25	13 44
Zurn, Philip, bridge tender	1 week	11 51	11 51
Tobell, Michael, laborer	4 days	1 25	5 00
Webber, Jacob,	4	1 25	5 00
Weider, John,	1/2	1 25	0 63
Korswill, Thos., stone break- er, Lake ave.			8 70
Sullivan, Michael, laborer	8	1 25	3 75
Stockel, John	6	1 25	7 50

Teamsters.

Brown, Thomas	17 1/2 days	3 50	62 13
Beyer, Peter	22	3 50	77 00
Bradley, Patrick	20 1/2	3 50	72 63
Booth, R. A.	23 1/2	3 50	76 13
Commons, George	4	3 50	14 00
Crissy, George	11	3 50	38 50
Coic, George	19 1/2	3 50	69 13
Dirkes, Wm.	9	3 50	31 50
Eble, Joseph	16	3 50	56 00
Emerson, Wm. N.	5	3 50	17 50
Barty, Peter	18	3 50	63 00
Hox, Wm.	20	3 50	70 00
Hollis, Wm.	19 1/2	3 50	68 25
Holahan, Thos.	21 1/2	3 00	65 25
Kennedy, John	19 1/2	3 50	69 13
Kelly, Dennis	21 1/2	3 50	76 13
Krug, Henry	20	3 50	70 00
Mason, Mart.	15	3 50	52 50
McLain, Wm	23	3 50	79 00
Prince, Peter	14 1/2	3 50	51 63
Roe, Rowland	14	3 50	49 00
Roe, Rowland	21 1/2	3 00	65 25
Ransom, John	20 1/2	3 50	72 63
Rosney, Patrick	21	3 50	73 50
Rickard, Robert	19 1/2	3 50	69 13
Reche, John	19 1/2	3 50	69 13
Smith, Hugh	21	3 50	73 50
Slattery, John	18 1/2	3 50	65 63
Seeger, George	21	3 50	73 50
Ward, Frank	20 1/2	3 50	72 63
Wehrung, Henry	1	3 50	3 50
Zimmer, Wm. C.	19 1/2	3 50	69 13

Ald. Archer moved that the pay rolls be received, filed and published and referred to the finance committee for investigation. Adopted.

Ald. Barron, in connection with the subject before the Board, called the attention of the Council to the communication of the City Treasurer, submitted at the last regular meeting and published at page 267 current proceedings, in relation to the payment by the Executive Board of a portion of the cost of the Lyell avenue lift bridge, and Lyell avenue lift bridge approaches, from the highway fund, and presented the following:

By Ald. Barron—

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby directed to inquire into the legality of the transfer of \$1,484.83 by the Executive Board from the highway fund to the fund for Lyell street bridge and approaches, over the amount of the estimate for the construction thereof, and report to this Board at its next regular meeting what action this Board ought to take in reference thereto. Adopted.

Ald. Barron suggested that the finance committee present a resolution directing the issue of the city's note for \$7,500, the proceeds to be credited to the highway fund, and that the Mayor be requested to approve immediately of so much of the proceedings as relates to the highway fund, in order that work on the streets may be commenced Tuesday morning.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to make the city's note for seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500), get the same discounted, and place the proceeds thereof to the credit of the highway fund, discount to be charged to the contingent fund, and said note to be counter-signed by the chairman of the finance committee.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Ald. Watson, by unanimous consent, presented the petition of E. S. Ettenheimer for permission to erect a wood building on Sycamore street, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal.—Adopted.

The President announced the select committee on the outlet sewer on the east side of the river as follows:

Ald. Archer, Watson, Simmelink, Pitkin, Messrs. John Bower, John Fahy, D. T. Hunt, Louis Ernst, Dr. E. M. Moore, J. N. Beckley, O. H. Peacock, J. Nelson Tubbs, Emil Kuichling.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—December 26th, 1883.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in the chair.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Strouss, Hinds, Rice—3.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meetings, Dec. 11th and 17th, 1883, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

Williamson & Higbie, stationery, City Attorney.	\$ 43 23
.. Treasurer.	16 40
.. Municipal Court, Surveyor	23 75
Geo. F. Flannery, printing for Treasurer.	14 00
Chas. W. Carroll, serving redemption notices.	96 00
John H. McCall, services City Attorney's office	42 20

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Collins presented a petition for electric lights on Basin street. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Pierre Gagnier for permission to erect a wood building on Clifford street. Permission was granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned Supervisors in and for the several wards of our city, would respectfully represent that against their united and most strenuous opposition, sixty per cent. of our State and County taxes has been imposed upon our city.

From a careful examination of the facts we are satisfied that the proceeding was not only unjust to our citizens, but illegally imposed, and may be set aside, if your Honorable Body will authorize the proper proceedings.

It is believed that we can satisfy your Law Committee of this illegality; and respectfully request that we may, at such early day as your Honorable Body may appoint, be permitted to give in detail the facts, upon which we base our conclusions; and that in case such statement shall establish our conclusions, your Honorable Body will authorize and direct such action, in the name of the city, as will avert the wrong sought to be inflicted upon our citizens.

In case your Honorable Body should regard with favor

this application, it is deemed important that prompt action should be taken in the matter, to the end that all may be protected from this impending wrong.

CHAUNCEY NASH, Supervisor 16th Ward.	1st	..
D. KNAPP	4th	..
CHAS. B. ERNST	2nd	..
GEO. B. WESLEY	11th	..
WM. WOLZ	3rd	..
THOS. PEART	8th	..
J. P. TUMILLY	6th	..
VALENTINE HEIZLER	9th	..
MARTIN JOINER	14th	..
THOS. GOSNELL	5th	..
ROMAN OVENBURG	7th	..
C. C. MEYER	12th	..
D. C. BARNUM	19th	..
E. KEBLER	13th	..
C. F. GOTTSCHALK	15th	..
JOHN FOOS	15th	..

Ald. Archer moved that the communication be referred to the Law Committee with power to take such action as they may deem advisable. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

J. W. Maser, lighting oil lamps, Dec.	\$97 10
J. W. Maser, setting posts, &c.	28 00
Citizens' Gas Co., setting posts, &c.	39 66
Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care, Dec.	2,373 91
Rochester Gas Light Co., lighting and care, Dec.	1,652 50

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Eugene Durand for permission to erect a wood building on Rowley street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Rowland Milliman. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Foley presented a remonstrance against the construction of a sewer in Summer street. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

Wm. Moran, repairing stoves.	\$5 95
Mary Flannigan, rent.	9 00
Charles Engert, rent.	10 00
Joseph Schleyer, meat.	200 00
P. Kleinhaus, meat.	25 00
Geo. Oppel, bread.	22 12
Richard Hinds, beans.	7 86
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.	350 62
N. Thompson, disbursements.	63 50

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Felsing presented the petition of John Burgess for permission to erect a wood building on Silver street. Petition was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Also, the petition of Rose Walker for permission to move a wood building on Thomas street. Permission was granted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of William Ragan to erect a wood building on Kirk street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

M. E. Wolf, insurance on boilers.	\$20 00
Charles Little, repairing City Hall.	2 00
Minges & Shale, furniture, Attorney's office.	66 00
John Vanderwerf, labor and material.	2 23
Burke, Fitzsimons, Hone & Co., supplies, Mayor's office.	2 60
Thomas McCormick, painting Front street building.	599 52

Referred to the City Property Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—

ROCHESTER, Dec. 26, 1883.

To the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

Typographical Assembly No. 1735, Knights of Labor, respectfully request of your honorable body the use of the City Hall on the evening of Monday, January 21st, 1884, for the purpose of holding a literary entertainment, the proceeds of which it is intended to devote to charitable purposes.

J. F. CONNOR,
J. E. STEVENS,
A. C. SMITH,
Committee.

Ald. Kelly moved that the use of the City Hall be granted as requested. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for water in Alexander street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petitions of Garrison & Seibert and B. S. Blake for permission to erect wood buildings. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

Unanimous consent was given to Ald. Southard to present the following:

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and hereby is requested to ascertain and report to this board the amount for which the property necessary for the extension of Maria street, under and in pursuance of an ordinance heretofore adopted, can be obtained. Adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins from the contingent expense committee, Ald. Jeffords from the lamp committee, Ald. Felsing from the poor committee, Ald. Kelly from the city property committee, reported favorably the bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the finance committee for payment.

Ald. Aikenhead, from the Health Committee, presented the bills of—

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage.....	\$238 00
P. Bradley,	152 00
Jacob Rauber,	114 00
J. W. Maser,	114 00
Jerome Keyes, Supt. for collecting garbage....	84 00
John Becker, removing dead animals.....	39 60
M. Heavey, board of horse, Dec.....	20 00

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Hon. the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN—Your Assessment Committee to which was referred the petition of May Marsh and others asking that a remission of the interest and taxes upon lots No. 83 and 84 McCrackenville tract, on Lake avenue, respectfully reports:

Your committee has made a careful examination into the alleged erroneous and unfair assessments upon said lots, is of the opinion that the payment by the owners of said property of the sum of \$800 for unpaid taxes and assessments upon said lots should be received in full of the same. It appears that more than one-half of said lots are incapable of being used for building purposes, being a portion of the bank of Deep Hollow Creek. Assessments and taxes have been levied upon said property as though it were all land which could be used. It furthermore appears that a portion of the said property having a frontage of nearly one-third of all the lots is now occupied by the city as part of the abutments and retaining walls of Lake avenue where said street crosses Deep Hollow.

Your committee is of the opinion, after such investigation, that the receipt of \$800 in full of all assessments and taxes upon said lots would be a just and fair adjustment of all claims held by the city thereon, and therefore recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is, authorized to receive from the owners of lots No. 83 and 84, in the McCrackenville tract on the east side of Lake avenue, the sum of \$800.00, in full of all taxes and assessments against the same in favor of the City of Rochester to the present time, and to charge the balance of said taxes and assessments to erroneous assessments, provided such payment is made within sixty days from January 1st, 1884. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee respectfully represents:

That the city was not able under the provisions of the charter to pay to the property owners whose land was

taken for the new street from Mill st. to Water st., called Central avenue, until the confirmation of the assessment roll. In consequence of this the city could not take possession of the land, except as some arrangement might be made with the owners. Among the persons whose land was taken was James M. Whitney. A portion of the land to be taken from him for said improvement was occupied by a building which was rented and in use by the tenants. Naturally Mr. Whitney refused to surrender possession and permit said building to be torn down unless the money for the same were paid.

Your committee, in view of the necessity of the work on the bridge going on, made an arrangement with the Flour City National Bank, by virtue of which the said bank loaned to Mr. Whitney \$11,000, the award for his land being \$11,500, taking as collateral security a conveyance of the premises and an assignment of the award, and the contractors for the city were given possession of the land, the portion of the building taken was demolished and this work on the bridge was not interrupted. The understanding was that interest on the loan from the time of its advance to the time when the city could lawfully borrow the money for the payment of the same should be paid by the city, as the city from the time first mentioned had possession of the land. The effect of the transaction was the same as if the city lawfully had paid the money from the proceeds of a note discounted in pursuance of the resolution of the Common Council.

The amount of the interest on said loan is \$225.31, which should be paid to the bank by the city.

GEORGE W. ARCHER,
JAS. M. PITKIN,
Finance Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the treasurer for \$225.31 in favor of the Flour City National Bank in full of interest on \$11,000, advanced by said bank to James M. Whitney on the award of the Commissioners to him for lands taken for the opening of a new street from Mill street to Water street, and charge Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN: Your Law Committee, to which was referred the communication of the City Attorney relating to the claim of the National Gas Light Company, hereby reports:

Your Committee is of the opinion that it is for the interest of the city to settle the cases between the city and said company. The litigation was begun in 188., and in its beginning was a mistake on the part of the city. Its longer continuance, in the opinion of your Committee, would be profitless for the city and would probably increase the amount to be paid by the city.

Your Committee finds that the best settlement which can now be effected is the payment of the damages and costs amounting to \$1,301.21 in one case, and the payment of the costs and disbursements of the appeal in the other case, being the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars—aggregating \$1,451.21.

Your Committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution:

GEORGE W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
Law Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of the National Gas Light Company of the City of New York, or its duly authorized attorney for \$1,451.21, in full of all claims of every name and nature against the city of Rochester, upon the certificate of the City Attorney being filed with the said Clerk stating that proper discharges of the judgments, suits and claims against said city in favor of said company have been delivered to him, and charge Contingent Fund.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 26, 1883.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR DECEMBER, 1883.

Cornelius R. Parsons, Mayor.....	\$250 00
Ambrose C. McGlachim, Treasurer.....	375 00
H. P. McGlachim, assistant.....	166 66
Frank Kondolf, clerk.....	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	83 33
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	166 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Treasurer's Office.....	100 00
Chas. M. Beattie, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 33
John Gordon, City Assessor.....	208 33
Wm. Maher.....	208 33
V. Fleckenstein.....	2 83
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warner.....	150 00
W. J. Chandler, Clerk.....	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	75 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. W. Race.....	75 00
Ambrose Keenan.....	60 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	140 00
Peter G. Muller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	70 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney.....	250 00
A. H. Martin, milk inspector.....	66 66
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevated tracks.....	140 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
C. J. McDaid, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Wm. M. R. Baz, Jr., draftsman.....	80 00
Jarvis Lord, 2nd, City Clerk's Office.....	50 00
Charles Stillwell, Treasurer's Office.....	100 00
Alfred Wedd, one-half month, street numbering, Dec.....	37 50
Geo. Belknap, one-half month, street numbering, Dec.....	37 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. D. McNaughton, County Clerk.....	\$268 95
J. N. Beckley, disbursements.....	194 28
E. D. Smith, stenographer's services.....	60 00
J. C. Moore, book binding, &c.....	49 45
A. C. McCall, serving notices.....	17 00
J. F. O'Neil, printing.....	10 00
A. W. Mudge, livery.....	10 00
H. S. Ransom.....	9 00
M. W. Rundel, frame for Mayor's office.....	5 00
Thomas Knowles, hack hire.....	3 00
American District Telegraph Co., rent and service.....	2 85
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Dec. 26.....	15 00
B. L. Sheldon, extra meals, Dec. 17.....	10 00
George F. Flannery, printing for Treasurer's office.....	14 00
Union and Advertiser, printing proceedings to Jan. 1st, 1884.....	\$825 00
Post-Express Printing Co., printing proceedings to Jan. 1st, 1884.....	562 50
Rochester Printing Co., printing proceedings to Jan. 1st, 1884.....	562 50
Rochester Herald Publishing Co., publishing city notices to Jan. 1st, 1884.....	250 00
German Printing Co., publishing city notices to Jan. 1st, 1884.....	250 00
Rochester Volksblatt, publishing city notices to Jan. 1st, 1884.....	180 00
And charge that fund.....	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR DECEMBER, 1883.

N. Thompson, overseer.....	\$141 66
J. H. McGregor, Clerk.....	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk.....	75 00
Geo. Hartel, Clerk.....	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk.....	75 00
Dr. J. J. A. Burke, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. A. L. Perry, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmidt, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Thos Spencer, City Physician.....	50 00
D. Henry Koch, City Physician.....	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner.....	75 00
C. Herzberger.....	75 00
James P. Evans.....	75 00
Maurice Movnhan, clerk.....	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Gerling Bros., flour.....	\$366 75
Smith, Perkins & Co., sugar.....	806 27
Leo Stadler, shoes.....	183 60
S. J. Hall & Bro., groceries.....	28 00
S. J. Hall & Bro., groceries.....	13 00
S. J. Hall & Bro., groceries.....	9 75
M. Gannon, groceries.....	16 25

Phillip Weider, groceries.....	13 50
C. H. Mathews, groceries.....	13 00
T. J. Kenning, groceries.....	27 00
A. S. Morris, meat.....	50 00
F. Kleinhaus, meat.....	25 00
J. Fleckenstein, bread.....	122 08
N. Kirchoff, bread.....	70 12
James Kergas, rent.....	37 00
F. M. Harvey, rent.....	4 00
James Laney & Co., paper.....	80 50
Jeffrey & Co., burials.....	18 50
Hayden & Havens, cot for ambulance.....	10 00
Burke, Fitzsimons, Home & Co., dry goods.....	10 00
And charge that fund.....	10 60

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR DECEMBER, 1883.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer.....	\$ 75 00
Geo. Messmer, Register.....	66 66
John M. Hyroer, Inspector.....	50 00
Otho Griswold, Inspector.....	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Sney, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Heindold, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	58 33
Joseph Thompson.....	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector.....	50 00
Messenger.....	33 33

MISCELLANEOUS.

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage from Nov. 23d to Dec. 21st.....	\$228 00
F. Bradley, collecting garbage from Nov. 23d to Dec. 21st.....	192 00
Jacob Rauber, collecting garbage from Nov. 23d to Dec. 21st.....	114 00
J. W. Maser, collecting garbage from Nov. 23d to Dec. 21st.....	114 00
Jerome Keyes, Superintendent of collecting garbage from Nov. 23d to Dec. 21st.....	84 00
John Becker, removing dead animals.....	39 60
M. Heavey, board of horse.....	20 00
And charge that fund.....	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Municipal Gas Company, lighting city buildings for November.....	\$ 192 60
D. McCormick, repairs Front street building.....	15 50
A. H. Martin, brooms and palls.....	17 08
A. Medcalf, soap.....	3 00
And charge that fund.....	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting for November.....	\$2,540 70
Municipal Gas Co.,.....	104 17
J. W. Maser, oil lamps.....	987 10
resetting and cartage.....	28 00
Edward Maher, lamp inspector.....	75 22
And charge that fund.....	

CITY OF ROCHESTER, EXECUTIVE BOARD,

Offices, CITY HALL, December 24, 1883.

To the Common Council:
The accompanying bills and estimates have been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment; as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, CLERK.

Street Department—Highway Fund.

A. V. Smith, robes and blankets.....	\$ 22 25
Chace & Myers, lumber.....	252 03
L. S. Graves & Son, repairing three lift bridges.....	22 60
Jacob Sutter, stone for Meadams.....	30 00
W. N. Sage, rent of stone-yard.....	78 00
Henry Harrison.....	87 50
Otis & Gorsline, sewer pipe and cement.....	59 51
F. C. Lauer, stone and labor.....	224 63
McCConnell & Jones, cement, &c.....	8 60
James H. Nellis, stone chips.....	3 00
Hill & French, coal, etc., steam roller.....	100 94
Zimmer & Schwan, repairing wagon and sleigh.....	21 98
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	5 80
	\$866 99

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Dec. 20.....	\$137 00
Dec. 27.....	137 00
	\$ 274 00
Thomas Oliver, estimate No. 9, group 82.....	600 00
E. H. Cook & Co., lead.....	5 17
Geo. B. Harris, expenses.....	5 65
	\$884 82

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay rolls, Dec. 20, op. expenses, service and repairs.....	\$476 61
320 00	
Weekly pay rolls, Dec. 27, op. expenses, service and repairs.....	\$476 61
320 00	
	\$ 796 61

Thomas J. Neville, office expenses.....	796 61
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	21 53
Geo. H. Nicholson, painting.....	12 70
John C. Moore, blank books.....	23 75
B. F. Harris, rent of barn.....	22 50
Zimmer & Schwan, repairs, wagons, etc.....	32 19
Weaver & Goss, hardware.....	18 46
Trotter, Geddes & Co., furnace.....	20 00
A. W. Mudge, livery and horse hire.....	32 00
H. H. Babcock, coal.....	2 00
Geo. E. Miller, wood.....	21 00
McCConnell & Jonas, cement.....	4 05
J. B. Colman, corporation cocks, &c.....	205 72
Foster & Hennegan, corporation cocks.....	3 14
Union Water Meter Co., repairs, etc., meters..	28 50
L. Nelson Tubbs, expenses, C. line.....	11 30
L. L. Nichols, mapping, H. creek lands.....	18 00
W. A. Brodie, County Treasurer, taxes, Livonia, Liv. Co.....	88 94
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, labor and material.....	2 00
E. H. Cook & Co., do.....	1 33
	\$2,311 21

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Bigelow & Osborne, lumber.....	\$ 98
George H. Lee, pasturing horse.....	4 00
Alert Hose Co, quarterly appropriation.....	400 00
Active Hose Co monthly appropriation.....	250 00
Protectives' S. and B. Co., quarterly appropriation.....	400 00
Rogers & Wallace, matting.....	5 46
Municipal Gas Light Co., gas bills.....	25 20
F. B. Handy, labor, Fire Tel (2 bills).....	24 00
C. R. Pratt, flag walk, paving, etc.....	600 69
John A. Vanderwerf, estimate No. 5 Lyell St. station.....	976 00
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	2 11
	\$2,688 44

Local Improvements—Special Funds.

James Marion, inspecting work, Park ave. and Culver st. sewer.....	\$165 00
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses, Bernard st. walk.....	2 57
Street Dep't, stakes and expenses Howard st. sewer.....	1 1

Estimates.

Edward Weibert, final estimate, repairing and cleaning East avenue.....	200 00
A. C. Bowen, final estimate, Bernard street walk.....	37 43
Alden & Lassis, estimate No. 3, Central avenue bridge.....	6,600 00
	\$7,006 10

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Ald. Kelly, from the select committee on foot bridges over the Erie canal, reported progress and asked for further time. Further time was granted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Mayor—

MAYOR'S OFFICE, }
Rochester, N. Y., December 20, 1883. }

Gentlemen of the Common-council:

I return to you without approval, the resolution passed at your last regular meeting, employing Charles H. Finnegan to superintend the erection and placing of electric wires and lamps, telephone wires and telegraph wires. The amount of his salary for the performance of this service is fixed at \$50 per month, and the same is to be paid from the city treasury. The report of your special committee recommends that he be given such power by the Common-council as is necessary in the premises. There is no question but that the placing and erection of wires for the various purposes named is becoming very grave, but how to apply the remedy is to my mind not clearly determined. The wires are up—how are we to get rid of them? Again, in the judgment of Mr. Finnegan, some of the wires already erected may be in a dangerous position, but those having charge

of the same may disagree with him on this important point. In a case of this kind who is to decide? Mr. Redman, of the Brush Electric Light company, informs me that the present condition of wires belonging to his company need excite no apprehension and that a constant supervision over the same is exercised by him or his assistants. Representatives of other companies will doubtless make the same claim. What can a superintendent do under such circumstances? I am unwilling to cause the city this increased expense, until it has been pretty clearly determined what right and power we can exercise. While the matter is one of very great importance I can but feel that your action is premature. Mr. Finnegan is the present superintendent of the fire alarm telegraph and is in the employ of the executive board at an annual salary of \$1,735.

There is no evidence that he can discharge the duties of both positions thoroughly, even if your board is legally able to clothe him with all necessary power a question in my judgement you should first pass upon.

The resolution is open to another objection, and that is its failure to state the length of time for which Mr. Finnegan is to be engaged; the language of the resolution on this point is of the most indefinite character. Let us first determine of what service Mr. Finnegan can be. This can only be arrived at in my judgement in the following manner:

First—That the executive board shall certify that his services in his new capacity will in no manner interfere with the proper care of the fire alarm telegraph.

Second—That unless your board can clothe him with unlimited or necessary power, the several companies erecting and maintaining wires shall enter into an agreement with the city, consenting to abide by his instructions.

City Attorney Beckley informs me that he will at an early day carefully look into this question and report upon the same, and if it then seems desirable for the city to act I shall raise no objection to Mr. Finnegan's appointment, providing there are no other reasons existing against the same and that it shall appear that there is a necessity for such an officer, and upon the condition that for a time at least the appointment shall be renewed every month.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS, Mayor.

The chair stated the question to be "Shall the resolution stand notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the mayor?"

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

The veto was not sustained.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec, 20, 1883. }

Gentlemen of the Common Council.

A resolution adopted at your last regular meeting authorising the city treasurer to accept the sum of \$72.92 and interest at six per cent. per annum from owner of lot No. 438, which is located on South Alexander street, is hereby returned disapproved. The resolution recites: "It is upon the statement of the treasurer that all other taxes have been paid." Mr. McGlachlin informs me that all other taxes assessed against the property in question are not paid, and that he has made no statement of the kind mentioned. Without looking into the merits of the case, I return the resolution because of a misstatement of facts.

CORNELIUS R. PARSONS, Mayor.

Ald. Archer stated that he had been misinformed in relation to the resolution.

The chair stated the question, "Shall the resolution stand notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the mayor?"

Lost by the following vote:

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing—

ger, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—
13.

The veto was sustained.
From the Executive Board—

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 11, 1883.

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith a statement of amounts expended for repairs on improved streets and avenues during the three months commencing August 21, and ending with November 1st, 1883, as per resolution of your honorable board, passed November 13, 1883. Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Allen street:			
Labor.....	5 78		
MacAdam.....	5 00		
Sand.....	40	10 88	
Aqueduct street:			
Labor.....	19 50		
Sand.....	1 00	20 50	
Atkinson street:			
Labor.....	137 25		
Steam Roller.....	30 00		
Gravel.....	20 40	187 65	
Broadway:			
Labor.....	30 00		
Gravel.....	7 20	37 20	
Brown street:			
Labor.....	27 38		
MacAdam.....	2 50		
Sand.....	1 89	31 68	
Center street:			
Labor.....	4 00		
Cement.....	68		
Sand.....	10	4 78	
Chestnut street:			
Labor.....	82 25		
Steam roller.....	90 00		
Gravel.....	6 60		
Stone.....	5 00		
Sand.....	40	184 25	
Caledonia avenue:			
Labor.....	429 25		
MacAdam.....	368 63	797 88	
Exchange street:			
Labor.....	33 75		
Sand.....	1 80	35 55	
East Main street:			
Labor.....	38 78		
Sand.....	2 40	41 18	
Elm street:			
Labor.....	39 50		
Gravel.....	5 08	44 50	
East avenue:			
Labor.....	11 75		
Sand.....	40	12 15	
Ely street:			
Labor.....	17 24		
Stone.....	10 00		
Sand.....	80	28 04	
Franklin street:			
Labor.....	18 50		
Sand.....	1 00	19 50	
Frank street:			
Labor.....	11 75		
Sand.....	60	12 85	
Front street:			
Labor.....	19 38		
Cement.....	1 80		
Sand.....	60	21 78	
Graves street:			
Labor.....	11 75		
Sand.....	40	12 15	
Gibbs street:			
Labor.....	5 68		
Sand.....	20	5 88	
Hudson street:			
Labor.....	165 75		
Steam roller.....	195 00		
MacAdam.....	160 00		
Gravel.....	4 80	525 55	

Howell street:			
Labor.....	4 38		
Sand.....	20		4 58
Jay street:			
Labor.....	14 63		
Sand.....	60		15 23
Lake avenue:			
Labor.....	1,906 17		
Stone.....	428 55		
McAdam.....	167 44		2,502 16
Lyell avenue:			
Labor.....	32 75		
Stone.....	13 50		
Sand.....	1 40		52 65
Marshall street:			
Labor.....	9 50		
Gravel.....	2 00		11 50
Mt. Hope ave.:			
Labor.....			3 50
Meigs street:			
Labor.....	141 50		
Steam roller.....	3 75		
Gravel.....	28 00		173 25
Monroe avenue:			
Labor.....	29 76		
Flagstone.....	24 60		
Sewer pipe and grate.....	12 00		
Sand.....	1 20		
Cement.....	0 45		68 01
Mumford street:			
Labor.....	2 05		
Sand.....	0 10		2 15
Market street:			
Labor.....	4 63		
Sand.....	0 20		4 83
Mill street:			
Labor.....	40 00		
MacAdam.....	21 25		61 25
North avenue:			
Labor.....	204 90		
Mac Adam.....	67 50		
Stone.....	10 33		
Sand and gravel.....	7 90		
Sewer pipe and cement.....	7 13		297 76
North St. Paul street:			
Labor.....	301 01		
Mac Adam.....	132 75		
Stone.....	24 72		
Sand.....	1 40		
Steam roller.....	7 50		467 38
North Clinton street:			
Labor.....	5 25		5 25
North Goodman street:			
Labor.....	164 37		
Gravel.....	32 20		
Steam roller.....	15 00		211 57
Platt street:			
Labor.....	83 74		
Mac Adam.....	28 75		
Sand.....	2 00		114 49
Pindell alley:			
Labor.....	12 25		
Sand.....	0 40		12 65
Plymouth avenue:			
Labor.....			7 50
Rome street:			
Labor.....	56 00		
Steam roller.....	30 00		
Gravel.....	9 60		96 60
Rowley street:			
Labor.....	74 25		
Steam roller.....	3 75		
Gravel.....	15 00		93 00
St. Joseph street:			
Labor.....			3 00
Scio street:			
Labor.....	26 60		
Gravel.....	6 00		32 00
South Union street:			
Labor.....	159 50		
Steam roller.....	30 00		
Gravel.....	34 60		224 10

Spring street :		
Labor.....	27 75	
MacAdam.....	47 50	
South avenue :		75 25
Labor.....	16 75	
Sand.....	1 00	
South St. Paul street :		17 75
Labor.....	37 75	
Stone.....	5 20	
Sand.....	1 60	
State street :		44 55
Labor.....	50 38	
Sand.....	1 80	
Stone street :		52 18
Labor.....	8 75	
Sand.....	40	
South Washington street :		9 15
Labor.....	4 60	
MacAdam.....	5 00	
Troup street :		9 00
Labor.....		
University avenue :		3 50
Labor.....	49 37	
Gravel.....	11 00	
Upton park :		60 37
Labor.....	101 75	
Gravel.....	18 20	
Vincent place (9th ward).		119 95
Labor.....	32 00	
Sand.....	2 20	
William street :		34 20
Labor.....	25 00	
Stench trap.....	10 00	
Sand and gravel.....	5 70	
Cement.....	68	
West avenue :		41 38
Labor.....	70 01	
MacAdam.....	68 75	
Sand.....	80	
Warehouse street :		139 50
Labor.....		
W. Main street :		19 50
Labor.....	10 00	
Sand.....	40	

Ordered received, filed and published.
Ald Archer in the chair.

To the Hon. Common Council of the City of
Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The following communication was ordered transmitted to your honorable body:

“By Mr. Holley—Whereas, The City Treasurer, to serve an intended and avowed purpose not set forth therein, has taken occasion to make an ex-parte statement to the Common Council of matters relating to the adjustment of the final accounts rendered by the Executive Board for work done under the provisions of ordinance No. 2,313, for the construction of Lyell avenue lift bridge and motor, and ordinance No. 2,424, for grading the approaches of Lyell avenue lift bridge, &c.; and

Whereas, Said statement in its recommendation simply forestalled the intended action of said board, as said Treasurer knew from having been informed but a few hours before the presentation of said statement to Council of such intended action; and

Whereas, This Board is entitled to be heard at the bar of the same tribunal to which he has addressed himself, therefore,

Resolved, That the following statement of facts relating to the subject matter of his communication of Dec. 11th be transmitted to Council at its next meeting, and be published in the proceedings of this Board, to wit:

Ordinance No. 2,313, passed March 8th, 1882, provides for the construction of a wrought iron lift bridge across

the Erie canal at Lyell avenue, also a hydraulic motor, at an estimated expense of \$12,000.

Certain territory to be assessed for this improvement is specifically set forth in said ordinance.

Ordinance No. 2,424, passed March 30th, 1883, provides for grading the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge, the construction of a bridge tender's house, and the construction of the necessary retaining wall on the north and south side of the bridge at an estimated expense of \$2,500, and the territory to be assessed is identical with that for ordinance No. 2,313, and is practically to cover an important portion of the same improvement. December 22d, 1882, after duly advertising, but one proposition was received by the Executive Board for the construction of a wrought iron lift bridge across the Erie canal at Lyell avenue. The work was awarded to the Hudson River Bridge Works for the sum of \$10,990.

Said Bridge company subsequently, with the consent of the Executive Board, assigned its interest in said proposition to the Pittsburgh Bridge Company, which company entered into contract on the 5th day of February, 1883, and prosecuted the work to completion. It may be observed that the motor was no part of the contract with the Pittsburgh Bridge company. The amount paid to the bridge company was \$11,001.24, and \$72.41 was paid to J. Emory Jones for a casting to replace one in the old bridge, broken in moving to State yard, and for pipe connections. During the manufacture of the bridge, the necessary expenses of the City Surveyor to go to Pittsburgh to test the iron and give instructions as to plans. His expenses were \$34.75. Thus the sum chargeable to ordinance No. 2,313, exclusive of cost of motor, is \$11,108.40.

Proposals were received under ordinance No. 2,424 for the work of grading the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge, April 1st, 1883, and the work was awarded to E. B. Fox April 18th for the sum of \$750 on the quantities estimated by the City Surveyor. This work, however, cost the sum of \$1,180.45, as per final estimate of the Surveyor rendered July 21st. The masonry embraced in this ordinance No. 2,424 cost the sum of \$669.60, and the foundation, valve pits and motor house also embraced in this ordinance together with sundry items for pipe connections with the water works systems, check valves, air chambers, gauges, &c., amounting to the sum of \$1,428.33, brings the total cost of work done under said ordinance to the sum of \$3,278.33.

But as the territory to be assessed under these two ordinances is identical, there is manifestly no wrong or injustice to the tax-payers in treating them as one ordinance and pooling the amounts provided among them. Thus we have under ordinance No. 2,313, \$12,000 and under No. 2,424 \$2,500 or a total of \$14,500. And also pooling the charges against them we have properly chargeable against No. 2,313, exclusive of the motor, the sum of \$11,108.40, and against No. 2,424 the sum of \$3,278.33 or a total of \$14,386.73.

The cost of motor, \$1,145, should, however, be charged against ordinance 2,313 and the total expenditure against both ordinances would then be \$15,532.28, an excess of \$1,032.28.

When it became known that the funds provided by these ordinances would be inadequate to meet the expenditures, it was found that if the work was stopped until an ordinance for the deficiency could be passed, the bridge could not be completed on the opening of navigation, and a much greater expense would have been incurred for delay to contractors, as well as causing great annoyance and pecuniary loss to the people who use the bridge. Hence the Executive Board took the responsibility of completing the work and paying for the same temporarily out of the Highway Fund, so that the accounts under these two ordinances might be closed.

It would appear from the language of Section No. 214 of the City Charter that such emergencies are intended to be met by its provisions, to wit: “If it shall appear that a greater sum of money has been expended in the completion of such improvement than was estimated as aforesaid, the Common Council may, &c. It will be seen that this section contemplates that a larger sum than that estimated may be actually expended before the deficiency ordinance is adopted. All the expenditures for the work embraced in these two ordinances were absolutely necessary, and with the deficiency ordinance passed, and the highway fund reimbursed the reform, this Board fails to see any injustice to any taxpayer in consequence of its action. The Executive Board is in no wise responsible that the estimates of cost do not in every instance meet the actual and necessary expenditure.

Resolved, That the Common Council be requested to pass an ordinance to cover the deficiency, in the cost of work over estimates embraced in ordinances Nos. 2,313 and 2,424, amounting to the sum of \$1,032.28. Adopted.”

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.
Ordered received, filed and published.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 26, 1883.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In compliance with your direction the Executive Board has ascertained that that portion of land necessary to be taken for opening and extending Maria street can be secured upon the following terms: S. Klingler demands \$350 for that portion to be taken from his lands. Messrs. Brown and Thomas, who own the balance of the land required, have already executed a deed to the city for the same without expense to said city.

Respectfully submitted,
BYRON HOLLEY,
Chairman of Executive Board.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the amount at which the owner of property necessary for the extension of Maria street will sell the same is satisfactory to this Board. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved—That the Mayor be and hereby is authorized and directed to enter into a contract with S. Klingler providing for the purchase by the city of the the land owned by him necessary for the extension of Maria street at the sum of \$350.00, the amount thereof to be paid within four months after the confirmation of the assessment roll for said improvement, the contract to be drawn in accordance with the provisions of sections 173 and 174 of the charter, and to be approved by the City Attorney.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

From the City Attorney—

To the honorable, the common council:

GENTLEMEN—There was adopted at your last meeting a resolution offered by Ald. Barron, of which the following is a copy:

"Resolved, That the city attorney be, and he hereby is, directed to enquire into the legality of the transfer of \$1,484.83 from the highway fund to the fund for Lyell street bridge and approaches over the amount of the estimate for the construction thereof, and report to this board at its next regular meeting what action this board ought to take in reference thereto."

In response to the foregoing directions I would say: First.—That under the provisions of the charter the executive board did not have the power to transfer any portion of the highway fund to the fund for Lyell street bridge and approaches. The estimated expense of said improvement was \$12,000. If it was found that the expense attending said improvement would exceed the amount of the estimate, the executive board should have reported such fact to the common council, and the common council could have taken either of two courses as to supplying the deficiency: First, by passing a new ordinance providing for the increased expense, or, second, by proper action making provision for the payment of such increased expense by the city at large. Second.—The question presented in the concluding portion of said resolution is more difficult to answer. The object of the provision of the charter requiring the estimate of the cost of a public improvement to be made is that the taxpayers whose property is to be assessed for the payment of the cost of an improvement may know previous to the adoption of a final ordinance and the letting of the contract how much the whole expense of the work will be. The ordinance in question was adopted after all persons interested had an opportunity to be heard as to the matter upon the theory that the expense would not exceed \$12,000. The taxpayers benefited thus had notice given to them in the legal manner as to the cost of the improvement. It may be that all of such taxpayers would have objected to the passage of the ordinance if it had been known that the expense of the improvement would be \$13,484.83 instead of \$12,000. If the common council should now adopt an ordinance providing for the assessment upon the property benefited by said increased expense, the notice required to be given by

the charter would be practically of no avail to such taxpayers. The work is done and is paid for and it is of little moment how strong may be the arguments presented before the common council as to the justice of the increased assessment for the improvement, because the work had been completed and paid for there is no opportunity left for the exercise of the judgment of the common council, and the hearing of allegations for or against the necessity of the improvement, or as to the ability of the taxpayers to pay for the same, would be an idle form. It may be said, upon the other hand, that the common council can, in the consideration of an ordinance providing for the increased expense, hear the allegations of the parties within the territory benefited as to whether the increased cost should be borne by the property deemed under the original ordinance to be benefited, or should be paid by the city at large.

Your honorable body will perceive that the question presented is one of considerable doubt. I am of the opinion, upon a careful consideration of the whole matter, that the better course to pursue is to direct the surveyor to prepare an ordinance providing for the assessment upon such property as the common council shall deem benefited of a sufficient sum to provide for the increased expense of the improvement over the estimate, on the consideration of which ordinance the property owners within the territory deemed benefited may present allegations as to the same. If the common council should determine that the expense should be borne by the property benefited, I should advise the adoption of the ordinance and leave to the courts the determination of the question, if it should be raised, as to whether such assessment can be collected.

Ald. Barron moved that the communication of the City Attorney, and all matters with reference to said illegal action of the Executive Board, be referred to the Law Committee, with instructions to make a careful investigation of all matters connected therewith; and said committee is hereby instructed to request the members of the Executive Board, the City Treasurer and City Surveyor, to make before it such statements bearing on the subject, to be investigated as shall be within their knowledge. Adopted.

From the Clerk—

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 26th, 1883.

To the Hon. the common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: Whereas, Andrew Nagle has, without permission from you and without the consent of adjacent property holders, erected a wood building in the rear of his block on State street extending from his barn to the north line of his lot, being within about fourteen (14) feet of the residences of eight families, and

Whereas, we are informed and have reason to believe said wood building is to be used for the purpose of baling and storing hay and straw, thus greatly increasing the risk of fire and endangering life and property, we, adjacent property holders, petition your honorable body to instruct the Fire Marshal to enforce the ordinance in regard to wood buildings, in this case causing its immediate removal, or adopting such measures as in your judgment will most speedily and effectually abate the nuisance. All of which is respectfully submitted.

HUGH McKAY,
SARAH J. BAKER, per A. S. Baker,
MRS. D. D. BACH,
HENRY HEDDITOH.

Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal with power to act.

From the Police Clerk—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF
NOVEMBER, 1883.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, Dec. 26, 1883.
GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of November, 1883.

November.	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
1—Louis Warner.....	Drunk	\$10	\$10
John O'Grady.....	"	10	
Sam'l Gutstadt.....	larceny	cost	7
2—Pat'k H. Griffin.....	assault	2	2
Wm. R. Miller.....	"	2	2
3—John Barry.....	drunk	10	5
Thos. Keefe.....	"	10	
Mich. Keefe.....	"	10	

Harriet Krutz.....	petit larceny	10	10
Mary J. Marshall.....	drunk	10	
5-James Cleary.....	..	10	5
Maggie Murphy.....	..	10	
Bernard Boyland.....	..	10	
Peter Niener.....	..	10	10
Mich. Keefe.....	..	10	
Maggie Murphy.....	..	10	5
Ed. Wangman.....	..	10	
Henry George.....	..	10	
James Sullivan.....	assault	cost 1	
6-Pat'k Moran.....	drunk	10	10
Burt Johns.....	larceny	cost 3	
Nicholas Fennell.....	drunk	10	
7-Wm. Holden.....	..	10	
Rob't McQuade.....	petit larceny	15	15
Geo. Waters.....	drunk	10	5
Frank Grapenstetter.....	..	10	
Jacob Fox.....	assault	10	10
Geo. Farrell.....	..	10	10
8-Ann Donoghue.....	drunk	10	
John Houlligan.....	..	10	5
James Purcell.....	..	10	
Wm. Henry.....	..	10	
John Sullivan.....	..	10	
9-John Kehoe.....	..	10	
Cyrus Morsch.....	..	10	
Sarah Timmerman.....	..	10	
Chas Schleisman.....	petit larceny	5	
Ardnt Rosenthal.....	drunk	10	
Egner Pearl.....	..	10	5
John Leary.....	..	10	5
Dan Doyle.....	..	10	
Albert Tolbert.....	..	10	
Chas. Worden.....	..	10	
Hugh McShaan.....	..	10	
Mich. Cummings.....	vio. ord.	10	10
16-James McElroy.....	drunk	10	
Richard Turner.....	..	10	
John Miller.....	vio. ord.	10	5
John Mullen.....	..	10	
Henry Gilmore.....	..	10	
Lowry Blackburn.....	assault	cost 1	
12-Wm. Henry.....	drunk	10	
Patrick McCormick.....	..	10	
Ed. E. Perkins.....	petit larceny	cost 3	
Levi Dorscher.....	drunk	10	
Thos. Porter.....	..	10	
Maggie Caton.....	..	10	
John Kelly.....	..	10	
13-Charles C. Wadd.....	..	10	
Mich. McCabe.....	..	10	
John Moran.....	vio. ord.	10	5
Frank Hulbert.....	drunk	10	
14-John Flood.....	..	10	
Wm. Burke.....	..	10	
Thos. Dougherty.....	..	10	10
Alex. Cook.....	..	10	10
Joseph Diesenroth.....	..	10	10
15-Mich. O'Day.....	..	10	
Wm. O'Brien.....	..	10	
16-John Finn.....	..	10	
Peter Daw.....	..	10	
Chris. Forkel.....	..	10	
Geo. Zimmer.....	assault	10	
17-Joseph Hackest.....	drunk	10	
Annie Elemoung.....	..	10	
19-Andrew Layden.....	drunk	left 5	
Chas J Conley.....	..	left 8	
Thos Cassidy.....	..	10	
Joseph Jetto.....	Riding on freight cars	25	
James Riley.....	drunk	10	
Mathew G Smith.....	..	10	
Barbara Hersch.....	..	10	
Labbie Pellett.....	..	10	
Chris. Forkel.....	..	10	
Wm. H. Wilson.....	grand larceny	cost 5	
20-Rich Butterworth.....	drunk	10	
James Welsch.....	..	10	
John Hiltzenbeck.....	..	10	
Frank Lytle.....	disorderly	cost 2	
James Rafferty.....	drunk	10	
Hannah Dwyer.....	..	10	
John Phillips.....	..	10	
Mich Ward.....	..	10	
James Goodwin.....	..	10	
James E. Kelly.....	false pretences	cost 2	
Chas. McGraw.....	assault	5	
21-Mathew McGowan.....	drunk	10	
Wm Barry.....	..	10	10
Wm Kenney.....	..	10	
Frank Burroughs.....	..	10	5
John Burke.....	..	10	
Perry Davis.....	..	10	
Wm Smith.....	..	10	
Martin Kennedy.....	..	10	
Dan'l O'Connor.....	..	10	10
Ed Ryan.....	assault	10	
Peter McGovern.....	drunk	10	9
John Hackett.....	..	10	
Adam Parker.....	..	10	

James Phelin.....	..	10	
22-Chris Forkel.....	vio. ord.	10	
Anna McDonald.....	drunk	10	
Thos Porter.....	..	10	3
John Donahoe.....	..	10	
Annie Crane.....	..	10	
Mariah Adams.....	..	10	
23-Frank Bentley.....	vio ord	10	
Eva Townsend.....	petit larceny	cost 5	
Ed O'Keefe.....	drunk	10	
Thomas Gorman.....	..	10	
Peter Roth.....	..	10	
Nettie Williams.....	..	10	5
Mary Sheridan.....	..	10	
24-Thos O'Neil.....	..	10	
Keron Dunning.....	..	cost 5	
Frank D. Cornwell.....	..	10	
Fred Schultz.....	..	18	
John A Barth.....	..	10	
Wm Hawthorne.....	..	10	
26-Annie Elemoung.....	vio ord	25	
Kate McIntyre.....	pet lar	15	
Mich Burns.....	d.unk	10	
John Laracy.....	..	10	
Abram Hamakny.....	..	10	
John Keller.....	vio ord	10	
John Butler.....	drunk	10	
Angie Weerdein.....	pet lar	25	25
Wm Bergand.....	vio ord	10	10
27-Thos Burke.....	drunk	10	
Fred Edgar.....	assault	10	10
28-Lizzie White.....	drunk	10	
Eustice Lampert.....	..	cost 1	
29-Jas Tierney.....	..	10	5
James McConville.....	..	10	5
Mary Davis.....	..	left 5	
Kate Kinsella.....	..	10	
30-Ed Wilkinson.....	..	10	10
Thos Keefe.....	..	10	10
Frank McKeivit.....	..	10	10
Mary A Bristol.....	..	10	

Total.....\$364 00
STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester,

I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of November, 1883, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.
Sworn to before me this 26th day of December, 1883.
F. J. IRWIN, Com. of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 26th, 1883.

To the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—In accordance with section 29 of the city charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have taken the oath of office as required by law: William Dunningburg, constable, Ninth ward; William Maher, city assessor; Geo. T. King, Milton A. Brown, Charles Enders, William G. Raines, F. W. Morse, Frank E. Rowe, Seth S. Terry, Commissioners of Deeds.
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.
ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCES.
FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,562.
SHERMAN STREET PLANK WALK.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing,
Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Sherman street from Bauer street to Emerson street.
The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a 2-plank walk on the west side of Sherman street, from Bauer street to Emerson street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$142.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the west side of Sherman street from Bauer street to Emerson street.
On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,563.

PLANK WALK ON EMERSON STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:
 An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Emerson street from Sherman street to Eighth street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a two-plank walk on the south side of Emerson street from Sherman street to a point opposite the east curb line of Sixth street; also, a two-plank walk on the north side of Emerson street from the east line of Sixth street to Eighth street.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at one hundred and fifty-six dollars, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvements is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the south side of Emerson street from Sherman street to a point opposite the east curb line of Sixth street, and one tier of lots on the north side of Emerson street, within the east line of Sixth street to the east line of Eighth street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Ald. Kelly moved that property owners on Emerson street, and Sherman street, be allowed 30 days to construct their own walks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,564.

HURON STREET PIPE SEWER.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Huron street from the sewer in Scio street to a point 126 feet west of Hebard street.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Huron street, from the sewer in Scio street, to a point 126 feet west of Hebard street.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$683, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Huron street from Scio street to a point 126 feet west of Hebard street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

The final ordinance to construct a wrought iron foot-bridge across the Erie canal, on Exchange street, came up.

Ald. Collins moved it be postponed four weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on Silver street came up.

Ald. Felsing moved it be postponed until the first meeting in April. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,565.

STRONG STREET AND JEFFERSON AVENUE STONE SEWER.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a stone sewer in Strong st. and Jefferson ave. from a point 50 feet east of Jefferson avenue to a point 20 feet south of Bartlett st.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a stone sewer 2x2 feet in size in Strong st., from a point 50 feet east of Jefferson ave. to the centre of Jefferson ave.

Also a stone sewer 1½x2 feet in size in Jefferson ave., from the center of Strong st. to a point 20 feet south of Bartlett st.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals, connections and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,150, which estimate is hereby approved, and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Strong street, from a point 50 feet east of Jefferson ave. to Jefferson avenue, from the tier of lots on each side of Jefferson avenue, from Strong st. to Bartlett st.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Ald. Kelly moved to reconsider the ordinance to construct a wrought iron foot bridge across the Erie canal on West Main street. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly then moved that the ordinance be postponed four weeks. Adopted.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENTS.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER N. Y. Dec. 26, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance 2,475, for East avenue repairs, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, of the use of its funds, is \$750.00.

Yours respectfully,
 G. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,475.

EAST AVENUE REPAIRING.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for repairing and taking care of East avenue.

And, whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$750, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East avenue, from Goodman street to the east line of the city.

Therefore, Resolved, that the sum of \$75, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, and hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified, in order for this purpose on Saturday, the 29th day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, Dec. 26, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2459, for Bernard street plank walk, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$40.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,499.

BERNARD STREET PLANK WALK.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for a plank walk on Bernard street.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$40, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the south side of Bernard street, from Thomas street to Hudson street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$40, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of said property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 29th day of Dec., 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—13.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 26, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,520, for Park avenue and Culver road pipe sewer, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$5,499.16.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,520.

PARK AVENUE AND CULVER STREET PIPE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 10th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for a pipe sewer in Park avenue and Culver street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$5,499.16, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Park avenue from Wick park to the Culver road, and one tier of lots on the west side of the Culver road from Park avenue to East avenue.

Therefore, Resolved—That the sum of \$5,499.16, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 29th day of December 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—13.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 26, 1883. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2534 for Oakman street sewer cleaning

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$609.21.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2534.

CLEANING OAKMAN STREET SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 7th day of August, 1883, enact an ordinance for cleaning Oakman street sewer.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$609.21, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Oakman street, from Galusha street to Clinton street.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$609.21, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, Dec. 29th, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—13.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 26th, 1883. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,555, for Mt. Vernon ave. pipe sewer has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$198.71.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,555.

MT. VERNON AVE. PIPE SEWER.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 13th day of November, 1883, enact an ordinance for a pipe sewer in Mt. Vernon ave.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$198.71, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Mount Vernon ave., from the center of Benton street to a point 139 feet south of Benton street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$198.71, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 29th day of December, 1883, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—13.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Felsing moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnk—13.
J. F. Wellington—Third ward,

C. E. Rowe, J. N. Forbes—Seventh ward,
M. L. Hughes—Eighth ward,
James L. Craig—Ninth ward,
Daniel A. Sharpe—Eleventh ward,
Having received the concurrent vote of the
Common Council were declared appointed
Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Collins moved to proceed to appoint a
Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins,
Barron, Archer, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard,
Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald.
Bronson, Watson, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

Ald. Kelly moved to postpone balloting
until the next meeting. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up :

"By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That objections to
the confirmation of the report of the commis-
sioners to appraise the damages to be paid for
the taking of lands for a new street from Sew-
ard street to Reynolds street, be heard at the
next regular meeting of the Common Council
to be held December 26th, 1883, at the Common
Council chamber. Adopted."

Ald. Foley moved it be referred to a special
committee of three. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Simmelink—Whereas, W. S. Firman
has constructed an addition to his frame barn
and carriage house in the rear of his lot, No.
34 North Union street, without permission of
the Council, not knowing such permission was
necessary; therefore,

Resolved, That all action taken by Mr. Fir-
man in the construction of said frame addition
be and the same is hereby confirmed. Adopted.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the Exe-
cutive Board be requested to place a fire alarm
box at the corner of North avenue and Clifford
street. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of D.
E. Mosley in relation to the assessment of the
Free Methodist Church. Referred to the As-
sessment Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Resolved, That the Brush
Electric Light Co. be requested to place elec-
tric lights on Maple street from Canal street to
Hague street. Referred to the Lamp Commit-
tee.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Treas-
urer be and he hereby is directed to receive
from the owner of the west part of lot 17,
Jones tract, on Lorimer street, the sum of
thirty-eight dollars and fifty-six cents, with in-
terest at 7 per cent. from the date of sale, said
sum of \$38.56 being the city tax on said part of
said lot assessed to Emma L. Bradford for the
year 1880, with interest and expenses of sale,
and charge the balance of said tax to erroneous
assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Exe-
cutive Board be and hereby is requested to ascer-
tain and report to this Board the lowest amount
for which the property needed for the extension
of Pinnacle avenue, under and in pursuance of
the ordinance heretofore adopted for the ex-
tension of Pinnacle avenue to Griffith street,
can be obtained, such report to be made to this
Board, if possible, at its next regular meeting.
Adopted.

Ald. Bronson gave notice of the postponement
of his resolution for the placing of telegraph, tel-

phone and electric wires under ground until the
last regular meeting in February.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the city
treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to re-
ceive the assessment against lots part 18, A. C.
D., subdivision lots 18, A, west side Water
street, as same stands upon register of lands re-
turned for North Water street improvement,
1,694, together with interest at the rate of seven
per cent. per annum. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treas-
urer be, and he is hereby authorized to cancel
the general tax for 1880 assessed against
lot 438, assessed to Maggie Yattau, John-
son and Atkinson tract, Alexander
street, upon the payment of the amount of the
same standing upon the sales register, together
with interest at the rate of seven per cent per
annum. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 519, the Johnson
and Atkinson tract, Hamilton place, Twelfth Ward,
was assessed for Hamilton place pipe sewer, under one
valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two
or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certifi-
cate from the Assessors, dated Dec. 15, 1883, and
on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is at-
tached hereto, be released from the lien of such
assessment upon the payment of \$33.45, with expenses
and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

(COPY.)

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 18th, 1883. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer. }

Sir: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do
hereby certify that the following described property
will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the gen-
eral city tax for the year 1884, to C. P. Shearman,
viz:

Lot No. w. pt. 519 Johnson and Atkinson tract, north
side of Hamilton place, 12th Ward, 40 feet front, 40 feet
rear, and 115 feet deep, and that the owner of said
property should pay his portion of Hamilton place
pipe sewer the sum of \$33.45, upon the payment of
which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled
to a release from the lien of the same upon the above
described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,

V. FLECKENSTEIN,

JOHN GORTON,

Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE.

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 18th, 1883. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer. }

The chair announced the following select
committee on the report of the commissioners
in the matter of opening a new street from
Seward street to Reynolds street: Ald. Foley,
Bronson, Simmelink.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—January 8th, 1884.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in
the chair.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson,
Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley,
Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Sim-
melink—14.

Absent—Ald. Hinds, Felsing—2.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, Dec.
ember 26th, 1883, were approved as pub-
lished in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, RE-
MONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REF-
ERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

C. E. Morris, stationary.....	\$ 288	35
Ailing & Cory.....	2	25
Jackson & Burleigh	51	23
Weaver & Goss, hardware.....	40	40
James Butler, hack hire.....	2	00
D. O. Livermore.....	1	00
M. E. Servis, frames.....	4	25
Schmidt & Kaelber, supplies surveyor.....	9	35
Alfred Wedd, detective services.....	50	00
J. N. Beckley, disbursements.....	38	34
E. D. Smith, stenographer attorney's office.....	60	00
C. W. Carroll, serving subpoenas.....	7	00
A. C. McCall,	5	00
James Lusk, .. notices.....	13	50
Wm. I Hanford,	12	54
S. Rosenberg,	19	20

Referred to contingent expense committee.
By Ald. Jeffords—bills of

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting, December.....	\$3,503	25
Municipal Gas Co.	104	17
John B. Snyder, lamp cocks and tips.....	17	00
S. Sloan, blind caps.....	10	88

Referred to lamp committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition for electric lights in University avenue. Referred to the lamp committee.

By Ald. Foley—Bill of

Louis Ernst & Son, tools.....	\$ 3	80
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Referred to the Park Committee.

By Ald. Foley—Bills of

St. Mary's Hospital, board of inmates to Jan. 1.....	\$2,531	02
St. Mary's Boys' Orphan Asylum, board of inmates to Jan. 1.....	714	77
City Hospital, board of inmates to Jan. 1.....	672	08
Home for the Friendless, board of inmates to Jan. 1.....	78	00
St. Patrick's Girls' Orphan Asylum, board of inmates to Jan. 1.....	687	77
Home of Industry, board of inmates to Jan. 1.....	131	05
Sisters of Mercy, board of inmates to Jan. 1.....	133	00
Industrial School, board of inmates to Jan. 1.....	351	11
St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, board of inmates to Jan. 1.....	852	80
Wm. Coughlin, rent.....	7	50
J. Z. Culver & Co., rent.....	14	00
Julia F. Cochran, rent.....	6	00
Hector McLean, rent.....	26	00
Curran Bros., meat.....	25	00
Jos. Huther, meat.....	14	75
Joseph Meyers, meat.....	25	00
John Curran, meat.....	25	00
Fleckenstein Bros., bread.....	83	52
Home of Industry, bread.....	86	44
Thos. McAnerney, groceries.....	20	00
P. Connaughton, groceries.....	38	60
S. B. Stuart, etc.....	415	37
P. Joyce, burials.....	37	00

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of L. Greenberger and Sarah J. Baker for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of the Rochester Hoop Company for permission to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

M. O'Brien, labor Front street building.....	\$ 43	00
C. A. Jeffords, safe, Attorney's office.....	75	00
W. Osbury, Morse & Co., paints, sponges, etc.....	17	37
S. Sloan, wax tapers.....	1	00
James Field, repairing flag.....	1	00
A. Metcalf, soft soap.....	3	00
A. Ellwood, keys, etc.....	6	10
Mitchell & Son, glassware.....	17	28
Municipal Gas Co., gas city buildings.....	199	63
E. B. Booth & Sons, repairing clock.....	4	00
Howe & Rogers, carpet Municipal Court.....	53	17

Referred to the City Property Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, Ald. Foley from the Poor and Park Committees, reported favorably the several

bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Rice, from the Wood Building Committee, reported favorably on the petitions of Garrison & Seibert and B. S. Blake, for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Assessment Committee, to whom was referred several petitions relating to taxes and assessments, does hereby report:

First—In the matter of the Free Methodist Society, the facts are: That, after their property, corner of Atwater and Leopold streets, was assessed and before the confirmation of the Assessment Rolls for 1883, the premises was rented to another congregation for religious purposes, and therefore exempt from taxation under the statute. We, herewith, submit a resolution to that effect.

Second—Petition of Geo. G. Clarkson shows that he is assessed for general city taxes, 1883, personal property \$1,000. He claims that he is not the owner of any personal property liable to assessment, which statement your committee believe to be true, and, therefore, recommend that said assessment be canceled.

Third—Alexana Fullam was assessed for the general city taxes of 1883 on personal property to the amount of \$3,500. Her representative before your committee produced proof satisfactory that such personal property had passed from her possession in August, 1881. Your committee therefore recommend that the assessment against Alexana Fullam for personal property be canceled and the amount of the tax charged to erroneous assessments.

Fourth—The petition of Sharon Sherman shows that he has recently purchased the lot No. 7 of the Thomas Moulson sub-division, Ontario street, against which taxes since 1876 remain unpaid. After a careful examination your committee recommend that the amount of said unpaid taxes, as appears upon the sale register, together with interest at seven per cent, be received in full of said taxes and the same canceled.

Your committee submits resolutions in relation to the matters aforementioned and recommend the adoption thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Committee.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the treasurer be and he hereby is directed to cancel the general city tax for 1883, assessed against the property of the Free Methodist church society, corner of Atwater and Leopold streets, and charge Erroneous Assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the city treasurer be directed to cancel the taxes assessed to Geo. G. Clarkson on personal property in 1883, and charge Erroneous Assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the city treasurer be and hereby is directed to cancel the tax assessed to Alexana Fullam on personal property in 1883, amounting to \$69.12, and charge Erroneous Assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the treasurer be authorized to receive of Sharon Sherman the amount of all past due taxes and assessments, with interest at seven per cent. per annum, on lot 7, Thomas Moulson subdivision of lot 53 Farm tract, Ontario street, 10th ward, and cancel the same. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly by unanimous consent presented the following:

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to make the city's note for the sum of \$1,500, under provision of section 81 of the city charter, and procure the same to be discounted, such note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee, the proceeds thereof to be credited to the city property fund and discount to be charged to contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—13.

By Ald. Strouss—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—About one year ago the City of Rochester purchased a considerable amount of property of the Rochester Water company represented by the estate of the late Dr. J. C. Ayer of Lowell, Mass.

This purchase comprised the mills at Hemlock Lake village, and the lands, houses and lots connected therewith, also the lands including both outlets to Hemlock Lake, from said lake northerly to the Hoppough mill pond, a distance of about 1,350 feet; also the lot of farming land containing about 19 acres near the Hemlock Lake village cemetery; also the house and lot at junction of South and Reservoir avenues in the City of Rochester; also a line of 12 inch water pipe in Plymouth avenue in this city, of the estimated value of \$5,500, in use as a part of our water system, and also all of the other water pipes, gates, specials and hydrants, laid and set by said water company in the streets of this city. It was expected that at the earliest convenient opportunity thereafter the city of Rochester would offer the said property for sale to the highest bidder, reserving to itself all the property and other rights, which it might deem advisable to reserve for the proper control, operation and maintenance of its water works system. As the dam connected with said property is in a dilapidated condition, as are also the mills, houses and other structures connected therewith, and the repairs and maintenance of the same will involve large immediate expenditures by the owner, with possible large contingent damages to farms, mills, bridges, and dwellings, the dam should be a girdle way, seems that the time has now arrived when it is both prudent and desirable that the property should be sold with the reservations desired, and particularly indicated hereafter.

The City Attorney has been consulted and expresses himself satisfied that the reservations hereinafter specified, cover all the property and rights in the said property which it is desirable or proper for the city to retain.

Of the purchase made of the Rochester Water Company by the city, it is proposed to reserve from the sale, the following described property and other rights:

1. The 12-inch water main now in use in Plymouth Avenue; and also, the other water pipes, gates, specials and hydrants laid and set by the Rochester Water Company in the streets of the city of Rochester.
2. The house and lot situate at junction of South and Reservoir avenues, in the city of Rochester.
3. A strip of land thirty feet in width on each side of the Rochester Water Works conduit wherever it extends through any of the lots or parcels of land included in the schedules "A" and "B" of the printed notice of sale hereto appended.
4. A frame dwelling house erected on said lands of the village of Hemlock Lake, erected by Thomas Bates, reserving to him the right to remove the same at any time within six months from date of sale.
5. All the land lots, channels, bulkheads, gates, and other rights the city may now have from the foot of Hemlock Lake, northwardly to and including the junction of the Canadice outlets with the mill pond included in the printed notice of sale, a distance of about 1,350 feet.
6. The right to fill up the artificial bulkhead and channel at the foot of Hemlock Lake, so that all water passing into said mill pond from Hemlock Lake shall pass through the natural outlet of said lake.
7. All the rights the city now has in and to the control and management of the flow of water from Hemlock and Canadice Lakes and through the outlets thereof.

We therefore respectfully recommend that the Executive Board and the Water Works Committee of the Common Council be authorized to receive proffers for the purchase of said property on the 21st day of January, 1884, in accordance with the printed notice herewith attached; and for the purpose of enabling them to carry out this recommendation we request the Common Council to pass the resolution hereto annexed.

BYRON HOLLEY,
S. B. WILLIAMS,
GEO. W. ALDRIDGE,
Executive Board.
E. STROUSS,
HENRY RICE,
J. MILLER KELLY,
Water Works Com.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the Executive Board, with the concurrence of the Water Works Committee of this Council, be and it is hereby authorized and directed to give public notice that sealed proffers will be received by

it, in accordance with the terms of the printed notice this day submitted to this Council, for the purchase of the property belonging to the City of Rochester, therein described and indicated, and to report to the Common Council at its first regular meeting after the receipt of said proffers, the result thereof, that the said Council may take such action in the premises as it may deem advisable and proper. Adopted.

CUSTOM FLOURING MILL AND SAW MILL FOR SALE

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
Water Works Department, Rochester, Dec. 23, '83. }

Notice is hereby given that the city of Rochester, N. Y., offers for sale the custom flouring mill and the saw mill and various other pieces of property consisting of a mill dam and mill pond, flowing about 120 acres, 3 houses and lots, and certain vacant lots, trallaces from mills, &c., &c., more particularly indicated below, situate in the town of Livonia, Livingston county, N. Y., familiarly known as the Hoppough Mill property. For this purpose sealed proffers for purchase of said property will be received by the Executive Board at their office, room No. 23, in the City Hall, in the city of Rochester, N. Y., until 10 a. m., of Monday, January 21st, 1884. Terms cash.

Description of property to be sold under the terms of the foregoing notice:

All that tract of land situate at and in the vicinity of Hemlock Lake village, in town of Livonia, Livingston county, N. Y., covered by the several conveyances hereinafter enumerated as modified by the reservations also hereinafter indicated.

SCHEDULE "A."

1. By deed, dated December 26th, 1853, from Josiah Short and wife, Wm. Gilbert and wife and Amos Dixon, assignee, to M. D. F. Hoppough—Conveys one-half of mill pond and land adjacent on south side of pond and outlet both east and west of Lima road.
2. By deed, dated July 6th, 1853, from Amos Dixon and Wm. S. Gilbert and wife to Marquis D. F. Hoppough—Conveys a vacant lot on west side of Lima road north of the flouring mill.
3. By deed, dated June 15th, 1853, from Wm. Smith and wife to M. D. F. Hoppough—Conveys one-half of mill pond and the flouring mill on north side of mill pond.
4. By deed dated March 30, 1857, from Ira Justin and wife to M. D. F. Hoppough—Conveys the mill house dwelling formerly occupied by M. D. F. Hoppough and located on east side of Lima road north of Clay street.
5. By deed, dated March 23, 1865, from George W. Glazier and wife, to M. D. F. Hoppough—Conveys the mill house dwelling north of No. 4.
6. By deed, dated April 1st, 1856, from Noah Short and wife, to M. D. F. Hoppough—Conveys a triangular lot east of Lima road, extending from Gore line to the cemetery.
7. By deed, dated May 25th, 1857, from Stephen Stocking to M. D. F. Hoppough—Conveys triangular lot extending south from cemetery.
8. By deed dated November 7th, 1882, from M. D. F. Hoppough and wife, to the City of Rochester—Conveys a lot of 3 acres lying between No. 6 and Clay street.
9. By deed, dated June 26th, 1855, from Wm. Bowen and wife, to M. D. F. Hoppough—Conveys a lot in the channel of and along the north side of Outlet, east of Lima Road and extending to the Gore line.
10. By deed, dated January 26th, 1863, from George Thayer, executor, &c., to M. D. F. Hoppough—Conveys lot occupied by trallace of flouring mill on the west of the Lima Road.
11. By indenture, dated Feb. 10th, 1855, from Henry A. Millard, to M. D. F. Hoppough—Conveys a certain privilege in trallace near flouring mill.
12. By deed, dated August 10th, 1870, from David Hoppough and wife, to Wm. R. Utley—Conveys lot in Outlet east of Lima Road.
13. By deed, dated August 10th, 1870, from Ruel L. Blake, to Wm. R. Utley—Conveys lot in Outlet east of Lima Road, being undivided half of No. 12.

SCHEDULE "B."

1. By deed, dated Feb. 24th, 1872, from Edwin A. Nash, to Samuel H. Northrup—Conveys 21 acres of land, including cemetery. The cemetery being reserved.
- The city will reserve from the sale of these several lots and parcels of land, the fee of a strip of land extending 80 feet wide on each side of the Rochester Water Works conduit wherever it passes through the said lots, but granting to the purchaser the right to occupy and use the said strip of land so reserved in any way, which in the opinion of the officers of the Water Works will not prove detrimental to or imperil said conduit, at all times when the said strip of land is not needed for purposes of repair and renewal, or improvement of said conduit or its appurtenances.

The city will also reserve from sale the frame dwelling-house recently erected on said property enumerated in Schedule "A," by Thomas Bates, the blacksmith, and the right for him to remove the same off the said property at any time within six months from the date of the legal transfer by the city of said property to the purchaser under this notice.

The city will reserve any and all rights it may have in and to any land, lots or property extending from Hemlock Lake northerly to and including the junction of Canadice Lake outlet with the said mill pond.

The city will require separate proffers for the lands enumerated in schedules "A" and "B." The city also specifically reserves the right to fill up the artificial bulkhead and channel at foot of Hemlock Lake, so that all water passing into said mill pond from Hemlock Lake shall pass through the natural outlet.

The city also reserves all its rights in the control and management of the flow of water from Canadice Lake and through the outlet thereof.

The city will require that a price in gross be proffered for all the property enumerated in schedule "A," as it will not be sold in parcels, but as a whole. The same is true of the property named in schedule "B."

The property designated in schedule "A" is all of the property formerly used in connection with said mills by Marquis D. F. Hoppough, and sold by him to the Rochester Water Company, with the exception of the reservations herein stated.

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1884.

By Aid. Archer—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

Chas. W. Carroll, serving redemption notices..	96 00
Williamson & Higbie, stationery, City Attorney	43 23
.. .. . Municipal Court.	23 75
.. .. . Treasurer's office.	16 40
John H. McCall, services in city cases.....	42 20
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Jan. Sth.....	15 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	\$ 330 62
Joseph Schleyer, meat.....	200 00
P. Kleinhaus, meat.....	25 00
Geo. Oppel, bread.....	22 12
Mary Flannigan, rent.....	9 00
Charles Englert, rent.....	10 00
Richard Hinds, beans.....	7 86
Wm. Moran, repairing stoves.....	5 95
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	63 50
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care, Dec.....	\$2,373 91
Citizens' Gas Co., setting posts, &c.....	39 06
Rochester Gas Light Co. lighting and care, Dec.	1,656 58
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Thomas McCormick, painting Front street building.....	599 52
Minges & Shale, furniture.....	68 00
M. E. Wolf, insurance on boilers.....	20 00
Burke, FitzSimons, Hone & Co., supplies, Mayor's office.....	2 60
Joan Vanderwerf, labor and material.....	2 23
Charles Little, repairs.....	2 00
C. A. Jerfords, safe for Attorney's office.....	75 00
Michael O'Brien, labor City Building.....	48 00
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

A. G. Wheeler, salary for Dec., 1883.....	\$ 300 00
Frederick Zimmer,	83 33
Jacob Howe, Jr.,	88 33

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR DECEMBER, 1883.

Alex. M'Leau.....	130 00
Ferry Marzluff.....	85 00
Samuel Brown.....	85 00
Thos. Lynch.....	85 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.....	85 00
P. C. Kavanagh.....	85 00
Thos. A. Burchill.....	85 00
Henry Baker.....	85 00
Chas. M'Cormick.....	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth.....	85 00
John C. Hayden.....	85 00
Frank B. Allen.....	85 00
John H. Dana.....	75 00
Wm. H. White.....	75 00
Ed. Van Voorhis.....	75 00
Thos. Dukelow.....	75 00
John C. M'Quatters, 29 days.....	72 50
Fred. Griebel.....	75 00
John M. Reiss, 29 days.....	72 50

Frank S. Skuse.....	75 00
W. R. M'Arthur.....	75 00
Hugh Clark.....	75 00
Jacob Frank.....	75 00
John Waneman.....	75 00
John McLaughan.....	75 00
Geo. Hofner.....	85 00
Chas. Siefert.....	75 00
George Long.....	75 00
Joseph Baker.....	75 00
Daniel Goulding.....	105 00
Hugh Johnston, 24 days.....	84 00
Joseph F. Cleary.....	108 33
.. .. .	100 00
.. .. .	85 00
Benj. C. Furrinerer.....	85 00
Nicholas J. Tos.....	85 00
John B. Davis.....	85 00
John A. Baird.....	85 00
Mich. Hyland.....	75 00
Oliver Duver, 29 days.....	72 50
.. .. .	75 00
Ralph Benson.....	75 00
Andrew Connolly.....	75 00
Robt. Burns.....	75 00
Jacob Harter.....	75 00
Wm. P. O'Neil.....	75 00
John Mitchell.....	75 00
Ed. McDonough.....	75 00
Jos. Sr. Heller, 29 days.....	72 50
Wm. M'Keivrey.....	75 00
Robt. M'Keey.....	75 00
Michael Brady.....	75 00
Chas. E. Fowler.....	75 00
Robert Sioan.....	75 00
John Dean.....	75 00
.. .. .	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson.....	75 00
Wm. Burgess.....	75 00
James P. Flynn.....	75 00
Michael Cain.....	75 00
Charles W. Peart.....	75 00
Chas. Hart.....	75 00
Wm. Linn.....	75 00
Michael Hynd.....	75 00
Henry D. Shove.....	75 00
Louis Nold.....	75 00
Peter Hess.....	75 00
Oliver A. Youle.....	75 00
Frederick Kibbut.....	75 00
Hiram.....	75 00
John E. McDermott.....	75 00
Patk. J. Cummings.....	75 00
Benj. L. Stetson.....	75 00
Patk. Caulfield.....	75 00
Patk. Culligan.....	75 00
Jerome P. Dowd, 29 days.....	72 50
Wm. Murray.....	75 00
Michael Enns.....	75 00
John Sullivan.....	75 00
Dennis Hogan.....	75 00
James E. Ryan.....	75 00
John Yaman.....	75 00
Mich. Zimmerman.....	75 00
Geo. H. Kron.....	75 00
George Laese.....	75 00
Henry Baker, Jr.....	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick.....	75 00
Wm. Hillard.....	75 00
Fred'k Walter.....	75 00
Ed. O'Laughlin.....	75 00
George Bletzer, 25 days.....	62 50
Georn Mohr.....	75 00
John A. Wallace.....	75 00
Geo. Kleisley, 28 days.....	70 00
Thos. Crouch.....	75 00
John H. Mason.....	75 00
Jacob Markey.....	65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.....	125 00
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER.

OFFICES, CITY HALL, Jan. 7, 1884.

To the Common Council:
The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment; as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.
Geo. F. Flannery, printing annual report.....\$ 165 90

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Henry Flake, hardware.....	\$ 3 10
C. J. Hayden & Co., hammer handles.....	4 80
Goodale & Stiles, lamps and supplies.....	5 20
John R. Smy, harness repairs, &c.....	1 15
A. C. Bowen, gravel and earth.....	10 00
McConnell & Jones, grading streets.....	75 00
McConnell & Jones, repairing.....	574 50
McConnell & Jones, crosswalks.....	323 75
David Clancy, gravel.....	3 50
Lycell ave. bridge approaches, overcharge Dec.	

10th.....	44 62
	\$1,045 62
<i>Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.</i>	
Weekly pay rolls, Jan. 3.....	\$140 00
10.....	140 00
Frank P. Crouch, final estimate for pipe-line in May st.....	280 00
William Dyer, final estimate for pipe-line in Culver park.....	243 08
Howe & Snyder, material for w. i. pipe-line in Good Court.....	23 15
John N. Gowes, gate wteches.....	19 04
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, stop gate stones. Street Department, connecting pipe systems with motor at Lyell ave. lift bridge.....	772 61
	\$1,355 83

<i>Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.</i>	
Weekly pay rolls, Jan. 3.....	\$ 799 61
10.....	798 11
	\$1,597 72
Thomas J. Neville, office expense.....	13 30
Samuel Sloan, labor and material.....	49 84
Union & Advertiser Co., printing.....	64 00
George F. Plannery.....	16 50
Henry Flake, weather ttrips.....	1 08
Howe & Snyder, work and material.....	15 00
Goodale & Stiles, supplies.....	1 95
John R. Smy, repairing harness, etc.....	9 90
Wm. B. Burke, hardware, iron, et.....	45 40
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, material and labor.....	74 48
Morris Bortle, posts and levers.....	21 00
Alling Brothers, leather.....	61 24
National Meter Co., meters.....	99 00
M. J. Bunnell, Co. Clerk, searches, Livingston County.....	50 00
James Johnson, insurance.....	105 00
Rochester German Ins. Co., insurance.....	60 20
A. C. McCall, services in Honeoye Creek suits.....	55 00
G. F. Slocum,	162 85
	\$2,508 46

<i>Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.</i>	
A. Elwood, repairs gong, etc.....	1 50
Samuel Sloan, engine.....	1 40
Stone & Campbell, millfeed.....	2 81
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay.....	14 22
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	21 57
Smith, Perkins & Co., brooms.....	9 00
Bell Telephone Co., rent of Telephone.....	25 00
A. V. Smith, double harness.....	110 00
S. P. Rousseau, repairing harness.....	19 15
F. E. Handy, labor fire tel.....	24 00
C. F. Paine & Co., chemicals fire tel.....	1 60
E. L. Northrop, damages.....	9 53
Heveron & Hyde, estimate N. 4 for North Clinton st. station.....	1,099 00
John J. Kolb, ringing alarms.....	51 25
	\$1,889 20

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—12.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—
 OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 5, 1883.
 To the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN—In the matter of negotiations for the purchase of lands for the extension of Pinnacle avenue, which was referred to the Executive Board, said Board would say that it has been unable to consummate such negotiations so as to submit a final report at this meeting of your Honorable Body, and would therefore respectfully ask further time.
 Respectfully submitted, GEO. B. HARRIS,
 Acting Clerk.

Further time was granted.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 1st, 1884. }

To the Common Council:
 I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law,
 1. Monthly report, showing the expenditures by this Board, for all purposes, during the month of December, 1883.
 2. Monthly statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of this Board at the present time.
 Respectfully submitted,
 THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the amount expended by the Executive Board, for all purposes, during the month ending December 31, 1883.

<i>Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.</i>	
Executive Board orders, for labor.....	\$3,896 16
order for interest on Water Works bonds.....	30,000 00
Orders for bills and estimates passed by the Common Council at sessions of December 11 and 26.....	37,963 60
Total.....	\$ 71,861 76

<i>CLASSIFICATION.</i>	
Highway fund.....	\$ 4,467 25
Water Pipe fund.....	4,256 37
Water Works fund.....	5,850 67
Interest on bonds.....	30,000 00
Fire Department fund.....	8,386 14
Local Improvement funds.....	16,771 08
Salary and expense.....	630 25
	\$ 71,861 76

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board on the 31st day of December, 1883.

<i>Dr. Balances:</i>	
Local improvement Funds.....	63,877 80
Street sprinkling funds.....	20,892 02
Sidewalk Repair funds.....	2,009 95
Total.....	\$86,779 77

<i>Cr. Balances:</i>	
City Treasurer.....	\$ 21,333 82
Highway Fund.....	5,750 75
Water Pipe Fund.....	25,210 21
Water Works Fund.....	14,664 37
Water Works Fund (Special).....	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.....	15,173 62
Salary and Expense Fund.....	3,142 03
Total.....	\$86,779 77

Ordered received, filed and published.

The Clerk reported that the pay rolls of the Executive Board, excepting the Fire Department roll, had been filed with him in the form of weekly pay rolls.

Ald. Archer moved that the rolls be returned to the Executive Board to be condensed to a monthly pay roll. Adopted.

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PAY ROLLS FOR DECEMBER, 1883.

<i>Operating Expenses.</i>			
Names.	Service.	Time.	Am't.
J. Nelson Tubbs, engineer.....		4 weeks	\$57 53 \$280 12
T. J. Neville, clerk.....		4 "	34 52 138 08
F. E. Witherspoon, clerk.....		4 "	23 01 92 04
William N. Tubbs, clerk.....		4 "	19 18 76 72
J. Kavanagh, clerk.....		4 "	18 41 73 64
J. B. Davis, clerk.....		4 "	18 41 73 64
F. D. Ayers, clerk.....		4 "	17 26 69 04
P. H. Callahan, clerk.....		4 "	17 00 68 00
M. Race, clerk.....		4 "	15 00 60 00
M. W. Conway, clerk.....		4 "	15 00 60 00
W. McCarthy, clerk.....		4 "	9 00 36 00
F. C. Holbrook, clerk.....		4 "	6 75 27 00
L. W. Daus, clerk.....		4 "	6 00 24 00
C. W. Barnes, clerk.....		4 "	16 30 65 20
Geo. B. Harris, clerk.....		4 "	26 85 107 40
S. C. McKay, foreman.....		4 "	28 76 115 04
H. Jones, engineer pump house.....		4 "	23 01 92 04
James Glavey.....		4 "	13 81 55 24
P. J. McCracken, helper pump house.....		4 "	13 81 55 24
P. J. Healey, helper pump house.....		4 "	12 00 48 00
D. S. Alsted, gate keeper.....		4 "	12 00 48 00
W. Mengerink, gate keeper.....		4 "	12 00 48 00
Alex. Gray, gate keeper.....		4 "	12 00 48 00
Thos. M. Blossom, gate keeper.....		4 "	16 00 64 00
R. Crennell, overseer.....		4 "	16 00 64 00
S. H. Oviatt, overseer.....		4 "	16 00 64 00

<i>Service and Repairs.</i>			
P. C. Fleming, machinist.....	4 weeks	18 00	72 00
L. T. Lidster, plumber.....	4 "	15 00	60 00
H. Weber, inspector.....	4 "	15 00	60 00
F. Curran, watchman.....	4 "	15 00	60 00
Wm. McCarthy, inspector.....	4 "	15 00	60 00
R. N. Warfield, fusher.....	4 "	15 00	60 00
A. Knobles, inspector.....	4 "	15 00	60 00
W. H. Plant, repairing trenches.....	4 "	13 50	54 00
C. N. Rontier, service man.....	4 "	13 00	52 00
P. McKenna,	4 "	13 00	52 00

J. Gallagher, ..	4	**	12 00	48 00
P. Lick, ..	4	**	12 00	48 00
Jas. Smith, ..	4	**	12 00	48 00
M. Dubelbeiss, tapper.....	4	**	12 00	48 00
J. King, service man.....	4	**	12 00	48 00
J. Rawlings, blacksmith.....	4	**	12 00	48 00
C. B. Schlager, inspector.....	4	**	12 00	48 00
F. McKenna, tool man.....	4	**	11 50	46 00
G. F. Johnson, hostler.....	4	**	11 50	46 00
M. Schneider, service man.....	2	**	10 50	21 00
T. McKenna, ..	2	**	11 00	22 00
P. Guinan, ..	2	**	11 00	22 00
A. Burbott, ..	2	**	10 50	21 00
Jas. Donlon, ..	2	**	11 00	22 00
C. Hawley, ..	4	**	9 00	36 00
J. Thomas, ..	2	**	9 00	18 00
J. Cox, ..	4	**	9 00	36 00

William Boon, foreman.....	**	Hook 2	75 00
Frank Spears, tillerman.....	**		60 00
Chas. Whitbeck, driver.....	**		60 00
John McCormick, ladderman..	**		60 00
Edward Huck ..	**		60 00
Thomas Whitley ..	**		60 00
Sharon Sherman ..	**		60 00
James Lynch ..	**		60 00
Fred Howard ..	**		60 00
Charles Armstrong, driver.....	**	Prots	60 00
M. S. Butler ..	**		60 00
George Whitbeck, extra.....	**		60 00

\$3,422 88

STREET DEPARTMENT PAY ROLL.

FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1888.

Name.	Kind of Service.	Time.	Price.	Am't.
Anthony, John, laborer.....	1 1/2 days	1 25	1 88	
Brasch, Valentine, carpenter....	2 days	2 00	4 00	
Brown, Jacob, laborer.....	15 "	1 25	18 75	
Bowes, Patrick ..	8 "	1 25	10 00	
Boylan, Patrick ..	6 "	1 25	7 50	
Boylan, Hugh ..	6 "	1 25	6 00	
Ball, Patrick ..	10 "	1 25	12 50	
Buschalic, Chas. ..	11 "	1 50	16 50	
Buschalic, Henry ..	8 "	1 25	10 00	
Buckley, Thomas ..	15 1/2 "	1 50	23 63	
Bauerlein, Peter ..	18 "	1 37 1/2	24 75	
Butler, James ..	1 day	1 25	1 25	
Bauer, John ..	1 1/2 days	1 50	27 75	
Buff, Michael ..	3 1/2 "	1 25	4 37 1/2	
Bergan, John ..	12 1/2 "	1 50	18 75	
Burbott, Geor.e ..	8 "	1 50	12 00	
Bien, Conrad ..	4 1/2 "	1 25	5 63	
Burke, Wm. ..	4 "	1 25	5 00	
Butler, John ..	1 "	1 25	1 25	
Baker, John ..	2 1/2 "	1 25	3 13	
Birmingham, John ..	11 "	1 25	13 75	
Bauer, William, bridge tender..	4-7 week	11 51	6 58	
Connors, Lawrence laborer.....	8 days	1 25	10 00	
Coles, James ..	1 "	1 25	1 25	
Calligan, John ..	9 "	1 25	11 25	
Cochrane, Jeremiah ..	2 "	1 25	6 25	
Cox, James ..	9 "	1 25	20 40	
Clancey, Michael ..	5 "	1 25	6 25	
Caverish, Joseph ..	8 1/2 "	1 25	10 63	
Clancey, James ..	4 1/2 "	1 25	5 63	
Callihan, Dennis ..	3 "	1 25	3 75	
Carroll, Dennis ..	4 "	1 25	5 00	
Coslin, John ..	1 1/2 "	1 25	8 75	
Callihan, Thomas ..	7 1/2 "	1 25	18 38	
Cosgrove, Patrick ..	4 "	1 25	5 00	
Connor, Robert ..	6 "	1 25	7 50	
Connell, Joseph ..	3 1/4 "	1 25	4 06	
Coffey, Jas. ..	1 "	1 25	1 25	
Callaghan, John ..	1 "	1 25	1 25	
Chesman, Geo. insp. of walks 10	1 "	2 00	20 00	
Cleary, Michal laborer ..	2-7wks	11 51	3 29	
Conway, Patrick, bridge tender	2-7wks	11 51	3 29	
Carroll, Wm. J. ..	2-7 "	11 51	3 29	
Casey, Michael laborer ..	1 day	1 25	1 25	
Daly, John ..	5 "	1 25	6 25	
Dwyer, John ..	6 "	1 25	7 50	
Daly, Pat'k ..	4 "	1 25	5 00	
Dougherty, Martin ..	1 "	1 25	1 25	
Delaney, Patrick ..	9 "	1 25	11 25	
Daus, Louis clerk ..	4 weeks	6 75	27 00	
Devereaux, John laborer ..	2 days	1 25	2 50	
Dowd, Geo. M., insp. s. wks. ..	19 "	2 00	38 00	
Daly, Michael, laborer ..	1 "	1 25	1 25	
Eisenhauer, John ..	13 1/4 "	1 50	27 00	
Ermentrout, Chas. ..	14 1/4 "	1 50	21 38	
Eaton, Edward, ..	11 "	1 25	13 75	
Freidel, Jos. foreman.....	4 weeks	21 00	84 00	
Frankenberger, J. laborer.....	5 days	1 50	12 00	
Feehy, Michael ..	8 "	1 25	6 25	
Frank, Nicholas ..	3 "	1 25	3 75	
Fogarty, Patrick ..	1 "	1 25	1 25	
Falconer, Alexander ..	3 "	1 25	3 25	
Fitsch, Martin ..	3 "	1 25	3 75	
Geib, John ..	23 "	1 50	34 50	
Geib, Jacob ..	15 1/2 "	1 50	23 25	
Gosnell, James ..	6 "	1 25	7 50	
Gallagher, Domen ..	4 "	1 25	5 00	
Gleason, Wm. ..	4 "	1 25	5 00	
Geist, John ..	4 "	1 25	5 00	
Gaertner, Adam ..	6 "	1 25	7 50	
Garvey, James ..	10 "	1 25	12 50	
Gottschalk, Ferden ..	4 1/2 "	1 25	5 63	
Grinder, Jas. ..	5 1/2 "	1 25	6 88	
Gleichauf, J. B. ..	1 day	1 25	1 25	
Holahan, James foreman ..	4 weeks	18 00	72 00	
Hook, Alex'r bridge tender. 2-7	7 "	11 51	8 29	
Harris, Geo. B. clerk ..	4 "	16 30	65 20	
Harty, Joseph, laborer ..	5 days	1 25	6 25	
Harrington, Dn'l laborer.....	4 days,	1 25	5 00	
Hunt, George ..	7 "	1 25	8 75	
Hunt, Wm. ..	4 1/2 "	1 25	5 94	
Hepfer, Adam ..	7 "	1 25	8 75	
Hennessey, Patrick ..	7 "	1 25	11 25	
Hogan, Michael ..	7 "	1 25	8 75	
Holden, Levi ..	9 "	1 25	11 25	

Water Pipe Extension.

R. J. Smith, engineer.....	1-7w'ks	\$26 47	\$ 3 78
Geo. W. Rafter, ..	4 "	30 50	122 00
W. N. Nadenhurst, ..	3 6-7 "	30 50	117 61
T. H. Rogers, draughtsman.....	4 "	15 00	60 00
J. McMahon, inspector.....	4 "	18 00	72 00
W. A. Anderson, ..	4 "	18 00	72 00
M. K. Gannon, pipe receiver....	4 "	13 50	54 00
F. M. Hills, clerk.....	4 "	11 50	46 00

\$1,312 00

\$947 42

Conduit Line - Repairs to leaks at Cyrene Hollow, Dec. 10, as reported by Robert Crennell, Overseer, Sec. 1.

J. King, laborer.....	1 day	\$1 50	\$1 50
E. R. Yawman, ..	1 "	1 50	1 50
B. Amsden, ..	1 "	1 50	1 50
H. Cullen, ..	1 "	1 50	1 50
N. Wes, ..	1 "	1 50	1 50
O. Courtney, ..	1 "	1 50	1 50
C. Courtney, ..	1 "	1 50	1 50
W. King, ..	1 "	1 50	1 50
S. Wilcox, team, ..	2 25	2 25	2 25

\$14 25

Repairs on Section 2, Reported by S. H. Oviatt, Overseer.

W. Thompson, laborer.....	1 day	1 50	1 50
J. Sullivan, ..	1 "	1 50	1 50
Charles Sterling, lab'r and team 1	3 00	3 00	3 00

\$6 00

Total..... \$20 25

Passed by Executive Board (for labor) Dec. 14, 1888.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PAY ROLL THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1888.

Names.	Service.	Time.	Comp'y.	Am't.
L. S. Gibson, Chief Dept'm't.	31 days			\$166 67
Sam'l Bemish, Ass't ..				100 00
Jas. Malcomb, ..				60 00
Jas. Hartel, foreman.....	No. 1			75 00
Michael Lumber, driver.....				60 00
Edward Colbert, hoseman.....				60 00
John McDermett ..				60 00
Geo. A. Mumford ..				60 00
F. A. Jaques, foreman.....	No. 2			75 00
Edgar Tobor, driver.....				60 00
Charles Weaver, hoseman.....				60 00
J. B. Teller, ..				60 00
J. H. Carey ..				60 00
John P. Topham, foreman.....	No. 3			75 00
F. R. McCord, driver.....				60 00
Andrew Nolan, hoseman.....				60 00
Leo. White ..				60 00
G. F. Gretton ..				60 00
Thos. Cole, foreman.....	No. 4.			75 00
Bernard Kerney, driver ..				5 00
G. E. Baker, hoseman.....				60 00
Thos. Irwin ..				60 00
Edward Engel ..				60 00
Nicholas Oldfield, foreman....	Extr.			75 00
Ralph Pendelbury, pipeman....				70 00
Edmund Barker, asst. ..				65 00
Joseph Dremel, driver.....				60 00
J. P. Forman, supt. hose.....	Dept.			70 00
G. E. Miller, asst. ..				60 00
C. F. Fimegan, Supt. tel.....				14 66
Joseph Ringelstein, foreman....	Hook 1			75 00
Thomas W. Rice, tillerman.....				60 00
James Sneider, driver.....				51 00
P. O'Meara, ladderman.....				60 00
William Fogarty ..				60 00
Frank Huck ..				60 00
James H. Lynch ..				60 00
James Haysen ..				60 00
August Weigel ..				60 00

Hawkins, John	10	1 25	12 50
Hennesy, John	12	1 25	15 00
Hugenberger, John	3	1 25	3 75
Hickey, John	15	1 25	18 75
Kase, John B., carpenter	15 1/2	2 25	34 88
Kraft, William, toolman	41-14 wks	11 50	46 96
Kilpeck, Martin	15	1 50	22 50
Knopfer, Joseph	10	1 25	12 50
Kelly, Michael	1	1 25	1 25
Koehler, Fredrick	1	1 37 1/2	19 59
Kosban, Herman	11 1/2	1 50	16 88
Kelly, John	3	1 25	3 75
Kinney, Thomas	14	1 25	17 50
Kelly, Patrick	10	1 25	12 50
Kirby, Robert	11	1 25	13 75
Kuhn, Peter	5	1 25	6 25
Luttry, Chas.	10 1/2	1 25	13 13
Leonard, Thomas	2	1 25	2 50
Loveland, Joseph	1	1 25	1 25
Lavis, John	2	1 25	2 50
Leatchworth, W.	3 1/2	1 25	4 38
Lang, Charles	10	1 25	12 50
McMahon, M. J., Insp. S. walks	24	2 00	54 00
McIntyre, Wm., paver	2	2 00	4 00
McIntyre, Wm., laborer	2	1 50	3 00
McMahon, John, laborer	19	1 25	23 75
McCarthy, Wm.	3 1/2	1 25	4 38
McInerney, John	5	1 25	6 25
McDermott, P.	3	1 25	3 75
McEale, Michael	3	1 25	3 75
McLoughlin, Daniel	1	1 25	1 25
McMahon, Michael	3	1 25	3 75
McCarthy, Hugh	7 1/4	1 50	10 88
McCarthy, John 1st.	8 1/2	1 25	8 13
McCarthy, John 2d.	4	1 25	5 00
McCarthy, John 2d.	9 1/2	1 50	14 25
McArthur, Peter	3	1 25	3 75
McGinn, Patk.	1	1 25	1 25
McAveney, Barnard	1	1 25	1 25
Moore, J. H. S. W. inspector	24	2 25	54 00
Mulligan, James, laborer	12 1/4	1 25	15 31
Moore, Samuel	19	1 50	28 50
Mulqueen, Mich.	4	1 25	5 00
Murphy, Patrick	4	1 25	5 00
Muldoon, Wm.	11 1/2	1 25	14 38
Mulryan, Jno.	3	1 25	3 75
Maloney, M.	1	1 25	1 25
Maken, Jacob	6 1/2	1 25	8 13
Marrinan, Patk.	1	1 25	1 25
Murphy, Patk., bridge tender	6-7wk	11 51	9 87
Maxwell, Geo. laborer	10 ds	1 25	12 50
Mason, Michael	1	1 25	1 25
Manchen, Jacob	3 1/2	1 25	4 38
Mertz, Michael	4 1/2	1 25	5 31
Nolan, Andrew	2 1/2	1 25	3 13
Needham, Thomas	11	1 25	13 75
O'Brien, Terence	15	1 50	22 50
O'Brien, Michael	2	1 25	2 50
O'Donnell, Miles	2	1 25	2 50
O'Reilly, M.	3 1/2	1 25	4 38
Oster, Jacob	2	1 25	2 50
Pyne, John	5	1 25	6 25
Pfeiffer, John	5	1 25	6 25
Pagelo, John	11	1 25	13 75
Painter, Robt.	9	1 25	11 25
Palen, Wm.	5	1 25	6 25
Reeder, Peter carpenter	18 1/2	2 00	37 00
Reeder, Ferdinand, labour	7	1 25	8 75
Root, Jason laborer	19	1 00	28 50
Ryan, Michael	5	1 25	6 25
Rittenbacher, Martin	15	1 50	22 50
Roth, Henry paver	13	2 00	26 00
Roth, Henry laborer	2	1 50	3 00
Ryan, Thomas laborer	5	1 25	6 25
Reynolds, G.H. sup't of st's.	4 weeks	34 52	138 08
Rossney, Ed. foreman	4	18 00	72 00
Russell M. S.	11 days	2 00	22 00
Russell, M. S. asst.	8	1 50	12 00
Reynolds, H. laborer	3	1 25	3 75
Smith, John W. pilot s. roller	1 1/2	2 50	29 37
Steinhauser, W. J. clerk	4 weeks	21 10	84 40
Stenzel, Chas. laborer	2 1/2 days	1 87 1/2	3 44
Sullivan Jeremiah	14 1/2	1 50	21 75
Sweetman, Rich'd	7	1 25	8 75
Scheurman, A.	6	1 25	7 50
Stecker, John	5	1 25	6 25
Smith, John	6	1 25	7 50
Smith, Frederick	3	1 25	3 75
Straub, John	1	1 25	1 25
Sweeny, John	3	1 25	3 75
Siebert, Henry	5	1 25	6 25
Scheuer, Adam	10	1 50	15 00
Spillane Thomas	2	1 25	2 50
Swantow, James	6	1 25	7 50
Skelly, Luke ass't foreman	6	1 50	9 00
Sheridan, Thos., laborer	1	1 25	1 25
Schlager, Fred.	11 1/2	1 50	17 25
Scoville, Henry, bridge tender	2-7 week	11 51	3 29
Sainty, John, laborer	4 days	1 25	5 00
Tafe, James	6	1 25	7 50
Tobel, Michael	3	1 25	3 75
Underhill, Geo., bridge tender	2.5-7 week	11 51	31 24

Varley, Michael, laborer	2 days	1 25	2 50
Welch, James	7	1 25	8 75
Welsler, John	6	1 25	7 50
Webber, Jacob	3	1 25	3 75
White, John	2 1/2	1 25	3 13
Weilert, Otto	1	1 25	1 25
Weilert, Fred'k	1	1 25	1 25
Wyland, J. L., assist. foreman	9	1 50	13 50
Weider, John, laborer	1	1 25	1 25
Westberry, James, laborer	3	1 25	10 20
Whitebeck, Orrin, Eng. S. roller	12 1/2	2 50	30 62
Young, John, laborer	1 1/2	1 25	1 88

<i>Teamsters.</i>			
Brown, Thomas	13 days	3 50	45 50
Beyer, Peter	14	3 00	6 00
Beyer, Peter	14	3 50	49 00
Bradley, Patrick	9 1/2	3 00	8 25
Bradley, Patrick	9 1/2	3 50	32 25
Booth, R. A.	2 1/2	3 00	6 00
Booth, R. A.	2 1/2	3 50	47 25
Commons, George	6	3 00	6 00
Commons, George	1	3 00	21 00
Crissy, George	8	3 50	3 00
Cole, George	13	3 50	28 00
Cole, George	13	3 50	45 50
Dirkes, Wm.	1	3 00	6 00
Dirkes, Wm.	1	3 50	38 50
Eble, Joseph	12	3 00	3 00
Eble, Joseph	12	3 50	42 00
Harty, Peter	2	3 00	6 00
Harty, Peter	11	3 50	38 50
Hox, Wm	3	3 00	9 00
Hox, Wm	11	3 50	38 50
Hollis, Wm	13	3 50	42 00
Holahan, Thos.	12 1/4	3 00	36 75
Holahan, Thos.	5	2 75	13 75
Hartel, Geo.	7	3 50	24 50
Hartel, Geo.	7	3 00	3 00
Kennedy, Martin	5	3 50	17 50
Kennedy, Martin	1	3 00	3 00
Kennedy, John	13	3 50	45 50
Kelly, Dennis	10	3 00	3 00
Kelly, Dennis	10	3 50	35 00
Krug, Henry	3	3 00	9 00
Krug, Henry	12	3 50	42 00
Mason, Mart.	12	3 00	6 00
Mason, Mart.	12	3 50	42 00
McMaster, Wm	13	3 00	6 00
McMaster, Wm	13	3 50	45 50
Prince Peter	9	3 50	31 50
Roe, Rowland	12	3 50	42 00
Roe, Rowland	16	3 00	48 00
Ransom, John	14	3 50	49 00
Ransom, John	13	3 00	9 00
Rossney, Patrick	3	3 50	42 00
Rossney, Patrick	3	3 00	6 00
Rickard, Robert	14	3 50	49 00
Rickard, Robert	2	3 00	6 00
Roche, John	11	3 50	38 50
Roche, John	2	3 00	6 00
Smith, Hugh	12	3 50	42 00
Slattery, John	6	3 00	6 00
Slattery, John	6	3 50	21 00
Seeger, George	2	3 00	6 00
Seeger, George	13	3 50	45 50
Ward, Frank	3	3 00	9 00
Zimmer, Wm. C.	12 1/4	3 50	42 88
Zimmer, Wm. C.	2 1/4	3 00	8 25

Total.....\$3,871 49

Ordered, received, filed and published.

From the City Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, Jan. 8th, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of funds, on the 8th day of January, 1884, as required by section 35 of the City Charter.

Departments.		Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education, building fund	.....	\$ 1,093 50
.....	Repair	44 25
.....	Contingent Fund	7,438 24
.....	Teachers'	29,686 74
Fire Department Fund	.....	13,200 06
Poor Department Fund	.....	36,812 12
Police Department Fund	.....	10,732 82
Contingent Fund	.....	8,381 88
Highway Fund	.....	5,197 82
Lamp Fund	.....	12,062 81
Health Fund	.....	1,500 39
City Property Fund	.....	483 47
Park Fund	.....	82 82
Water Works Fund	.....	7,786 85
Water Pipe Fund	.....	25,383 90
Salary and Expense Fund	.....	3,142 61

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1884.

CHAS. H. STILWELL,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Excise Commissioners :

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester :

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing Dec. 1st, 1883, and ending Dec. 31st, 1883, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, a. e., beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz :

1883—Dec. 3:	
Haass, G. Herman, 38 E. Main st.	\$30 00
Zoller, John B., 153 N. Clinton st.	54 00
Happ, Louis, 106 Exchange st.	40 00
Carey & Dailey, 44 N. Clinton st.	30 00
Schreiber, Geo. J., 42 Allen st.	37 50
Gannon, Mary, 4 Ward st.	58 00
Johns, Geo. W., 110, Clinton st.	30 30
Nicholas, John G., 32 S. St. Paul st.	56 00
Dec. 10 :	
Bemish, Andrew, 68 Atkinson st.	50 00
McMenomy, Patk. J., 129 N. St. Paul st.	50 00
Cook, Fred., 99 Chatham st.	50 00
Rebholz, Frank, 59 North ave.	50 00
Lauer, Henrietta, 142 Mill st.	80 00
Vogt, Mary, 53 and 55 Scio st.	50 00
Barth, Joseph, Francis and Brown sts.	60 00
Bessunger & Bronson, 28 1/2 E. Main st.	50 00
Welch, Jas. G., 115 University ave.	50 00
Dec. 17 :	
Devcreaux, Bros., 148 W. Main st.	50 00
Copard, Henry, 7 Spring st.	50 00
Oberst, Wm. A., 64 Monroe ave.	50 00
Redman, John H., 9 Centre st.	50 00
Dec. 24 :	
Goldberg, Annie, 65 St. Joseph st.	50 00
Donner, Wm. L., 132 State st.	50 00
Bartholomay, Wm., Bartholomay Park.	50 00
Dec. 31 :	
Hastings, Lebbus C., 11 West ave.	50 00
Ganancney, Ernst, 100 Scio st.	50 00
Rice, Elizabeth, 150 S. St. Paul st.	50 00
Vandelinde, Dennis C., 57 S. Clinton st.	50 00
Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer.	\$1,875 50

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

Dated Dec. 31st, 1883.

STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF MONROE, City of Rochester, ss

The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of December, 1883.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, 1883.

MAURICE MOYNIHAN,
Com. of Deeds in and for the city of Rochester.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Overseer of the Poor—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester :

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the Poor of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report that during the month of December he has relieved 445 families in the following manner :

Orders on Poor Store.	\$1 244 50
.. .. Coal yard.	658 38
.. .. Undertakers.	49 00
.. .. for transportation.	11 64
.. .. Shoes.	148 95
Total.	\$2,112 67
Less amount charged towns.	50 40

Total to city. \$2,062 27
All of which is respectfully submitted,
N. THOMPSON, Overseer of Poor.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Chief of Police—

ROCHESTER, Jan. 8, 1883.

GENTLEMEN—I report the following number of lamps not burning for the months of October, November and December, 1883:

October.	November.	December.
Oil 140	207	394
Gas 45	76	72
Total—Oil		741
Gas		193

Respectfully,
ALEX. McLEAN,
Chief of Police.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Commissioners in the matter of widening North St. Paul street—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester :

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, who were appointed by order of the County Court of the county of Monroe, duly granted and entered on the 13th day of August, 1883, commissioners to enquire into and determine to what amount any compensation the owners and occupants of the lands to be taken for the widening of North St. Paul street from Division street northerly to a point near R ver street, in the city of Rochester, will be entitled, respectfully report and certify their award of damages incident to the widening of said street, as follows :

The several pieces and parcels of land required for the purpose of widening said street are described as follows :

Beginning at the intersection of the east line of North St. Paul street with the north line of Division street; thence easterly along the north line of Division street ten feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of North St. Paul street sixty-six feet to a point in the north line of lot No. 3, section B, of the Johnson & Seymour tract, ten feet easterly from the east line of North St. Paul street; thence westerly along the north line of said lot No. 19 ten feet to the east line of North St. Paul street; thence southerly along the east line of North St. Paul street sixty-six feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Ellen E. Bromley of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon held by the East Side Savings Bank to secure the payment of ten thousand dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid with such interest thereon as may be due or unpaid.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows :

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 20, in section B, of the Johnson and Seymour tract; thence easterly along the south line of said lot No. 20, ten feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of North St. Paul street, fifty feet; thence westerly on a line parallel with the south line of said lot No. 20, and 300 feet distant northerly therefrom, 400 feet to the east line of North St. Paul street; thence southerly along the east line of North St. Paul street fifty feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Hulbert H. Warner, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon held by Joseph A. Biegler to secure the payment of fifteen thousand dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid with interest from the twenty-ninth day of September, 1883.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows :

Beginning at the northwest corner of the premises last above described; thence easterly on a line at right angles with the east line of North St. Paul street, ten feet; thence northerly on a line parallel with the east line of North St. Paul street forty-nine feet to the south line of Mortimer street; thence westerly along the north line of Mortimer street to the east line of North St. Paul street, thence southerly along the east line of North St. Paul street forty-nine feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Hulbert H. Warner of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon to Forrest G. Weeks of Rochester, N. Y. dated April 1st, 1881, to secure the payment of ten thousand dollars and interest. Also subject to a mortgage to Forrest G. Weeks, dated May seventeenth, 1882, to secure the payment of two thousand dollars. The whole amount remains unpaid on both of these mortgages, together with such interest thereon as may be due and unpaid.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows :

Beginning at the intersection of the east line of North St. Paul st. with the north line of Mortimer st., thence easterly along the north line of Mortimer st. ten feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of North St. Paul st. sixty-six feet to the north line of lot No. 3, section B, of the Johnson and Seymour tract; thence westerly along the north line of said lot No. 3 ten feet to the east line of North St. Paul st.; thence southerly along the east line of North St. Paul st. sixty-six feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Walter B. Duffy, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the last above described premises, thence easterly along the said north line of lot No. 3 ten feet, thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of North St. Paul street, seventy-six feet, thence westerly along a line at right angles to the east line of North St. Paul street, ten feet; to the east line of North St. Paul street, thence southerly along the east line of North St. Paul street seventy-six feet to the place of beginning. The ten feet on the north side of these premises being subject to a right of way by the owners of the adjacent lot.

These premises are owned by the rector, wardens and vestrymen of Grace church of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises, thence easterly on the north line of the last described premises, ten feet, thence northerly on a line parallel with the east line of North St. Paul street one hundred and forty and four-tenths feet, to the south line of Pleasant street, ten feet to the east line of North St. Paul street, thence southerly along the east line of North St. Paul street one hundred and forty and four-tenths feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Hubert E. Warner of Rochester subject to a mortgage thereon held by the Rochester Savings bank to secure the payment of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid, with interest thereon from the twenty-eighth day of September, 1885.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the east line of North St. Paul street with the north line of Pleasant street; thence easterly along the north line of Pleasant street ten feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of North St. Paul st. one hundred and thirty-two feet; thence westerly along a line parallel with the north line of Pleasant street ten feet to the east line of North St. Paul st.; thence southerly along the east line of North St. Paul st. one hundred and thirty-two feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Joseph W. Rosenthal and Moses Kornrood of Rochester and Henry Newman of New York city, subject to a mortgage thereon held by Ebenezer B. Shearman and Julia Doolittle, both of Utica, N. Y., to secure the payment of twenty thousand dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid, with such interest thereon as may be due or unpaid.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the premises last described, thence easterly on the north line of the last described premises ten feet; thence northerly street sixty-six feet; thence westerly on the north line of lot No. 23, of the Atwater and Andrews tract, ten feet to the east line of North St. Paul street, thence southerly along the east line of North St. Paul street sixty-six feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Sarah E. Robinson and Louisa E. Northrup, the last named in the last described premises, subject to a mortgage thereon held by the Rochester Savings Bank to secure the payment of five thousand dollars, of which the whole sum remains unpaid with such interest thereon as may be due or unpaid. Also subject to a mortgage thereon held by William Corning to secure the payment of one thousand and two hundred dollars. The rights of the parties under this mortgage are now in litigation. Also, subject to a mortgage thereon held by Lucretia B. Clark, to secure the payment of two thousand dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid, with such interest thereon as may be due or unpaid.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 23 of the Atwater and Andrews tract, thence easterly on the south line of said lot No. 23, ten feet; thence northerly on a line parallel with the east line of North St. Paul street sixty-six feet; thence westerly along the north line of said lot No. 23, ten feet; thence southerly along the east line of North St. Paul street sixty-six feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Mary E. Briggs of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon held by the Rochester Savings Bank to secure the payment of five thousand dollars, of which the whole sum remains unpaid with such interest thereon as may be due or unpaid. Also subject to a mortgage thereon held by William Corning to secure the payment of one thousand and two hundred dollars. The rights of the parties under this mortgage are now in litigation. Also, subject to a mortgage thereon held by Lucretia B. Clark, to secure the payment of two thousand dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid, with such interest thereon as may be due or unpaid.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Andrews street, with the west line of North St. Paul street; thence northerly along the west line of North St. Paul street ninety-two feet and eight inches; thence westerly along the north line of lot D, as laid down on a map of a partition of the Gormley estate, recorded in Monroe County Clerk's office, in Book 210 of Deeds, at page 501, ten feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of North St. Paul street, and distant

ten feet westerly therefrom to the north line of Andrews street; thence easterly along the north line of Andrews street, to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Jacob Tichnor and Sigmund Jacobi of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon held by the Rochester Savings Bank to secure the payment of ten thousand dollars, of which the whole amount remains unpaid, with such interest thereon as may be due or unpaid.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the premises last described; thence northerly along the west line of North St. Paul street, forty-eight feet and six inches; thence westerly on a line at right angles with the west line of North St. Paul street, ten feet; thence southerly on a line parallel with the west line of North St. Paul street, forty-eight feet and six inches; thence easterly along the north line of said lot D of the Gormley estate ten feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Robert D. Sproull and Margaret A. Sproull, of Providence, Rhode Island.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the premises last described; thence northerly along the west line of North St. Paul Street, twenty-four feet and three inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles to the west line of North St. Paul street, ten feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of North St. Paul street, twenty-four feet and three inches; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of North St. Paul street, ten feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Margaret A. Sproull of Providence, Rhode Island.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the last described premises; thence westerly along the north line of the last described property ten feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the west line of North St. Paul street to the south line of lands owned by Johanna Sturla; thence easterly along the south line of said Sturla's land to the west line of North St. Paul street; thence southerly along the west line of North St. Paul street seventy five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by the trustees of the First Reformed Presbyterian church of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly on a line parallel with the west line of North St. Paul street to the south line of the lands owned by the Rochester Gas Light Co.; thence easterly along the south line of said Rochester Gas Light Company's lands to the west line of North St. Paul street; thence southerly along the west line of North St. Paul street twenty-six feet; thence westerly along the south line of the Sturla land, above referred to, to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Johanna Sturla of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of last described premises; thence northerly along a line parallel with and ten feet distant westerly from the west line of St. Paul street to the south line of River street; thence easterly along the south line of River street to the west line of North St. Paul street; thence southerly along the west line of North St. Paul street two hundred and eighty feet and six inches; thence westerly along the south line of Rochester Gas Light Company's lands to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by the Rochester Gas Light Company.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the north line of River street, where a line ten feet west of and parallel with the west line of that portion of St. Paul street south of River street intersects said point; thence northerly along said line produced to the west line of that portion of St. Paul street north of River street, thence southerly along the west line of that portion of St. Paul street to the north line of River street; thence westerly along the north line of River street to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Mary E. Jones of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon held by the Bank of Hamilton, Ontario, to secure the payment of one thousand three hundred and twenty-six dollars and eighty-six cents, of which there remains unpaid the sum of fifteen hundred and fifty-four dollars and forty-eight cents, with such interest thereon as may be due or unpaid.

Therefore, we the subscribers, having been duly sworn as required by the statute in such case made and provided, and having all met and acted on the matter submitted to us at the City Attorney's office in the City Hall Building, Rochester, N. Y., pursuant to a notice of at least ten days published and given according to law, and having taken a view of every part of the premises affected by this proceeding, and having enquired into and heard the allegations and proofs of the respective parties in interest, do thereupon determine and appraise the damage which the several own-

ers and occupants of the lands and premises thus to be taken for the widening of said street will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, and do award the full amount of such damage and fix the compensation which each of the aforesaid owners and occupants shall receive therefor, as follows: The award hereby made, after deducting the amount of all taxes and assessments which have become a lien upon the lands above described, and which are now due, to be paid as hereinafter provided.

To Ellen E. Bromley, fifty-six hundred and fifty dollars, payable to the East Side Savings Bank, mortgagee.

To Hulbert H. Warner, for land taken from lot No. 20, section B, of the Johnson and Seymour Tract and two feet from the south side of lot No. 21, section B, of the Johnson and Seymour Tract, twelve hundred and fifty dollars, payable to Joseph A. Biegler, mortgagee.

To Hulbert H. Warner, for land taken from lot No. 21, section B, of the Johnson and Seymour Tract, twelve hundred and twenty-five dollars, payable to Forrest G. Weeks, mortgagee.

To Walter B. Duffy, sixteen hundred and fifty dollars, payable to Walter B. Duffy.

To the rector, church wardens and vestrymen of Grace Church, sixteen hundred and fifty dollars payable to them.

To Hulbert H. Warner for land on the corner of North St. Paul street and Pleasant street, thirty-five hundred dollars payable to the Rochester Savings Bank mortgagee.

To Joseph W. Rosenthal, Moses Kerngood and Henry Newman, twenty-six hundred and forty dollars, payable to Ebenezer B. Sherman and Julia Doltite of Utica, N. Y., mortgagees.

To Louisa H. Northrup and Sarah E. Robinson, fourteen hundred and thirty-eight dollars, payable to them.

To Mary E. Briggs, four thousand dollars, payable to the Rochester Savings Bank mortgagee.

To Jacob Tichner and Sigmund Jacobi, fifteen thousand five hundred dollars, of which ten thousand dollars with interest from the twelfth day of June, 1883, is payable to the Rochester Savings Bank mortgagee; the remainder after deducting the above amount from fifteen thousand five hundred dollars, payable to Jacob Tichner and Sigmund Jacobi.

To Robert D. Sproull and Margaret A. Sproull, twenty-one hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents, payable to them.

To Margaret A. Sproull, ten hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents; payable to her.

To the trustees of The First Reformed Presbyterian church of Rochester, five thousand dollars; payable to them.

To Johanna Sturla, eight hundred dollars; payable to her.

To the Rochester Gas Light Company, thirty-three hundred and sixty dollars; payable to said company.

To Mary E. Jones, four hundred and fifty dollars; payable to the Union National mortgagee.

In determining the award to Ellen E. Bromley and Mary E. Briggs, the commissioners took into consideration the fact that when the proposed improvement is made the buildings now erected on lots adjacent to those owned by Ellen E. Bromley and said Mary E. Briggs, and not affected by this improvement will project into the street ten feet beyond the front line of their lots and awarded damages in consequence thereof.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. B. PERKINS.
S. J. ARNOLD.
GEO. G. CLARKSON,
Commissioners.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the widening of North St. Paul street, from Division street northerly to a point near River street, will be heard at the meeting of the Common Council to be held at the Council chamber, in the City Hall, on the 22d day of January, 1884, at six o'clock p. m., which time is hereby assigned for that purpose. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw orders on the City Treasurer as follows:

In favor of J. B. Perkins, chairman of the commission, for \$396, in full of fees of Commissioners Perkins, Arnold and Clarkson, in the matter of the widening of North St. Paul street from Division street northerly to a point near River street, including clerk hire; and in favor of G. F. Slocum for \$125, in full for searches made of the property to be taken for

said widening and disbursements, payable from the contingent fund, and that the Treasurer charge and carry said aggregate sum of \$521 to the fund for the widening of said street, when created, as part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—12.

By Ald. Archer—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your Law Committee respectfully represents: It is well known to all who are brought in relations with the City Attorney's office that the work of that office has very largely increased during the past few months. This increase comes from several causes.

First—The growth of the city has increased the labor to be performed in that office, bringing as such growth does the opening of new streets and other public improvements, together with an increased number of actions in which the city is sought to be made liable for damages resulting from personal injuries. An illustration of the increase caused by the foregoing, your committee would state that during the past year there have been more proceedings before commissioners to determine the compensation to be paid for the taking of lands for the opening of streets than during ten years previous.

Second—The litigations growing out of the sewage system of the city and local business connected with the acquiring of rights of way for sewage purposes have also largely increased.

Third—The litigations and proceedings caused by the decision of the Court of Appeals in the case of Smith vs. The City of Rochester, cast upon the City Attorney an amount of work, of which the importance and extent can only be realized by those who have had occasion to make an examination as to said matters. The preparation of the answers in the actions which have been brought involves a great amount of labor, but such labor is of little moment as compared with the work and time which will be required in the preparation of the said cases for trial. It is understood that other actions are soon to be brought, and it is expected that the trial of some of these cases will be reached at the coming March Circuit.

In addition to the foregoing, condemnation proceedings are about to be instituted, which proceedings involve a still greater amount of time and research.

Fourth—The case of Runkle vs. The City of Rochester, which is an action brought to recover about twenty thousand dollars claimed to be owing by the city, involves the examination of the accounts relating to the construction of the Rochester Water Works. This case has been referred, and will be tried during the present winter.

Fifth—The action brought to test the validity of the Church st. assessment roll will be tried at the February Term of the Supreme Court. It is needless to say that this action is one of very great importance to the city by reason of the amount involved, as well of the questions presented for adjudication. A great amount of labor must necessarily be bestowed upon the preparation and trial of this case.

Sixth—Other actions, in which claims are made, ranging from one thousand dollars to twenty-five thousand dollars against the city are pending and will be tried during the present winter and coming spring. A careful preparation for the trial of these causes will certainly save the city much money.

Seventh—The litigations growing out of the contest between the City and the Genesee Valley Canal Railroad Company are to be tried at the coming Equity Term. It is important that the City should succeed in these cases when the same are brought to trial. They present questions of importance and involve much labor.

Eighth—There are several appeals pending at the General Term and the Court of Appeals in actions in which the City is a party. These cases will be likely to be reached soon.

Ninth—In addition to the foregoing matters, there are constantly being brought and tried actions and proceedings in the Municipal and Police Court, which, while of minor interest as compared with the foregoing, need careful attention.

Tenth—In addition to the foregoing, the City Attorney is called upon almost daily by different departments of the city government to investigate questions arising in municipal affairs. There is also investigation to be made by the City Attorney as to claims presented to the Common Council, and which are considered by the various committees of your honorable body.

The clerical force in the office of the City Attorney now consists of six persons, for whose maintenance provision is provided by the Common Council, except that the

stenographer has been during the past few months paid at the rate of sixty dollars per month by order of the Common Council.

The work in said office must be performed by those who have had experience therein, and those qualified to perform such work have a right to expect at least a fair compensation for their services. It is important that the City Attorney should be left free to devote his time to the more important matters above referred to.

For the reasons above set forth your committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
E. STROUSS,
A. BRONSON,
Law Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That there be allowed for clerk hire in the office of the City Attorney a sum not exceeding one hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents per month from January first, 1884, to April first, 1884; the amount necessary to be paid from month to month during said period for such service, to be approved and certified by the Law Committee to the Finance Committee for payment and the vouchers, duly sworn to, to accompany said certificate.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

STONE SEWER IN SUMMER STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a stone sewer in Summer street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,568.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a stone sewer, 1½x2 feet in size, in Summer street, from near the center of Penn street to the north line of Champlain street extended westerly to Summer street. Also the necessary surface sewers, manholes and lot lateral connections.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$2,568, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Summer street in front of which the proposed sewer shall be constructed.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one-year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, Jan. 22d, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Pitkin moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Ald. Archer in the chair.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4.

No choice.

Ald. Watson moved to postpone balloting for Police Commissioner until the next meeting.

Lost by the following vote:

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Foley, Pitkin, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—8.

Ayes—Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Southard—5.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

I. D. Marshall was named by Ald. Foley—1. No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

B. L. Sheldon was named by Ald. Watson, Jeffords—2.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Strouss—1.

I. D. Marshall was named by Ald. Foley—1. No choice.

FOURTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

I. D. Marshall was named by Ald. Foley. No choice.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—3.

I. D. Marshall was named by Ald. Foley. No choice.

Ald. Southard moved to postpone balloting for Police Commissioner until the next meeting.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Jeffords, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—8.

Nays—Ald. Watson, Strouss, Foley, Pitkin, Rice—5.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Aikenhead presented a petition from tax-payers on North avenue and Weld street, relating to removing the electric light at head of Hudson street, and moved it be referred to the Lamp Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the use of the City Hall be granted to E. G. Marshall Post of the Grand Army of the Republic, for a public installation of officers, on the evening of Tuesday, January 22d, 1884. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to assign to Isaac Gibbard, the tax certificates of sale of lot No. 97, in the Glenwood Mutual Homestead Association Tract, on the east side of Fourth street, sold for general city taxes for 1876, 1878, 1879 and 1881; and also, the tax certificates of sale of lot No. 100 in the Glenwood Mutual Homestead Association Tract, on the west side of Fourth street, sold for general city taxes for 1876, 1878, 1879, 1880 and 1881, upon his paying into the city treasury the amount of said taxes and expenses with interest from the respective dates of sale. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Lamp Committee be requested to place electric lights on Genesee street from West avenue to Plymouth avenue, and displace as many gas lamps as

may be deemed necessary, at the same rate of present contract, with the Brush Electric Light Company and the city of Rochester.

Ald. Kelly moved to refer to the Lamp Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, that the Charter Amendment Committee be, and hereby are directed to report at the next meeting of the Common Council, proposed amendments of the charter, providing for the increase in the number of wards of the city from 16 to 19; and also report a description of the territory required for the various wards, as proposed to be reconstructed.

Ald. Barron moved to amend by adding "and that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare a map of the city, showing the proposed ward boundaries.

Accepted by Ald. Foley.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

By Ald. Barron :

To the Hon. Common Council of the City of Rochester : Whereas, a most insupportable nuisance has for a long time existed by the discharge of the filth refuse and gas tar of the Municipal Gas Company, into the Genesee Valley outlet sewer, increased by the recent heavy snow fall and its removal by the street Railroad from the center to the sides of the street and completely covering up the side walk air holes and driving the foul and noxious gases into our dwellings to such a degree as not only to endanger the public health, but threatening our very lives. Wherefore we do most earnestly ask that you will speedily afford us some temporary relief, if not an entire abatement of this nuisance on Allen street and vicinity.

W. E. HASSAN,
JAMES JONES,
MARY L. ROBERTS,
STEPHEN TICE.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Barron moved that the Sewer Committee and Executive Board be instructed to take immediate action on the above petition. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lot Nos. 57, 53 and 58½ of the Worcester sub'n, Rapids tract, Flora street, 9th ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal Outlet Sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated January 3, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$23, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1884.

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer :

SIR : We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Joseph J. Culver, viz :

Lot Nos. 57 and 53, Worcester sub'n, Rapids tract, west side of Flora street, 8th ward, 40 feet front, 20 feet rear and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Genesee Valley Canal Outlet Sewer tax, the sum of \$23, upon the payment of which, less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTIEN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1884.

(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. part 131 and 132 of the St. Joseph Orphan Asylum tract, east side Maria street, 16th ward, was assessed for Maria street sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated January 7th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$38.91, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 7, 1884.

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer :

SIR—We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to Bernhard Goerkes, viz :

Lot No. 131, St. Joseph Orphan Asylum tract, east side of Maria street, 16th ward, 46 feet front, 46 feet rear, and 147 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Maria street sewer tax No. 2,531, the sum of \$38.91, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed,)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTIEN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8th, 1884.

(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas Lots No. 23, 24, 25, 29 and 0 of the Worcester sub'n, pt. Rapids tract, west side Mansion st., Eighth Ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors dated Jan. 8th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$67.20, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1884.

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer :

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1884 to George H. Smith, viz: Lots No. 24, 39 and 40 Worcester sub'n, pt. Rapids tract, west side of Mansion st., Eighth ward, 96 feet front, 96 feet rear and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Genesee Valley Canal sewer tax, O. 2,263, the sum of \$67.20, upon the payment of which, less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTIEN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, Jan. 8th, 1884.

(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 47, 48, 49, 50 and 51 of the Worcester Sub'n, pt. Rapids Tract, south side Violetta street, Eighth Ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in certificate from the Assessors, dated Jan. 7th 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$40.60 with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan 7, 1884.

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer :

SIR : We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to Peter Tucker, viz : Lot No. 3 and 51 Worcester Sub'n, pt. Rapids Tract south side of Violetta street, Eighth Ward, 53 feet front, 66 feet rear, and 137 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Genesee Valley Canal Sewer Tax No. 2263 the sum of \$40.60, upon the payment of which less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTIEN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 8th, 1884.

(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 23, 25, 24, 39, 40 of the Worcester subn, pt Rapids tract, west side Mansion street, Eighth ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley canal sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated January 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$47.35, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 5th, 1884. }

A. G. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

Sir: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1884, to Anna E. Woodruff and all, viz:

Lot No. 23 and 25 Worcester Subn. pt. Rapids tract, west side of Mansion street, Eighth ward, 67 1-6 feet front, 67 1-6 feet rear, and 600 feet deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as their portion of Genesee Valley canal sewer tax, \$2.293, the sum of \$47.35 upon the payment of which, less discount, they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed,)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 5th, 1884. }

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 25 and 26 of the Hubbell tract, west side Ocean street, Eighth ward, was assessed for Genesee valley canal sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Jan. 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$21.00, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 5, 1884. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

Sir—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Anna Bond, viz:

Lot No. 26, Hubbell tract, west side of Ocean street, Eighth ward, 64 feet front, 16 feet rear and 105 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as her portion of Genesee valley canal sewer tax the sum of \$21, upon the payment of which, less discount, she will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed.)

WM. MAHAR,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
Rochester, N. Y., January 8, 1884 }

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 47, 48, 49, 49 and of the Worcester subdivision part Rapids Tract south side Violetta street, 8th Ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley canal sewer, under one valuation and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Jan. 7, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$46 21, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 7, 1884. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

Sir: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Anna A. Woodruff, et al, viz:

Lots No. 43 and 49 Worcester subdivision part Rapids tract, south side of Violetta street 8th Ward, 66 feet front, 66 feet rear, and 137 feet deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as their portion of Genesee Valley Canal Sewer Tax No. 22.63, the sum of \$46.20, upon the payment of which, less discount they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1884. }

(A true copy.) C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 22, 53, 54, 54 1/2 of the Worcester subn pt. Rapids Tract, north side Violetta st., 8th ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal Sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore, Resolved, that the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated January 7th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$28.00, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 7th, 1884. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

Sir—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Anna E. Woodruff et al, viz.: Lot No. 22, Worcester subn pt. Rapids Tract, north side of Violetta street, 8th ward, 40 feet front, 40 feet rear, and 116 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as their portion of Genesee Valley Canal Sewer Tax, the sum of \$28.00 upon the payment of which, less discount will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8th, 1883. }

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of the executors of R. Lesters Sub'n pt. Caledonia tract, north side Cady street, eighth ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Jan. 8th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$168.00, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1884. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

Sir—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Rhoda A. Lester, viz:

Lots No. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, executor of R. Lesters, sub'n pt. Caledonia tract, north side of Cady street, 8th ward, 240 feet front, 240 feet rear, and 117 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as her portion of Genesee Valley Canal sewer tax, No. 2,263, the sum of \$168.00, upon the payment of which, less discount she will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1884. }

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 25 and 26 of the Hubbell tract, West side Ocean street, Eighth ward, was assessed for Ocean street sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Jan. 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such Tax upon the payment of \$112.92, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 5th, 1884. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

Sir.—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to Anna Bond, viz.: Lot No. 26 Hubbell tract, west side of Ocean st., Eighth ward, 64 feet front, 16 feet rear, and 106 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of the Ocean street sewer tax 2,472, the sum of \$112.92, upon the payment of which, with

expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 5th, 1884.
(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 18 and 19 of the Langham tract, St. Joseph street, 16th ward, was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer, \$22.25 under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Jan. 7th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$27.07 less discount in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1884.
A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Mary Ann Akkin, viz.: Lots No. 13 and 14, Langham sub-tract, west side of St. Joseph street, 16th Ward, 75 feet front, 75 feet rear, and 138 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as her portion of Clifford street outlet sewer, tax, the sum of \$27.07, upon the payment of which, less discount, she will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1884.
(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 163 and 165 of the Rapids tract, 8th ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal sewer, No. 2,263, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the assessors, dated January 4th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$28, less discount, interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1884.
A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to John W. Ests. viz:

Lots No. 163 S. W. pt. 163 and 165 N. W. pt., Rapids tract, east side of Plymouth ave., 8th ward, 40 feet front, 40 feet rear and 196 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, 2,263, the sum of \$28 upon the payment of which, less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
WM. MAHER,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE }
ROCHESTER, Jan. 3, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots Nos. A, 18 and 10 feet off the north side of Lot B, the Atwater and Andrews tract, North Water street, 5th Ward, was assessed for North Water street improvement No. 1,694 under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated January 8th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$625, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.
[COPY.]
CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8th, 1885. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:
SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the

General City Tax for the year 1883 to James M. Whitney and wife, viz.:

Lot No. 18, A, and 10 ft. of N. pt B, Andrews and Atwater Tract, West side of North Water street, 6th ward, —feet front, — feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as their portion of North Water street improvement tax, No. 2,225, the sum of \$625, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y. Jan. 8, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive of Ann Doody \$32.80, as per Assessors' certificate attached, in full of assessment on lot No. 59 and 60, for Child street plank walk, and charge balance to erroneous assessments.

Adopted.
Ald. Collins presented the following assessment rolls for confirmation:

N. and S. Francis st. improvement.
Huntington st. sewer.
Mt. Vernon ave. and Lewis st. sewer.
Goodman st. sewer.
Manhattan st. improvement.
Cambridge st., Brighton ave. and Nichols park sewer.

Meigs st. improvement.
New street from Campbell to Maple street.
Caroline st. plank walk.
Bacon st. plank walk.
North St. Paul st. improvement, No. 2.
Mill st. sewer.
Central park plank walk.
Second ave. plank walk.
Wadsworth st. plank walk.
Cambridge st. plank walk.
Silver st. sewer.
Concord ave. sewer.
Bay st. sewer, No. 2.
Fourth, seventh and twelfth wards outlet sewer.

Allegations being called for and no person appearing, Ald. Collins presented the following:

Resolved, That the foregoing Assessment Rolls be and the same are hereby confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Ald. Foley, from the special committee to whom was referred the report of the commissioners in the matter of opening a new street from Seward to Reynolds streets, reported progress and asked for further time. Further time was granted.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—January 22d, 1884.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, presiding.

Ald. Kelly moved that F. J. Irwin be appointed Clerk *pro tem*.

It was so ordered.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley,

Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, January 8th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

John C. Moore stationery and binding.....	\$ 236 40
Mensing & Stecher, printing, City Treasurer..	45 00
Scranton & Wemore, paper fasteners.....	5c
Williamson & Higbie, city directory.....	4 25
Charles A. Brady, services, investigating Water Works accounts.....	390 00
F. W. Caring, serving notices, Genesee Valley Canal Sewer.....	60 00

Referred to Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Mary Kuichling in relation to an assessment for straightening and widening North Pt. Paul street.

Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Strouss presented the petition of Ester Tyser for permission to erect a wood building on Nassau street and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Strouss presented a petition for the extension of Skuse park, from the east end thereof to North avenue.

Referred to the Committee on Opening and Alteration of Streets.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

Citizens' Gas Co., resetting posts.....	\$ 2 00
Citizens' Gas Co., lighting and care lamps, Jan 2,	305 61
J. W. Maser, oil	940 01
J. W. Maser, resetting posts and cartage.....	37 95

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald Foley—Bills of

Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, earth for Madison Park	\$ 44 10
John C. Barnard, brushes and schellack.....	1 34

Referred to the Park Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of John Calnan for permission to erect a wood building on Etherel street.

On motion of Ald. Foley permission was granted.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of Kelly, Godley & Co. for permission to erect a wood building at the corner of Lake avenue and Brisbane street, to be used and occupied as a flouring mill.

Also, a remonstrance against the same, and moved their reference to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal, to report at the next regular meeting of the Council. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of D. M. Haskin. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

John Conway, rent.....	\$ 7 50
H. H. Edgerton,	58 50
F. M. Harvey,	6 00
Mary West,	8 00
Leo Schlitzer,	36 00
John McDonald, meat.....	50 00
A. L. Morris, meat.....	50 00
Jos. Badhorn, meat.....	25 00
H. M. Semple, groceries.....	215 70
Rochester Orphan Asylum, boarding inmates.	414 78
George Opel, bread.....	23 43
Geo. F. Flannery, printing.....	12 00
Foehner & Maier, burials.....	42 50
P. Joyce, burials	5 50
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	28 10

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Felsing presented petitions of John

Greenwood, T. Casey and others in relation to the assessment for the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of William Reiber for permission to erect a wood building on Finney street. Permission was granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

John C. Barnard, putty and glass.....	\$ 89
Gauhn & Bassett, labor and material, plumbing City Hall.....	178 14
Geo. H. Nicholson, setting glass.....	5 50
Hamilton & Mathews, hook.....	30
Minges & Shale, chairs, Treasurers' office.....	43 75

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of John KeHy for permission to erect a wood building on Lake avenue and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for water in Child street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, Ald. Felsing from the Poor Committee, Ald. Foley from the Park Committee, reported favorably the several bills referred to their respective committees, and they were referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Rice from the Health Committee presented the bills of—

J. W. Maser, collecting garbage.....	\$109 25
J. Rauber,	109 25
P. Bradley,	109 25
D. Hickey,	228 00
Jerome Keys, supt.	80 50
Enstace & Birmingham, horseshoeing.....	7 00
J. R. Chamberlain, couplings.....	6 75
Union and Advertiser, publishing H. O. report	25 00
Williamson & Higbie, stationery	1 55
J. K. Post, sulphur.....	75
M. Heavey, board of horse, January	20 00

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee, presented the following bills—

Rogers & Wallace, carpet, Justice's office	\$116 87
Henry C. Wisner, spittoons, Hdors.....	5 50
Union and Advertiser, blanks.....	10 00
Sam. Sloan, repairs at Hdors.....	12 40
S. A. Pierce, medical services.....	48 00
Chas. G. Davis, painting.....	54 85
B. Frank Enos, expenses, December	82 33

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Common Council.

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Charter amendments, in pursuance of a resolution adopted at the last regular meeting of the Council, submits the following proposed amendments to the City Charter:

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act to further amend chapter one hundred and forty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-one, entitled an act to amend and consolidate the several acts in relation to the charter of the city of Rochester" and to consolidate therewith the several acts in relation to the charter of said city," passed February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section four of title one of chapter fourteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty, entitled "An act to further amend chapter one hundred and forty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-one, entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the several acts in relation to the charter of the city of Rochester" and to consolidate therewith the several

acts in relation to the charter of said city" is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 4. The said city shall be divided into nineteen wards, as follows:

FIRST WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of the Genesee river and of the Erie canal; thence running westerly along the center of the Erie canal to the center of Allen street; thence easterly along the center of Allen street to the center of State street; thence southerly along the center of State street to Mumford street; thence easterly along the center of Mumford street to the center of the Genesee river; thence southerly along the center of the Genesee river to the place of beginning, shall constitute the First ward.

SECOND WARD.

All that part of said city included within a line beginning at the center of the Genesee river and of Mumford street; thence westerly along the center of Mumford street to the center of State street; thence northerly along the center of State street to the center of Allen street; thence westerly along the center of Allen street to the center of the Erie canal; thence northerly along the center of the Erie canal to the center of Jay street; thence easterly along the center of Jay street and the center line thereof continued easterly to the center of the Genesee river; thence southerly along the center of the Genesee river to the place of beginning, shall constitute the second ward.

THIRD WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of the Genesee river and of the Erie canal; thence running westerly along the center of the Erie canal to the center of the Genesee Valley canal; thence southerly along the center of the Genesee Valley canal to the south line of the Strong tract; thence along the south line of the Strong tract to the center of the Genesee river; thence northerly along the center of the Genesee river to the place of beginning, shall constitute the third ward.

FOURTH WARD.

All that part of said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of the Genesee river and of East Main street; thence running easterly along the center of East Main street to the center of East avenue; thence along the center of East avenue to the center of William street; thence southerly along the center of William street to the center of Howell street; thence westerly along the center of Howell street and the center line thereof continued westerly to the center of the Genesee river; thence northerly along the center of the Genesee river to the place of beginning, shall constitute the fourth ward.

FIFTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of East Main street and the Genesee river; thence running northerly along the center of the Genesee river to the north boundary line of the city; thence easterly along the north boundary line of the city to the top of the east high bank of the Genesee river; thence southerly and easterly along the city line to a point in the center of the Ridge road; thence south, fifteen minutes east, to the south line of the highway known as Norton street at Hollenbeck street; thence southerly along the center of Hollenbeck street and in said line produced, to the center of Clifford street; thence easterly along the center of Clifford street to the center of Clinton street; thence southerly along the center of Clinton street to the center of East Main street; thence westerly along the center of East Main street to the place of beginning, shall constitute the Fifth ward.

SIXTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of North street and the New York Central railroad track; running thence westerly along the center of said railroad track to a point in a line with the center of Nassau street; thence westerly along the center of Nassau street and in a direct line continued to the center of Clinton street; thence southerly along the center of Clinton street to the center of East Main street; thence easterly along the center of East Main street to the center of North street; thence northerly along the center of North street to the place of beginning, shall constitute the Sixth ward.

SEVENTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of East avenue and William street; thence running southerly along the center of William street to the center of Howell street; thence westerly along the center of Howell street and the center line of Howell street continued westerly to the center of the Erie canal; thence easterly along the center of the Erie canal to the center of Goodman street; thence northerly along the center of Goodman street to

the center of East avenue; thence westerly along the center of East avenue, to the place of beginning, shall constitute the Seventh ward.

EIGHTH WARD.

All that part of said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of the Buffalo branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad and of the Erie canal; thence running southerly along the center of the Erie canal to the center of the Genesee Valley canal; thence southerly along the center of the Genesee Valley canal to the center of Hunter street; thence westerly along the center of Hunter street and in said line produced to the center of Chili avenue, formerly called the Chili road; thence westerly along the center of Chili avenue to the west line of the city; thence northerly along the west line of the city to the center of the Buffalo branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence easterly along the center of said railroad to the place of beginning, shall constitute the eighth ward.

NINTH WARD.

All that part of said city included within a line beginning in the center of Jay street and the Erie canal and running thence easterly along the center of Jay street and Jay street continued, to the center of the Genesee river; thence northerly in the center of the Genesee river to a point opposite the center of Lorimer street; thence westerly in a direct line to and along the center of Lorimer street to the center of the Erie canal; thence southerly along the center of the Erie canal to the place of beginning, shall constitute the ninth ward.

TENTH WARD.

All that tract of the said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of East Main street and East avenue; thence running easterly along the center of East avenue to the center of Goodman street; thence northerly along the center of Goodman street, crossing the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, to the center of Pennsylvania avenue, thence westerly along the center of Pennsylvania avenue to the center of Union street; thence southerly along the center of Union street to the center of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence westerly along the center of said railroad to the center of Scio street; thence southerly through the center of Scio street to the center of East Main street; thence westerly along the center of East Main street to the place of beginning, shall constitute the Tenth Ward.

ELEVENTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of the Buffalo branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad and the Erie Canal; running thence along the center of the Erie canal northwesterly to the center of the Niagara Falls branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence westerly along the center of said railroad to the west line of the city; thence southerly along the west line of the city to the center of the Buffalo branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence easterly along the center of said railroad to the place of beginning shall constitute the Eleventh Ward.

TWELFTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning at a point where the center line of Howell street continued westerly intersects with the center of the Genesee river; thence running easterly to and along the center line of Howell street continued to the center of the Erie canal; thence along the center of the Erie canal to the center of Goodman street; thence southerly along the center of Goodman street and said line continued and the city line to the south line of what was formerly called the Pinnacle road but now called Highland avenue, thence westerly along the south line of said Highland avenue to the east line of the highway known as South ave.; thence southerly along the east line of said South ave. to the north line of what was formerly known as the Poorhouse road but now called Elmwood avenue; thence westerly along the said Elmwood avenue and in said line produced, to the center of the Genesee river to the place of beginning, shall constitute the twelfth ward.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of North street and the New York Central railroad track; running thence westerly along the center of the New York Central railroad track to a point in a line with the center of Nassau street; thence westerly along the center of Nassau street and in a direct line continued, to the center of Clinton street; thence northerly along the center of Clinton street to the center of Clifford street; thence easterly along the center of Clifford street to the center of North street; thence southerly along the center of North street to the place of beginning, shall constitute the thirteenth ward.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning in the center of East Main street and North avenue, formerly called North street; thence running northerly along the center of North avenue and North street to the center of Clifford street; thence easterly along the center of Clifford street to the center of North avenue; thence southerly along the center of North avenue to the center of Bay street; thence easterly along the center of Bay street to a point opposite the center of Scio street; thence southerly in a direct line, to and along the center of Scio street to the center of East Main street; thence westerly along the center of East Main street to the place of beginning, shall constitute the fourteenth ward.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning in the center of the Niagara Falls branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad and the Erie canal; thence northwesterly along the center the Erie canal to the west line of the city; thence southerly along the west line of the city to the center of the Niagara Falls branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence easterly along the center of said railroad to the place of beginning, shall constitute the fifteenth ward.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning in the south line of Norton street and center of Hollenbeck street to the center of said street; thence along the highway known as Norton street to the highway running southeasterly through the northeasterly corner of lot number forty-eight in the town of Irondequoit; thence southeasterly along the southwesterly line of said highway to the south line of lot number fifty in said town where the same intersects the west line of the highway commonly called the Culver road; thence southerly along the west line of said highway or Culver road to the center of Bay street; thence westerly along the center of Bay street to the center of Goodman street; thence southerly along the center of Goodman street to the center of Pennsylvania avenue; thence westerly along the center of Pennsylvania avenue to the center of Union street; thence southerly along the center of Union street to the center of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad; thence westerly along the center of said railroad to the center of Scio street; thence northerly along the center line of Scio street and in said line continued to the center of Bay street; thence westerly along the center of Bay street to the center of North avenue; thence northerly along the center of North avenue to the center of Clifford street; thence westerly along the center of Clifford street to a point opposite the center of Hollenbeck street; thence southerly in a direct line to and along the center line of Hollenbeck street to the place of beginning, shall constitute the sixteenth ward.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning at a point in the center of the Erie canal opposite the center of Lorrimer street; thence easterly in a direct line to and along the center line of Lorrimer street and in said line continued to the center of the Genesee river; thence northerly along the center of the Genesee river to the north line of the city; thence westerly along the north line of the city to the west line of the city; thence southerly along the west line of the city to the center of the Erie canal; thence southeasterly along the center of the Erie canal to the place of beginning, shall constitute the seventeenth ward.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

All that part of the city included within a line beginning at the center of Hunter st, and the Genesee Valley canal; thence southerly along the center of the Genesee Valley canal to the south line of the Strong tract; thence easterly along the south line of the Strong tract to the center of the Genesee river; thence southerly along the center of the Genesee river to the south boundary line of the city; thence westerly along the city line to the west bank of the Genesee river; thence northerly along the west bank of said river to the north line of the town of Chili, being the south line of the city; thence westerly along the south line of the city to the west line of the city; thence northerly following the west boundary line of the city to the center of Chili avenue; thence easterly along the center of Chili avenue to a point opposite the center of Hunter street; thence easterly in a direct line to and along the center line of Hunter street to the place of beginning, shall constitute the eighteenth ward.

NINETEETH WARD.

All that part of the said city included within a line beginning in the center of Goodman street and Bay street; thence easterly along the center of Bay street to the east line of the city; thence southerly along the east boundary line of the city to the north line of town lot number forty-five in the town of Brighton; thence westerly along the north line of said town lot number

forty-five and of town lot fifty-three, being the city line, to the northeast corner of lot number sixty-one; thence northerly in a direct line to and along the center line of South Goodman street to the center of East avenue; thence westerly along the center of East avenue to the center of North Goodman street; thence northerly along the center of North Goodman street, crossing the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, to the place of beginning, shall constitute the Nineteenth ward.

Section 2. Section 5, of Title 1, of Chapter 14 of the Laws of 1890, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 5. The territory heretofore taken from the towns of Irondequoit, Brighton, Gates and Greece, which territory on the first day of January, 1894, constituted the Fifteenth and Sixteenth wards of the City of Rochester, and the personal property of the inhabitants thereof now residing thereon included within the enlarged city boundaries, as long as they shall continue to reside thereon, shall be exempt from the payment of any part of the present debt, which was contracted for the bounties for soldiers or for the relief of soldier's families, or for the construction of water works, or for the personal property of the inhabitants thereof, and which debt was contracted for the construction or completion of the water works, or any interest that may accrue thereon under and by virtue of chapter 387 of the laws of 1872, or for the expense of fighting the city, or for the debts embraced in what are now known as "the deficiency bonds" of the city. Whenever, however, a majority of the tax payers on the property of the territory annexed shall petition for the extension of the water mains or lamps upon such street for their benefit, the taxable property and residents on said street shall become jointly liable upon their assessments in said territory, with the old territory of said city, for such portion of the water debt as may then remain unpaid; or, if they petition for lights, their proportion for fighting said city, and it is hereby further provided, that the towns from which the territory hereby annexed to the city of Rochester is taken shall be relieved from the support of all paupers who are actual residents upon the territory so taken, and they shall thereupon become a charge upon the city of Rochester. The assessors of said city are hereby required to prepare an assessment roll for each of said new wards created by this act and deliver to the supervisors of said wards for the use of the Board of Supervisors of Monroe county, on or before the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty-four.

Section 3 and section 7 of title 1, of chapter 14 of the laws of 1890, is amended so as to read as follows:

§ 7. An election shall be held in each ward annually on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of March, at such place as shall be designated by the Common Council, of which a notice shall be published by the City Clerk for at least six days next previous to election, in all the daily newspapers of the city, at which election there shall be chosen by the electors of the city voting in their respective wards as often as the terms of offices of the then incumbents shall then expire within the year after such election, one mayor, who shall hold his office for two years; one police officer, who shall hold his office for four years; one treasurer, who shall hold his office two years; and, also, by electors of each ward, one Supervisor, whose term of office shall be the same as that of the supervisors now in office in said city, of the towns of Monroe county, and the terms of office of the supervisors now in office in said city shall end at the same time as the terms of the town supervisors now in office; one constable, who shall hold his office for one year; and, also, in those wards in which the terms of office of the then incumbents shall expire within the ensuing year after such election, one alderman for each ward, who shall hold his office for two years; and one commissioner of common schools, who shall hold office for two years. At the last regular meeting in January the Common Council shall appoint for each of the said Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Ward inspectors of election, who shall hold their office until their successors shall have been duly chosen by the electors of each of said wards respectively; and the said inspectors thus appointed shall have the same powers, be subject to the same duties, and be entitled to the same compensation as the inspectors of election duly chosen by the electors of the several wards of said city.

If after the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-five, any officer elected by the electors of any ward in said city shall, by reason of the increase of the number of the persons in the ward, be a greater number than the one in and for which he was elected, he shall hold his office until the expiration of the term for which he was elected as a representative in that office of the ward in which he shall then reside. The City Treasurer shall not be entitled to enter upon his office until he shall have executed and filed with the Mayor a bond in the penal sum of fifty thousand dollars, or of such other sum, as the Common Council may have fixed, with good and sufficient sureties approved by the

Mayor in writing thereon, and conditioned for the faithful performance of all his duties as Treasurer, and of all the duties imposed upon him by law in respect to the money, property and affairs of said city. The execution of such bond by the Treasurer and sureties shall be duly acknowledged or proved so as to entitle it to be read in evidence, and it shall be the duty of the Mayor to cause such bond to be recorded in the Monroe County Clerk's office, and a copy of such bond, as so recorded, certified by the said County Clerk, shall be as good evidence in all courts and places as the original bond, which shall be safely kept by the Mayor after being recorded as aforesaid.

Section 4. This act shall take effect on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-five.

A. BRONSON,
GEO. W. ARCHER,
J. B. SIMMELINK,
Committee.

Ald. Kelly moved that the proposed amendments be referred to the Charter Amendment Committee to confer with the members of the Legislature from this county and report to this Board at the next regular meeting.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Hinds, Pitkin, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—6.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Southard—9.

Ald. Bronson moved that the amendments as presented be approved, and that the City Clerk be directed to transmit a certified copy of the same to the Senator and Assemblyman from this city, and that they be requested to earnestly urge the adoption thereof.

Ald. Kelly moved to amend that no change be made in the amendments as presented unless approved by the Common Council.

Accepted by Ald. Bronson.

The motion of Ald. Bronson was then adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Nays—Ald. Collins—1.

Ald. Foley moved that a committee to consist of five members of this Board and three citizens, together with the City Attorney and City Surveyor, be appointed to appear before the proper legislative committees and urge the passage of said charter amendments.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 22, 1884.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

C. E. Morris, stationary	\$ 288 35
Acking & Cory	2 25
Jillson & Bursleigh	51 28
Weaver & Goss, hardware	40
James Butler, hack hire	2 00
D. O. Livermore	1 00
Schmidt & Kaehler, supplies surveyor's office	9 35
S. N. Beckley, disbursements, attorney's office	38 34
Alfred Wedd, detective service	50 00
E. D. Smith, stenographer attorney's office	60 00
C. W. Carroll, serving subpoenas	7 00
A. C. McCall, .. summons	5 00
James Lusk, .. notices, city treasurer	13 56
Wm. I. Hanford, ..	12 54
S. Rosenberg, ..	19 20
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, Jan. 22	15 00
Patrick Dennis, 2-3 mo. surveyor's office	\$50.00
C. A. Brady, services investigating water acct. from Sept. 1st to Dec 1st, '83, 75 days, @ 85 00	390 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

St. Mary's Hospital, board of inmates to Jan. 1, \$2,581 02
St. Mary's Boys' Orphan Asylum, board of in-

mates to Jan. 1	714 97
City Hospital, board of inmates to Jan. 1	672 08
Home for the Friendless, board of inmates to Jan. 1	78 00
St. Patrick's Girls' Orphan Asylum, board of inmates to Jan. 1	687 77
Home of Industry, board of inmates to Jan. 1	131 05
Sisters of Mercy, board of inmates to Jan. 1	138 00
Industrial School, board of inmates to Jan. 1	331 11
St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, board of inmates to Jan. 1	852 80
Wm. Coughlin, rent	7 50
J. Z. Culver & Co., rent	14 00
Julia F. Cochrane, rent	6 00
Hector McLean, rent	26 00
Curran Bros., meat	25 00
Jos. Huther, meat	14 75
Joseph Meyers, meat	25 00
John Curran, meat	25 00
Fleckenstien Bros., bread	83 52
Home of Industry, bread	86 44
Thos. McAnerney, groceries	20 00
P. Co. Marchant, groceries	38 60
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal	414 44
P. Joyce, burials	37 00
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

M. E. Servis, frame	\$ 4 20
Woodbury, Morse & Co., paints, sponges, etc.	17 87
S. Sloan, wax tapers	1 00
Jamaicing flag	1 00
A. Metcalf, soft soap	3 00
A. Ellwood, keys, etc.	6 10
Municipal Gas Co., gas city buildings	199 68
E. B. Booth & Son, repairing clock	4 00
Howe & Rogers, carpet Municipal Court	58 17
Hutchins & Son, glassware	13 75
Chas. Little, monthly cleaning Dec.	85 00
E. Emerich, quarterly salary care city clocks	87 50
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting, December	\$3,503 25
Municipal Gas Co.	104 17
S. Sloan, blind caps	10 38
John B. Snyder, lamp cocks and tips	17 00
W. Maser, lighting and care oil lamps Jan'y	940 01
.. setting posts and cartage tops	87 93
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

J. W. Maser, collecting garbage to Jan. 18th	\$109 25
Jacob Rauber, ..	109 25
P. Bradley, ..	109 25
Daniel Hickey, ..	223 00
Jerome Keys, Supt. ..	80 50
Eustace & Birmingham, horse shoeing	7 00
James R. Chamberlin, couplings, &c.	6 75
Union & Advertiser Co., printing monthly reports	25 00
Williamson & Higbie, stationery	1 55
Jacob K. Post, slaughter	75
M. Heavey, board of flusher's horse, Jan.	20 00
And charge that fund.	

PARK FUND.

Louis Ernst & Son, tools, &c.	\$ 3 30
And charge that fund.	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER,
OFFICES, CITY HALL, Jan. 21, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment; as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holly, salary for January	\$ 203 34
Samuel B. Williams	208 33
George W. Aldridge	208 33
Post-Express Printing Co., printing bill heads	20 50
George B. Harris, stationery	2 67
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	\$648 17

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Louis Ernst & Son, hardware	\$ 141 14
A. V. Smith, difference in robe, &c.	10 00
Jacob Steinhauser, repairing tools	65 46
Wm. Bassett, work at Allen st. bridge	5 20
J. Emory Jones work and material	70 34
H. H. Craig, lumber	20 36
Hamilton & Mathews, hardware	80
L. Mandery, cement	1 50
Rochester Lime Co., cement	1 25
John Feuner, oil, Lake ave. repairs	1 70
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements	14 20
Hollister & Co., hemlock lumber	258 32
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	\$590 27

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay rolls, Jan. 17,	\$140 00	
" 24,	140 00	
Geo. B. Harris, freight on pipe.....	46 17	280 00
Jas. H. Nellis, est. trenching on group 81.....	60 00	
Jas. A. Nellis, est. laying pipe on group 81.....	10 00	
Thos. Oliver, est. No. 10, group 82.....	300 00	
F. B. Hutchinson' est. pipe line, Halbert st.....	247 52	
Geo. B. Harris, freight on valves.....	21 00	
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	7 52	

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Jan. 17, op. expenses..\$476 61		
service and re-	353 75	
pairs.....		\$830 36
Weekly pay roll, Jan. 24, op. expenses.. 476 61		
service and re-	321 50	
pairs.....		

Wm. Bassett, work in office.....	79 11	
Thomas J. Neville, office expenses.....	87 50	
The Bradstreet Company, annual subscription.....	10 05	
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	60 00	
C. E. Morris, stationery.....	15 82	
Williamson & Higbie, stationery.....	4 10	
John C. Moore and binding.....	19 11	
Post Express Printing Co., printing.....	6 25	
Louis Ernst & Son, supplies.....	36 75	
Hamilton & Mathews, hardware.....	6 25	
Samuel Marshall, hay.....	14 92	
German Brick and Tile Co., brick and clay.....	14 92	
James Field, supplies.....	70 65	
Rochester Lime Co., cement.....	1 02	
Bell Waterphone Co., rent of instruments.....	5 00	
B. W. Harris, rent of stable.....	75 00	
Steam Gauge & Lantern Co., inspectors' lamps.....	22 50	
National Meter Co., meters.....	3 00	
G. F. Schilling, coal.....	78 25	
Rochester Gas Light Co., gas bills.....	221 38	
John C. Barnard, paints, &c.....	25 40	
J. Emory Jones, work at pump house.....	7 75	
P. S. Wilson, agent, insurance.....	136 69	
Keuffel & Esser, heliographic paper.....	35 56	
Jones ave. sprinkling (O. 2460) overcharge for hydrant, &c.....	2 60	
M. J. Bunnell, search, Liv. Co.....	26 92	
	25 00	
		\$2,630 30

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Zimmer & Schwan, repairs, apparatus, &c.....	\$ 255 67
William Bassett, repairs, buildings.....	34 61
B. H. Clark & Son, supplies.....	12 77
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay.....	45 08
T. & G. Heberling, hay and straw.....	53 52
Christian Mielch, hay.....	56 18
Monthly pay-roll, payable January 31.....	3,412 34
Active Hose Co., appropriation.....	250 00
Louis Ernst & Son, hardware.....	25 84
Hamilton & Mathews.....	6 00
J. A. Welder, harness and repairs.....	122 15
Post Express Printing Co., printing, Fire Tel.....	3 50
Schmidt & Kaeber, telegraph supplies.....	4 50
F. E. Handy, labor.....	26 00
John A. Vanderwerf, final estimate on contract Lyell Avenue Station.....	2,824 00
Howe & Snyder, extra plumbing for Lyell Avenue Station.....	41 83
Heveron & Hyde, final estimate on contract for North Clinton St. Station.....	1,196 00
Heveron & Hyde, extra work and material N. Clinton St. Station.....	442 96
Geo. Engert, coal.....	82 50
Rochester German Insurance Co., insurance tel. instruments.....	24 50
Samuel Moulson, soap.....	3 00
John R. Church, architect, professional services, North Clinton St. Station.....	186 00
	\$8,608 95

Sprinkling Streets—Special Funds

Water Works Department, hydrants, repairs and expenses:	
Mt. Hope ave, Sec. 2; O 2426.....	\$ 22 20
State st; O 2427.....	47 12
Meigs st; O 2428.....	16 82
Goodman st; O 2429.....	26 70
East ave, Sec. 1; O 2430.....	40 48
East ave, Sec. 2; O 2431.....	39 87
Prince st; O 2432.....	18 41
West avenue; O 2433.....	47 41
Exchange st; O 2434.....	28 67
East and West Main sts; O 2435.....	58 75
East Main st; O 2436.....	45 91
Chestnut st; O 2437.....	15 25
South St Paul st and South ave; O 2438.....	31 60
South Union st; O 2439.....	12 99
South Fitzhugh st; O 2440.....	19 42
Lave ave; O 2441.....	68 39
Mill st; O 2442.....	25 15

Clinton st; Sec. 1, O 2443.....	82 04
South ave; O 2444.....	28 57
Park ave; O 2445.....	18 75
Rowley st, O 2446.....	11 43
Monroe ave; O 2447.....	40 24
South Washington st; O 2448.....	9 21
Plymouth ave; O 2449.....	23 31
Allen st; O 2450.....	30 45
Troup st; O 2451.....	13 73
North Washington st; O 2452.....	9 52
Spring street; O 2453.....	16 89
Sophia st; O 2454.....	9 78
North Fitzhugh st; O 2455.....	14 13
North Water st; O 2456.....	18 39
Mt Hope ave, Sec. 1; O 2457.....	23 24
North ave; Sec. 1. O 2458.....	25 56
Jones ave; O 2460.....	24 33
University ave; Sec. 1, O 2461.....	9 54
Scio st; O 2469.....	6 41
Clinton st; Sec. 2, O 2476.....	29 65
Atwater st; O 2477.....	15 65
South avenue; sec. 2, O 2478.....	9 16
Hudson st; O 2479.....	20 63
Elm st; O 2480.....	5 34
Gibbs street; O 2481.....	4 14
Kent st; O 2482.....	15 13
Andrews st; O 2483.....	14 23
Jay st; O 2484.....	12 13
Franklin park; O 2488.....	3 48
Clinton Place; O 2489.....	9 18
Vincent Place, O 2490.....	4 41
Tremont st; O 2491.....	8 34
Court st; O 2492.....	18 95
Franklin st, sec. 1; O 2493.....	29 65
Front street, 494.....	10 07
Jones st; O 2495.....	13 10
Ford street; O 2496.....	6 87
Howell st; O 2500.....	10 72
N. St. Paul st; Sec. 2, O 2502.....	35 43
Fulton ave, O 2506.....	27 46
Platt st; O 2509.....	16 59
St. Joseph st; O 2512.....	17 22
Clarissa st; O 2516.....	3 90
Franklin st, Sec. 2; O 2519.....	5 46
Frank st; O 2521.....	3 73

\$1,254 48

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Hinds—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester.

Your Law and Finance Committees to which was referred all matters relating to the failure of the City Bank so far as the City of Rochester has any interest therein, hereby reports:

As is well known, parties interested in the closing of all the claims against said bank have offered forty cents on the dollar of the indebtedness thereof. Your committees have held a meeting with reference to the acceptance by the city of Rochester of such percentage of its claim as the City of Rochester is authorized to accept. It is the question as to whether or not the city should accept such proposition will, in the opinion of your committees, depend upon whether or not the sureties upon the bond of the treasurer are liable to the city for the amount of the city's claim. Your committee are of the opinion that this question should be determined at as early a day as possible, and therefore recommend that such a question be referred to the City Attorney with instructions to report to the Common Council his opinion with reference thereto at the next meeting of the Common Council.

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. HINDS,
GEO. W. ARCHER,
J. M. PITKIN,
Finance Committee.
GEO. W. ALCHER,
ELIAS STROUSS,
A. BRONSON,
Law Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the city attorney be and he hereby is instructed to report to the Common Council at its next meeting whether, in his opinion, the sureties upon the bond given by the treasurer are liable to the city of Rochester for the amount of the claim of said city growing out of the failure of the City Bank of Rochester. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to report to this board at the next regular meeting, the amount in detail expended by said board from April 1st, 1883, to this date, upon each of the improved

streets and avenues of the city. Adopted.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Ald. Foley, from the select committee, to which was referred the report of the commissioners in the matter of opening a new street from Seward street to Reynolds street, reported progress and asked for further time. Further time was granted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 21, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In compliance with your resolution of January 8th, 1884, this Board, with the concurrence of the Water Works Committee, did receive sealed proffers for the purchase of the mill and other property at Hemlock Lake village now owned by the city of Rochester. These proffers were opened by this Board in accordance with the public notice, at its meeting on Monday, January 21st, 1884, and the following is a summary of said proffers:

For property embraced in Schedule "A,"	
F. P. Michel, Rochester, N. Y.	\$3,580 00
M. D. F. Hoppough, Livonia Station	7,510 00
N. C. Marsh, South Livonia	6,000 00
T. J. Reynolds, Rochester, N. Y.	3,506 00
For property embraced in Schedule "B,"	
F. P. Michel, Rochester, N. Y.	\$620 00

F. P. Michel being the highest bidder on both pieces or lots of property.

Respectfully submitted for the Executive Board,
GEO. B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, Jan. 21st, 1884.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the resolution offered by Ald. Barron at your last meeting, relating to a complaint from citizens residing in the vicinity of the Platt street sewer, the Executive Board would respectfully report that immediately on receipt of notice that said resolution had been passed a thorough examination of the Municipal Gas Company's works was made, and failed to develop any connection between said works and the sewer, or that any refuse therefrom was allowed to directly enter the same. Said Board is, however, of the opinion that, from saturation and filtration, more or less of the objectionable matter may find entrance thereto. If this opinion is correct, it is at a loss to suggest any effectual correction of the matter.

Respectfully submitted.
GEORGE B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Police Clerk—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1883.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, Jan. 22, 1883.

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of December, 1883.

December.	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
1—Pak Cummings	Drunk	\$10	
James Harrison	..	10	
Geo Schell	..	10	
Feltz McLoughlin	..	10	
John Maloney	..	10	
3—Henry Townsend	..	Left	5
Wm Fox	..	10	
Mary Fredmore	..	10	
John Moore	..	10	
Thos Rooney	..	10	
Thos Spillane	..	10	
Bernard Collins	..	10	
Jacob V. Knapp	..	10	
Wm A Oberst	Selling Hquor without license	Cost	1
Walter Merrill	..	1	
Bernard McElrone	..	1	
P M Hinman	..	1	
Albert Howard	vio ord	10	
4—Henry Pener	drunk	10	
John Douglass	..	10	
Wm Eagan	..	10	
Kare Wardell	..	10	
Joseph O'Neil	..	10	
John Ross	..	10	10
Fred O'Neil	..	10	
Mich Brayer, Jr.	assault	cost	2
John Keegan	drunk	10	
Daniel Delaney	cruelty to an'ls	15	
5—John McKnight	drunk	10	5

Kate Lynch	..	10	
Geo Stoddard	..	10	10
Della Smith	..	10	10
Sarah E. Brady	..	10	10
Pak Brady	..	10	10
John Dere	..	10	10
Peter Dozer	assault	cost	1
6—'Brick' Martin	drunk	left	10
7—Kate Wardwell	..	10	
Wm. Connell	..	10	
Geo. Martin	..	10	5
Sarah Nixon	..	10	
8—Thos. Casey	..	10	5
Cornelius Brown	..	10	
Ed. Jeffry	petit larceny	5	
Louis Luke	..	50	
10—John Mahar	drunk	10	
Stephen Joyce	..	10	
John O'Brien	..	10	10
Mary O'Brien	..	10	
Valentine Kiessel	..	10	5
Wm. J. Smith	..	10	5
Elizabeth Samuels	vio. ord.	5	
James H. Bennett	..	5	
Fred. W. Schaffner	..	5	
Jacob W. Myers	..	5	
Morris Myers	..	5	
Wm. T. Bridle	..	5	
Justus E. Austin	..	5	
11—Peter Martel	petit larceny	Cost	2
Harry Jarvis	drunk	10	
John McKenzie	..	10	
Gusv. McCluck	vio ord	10	5
Henry Hatch	..	10	
12—Emma Barton	drunk	10	
Eugene Talty	..	10	
13—Frank Schnyder	vio ord	10	
Joseph King	..	10	
James McLaughlin	drunk	10	
Alex. Hills	..	10	
Allen McMillen	assault	5	
Elizabeth Lutes	..	5	5
Charles Newman	vio ord	10	
14—John Hennig	drunk	10	
Joseph Mitchell	..	10	5
Mich. Lynch	..	10	
Patk. Flannigan	..	10	
Thos. Purcell	..	10	10
Robt. McIntyre, Jr.	..	10	
James Doane	..	10	
James Phalan	..	10	10
Mary Kellogg	..	10	
15—Joseph Kohman	..	10	
Warren Smith	..	10	
Ann Moore	..	10	
John McKick	..	10	
17—Hector Williams	..	10	
Patk. Hoolihan	..	10	
Geo. Weldon	..	10	
Thos. Clark	..	10	
Thos. Moore	..	10	
Patk. H. Wilson	..	10	
John Ackert	vio ord	5	
Mich. F. Flynn	drunk	10	
18—Michael Martin	pet lar	25	25
Annie Summers	drunk	10	
Mary Sheridan	..	10	
Emma Barton	..	10	
Maggie McNamara	..	10	
19—Hannah Wattles	pet lar	50	50
Wm. McIntyre	drunk	5	5
Johu Kelly	assault	cost	5
20—Asa Smith	drunk	10	5
Thos. McEntee	..	10	
Maggie Sullivan	..	10	10
Ida Day	..	10	
Harry Reynolds	..	10	
Wm. Hogan	..	10	
21—Mark Quinn	..	10	
Bridget Norris	vio ord	50	50
22—Asa Smith	drunk	10	
Stepy Joyce	..	10	
24—Martin Guerin	..	10	
Wm. Smith	10	5	
Mich. Ryan	..	10	
Fred Myers	..	10	
Jacob Loughlin	..	10	
Sam'l J. Lawrenc	..	10	
Harry Paulman	..	10	
Geo. Niebling	..	cost	2
Chas Kohman	..	10	5
Thos McNamara	..	10	
Milton McElroy	..	10	
Ed Buslher	..	10	5
25—Mary Lynch	vio ord	15	
John Carroll	drunk	10	
Laura Kimbark	..	10	10
Chas Renner	..	10	10
26—Erank Wilson	..	10	
Lottie Rogers	vio ord	50	
Joseph Bring	drunk	10	
Mich McGurk	..	10	5

August Ernst.....	..	10	
Mich Mulqueen.....	..	10	
Mary Murphy.....	..	10	10
James Murphy.....	..	10	
27—James Bell.....	..	10	
Martin Boland.....	..	10	10
Le Roy Bogardus.....	..	10	9
Cyrus Marsh.....	..	10	
Chris Forkel.....	..	10	
John Butler.....	..	1c	
Thos. Golding.....	vio. ord.,	10	
Geo. Flannigan.....	..	10	
David Haidt.....	vio. ord.,	10	5
Frank Arnold.....	..	10	
Gotlieb Appel.....	drunk,	10	10
28—Thos. Murray.....	..	10	10
Patrick Culligan.....	..	10	10
Charles Rapp.....	assault	10	7
29—Mary Smit.....	drunk	10	
John Thomas.....	..	10	
31—Frank Bentley.....	..	10	
Robert Foster.....	..	10	5
Patrick Welch.....	left	5	5
Patrick Coughlin.....	..	10	4
Timothy O'Callahan.....	..	10	4
Geo. Caler.....	..	10	
Geo. Nixon.....	..	10	
Fines by Police Commissioners.....	..	25	
Total.....	..	\$516	

TATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester, ss:

I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of December, 1883, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice and Police Commissioners of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.
Sworn to before me this 22nd day of January, 1884.
F. J. IRWIN, Com. of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
Rochester, January 12th, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with Sec. 29 of the City Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath of office as required by law:

Daniel A. Sharpe, M. L. Hughes, J. T. Wellington, James J. Craig as Commissioners of Deeds.
Respectfully submitted,
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the commissioners in the matter of the opening of a new street from Clifford street to Norton street—

To the Honorable, the Common-council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, who were appointed by order of the county court of Monroe county, duly granted and entered on the eighteenth day of June, 1883, commissioners to enquire into and determine to what damages and compensation the owners and occupants of the lands to be taken for the opening of a street from Clifford street to Norton street in the city of Rochester will be entitled, do respectfully report and certify their award of damages as incident to the opening of said street as follows:

The several pieces and parcels of land required for such purpose and necessary for the opening of said street, are described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 35 of the Blumenthal tract, as designated on a map of said tract, recorded in Monroe county clerk's office in liber 62 of deeds, at page 224; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 35, and the west line of lot No. 36, one hundred and seventy-five feet and two inches; thence easterly along a line parallel with the north line of Clifford street, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 35 and lot No. 36, one hundred and seventy-five feet and two inches to the north line of Clifford street; thence westerly along the north line of Clifford street twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Mary Beerens, of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west line of lot No. 36 and lot No. 37 of the Blumenthal tract one hundred and seventy-four feet and seven inches; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 37 twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lots Nos. 37 and 36 one hundred and seventy-four feet and seven inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles to the west line of lot No. 36 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Cornelius De Jonge, of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 38 of the Blumenthal tract; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 38 one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 38 twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 38 one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 38 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Edward De Jonge, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage to the Monroe County Savings bank for \$300, and also subject to a mortgage held by William Corning to secure the payment of \$600.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 39 of the Blumenthal tract; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 39 one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 39 twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 39 one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence westerly along the south line of said lot No. 39 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Sebastian Weber, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 40 of the Blumenthal tract; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 40, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 40, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 40, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence westerly along the south line of said lot No. 40, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by the heirs of Sebastian Salzer, deceased, namely: Mary Volk, of Webster, Rosa Rosmond, Maria Schultz, Jacob Salzer, Elizabeth Keiser, Catharine Barthold, Louisa Barthold, of Rochester, and Sebastian Salzer, of New York, subject to the dower interest of Anna M. Salzer, and also subject to a mortgage held by the Rochester Savings bank to secure the payment of four hundred dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 41, of the Blumenthal tract; thence northerly along the west line of said lots Nos. 41 and 42 about one hundred and seventy-five feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot No. 41, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lots Nos. 41 and 42 about one hundred and seventy-five feet; thence westerly along the south line of said lot No. 41, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Alfred G. Hixon, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon held by Elizabeth B. Kingsbury, of Honeoye Falls, N. Y., to secure the payment of three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350.00).

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west

line of lots Nos. 41 and 43 of the Blumenthall tract one hundred and seventy-three feet and six inches to the north line of lot No. 43; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 43, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lots Nos. 42 and 43, one hundred and seventy-three feet and six inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot No. 42, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Mary Atkin, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 44, of the Blumenthall tract; thence northerly along the west side of said lot No. 44, fifty-eight feet and one inch; thence easterly along a line at right angles to the west line of lot No. 44, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 44, fifty-eight feet and one inch; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 44, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Frederick Fisher and Catharine M. Fisher, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 44, fifty-eight feet and one inch; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 44, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 44, fifty-eight feet and one inch; thence westerly along a line at right angles to the west line of lot No. 44, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by John J. Weismuller and Catherine Weismuller of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by the Rochester German Insurance company to secure the payment of six hundred dollars.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 45, of the Blumenthall tract; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 45 fifty-eight feet and one inch; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot 45, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 45, fifty-eight feet and one inch; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 45 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by the heirs at law of Margaret Hahn deceased, namely: William Hahn, Charles Hahn, of full age, Marie Fetter, and Elizabeth Hahn infants for whom Robert B. Wickes was duly appointed guardian ad litem, subject to an estate of tenancy by the courtesy, of Henry Hahn.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west line of lot No. 45, fifty eight feet and one inch; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 45, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 45, fifty-eight feet and one inch; thence westerly along a line at right angles to the west line of lot No 45, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by the heirs of Charles Dill deceased, namely: Frank Dill and Magdalen Dill of full age, and Joseph Dill, George Dill Eliza Dill and Charles Dill infants, for whom Robert B. Wickes was duly appointed guardian ad litem, subject to the dower interest of Magdalena Dill, subject to a mortgage held by William Bauman to secure the payment of four hundred dollars, and, also, subject to a mortgage held by Elizabeth Zugelnd to secure the payment of four hundred and fifty dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the south-west corner of lot No. 46, of the Blumenthall tract; thence northerly along the west line of lots Nos. 46 and 47, one hundred and thirty-two feet and seven inches; thence easterly along a line at right angles to the west line of lot No. 47, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lots Nos. 46 and 47, one hundred and thirty-two feet and seven

inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 46, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Herman Lansing and Berdandine Lansing of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by George H. Humphrey, trustee, etc., to secure the payment of seventeen hundred dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the north-west corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west line of lot No. 47, fifty-five feet and nine inches; thence easterly along a line at right angles to the west line of lot No. 47, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 47, fifty-five feet and nine inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot No. 47, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Johannes H. Zouneville, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by Lewis P. Ross to secure the payment of one thousand dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west line of lot No. 47, forty-four feet; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 47, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 47, forty-four feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot No. 47, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Leo Ter Haar of Rochester, subject to two mortgages held by Olive Goodrich to secure the payment of nine hundred dollars and five hundred dollars respectively.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 48, of the Blumenthall tract; thence northerly along the west line of lot No. 48, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 48, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 48, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 48, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Jan Ter Haar and Johanna Ter Haar of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by Olive Goodrich to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars, and also, subject to a mortgage to Olive Goodrich to secure the payment of three hundred dollars.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 49, of the Blumenthall tract; thence northerly along the west line of lot No. 49, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 49, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 49, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 49, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Stephen Strebb and Johanna Strebb, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage given to Charles Englert to secure the payment of nine hundred and fifty dollars, which mortgage has been duly assigned to Joseph Sayre.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 50, of the Blumenthall tract, thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 50, fifty-eight feet and one inch, thence easterly along a line at right angles to the west line of lot No. 50, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 50, fifty eight feet and one inch; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 50, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Jacob Petegan, of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 50, fifty-eight feet and one inch; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No.

50, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot No. 50, fifty-eight feet and one inch; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot No. 50, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Albertus M. A. Pacaud, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 51, of the Blumenthall tract; thence northerly along the west line of lot No. 51, and of lot No. 64, as designated on a map of the Kedie farm, recorded in Monroe county clerk's office in Liber 94 of deeds, at page 522, two hundred and forty-nine feet and four inches; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 64 of the Kedie farm, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 64 of the Kedie farm and said lot No. 51 of the Blumenthall tract, two hundred and forty-nine feet and four inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot No. 51, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Simon L. Brewster and Stephen Remington of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 63 of the Kedie farm; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 63, about sixty-two feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot No. 63, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 63, about sixty-two feet; thence westerly along the south line of said lot No. 63, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Catharine Sherry of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 63, about twenty-seven and one-half feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot No. 63, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 63, about twenty-seven and one-half feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot No. 63, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Charles W. Pardee of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 63, about twenty eight and one half feet; thence easterly along the north line of said lot No. 63, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 63, about twenty-eight and one-half feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot No. 63, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by George F. Pardee, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 62 of the Kedie farm; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 62, fifty-eight feet and eight inches; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot No. 62, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 62, fifty-eight feet and eight inches; thence westerly along the south line of said lot No. 62, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Solomia Goetzman, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the west line of said lots 62, 61 and 60 of the Kedie farm, two hundred and

ninety-three feet and four inches; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 60, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lots Nos. 60, 61 and 62, two hundred and ninety-three feet and four inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles to the west line of said lot No. 62, twenty-five feet, to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Mary J. Koffejam, subject to a live estate therein of Catherine Versprelo.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the west line of lot 59, distant fifty-eight feet eight inches northerly from the south line of lot 59, thence northerly along the west line of lots Nos. 58 and 56 of the Kedie farm one hundred and seventy-six feet; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 58, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lots Nos. 58 and 59, one hundred and seventy-six feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot No. 59, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by John Wirth, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 57 of the Kedie farm; thence northerly along the west line of lots Nos. 57 and 58 two hundred and thirty-four feet and eight inches; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 56, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lots Nos. 56 and 57, two hundred and thirty-four feet and eight inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 57, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

Those premises are owned by John Zimbrick of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by Smith, Perkins & Company to secure the payment of three thousand dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 59, of the Kedie farm; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 59, fifty-eight feet and eight inches; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot No. 59, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 59, fifty-eight feet and eight inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 59, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Catharine Versprelo, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot No. 55, of the Kedie farm; thence northerly along the west line of lots No. 55 and 54 about two hundred and thirty-five feet; thence easterly along the north line of lot 54, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lots Nos. 54 and 55, about two hundred and thirty-five feet; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 55, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

One-half of these premises is owned by James Monroe, of Rochester, and the other half by Margaret Monroe, his wife.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the last described premises; thence northerly along the east line of Joiner street, as designated on a map of a subdivision of part of town lot No. 43, Irondequoit, being the nursery owned by Samuel Moulson, which map was recorded in the Monroe county clerk's office in labor 3, of map, at page 35, May 4, 1871, about eight hundred and sixty-five feet to the south line of Norton street; thence westerly along the south line of Norton street, five feet; thence southerly along the west line of said Joiner street, about eight hundred and sixty-five feet to the south line of Borchard street; thence easterly along the south line of Borchard street, fifty feet to the place of beginning. This strip of land was dedicated as a public street more than ten years since by the filing

of said map and the selling of lots thereon bounded by said street; the owners of lots on said street holding the fee of this strip of land subject to the public easement therein are Caroline Borchard, Marcellus Gysel, Mary Ann Gage, Amelia C. Beck, Samuel Moulson and Loranzo Roth.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises; thence easterly along the south line of Borchard street twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lots 36 and 37 of the Kedie farm, one hundred and seventy-nine feet and ten inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 37, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots Nos. 36 and 37 one hundred and seventy-nine feet and ten inches; to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Samuel Moulson, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 37, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lots Nos. 37, 38 and 39, two hundred and seventeen feet and six inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 39, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots 39, 38 and 37, two hundred and seventeen feet and six inches to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Hiram Sibley of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 39, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lots Nos. 39 and 40, one hundred and seventeen feet and four inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 40, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots Nos. 40 and 39, one hundred and seventeen feet and four inches to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Charles Lays and Alvina Lays, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by Josephine Hassler to secure the payment of twenty-five hundred dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 40, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lots Nos. 40 and 41, one hundred and seventeen feet and four inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 41, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots Nos. 40 and 41, one hundred and seventeen feet and four inches to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Margaret Ehret, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by the Monroe County Savings Bank to secure the payment of two hundred dollars, and also subject to a mortgage held by Morse and Hollister to secure the payment of two hundred and fifty dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 41, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lots Nos. 41, 42, 43 and 44, three hundred and fifty-two feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 44, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots Nos. 44, 43, 42 and 41, three hundred and fifty-two feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by the devisees under the will of Joseph Kohlman, deceased, namely: Joseph Kohlman, John Kohlman, of Titusville, Pa.; Nicholas Kohlman, Mary Walker, William Kohlman and Frank Kohlman, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as

follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 44, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lots 44 and 45, one hundred seventeen feet four inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 45, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots Nos. 45 and 44, one hundred and seventeen feet four inches to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by John G. Gassett of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 45 twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lot No. 45, about forty-five feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 45, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot No. 45 about forty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Margaret Rothaug of Scottsville, subject to a life estate therein of Catherine Klos and husband, and also subject to a mortgage held by Samuel Moulson to secure the payment of two hundred fourteen dollars and fifty-two cents, and also subject to a mortgage held by Jacob Nunnold to secure the payment of four hundred dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 46, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lot No. 46, about forty-five feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 46, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot No. 46, about forty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Dominick Ihlen of Rochester, subject to the same mortgages as the last described premises.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises, thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 46, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lot No. 46, fifty-seven feet six inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 46, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot 46, fifty-seven feet six inches to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Jacob Schirmer of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by the Atlantic Savings and Aid association to secure the payment of two hundred and fifty dollars.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 46, twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lot No. 46, twenty-nine feet and four inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 46, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot No. 46, twenty-nine feet four inches to the place of beginning.

These premises are held by Octavius O. Cottle of Buffalo, in trust for Burrell Spencer, under a devise in the will of Mary A. Spencer, deceased. Mary A. McKechnie of Canandaigua, also claims ownership to these premises by virtue of a deed from Burrell Speer as executor of the last will and testament of Mary A. Spencer.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 34, of the Blumenthull tract; thence southerly along the east line of said lot, No. 34, about one hundred and thirty feet; thence westerly along the south line of said lot, No. 34, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot No. 34, about one hundred and thirty feet; thence easterly along the north line of said lot, No. 34, twenty-five feet to the place of begin-

ning.

These premises are owned by Dolly Currier and Dolly Biney of Amesbury, Mass., Richard Currier and George W. Currier of Rochester, heirs at law of Sophia A. Currier, as tenants in common.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of lot No. 34, of the Blumenthal tract; thence southerly along the east line of lot No. 33, about sixty-four feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 33 twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot No. 33 about sixty-four feet; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 33 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by George Latz and Barbara, his wife, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage held by the Mechanic's Savings bank to secure the payment of four hundred dollars.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the last described premises: thence easterly along a line at right angles with lot No. 33, of the Blumenthal tract twenty-five feet; thence southerly along the east line of lot 33, about fifty-two feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 33, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot 33, fifty-two feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Magdalena Schwann of Rochester, subject to the same mortgage as the last described premises.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the last described premises; thence southerly along the east line of lots 32 and 31 of the Blumenthal tract about two hundred and thirty-five feet to the south line of lot 31; thence westerly along the south line of lot 31 twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots Nos. 31 and 32 about two hundred and thirty-five feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 32 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Dolly Currier and Dolly Biney, of Amesbury, Mass., Richard Currier and George W. Currier, of Rochester, heirs at law of Sophia A. Currier, as tenants in common.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 30 of the Blumenthal tract; thence southerly along the east line of lot No. 30, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 30, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot No. 30, one hundred sixteen feet two inches; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 30, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Simon L. Brewster and Stephen Remington, of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 29, of the Blumenthal tract; thence southerly along the east line of lot 29, one hundred sixteen feet two inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot 29, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot No. 29, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 29, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Michael Maier, of Oregon.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 28 of the Blumenthal tract; thence southerly along the east line of lots 28, 27, 26 and 25 about four hundred and sixty-five feet; thence westerly along the south line of lot 25 twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots 25, 26, 27 and 28 about four hundred and sixty-five feet; thence easterly along the north line of lot 25 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Ovid A. Hyde, of the town of Gates, Monroe county.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot 24 of the Blumenthal tract; thence southerly along the east line of lot 24 about fifty-eight feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 24 twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot 24 about fifty-eight feet; thence easterly along the north line of lot 24 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Catharine Memmel, of Rochester, subject to three mortgages thereon, all held by Mary Huck, of Syracuse, as security for the payment of the sums of \$100, \$200 and \$500, respectively.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the last described premises; thence southerly along the east line of lot 24 about fifty-eight feet; thence westerly along the south line of lot 24 twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot 24 about fifty-eight feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 24 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by the heirs at law of George Rein deceased, namely: John Rein, George Rein, Leopold Rein, Mary Werner, Regina Ensmann, Felicitas Usselman and Joseph Rein, subject to the dower interest therein of Barbara Rein. These parties are all residents of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 23, of the Blumenthal tract; thence southerly along the east line of lot No. 23, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence westerly along the south line of lot No. 23, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot No. 23, one hundred and sixteen feet and two inches; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 23 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by the heirs at law of Charles Kanhauser deceased, namely: Georgianna Hussman, Emma Dubelbeiss, and Charles Kanhauser of Rochester, subject to the dower interest therein of Wilhelmina Kanhauser.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 22, of the Blumenthal tract; thence southerly along the east line of lot No. 22, fifty-eight feet, two inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 22, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot No. 22, fifty-eight feet, two inches; thence easterly along the north line of lot No. 22, twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Heinrich Raab, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon held by the Republic Savings Loan and Aid association to secure the payment of five hundred dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the last described premises; thence southerly along the east line of lot No. 22, about fifty-eight feet; thence westerly along the south line of lot 22, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot 22, about fifty-eight feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles to the east line of lot 22, twenty-five feet, to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Joseph Fouquet, Catharine Fouquet, Jacob Fouquet, Regina Fouquet and Josephine Fouquet, of Rochester, devisees under the will of Margaret Fouquet, deceased, subject to a life estate therein of Philip Fouquet, and also subject to a mortgage thereon held by Valentine G. Foehner to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the last described premises; thence southerly along the east line of lots 21 and 20 of the Blumenthal tract one

hundred seventy-four feet three inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 20, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots 20 and 21, one hundred and seventy-four feet and three inches; thence easterly along the north line of lot 21, twenty-five feet, to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by George Fichtmeyer, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the last described premises; thence southerly along the east line of lots 20 and 19, of the Blumenthal tract one hundred sixteen feet two inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 19, twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lots 19 and 20, one hundred sixteen feet two inches; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 20, twenty-five feet, to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by John A. La Force and wife, of Rochester.

Also all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the last described premises; thence southerly along the east line of lots 19 and 18, of the Blumenthal tract one hundred and seventy-five feet, two inches to the north line of Clifford street; thence westerly along the north line of Clifford street twenty-five feet; thence northerly along a line at right angles to the north line of Clifford street one hundred and seventy-five feet, two inches; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot No. 19 twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Bethia Tichenor, of Rochester.

Therefore, we, the subscribers, the commissioners, having been duly sworn, as required by the statute in such case made and provided, and having all met and acted on the matter submitted to us at the city attorney's office in the City hall building, Rochester, N. Y., pursuant to a notice of at least ten days published according to law, and having taken a view of every part of the premises affected by this proceeding, and having enquired into and heard the allegations and proofs of the respective parties in interest, do, thereupon, determine and appraise the damage which the several owners and occupants of the lands and premises thus to be taken for the opening of said street will severally sustain by being deprived thereof, and do award the full amount of such damage and fix the compensation which each of the aforesaid owners and occupants shall receive therefor as follows:

To Mary Beerens, two thousand and twenty-five dollars, payable to Mary Beerens.

To Cornelius DeJonge, two hundred dollars and forty cents, payable to him.

Edward DeJonge, one hundred and thirty-three dollars and twenty cents, payable to the Monroe County Savings Bank, mortgagee.

To Sebastian Weber, one hundred and thirty-three dollars and twenty cents, payable to him.

To Mary Volk, Rosa Rosmond, Maria Schultz, Jacob Salzer, Sebastian Salzer, Elizabeth Keiser, Catharine Barthold, Louisa Barthold and Anna M. Salzer, one hundred and thirty-three dollars and twenty cents, payable to the Rochester Savings Bank, mortgagee.

To Alfred G. Hixon, two hundred dollars, payable to Elizabeth B. Kingsbury, mortgagee.

To Mary A. Atkin, two hundred dollars, payable to her.

To Frederick Fisher and Catharine M. Fisher, forty-nine dollars and ninety-five cents, payable to them.

To John J. Weismuller and Catharine Weismuller, forty-nine dollars and ninety-five cents, payable to the Rochester German Insurance Company, mortgagee.

To William Hahn, Charles Hahn, Marie Fetter and Elizabeth Hahn, heirs at law of Margaret Hahn, and Henry Hahn, tenant by the courtesy, forty-nine dollars and ninety-five cents, to be deposited in Monroe County Savings Bank subject to the order of the court.

To Frank Dill, Joseph Dill, George Dill, Magde lana Dill, Eliza Dill and Charles Dill, heirs at law and Magelena Dill widow of Charles Dill deceased, forty-nine dollars and ninety-five cents, payable to William Bauman, mortgagee.

To Herman and Bernadine Lansing, one hundred fourteen dollars and fifteen cents, payable to George H. Humphrey, trustee, etc., mortgagee.

To Johannes H. Zouneyville, forty-eight dollars, payable to Lewis P. Ross, mortgagee.

To Leo Ter Haar, thirty-seven dollars and eighty cents, payable to Olive Goodrich, mortgagee.

To Jan Ter Haar and Johanna Ter Haar, ninety-nine dollars and ninety cents, payable to Olive Goodrich, mortgagee.

To Stephen Strebb and Johanna Strebb, ninety-nine dollars and ninety cents, payable to Joseph Sayre, assignee of mortgage.

To Jacob Pettegan, thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents, payable to him.

To Albertus M. A. Pacaud, thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents, payable to him.

To Simon L. Brewster and Stephen Remington for land taken from lots Nos. 30 and 51, of the Blumenthal tract and lot No. 64, of the Kedie farm, two hundred forty-two dollars and ninety cents, payable to them.

To Catharine Sherry, thirty-five dollars and fifty cents, payable to her.

To Charles W. Pardee, sixteen dollars and twenty cents, payable to him.

To George F. Pardee, fifteen dollars and thirty cents, payable to him.

To Solomia Goetzman, thirty-three dollars and sixty cents, payable to her.

To Catherine Versprella, thirty-three dollars and sixty-six cents, payable to her.

To Mary J. Koffejan and Catherine Versprella, life tenant, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars and thirty cents, payable to them.

To John Wirth, one hundred and one dollars, payable to him.

To John Zimbrick, one hundred and thirty-four dollars and sixty cents, payable to Smith, Perkins & Co., mortgagees.

To James Monroe, and Margaret Monroe, one hundred and fifty dollars and fifty cents, payable to them.

To Caroline Borchard, one dollar, payable to her.

To Marcellus Gysel, one dollar, payable to him.

To Mary A. Gage, one dollar, payable to her.

To Amelia C. Beck, one dollar, payable to her.

To Lorenzo Roth, one dollar, payable to him.

To Samuel Moulson, one hundred and three dollars and twenty cents, payable to him.

To Hiram Sibley, one hundred and twenty-five dollars, payable to him.

To Charles Lays and Lavinia Lays, sixty-seven dollars and thirty cents, payable to Josephine Hassler, mortgagee.

To Margaret Ehret, sixty-seven dollars and thirty cents, payable to Monroe County Savings bank, mortgagee.

To Joseph Kohlman, John Kohlman, Nicholas Kohlman, Mary Walker, William Kohlman and Frank Kohlman, two hundred and two dollars, payable to them.

To John G. Gasset, sixty-seven dollars and thirty cents, payable to him.

To Margaret Rothang, twenty-five dollars and sixty cents, payable to Samuel Moulson, mortgagee.

To Dominick Hlen, twenty-five dollars and sixty cents, payable to Samuel Moulson, mortgagee.

To Jacob Schirmer, thirty-three dollars, payable to the Atlantic Savings and Aid Association, mortgagee.

To Octavius O. Cottle, trustee, as aforesaid, and Mary A. McKechnie, sixteen dollars and eighty cents, to be deposited in Monroe County Savings Bank subject to the order of the Court.

To Dolly Currier, Dolly Binney, Richard Currier and George W. Currier, heirs at law of Sophia A. Currier, two hundred and fifty-five dollars payable to them.

To George Latz and Barbara Latz, thirty-six dollars and seventy cents, payable to Mechanics' Sav-

ings Bank, mortgagee.

To Magdalena Schwaan, twenty-nine dollars and eighty cents, payable to Mechanics' Savings Bank, mortgagee.

To Michael Maier, ninety-nine dollars and ninety cents, payable to him.

To Ovid A. Hyde, three hundred and ninety-nine dollars and seventy-five cents, payable to him.

To Catharine Memmel, forty-nine dollars and ninety-five cents, payable to Mary Huck, mortgagee.

To John Rein, George Rein, Leopold Rein, Joseph Rein, Mary Werner, Regina Ensmann, Felicitas Usselman, heirs at law, and Barbara Rein, widow of George Rein, forty-nine dollars and ninety-five cents, payable to them.

To Wilhelmina Kanhauser, widow, and Georgiana Hussman, Emma Dubelbeiss, and Charles Kanhauser, heirs at law of Charles Kanhauser, deceased, one hundred thirty-three dollars and twenty cents payable to them.

To Heinrich Raab, sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents, payable to the Republic Savings Loan and Aid association, mortgagee.

To Joseph Fouquet and others, devisees under the will of Margaret Fouquet, deceased, sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents, payable to Valentine G. Fohner, mortgagee.

To George Fichtenmeyer, three hundred ninety-nine dollars and ten cents, payable to him.

To John A. LaForce and wife, two hundred fifty dollars, payable to them.

To Bathia Tichnor, five hundred dollars payable to her.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

P. B. HULETT,
E. L. POTTLE,
GEORGE CARING.

Commissioners.

Dated Rochester, N. Y., January 22, 1884.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Simmelinck—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the Commissioners to appraise the damages to be paid for the taking of lands for a new street from Clifford street to Norton street be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held February 5th, 1884, at the Common Council chamber. Adopted.

By Ald. Simmelinck—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw orders on the City Treasurer as follows: In favor of Pierson B. Hulett, chairman of the Commission, for three hundred forty-five dollars in full of fees of Commissioners Hulett, Pottle and Caring in the matter of the opening of a street from Clifford street to Norton street; and in favor of G. F. Slocum for two hundred ninety-five dollars in full for searches made of the title of the property to be taken for the opening of said street, and disbursements, payable from Contingent Fund, and that the Treasurer charge and carry said aggregate sum of six hundred and forty dollars to the fund for the opening of a street from Clifford street to Norton street, when created, as a part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—15.

From the Clerk—

HEADQUARTERS E. G. MARSHALL POST 397, }
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Board of Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—At a regular meeting of the E. G. Marshall Post, No. 397, held Tuesday evening, Jan. 8th, 1884, I was directed by the Post to extend to the Board of Common Council and their families a cordial invitation to be present at the public installation of the officers to be held at City Hall Tuesday eve, Jan. 22d, 1884, at 7½ o'clock. Yours in F., T. & L.,

GEO. H. WASHBURN,
Adjutant E. G. Marshall Post, No. 397, G. A. R.

On motion of Ald. Felsing the invitation was accepted.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

IMPROVING TAPPAN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving Tappan street, from North avenue to Union street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$18,500. By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The improvement of Tappan street, from the east curb line of North avenue to the west curb line of Union street, by constructing a Macadam pavement on a quarried stone foundation, with Medina stone curbs and gutters on each side thereof, width of roadway between curb lines to be 35 feet; also the necessary crosswalks and surface sewers. Also, a flag walk four feet in width in one course on each side of the street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$18,500, which estimate is hereby approved. Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Tappan street, from North avenue to Union street.

And further Resolved, That the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows:

One-fifth of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-fifth of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll, one-fifth within two years from the confirmation of said roll; one-fifth of the amount within three years from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-fifth within four years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Feb. the 5th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Ald. Aikenhead moved that the ordinance be amended so as to read as follows:

TAPPAN STREET IMPROVEMENT.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving Tappan street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$8,077.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The improvement of Tappan street from the east curb line of Scio street to the west line of Union street, by constructing a Macadam pavement with Medina stone curbs and gutters on each side thereof, width of roadway to be twenty-six feet between curb lines; also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers and manholes; also a flag walk four feet in width in one course on each side of the street.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$8,077, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Tappan street, from Scio street to Union street.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, Feb. the 5th, 1884, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will

be heard.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Barron, Watson, Jeffords, Felsing, Rice,
Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—9.
Nays—Ald. Collins, Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Foley,
Hinds, Pitkin—7.

The ordinance as amended was then adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,566.

STONE SEWER IN SUMMER STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a sewer in Summer street, from near the center of Penn street to the north line of Champlain street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a stone sewer, 1½x2 feet in size, in Summer street, from near the center of Penn street to the north line of Champlain street extended westerly to Summer street. Also the necessary surface sewers, manholes and lot lateral connections.

And the whole expense shall be detracted by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$2,568, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Summer street in front of which the proposed sewer shall be constructed.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessment in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount, within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The final ordinance for Exchange street foot bridge came up and on motion of Ald. Bronson was indefinitely postponed.

The final ordinance for a foot bridge across the Erie canal on West Main street came up and on motion of Ald. Kelly was indefinitely postponed.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENTS.

By Ald. Bronson—

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,313, for Lyell avenue lift bridge, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$14,940.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,313.

LYELL AVENUE LIFT BRIDGE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 8th day of March, 1882, enact an ordinance for a lift bridge across the Erie canal at Lyell avenue.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$14,940, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

All the lots and parcels of land enclosed within and described by the following boundary lines: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Lake avenue with the north line of Vincent place, thence northerly along Lake avenue, including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to a point opposite the south line of Emerson street, thence along the south line of Emerson street, and in said line continued westerly, excepting one tier

of lots on the south side thereof, to the Erie canal, thence northwesterly along the Erie canal to the west line of the 15th ward, thence southerly along the west line of the 15th ward, to the north line of lands belonging to the Niagara Falls branch of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad, thence easterly along the northerly line of said railroad lands to Smith street, thence easterly along Smith street, excepting one tier of lots on the north side thereof to State street, thence to the place of beginning. Also one tier of lots on each side of Vincent place, from State street and Lake avenue to the west end of the Vincent place bridge.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$14,940, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of Jan., 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,424, for Lyell avenue lift bridge approaches has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,762.30.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,424.

LYELL AVENUE LIFT BRIDGE APPROACHES.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for Lyell avenue lift bridge approaches.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,762.30, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

All the territory enclosed within and described by the following boundary lines: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Lake avenue with the north line of Vincent place; thence northerly along Lake avenue, including one tier of lots on the east side thereof to a point opposite the south line of Emerson street; thence westerly along the south line of Emerson street, and in said line continued westerly, excepting one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to the Erie canal; thence northwesterly along the Erie canal to the west line of the 15th ward; thence southerly along the west line of the 15th ward to the north line of lands belonging to the Niagara Falls branch of the New York Central & Hudson River railroad; thence easterly along the northerly line of said railroad lands to Smith street; thence easterly along Smith street, excepting one tier of lots on the north side thereof, to State street; thence to the place of beginning. Also one tier of lots on each side of Vincent place, from State street and Lake avenue to the west end of the Vincent place bridge.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$2,762.30, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 26th day of Jan., 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,427, for Mt. Hope avenue sprinkling, Secs. 2, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$392.13.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,426.

SPRINKLING MT. HOPE AVENUE, SEC. 2.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Mt. Hope avenue, sec. 2.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$392.13, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Mt. Hope avenue from the center of Clarissa street to the entrance to Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$392.13, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,427, for State street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$323.44.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, No. 2,427.

STATE STREET SPRINKLING.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an Ordinance for sprinkling State street.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$323.44, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of State street, from Main street to Lyell avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$323.44, being the whole amount of the expense aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,428, for Meigs street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or be entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$299.22.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,428.

SPRINKLING MEIGS STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Meigs street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$299.22, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Meigs street, from East avenue to Monroe avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$299.22, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of such improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,429, for Goodman street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$471.64.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,429.

SPRINKLING GOODMAN STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Goodman street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$471.64, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Goodman street, from the centre of College avenue to Park avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$471.64, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expenses, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th 1883. }

To the Hon. Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,430, for East avenue sprinkling (Sec. 1), has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$715.16.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

**LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2430.
SPRINKLING EAST AVENUE.**

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling East avenue (Sec. 1).

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$715.16, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East avenue, from Main st. to Goodman st.

Therefore, resolved, That the sum of \$715.16, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots as parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and the Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,431, for East avenue sprinkling (Sec. 2) has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$704.32.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

**LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,431.
SPRINKLING EAST AVENUE (SEC. 2)**

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling East ave. (Sec. 2).

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$704.32, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East ave., from the west line of Goodman st., south of East ave., to a point four hundred feet (400) east of Bates st.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$704.32, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of Jan. 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,432, for Prince street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$325.29.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

**LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,432.
PRINCE STREET SPRINKLING.**

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for Prince street sprinkling.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$325.29, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Prince street, from East ave. to East Main street.

Therefore, Resolved, that the sum of \$325.29, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be and the same hereby is assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,433, for West avenue sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$846.39.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

**LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,433.
SPRINKLING WEST AVENUE.**

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling West avenue.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$846.39, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of West avenue, from the Erie canal to the center of Colvin street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$846.39, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,434, for Exchange street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$506.55.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

**LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,434.
SPRINKLING EXCHANGE STREET.**

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Exchange street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$506.55 including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Exchange street from Main street to the center of Adams street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$506.55, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board has notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,435, for East and West Main street Sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1037.87.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,435.

SPRINKLING EAST AND WEST MAIN STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for Sprinkling East and West Main street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,037.87 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East and West Main street, from the Erie canal to the center of East avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1037.87 being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,436, for East Main street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$811.15.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,436.

SPRINKLING EAST MAIN STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling East Main street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$811.15, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East Main street, from East avenue to the west line of Goodman street, west of the N. Y. C. R. bridge.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$811.15, being

the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,437, for Chestnut street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds is \$269.38.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,437.

SPRINKLING CHESTNUT STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Chestnut street.

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$269.38, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Chestnut street, from East avenue to Monroe avenue.

Therefore resolved, That the sum of \$269.38, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,438, for St. Paul street and South avenue sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$558.24.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,438.

SPRINKLING SOUTH ST. PAUL STREET AND SOUTH AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling South St. Paul street and South avenue:

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$558.24, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of South St. Paul street and South avenue, from Main street to Comfort street.

Therefore, Resolved, that the sum of \$558.24, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make

an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2439, for South Union street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$229.42.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2, 439.
SPRINKLING SOUTH UNION STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling South Union street,

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$229.42, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:
One tier of lots on each side of South Union street, from East avenue to Monroe avenue.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$229.42, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lands and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council.

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2440, for So. Fitzhugh street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to for the use of its funds, is \$343.13.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2, 440.
SPRINKLING SO. FITZHUGH STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling South Fitzhugh street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$343.13, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:
One tier of lots on each side of South Fitzhugh street, from one hundred feet (100) south of the Erie Canal to Edinburg street.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$343.13, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making

of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,441, for Lake avenue sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$1,208.25.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2, 441.
SPRINKLING LAKE AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Lake avenue.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$1,208.25, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:
One tier of lots on each side of Lake avenue from Lyell avenue and Vincent place to the north line of the Ninth ward.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$1,208.25, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,442, for Mill street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$444.38.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2, 442.
SPRINKLING MILL STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Mill street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$444.38 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:
One tier of lots on each side of Mill street, from Exchange place to Brown street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$444.38, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of Jan., 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,443, for Clinton street sprinkling (section 1), has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$566.04.

Yours respectfully,

A. G. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,443.

SPRINKLING CLINTON STREET, SEC. 1.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Clinton street (section 1),

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$566.04, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton street from Monroe avenue to the center of Marietta street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$566.04, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Mahar, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,444, for South avenue sprinkling (Sec. 1), has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$504.71.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,444.

SPRINKLING SOUTH AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling South avenue.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$504.71, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of South avenue, from Comfort street to the centre of Linden street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$504.71, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Mahar, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any party so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the office of City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,445, for Park avenue sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds is \$831.27.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,445.

SPRINKLING PARK AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Park avenue.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$831.27, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Park avenue, from Alexander street to Avenue A, Vick park.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$831.27, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of Jan., 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,446, for Rowley street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$192.80.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLAHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2446.

ROWLEY STREET SPRINKLING.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Rowley street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$192.80, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Rowley street, from Park avenue to Monroe avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$192.80, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed upon such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Mahar, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of Jan., 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER N. Y. Jan. 16. 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance 2,447, for Monroe avenue Sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property bene-

fit, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$700.88.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,447.

SPRINKLING MONROE AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Monroe avenue.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$700.88 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Monroe avenue, from Clinton street to the east line of Nicholas park.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$701.88 being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Foley, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,448, for South Washington street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$164.06.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,448.

SPRINKLING SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling South Washington street;

And whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$164.06, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of South Washington street, from the Erie Canal to Troup street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$164.06, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,449, for Plymouth avenue sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$422.83.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,449.

SPRINKLING PLYMOUTH AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Plymouth avenue,

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$422.83, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Plymouth avenue from a point one hundred (100) feet south of the Erie canal to the Genesee Valley Canal.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of four hundred and twenty-two dollars and thirty-eight cents, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,450, for Allen street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$537.90.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,450.

SPRINKLING ALLEN STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Allen street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$537.90, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Allen street, from State street to Brown street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$537.90, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion to as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmellink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,451, for Troup street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its fund, is \$242.59.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,451.
SPINKLING TROUP STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Troup street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has paid the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$242.59, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Troup street from Exchange street to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Eagle street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$242.59, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,451, for North Washington street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$168.23.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,452.

SPINKLING NORTH WASHINGTON STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling North Washington street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$168.23, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North Washington street, from Main street to Allen street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$168.23, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,452, for Spring street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$293.32.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,453.

SPINKLING SPRING STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1884, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Spring street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$293.32, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Spring street from Exchange street to Ford street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$293.32, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of Jan., 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y. Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,454, for Sophia street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to for the use of its funds is \$172.82.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,454.

SPINKLING SOPHIA STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Sophia street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$172.82, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Sophia street from Main street to Allen street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$172.82, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,455, for North Fitzhugh street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or be entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$173.94.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,455.

SPINKLING NORTH FITZHUGH STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling North Fitzhugh street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$173.94, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North Fitzhugh street, from Main street to Allen street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$178.94, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire for by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingher, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,456, for North Water street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$333.52.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,456
SPRINKLING NORTH WATER STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 20th day of March, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling North Water street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$333.52 including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North Water street, from Main street to Atwater street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$333.52, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingher, Rice, Southard Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,453, for Mt. Hope avenue sprinkling (section 1) has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$410.60.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2453.
SPRINKLING MT. HOPE AVENUE (SEC. 1.)

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Mt. Hope avenue (section 1),

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$410.60, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Mt. Hope avenue from South avenue to the center of Clarissa street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$410.60, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingher, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,460, for North avenue sprinkling (Sec. 1) has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$451.49.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,460.
SPRINKLING NORTH AVENUE (SEC. 1.)

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling North avenue (Sec. 1).

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$451.49, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North avenue, from a point one hundred (100) feet north of East Main street, to the north line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. Railroad.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$451.49, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingher, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,461, for Jones avenue sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed under the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$403.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2461.
SPRINKLING JONES AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Jones avenue.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$403, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Jones avenue, from a point one hundred (100) feet west of Lake avenue to West street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$403, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of

land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }
To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,462, for University avenue sprinkling, (Sec. 1) has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$168.47.
Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,462.

SPRINKLING UNIVERSITY AVENUE (Sec. 1.)

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling University Avenue (Sec. 1.)

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$168.47, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of University avenue, from North avenue to Scio street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$168.47, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, or of the said amount of expenses, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }
To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,470, for Scio st. sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$113.21.
Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,470.

SCIO STREET SPRINKLING.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 17th day of April, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Scio street.

And whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$113.21, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Scio street, from a point one hundred (100) feet north of East avenue to the centre of Charlotte st.

Therefore, resolved, That the sum of \$113.21, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said

improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,476, for Clinton street sprinkling (Sec. 2), has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$524.10.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,476.

SPRINKLING CLINTON STREET (Sec. 2.)

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for Sprinkling Clinton street (Sec. 2.)

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$524.10 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton street, from the center of Maria street to Clifford street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$524.10, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,477, for Atwater street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to for the use of its funds is \$276.50.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,477.

SPRINKLING ATWATER STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Atwater street.

And, whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$276.50, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Atwater street, from north avenue to North St. Paul street.

Therefore resolved, That the sum of \$276.50, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of lands.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote :
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,
 Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice,
 Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,473, for South avenue sprinkling, sec. 2, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$161.85.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,473.

SPRINKLING SOUTH AVENUE, SEC. 2.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling South avenue, sec. 2.

And whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$161.85, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of south avenue, from the center of Linden street to the south line of the Mumford property.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$161.85, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on each lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote :
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,
 Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing,
 Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,479 for Hudson street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$364.49.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,479.

SPRINKLING HUDSON STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Hudson street.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$364.49, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Hudson street, from North avenue to the north line of Channing street.

Therefore Resolved, That the sum of \$364.49, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, Jan. 26th, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote :
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,
 Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice,
 Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,480, for Elm street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to for the use of its funds, is \$94.27.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,480.

SPRINKLING ELM STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Elm street.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$94.27, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Elm street, from Main street to Chestnut street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$94.27, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote :
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,
 Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing,
 Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,481, for Gibbs street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$73.08.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,481.

SPRINKLING GIBBS STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Gibbs street.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$73.08, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Gibbs street, from a point one hundred (100) feet north of East avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet south of East Main street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$73.08, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote :
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer,
 Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice,
 Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,482, for Kent street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, ed or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$263.01.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,482.

SPRINKLING KENT STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did on the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Kent st.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$263.01, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Kent street, from a point one hundred feet (100) north of Allen street, to Brown street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$263.01, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby directed designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the office of City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,483, for Andrews street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$251.37.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,483.

SPRINKLING ANDREWS STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 1st day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Andrews street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$251.37, including any interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Andrews street, from the west end of Andrews street bridge to a point one hundred (100) feet west of North avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$251.37, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,487, for Jay street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$214.31.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2487.

JAY STREET SPRINKLING.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 15th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Jay street.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$214.31, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which the said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Jay street, from a point one hundred (100) feet west of State street to Oak street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$214.31, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,488, for Franklin park sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$61.43.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,488.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN PARK.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 15th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Franklin park.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$61.43, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin park from Clinton place to Alwater street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$61.43, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of Jan., 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,489, for Clinton place sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited

ated, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$162.18.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,489
CLINTON PLACE SPRINKLING.

Whereas, The Common Council did, upon the 15th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Clinton place.

And Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$162.18, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton place from a point 100 feet west of North avenue to a point 100 feet east of Clinton street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$162.18, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorton, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of said property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingier, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,490, for Vincent Place sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds is \$77.85.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,490.
SPRINKLING VINCENT PLACE.

Whereas, the Common Council did upon the 15th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Vincent Place.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$77.85, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Vincent Place from a point 100 feet east of State street to the west end of Vincent Place bridge.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$77.85, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, G. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingier, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., January 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,491, for Tremont street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$147.34.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, No. 2,491.

SPRINKLING TREMONT STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Tremont street.

And Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$147.34, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Tremont street, from a point one hundred (100) feet west of Plymouth avenue to Caledonia avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$147.34, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingier, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,492, for Court street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$334.36.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,492.
SPRINKLING COURT STREET.

Whereas, the Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Court street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$334.36, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Court street, from a point one hundred (100) east of St. Paul street to a point one hundred (100) feet west of Union street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$334.36, being the whole amount of expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any persons so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingier, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,493, for Franklin street sprinkling (Sec. 1), has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$94.03.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,493.
FRANKLIN STREET SPRINKLING (SEC 1).

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for Sprinkling Franklin street (Sec. 1).

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$94.03, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin street, from Andrews street to North St. Paul street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$94.03, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnick—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,494, for Front street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$177.36.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,494.

SPRINKLING FRONT STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Front street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$177.36 including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Front street, from one hundred (100) feet north of Main street to the north line of the Brackett house property.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$177.36, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein, and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnick—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,496, for Jones street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur or is entitled to for the use of its funds, is \$236.79.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,495.

SPRINKLING JONES STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Jones street.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$236.79, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Jones street, from Center street to Jay street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$236.79, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated of the said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnick—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,496, for Ford street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$112.60.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,496.

SPRINKLING FORD STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Ford street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$112.60, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Ford street from the Erie canal to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Allen street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$112.60 being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnick—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,500, for Howell street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$189.43.

Yours respectfully,

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,500.

SPRINKLING HOWELL STREET.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Howell street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$189.43, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Howell street, from a point one hundred (100) feet east of South St. Paul

street to a point one hundred (100) feet west of Monroe avenue.

Therefore, Resolved—That the sum of \$189.43, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingcr, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmclink—16.
 CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,502 for North St. Paul street sprinkling (Section 2), has been completed. The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$626.91.
 Yours respectfully,
 A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,502.

SPRINKLING NORTH ST. PAUL STREET (SECTION 2).

Whereas, the Common Council did upon the 29th day of May, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling North St. Paul street (Section 2).

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$626.91, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for:

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:
 One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street from the centre of Marietta street to Avenue A.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$626.91, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingcr, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmclink—16.
 CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,506, for Fulton avenue sprinkling, has been completed. The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its fund, is \$45.10.
 Yours respectfully,
 A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, No. 2,506.

SPRINKLING FULTON AVENUE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 12th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for springling Fulton avenue.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$45.10, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Fulton avenue from a point one hundred (100) feet north of Jones avenue to Glenwood avenue.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$45.10, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingcr, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmclink—16.
 CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,509, for Platt street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$293.02.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
 LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2,509.

PLATT STREET SPRINKLING.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 12th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Platt street.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$293.02, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Platt street from a point one hundred (100) feet west of State street to a point one hundred (100) feet north of Allen street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$293.02, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingcr, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmclink—16.
 CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,511, for improving the approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$2,141.04.

Yours respectfully,
 A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
 LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,511.

IMPROVING APPROACHES TO LYELL AVENUE LIFT BRIDGE.

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 26th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for improving approaches to Lyell avenue lift bridge.

And, Whereas, The City Treasurer has reported the actual expense of said improvement to be the sum of \$2,141.04, including such interest as the City has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Lyell avenue, from the west line of Orchard street, to the west line of West street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$2,141.04, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expense, as near as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884; at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,512 for St. Joseph street sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to for the use of its funds, is \$304.22.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,512.

SPRINKLING ST. JOSEPH STREET.

Whereas, the Common Council did upon the 25th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling St. Joseph street.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$304.22, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which the said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of St. Joseph street, from a point one hundred (100) feet north of Atwater street to the north line of Herman street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum \$304.22, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 14 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,516, for Clarissa street sprinkling, has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city should incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$69.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,516.

SPRINKLING CLARISSA STREET.

Whereas, the Common Council did upon the 26th day of June, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Clarissa street.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$69, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Clarissa street, from a point one hundred (100) feet east of Plymouth avenue to the west end of Clarissa street bridge.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$69, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots or parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so

interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under Ordinance No. 2,519, for Franklin street sprinkling (sec. 2), has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to for the use of its funds, is \$96.46.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT, NO. 2,519.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN STREET (SEC. 2).

Whereas, the Common Council did upon the 10th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Franklin street (sec. 2.)

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$96.46, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin street, from a point one hundred (100) feet west of North avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet east of Clinton street.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$96.46, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said city so designated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE }
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 16th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby certify that the Executive Board have notified me that the work authorized under ordinance No. 2,521, for Frank st. sprinkling has been completed.

The amount to be assessed upon the property benefited, including any interest that the city shall incur, or is entitled to, for the use of its funds, is \$66.73.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT NO. 2,521.

FRANK STREET SPRINKLING.

Whereas, the Common Council did upon the 10th day of July, 1883, enact an ordinance for sprinkling Frank street.

And, Whereas, the City Treasurer has reported the actual expenses of said improvement to be the sum of \$66.73, including such interest as the city has paid or become liable for.

And the portion of said city which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Frank st., from Center st. to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Platt st.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$66.73, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be assessed on such lots and parcels of land.

And John Gorton, V. Fleckenstein and Wm. Maher, the Assessors of said city, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all lots and parcels of lands and houses within the portion or part of said city so design-

nated, of the said amount of expense, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 9th day of January, 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Rice, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Foley moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Wm. S. Briggs—First ward,

Jas. L. Gott—Fourth ward.

Stephen Wheeler, Francis O'Connor—Eighth ward,

Fred W. Smith—Ninth ward,

Martin De Mallie—Sixteenth ward.

Having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Jeffords moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Elections for the second district of the seventh ward. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords nominated J. M. Deyo.

J. M. Deyo was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

J. M. Deyo was declared appointed inspector of election.

Ald. Kelly moved to proceed to appoint a police commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr. was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

Ald. Kelly moved that further voting for police commissioner be postponed until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

"By Ald. Archer—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the widening of North St. Paul street, from Division street northerly to a point near River street, will be heard at the meeting of the Common Council to be held at the Council chamber, in the City Hall, on the 22d day of January, 1884, at six o'clock p. m., which time is hereby assigned for that purpose. Adopted."

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing Ald. Archer moved that the report of the commissioners in the matter of widening North St. Paul street be confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Nays—Ald. Aikenhead, —1.

Ald. Archer in the chair.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Kelly:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned most respectfully ask your honorable body to grant permission to close a part of Eleventh (11th) street, in said city, between McCracken and Rowe streets, which separates the land of your two petitioners.

We, the undersigned, owners of houses and lots within the distance above named, hereby give our consent that the above petition be granted:

Peter Pitkin, owner of land west of 11th street.
Catharine M. Tuttle, by Baywood Hawks, her attorney, owner of land east of 11th street.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, Peter Pitkin and Catherine M. Tuttle have petitioned the Common Council that that part of Eleventh street between McCracken and Rowe streets in the city of Rochester be closed; and

Whereas, said petitioners own all the land on either side of said street between McCracken street and Rowe street, and desire to erect upon said land and upon the portion of the street when closed a manufacturing building; and

Whereas, Under sub-division four of Section 168 of the City Charter the Executive Board, whenever authorized by the Common Council has the same power with respect to said city to discontinue any street therein as is now by law possessed by the commissioners of highways of towns with respect to roads in towns; and

Whereas, The action which would be taken by the Executive Board under the authorization of the Common Council with reference to said matter will give all parties interested an opportunity to be heard in judicial proceedings which said Board shall institute; therefore

Resolved, That the Executive Board be and hereby is authorized by this Board to discontinue and close Eleventh street between McCracken street and Rowe street, if such Executive Board shall deem advisable, such discontinuance to be effected in accordance with the provisions of said subdivision four of section 168 of the city charter. Adopted.

By Alderman Kelly—Whereas, The report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening of a street from Campbell street to Maple street, dated September 3d, 1883, awarded to Christopher Voelkl, Anna Zwack, Joseph Voelkl, Catharine Zimmerman, Roza Ritzenthaler, Magdalena Spahn, George Voelkl and Theresa Voelkl the sum of three hundred seventy-five (\$75) dollars and directed that said sum be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank to the credit of said parties, subject to the order of the court; and,

Whereas, Said parties have duly executed and acknowledged a power of attorney to George M. Cone to receive the said award, in their names; therefore,

Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is authorized and directed, to pay said sum of three hundred and seventy-five (\$75) dollars, award, as aforesaid, to George M. Cone, attorney, upon his filing with said Treasurer, the said power of attorney and executing the proper voucher therefor.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to make the city's note for one thousand and sixty dollars (\$1,060), and credit to the fund for the opening of a street from Campbell street to Maple street the sum of eight hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$895), and credit to the contingent fund the balance, namely, one hundred and sixty-five dollars (\$165), said latter sum being the amount heretofore paid from the contingent fund for the expenses of said street opening; said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee, and discounted under the direction of the Finance Committee and the Treasurer, and the discount to be charged to the contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized, upon procuring the proceeds of the city's note, as discounted, to create the fund to pay the several claimants their damages for the opening of a street from Campbell street to Maple street, to notify each of said claimants that the amount to which they severally are entitled is ready for payment, and that said Treasurer pay to each claimants as appear and demand the same; the amount of this award as set forth in the report of the Commissioners in said proceedings, and in case they or any of them shall fail to call at such Treasurer's Office and receive the same within ten days thereafter; that thereupon said Treasurer deposit in the Monroe County Savings Bank to the credit of each of said claimants who shall have failed to call and receive the same of said Treasurer the amount due them respectively, and that upon the payment or deposit being made, as herein provided, that said Treasurer take proper vouchers therefor. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly submitted the following proposed amendment to the city charter:

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to further amend chapter one hundred and forty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-one, entitled 'an act to amend and consolidate the several acts in relation to the charter of the city of Rochester,' and to consolidate therewith the several acts in relation to the charter of said city," passed February 19th, 1880.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Subdivision two of section twelve of title two of chapter fourteen of the laws of 1880 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. At the expiration of said respective terms of office the full term thereafter shall be successively of four years each, and within the month of March next preceding the expiration of every term, and whenever any vacancy shall occur in such board (except vacancy in the office of mayor) the common council shall appoint from among the electors of said city a commissioner or commissioners as the case may be, to fill the impending vacancy, which appointments respectively shall be for the then ensuing term of four years, except in case of appointments to fill vacancy in an unexpired term, when such appointment shall then be for the residue of such unexpired term, and upon specific charges being preferred the Common Council, by a like vote, shall have power to remove from office any such commissioner, except the Mayor, after giving to such commissioner a copy of the charges against him, and an opportunity of being heard in his defense; and all such appointments of commissioners of police shall be made that the two principal political parties shall always be represented by the two appointed commissioners respectively.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Ald. Kelly moved that the proposed amendment be approved and the clerk be directed to transmit a copy thereof to the Senator and Assemblyman of this city, and that they be requested to urge its passage by the Legislature.

Ald. Bronson moved to so amend as to provide for the election of Police Commissioners by the people.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—4.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Ald. Foley moved to table until the next meeting.

Lost by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

The motion of Ald. Kelly was then adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Nays—Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—4.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That electric lights be placed in Chili avenue from West avenue to the city line. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Rice—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD. }
Rochester, Jan. 21, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

GENEVALEMEN: In the matter of opening and extending Pinnacle avenue the Executive Board would respectfully report that the parties interested in the property to be taken have been seen personally or through their attorneys with the following result:

Mary L. Keith demands.....	\$ 3,700
Attorney for Montgomery property.....	3,300
A. A. Fullman.....	2,500

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the amount at which the property owners whose lands are necessary to be taken for the extension of Pinnacle avenue are willing to sell the same for that same purpose, as reported by the Executive Board to this Board is satisfactory. Adopted.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is directed to enter into a contract on behalf of the city with the owners of the property necessary to be taken for the opening of Pinnacle avenue, under an ordinance adopted by this Board, providing for the purchase of property at the prices reported by the Executive Board as to the several pieces of property; such contract to be drawn and approved by the City Attorney, and to conform to the provisions of title seven of the City Charter.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—13.

Nays—Ald. Watson—1.

By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the City Attorney be and hereby is instructed to prepare an act to submit to the Legislature, providing for the appropriation of a sufficient sum to build a high bridge across the Erie Canal from

Pinnacle avenue to Griffith street; that the Senator and Assemblyman from this district be requested to urge the passage of the said act, and that a committee of three members of this Board and City Attorney be appointed to appear before the proper committees of the Legislature and if possible procure the passage of said act. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of L. E. Hayward and others relating to an assessment for the Court and Williams street outlet sewer.

Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Hinds—Whereas, There are local assessments in large amounts assessed upon property owned by the United States government and by the State of New York in favor of the city of Rochester, and which can probably be secured to the city if the necessary steps be taken.

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be and hereby is instructed to procure the payment of such sums as may be owing as aforesaid if possible. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That the use of the City Hall be granted to the Monroe County Land League for an address by John E. Redmond on the evening of February 6th, 1884. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That a license be granted for the exhibition for one day during the season of 1884, on the Base-Ball grounds, of the P. T. Barnum Show, upon the payment into the city treasury of the sum of twenty-five (25) dollars. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 25 to 77 of the J. T. Briggs sub'n, part Strong Tract, south side Strong street, 8th Ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore.

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Jan. 22, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$432.20, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 22, 1884. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to Jefferson Ave. Lot Assn., viz.:

Lots No. 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73, 77, J. T. Briggs sub'n, part Strong Tract, south side Strong street, 8th Ward—646 feet front, 646 feet rear and 115 feet deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as their portion of Genesee Valley canal outlet sewer tax, 0.2, 263, the sum of \$432.20, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 22, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 131 and 132 of the St. Joseph Orphan Asylum Tract, east side Maria street, 16th Ward, was assessed for Maria street sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore.

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Jan. 22d, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$38.91, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 22, 1884. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1884 to Bernhard Goerkes, viz:

Lot No. 131, St. Joseph Orphan Asylum tract, east side of Maria street, 16th Ward, 46 feet front, 46 feet rear, and 147 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Maria street sewer tax, No. 2, 531, the sum of \$38.91, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 22, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 135, 136, 137, 139, 139, 140, of the St. Joseph Orphan Asylum Association tract, East side Maria street, 16th Ward, was assessed for Maria street sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore.

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Jan. 22, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$38.91, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 22d, 1884. }

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1884, to John Brener, viz:

Lot No. 135, St. Joseph Orphan Asylum tract, east side of Maria street, 16th Ward, 46 feet front, 46 feet rear, and 147 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Maria street sewer the sum of \$38.91, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 22d, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is, authorized to receive from the owner of lot No. 26 and east part of lot No. 27 in the Williams tract, on the north side of Alexander street, in the 12th ward, \$24.35, in full of general city taxes upon said lot for the year 1869, and charge the balance of said taxes to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson presented the following assessment rolls for confirmation:
Park avenue and Culver street sewer.
Bernard street plank walk.
Mount Vernon avenue sewer.
East avenue repairing.

Allegations were called for and, no one appearing, Ald. Bronson submitted the following:
Resolved, That the foregoing assessment rolls be and they are hereby confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Barron—Resolved, That the Brush Electric light company, be and they are hereby directed to place an electric light lamp on the corner of Mill and Center streets; also a lamp

on corner Mill and Furnace streets; also a lamp on corner Platt street and Brown's race, and remove all electric light lamps now on Mill street between Center and Platt streets; also to place an electric light lamp on the center of Andrews street bridge, all to be done under the supervision of the Lamp Committee of the Common Council. Adopted.

The President announced the following committee to go to Albany to urge the adoption of the proposed amendments to the City Charter by both branches of the New York State Legislature:

Aldermen Bronson, Simmelink, Archer, Hinds and Pitkin.

Citizens—John A. Reynolds, D. T. Hunt, Gilman H. Perkins, O. H. Peacock, J. N. Beckley.

Committee to confer with the Legislature in reference to the construction of a bridge over the Erie canal at Pinnacle avenue—Ald. Rice, Watson and Jeffords.

The Board then adjourned.

F. J. IRWIN, Clerk pro tem.

In Common Council—February 5th, 1884.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in the chair.

On motion of Ald. Kelly F. J. Irwin was appointed Clerk *pro tem*.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

Absent—Ald. Felsing, Aikenhead—2.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the last meeting, held January 22d, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

J. N. Beckley, disbursements	\$ 166 50
Rochester District Telegraph Co., services	9 52
W. W. Morrison, printing blanks, City Clerk	9 00
James Lusk, serving notices, Treasurer	37 00
Wm. I. Hanford,	6 93
A. W. Mudze, hack hire, Mayor	3 00
Ed. Smith, stenographer, services, Attorney's office	60 00
James Kavanagh, hack hire	7 50

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Bronson presented a petition from a number of druggists and wholesale grocers, complaining of certain provisions of the penal ordinance relating to bill posting, and asking for a modification of said ordinance.

On motion of Ald. Bronson referred to a select committee to report at the next regular meeting.

Ald. Bronson presented a petition for the improvement of Adams street, from Plymouth avenue to Caledonia avenue. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petition of Thos. Peart. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting January	\$3,761 65
Rochester Gas Light Co.,	1,645 75
Municipal Gas Light Co.,	101 49

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition for a pipe sewer in Brighton avenue, from Rowley street to Goodman street. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

By Ald Foley—Bills of

Jacob Howe, Jr., bread (two bill)	\$ 311 24
Mat Miller, meat	25 00
Kelly Bros	50 00
Burke, FitzSimons, Hone & Co., dry goods	10 00
E. Ellsworth, beans	17 90
Mary Flannigan, board	9 00
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal	552 00
G. Goetzman, soap	4 00
Phillip Welder, groceries	13 50
E. L. Thomas, rent	16 03
C. Barsdell, constable fees	10 00
Milliman & Whitney, burials	18 50

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of C. Brast and Nancy Swanton for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the fire marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of James O'Connor for permission to move and erect wood buildings at the corner of Goodman and East Main streets, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the fire marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

A. Metcalf, soft soap	\$3 00
Kondolf Bros., ice, City Hall	50 20
Robt. Bryson, repairing boilers	19 00
John B. Pike, labor and material, Mayor's office	13 65
John Spitz, labor and material, Front Street Building	29 35
Michael O'Brien, labor, Front Street Building	36 00
Wm. Hunt, labor, removing ashes	6 00
Goodale & Stiles, glasses	1 88
Municipal Gas Co., gas, City Buildings, for January	230 40

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented the petition of Michael Brayer for permission to erect a wood building on Murray street, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, and Ald. Foley from the Poor Committee, reported favorably the several bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:

REPRESENTS—Your Lamp Committee, to which was referred petitions for electric lights in University avenue, from North avenue to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad crossing, have examined the territory proposed to be lighted and estimate the number of electric lights required and other lights discontinued as follows:

10 electric lights required	\$1,642 50
40 gas lights displaced	\$1,000 00
9 oil lamps displaced	65 88
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Increase in cost per annum

Your Committee would report that they consider the east end of University avenue very poorly and inadequately lighted by oil lamps set far apart. Your Committee submits the accompanying resolution and recommend the adoption thereof.

Respectfully submitted,
C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Brush electric light company be directed to place electric lamps, not to exceed in number the estimate submitted by the Lamp Committee, in University avenue from North avenue to the

N. Y. C. & H. R. R. crossing, said lamps to be erected under the supervision of the Lamp Committee and as they shall locate and direct.

Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Kelly, Simmelinck—12.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee, presented the bills of—

E. R. Andrews, night book..... \$ 10 50
B. Frank Enos, expenses for January..... 64 51

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Bronson—

to the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Assessment Committee to whom was referred several petitions relating to taxes and assessments, hereby report,

First—In the matter of the assessment for straightening and widening North St. Paul street on the premises of Mary Kueiching. Your committee, after a thorough examination of the subject, and hearing the petitioner and the commissioners who made the assessment, are of the opinion that said assessment is just and equitable, and therefore report adversely to the prayer of the petition.

Second—In the matter of John Greenwood, Timothy Casey and others, petitioners: Upon examination your committee find that the said petitioners do not drain into the Genesee Valley canal sewer and were erroneously included in the territory to be assessed for said sewer, and submit a resolution in relation thereto.

Third—The petition of L. S. Hayward and others was referred to the City Attorney, as it involves a question to be investigated by him.

Respectfully submitted,

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be directed to cancel the taxes assessed for the Genesee Valley Canal sewer, as follows:

On parts lots 61 and 62, west side Grape street, assessed to Timothy Casey.

Lots 43, 44, 45, west side Grape street, assessed to John Greenwood.

Lot 24, west side Grape street, assessed to Charles Hanson.

Lots 14 and 15, West side Grape street, assessed to Barbara Brush.

Lot 24, West side Grape street, assessed to Hugh McCort.

Parts lots 61 and 62, west side Grape street, assessed to Sarah J. Burns.

Parts lots 61 and 62, west side Grape street, assessed to Frederick Wieckman.

Part lot 24, west side Grape street, assessed to heirs of George Arnold.

Lot 4, west side Grape street, corner Wilder street, assessed to Anna Hinkel, and charge erroneous assessments. Adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1884.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JANUARY, 1884.

Cornelius R. Parsons, Mayor.....	\$250 00
Ambrose C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.....	375 00
H. F. McGlachlin, assistant.....	166 66
Frank Kondoff, clerk.....	83 33
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	83 33
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	166 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger.....	100 00
Chas. M. Beattie, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 33
John Gorton, City Assessor.....	208 33
Wm. Maher.....	208 33
V. Fleckenstein.....	2 38 33
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warner.....	150 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk.....	50 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	75 00

Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. W. Bagley, City Surveyor's office.....	75 00
Ambrose Redman.....	60 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	70 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney.....	250 00
A. H. Martin, milk inspector.....	66 66
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevated tracks.....	130 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	70 00
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
Wm. M. R. baz, Jr., draughtsman.....	80 00
Jarvis Lord, 2nd, City Clerk's Office.....	50 00
G. F. Slocum, Clerk, City Attorney's office.....	81 66
Geo. C. Worth.....	45 00
Wm. J. Burke.....	40 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

John C. Moore stationery and binding.....	\$ 226 40
Mensing & Stecher, engraving and printing.....	45 00
Scrantom & Wetmore, paper fasteners.....	5 00
Williamson & Higbie, City directory.....	4 25
F. W. Caring, serving notices, Genesee Valley Canal Sewer.....	60 00
B. L. Sheldon, lunch, Feb. 5, '84.....	15 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JANUARY, 1884.

N. Thompson, overseer.....	\$ 14 66
J. H. McGreger, Clerk.....	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk.....	75 00
Geo. Hartzel, Clerk.....	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk.....	75 00
Dr. J. J. A. Burke, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. A. L. Perry, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Thos. Spencer, City Physician.....	50 00
D. Henry Koch, City Physician.....	75 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner.....	75 00
C. Herzberger.....	7 00
James P. Evans.....	9 50
Maurice Mownihan, clerk.....	

MISCELLANEOUS.

John Conway, rent.....	\$ 7 50
H. H. Edgerton.....	58 50
F. M. Harvey.....	6 00
Mary Weisz.....	8 00
Leo Schitzer.....	36 00
John McDonald, meat.....	50 00
A. L. Morris, meat.....	50 00
Jos. Badhorn, meat.....	25 00
A. M. Semple, groceries.....	215 70
Rochester Orphan Asylum, boarding inmates.....	414 78
George Oppel, bread.....	28 48
P. Joyce, burials.....	5 50
Foehner & Mater, burials.....	42 50
Geo. F. Flannery, printing.....	12 00
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	28 16
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JANUARY, 1884.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer.....	\$ 75 00
Geo. Mauer, Register.....	66 66
John N. Harder, Inspector.....	50 00
Otho Griswood, Inspector.....	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Senteje, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Helms, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	38 33
Joseph Thompson.....	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector.....	33 33
Messenger.....	
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

PAY ROLL FOR JANUARY, 1884.

Edward Maher, lamp inspector.....	\$75 00
Charles R. Finnegan, Superintendent electric wires.....	50 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Citizens' Gas Light Co., lighting, January.....	2,805 61
Citizens' Gas Co., resetting posts.....	2 10
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

John C. Barnard, putty and glass.....	\$ 89
Minges & Shale, chairs, Treasurers' office.....	43 75
Hamilton & Mathews, hook.....	5 30
Geo. H. Nicholson, setting glass.....	5 30
Gann & Bassett, labor and material, plumbing City Hall.....	178 14
Charles Little, cleaning, January.....	88 00
And charge that fund.	

PARK FUND.

John C. Barnard, brushes and schellack.....	1 34
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Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, earth for Madison Park
And charge that fund. \$ 44 10

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

A. G. Wheeler, salary for Jan., 1884. \$ 300 00
Frederick Zimmer, " " " 83 88
Jacob Howe, Jr., " " " 83 88

MISCELLANEOUS.

Rogers & Wallace, carpet, Justice's office \$116 87
Henry C. Wisner, splittoons, Hdors. 5 50
Union and Advertiser, blanks 10 00
Sam. Sloan, repairs at Hdors. 12 40
S. A. Pierce, medical services. 48 00
Chas. G. Davis, painting. 54 85
B. Frank Enos, expenses, December 82 83

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR JANUARY, 1884.

Alex. J. Leary	330 00
Ferry Marzluft	35 00
Samuel Brown	35 00
Thos. Lynch	35 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.	35 00
P. C. Kavanaugh	35 00
Thos. A. Eusehill	35 00
Henry Baker	35 00
Chas. M' Cormick	35 00
Jos. S. Roworth	35 00
John C. Haydon	35 00
John H. Dana	35 00
Wm. H. White	35 00
Ed. Van Voorhis	35 00
Thos. Duker	35 00
John C. M' Quatters	35 00
Fred. Griebel	35 00
John M. Reis	35 00
Frank B. Allen	35 00
W. R. M' Arthur	35 00
Hugh Clark	35 00
Jacob Frank	35 00
John Wangman	35 00
John Mougahan	35 00
Geo. Hoffner	35 00
Chas. Siefert	35 00
Frank S. Skuse	35 00
George Long	35 00
Joseph Baker, 27 days	67 50
Daniel Gouline	105 00
Hugh Johnston	105 00
Michael Cain	75 00
Joseph P. Cleary	103 33
Wm. Keith	100 00
Benj. C. Furtnerer	85 00
Nicholas J. Loos	85 00
John E. Davis	85 00
John A. Baird	85 00
Mich. Hyland	75 00
Older Ouver, 29 days	72 50
Ralph Benton, 25 days	62 50
Andrew Connolly, 29 days	62 50
Root, Burns	75 00
Jacob Baker, 22 days	62 50
Wm. P. O'Neil	55 00
John Mitchell	75 00
Ed. McDonough	75 00
Jos. St. Helen	75 00
Wm. M' Keirvey	75 00
Michael Brady	75 00
Chas. E. Power, 11 days	27 50
Robert Sloan	75 00
John Deau	75 00
Samuel Schwartz	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson	75 00
Wm. Burgess	75 00
James P. Flynn	75 00
Charles W. Peart	75 00
Chas. Hart	75 00
Wm. Laragy	75 00
Michael Hyne	75 00
Henry D. Shove, 26 days	65 00
Louis Nola	75 00
Peter Hess	75 00
Oliver A. Youle	75 00
Frederick Knappl	75 00
Hiram Rogers, 28 days	70 00
John E. McBernott	75 00
Park J. Cummings	75 00
Benj. L. Stetson	75 00
Park Caulfield	75 00
Park Culigan	75 00
Thomas B. Dowd, 28 days	70 00
Wm. Murray	75 00
Michael Engler	75 00
John Sullivan	75 00
Dennis Hogan	75 00
James E. Ryan	75 00
John Yaman, 29 days	50 00
Geo. Zimmerman	75 00
Geo. H. Kron	75 00
George Liese	75 00

Henry Baker, Jr.	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick, 29 days	72 50
Wm. Hillard	75 00
Fredk. Walter	75 00
Ed. O'Leary	75 00
George Bietzer	75 00
George Mohr	75 00
John A. Wallace	75 00
Geo. Kleisley	75 00
Phos. Crouch, 25 days	62 50
John H. Mason	75 00
Ed. J. O'Brien	75 00
Jacob Starkey	65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.	125 00
And charge that fund.	

**EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER,
OFFICES, CITY HALL, Feb. 4, 1884.**

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment; as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Payable when there are funds applicable.

H. A. Kingsley & Co., snow shovels	\$ 4 00
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements	7 04
Creed & Wilson, street repair register	25 00
Hollister & Co., final estimate oak lumber	259 83
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, material and labor	1,080 30
A. C. Bowen, removing trees	40 00
	<hr/> 1,365 17

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay rolls, Jan. 31	\$140 00
Feb. 7	140 00
	<hr/> 280 00
Geo. B. Hayes, pipe, estimate No. 1	5,578 83
Geo. B. Harris, freight on pipe	81 21
Howe & Clancy, estimate No. 10, group 83	150 00
S. J. Wagoner, unloading and drawing pipe	116 02
Ludlow Valve M'fg Co., bill valves	1,530 86
David Clancy, removing broken pipe	5 00
	<hr/> \$7,731 92

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Week y pay rolls, Jan. 31, op. expenses	\$458 20
repairs	service and 328 75
	<hr/> \$ 786 95
Weekly pay rolls, Feb. 7, op. expenses	\$506 20
repairs	service and 333 50
	<hr/> \$ 839 70
Thomas J. Neville, clerk, office expenses	8 00
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements	11 40
Scrantom, Wetmore & Co., stationery	50
W. W. Morrison, plumber's bonds	4 50
Rochester Printing Co., printing, etc.	32 00
George B. Harris, paid for hay	25 95
Gauha & Bassett, pipe and fittings	60 57
James Field, packing	3 90
Ludlow Valve Manufac'g Co., extras for valves	41 92
National meter Co., repairing frozen meters	102 53
John Siddons, work at d. reservoir	14 48
A. S. Reed, hay and stabling	8 85
B. F. Johnson, collector, tax on Canadice lands	4 80
	<hr/> \$1,962 00

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

John Morphy, hay, straw and feed	\$ 8 60
Geo. Bantel & Son, difference in horses	925 00
J. A. Van Ingen, coal	172 00
P. E. Handy, labor Fire Telegraph	34 00
Joseph May, jr., work and material	11 83
	<hr/> \$1,141 43

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barrow, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Stammelink—14.

By Ald. Hinds—

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The Executive Board would respectfully represent:

That the balance subject to their order in the Highway Fund to-day is \$295 87.

The bills passed in the Finance Budget to-day amount to \$1,365 17 (payable when there are funds applicable). Showing a present deficit of \$1,071 30.

The weekly pay roll for the current week promises to be large.

The Executive Board asks that you will make such provision of money as may be deemed necessary to

meet the demands on the Highway Fund. By order of
THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
by GEO. B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.
Dated Rochester Feb. 4, 1884.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to make the city's note for the sum of (\$7,500) seven thousand five hundred dollars, under the provisions of section 81 of the city charter, and get the same discounted, and place the avails to the credit of the Highway Fund, and charge discount to the Contingent Fund; said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to make the city's note for (\$2,500) twenty-five hundred dollars, get the same discounted under the direction of the Finance Committee, and credit the proceeds to the Health Fund, discount to be charged to the Contingent Fund; said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Archer—

ROCHESTER, Feb. 5th, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council :

Your committee appointed for the purpose of making examinations in relation to the proposed East side outlet sewer met at the call of the chairman and appointed a sub-committee consisting of Dr. E. M. Moore, Oscar H. Peacock, J. Nelson Tubbs and J. N. Beckley, to make said examinations, and their report is herewith submitted.

ROCHESTER, January 29, 1884.

To the Committee of Thirteen appointed by resolution of the Common Council Nov. 27, 1883, to report upon the subject matter of the "East Side Outlet Sewer" :

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, designated by you to act as a sub-committee to examine into all matters relating to the construction of the proposed "East Side Outlet Sewer," would respectfully report as follows :

The inclement weather now prevailing, incident to this season of the year, would of itself prevent even such superficial examinations as your committee could under the most favorable circumstances have found time to personally make.

Your committee has however given the subject such consideration as its manifest importance, both in a sanitary and financial aspect, invites and demands.

We are satisfied that as yet, no such exhaustive examinations have been made along a considerable number of lines of investigation, as would warrant this committee in recommending any detailed plan for an outlet sewer of the character and for the purpose of that contemplated and needed for the east side of the river.

The investigations to which we refer are of such a character as will require the continued application and service for a considerable period of a skillful engineer trained to this class of service.

These investigations, calculations and designs might well be made by your City Surveyor or under his supervision or direction, provided the requisite funds were placed at his disposal and authority given him to employ such assistants as he might require, either to cause the examinations, &c., to be prepared under his direction, or as would relieve him of so much of his other and necessary duties as would enable him to devote his time almost exclusively for some months to the solution of the problem in hand.

Holding these views, your committee can only suggest the considerations which it deems should govern in the planning the sewer in question, and the lines of investigation which should be followed previous to making a final determination in the matter.

First—We believe that no proper determination of the proper characteristics of the sewer in question can be made as a separate and distinct matter, but that it must be regarded and treated as only one of the factors

of a complete system of outlet sewers for the east side of the river.

If this proposition is true, then neither the route of the proposed sewer, its dimensions or grade at any one point can be intelligently determined, except in connection with a like determination of the route, size and grade of the outlet sewers which are now or may hereafter be required for the proper drainage of the east side of the city.

A moment's consideration will satisfy intelligent persons that the period is not far distant when the numerous sewers which now empty their filth into the Genesee River within the most populous limits of the city of Rochester, must be connected by an outlet sewer extending along and nearly parallel with said river, which shall convey the sewage thus intercepted to the point specially selected for the discharge or treatment of the sewage of the whole east side of the city.

Outlets for other areas of drainage will also soon, or eventually be required to be constructed to convey the sewage of these districts to the common selected point of discharge, connecting with each other and eventually with the proposed outlet which is the subject of this report.

It also requires but little consideration to discover that a knowledge of such a general plan of outlets, together with the probable cost of each, is necessary to enable the city assessors or the common council to equitably assess the cost of any one of them upon the property to be benefited by the construction thereof, the sale of benefits which will inure to the property in any special locality, being then reasonably easy of determination.

Second—That for the specific determination of the route, grades, dimensions and other proper characteristics of the particular outlet in question, in addition to the general considerations above specified, we also suggest that a careful examination and calculation of the capacity for discharge of storm waters, be made of the lines or channels of natural drainage which will be crossed by said outlet sewer and also an estimate of the cost of opening up said channels to adapt them to act as storm water overflows from said sewer, that by thus discharging said storm water along the route, the sewer shall not be required to carry it through all its course, but by thus disposing of a large portion of it largely reduce the required capacity of the sewer and consequently its cost. We believe that this disposition of a part of the storm water is entirely practicable and that it will create no nuisance on or along adjacent lands, for the reason that any sewage matter which might be found in the sewer at the commencement of a storm, would be fully washed away long before the storm water level in the sewer would be reached and the discharge over the overflows and into the natural water courses commence.

This disposition of a considerable portion of the storm water would also be specially desirable and useful should the period arrive when it shall become a necessity or desirable in consequence of the sewage fouling of the river below the lower falls, to divert the sewer on to adjoining lands, and there treat it by "intermittent downward filtration," "surface irrigation" or by these methods in connection with "chemical precipitation," these methods being seriously complicated by the extreme dilution of the sewage with storm water.

Third—That the proposed sewer should be located with reference to the future discharge and purification of the sewage upon some convenient adjacent lands outside the city, by some one of the many methods now in vogue, a few of which have been previously indicated.

Fourth—Careful gaugings of the sewers to be intercepted, extending over several months, should be made as an element of determination of the capacity of the proposed sewer.

Fifth—A very important element in the determination of cost, as well as to some extent perhaps of location of the sewer, is the character of the excavation to be encountered in its construction. This should be determined by a series of borings or test pits along its proposed route as preliminary to an estimate of cost.

Sixth—The payments for an outlet sewer of the magnitude of the one in question should be extended over a period greater than now provided by the city charter, because a payment of the whole cost within a period of five years would prove oppressive, not only upon productive property, but particularly so upon property which can only be made productive by the construction and completion of the sewer.

This extension of time may be secured in two ways, One would be the procuring of the enactment of a law, by which the city shall be required to construct and finish the sewer within a certain specified time, but allowing the Common Council to pass an ordinance for any portion of it at any time, thus allowing five years for the payment under each ordinance, and spending \$25,000, \$50,000 or more each year or alternate years as the Common Council might determine, having a definite purpose in the passage of each ordinance to afford immediate re-

lief to some extent at least, to the property adjacent or to which it may be rendered subservient, thus extending the final payment fifteen or more years, limited only by the date fixed for completion by the operation of the proposed statute.

The other plan would be to so amend the Charter as to extend the time for payment for the sewer to ten or fifteen year- and then construct and complete it quickly under a single ordinance.

It is proper to state in this connection, that much valuable work has been accomplished both by the present City Surveyor, and by the Board of Health some years since, in the lines of investigation suggested in this report, all of which is available for use in the preparation of the general plan of outlet sewerage recommended.

It is perhaps hardly necessary for your committee to say in conclusion, that it does not recommend the passage of the pending ordinance for the construction of an "East Side Outlet" sewer, and further that the necessary examinations, calculations, plans and legislation, if prosecuted with diligence from this time forward, will involve a delay of at least a year in the commencement of its construction.

Respectfully submitted,
OSCAR H. PEACOCK, City Surveyor.
J. NELSON TUBBS,
E. M. MOORE,
J. BECKLEY, Sub-Committee.

Upon motion of Mr. Bower, the above report was adopted, as the report of the committee of 13.

Upon motion of Mr. Ernst, the chairman and secretary were authorized to sign the report on the part of the committee of 13.

GEORGE W. ARCHER, Chairman.
OSCAR H. PEACOCK, Secretary.

Ordered received, filed and published.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, Feb. 5th, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—It is necessary to employ a man to look after, keep in repair and maintain the south end of the Rochester Water Works Conduit. This man has always been stationed at Richmond Mills, as that seems to be the only proper location for him. Up to the present time it has been possible to procure a house and barn with sufficient room for a shop for making repairs and storing tools. No further arrangements of this character can be made for a longer period than the present summer, and it will be necessary, therefore, to provide such a house, shop, &c., as will meet the requirements of the case. This board has the refusal of two acres of land in an excellent location for \$400, and believe that the city should purchase the same at once.

Respectfully submitted,
EXECUTIVE BOARD,
By GEO. B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.
We concur in the above recommendations.
E. STROUSS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
HENRY RICE,
Water Works Committee.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized to purchase for and in behalf of the city of Rochester two acres of land in the town of Richmond, Ontario county, for the use of the city as a site for the residence of the superintendent of the water-works conduit, the price to be paid therefor not to exceed four hundred dollars, to be paid from the water-works fund.

Adopted by the following vote :
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmehink—12

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, Feb. 5, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In order to take advantage of a lively competition for the work embraced in the sprinkling ordinances, it is necessary that they be passed at an early date. Therefore the Executive Board would respectfully recommend that the City Surveyor be instructed to introduce first ordinances for sprinkling immediately.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.
By Ald. Rice—Resolved, That the City Surveyor be instructed to prepare and submit at once the ordinances for sprinkling for the season of 1884. Adopted.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, Feb. 5, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common-council:

GENTLEMEN—The experience of the past few days has demonstrated to some extent the danger which may be apprehended to arise in consequence of casting snow, ice and ashes into the Genesee river. Existing penal ordinances do not in terms appear to prohibit any person or corporation from casting snow or ice into the river. Section 1 of chapter 12 of Penal Ordinances provides that "No person or persons, either by themselves or agent, shall hereafter deposit any stone, brick, dirt or rubbish of any kind in the Genesee river, within the limits of this city, without previously having obtained written consent thereto of the executive board or superintendent of streets of the said city of Rochester, under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than fifty dollars for each offense."

Section No. 1 of chapter 28 of penal ordinances, provides that "no person shall cast or deposit into the Genesee river above the upper Genesee falls, or into any of the mill races, any shavings or other substance, which may tend to obstruct the free passage of water in any mill race, or in anywise interfere with the grates, racks or any machinery which such water is contemplated to propel under a penalty of \$5 for each offense." Section 7 of act chapter 639, laws of 1865, provides that "the Common-council of the city of Rochester are hereby authorised, and it is hereby made its duty to prevent the construction of any encroachment upon or obstruction in the bed of the Genesee river within the limits of said city," &c.

As will be observed, the penal ordinances can hardly be construed as covering the deposits of snow and ice in said river, and the Executive board think it imperative and respectfully recommend that a stringent ordinance providing a heavy penalty be enacted to prevent throwing ice, snow, ashes, or any other obstructing material in the Genesee river within the limits of the city.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE B. HARRIS, acting clerk.

On motion of Ald. Hinds received, filed and published, and referred to the Committee on Charter Amendments, Ordinances and Rules to present a penal ordinance.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5th, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law,

1. Monthly report, showing the expenditures by this Board, for all purposes, during the month of January, 1884.
2. Monthly statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of this Board on the first day of February, 1884, before commencing business.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the amount expended by the Executive Board, for all purposes, during the month ending January 31, 1884.

Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.
Executive Board orders, for labor..... \$3,880 46
Orders for bills and estimates passed by the Common Council at sessions of January 8 and 22..... 21,191 87
Total..... \$ 25,021 88

CLASSIFICATION.

Highway fund.....	\$ 5,157 09
Water Pipe fund.....	2,389 02
Water Works fund.....	5,351 07
Fire Department fund.....	10,087 10
Salary and expense fund.....	814 67
62 street sprinkling funds.....	1,254 48

	\$ 25,021 88

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board on the 1st day of February, 1884.

Dr. Balances:

Local improvement Funds.....	63,877 80
Sidewalks Repair funds.....	2,009 95
Total.....	\$65,887 75

Cr. Balances :

City Treasurer.....	\$ 15,009 79
Highway Fund	1,366 27
Water Pipe Fund	22,852 19
Water Works Fund	17,685 05
Water Works Fund (Special).....	1,515 47
Fire Department Fund.....	5,121 02
Salary and Expense Fund.....	2,827 96

Total.....\$65,887 75

Ordered received, filed and published.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 4, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by resolution of your honorable Board:

Consolidated Pay-roll of Street Department, including operating expenses, service and repairs and water pipe extension.

Copy of Monthly Pay-roll of Fire Department for the month of January; also

Statement showing the amount in detail expended by this Board upon each of the improved streets and avenues of the city from April 1, 1883, to February 1, 1884, as required by a resolution of your honorable Board, passed Jan. 22, 1884.

STREET DEPARTMENT PAY ROLL.

FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1884.

Name.	Kind of Service.	Time.	Price.	Am't.
Anthony, John, laborer.....	8 days	1 25	10 00	
Brown, Jacob, laborer.....	20	1 25	25 00	
Bowes, Patrick.....	8	1 25	10 00	
Baylan, Patrick.....	7	1 25	8 75	
Boylan, Hugh.....	7	1 25	10 62	
Ball, Patrick.....	1 3/4	1 25	17 64	
Buschalic, Chas.....	26	1 50	38 99	
Buschalic, Henry.....	21 3/4	1 25	27 19	
Buckley, Thomas.....	23	1 50	42 00	
Bauerlein, Peter.....	21	1 37 1/2	28 88	
Butler, James.....	11 1/2	1 25	14 58	
Bauerlein, John.....	25 1/2	1 50	38 25	
Bergan, John.....	26	1 50	38 99	
Burbott, Geor e.....	15 1/2	1 50	23 25	
Bien, Conrad.....	16 1/2	1 25	20 63	
Burke, Wm.....	3	1 25	3 75	
Birmingham, John.....	1	1 25	1 25	
Bauer, John F.....	1	1 25	1 25	
Bauerlein, Charles.....	16 1/2	1 25	20 94	
Becker, Adam.....	1	1 25	1 25	
Bertsch, Adam.....	3	1 25	5 50	
Baumgarten, Peter.....	4 1/2	1 25	2 50	
Bergan, Ferdenand.....	2	1 25	2 50	
Benjamin, H. E.....	2	1 25	2 50	
Bohr, Martin.....	1 1/2	1 25	70	
Balman, Andrew.....	1	1 25	1 25	
Coles, James.....	1	1 25	2 25	
Culligan, John.....	8	1 25	10 00	
Clancey, Michael.....	6	1 25	7 50	
Caverish, Joseph.....	9	1 25	11 25	
Clancey, James.....	7	1 25	8 75	
Callahan, Dennis.....	2	1 25	2 50	
Carey, Dennis.....	6	1 25	7 50	
Connors, Michael.....	1	1 25	2 50	
Callahan, Thomas.....	1	1 25	2 50	
Cosgrove, Patrick.....	5	1 25	6 25	
Connor, Robert.....	7	1 25	8 75	
Callaghan, John.....	1	1 25	1 25	
Cubit, Frederick.....	1	1 25	1 75	
Coughlin, William.....	6	1 25	7 25	
Cu-ehl, Charles.....	3	1 25	3 75	
Coghraue, James.....	1	1 25	1 25	
Cashman, Patrick.....	1	1 25	1 62	
Callahan, Michael.....	2	1 25	2 25	
Conheady, Patrick.....	3	1 25	3 50	
Daly, J mes.....	10	1 25	12 50	
Daly, John.....	12	1 25	15 70	
Dwyer, John.....	2	1 25	2 50	
Daly, Pat'k.....	8	1 25	10 00	
Donovan, David.....	4	1 25	5 00	
Dougherty, Martin.....	11 1/2	1 25	14 50	
Delaney, Patrick.....	8	1 25	10 75	
Haus, Louis H, clerk.....	5 weeks	6 75	33 00	
Dowd, Geo. M., insp. s. wks.....	29	2 00	58 25	
Buschel, August, laborer.....	1 day	1 25	1 50	
Dietrich, Andrew.....	1	1 25	1 25	
Eisenhauer, John.....	28	1 50	42 00	
Ermentraut, Chas.....	22	1 50	38 25	
Eaton, Edward.....	1	1 25	1 50	
Eler, Henry.....	10	1 25	12 25	
Engert, Martin.....	1	1 25	1 19	
Edmonds, Robert.....	13 1/2	1 25	17 25	
Eckhardt, Bernhard.....	1	1 25	1 00	
Froidel, Jos, foreman.....	5 weeks 21	1 63	16 35	
Frankenberger, J. laborer.....	18 1/2 days	1 50	27 25	
Feeny, Michael.....	1	1 25	1 07	
Frank, Nicholas.....	19 1/2	1 25	24 75	
Fogarty, Patrick.....	3	1 25	3 70	
Falconer, Alexander.....	1	1 25	1 75	

Frischolz, Thomas.....	2	1 25	2 50
Fogarty, Michael.....	1 1/2	1 25	8 25
Fluski, John.....	1	1 25	2 18
Franklin, Joseph.....	17 1/2	1 25	21 00
Flynn, Mathew.....	8	1 25	3 25
French, Eljah.....	2	1 25	2 50
Fritz, Michael.....	2	1 25	1 87
Fitzpatrick, John.....	2	1 25	2 15
Forrest, Joseph.....	2	1 25	2 35
Fuchs, Peter.....	3	1 25	3 50
Frobel, August.....	2	1 25	2 50
Geib, John.....	29	1 50	43 50
Geib, Jacob.....	25	1 50	37 50
Galagher, Domentca.....	6	1 25	7 25
Gleason, Wm.....	5	1 25	6 25
Gaertner, Adam.....	5	1 25	6 25
Garvey, James.....	5	1 25	6 75
Grinder, Jas.....	7	1 25	8 25
Glichauf, J. B.....	1	1 25	1 75
Gill, John.....	7	1 25	8 00
Gilgan, Joseph.....	5	1 25	5 00
George, Frank.....	2	1 25	5 50
Galroth, Frank.....	2	1 25	2 10
Holahan, James foreman.....	5 weeks	18 00	90 50
Harris, Geo. B. clerk.....	5	16 30	65 25
Harty, Joseph, laborer.....	7 days	1 25	8 17
Hunt, George.....	17 1/2	1 25	22 63
Hunt, Wm.....	20 1/2	1 25	25 25
Heper, Adam.....	11	1 25	6 75
Hennesy, Patrick.....	11	1 25	13 00
Hozan, Michael 1st.....	16	1 25	20 25
Holden, Levi.....	1	1 25	1 25
Hawkins, John.....	9	1 25	11 62
Hennesy, John.....	4 1/2	1 25	5 25
Hugenberger, John.....	1	1 25	1 25
Hickey, John.....	17	1 25	21 25
Hartel, George.....	1	1 00	1 00
Hogan, Michael 2d.....	4	1 25	5 25
Hogan, Patrick.....	1	1 25	1 19
Hanahan, John.....	5 1/2	1 25	7 50
Hall, Frederick.....	2	1 25	2 62
Hauck, John.....	1 1/2	1 25	0 00
Heitzfeld, Joseph.....	1	1 50	3 25
Hinkofer, Frank.....	2	1 25	1 87
Harrison, James.....	5 1/2	1 25	6 13
Kase, John B., carpenter.....	24 1/2	2 25	55 50
Kratt, William, toolman.....	5 wks	11 50	57 50
Kilpeck, Martin, laborer.....	30	1 50	45 00
Koehler, Frederick.....	28	1 37 1/2	38 87
Kosban, Herman.....	23 1/2	1 50	34 00
Kelly, John.....	15 1/2	1 25	19 69
Kimney, Thomas.....	1	1 25	1 25
Kirby, Patrick.....	11	1 25	13 75
Kirby, Robert.....	16	1 25	20 00
Kraus, William.....	1	1 25	2 25
Kilpeck, Barthol.....	13 1/2	1 25	16 56
Kelly, Edward.....	2	1 25	2 50
Kissel, Valentine.....	2	1 50	3 00
Knob, August.....	1	1 25	1 25
Kauffman, Lawrence.....	1 1/2	1 25	62
Lueltry, Chas.....	23 1/2	1 25	29 38
Leonard, John.....	3	1 25	3 75
Lavis, John.....	1	1 25	1 25
McMahon, M. J. Insp. of w'ks.....	30	2 25	67 50
McIntyre, Wm., laborer.....	26 1/2	1 50	40 12
McMahon, John.....	30	1 25	37 50
McCarthy, Wm.,.....	3	1 25	3 75
McInerney, Jnn.....	13	1 25	16 25
McDermott, P.....	6	1 25	7 50
McHale, Michael.....	5	1 25	6 25
McDonald, Patrick.....	2	1 25	2 50
McLoughlin, Daniel.....	4 1/2	1 25	5 63
McCarthy, Hugh.....	1	1 50	1 50
McCarthy, John 1st.....	7	1 25	8 75
McCarthy, John 2d.....	26	1 25	32 50
McGinn, Patk.....	1	1 25	7 50
McAveney, Barnard.....	1	1 25	1 25
McMahon, Henry.....	16	1 25	20 00
McGinnis, James.....	1	1 25	1 25
McGillick, John.....	1 1/2	1 25	62
Moore, J. H. S. W. inspector.....	30	2 25	67 50
Mulligan, James, laborer.....	17	1 25	21 25
Moore, Samuel.....	1	1 50	39 50
Mitqueen, Mich.....	4	1 25	5 00
Murphy, Patrick.....	7	1 25	8 75
Muldoon, Wm.....	6	1 25	7 50
Mahryan, Juo.....	11	1 25	13 75
Maloney, M.....	4	1 25	5 00
Mensler, Herman.....	2	1 25	1 25
Mason, Michael.....	2	1 50	2 50
Manchen, Jacob.....	4	1 25	5 00
Meyer, Joseph.....	4	1 25	5 00
Mattie, John.....	3	1 25	3 75
Meyer, Adam.....	14 1/2	1 50	21 75
Maloney, Pat'k.....	1	1 25	1 25
Mallane, David.....	2	1 25	2 50
Meyer, John A. Insp. of w'rk.....	1	2 00	14 00
Maccott, Chas, laborer.....	1	1 25	1 25
Needham, Thomas.....	6	1 25	7 50
Nunnold, Joseph.....	9	1 25	11 25
O'Brien, Terence.....	10	1 50	15 00
O'Donnell, Miles.....	1	1 25	1 50

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Consolidated.

PAY ROLLS FOR JANUARY, 1884.

Operating Expenses.

Names.	Service.	Time.	Am't.
J. Nelson Tubbs, engineer.....	5 weeks	\$57 53	\$287 65
T. J. Neville, clerk.....	5	34 52	172 60
F. E. Witherspoon, clerk.....	5	23 01	115 05
William N. Tubbs, clerk.....	5	19 18	95 90
J. Kavanagh, clerk.....	4	18 41	73 64
F. D. Ayers, clerk.....	5	18 41	92 05
P. H. Callahan, clerk.....	5	17 26	86 30
M. Race, clerk.....	5	17 00	85 00
M. W. Conway, clerk.....	5	15 00	75 00
W. McCarthy, clerk.....	5	15 00	75 00
F. C. Holbrook, clerk.....	5	9 00	45 00
L. W. Daus, clerk.....	5	6 75	33 75
C. W. Barnes, clerk.....	5	6 00	30 00
Geo. B. Harris, clerk.....	5	16 30	81 50
S. C. McKay, foreman.....	5	26 85	134 25
H. Jones, engineer pump house	5	26 78	143 80
James Glavey,	5	23 01	115 04
P. J. McCracken, helper pump	5	13 81	69 05
P. J. Healey, helper pump	5	13 81	69 05
D. S. Almsted, gate keeper.....	5	12 00	60 00
W. Mengerink, gate keeper.....	5	12 00	60 00
Alex. Gray, gate keeper.....	5	12 00	60 00
Thos. M. Blossom, gate keeper.....	5	12 00	60 00
R. Crennell, overseer.....	5	16 00	80 00
S. H. Oviatt, overseer.....	5	16 00	80 00
			\$2,364 64
Service and Repairs.			
P. C. Flensing, machinist.....	5 weeks	18 00	90 00
L. T. Lidster, plumber.....	5	16 50	82 50
H. Weber, inspector.....	5	15 00	75 00
F. Curran, watchman.....	5	15 00	75 00
Wm. McCarthy, inspector.....	5	15 00	75 00
R. N. Warfield, inspector.....	5	15 00	75 00
A. Knapp,	5	15 00	75 00
W. J. Plant,	5	15 00	75 00
C. N. Rottier, service man.....	5	13 50	67 50
P. McKenna,	5	13 00	65 00
J. Gallagher,	5	12 00	60 00
P. Lick,	5	12 00	60 00
Jas. Smith,	5	12 00	60 00
M. Dubebeiss, tapper.....	5	12 00	60 00
J. King, service man.....	5	12 00	60 00
J. Rawlings, blacksmith.....	5	12 00	60 00
C. E. Schlager, inspector.....	5	12 00	60 00
F. McKenna, tool man.....	5	11 50	57 50
G. F. Johnson, hostler.....	5	11 50	57 50
M. Schneider, service man.....	5	11 00	55 00
T. McKenna,	5	11 00	55 00
E. Guinan,	5	11 00	55 00
A. Burbott,	5	11 00	55 00
Jas. Donlon, laborer.....	5	9 00	45 00
James Cox,	36 days	1 50	54 00
W. Muhlbrecht,	8	1 50	12 00
J. Young,	7	1 50	10 50
T. Acton,	13	1 50	19 50
Jerry Haley,	1	1 50	1 50
J. Campbell,	8	1 50	12 00
T. Wiedman,	3	1 50	4 50
William Smith,	11	1 50	16 50
Christ'n Muhler	8	1 50	12 00
J. Costello,	1	1 50	1 50
J. Costello,	5 1/2	1 50	3 25
J. Parmenter,	2	1 50	3 00
C. Moffat,	1	1 50	1 50
A. Hulfbeyer,	1	1 50	1 50
E. W. Almstead,	5	1 50	7 50
T. Corrigan,	2	1 50	3 00
J. Johnson,	4	1 50	6 00
W. Mackie,	4	1 50	6 00
F. Cashman,	1	1 50	1 50
James Healy,	4 1/2	1 50	6 75
R. Sullivan,	3	1 50	4 50
M. Kelly,	3	1 50	4 50
			\$1,753 50
Water Pipe Extension.			
Geo. W. Rafter, engineer.....	5 w'ks	30 50	152 50
W. N. Radenhurst,	5	30 50	152 50
T. H. Rogers, draughtsman.....	5	18 00	90 00
J. McMahon, inspector.....	5	18 00	90 00
W. A. Anderson,	5	18 00	90 00
M. K. Gannon, pipe receiver.....	5	13 50	67 50
F. M. Hills, clerk.....	5	11 50	57 50
			\$70 00
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.			
PAY ROLL THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1884.			
Names.	Service.	Time.	Comp'y. Am't.
Atzel, John	16 1/2	1 25	20 31
Pyne, John	12 1/2	1 25	15 62
Peiffer, John	4	1 25	5 00
Pagdo, John	4	1 25	5 00
Phelen, Wm.	13	1 25	16 25
Popp, Vincent	2	1 25	2 50
Qualthrough, J. Ass't foreman	6	1 50	9 00
Quinn, Hugh laborer	2	1 25	2 50
Quetchenback, C.	3	1 25	3 75
Reeder, Peter carpenter.....	26	2 00	52 00
Root, Jason laborer	29	1 50	43 50
Ryan, Michael	2	1 25	2 50
Rittenbacher, Martin.....	25 1/2	1 50	38 25
Roth, Henry	26 1/4	1 50	39 37
Ryan, Thomas laborer	13	1 25	16 25
Reynolds, G. H. sup't of st's.....	5 weeks	34 52	172 60
Rossney, Ed. foreman	5	18 00	90 00
Russell, M. S. asst.	23	1 50	34 50
Reilly, Mich'l laborer	5	1 25	6 25
Reynolds, H. laborer	5	1 25	6 25
Ragan, Lawrence,	19 1/4	1 25	24 26
Ritinger, Fred'k	1	1 25	1 25
Rudemerk, Charles	1	1 25	1 25
Rapp, Frederick	7	1 25	8 75
Ruglander,	1	1 25	1 25
Steinhaus, W. J. clerk	5 weeks	21 1/2	105 50
Stenzel, Chas. laborer	17 days	1 37 1/2	23 37
Sullivan Jeremiah	22	1 50	33 00
Sullivan, Andr-w	11 1/4	1 25	14 06
Sweetman, Rich'd	11	1 25	13 75
Stecke, John	9 1/2	1 25	11 87
Smith, John	6	1 25	7 50
Smith, Michael	3	1 25	3 75
Siebert, Henry	3	1 25	3 75
Scheuer, Adam	16	1 50	24 00
Splan Thomas	1	1 25	1 25
Schindler, Charles	7	1 25	8 75
Schaffer, John	9	1 25	11 25
Seltz, Henr	17	1 25	21 25
Schultz, Charles	1	1 25	1 25
Schaffer, George,	6-10	1 25	9 00
Snaus, Frank,	2	1 25	2 50
Thomas, John W,	5	1 25	6 25
Tobel, Michael,	16 3/4	1 25	20 94
Thomas, William,	2	1 25	2 50
Terney, P. H. Insp. of walks	1 1/2	2 00	3 00
Underhill, Geo., bridge tender.	21 1/2 week	24 65	51 25
Varley, Michael, laborer.....	7 days	1 25	8 75
Verhoven, John,	1	1 25	1 25
Van Buskirk, John,	7	1 25	8 75
Van Apper, Leonard,	1	1 25	1 25
Welch, James,	7	1 25	8 75
Weiser, John,	9	1 25	11 25
White, John,	2	1 25	2 50
Weingaertner, Chas,	4	1 25	5 00
Westberry, James,	8	1 25	10 00
Wieland, Joseph,	3 1/2	1 25	4 38
Wunder, Jacob,	1	1 25	1 25
Werner, Charles,	1	1 25	1 25
Weismiller, John,	4	1 25	5 00
Whiting, Albert,	1	1 25	1 25
Willis, James,	2	1 25	2 50
Wandersee, Chas.,	1	1 25	1 25
Walbrunn, Joseph,	3	1 25	3 75
Wong, John,	4	1 25	5 00
Teamsters.			
Brown, Thomas.....	15 days	3 00	45 00
Eyer, Peter.....	18	3 00	54 00
Bradley,	9	3 00	27 00
Booth, R. A.	9	3 00	27 00
Commons, George.....	9	3 00	27 00
Crissy, George.....	13	3 00	39 00
Cole, George.....	3	3 00	9 00
Davis, John.....	3 1/2	3 00	10 50
Eble, Joseph.....	11	3 00	33 00
Harty, Peter.....	20	3 00	60 00
Hox, Wm.....	11 3/4	3 00	35 25
Hollis, Wm.....	1 1/2	3 00	4 50
Holahan, Thos.....	9	2 75	24 75
Hartel, Geo.....	12	3 00	36 00
Kennedy, Martin.....	7	3 00	21 00
Kennedy, John.....	16	3 00	48 00
Kelly, Denis.....	15	3 00	45 00
Krug, Henry.....	15	3 00	45 00
Kavanagh, James.....	1 1/2	3 00	4 50
Mason, Mart.....	15	3 00	45 00
Prince Peter.....	9	3 00	27 00
Roe, Rowland.....	16 1/2	3 00	49 50
Ransom, John.....	8	2 75	22 00
Rossney, Patrick.....	19	3 00	57 00
Rickard, Robert.....	14 1/2	3 00	43 50
Roche, John.....	17	3 00	51 00
Smith, Hugh.....	20	3 00	60 00
Slattery, John.....	15	3 00	45 00
Ward, Frank.....	6	3 00	18 00
Walsh, Andrew.....	24 1/2	3 00	73 50
Zimmer, Wm. C.....	13 1/2	3 00	37 50
Total.....			\$4,566 80

L. S. Gibson, Chief Depm't..31 days		\$166 67	
Sam'l Bemish, Ass't		100 00	
Jas. Malcomb		50 00	
P. J. Hartel, foreman	No. 1	75 00	
Michael Lumbert, driver		60 00	
Edward Colbert, hoseman		60 00	
John McDermott		60 00	
Geo. A. Mumford		60 00	
F. A. Jaques, foreman	No. 2	75 00	
Edgar Tobor, driver		60 00	
Charles Weaver, hoseman		60 00	
J. H. Teller		60 00	
J. H. Carey		60 00	
John P. Topham, foreman	No. 3	75 00	
F. R. McCord, driver		60 00	
Andrew Nolan, hoseman		60 00	
Leo. White		60 00	
G. F. Gretton		60 00	
Fred. Howard		60 00	
Thos. Cole, foreman	No. 4.	75 00	
Bernard Kerney, driver		60 00	
G. E. Baker, hoseman		60 00	
Thos. Irwin		60 00	
Edward Engel		60 00	
J. P. Forman, supt. hose	Dept.	70 00	
G. E. Miller, asst.		60 00	
C. R. Finnegan, Supt. tel		144 67	
Joseph Ringstein, foreman	Hook 1	75 00	
Thomas W. Rice, tillerman		65 00	
James Sneider, driver		51 00	
P. O'Meara, ladderman		60 00	
William Fogarty		60 00	
Frank Huck		60 00	
James Hayden		60 00	
James H. Lynch		60 00	
August Weigel		60 00	
William Boon, foreman	Hook 2	75 00	
Chas. Whitbeck, driver		60 00	
Frank Spears, tillerman		65 00	
John McCormick, ladderman		60 00	
Thomas Whitley		60 00	
Edward Huck		60 00	
John McCormick		60 00	
Sharon Sherman		60 00	
James Lynch		60 00	
Nicholas Oldfield, foreman	Extr.	75 00	
Ralph Pendelbury, pipeman		70 00	
Edmund Barker, asst.		65 00	
Charles Armstrong, driver	Prots	60 00	
M. S. Butler		60 00	
Joseph Dremel, driver		60 00	
George Whitbeck, extra		60 00	

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Statement showing the amount in detail expended by the Executive Board upon each of the improved streets and avenues of the city from April 1, 1884, as required by resolution passed Jan. 22, 1884:

Allen street :			
Labor	\$ 51 28		
MacAdam	5 00		
Sand	60		
Cement	78		
		\$ 57 06	
Andrews street :			
Labor	11 50		
MacAdam	12 50		
Sand	20		
		24 20	
Alexander street :			
Labor	1 75		
Cement	45		
		2 20	
Atkinson street :			
Labor	187 25		
Steam roller	30 00		
Gravel	20 40		
		187 65	
Arnold park :			
Labor		25 00	
Aqueduct street :			
Labor	88		
Cement	45		
		1 33	
Averill street :			
Labor		3 00	
Brown street :			
Labor	84 75		
Stone	21 34		
MacAdam	2 50		
Sand	3 00		
		111 59	
Broadway :			
Labor	181 25		
Steam roller	22 50		
Gravel	30 80		
		184 55	
Bolivar street :			
Labor	2 15		
Cement		68	

Sand		10	
			2 98
Caledonia avenue:			
Labor		451 50	
MacAdam		868 65	
Stone		13 12	
Sand		60	
			838 75
Cledonia avenue sewer:			
Labor			3 50
Canal street:			
Labor			5 75
Campbell street:			
Labor		28 00	
Pipe		16 50	
Cement		1 83	
			46 33
Central avenue:			
Labor		55 68	
Stone		16 90	
Cement		1 50	
Sand		1 20	
			74 38
Center street:			
Labor		10 13	
Cement		68	
Sand		30	
			11 11
Chestnut street:			
Labor		82 25	
Steam roller		90 00	
Saud and gravel		7 00	
Stone		5 00	
			184 25
Court and William street outlet sewer:			
Labor		14 18	
Pipe		4 25	
Cement		1 35	
Sand		20	
			19 88
Court street:			
Labor		124 13	
MacAdam		17 50	
Gravel		19 60	
			161 23
Church street:			
Labor		8 00	
Cement		68	
Sand		40	
			9 08
Cypress street:			
Labor		10 48	
Stone		16 00	
Sand		60	
			27 08
Exchange street:			
Labor		153 08	
MacAdam		60 00	
Sand and gravel		8 00	
			221
East Main street:			
Labor		48 16	
Sand		2 60	
			45
East avenue:			
Labor		461 40	
MacAdam		149 89	
Stone chips		58 50	
Sand and gravel		30 90	
			700 69
East avenue outlet sewer:			
Labor		56 64	
Stone		11 00	
Cement		9 90	
Sand		1 00	
			78 54
Edinburgh street :			
Labor		68 00	
Gravel		10 00	
			68 00
Elizabeth street:			
Labor		3 88	
Sand		20	
			4 08
Elm street :			
Labor		39 50	
Gravel		5 00	
			44 50
Ely street:			
Labor		17 24	
Stone		10 00	
Sand		80	
			28 04
Franklin street:			
Labor		25 25	
Stone		16 00	
Sand		1 40	
			42 65
Franklin street sewer:			
Labor		27 50	
Cement		1 35	

Sand.....	60
Frank street :	
Labor.....	17 63
Sand.....	80
Front street :	
Labor.....	48 41
Cement.....	4 18
Sand.....	1 60
Front street sewer:	
Labor.....	186 55
Cement.....	5 76
Sand.....	29
Fourth, Seventh and Twelfth ward outlet sewer:	
Labor.....	5 25
Stone.....	2 00
Cement.....	2 70
Sand.....	40
Fulton avenue:	
Labor.....	7 63
Cement.....	40
Graves street:	
Labor.....	11 75
Sand.....	40
Grand street:	
Labor.....	9 50
Pipe.....	24 00
Cement.....	68
Gibbs street:	
Labor.....	10 68
Sand.....	1 20
Goodman street:	
Labor.....	177 55
Steam roller.....	15 00
Gravel.....	82 20
Lumber.....	2 01
Nails.....	20
Hill street:	
Labor.....	19 12
Sand.....	1 00
Howell street:	
Amount paid for cobble pavement..	223 60
Labor.....	24 58
Sand and gravel.....	4 00
Hudson street :	
Construction of two cross-walks....	111 75
Labor.....	279 75
Steam roller.....	240 00
MacAdam.....	301 25
Gravel.....	4 88
Irving Place:	
Labor.....	4 32
Sand.....	20
Jay street:	
Labor.....	14 63
Sand.....	60
Jefferson avenue:	
Labor.....	8 00
C. iron platform.....	7 00
Kent street:	
Labor.....	117 97
Stone.....	26 36
Sand.....	4 60
Lake avenue:	
Labor.....	3,423 12
Blue stone MacAdam.....	679 51
Granite MacAdam.....	637 50
Stone chips.....	623 45
Steam roller.....	180 00
Sand.....	70
Lylell avenue:	
Construction of two crosswalks.....	140 00
Labor.....	74 37
Pipe.....	20 90
Stone.....	18 50
Sand.....	1 40
Cement.....	90
Marshall street:	
Construction of crosswalk.....	52 00
Labor.....	9 50
Gravel.....	2 00
Manhattan street:	
Labor.....	

29 45	Meigs street:	
	Labor.....	131 50
	Gravel.....	28 00
	Steam roller.....	3 75
18 43	Merriman street:	
	Labor.....	25 88
	Stone.....	26 84
	Sand.....	1 00
49 14	Mill street:	
	Labor.....	49 77
	AacAdam.....	21 25
	Sand.....	10
189 51	Mortimer street:	
	Labor.....	2 15
	Sand.....	10
10 35	Mt. Hope avenue:	
	Labor.....	26 50
	Stone.....	32 00
	Pipe.....	4 00
	Sand.....	89
8 08	Monroe avenue:	
	Labor.....	129 98
	Stone.....	71 58
	Sand and gravel.....	12 80
	Pipe and grate.....	12 00
	Cement.....	45
12 15	Munger street:	
	Labor.....	19 50
	Stone.....	16 04
	Sand.....	60
34 18	Mumford street:	
	Labor.....	2 05
	Sand.....	10
11 88	North St. Paul street :	
	Labor.....	589 48
	MacAdam.....	389 37
	Pipe.....	38 00
	Stone.....	24 72
	Steam roller.....	7 50
	Sand.....	1 70
20 12	North Water street:	
	Labor.....	16 00
	Pipe and grate.....	17 52
	Cement.....	1 58
252 18	North Clinton street:	
	Labor.....	105 06
	MacAdam.....	30 00
	Pipe.....	13 50
	Cement and sand.....	1 88
967 55	North avenue:	
	Labor.....	171 50
	MacAdam.....	73 75
	Sand and gravel.....	6 39
4 52	North avenue sewer:	
	Labor.....	7 38
	Pipe.....	8 00
	Stone.....	6 20
	Cement.....	68
15 23	North Ford street ;	
	Labor.....	39 13
	MacAdam.....	32 50
15 00	North Fitzhugh street :	
	Labor.....	26 00
	Sand.....	1 60
148 93	Park avenue :	
	Labor.....	8 38
	Sand.....	60
8 98	Platt street !	
	Labor.....	159 74
	MacAdam.....	47 20
	Sand.....	4 60
211 54	Peart Alley :	
	Labor.....	3 80
	Trap.....	9 00
	Cement and sand.....	1 18
14 03	Prince street :	
	Labor.....	
256 07	Pindell alley :	
	Labor.....	12 25
	Sand.....	40
63 50	Plymouth avenue :	
	Labor.....	122 50
10 00	MacAdam.....	127 50
		178 25
		53 22
		71 12
		2 25
		63 30
		226 56
		36 10
		2 15
		1,045 72
		35 10
		149 94
		252 05
		23 36
		71 63
		27 60
		8 98
		211 54
		14 03
		2 75
		12 65

Gravel	5 80	
Cement	45	
Reynolds street :		256 25
Labor	9 88	
Sand	40	
Rowley street :		10 28
Labor	77 75	
Steam roller	3 75	
Gravel	15 00	
Construction of cross walk	32 00	
Rome street :		148 50
Labor	56 00	
Steam roller	30 00	
Gravel	9 60	
State street :		95 60
Labor	70 51	
Sand and pipe	5 40	
Saratoga avenue :		17 00
Labor		
St. Joseph street:		
Labor	116 90	
MacAdam	280 00	
Steam roller	23 50	
Cement and sand	55	369 95
Spring street :		
Labor	49 93	
MacAdam	72 50	
Cement and sand	1 77	124 20
Scot street:		
Labor	30 75	
Gravel	7 00	37 75
Sophia street:		
Construction of crosswalk		90 78
South Union street:		
Labor	171 50	
Steam roller	80 00	
Sand and gravel	35 20	
Stone	16 00	252 70
South Washington street:		
Labor	30 50	
Lumber	34 55	
Nails and iron work	4 75	
MacAdam	5 00	74 62
South St. Paul street:		
Labor	47 30	
Stone and sand	7 40	54 70
South Clinton and Wood streets :		
Labor	245 50	
Lumber	278 00	
Cement, gravel and nails	51 00	574 50
South avenue:		
Labor	51 50	
Lumber	13 12	
Nails	6 30	
Sand	1 00	76 92
Labor		3 00
South Fitzhugh st, (foot bridge):		
Labor	24 21	
Lumber and nails	27 93	52 14
Stone street:		
Labor	8 75	
Sand	40	9 15
Tracy alley sewer:		
Labor		7 50
Troup street:		
Labor	3 00	
Construction of crosswalk	72 00	75 00
University avenue:		
Labor	79 87	
Steam roller	7 50	
Gravel	17 00	108 87
Upton park:		
Labor	101 75	
Gravel	23 20	129 95
Vincent place:		
Labor	110 63	
MacAdam	115 00	
Sand	2 60	228 23
Warehouse street:		
Labor		10 50

West avenue:		
Labor	157 76	
MacAdam	213 75	
Sand	80	
Construction of two crosswalks	114 00	486 81
West Main street:		
Labor	89 50	
Stone and sand	7 83	47 83
William street:		
Labor	28 65	
Cements and and gravel	6 48	
Trap	10 00	45 13

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From the Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, Feb. 5th, 1884.

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds, on the 5th day of February, 1884, as required by section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education, building fund	\$ 95 97
Repair	44 25
Contingent Fund	5,782 11
Teachers'	29,151 74
Fire Department Fund	5,194 50
Poor Department fund	29,004 99
Police Department Fund	3,120 06
Contingent Fund	2,535 65
Highway Fund	3,351 71
Lamp Fund	3,235 40
Health Fund	272 32
City Property Fund	617 20
Park Fund	79 52
Water Works Fund	19,525 36
Water Pipe Fund	23,010 88
Salary and Expense Fund	2,338 54

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of February, 1884.

A. C. MOGLACHLIN, Treasurer

CHAS. H. STILWELL,

Commissioner of Deeds.

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From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,

Rochester, February 5th, 1884.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with Sec. 29 of the City Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath of office as required by law:

J. M. Deyo, Inspector of Elections, 7th Ward; Francis O'Connor, Stephen Wheeler, William S. Briggs, Martin De Maille, Fred W. Smith, James L. Gott, Commissioners of Deeds.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Excise Commissioners:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester.

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners or Excise of the City of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing Jan. 1st, 1884, and ending Jan. 31st, 1885, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, ale, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz:

1884—Jan. 3:		
Fullam & Reiman, 146 E. Main st.	\$ 50 00	
Scheffer, Margaret, 41 Central ave.	50 00	
Jan 14:		
Almy, Elmer E., 64 S. St. Paul st.	75 00	
Fleischer, Henry H., 215 N. Clinton st.	50 00	
La Plante, Claude D., 40 Monroe ave.	50 00	
Jan. 31:		
Weadick, Thomas, 28 Centre st.	50 10	
Seuter, Wm. H., 84 Exchange st.	30 00	
Flannery, Edward, 94 Exchange	50 00	
Beilby, Albert H., 191 North st.	50 00	
Miller, Elizabeth, 96 Front st.	30 00	
Jan. 28:		
Williams, Joseph, 96 Exchange st.	30 00	
Martin, George H., 68 Exchange st.	50 00	
Miller, Mrs. Isaac, 149 N. Clinton st.	30 00	
Miller, Albert F., 78 Barlett st.	50 00	

Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer.....\$ 645 00

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

Dated January 31st, 1884.
STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF MONROE, City of Rochester.

The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the money received from them is in all respects just and true; and the said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted, and all moneys received by them during the month of January, 1884.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of January, 1884.
JOHN RUNACRE,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered, received, filed and published.
From the Overseer of the Poor—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the Poor of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report that during the month of January, he has relieved 502 families in the following manner:

Orders on Poor Store.....	\$1,397 50
.. .. Coal yard.....	984 38
.. .. Outfitters.....	67 50
.. .. for transportation.....	7 60
.. .. Shoes.....	120 75
Total.....	\$2,527 73
Less amount charged towns.....	68 99
Total to city.....	\$2,458 74

All of which is respectfully submitted,
N. THOMPSON, Overseer of Poor.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Chief of Police—

ROCHESTER, Feb. 4, 1883.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully submit the following report relative to the number of lamps not burning during the month of January, 1884:

Oil.....	885	Gas.....	239
Respectfully,		ALEX. McLEAN, Chief of Police.	

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Clerk—

ROCHESTER, Feb. 4, 1884.

To the Hon. Common Council of the City of Rochester:
GENTLEMEN—The officers and members of the Eighth separate company, National Guard State of New York, hereby extend to your honorable body a cordial invitation to attend their sixth grand reception and entertainment, to be held at the Arsenal on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 6th, 1884.

Very respectfully,
THOS. A. RAYMOND,
Chairman Executive Committee.

Ald. Pitkin moved that the invitation be accepted. Adopted.

From the Commissioners in the matter of the opening and extension of Syke street.

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, who were appointed by order of the County Court of Monroe county, duly granted and entered on the eighth day of October, 1883, commissioners to inquire into and determine to what damages and compensation the owners and occupants of the lands to be taken for the opening and extension of Sykes street in the city of Rochester will be entitled, respectfully certify the amount of said damages to the opening and extension of said street, as follows:

The several pieces and parcels of land required for the opening and extension of said street are described as follows:

All that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of lot number 97, as designated on a map of subdivision of part of the Colvin tract, recorded in Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 119 of Deeds, at page 498; thence westerly along the north line of said lot No. 97, one hundred and sixty-five feet; thence southerly along the west line said lot No. 97, three feet; thence easterly along a line parallel with the north line of lot 97, one hundred and sixty-five feet; thence northerly along the west line of Colvin street, three feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Mary E. Perkins of Rochester.
Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of lot 96, as laid down on said map of the Colvin tract; thence westerly along the south line of lot 96 one hundred and sixty-five feet; thence northerly along the west line of lot 96, forty feet; thence easterly along the north line of lot 96, one hundred and sixty-five feet; thence southerly along the west line of Colvin street forty feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Caroline M. Kidd of Albany, N. Y.
Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of lot 95, of the Colvin tract; thence westerly along the south line of said lot 95, one hundred and sixty-five feet; thence northerly along the west line of lot 95, seven feet; thence easterly along a line parallel with the south line of lot 95, one hundred and sixty-five feet; thence southerly along the west line of Colvin street, seven feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are held by Louis Herbst, of Rochester, under a contract for the sale thereof with J. B. Perkins and William Kidd, executors of the last will and testament of J. H. Martindale, deceased. About two hundred and seventy dollars remains unpaid on said contract.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence southerly along the east line of lot 87 of the German tract, as designated on a map of said tract, recorded in Monroe County Clerk's office in Liber 2 of Maps, at page 13, fifty feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of said lot 87, one hundred and five and six-tenths feet; thence northerly along the west line of lot 87, fifty feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of said lot 87, one hundred and five and six-tenths feet to the place of beginning. These premises are owned by Julia Kase and Theresa Lesch of Rochester, heirs at law of Elizabeth Lesch, deceased.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 88 of the German tract, one hundred and five and six-tenths feet; thence southerly along the west line of said lot 88, thirty-six feet and six inches; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot 88, fifty-two feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot 88, thirteen feet and six inches; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 88, fifty-three feet and six inches; thence northerly along the east line of lot 88, fifty feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by J. George Wagner, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage in the name held by Ezekiel Warner, to secure the payment of forty-four hundred dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at a point in the west line of lot 88, of the German tract ninety-eight and one-half feet northerly from the south line thereof; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot 88, fifty-two feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot 88, thirteen feet and six inches; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot 88, fifty-two feet; thence southerly along the west line of lot 88, thirteen feet and six inches to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Michael Boessel and Mary Boessel, his wife, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon held by Isabella M. Eastman to secure the payment of three hundred and fifty dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of last described premises; thence northerly along the east line of lot 89 of the German tract fifty feet; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 89, fifty-two and eight-tenths feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot 89, fifty feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 89, fifty-two and eight-tenths feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by J. George Wagner, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot 89, fifty-two and eight-tenths feet; thence southerly along the west line of lot 89, fifty feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot 89, fifty-two and eight-tenths feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot 89, fifty feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are held by Mary Ann Held as assignee for the benefit of the creditors of Fredolin Held,

subject to a mortgage thereon held by the Rochester German Insurance Company to secure the payment of thirteen hundred dollars. An action is now pending in the Supreme Court to set aside the conveyance from Fredolin Held to Mary Ann Held of these premises.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 90 of the German tract, fifty-two and eight-tenths feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot 90, fifty feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 90, fifty-two and eight-tenths feet; thence northerly along the east line of lot 90, fifty feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Justus Lambert, of Rochester.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 90, twenty-six and four-tenths feet; thence southerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot 90 fifty feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 90, twenty-six and four-tenths feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the east line of lot 90, fifty feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Francis Biensack and Anna Biensack, his wife, subject to a mortgage thereon held by the American Savings and Loan Association to secure the payment of five hundred and twenty dollars; and, also, subject to a mortgage held by Wallburga Welker to secure the payment of four hundred dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot 90 of the German tract, twenty-six and four-tenths feet; thence southerly along the west line of lot 90 fifty feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the west line of lot 90, twenty-six and four-tenths feet; thence northerly along a line parallel with the west line of lot 90 fifty feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by Adam Welker, of Rochester, subject to a mortgage thereon held by the Teutonia Savings, Aid and Loan Association to secure the payment of five hundred dollars; and also subject to a mortgage held by the American Savings and Loan Association to secure the payment of five hundred and twenty dollars.

Also, all that tract or parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the last described premises; thence westerly along a line at right angles with the east line of lot 91 of the German tract, one hundred and twelve feet and six inches; thence southerly along the east line of Ames street fifty feet; thence easterly along a line at right angles with the east line of Ames street one hundred and twenty feet and six inches; thence northerly along the east line of lot 91, fifty feet to the place of beginning.

These premises are owned by the heirs at law of Catherine Millecher, deceased, to wit: Joseph Millecher, Barbara Armstrong, Kittie Millecher and Mary Millecher, of full age, and Rosa Millecher and Maggie Millecher infants, for whom C. C. Davison was duly appointed special guardian in these proceedings.

Therefore, we, the subscribers, the commissioners, having been duly sworn as provided by the Statute in such case made and provided, and having met and acted upon the matter submitted to us at the City Attorney's office, at the City Hall building, Rochester, N. Y., pursuant to a notice of at least 10 days published according to law; and having taken a view of every part of the premises affected by these proceedings; and having enquired into and heard the allegations and proofs of the respective parties in interest, do determine and appraise the damage which the several owners and occupants of the premises thus to be taken for the opening and extension of said street will severally sustain, by being deprived thereof, and do award the full amount of such damage, and the compensation which each of the aforesaid owners and occupants shall receive as follows:

To Mary E. Perkins, fifty dollars, payable to her.
To Caroline M. Kidd, three hundred and fifty dollars, payable to her.

To Louisa Herbst, eighty dollars, payable to J. E. Perkins and William Kidd, executors of the last will and testament of J. H. Martindale, deceased.

To Julia Kase and Theresa Lesch, one dollar, payable to them.

To J. George Wagner, for land taken from lot 83, one dollar, payable to Ezekiel Wagner, mortgagee.

To Michael Boessel and Mary Boessel, one dollar, payable to Isabella M. Eastman, mortgagee.

To J. George Wagner, for land taken from lot 89, payable to him.

To Mary Ann Held, assignee for the benefit of the creditors of Fredolin Held, one dollar, to be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank, subject to the order of the court.

To Justus Lambert, one dollar, payable to him.
To Francis and Anna Biensack, one dollar, payable to the American Savings and Loan Association, mortgagee.

To Adam Welker, one dollar, payable to the Teutonia Savings, Aid and Loan Association, mortgagee.

To Joseph Millecher, Barbara Armstrong, Kittie Millecher, Mary Millecher, Rosa Millecher and Maggie Millecher, five hundred dollars, to be deposited in Monroe County Savings Bank, subject to the order of the court.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

RICHARD H. SCHOOLEY,
ADAM MAY,
DANIEL BUDD,
Commissioners.

Dated Rochester, Feb. 4, 1884.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening and extension of Syke street, be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held on the 19th day of February, 1884, at 6 o'clock p. m. Adopted.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance for the East Side outlet sewer came up.

Ald. Archer moved that action thereon be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The final ordinance for Tappan street improvement came up.

Ald. Pitkin moved that action thereon be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following was in order:

“By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the Commissioners to appraise the damages to be paid for the taking of lands for a new street from Clifford street to Norton street be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held February 5th, 1884, at the Common Council chamber. Adopted.”

Objections being called for and no person appearing, the report of the Commissioners in the matter of taking lands for a new street from Clifford street to Norton street, was confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Kelly in the chair.

Ald. Strauss moved to proceed to appoint commissioners of deeds, and that the clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

Charles Watson, Augustine E. Nelson, Frank M. Cole having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were appointed commissioners of deeds.

Ald. Foley moved to proceed to appoint an inspector of election for the 2nd district of the Eighth ward. Adopted.

John Martin, Jr., was nominated by Ald. Foley.

John Martin, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

John Martin, jr., was declared appoint-

ed Inspector of Election for the 2nd district of the Eighth ward.

Ald. Jeffords moved to proceed to appoint an inspector of election for the First District of the Seventh ward. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords nominated John J. Bowen.

John J. Bowen was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

John J. Bowen was declared appointed inspector of election for the First District of the Seventh ward.

Ald. Collins moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

On motion of Ald. Foley voting for Police Commissioner was postponed until after miscellaneous business.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of Mary A. Van Ingen in relation to an assessment for personal property. Referred to the assessment committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for water in Alexander and Maria streets. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw orders on the City Treasurer as follows: In favor of R. H. Schooley, chairman of the commission, for (\$105) one hundred and five dollars, in full of fees of Commissioners Schooley, Budd and May, in the matter of the opening and extension of Syke street, including clerk hire, and in favor of G. F. Slocum for thirty-four dollars (\$34), in full for searches made of the title of the property to be taken for the opening and extension of said street and disbursements, payable from the Contingent Fund, and that the Treasurer charge and carry said aggregate sum of one hundred and thirty-nine dollars to the fund for the opening and extension of said street, when created, as part of the cost and expense thereof.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Alderman Kelly—Whereas, the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening of a street from Campbell street to Maple street dated September 3d, 1883, awarded to Margaret Barstendorff, Kate Barstendorff and Margaret Neher the sum of eighty dollars (\$80.00), and directed that said sum be deposited in the Monroe County Savings Bank to the credit of said parties subject to the order of the court; and,

Whereas, said parties have duly executed and acknowledged a power of attorney to Jacob Spahn to receive the said award in their names; therefore,

Resolved, That the treasurer be and hereby is authorized and directed to pay said sum of eighty dollars (\$80.00) awarded as aforesaid to Jacob Spahn, attorney, upon his filing with said treasurer the said power of attorney and executing the proper voucher thereof.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Property Committee be directed to advertise for proposals for furnishing gas for the City Hall and Front Street Building for the ensuing year. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds presented a petition for electric lights in Spencer street Referred to the Lamp Committee.

By Ald. Foley—To the Hon. the Common Council: Your Committee on Wooden Buildings, to whom the petition of Kelly, Goodly & Kelly, with remonstrance against the same, was referred, would respectfully report the following :

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That Kelly, Godley & Kelly have permission to build a frame building on the lot corner of Lake avenue and Brisbane street, 36x80, posts 40 feet high, located at least fifteen feet from the street line of Lake avenue, and eight feet north of the street line of Brisbane street. The south outside wall of said frame building shall be covered with corrugated iron sheeting, and the roof shall be of incombustible material. All the above work shall be done in a first-class manner, and under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords, from the Wood Building Committee, presented the petition of Mary Keif for permission to erect a barn on Hunter street. Also a remonstrance against the same. And reported adversely to the prayer of the petition. The report was adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive of Honora Curran \$35, less discount, as per Assessors' certificate attached, in full of assessment on part of lot 14, Caledonia tract, south side of Hunter street, 8th ward, for Genesee Valley canal outlet sewer, and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to receive \$435.68, less discount, for North St. Paul street sewer tax ordinance (No. 2, 376) on lots No. 1 and 17, Andrews and Atwater tract, east side North St. Paul street, assessed to Nehemiah Osborn, in pursuance of Assessors' certificate, dated January 17th, 1884, on file in the City Treasurer's office, and charge the balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and hereby is directed, to cancel assessment for Clifford street outlet sewer, assessed to Joseph Stephany, on lots 26 and 27, St. Joseph Orphan Asylum Tract, west side of Hudson street, Sixteenth Ward, and charge the same to erroneous assessment, the said lots not being in the territory to be assessed. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and hereby is directed, to cancel assessment for Genesee Valley Outlet Sewer, assessed to Edward Donnelly, part of lot 14, Caledonia tract, north side Cady street, Eighth Ward, and charge the same to erroneous assessments, the said land being assessed to Rhoda A. Lester. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 26, 27, 57 and 59 of the H. E. Hooker sub'n pt, town lot 51 tract, Brighton ave., 16th ward, was assessed for Cambridge street, Brighton avenue, and Nichols park sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certifi-

ate from the Assessors, dated Feb. 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$37.89, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

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CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1884.

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Minerva E. Adams, viz:

Not No. 26 of E. E. Hooker's sub'n pt. town lot 51 tract, north side of Brighton ave, 16th ward, 50 feet front, 50-3/4 feet rear and 133-5 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as her portion of Cambridge st., Brighton ave. and Nichols park sewer, No. 2510, sum of \$37.89, upon the payment of which, less discount, she will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Rochester, N. Y., February 5, 1884.

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 23 and 77 sit of the J. F. Briggs subdivision Strong tract, Strong street, Eighth ward, were assessed for Genesee Valley Canal Outlet Sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated February 5, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$422.10, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

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CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1884.

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1884, to the Jefferson Avenue Lot Association, viz:

Lots No. 49 to 77 alt. of the J. F. Briggs sub-division Strong tract south side of Strong street, Eighth Ward, 603 feet front, 608 feet rear, and 115 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as their portion of Genesee Valley Canal Outlet Sewer the sum of \$422.10 upon the payment of which, less discount they will be entitled release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1884.

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 22 and 23 of the Greig tract, north side Cady street, Eighth Ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal Outlet sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Feb. 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$3.80, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

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CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1884.

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

SIR—We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Philip Christianum, viz:

Lot No. 23, west pt Greig Tract, north side of Cady street, Eighth Ward, 44 feet front, 44 feet rear, and 114 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Genesee Valley Canal Outlet Sewer Tax, O. 2,263, the sum of \$3.80, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 5th, 1884.

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots Nos. 8 and of the Greig tract, south side Hunter street, 8th Ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated February 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$3.80, less discount in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

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CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5th, 1884.

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Philip Christianum, viz:

Lot No. 8, w. pt. Greig Tract, South side of Hunter street, 8th ward, 44 ft. front, 44 ft. rear, and 100 ft. deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as his portion of Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer tax, No. 2,263, the sum of \$3.80 upon the payment of which, less discount, they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1884.

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 52 of the Assessors' subdivision, part town lot 51 tract, Brighton avenue, Sixth ward, was assessed for Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Feb. 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$19.31, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

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CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5th, 1884.

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Mary E. Leach, viz: Part lot No. 52 of Assessors' subdivision, part town lot 51, tract, north side of Brighton avenue, Sixth ward, 25 feet front, 25 feet rear, and 123 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as her portion of Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park sewer, No. 2,510, the sum of \$19.31, upon the payment of which, less discount, she will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 5th, 1884.

(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 52 of the Assessors subn. pt., town lot 51 tract, Brighton avenue, 16th ward, was assessed for Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols Park sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the assessors, dated February 5, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$39.33, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1884.

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

SIR—We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to Camelia A. Gifford, viz:

Lot No. 52 of Assessors subn. pt. town lot 51 tract, north side of Brighton avenue, 16th ward, 79 feet front, 39 feet rear and 150 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as her portion of Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols Park sewer, No. 2,510, the sum of \$59.33 upon the payment of which, less discount, she will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
WM. MAHER,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Feb. 5, 1884.
(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot 52 of the Assessors' subn. pt. town lot 51 tract, Brighton avenue, 16th ward was assessed for Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated February 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$69.70, with expenses less discount, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted. [COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 5th, 1884.

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:
SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Charles E. Fenner, viz: pt. lot No. 52 corner of Cambridge street, north side of Brighton avenue, 16th ward, 54 ft. front, 63 feet rear, and 139 feet deep, and that owner of said property should pay as his portion of Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park sewer, No. 2510, the sum of \$69.70, upon the payment of which, less discount he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5th, 1884.
(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 130, 131 and 132 of the St. Joseph Orphan Asylum Tract, Maria street, 16th ward, was assessed for Clifford street outlet sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors dated Feb. 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$38.21, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted. [COPY.]
CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1884.

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:
SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1883 to St. Joseph Orphan Society, viz: Lots Nos. 131 and 132, St. Joseph Orphan Asylum Tract, east side of Maria street, 16th ward 46 feet front, 46 feet rear and 147 feet deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as their portion of Clifford st. outlet sewer tax, O. 2,225, the sum of \$38.21, upon the payment of which, less discount, they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, Feb. 5th, 1884.
(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Ald. Barron presented the petition of Mary Leinhan for permission to erect a wood building on Platt street, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Brush Electric Light Company be requested to place an electric light on the south-west corner of Allen street and Montgomery alley. Adopted.

The Chair announced the committee to consider the petition of the druggists and grocers as follows: Ald. Bronson, Collins and Aikenhead.

The Board then adjourned.
F. J. IRWIN, Clerk pro tem.

In Common Council—February 19th, 1884.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in the chair.

On motion of Ald. Kelly F. J. Irwin was appointed Clerk pro tem.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Archer,—1.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the last meeting, held February 5th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, DEMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

Ald. Collins asked unanimous consent, which was granted, to present the following:

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Under an ordinance "relating to meetings of the Common Council" the next regular meeting will occur Tuesday, March 4th, the evening of the charter election, unless otherwise ordered, therefore,

Resolved, That when the Board adjourns it be until Wednesday, March 5th, at 6 o'clock p. m. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

T. R. Griffith, stenographer's services, Attorney's office.....	\$10 00
S. W. Stott, s'rvices Groves case.....	50 00
F. A. Schoedel, serving papers.....	68 25
J. Y. Johnson, stationery, City Attorney's office.....	38 50
C. W. Carroll, serving notices, City Attorney's office.....	38 00
Williamson & Higbie, stationery, City Attorney's office.....	47 68
W. W. Osgoodby, stenographer, Hooker case.....	38 10
J. N. Beckley, expenses to Albany and Washington.....	59 00
A. C. McGlachlin, disbursements.....	292 14
A. C. McGlachlin, expenses Charter Amendment and Citizens' Committee to Albany.....	137 75
W. L. Buckland, back hire.....	36 00
John C. Moore, blanks, Treasurer.....	21 20
Union and Advertiser, blanks, Treasurer.....	127 50
Union and Advertiser, registers.....	117 50
Western Union Telegraph Co.....	5 46

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Bronson presented the petition of the Trustees of the Cornhill M. E. Church in relation to an assessment for the Genesee Valley Canal Outlet Sewer, and moved to refer to the Assessment Committee, to report at the next meeting. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson presented the petition of Johnson I. Robbins, for permission to erect a wood building on Oxford street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Strouss presented the petition of F. Boor, for permission to erect a wood building on Franklin Park, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—bills of
Citizens' Gas Light Co., lighting and care, for
February.....\$2,279 00
Citizens' Gas Co., resetting posts..... 9 20
Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition for the improvement of Alexander street, from East avenue to Monroe avenue. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of the trustees of the German Baptist Educational Union in relation to an assessment for Monroe avenue outlet sewer. Referred to the assessment committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of Mrs. O'Kane, Charles Horne, Lewis Weingartner, George Engert and Fred L. Hughes for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of James Alexander for permission to move a building on Whittlesey alley and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of Martha Brooks for permission to repair a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds presented a petition for electric lights on Phelps avenue. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Hinds presented a remonstrance against the erection of a barn on the corner of Lorimer and Thompson streets. Referred to the Wood Building Committee.

Ald. Pitkin presented petitions of W. J. McBeth and Almira Pike for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of
Frederick Odenbach, bread.....\$ 83 44
Geo. Oppel, bread..... 23 52
Curran Bros., meat..... 25 00
John Fischer, meat..... 3 00
Joseph Howard, rent..... 36 00
Geo. S. Thompson, rent..... 324 42
Smith, Perkin & Co., groceries..... 247 50
Smith, Perkins & Co., pork (3 bills)..... 3 24
F. J. Amsden, transportation..... 23 24
R. S. Lewis,, 37 50
M. Heavey,, 6 50
A. W. Mudge, burials.....

Referred to the Poor Committee.
Ald. Rice presented the petition of Jane E. Bryan for permission to erect wood buildings on Mt. Vernon avenue. Permission was granted under the supervision of the Fire Marshal.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of Wm. Doehne for permission to erect and repair wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted as directed by the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of
Walter Williamson, labor and material..... \$ 49 43
C. C. Brownell, repairing and painting weights and measures..... 25 00
Smith, Perkins & Co., soap and mops..... 4 00
A. Schildner, repairing furniture..... 4 50

Referred to the City Property Committee.
Ald. Kelly presented a petition for water on Cameron street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Kelly presented petitions for sewers in Cameron and Child streets. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Also a petition for a plank walk on the east side of Cameron street. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for opening and extending Campbell street from Hague street to Pomeroy street. Referred to the Committee on Opening and Alteration of Streets.

Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for water in Pinnacle avenue and Second avenue. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Simmelink presented petitions for sewers in Pinnacle avenue and Huron, Poplar, Union, Alexander streets and Pennsylvania avenue. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, Ald. Felsing from the Poor Committee, Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee, reported favorably on the bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Rice, from the Health Committee presented the bills of—

J. P. Forman, drying hose.....	\$ 12 50
J. W. Maser, collecting garbage.....	114 00
D. Hickey.....	228 00
J. Rauber.....	114 00
F. Bradley.....	114 00
Jerome Keyes, supt.....	84 00
M. Heavey, board of horse, February.....	20 00

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 19, 1884.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.	
J. N. Beckley, disbursements.....	\$ 166 50
Rochester District Telegraph Co., services.....	9 52
W. W. Morrison, printing blanks.....	9 00
James Lusk, serving notices.....	37 02
Wm. I. Hanford.....	6 98
E. D. Smith, stenographer, services, Attorney's office.....	60 00
A. W. Mudge, hack hire.....	3 00
James Kavanagh, hack hire.....	7 50
B. L. Sheldon, lunch C. C., Feb. 19th.....	15 00
A. C. McGlavin, expenses of charter amendment and Citizens' Committee to Albany.....	197 75
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.	
Jacob Howe, Jr., bread (two bills).....	\$ 311 24
Mat Miller, meat.....	25 00
Kelly Bros.....	50 00
Burke, FitzSimons, Hone & Co., dry goods.....	10 00
E. Ellsworth, beans.....	17 90
Mary Flannigan, board.....	9 00
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	552 00
G. Goetzman, soap.....	4 00
Philip Weider, groceries.....	13 50
E. L. Thomas, rent.....	16 00
C. Barsdell, constable fees.....	10 00
Millman & Whitney, burials.....	18 50
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.	
A. Metcalf, soft soap.....	\$ 3 00
Kondolf Bros., i. e. City Hall.....	50 20
Robt. Bryson, repairing boilers.....	19 00
John B. Pike, labor and material.....	13 65
John Spitz, labor and material, Front Street Building.....	29 85
Michael O'Brien, labor, Front Street Building.....	36 00
Wm. Hunt, labor, City Hall.....	6 00
Goodale & Stiles, glasses.....	1 88
Municipal Gas Co., gas, for City Buildings.....	280 40
And charge that fund.	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.	
Brush Electric Light Co., lighting for January.....	\$3,761 65
Rochester Gas Light Co.,	1,615 75
Municipal	101 49
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.	
J. P. Foreman, drying hose.....	\$ 12 50
J. W. Maser, collecting garbage.....	114 00
D. Hickey.....	228 00
Jacob Rauber.....	114 00
P. Bradley.....	414 00

Jerome Keyes, Supt.....	81 00
M. Heavy, board of horse, Feb.....	30 00
And charge that fund.....	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

B. Frank Enos, expenses for January.....	\$ 64 51
E. R. Andrews, night book.....	10 50
And charge that fund.....	

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, Feb. 18, 1894.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment; as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holly, salary for February.....	\$ 208 33
Samuel B. Williams.....	208 34
George W. Aldridge.....	208 33
James F. O'Neil, local imp't blanks.....	8 00
	\$633 00

Street Department—Highway Fund.

George B. Harris, acting clerk, rebate on assessments for last avenue repairing.....	\$150 00
Fire department, one sorrel horse.....	150 00
John R. Smy, repairing harness.....	6 55
Marx & Young, repairing horse roller.....	11 60
J. G. Wagner & Co., stone for McAdam.....	147 85
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	19 09
W. J. Smith, rope for use at ice gorge.....	3 75
C. T. Horton, repairing windows.....	3 47
Smith, Perkins & Co., salt.....	8 60
Goodale & Stiles, use of lamps.....	2 00
Whitmore, Rauber & Vicinus, labor, etc., ice gorge.....	12 75
Cary, Rose & Co., dynamite caps, &c., ice gorge.....	63 60
David Clancy, labor ice gorge.....	150 00
J. R. Chamberlin, supplies for steam roller.....	2 66
	\$781 85

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay rolls, Feb. 14.....	\$140 00
Feb. 21.....	140 00
George B. Hayes, pipe, estimate No. 2.....	280 00
George B. Harris, freight on pipe.....	4,949 29
	95 27
	\$5,324 56

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay rolls, Feb. 14, operating expenses.....	\$ 510 20
Weekly pay rolls, Feb. 14, service and repairs.....	310 50
	\$20 70
Weekly pay rolls, Feb. 21, operating expenses.....	515 20
Weekly pay roll, Feb. 21, service and repairs.....	314 00
	\$29 20

Bennett & Schafner, chairs.....	9 00
Thos. J. Neville, Clerk, office expenses.....	19 95
George B. Harris, disbursements.....	17 13
Rochester Gas Light Co., gas bills.....	34 20
B. F. Harris, rent of stables.....	22 50
Smith Perkins & Co., brooms.....	1 50
G. F. Schilling, coal bills.....	123 84
Weaver & Goss, hardware.....	10 53
E. H. Cook & Co., work and material.....	3 50
J. R. Chamberlin, packing, &c.....	11 77
John R. Smy, repairing harness.....	1 85
John C. King, furniture and bedding.....	63 40
W. E. Desper & Co., meter and connections.....	15 25
National Meter Co., repairs to meters.....	9 40
Woodbury, Booth & Pryor, work and material J. Nelson Tubbs, expenses on C. line.....	129 16
James Johnston, insurance.....	6 00
John C. Moore, paper.....	6 25
W. Thompson, labor C. line.....	1 25
Bell Telephone Co., rent of instruments.....	75 00
	\$2,315 38

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

(Payable when there are funds applicable.)	
Woodbury, Morse & Co., glass and setting.....	\$ 6 25
Gauhn & Bassett, plumbing, etc.....	16 80
A. Elwood, repairs and supplies.....	6 35
Henry Helwig, hardware.....	7 44
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay.....	6 50
H. Brewster & Co., salt.....	1 25
James Field, supplies.....	4 06
Monthly pay roll, payable Feb. 29.....	3,510 62
Active Hose Co., appropriation.....	250 00
J. R. Chamberlain, supplies.....	13 24
Smith & Oberst, stoves, repairs and supplies.....	342 09
Colby Winger Co., clock.....	8 00

John C. King, bedding.....	66 55
Municipal Gas Light Co., gas bills, Dec. & Jan.....	48 80
Philip Ernst, repairs to harness.....	19 20
F. E. Handy, labor (2 bills) fire Tel.....	24 00
Marx & Young, repairs, wagon and sleigh.....	11 00
Warner & Brockett, professional services, Lyell ave. station.....	309 00
T. & G. Lebering, straw, &c.....	27 09
Bell Telephone Co., repairs and supplies.....	4 43
	\$4,702 52

Local Improvements.

M. H. Fitzsimons, stone used in work, Central ave improvement.....	\$ 50 00
Adopted by the following vote:	
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Shumelink—15.	

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:

As supplemental to the report presented by the Lamp Committee at the last regular meeting of your board, and having reference to the introduction of the electric light in University avenue, said committee beg leave to submit the following: Gas lighting in said avenue from North avenue eastwardly does not extend beyond Prince street. Between these points and at the intersection of other streets with University avenue there are 49 gas lamps, costing the city \$1,255 per annum. These will all be discontinued. The number of electric lights deemed necessary to take the place of the said 49 gas lamps is six, and the total cost of the same per annum will be \$395.50, being a saving in each year of \$859.50 for street lighting in University avenue, from North avenue to Prince street. From the latter street to the N. Y. C. & H. E. R. R. there are practically no street lights. The neighborhood is thickly settled and the demand for light is very great. This latter statement is practically true with reference to the locality adjacent to the University, the officers of which have long claimed a discontinuation of the grounds, which light and police protection in their judgment will prevent. The number of electric lights necessary from Prince street to the railroad is three or four, all to be erected in accordance with the contract now in existence between the Brush company and the city.

C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
Lamp Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.
Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee, reported having received several proposals for furnishing gas for the City Hall and Front Street Building, and asked that the committee have further time to report.
Further time was granted.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: Your special committee, to which was referred the communication of some of the druggists and wholesale grocers of this city relating to the ordinance for the licensing of bill posters, have by report. At the time of the passage of said ordinance by the Common Council a very full discussion was had of all its provisions. The ordinance was carefully drawn and your committee, after having given a hearing to all parties appearing before it in reference to the same, is of the opinion that such ordinance should not be changed.

Under the provisions of the said ordinance, as it now exists, any person desiring to post or circulate bills or advertisements is required to obtain from the city a license therefor, the fee for license being fixed at fifty dollars per year. Such ordinance, however, provides that any resident of this city may post, circulate or distribute any bills or advertisements descriptive of his own business without liability to the payment of any license fee, or the obtaining of a license. So far as the people are concerned who are not residents of this city, your committee is of the opinion that the requirement with reference to license and license fee should not be changed, otherwise people who have in good faith taken out a license under the provisions of said ordinance, and paid the fee, would be afforded no protection and bad faith might be, and would be, charged against the city in the premises.

Respectfully submitted,
A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Special Committee.

By permission of the Council, W. J. McPherson was heard in relation to the report of the committee.

After hearing from the City Attorney, Ald. Pitkin moved that the report be referred to the Law Committee. Adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
February 19, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common-council:

GENTLEMEN: Considerable inquiry has been elicited as to whether any charge will be made during the coming season for the use of water for sprinkling streets by carts under ordinances passed by the Common-council.

This board is of the opinion that charges should be made in certain cases for this use. On streets and avenues where previous to the sprinkling by carts almost every lot had a hose attachment for sprinkling, from which the city received a revenue, since the sprinkling has been done under an ordinance by carts, a large proportion of these hose attachments have been discontinued and the city has lost all revenue therefrom.

It therefore follows in these cases that water is supplied to such parties for sprinkling the roadway in front of their premises without cost, while parties in other streets who sprinkle the roadway through hose attachments are required to pay an amount for the use of the water therefor equal to from five to six cents per lineal foot for each side of the street. To restore the equities between these parties, it would seem imperative that some charge should be made for the use of water in sprinkling from carts in at least all cases where the owner does not pay for a hose attachment on his premises during the season in which the sprinkling is done. On those premises on which a hose attachment is thus paid for, the whole or a portion of the charge for water used under the ordinances for sprinkling may be omitted.

This board is also of the opinion that when ordinances for sprinkling are passed in large blocks in the early part of the season, that the fact of their introduction is frequently unnoticed by the parties interested until it is too late to remonstrate, and sprinkling is done on streets where the majority of the taxpayers would never have signed a majority petition therefor.

It is also a fact that the continuous sprinkling of gravel and McAdam improvements, particularly where the street is considerably shaded, as are most of the streets of this city, is very detrimental to the roadways, softening the surface of same and causing them to rut and the material to disintegrate rapidly.

In view of this fact, it clearly follows that if less sprinkling should be done by ordinance, it would insure to the advantage of many streets.

Believing that the foregoing considerations are important, and that the taxpayers should fully understand the whole subject, and have sufficient notice and opportunity to petition for or remonstrate against the passage of sprinkling ordinances as in other cases, and that with few exceptions such ordinances should not be passed unless based upon a majority petition; this board respectfully suggests that a committee of the Common Council be designated to confer with the Executive Board on the whole subject, and that no ordinance for sprinkling be passed until the next succeeding meeting of the Common Council, with the exception of the business streets in the central portions of the city on which by common consent sprinkling is always done, and where from the necessities of the case it is absolutely required.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Executive Board.

GEO. B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

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Ald. Pitkin moved, that a committee of three be appointed to confer with the Executive Board, as suggested in their communication. Adopted.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The Executive Board respectfully represents, that under the law, as it now stands, the tenders of the lift bridges in the City of Rochester are appointed by the State authorities, but their salaries are paid by the City. It is thought that if the bridge tenders can be appointed by the City that better service can be obtained from them. For this reason it is recommended that the proposed act, herewith submitted, be forwarded to the representatives of this City in the Legislature with the request that the same shall be passed by the Legislature.

It is deemed advisable by the counsel for the City in the Honeywell matters that section five of chapter twenty-nine of the act of eighteen hundred and eighty-one providing for the appointment of Commissioners shall be so amended as to provide, in substance, that the compensation to be paid to the Commissioners shall be fixed by the court, and that the Commissioners may be selected from any county of the State. An amendment of section five has been prepared changing said section only in the particulars above mentioned, such amendment being herewith submitted.

BYRON HOLLEY,
GEO. W. ALDRIDGE.

AN ACT in relation to the appointment of bridge tenders on swing or lift bridges in the city of Rochester.

The people of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The Executive Board of the city of Rochester, or its successors in office, is hereby authorized to make all appointments of bridge tenders for the swing or lift bridges over the canal in said city in all cases where the city is now required by law to pay the salaries of said bridge tenders.

§ 2. Whenever the superintendent, or assistant superintendent of public works shall certify to said Executive Board, or its successors in office, that any bridge tender so appointed is not performing the duties of his office to its satisfaction, then the board shall immediately remove said bridge tender and appoint another in his place.

§ 3. The superintendent of public works shall continue to exercise such general control of said bridges as is now vested in him by existing laws, and not inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

§ 4. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

§ 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

AN ACT to amend chapter twenty-nine, of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, entitled, "An act to empower the Executive Board of the city of Rochester to acquire land and other property for the water works of said city."

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section five, of chapter twenty-nine, of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, entitled, "An act to empower the Executive Board of the city of Rochester to acquire land and other property for the water works of said city," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 2. On presenting such petition to the Supreme Court as aforesaid, with proof of service of a copy thereof, and action aforesaid, any of the persons whose estates or interests are to be affected by the proceedings, may show cause against granting the prayer of said petition, may to that end disprove any of the facts alleged therein. The court shall hear the proofs and allegations of the parties, and if no sufficient cause is shown against granting the prayer of the petition, it shall make an order for the appointment of three disinterested and competent property holders, residents of the State of New York, as commissioners to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners or persons interested in the property so to be acquired, and shall fix the time and place for the first meeting of said commissioners. The said commissioners shall take and subscribe the oath prescribed by the 12th article of the Constitution. Any of them may issue subpoenas and administer oaths to witnesses. A majority of them may adjourn the proceedings from time to time in their discretion. They shall view the premises described in the petition and hear the proofs and allegations of the parties, and reduce the testimony taken by them, if any, to writing, and after the testimony is taken in each case, they, or a majority of them, all being present or having notice of the meeting to the end that they may be present, shall, without unnecessary delay, ascertain and determine the compensation which ought justly to be made to the owners or persons interested in the property so sought to be acquired. They, or a majority of them, shall

also determine what sum ought to be paid to the general or special guardian or committee of any infant, idiot, or person of unsound mind, or attorney appointed to attend to the interests of any unknown owner or party in interest not personally served with notice of the proceeding and who has not appeared, for his costs and expenses. They shall make a report of their proceedings to the Supreme Court, with minutes of the testimony taken by them. The compensation to which they shall be entitled for every day they are actually engaged in the performance of their duties, shall be fixed by said Supreme Court, and such compensation, together with their expenses, shall be paid by the city of Rochester. Where the owners or persons interested in the property sought to be acquired shall have awarded to them an amount not exceeding the compensation offered by said city of Rochester for such property so sought to be acquired, or their interest therein, said city may recover, and the said Supreme Court may award against such persons the amount so paid to said commissioners necessarily expended for witnesses, or such part thereof as said Supreme Court may deem proper.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the representatives of this city in Senate and Assembly be, and they hereby are, requested to introduce and urge the passage of an act in relation to the appointment of bridge tenders in the city of Rochester, and an act amending section five of chapter twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, which two said acts have been submitted to the Common Council by the Executive Board. Adopted.

From the City Attorney—

OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY, No. 19 City }
Hall Building, Rochester, N. Y. }

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN.—In obedience to the resolutions adopted by your honorable body, steps have been taken looking to the collection from the United States Government and from the State of New York of the amount assessed upon Government and State property for local improvements in this city.

The claim of the city was presented to the Treasury Department at Washington, and upon the facts being made known, Judge Folger, Secretary of the Treasury, directed that the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives be requested to make provision for the payment of the assessments which are a lien upon the government property in this city. The matter was also presented to the chairman of the proper committees of the House and Senate, and there seems to be no doubt but that an appropriation will be made sufficient to pay all the claims which the city has against the government, and amounting to about seven thousand dollars.

With reference to the claim of the city against the State by reason of local assessments on State property, I am not able to make as favorable a report. It will be remembered that last year an appropriation was made of a sufficient sum to pay said local assessments by the Legislature of the State, but that Governor Cleveland vetoed such appropriation. Upon presenting the matter to the Ways and Means Committee of the Assembly for the purpose of obtaining the insertion in the supply bill of an amount sufficient to pay these claims, I was informed that the members of the committee had agreed that no item vetoed by Governor Cleveland last year would be by the committee placed in the supply bill this year, unless the Governor in some way intimated that his opinion with reference to such item had changed. The facts with reference to such assessments have been laid before the Governor, and upon his decision will depend the payment or nonpayment of the bills. Respectfully submitted,

J. N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

February 19th, 1884.

Ordered received, filed and published.

OFFICE OF CITY ATTORNEY, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 19, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

I deem it my duty to call the attention of the Common Council to the result of the trial of the case of Groves against the City of Rochester, which case was tried at the January circuit. The action was brought to recover \$25,000. The verdict of the jury was in favor of the plaintiff and for \$19,000. Under the charge of the court there was practically nothing for the jury to do but to assess the damages. I think the case should be reviewed by the Appellate Court. There are questions of law involved in the case which should be passed upon in the interest of the city. I therefore recommend that a motion for a new trial be made, and that if such mo-

tion should be denied an appeal from such order should be taken to the General Term.

Respectfully,

J. N. BECKLEY,
City Attorney.

Ordered received, filed and published.
On motion of Ald. Strouss the recommendation of the City Attorney was adopted.
From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 19th, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN.—In accordance with the provisions of Sec. 205 of the City Charter, I hereby report that the City Assessors have delivered to me the following Assessment Rolls, certified and sworn to as required by law.
F. J. IRWIN, City Clerk, pro tem.

ASSESSMENT ROLLS.

Alexander street improvement.
Allen street sprinkling.
Atwater street sprinkling.
Chestnut street sprinkling.
Clinton street sprinkling, No. 2,443.
Clinton place sprinkling.
Elm street sprinkling.
Frank street sprinkling.
Franklin street sprinkling, No. 2,519.
Franklin park sprinkling.
Ford street sprinkling.
Fitzhugh street (South) sprinkling.
Front street sprinkling.
Goodman st. (North and South) sprinkling.
Hudson street sprinkling.
Jay street sprinkling.
Jones street sprinkling.
Kent street sprinkling.
Main street (East) sprinkling.
Mill street sprinkling.
Main street (East and West) sprinkling.
North avenue sprinkling.
Plymouth avenue sprinkling.
Prince street sprinkling.
Rowley street sprinkling.
St. Paul street (South) sprinkling.
St. Paul street (North) improvement.
State street sprinkling.
Sophia street sprinkling.
Spring street sprinkling.
Tremont street sprinkling.
Troup street sprinkling.
Union street sprinkling.
University avenue sprinkling.
Vincent place sprinkling.
Washington street (South) sprinkling.
Washington street (North) sprinkling.
Allegations being called for and no person appearing, Ald. Bronson submitted the following:

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the foregoing assessment rolls, reported by the City Clerk, be and they are hereby confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
Rochester, February 19th, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN.—In accordance with Sec. 29 of the City Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath of office as required by law:

John Martin, Jr., John J. Bowen, Inspectors of Election; Augustin E. Nelson, Frank M. Cole, Commissioners of Deeds.

Respectfully submitted,

F. J. IRWIN, City Clerk, pro tem.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Police Clerk—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1884.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, Feb. 19, 1884.

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of January, 1884.

January.	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
2—Wm. Pritchard.....	Drunk	\$10	
Mary Sheridan.....	..	10	
Barbara Martin.....	..	10	
Anson Cronk.....	..	10	
Willard J. Smith.....	..	10	
Chas. McGuire.....	..	10	10
Frank Quinby.....	..	10	
Fred. Hewniller.....	..	10	10
Mattie Vernon.....	..	50	
Wm. Kruger.....	..	25	
Mary M. Le Strenge.....	petit larceny	25	25
5—Wm. Dickman.....	drunk	10	
Wm. Cunningham.....	..	10	
John McGraw.....	..	10	
Henry Strood.....	..	10	
John Erisman.....	..	10	
4—Thos. Danahill.....	..	10	5
Jacob Huber.....	..	10	
Geo. Gallagher.....	..	10	
5—Samuel Samuels.....	vio. ord.	50	
Fred. Schultz.....	..	5	5
7—Geo. W. Clark.....	drunk	10	
Mate Piper.....	..	10	
Sauro Nico.....	..	10	
Mnicantori Lugo.....	..	10	
Peter Mackel.....	..	20	
Wm. McAlarney.....	..	10	
Geo. Wolford.....	vio. ord.	5	5
Jacob Klein.....	..	5	5
Frank B. Pierce.....	assault	cost	1
8—John Murphy.....	drunk	5	10
John Doe.....	..	10	
Alex. Potter.....	vio. ord.	5	
9—Annie O'Rourke.....	drunk	10	
10—James Wider.....	..	10	
Peter O'Brien.....	vio. ord.	5	3
11—Thos. Roach.....	drunk	10	
Thos. A. Hinman.....	assault	5	5
12—Wm. Thebold.....	drunk	10	8
Louis Walter.....	..	10	
Thos. Dawson.....	vio ord	10	
14—Henry Johnson.....	drunk	10	
Geo. Vrooman.....	..	10	
Mark Kinsley.....	..	10	
Ferdinand Novick.....	..	10	
Jesse W. Wilson.....	..	10	
Pat'k Hoy.....	..	10	
John Smith.....	..	10	
15—Andrew Walsh.....	..	10	
Jerry McCarty.....	..	10	
Herman Hookenberger.....	..	10	10
John Mahar.....	..	10	
Joseph Greenough.....	assault	5	5
16—Chas. E. Korison.....	drunk	10	
Wm. G. Lamey.....	..	10	1
17—Wm. Bell.....	..	10	
Geo. Sherman.....	..	10	
Fred. Snyder.....	..	10	
Robt. Hewitt.....	..	10	
Wm. Foreman.....	assault	10	10
Wm. Eikart.....	petit larceny	10	10
Thos. Burke, selling liquor on Sunday	..	50	
18—Micael Costigan.....	drunk	10	
John Riley.....	..	10	
James Tierney.....	..	10	
19—Sidney Fowler.....	..	10	5
Geo. Acron.....	..	10	
Peter FitzSimons.....	..	10	10
John FitzSimons.....	..	10	10
Rich. Sanders.....	..	10	
21—John O'Loughlin.....	..	10	2 50
James FitzGerald.....	..	10	
Luther Stevenson.....	..	10	
Pak. Dougherty.....	..	10	
Thos. McNamara.....	..	10	
Clarence Ferguson.....	..	10	
Wm. Kelly.....	..	10	2 50
Jacob Covell.....	..	10	
Chas. Elliott.....	..	10	
Wm. McAnarney.....	..	10	
22—Mary Williams.....	..	10	
Robert Nugent.....	..	10	
Maria Jones.....	..	10	
23—John Fifenben, petit larceny, cost	..	10	1
Francis Thell.....	drunk	10	
Thomas T. Daly.....	..	10	
David Woolton.....	..	10	2
Libbie Pellett.....	..	10	
24—Keron Garrity.....	..	10	
Annie Murphy.....	vio. ord.	50	
Maggie Clark.....	..	15	
Thos. Armstrong.....	..	15	
Lawrence Schnepf.....	..	15	

Anna O'Grady.....	drunk	10	10
Martin Rae.....	..	10	
25—Laura Kimbark.....	..	10	5
26—Joseph Wisner.....	..	10	5
Julia Clark.....	..	10	
Irving J. Lancaster.....	false pretenses, cost	2	
John G. McCathron.....	vio. ord.	5	5
Ann McCormick.....	drunk	10	
James Bol-y.....	..	10	
28—John Streb.....	..	10	5
John Bliss.....	..	10	10
Chas. Rapp.....	..	10	5
Barbara Hersch.....	..	10	
Mary Gilbert.....	..	10	
Josephine Valcore.....	..	10	5
Albert H. Chase.....	hotel fraud	cost	3
Chas. Jones.....	drunk	10	
James O'Neil.....	..	10	
29—Elizabeth Rozlavy.....	..	10	
Mary E. Belgrave.....	..	10	
Mary McFarlin.....	..	10	
Chas. Wilson.....	..	10	5
Chas. O.....	..	10	5
30—George Dennis.....	..	10	
James Murphy.....	..	10	
31—Stephen Hunt.....	..	10	5
Geo. Howland.....	..	10	5
Dennis McCrone.....	..	10	5
Nicholas Risingel.....	assault	1	1
Sam'l B Ray.....	drunk	10	5
Joseph Bortfeldt.....	..	10	10
John Doe.....	cost	1	
Total.....			\$273

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester, ss:
 I, B. Frank Enos, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of January, 1884, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice and Police Commissioners of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.
 Sworn to before me this 19th day of January, 1884.
 A. G. WHEELER,
 Police Justice and Commissioner of Deeds.
 Ordered received, filed and published.
 By Ald. Hinds—

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER,
 Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 13, 1884.
 To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: The current Budget will exhaust the Fire Department Fund.
 At the commencement of the fiscal year, this Board made a requisition for this fund for \$90,000, but only \$75,000 was placed in the tax levy for the Fire Department. In order to place in commission the new company to be stationed on Lyell avenue, for which the building is now nearly ready, and to meet the demands of the whole department for the fiscal year, the balance of the requisition (\$15,000) will be required.
 The Executive Board respectfully request you to make the necessary provision.
 Respectfully submitted,
 GEO. B. HARRIS, Acting Clerk.
 Ordered received, filed and published.
 By Ald. Hinds—

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 13, 1884.
 To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: The balances to the credit of the following funds is:
 Police Fund.....\$2,862 80
 Contingent Fund.....1,933 72
 Lamp Fund.....957 69

To meet the Finance Budget of this meeting, together with the regular demands of March 1st, I would recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution.
 Very respectfully,
 A. C. McGLACHLIN, City Treasurer.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to issue the city's notes for the sum of \$32,500, under authority of section 81, City Charter, said notes to be discounted and the credit thereof placed as follows:
 Police fund.....\$6,000
 Contingent fund.....12,000
 Lamp fund.....7,000
 Fire Department fund.....7,000
 City Property fund.....500
 \$ 32,500

Discount to be charged to Contingent Fund. Said notes to be countersigned by chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinis, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

CAMERON STREET PIPE SEWER.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Cameron street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$814.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Cameron street, from the sewer in Lyell avenue to a point opposite the south line of Myrtle Hill park. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$814, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Cameron street, from Lyell avenue to the south line of Myrtle Hill park.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Wednesday evening, March 5th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON CAMERON STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Cameron street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$136.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk 4 feet 8 inches in width on the east side of Cameron street, from Lyell avenue to Myrtle Hill Park.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$136, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on the east side of Cameron street, from Lyell avenue to Myrtle Hill Park.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are hereby required to attend the Common Council, on Wednesday evening, March 5th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

OPENING AND EXTENDING SKUSE PARK.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of opening and extending Skuse park.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,740.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The opening and extension of Skuse park, from the present eastern terminus thereof, to North avenue, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor, is described as follows, viz. : A certain lot of land 22 feet wide and 100 feet deep, situated opposite the end of Skuse park, and owned by Louis C. Lange. Also, a strip of land 5 feet wide and 100 feet deep, situated north of, and adjoining the first described property, and owned by the heirs of Valentine Brasch.

And, Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,740, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

All that portion of the 14th ward lying between Kirk street and the New York Central and Hudson River

Railroad. Also, all that portion of the 6th ward bounded on the north by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, on the east by North avenue, on the south by Atwater street, and on the west by Chatham street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Wednesday evening, March 5th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, tabled, until the next meeting.

ADAMS STREET IMPROVEMENT.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of improving Adams street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$7,900.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The improvement of Adams street, from the west curb line of Plymouth avenue to the east curb line of Caledonia avenue, by constructing a Macadam pavement on a quarried stone foundation, with Medina stone gutters on each side thereof, and resetting the curb stones when necessary. Width of roadway between curb-lines to be of the present width, viz. about 35 feet.

Also the necessary crosswalks, surface sewers and manholes; also the cleaning of the main sewer in the street.

And, Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$7,900, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Adams street, from Plymouth avenue to Caledonia avenue.

And further, Resolved, That the tax-payers to be assessed for making such improvement may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Wednesday evening, March 5th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN BRIGHTON AVENUE.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, that the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Brighton Avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$364.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer 9 inches in diameter in Brighton Avenue, from the sewer in Goodman street to a point 60 feet east of Rowley street.

Also, the necessary lot laterals, surface sewers and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$364, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Brighton Avenue, from Goodman street to a point 40 feet east of Rowley street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Wednesday, March 5th, 1884, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance for the improvement of Tappan street came up.

Ald. Pitkin presented a remonstrance and

moved that action on the ordinance for the improvement of Tappan street be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The final ordinance for the improvement of Mt. Hope avenue came up.

On motion of Ald. Rice action thereon was postponed until the second regular meeting in April next.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following was in order:

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening and extension of Syke street, be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held on the 19th day of February, 1884, at 6 o'clock, p. m. Adopted."

Ald. Kelly moved that action be further postponed until the next meeting. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Strouss moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and that the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

David Bruce, Asa W. Russel, Erastus U. Ely and A. S. Francis, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Collins moved to proceed to appoint a police commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr. was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved that further voting for police commissioner be postponed until the next regular meeting.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Simmelink—Whereas, The entire cost of opening and extending Hayward park has been ascertained to be the sum of (\$1,252) twelve hundred and fifty-two dollars, therefore,

Resolved, That all persons interested in the matter of the ordering of an assessment for the opening and extending of Hayward park be heard as to the same at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, March 5th,

and that the City Clerk cause to be published a notice of said hearing as provided by section 190 of the City Charter. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink moved that action on the ordinance for a plank walk on North Linden street be reconsidered. Adopted.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the ordinance was indefinitely postponed.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Mendelsohn vocal society of Rochester be granted the use of the City Hall for the purpose of giving their final concert of the season, the same to take place on the evening of Tuesday, May 27th; said organization to pay into the treasury of the city an amount sufficient to cover the expense of lighting, cleaning, &c., &c. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Lamp Inspector be and he is hereby directed to ascertain the number of public lamps, gas and oil each, displaced by electric lights; also the number of public lamps (gas, oil and electric,) now in use, the quality and strength of the same, and report to this Board at the next regular meeting. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of Adam Bernhard for permission to erect a wood building on Moore street. Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Foley—Whereas, It is a matter of very great importance to the people of this city that the waters of Hemlock Lake should be kept pure and wholesome.

Resolved, That the president of this board appoint a committee to consist of five members of this board and five citizens, which committee shall consider and report to the Common Council from time to time the necessary steps to be taken for the preservation of the purity of said waters.

On motion of Ald. Foley tabled and action postponed until the next meeting.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and hereby is authorized, to receive \$418.22, less discount, for Manhattan street improvement assessment, on lots 95 and south part 96, assessed to Henry S. Ballou, and charge balance to erroneous assessments, in pursuance of Assessors' certificate. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and hereby is authorized, to receive one dollar from William Richards, in full for Jones street sewer tax ordinance, No. 2,390, on west part lot No. 218, Frankfort Tract, east side Jones street, in pursuance of Assessors' certificate, and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the treasurer be and hereby is authorized to receive one dollar in full from Joseph Bailey for Jones street sewer, ordinance No. 2,390, on east part of lots 259 and 260 Frankfort tract, west side of Jones street in pursuance of assessors' certificate and charge balance to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the city treasurer be and he is hereby directed to cancel the assessment against lot — south side West avenue, under ordinance No. 2,263 and charge amount of \$56.13 to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots Nos. 7 and 8 of the Worcester sub'n, pt. Rapids tract, south side Violetta street, 8th ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal Outlet sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore, Resolved, That the property described in a certifi-

ate from the Assessors, dated February 19, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$28, less discount in pursuance of said certificate.
Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1884. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to C. Barsdale, viz:

Lot No. 8 of Worcester sub'n, pt. Rapids tract, south side of Violetta street, 8th ward, 40 feet front, 40 feet rear and 122 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Genesee Valley Canal Outlet Sewer tax No. 2263, the sum of \$29, upon the payment of which, less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.
(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 19, 1882. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 7 of the Arnold Tract, Melgs street, 7th Ward, was assessed for General City Tax for 1871, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Feb. 19, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$7.37, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.
Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 19, 1884. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Ransom H. Miller, viz:

Lots No. 7, 9, 10, e. pt. 11, w. pt. 12, 13, 14, Coddings's sub'n Tract, north side of Trac park, 7th Ward, 195 feet front, 195 feet re.r., and 36 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of General City Tax for 1871, the sum of \$7.97, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.
(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 19, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 7 of the Arnold tract, Melgs street, Seventh ward, was assessed for Vincent place bridge tax under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Feb. 19th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$2.77, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.
Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 19, 1884. }

A. C. McLaughlin, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the assessment rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to Ransom H. Miller, viz:

Lots No. 7, 9, 10, east part 11, west part 12, 13 and 14, Coddings Club tract, north side of Tracy park, Seventh ward, 185 feet front, 195 feet rear, and 36 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Vincent place bridge tax the sum of \$2.77, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.
(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON Assessors

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 19, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the use of the City Hall be granted to E. G. Marshall Post for the evening of March 11th next, for the purpose of a lecture to be delivered before said Post and the public. Adopted.

The President announced the following committee to confer with the Executive Board in relation to street sprinkling: Ald. Pitkin, Watson, Foley.

The Board then adjourned.

F. J. IRWIN, Clerk pro tem.

In Common Council—March 5th, 1884.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in the chair.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Felsing—1.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the last meeting, held February 19th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

F. N. Lord, disbursements.....	\$ 21 55
E. D. Smith, stenographer, City Attorney's office.....	60 00
C. A. Brady, investigating water account.....	195 00
A. W. Mudge, hack hire.....	8 00
Henry Selter, picture frames.....	7 95
Widauson & Higbie, stationery.....	24 60
G. P. Bailey, stamp ribbon.....	15 05
J. R. Fanning, expenses city cases.....	20 37

Referred to Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Mary P. Sammons in relation to an assessment on personal property. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Archer presented a petition for cleaning the sewer in Oakman street, and moved that the surveyor be directed to prepared an ordinance. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented a petition for public lamps in Evergreen street. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of Frank Ritter for the extension of water mains in the Fifth ward. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board to report at the next meeting.

Ald. Strouss presented a petition for the removal of the street car turn-table at the junction of Central avenue and Clinton street. Referred to the Executive Board.

By Ald. Jeffords—bills of

J. W. Maser, lighting oil lamps for February..	\$ 939 10
Brush Electric Light Co. II. lighting	3,538 80
Rochester Gas Light Co. less overcharge	743 46
P. W. Kuttruff, lamp pots	171 15

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Foley presented petitions of J. W. Buckley, John J. Lutweller, Silas D. Bashford, Christian Ernst, E. A. Jones, Richard Baker and V. J. Whitmore for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the wood building committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Bills of

Fleckenstein Bros., bread.....	\$ 202 84
N. Kirchoff, bread.....	72 08
J. D. Whipple & Co., beans.....	19 88
Jae. Bathorn, meat.....	25 00
Casper Fromm, meat.....	468 53
Henry Hedditch.....	75 00
Geo. Baker.....	100 00
C. W. Gray, groceries.....	98 26
Smith, Perkins & Co., groceries.....	82 50
L. J. Hall & Bro., groceries.....	48 75
E. J. Kechn, shoes.....	118 80
Leo Stadler.....	39 60
B. O'Reilly, burials.....	86 00
Geo. E. Stillson.....	2 00
A. W. Mudge.....	25 00
J. Z. Culver & Co., rent.....	10 00
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	528 25
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	70 81

Referred to the Poor Committee.

Ald. Hinds presented the petition of Hugh Robinson for permission to erect a wood building on Smith street and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented petitions of George C. Schulz and Henry Siebert for permission to remove and erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under the supervision of the Executive Board and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Southard Presented petitions of Richard Loritz, Charles Rolf and David Hansan for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under direction of the wood building committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of Patrick Barrett for permission to erect a wood building on Stillson street. Referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal with power to act.

By Ald. Kelly—Bill of

A. Metcalf, soft soap.....	\$ 3 00
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Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee, presented the bills of
 Bennett & Schaffner, chair..... \$ 10 00
 A. Schifner, repairing furniture..... 10 5
 H. H. Warner, safe, h'dqrs..... 100 0
 B. Frank Enos, expenses, Feb..... 124 54

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Collins from the Contingent Expense Committee, Ald. Kelly from the City Property Committee, Ald. Jeffords from the Lamp Committee and Ald. Foley from the Poor Committee, reported favorably the several bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Kelly—

To the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: In pursuance of a resolution of your board your City Property Committee have advertised for proposals for furnishing illuminating gas for the City Hall and Front street building, and received the following:
 Municipal Gas Light Co.....\$1.80 per M
 Rochester Gas Light Co..... 1.80

As the price is the same your committee recommend that the contract be awarded to the Municipal Gas Light Co. to furnish illuminating gas to the City Hall and Front street building during the ensuing year.

J. MILLER KELLY,
 CHAS. WATSON,
 Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—

To the Common Council:
 GENTLEMEN: Your Lamp Committee, to which was referred a petition for electric lights in Phelps avenue, hereby report that—

Two electric lights will be required, expense.....	\$ 328 50
Thirteen gas lights displaced.....	325 00
Increase in expense.....	\$ 3 50

Your committee recommend that the Brush Electric Light Co. be directed to place two electric lights in Phelps avenue, to be located by the Lamp Committee, and erected as they shall direct.

C. A. JEFFORDS,
 J. MILLER KELLY,
 J. A. HINDS,
 Committee.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN:—Your charter amendment committee submits for your consideration herewith some proposed charter amendments. The reasons for this action are as follows:

Section 137, 159 and 160 proposed to be amended were in the exact language here given, approved as proposed charter amendments by the Common Council last year. Such amendments passed the Senate but failed to pass the Assembly at the session of 1888. The amendment reported of section 137 is intended to correct an evident mistake in the section as it now reads. As such section now reads the amount to be raised for the repair of school houses only constitutes four funds, namely: teachers' fund, contingent fund, building fund and repair fund, while the intention was, or at least should have been, to divide the amount necessary to be raised for school purposes into said four funds.

The proposed amendments to sections 159 and 160 are intended to give additional power to the city of Rochester and to impose additional facilities with reference to the protection of the waters of Hemlock and Canadie lakes and the water works property. In view of the necessity of keeping the waters of said lakes pure, and of preventing the interference on the part of unauthorized persons with hydrants, valves, etc., it is believed that the proposed change will be of material benefit.

Section 254 as it now stands provides that there shall be a clerk and deputy clerk in the municipal court, each of whom shall be paid a salary of \$600 per annum. It is found that one clerk can at present perform the clerical duties in said court, and it is proposed to change the section so that the clerk of the court shall be paid a salary of not less than \$600 nor more than \$1,200 per annum, and if it shall become necessary to appoint a deputy clerk he shall be paid a salary of not less than \$300 nor more than \$600 per annum, except that if a clerk and deputy clerk shall both be appointed the aggregate salary of such clerk and deputy clerk shall not exceed \$1,200 per annum. The section as it now stands fixes the salary of each of the judges of the court at \$1,800 per annum. It is proposed to so change the section as that the common council shall fix the salaries of the judges in the same manner as the salaries of other officers are fixed, but that the salaries of such judges shall not be less than \$1,800 nor more than \$2,000 per annum. The municipal court, as at present constituted, is a court of very high character and one which is giving universal satisfaction. Such court saves to the city of Rochester by decreasing the amount of business in the county and supreme courts a large amount of money. The court fees are received by the city of Rochester. These fees go a long way toward paying the expenses of the court, and your committee is of the opinion that the common council should be at liberty to fix the salaries to be paid to the judges and clerk of said court within the limits above referred to.

Respectfully submitted,

AMON BRONSON,
 GEO. W. ARCHER,
 J. B. SIMMELINK,
 Committee.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Senator and Assemblymen from this county be and hereby are requested to urge the passage by the Legislature of the following proposed charter amendments:

AN ACT to amend an act entitled, "An Act to further amend chapter one hundred and forty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-one, entitled 'An Act to amend and consolidate the several acts in relation to the charter of the City of Rochester,' and to consolidate therewith the several acts in relation to the charter of said City," passed February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty.

The People of the State of New York, in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The charter of the City of Rochester as amended and established by chapter fourteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty, entitled "An Act to further amend chapter one hundred and forty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-one, entitled 'An Act to amend and consolidate the several acts in relation to the charter of the City of Rochester,' and to consolidate therewith the several acts in relation to the charter of said City," passed February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 137. It shall be the duty of the Common Council within fifteen days after receiving the certificate of the Board of Education hereinbefore required, of the sum necessary or proper to be raised for school purposes to determine and certify to said Board of Education the amount that will be raised by them for the year commencing on the first Monday of September thereafter, for the purposes mentioned in said certificate, distinguishing between the amount to be raised for teachers' wages, contingent expenses and the repair of school houses. The amount raised for school purposes shall consist of four separate and distinct funds, namely: teachers' fund, contingent fund, building fund and repair fund; and in case the Common Council shall neglect or fail to certify to the Board of Education the amount that will be raised by them, within thirty days, as above specified, then the said Common Council shall raise the several amounts embraced in the certificate of the Board of Education, as specified therein, which amount shall be subject to the disposal of the Board of Education.

§ 2. Section one hundred and fifty-nine of said chapter fourteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 159. Any person who shall wilfully do, or cause to be done, or who shall, by any work, or by the erection of whatsoever, erected or used by the city of Rochester for or in connection with the Water Works of said city, shall be impaired or injured, or shall divert, draw down or diminish the water of Hemlock or Canadice lakes without authority of law, or shall in any way interrupt or prevent the flow of water through the water mains, pipes or service of said works, or shall throw, deposit, place, cast, pass or cause to be passed, cast, placed, deposited or thrown into the waters of said Hemlock or Canadice lakes, or into any reservoir, conduit, aqueduct or pipe belonging to said works, any dead animal, ordure, or deleterious, offensive, filthy, impure, or obstructing matter, thing or liquid, or any part of any of the above described matter, thing or liquid so that the same may be washed, carried or flow into either of said lakes, or into any conduit pipes or aqueduct supplied with water therefrom, shall be liable to the city of Rochester in a penalty not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, which penalty the said Executive Board, or its successors in office, for and in behalf of the city of Rochester, may sue for in a civil action. The said acts, or any of them, are hereby also declared to be a misdemeanor, and the person so offending may be prosecuted therefor, and on conviction shall be punished by a fine not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, or imprisonment of not exceeding one year, or both; but the penalty in a civil and also in a criminal action shall be in addition to the above.

§ 3. Section one hundred and sixty of chapter fourteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 160. Any person who shall, without the consent of the Executive Board, its authorized agents or successors in office, tap, open or connect with any water pipe, or open any hydrant, or stop or stop up any connection with said water works, or make any extension of existing service pipes, whereby increased quantities of water are or may be used, without said consent, or shall leave open any valve, faucet, stop cock or other fixture for continuous flow of and through which there shall be continuous flow beyond what may be necessary for actual use, or the purposes required in connection with such hydrant, valve, faucet, stop cock or other fixture, shall be liable to the city of Rochester in a penalty not exceeding two hundred dollars, which penalty the Executive Board, or its successor in office, for and in behalf of the city of Rochester, may sue for and collect in a civil action. The said acts, or any of them, are hereby also declared to be a misdemeanor, and the person so offending may be prosecuted therefor, and on conviction, shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding two hundred dollars, or imprisonment of not exceeding one year, or both, but the penalty in a civil action, and also in a criminal action, shall not be enforced for the same offense.

§ 4. Section two hundred and fifty-four of said chapter fourteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 254. Said judges shall each be paid in monthly payments an annual salary of not less than eighteen hundred dollars, nor more than twenty-five hundred dollars; and shall receive to their own use no fees or other compensation for services as judges of said court. Said clerk shall be paid in monthly payments an annual salary of not less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars, and if it shall become necessary to appoint a deputy clerk, he shall be paid in monthly payments an annual salary of not less than three hundred dollars, nor more than six hundred dollars, except that if a clerk and deputy clerk shall be appointed, the aggregate salary to be paid to them shall not exceed twelve hundred dollars, and said judges, clerk and deputy clerk shall receive no fees or other compensation for services as judges, clerk or deputy clerk of said court, except as is above provided. The salaries of said judges, clerk and deputy clerk shall be fixed by

the common council in the same manner that other salaries are fixed.

§ 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

Ald. Foley moved to receive, file and publish and that action be postponed. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Assessment Committee, to which was referred the petition of David M. Haskins, respectfully report:

That lot 9 and the east part of lot 10 of B. Klem's subdivision of a part of the Boody farm, on the north side of East Main street, owned by Mr. Haskins, were sold by the Treasurer March 29, 1883, for the general city taxes of 1882, said tax including assessments for Goodman street opening, grading the Hair property and the East Main street walk, and was struck off to Catherine C. Seymour for \$194.46. These lots, we find, were erroneously assessed for said local improvements. Mr. Haskins is willing to pay the amount of the general city tax for 1883, namely \$34.33. We also find that these lots are erroneously assessed for the East Main street improvement. Your committee therefore recommends the adoption of the following resolutions.

A. BRONSON,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Assessment Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to cancel the assessments on lot 9 and the east part of lot 10 of B. Klem's subdivision of a part of the Boody farm, assessed to David M. Haskins, for East Main street improvement, Goodman street opening, grading the Hair property, and East Main street walk, and charge erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to receive from David M. Haskins, the owner of lot 9 and the east part of lot 10, of B. Klem's subdivision of a part of the Boody farm on East Main street, the sum of thirty-four dollars and thirty-three cents, with interest at 7 per cent from the date of sale, said sum of \$34.33 being the city tax on said lot for the year 1882, with interest and expenses of sale. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the City Clerk draw an order on the Treasurer in favor of Catharine C. Seymour, for \$194.46, with interest at 12 per cent, from March 29, 1883, that being the amount paid by her for certificate of sale of lot 9, and the east part of lot 10, of B. Klem's subdivision of a part of the Boody farm, said lots being sold March 29, 1883, for general city tax of 1882, together with various assessments for local improvements, said sum to be payable from the contingent fund and the Treasurer to charge said sum to erroneous assessments.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

Your Assessment Committee to which was referred the petitions of Henry Rice & Co., and Mary A. Van Ingen, respectfully reports: The petitioners in both cases were assessed for personal property in the assessment roll for 1883; neither of them received the usual notice to appear before the assessors to make alterations against the assessment, and the petitioners have satisfied your committee that they have no personal property subject to taxation. We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolutions.

AMON BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treas-

urer be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to cancel the assessment against Mary A. Van Ingen for personal property, for general city taxes of 1883, amounting to \$33.18, and charge the same to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to cancel the assessment against Henry Rice & Co. for personal property, for general city taxes of 1883, amounting to \$27.65, and charge the same to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your committee on the opening and alteration of streets, to which was referred the petition for the extension of Skuse park, report that after a careful examination of the subject and hearing the parties interested, have directed the Surveyor to prepare an ordinance for the extension of said park in accordance with the instructions of the committee, as to the territory deemed benefited and proper to be assessed therefor, which ordinance will be presented in the regular order. Your committee also recommend that action on the ordinance for extending Skuse park, presented at the last meeting and tabled, be indefinitely postponed. All of which is respectfully submitted,

J. T. SOUTHARD,
GEO. W. ARCHER,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Committee.

The report was adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 5, 1884.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR FEBRUARY, 1884.

Cornelius R. Parsons, Mayor.....	\$75 00
Amrose C. McGlachlin, Treasurer.....	375 00
H. F. McGlachlin, assistant.....	166 66
Edward Thomas, clerk.....	83 33
Chas. M. Beattie, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's Office.....	66 66
J. Y. Elias.....	100 00
John N. Becklev, City Attorney.....	350 00
G. F. Slocum, Clerk, City Attorney's office.....	31 66
Geo. C. Worth.....	45 00
Wm. J. Burke.....	40 00
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor.....	208 33
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office.....	125 10
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office.....	91 66
Wm. W. Race.....	75 00
Amrose Redman.....	60 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office.....	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office.....	70 00
Wm. M. Re-baz, Jr., draughtsman.....	80 00
John Gorton, City Assessor.....	208 33
V. Fleckenstein.....	208 33
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court.....	150 00
Geo. E. Warner.....	150 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk.....	50 00
F. N. Lord, City Clerk.....	166 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger.....	100 00
Jarvis Lord, 2nd, City Clerk's Office.....	50 00
Charles Little, Engineer City Hall.....	75 00
John O'Leary, Watchman City Hall.....	75 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal.....	100 00
Peter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building.....	70 00
A. H. Martin, milk inspector.....	66 66
Wm. C. Gray, inspector of elevated tracks.....	75 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. N. Becklev, expenses and disbursements.....	\$59 00
W. W. Osgoodby, stenographer, services.....	38 10
T. R. Griffith.....	10 00
Francis A. Schoffel, serving papers.....	68 25
Stephen W. Stott, services Groves case.....	50 00
Charles Carroll, serving notices.....	38 00
J. Y. Johnson, stationery, City Attorney's office.....	38 50
Williamson & Higbie, stationery, City Attorney's office.....	47 58
A. C. McGlachlin, disbursements.....	292 14
Union and Advertiser Co., printing Treasurer's Office.....	127 50
Union and Advertiser Co., registers, &c.....	117 50
John C. Moore, blanks, Treasurer's office.....	21 20
Western Union Telegraph Co.....	6 46
W. L. Buckland, hack hire.....	36 00
Chas. A. Brady, services investigation water works up to date.....	195 00

B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch March 5..... 15 00
And charge that fund.

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR FEBRUARY, 1884.

N. Thompson, overseer.....	\$11 66
J. H. McGreor, Clerk.....	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk.....	75 00
Geo. Hartel, Clerk.....	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk.....	75 00
Dr. J. J. A. Burke, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. A. L. Perry, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Julius Schmitt, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. J. C. Harrington, City Physician.....	50 00
Dr. Thos. Spencer, City Physician.....	50 00
D. Henry Koch, City Physician.....	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner.....	75 00
C. Herzberger.....	75 00
James P. Evans.....	75 00
Maurice Mownihan, clerk.....	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Frederick Odenbach, bread.....	\$ 85 44
Geo. Opel, bread.....	23 52
Curran Bros., meat.....	25 00
John Fischer, meat.....	25 00
Joseph Howard, rent.....	3 00
Geo. S. Thompson, rent.....	36 00
Smith, Perkins & Co., groceries.....	834 42
Smith, Perkins & Co., pork (3 bills).....	247 50
F. J. Amsden, transportation.....	3 24
R. S. Lewis.....	28 24
M. Heavey.....	37 50
A. W. Mudge, burials.....	6 50
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR FEBRUARY, 1884.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer.....	\$ 75 00
Geo. Messmer, Register.....	66 66
John N. Harder, Inspector.....	50 00
Otho Griswold, Inspector.....	50 00
Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Sontey, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Heindl, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	38 58
Joseph Thomson.....	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector.....	50 00
Messenger.....	83 35

And charge that fund.

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

PAY ROLL FOR FEBRUARY, 1884.

Edward Maher, lamp inspector.....	\$75 00
Charles R. Finnegan, Superintendent electric wires.....	50 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Citizens' Gas Light Co., lighting and care, for February.....	\$2,279 00
Citizens' Gas Co., resetting pipes.....	9 20
J. W. Maser, lighting oil lamps for February.....	959 10
And charge that fund.	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Walter Williamson, labor and material.....	\$ 49 43
C. C. Brownell, repairing and painting weights and measures.....	25 00
Smith, Perkins & Co., soap and mops.....	4 00
A. Schiffler, repairing furniture.....	4 50
Chas. Little, monthly cleaning.....	88 00
And charge that fund.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

PAY ROLL FOR FEBRUARY, 1884.

A. G. Wheeler, salary for Feb., 1884.....	\$ 300 00
Frederick Zimmer.....	83 33
Jacob Howe, Jr.,.....	83 33
Alex. M'Lean.....	130 00
Ferry Marzluff.....	85 00
Samuel Brown.....	85 00
Thos. Lynch.....	85 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.....	85 00
P. C. Kavanaugh.....	85 00
Thos. A. Burchill.....	55 00
Henry Baker.....	85 00
Chas. M' Cormick.....	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth.....	85 00
John M. Hayden.....	75 00
John H. Dana.....	75 00
Wm. H. White.....	75 00
Ed. Van Voorhis.....	75 00
Thos. Dukelow.....	75 00
John C. M'Quatters.....	75 00
Fred. Griebel.....	75 00
John M. Reis.....	75 00
Frank B. Allen.....	85 00
W. R. M'Arthur.....	75 00
Hugh Clark.....	75 00
Jacob Frank.....	75 00
John Wangman.....	75 00
John Monaghan.....	75 00
Geo. Hofner.....	75 00
Chas. Stetford.....	75 00

Frank S. Skuse.....	75 00
George Long.....	75 00
Joseph Baker.....	75 00
Daniel Goulding.....	105 00
Hugh Johnston.....	105 00
Michael Cain.....	75 00
Joseph P. Cleary.....	103 33
Wm. Keith.....	100 00
Benj. C. Furrnerer.....	85 00
Nicholas J. Loos.....	85 00
John B. Davis.....	85 00
John A. Baird.....	85 00
Mich. Hyland.....	75 00
Older Ouver.....	75 00
Ralph Bendon, 29 days.....	72 50
Andrew Connouy.....	75 00
Robt. Burns.....	75 00
Jacob Harter.....	75 00
Wm. P. O'Neil, 29 days.....	72 50
John Mitchell.....	75 00
Ed. McDonough.....	75 00
Jos. St. Hellen.....	75 00
Wm. M. Kervey.....	75 00
Michael Brady.....	75 00
Chas. E. Fowler, 5 days.....	12 50
Robert Sloan.....	75 00
John Dean.....	75 00
Samuel Schwartz.....	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson.....	75 00
Wm. Burgess.....	75 00
James P. Fry.....	75 00
Charles W. Peart.....	75 00
Chas. Hart.....	75 00
Wm. Laragy.....	75 00
Michael Hyne.....	75 00
Henry D. Shove, 26 days.....	82 00
Louis Notz.....	75 00
Peter Hess.....	75 00
Oliver A. Youle.....	75 00
Frederick Kippbut, 28 days.....	70 00
Hiram Rogers, 24 days.....	60 00
John G. McDermott.....	75 00
Patk. J. Cummings.....	75 00
Benj. L. Stanton.....	75 00
Patk. Canfield.....	75 00
Patk. Culligan.....	75 00
Jerome P. Dowd, 28 days.....	70 00
Wm. Murray, 26 days.....	70 00
Michael Englert.....	75 00
John Sullivan.....	75 00
Dennis Hogan.....	75 00
James E. Ryan.....	75 00
John Yaman.....	75 00
Mich. Zimmerman.....	75 00
Geo. H. Kron.....	75 00
George Liese.....	75 00
Henry Baker, Jr., 29 days.....	72 50
Mich. Fitzpatrick, 29 days.....	72 50
Wm. Hillard.....	75 00
Fred'k Walter.....	75 00
Ed. O'Laughlin.....	75 00
George Bietzer.....	75 00
George Mohr.....	75 00
John A. Wallace.....	75 00
Geo. Kieley.....	75 00
Thos. Crouch, 4 days.....	10 00
John H. Mason.....	75 00
Ed. J. O'Brien.....	75 00
Jacob Markey.....	65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.....	125 00
B. Frank Enos, orders by H. D. Shove And charge that fund.....	18 00

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, March 3, 1884.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment; as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Kondoff Brothers, ice in office.....	\$ 8 10
J. E. Pierpont, broken glass at ice gorge.....	95 21
D. Armstrong & Co.,.....	4 50
J. G. Luttweller.....	2 10
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	7 57
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	\$117 48

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Feb. 28.....	\$126 50
March 6.....	140 00
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	\$ 266 50
Geo. B. Hayes, est. No. 3, cast iron pipe.....	3,169 02
Silas J. Wagoner, est. No. 2, drawing pipe.....	166 67
Geo. B. Harris, paid freight on pipe.....	62 19
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	\$3,664 38

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay rolls, Feb. 28, operating ex- penses.....	\$ 515 20
Weekly pay rolls, Feb. 28, service and repairs.....	307 50
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Weekly pay rolls, March 6, operating expenses.....	520 20
Weekly pay roll, March 6, service and repairs.....	311 50
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	831 70
Kondoff Brothers, ice bills.....	43 20
T. J. Neville, office expenses.....	7 75
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	19 06
Stone & Campbell, oats and mill feed.....	49 00
Geo. B. Harris, paid for straw.....	10 85
L. T. Lidster, stove and pipe.....	20 00
National Meter Co., repairs to meters.....	29 80
Holley Man'g Co., machinery.....	124 52
E. H. Cook & Co., work and material (P. house)	27 86
Schmidt & Kaelber, thermometer H. Lake.....	5 00
Wm. Bassett, labor and material.....	1 60
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay.....	16 23
Henry Kuhn, land in Richmond.....	400 00
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	2,409 27

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Zimmer & Schwan, wagon and repairs to ap- paratus.....	\$ 160 10
John B. Teller, labor and material.....	20 00
C. B. Finnegan, apparatus Hose Co. No. 2.....	14 80
A. Tegz, difference in horses.....	100 00
A. Tegz, use of horses.....	42 00
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay.....	31 45
Christian Muhl, bills hay.....	58 41
Stone & Campbell, mill feed.....	2 00
Citizens Gas Co, gas bills.....	29 40
Bell Telephone Co., labor and material.....	11 00
Sargent & Greenleaf, repairs.....	2 00
John Walsh, labor and material.....	14 62
Electrical Supply Co., vitrol.....	169 47
John Cook, supplies.....	17 20
Young & Backall, zincs.....	11 25
Frank B. Handy, labor, fire tel. (2 bills).....	24 00
John A. Vanderwerf, extra work and material Lyell avenue station.....	578 90
Howe & Snyder, furnace, bath tub, etc., Lyell avenue station.....	419 00
Wm. Bassett, labor and material, fire tel.....	5 90
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	\$1,711 59

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Wat-
son, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds,
Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly,
Simmelink—15.

On motion of Ald. Jeffords the lamp inspec-
tor was granted further time to report as di-
rected by resolution at the last meeting.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By Ald. Pitkin—

ROCHESTER, March 5, 1884.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your committee appointed to confer with the Executive Board in relation to the subject matter of sprinkling streets by ordinance respectfully report that they have held a conference with the Executive Board and have mutually agreed to make the following recommendations to the Common Council: Improved business streets no ordinances for sprinkling shall be passed by the Common Council except a majority petition be filed therefor as in cases of other improvements.

The reason of this recommendation is, that from such information as have come to this committee, we are satisfied that such ordinances have heretofore been adopted in cases where, if the wishes of the majority of the taxpayers had been consulted, they would not have received their approval. We are also informed and believe that gravel and McAdam improvements, particularly on streets which are considerably shaded are seriously softened and injured by standing water.

Second—The Executive Board have consented, and your committee approve of the plan, that on streets sprinkled by ordinances where parties retain and pay for a hose attachment, they shall not be required to pay the two and one-half (2½) cents per foot for the water used for sprinkling the street in front of their premises under the ordinance for sprinkling, but that in all other cases the water will be charged for at the rate of 2½ cents per foot frontage when sprinkled by carts.

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. PITKIN,
CHARLES WATSON,
JOHN FOLEY,
Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—

To the Hon. the Common Council.

GENTLEMEN: The special committee to which was referred the report of the Commissioners in the matter of the proposed new street from Reynolds to Seward street hereby report.

Your committee has examined the premises and property proposed to be taken in said matter, and also heard and duly considered the allegations of all parties appearing and is of the opinion that the award of \$2,500, to Eliza J. Caldwell is excessive and for that reason that the report of the said commission should not be affirmed.

A. BRONSON,
JNO. B. SIMMELINK,
Special Committee.

Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening of a new street from Reynolds to Seward street be and hereby is set aside. Adopted.

Ald. Foley moved that action on the final ordinance for opening a street from Reynolds street to Seward street, adopted July 10th, 1883, and published at page 140, current proceedings, be reconsidered. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the ordinance for the opening of a street from Reynolds street to Seward street be amended so as to read as follows, viz.: "The opening of a street 50 feet in width, extending from Reynolds street to the rear of the Colwell property, and 25 feet in width from the rear of, and along the north side of, and adjacent to the Colwell property, to Seward street. The centre line of said street where 50 feet in width, and the south line of said street where 25 feet in width, to be the south line of the Strong Tract."

Adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 6th, 1884.

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law.

1. Monthly report, showing the expenditures by this Board, for all purposes, during the month of February, 1884.

2. Monthly statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of this Board on the 29th day of February, 1884.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, CLERK.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures made by the Executive Board for all purposes, during the month ending February 29, 1884.

Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.

Executive Board orders for labor... \$ 5,317 98
Water Works transfers, to correct errors, omissions and over-charges in Water Works tax rolls of 1882-83... 1,068 47
Common Council orders passed Feb. 5 and 19... 26,197 81

Total..... 32,584 26

CLASSIFICATION.

Highway fund..... \$ 7,270 68
Water Pipe fund..... 13,056 48
Water Works fund..... 5,274 87
Fire Department fund..... 6,299 28
Salary and expense fund..... 683 00
Local Improvement funds..... 50 00

Total..... \$32,584 26

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board on February 29, 1884.

Dr. Balances: Local Improvement Funds..... 63,927 80
Sidewalk Repair funds..... 2,009 95

Total..... \$65,937 75

Cr. Balances:

City Treasurer..... \$ 27,560 91
Highway Fund..... 1,595 59
Water Pipe Fund..... 10,172 96
Water Works Fund..... 17,892 58
Water Works Fund (Special)..... 1,515 47
Fire Department Fund..... 6,006 29
Salary and Expense Fund..... 1,694 96

Total..... \$65,937 75
Ordered received, filed and published.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 3, 1884.

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by resolution of your honorable Board:

1. Consolidated Pay-rolls of the Street Department for the month of February, 1884.

2. Consolidated Pay-rolls of the Water Works Department for the month of February, 1884, including operating expenses, service and repairs and water pipe extension.

3. Copy of Monthly Pay-roll of the Fire Department for the month of February, 1884.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

STREET DEPARTMENT PAY ROLL.
FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1884.

Name.	Kind of Service.	Time.	Price.	Am't.
Anthony, John	laborer	6 1/2 days	1 25	7 82
Andrews, C. W.		9	1 25	11 25
Brown, Jacob	laborer	13	1 25	16 25
Bowes, Patrick		5	1 25	6 25
Boylan, Patrick		8 1/2	1 25	10 69
Boyer, Hugh		6	1 25	7 50
Ball, Patrick		8	1 25	10 00
Buschalic, Chas.		19 1/2	1 50	29 25
Buschalic, Henry		16 1/2	1 25	20 32
Buckley, Thomas		16 1/2	1 50	24 87
Bauerlein, Peter		18 1/2	1 37 1/2	25 44
Butler, James		14	1 25	17 50
Bauer, John		20 1/2	1 50	30 75
Bergan, John		22	1 50	33 00
Burbott, Geor.e		17	1 50	25 50
Bien, Conrad		10 1/2	1 25	13 45
Brown, James		5 1/2	1 25	6 87
Burke, Wm.		4	1 25	5 00
Butler, Thomas		1	1 25	1 25
Birmingham, John		9 1/2	1 25	11 88
Bauerlein, Char.es		17 1/2	1 25	21 88
Baumgarten, Peter		2 1/2	1 25	3 13
Bergan, Ferdenand		3 1/2	1 25	4 38
Ballman, Andrew		14 1/2	1 25	18 13
Bulz, Adam		6	1 25	7 50
Barry, Michael		3	1 25	3 75
Barker, William		3	1 50	4 50
Beycrwald, John		3 1/2	1 25	6 63
Ballman, Henry		1	1 25	1 25
Baird, William		2	1 25	2 50
Blakeslee, James		2	1 25	2 50
Breweller, Adam		3	1 25	3 75
Connors, Lawrence		8	1 25	10 00
Culligan, John		5 1/2	1 25	6 88
Clancy, Michael		2	1 25	2 50
Caverish, Joseph		11	1 25	13 75
Clancy, James		5	1 25	6 25
Callihan, Dennis		3	1 25	3 75
Carroll, Dennis		5	1 25	6 25
Costello, John		7	1 25	8 75
Cotello, John		7	1 50	10 50
Carroll, Francis		2	1 25	2 50
Connors, Michael		10	1 25	12 50
Callihan, Thomas		1	1 25	1 25
Cosgrove, Patrick		5 1/2	1 25	6 88
Connor, Robert		8 1/2	1 25	10 62
Conell, Joseph		10	1 25	12 50
Cheeseman, George, inspecting street signs		14 1/2	2 00	29 00
Cleary, Michael		1	1 25	1 25
Coughlin, William		3	1 25	4 50
Callahan, Michael		5	1 25	6 25
Conheady, Patrick		7 1/2	1 25	9 38
Connors, E. M.		4	1 25	5 00
Collack, Gottfried		5	1 25	6 25
Coller, Adam		1	1 25	1 25
Cunneen, John		3	1 25	3 75
Daly, James		3	1 25	3 75
Daly, John 1st,		10	1 25	12 50
Dwyer, John		6	1 25	7 50
Daly, Pat'k 1st,		7	1 25	8 75
Donovan, David		7	1 25	8 75
Dougherty, Martin		6 1/2	1 25	8 13
Delaney, Patrick		5	1 25	6 25
aus, Louis H. clerk		4 weeks	6 75	27 00
Dowd, Geo. M. insp. of wks		24	2 00	48 00
Daly, Michael laborer		4 1/2	1 25	5 84
Dietrich, Andrew		4	1 25	5 00
Daly, Patrick 2d,		6	1 25	7 50
Darrow, Jacob		3 1/2	1 25	4 38

Daly, John 2d.	1	25	1 25	McGillick, John	39 1/2	1 25	4 00
Eisenhauer, John	28	1 50	34 40	McGrady, Owen	5	1 25	6 25
Ermentraut, Chas.	18 1/2	1 50	28 87	McKinney, Bernard	3	1 50	4 50
Eler, Henry	4 1/2	1 25	6 72	McCusker, Michael	2	1 50	3 50
Eaton, Edward	2 1/2	1 25	3 12	McGorry, Joseph	1	1 25	1 25
Edmunds, Robert	1/2	1 25	63	Moore, J. H. Insp. of w'lks.	24	2 55	54 00
Ewing, Richard foreman	8 1/2	2 00	17 50	Mulligan, James, laborer	10	1 25	12 50
Frettel, Jos.	22-7 weeks	21 00	90 00	Moore, Samu-1	19 1/2	1 50	29 25
Frankenberger, J. laborer	9 1/2 days	1 50	14 63	Mulqueen, Mich.	6 1/2	1 25	8 12
Frank, Nicholas	10	1 25	12 51	Murphy, Par ck	5	1 25	6 25
Fogarty, Patrick	1	1 25	8 75	Muldoon, William	13	1 25	13 75
Falconer, Alexander	1	1 25	1 25	Mulryan, John	6	1 25	7 50
Franklin, Joseph	20	1 25	25 00	Miller, Joseph	8	1 25	10 00
Flynn, Mathew	2	1 25	2 50	Maloney, Michael	3	1 25	3 75
French, Elijah	4	1 25	5 00	Mensier, Herman	2	1 25	2 50
Fitzpatrick, John	10	1 25	12 50	Marrinan, Patrick	1	1 25	1 75
Fuchs, Peter	9	1 25	11 25	Manchen, Jacob	3	1 25	10 00
Frobel, August	7 1/2	1 50	2 25	Meyer, Adam	21	1 50	31 50
Frobel, August	7 1/2	1 25	9 38	Maloney, Pat'k	3	1 25	3 75
Fitzgerald, Michael	2	1 25	2 50	Marshall, Chas.	2	1 25	2 50
Gieb, John	24	1 50	36 00	Moore, Chas.	2	1 25	2 50
Geib, Jacob	17 1/2	1 50	26 25	Meyer, Henry	1	1 25	1 25
Gallagher, Domentca	3	1 25	6 25	Mulligan, Michael	3	1 25	3 75
Gleason, Wm.	3	1 25	3 75	Needham, Thomas	3	1 25	3 75
Gaertner, Adam	2 1/2	1 25	3 13	Nunnold, Joseph	9	1 25	11 25
Garvey, James	6	1 25	7 50	O'Nell, Daniel	2	1 25	2 50
Gilchaut, J. B.	4	1 25	5 00	Otzel, John	10 1/2	1 25	13 13
Gill, John	4	1 25	5 00	Pyne, John	5	1 25	6 25
Giligan, Joseph	3	1 25	3 75	Peiner, John	4	1 25	5 00
Gakoon, John	3	1 25	2 50	Pagelo, John	4	1 25	5 00
Guthre, Michael	8	1 25	10 00	Phelan, Wm.	5	1 25	6 25
Gallagher, Jas.	1	1 25	1 25	Popp, Vincent	3	1 25	3 75
Greentree, Wm. foreman	8 1/2	2 00	17 50	Potter, Wm.	1 1/2	1 25	1 88
Gluck, August laborer	4 1/2	1 25	5 94	Quathroch, J. foreman	3 1/2	2 00	7 00
Gorman, Thos	2	1 25	2 50	Quethenback, C. laborer	9 1/2	1 25	11 88
Holahan, James foreman	26	3 00	73 00	Reeder, Peter carpenter	15	2 00	33 00
Harris, Geo. B. clerk	4 weeks	16 30	65 50	Rood, Jason laborer	23	1 50	33 50
Harty Joseph. laborer	2 days	1 25	9 25	Ryan, Michael	3	1 25	3 75
Hunt, George	7	1 25	8 75	Rittenbacher, Martin	12	1 50	18 00
Hunt, William	6	1 25	7 50	Roth, Henry	23 1/2	1 50	34 13
Hepter, Adam	5	1 25	6 25	Ryan, Thomas	8	1 25	10 00
Hennesy, Patrick	9 1/2	1 25	11 88	Roche, Martin	1	1 25	1 25
Hogan, Michael	10	1 25	12 50	Reynolds, G.H. sup't of st's.	4 weeks	3 25	133 00
Hoiden, Edward	3	1 25	2 50	Rossney, Ed. foreman	26 days	8 00	73 00
Hawkins, John	13	1 25	16 25	Russell, M. S.	16 1/2	2 00	33 50
Hennesy, John	4	1 25	5 00	Reilly, Mich'l, laborer	2	1 25	2 50
Hickey, John	13	1 25	16 25	Reynolds, H. laborer	4	1 25	5 00
Hanaman, John	4	1 25	5 00	Ragan, Lawrence.	11	1 25	13 75
Hauck, John	1	1 25	1 25	Rahr, Albert laborer	2	1 25	2 50
Hinkofer, Frank	39 1/2	1 25	4 69	Rake, Wm	1 1/2	1 25	1 50
Harrison, James	3	1 50	4 50	Raks, Henry	1 1/2	1 25	1 88
Belman, John	2	1 25	2 50	Raschki, John	2 1/2	1 25	3 13
Haag, Louis	6 1/2	1 25	8 13	Rubal, Adam	1	1 25	1 25
Hetzgi, John	1 1/2	1 25	1 88	Rossiter, Thos.	1	1 25	1 25
Horn, Charles	5 1/2	1 25	6 88	Reyey, Daniel	4	1 25	5 00
Hukey, John	1	1 50	1 50	Steinhaus, W. J. clerk	4	1 25	5 00
Hayes, Michael	1	1 25	1 25	Stenzel, Chas. laborer	13 (days)	21 10	84 40
Hamilton, John	9	1 25	11 25	Sullivan Jeremiah	20	1 50	30 00
Hildebrand Herman	1	1 25	1 25	Sullivan, John	1	1 25	1 25
Johnson, George	2	1 50	3 00	Sullivan, Andrew	8	1 25	10 00
Kase, John B., carpenter	24	2 25	54 00	Sweetman, Rich'd	5	1 25	6 25
Kratt, William, toolman	4 2 (wks)	11 50	49 29	Stecke, John	5 1/2	1 25	6 88
Kilpeck, Martin, laborer	24 days	1 50	36 00	Smith, John	5	1 25	6 25
Kelly, Michael	1	1 25	1 25	Smith, Fred	2	1 25	2 50
Konler, Frederick	1	1 37 1/2	1 25	Smith, Michael	9 1/2	1 25	8 13
Kostab, Herman	11 1/2	1 50	17 62	Siebert, Henry	4	1 25	5 00
Knorr, John	1	1 25	1 25	Scheuer, Adam	10	1 50	15 01
Kelly, John, 1st	14 1/2	1 25	18 12	Splan Thomas	6	1 25	7 50
Kelly, John, 2d	1	1 25	1 25	Seitz, Henry,	6	1 25	7 50
Kinney, Thomas	11	1 25	13 75	Schultz, Charles,	6	1 25	7 50
Kelly, Patrick	1	1 25	7 50	Snaus, Frank,	4	1 25	5 00
Kirny, Robert	18	1 25	22 50	Schindler, Charles	7	1 25	8 75
Khun, Peter	1	1 25	1 25	Sherman, Bure	5 1/2	1 25	6 87
Kilpeck, Barthol.	13	1 25	16 25	Scuy, James,	2 1/2	1 25	3 13
Kelly, Edward	2	1 25	2 50	Sharp, John foreman	1	2 00	2 00
Knob, August	1	1 25	2 50	Shelan, James laborer	1 days	1 25	25
Keebe, Edward,	5 1/2	1 25	6 88	Thomas, John W,	2 1/2	1 25	3 13
Kraemer, Eugene,	3	1 25	26 25	Tobel, Michael,	7 1/2	1 25	9 35
Knob, John,	4 1/2	1 25	5 63	Tierney, P. H., Insp. of walks	2	2 00	4 02
Lueltry, Chas.,	13	1 25	16 25	Turner, Charles, laborer.	2 1/2	1 25	1 83
Leonard, John	2	1 25	2 50	Tucker, Wm. H.,	1	1 25	11 20
Lavis, John,	2	1 25	2 50	Underhill, Geo., bridge tender	5-7 week	11 51	19 7
Lapense, August	4	1 15	5 00	Varley, Michael, laborer	4 1/2 days	1 25	6 5
Laden, Andrew	1	1 25	3 15	Van Buskirk, John.	8	1 25	10 00
Lane, Lawrence	2 1/2	1 25	1 25	Welch, James,	4 1/2	1 25	5 63
Lawrence, Wm.	1	1 25	1 25	Weiser, John,	6	1 25	7 50
McMahon, M. J. Insp. of w'lks.	26	2 55	58 50	White, John,	1	1 25	1 25
Mcintyre, Wm., laborer.	21	1 50	31 50	Weingaertner, Chas.	1 1/2	1 25	62
McMahon, John,	23	1 25	28 75	Wyland, J. L., sst. fareman	1	1 50	1 50
McCarthy, Wm.,	3	1 25	3 75	Westbury, James, laborer	9	1 25	11 25
McInerney, John,	6 1/2	1 25	8 13	Wiand, Joseph,	6 1/2	1 25	8 44
McDermott, P.	2	1 25	1 25	Wunder, Jacob,	5 1/2	1 25	6 88
McHale, Michael,	2	1 25	2 50	Weissmiller, John,	1	1 25	1 25
McDonald, Patrick	7 1/2	1 25	9 33	Willis, James,	6	1 25	7 50
McLoughlin, Daniel	3	1 25	3 75	Weiss, Peter,	8	1 25	10 01
McLahon, Michael	1	1 25	1 25	Walter, Adam,	3 1/2	1 25	4 23
McCarthy, Hugh	10	1 50	15 00	Young, John,	1	1 25	1 25
McCarthy, John 1st.	2	1 25	10 63				
McCarthy, John 2d,	3 1/2	1 25	25 00	Brown, Thomas.	12 days	3 00	36 00
McGinn, Patrick	6 1/2	1 25	8 12	Heyer, Peter.	16	3 00	43 00
McMahon, Henry	3	1 25	3 75	Bradley, Patrick	11	3 00	33 00
McGinnis, James	2	1 25	2 50	Booth, K. A.	1	3 00	3 00

Commons, George.....	10	3 00	80 00
Crissey, George.....	10	3 00	30 00
Cole, George.....	10 1/2	3 00	31 50
Dirks, Wm.....	5	3 00	15 00
Donivan, Daniel.....	4	3 00	12 00
Eble, Joseph.....	11	3 00	35 00
Harty Peter.....	10	3 00	45 50
Kox, Wm.....	10	3 00	83 00
Hollis, Wm.....	7	3 00	21 00
Holahan, Thos.....	13	2 75	35 75
Hartel, Geo.....	8 1/2	3 00	25 50
Kennedy, Martin.....	8	3 00	24 00
Kennedy, John.....	11	3 00	33 00
Kelly, Dennis.....	11	3 00	33 00
Krug, Henry.....	13	3 00	39 00
Kreckman, Wm.....	11	2 75	30 25
Mason, Mart.....	8 1/2	3 00	25 50
Prince Peter.....	11	3 00	33 00
Roe, Rowland.....	16	3 00	48 00
Roe, Rowland.....	16	2 75	11 00
Ransom, John.....	11	3 00	31 50
Rossney, Patrick.....	11	3 00	33 00
Rickard, Robert.....	11	3 00	33 00
Roche, John.....	12	3 00	36 00
Smith, Hugh.....	12	3 00	36 00
Slattery, John.....	13	3 00	39 00
Ward, Frank.....	14	3 00	42 00
Walsh, Andrew.....	6	3 00	18 00
Zimmer, Wm. C.....	16	3 00	48 00
Total.....			\$4,089 89

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Consolidated.

PAY ROLLS FOR FEBRUARY, 1884.
Operating Expenses.

Names.	Service.	Time.	Amt.	Total
J. Nelson Tubbs, Chf. Engr.....	4 weeks	\$57 53	\$320 12	
J. J. Neville, clerk.....	4	34 52	138 08	
F. E. Witherpoon, clerk.....	4	23 01	92 04	
William N. Tubbs, clerk.....	4	19 13	76 73	
J. B. Davis, clerk.....	4	18 47	73 64	
F. D. Ayers, clerk.....	4	17 25	67 04	
P. H. Callahan, clerk.....	4	17 00	63 05	
Milton Rice, clerk.....	4	15 00	60 00	
A. Knobles, clerk.....	4	15 00	60 00	
M. W. Conway, clerk.....	4	15 00	60 00	
W. McCarthy, clerk.....	4	15 00	60 00	
Jam-s Madden, clerk.....	2 1/2	15 00	40 00	
F. C. Holbrook, clerk.....	4	12 00	48 00	
C. B. Schlager, clerk.....	4	12 00	48 00	
Louis Rice, clerk.....	4 1/2	6 75	27 00	
L. W. Deuis, clerk.....	4	6 00	24 00	
C. W. Barnes, clerk.....	4	6 00	24 00	
Geo. B. Harris, clerk.....	4	16 30	65 20	
S. C. McKay, foreman.....	4	26 85	107 40	
H. Jones, engineer pump house	4	28 76	115 04	
James Glavcy.....	4	23 01	92 04	
P. J. McCracken, helper pump house.....	4	13 81	55 24	
P. J. Healey, helper pump house.....	4	13 81	55 14	
D. S. Almsted, gate keeper.....	4	12 00	48 00	
W. Mengerink, gate keeper.....	4	12 00	48 00	
Alex. Gray, gate keeper.....	4	12 00	48 00	
Thos. M. Blossom, gate keeper.....	4	16 00	64 00	
R. Crennell, overseer. C. L.....	4	16 00	64 00	
Total.....			\$2,146 80	

Service and Repairs.

P. C. Fleming, machinist.....	4 weeks	18 00	72 00
L. T. Lidster, plumber.....	4	16 50	66 00
H. Weaver (Weber), insp'r taps.....	4	15 00	60 00
F. Curran, watchman.....	4	15 00	60 00
Wm. McCarthy, inspector.....	4	15 00	60 00
R. N. Warfield, fusher.....	4	15 00	60 00
W. Considine, inspector.....	5	15 00	75 00
W. H. Plant.....	4	15 00	60 00
C. N. Routier, service man.....	4	13 50	54 00
P. McKenna.....	4	13 00	52 00
J. Gallagher.....	4	12 00	48 00
P. Dick.....	4	12 00	48 00
Jas. Smith.....	4	12 00	48 00
M. Dubelbeiss, taps.....	4	12 00	48 00
J. King, service man.....	3 5-6	12 00	46 00
J. Rawlings, blacksmith.....	3 5-6	12 00	46 00
F. McKenna, tool man.....	3 5-6	11 50	46 00
G. F. Johnson, stable man.....	3 5-6	11 50	46 00
M. Schneider, service man.....	3 5-6	11 00	44 00
P. McKenna.....	3 5-6	11 00	44 00
A. Guinan.....	3 5-6	11 00	44 00
P. Burbott.....	3 5-6	11 00	44 00
Jas. Donlon.....	3 5-6	9 00	36 00
James Cox, laborer.....	28 days	1 50	42 00
T. Acton.....	6	1 50	9 00
J. Young.....	4	1 50	6 00
J. Pagelo.....	1	1 50	1 50
Total.....			\$1,265 50

Water Pipe Extension.			
Geo. W. Rafter, engineer.....	4 w'ks	30 50	122 00
W. N. Radenburst.....	4	30 50	122 00
T. H. Rogers, draughtsman.....	4	18 00	72 00
J. McMahon, inspector.....	4	18 00	72 00
W. A. Anderson.....	4	18 00	72 00
M. K. Gannon, pipe receiver.....	3	13 50	40 50
F. M. Hills, clerk.....	4	11 50	46 00
Total.....			\$246 50

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PAY ROLL THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1884.

Names.	Service.	Time.	Comp'y.	Amt.
L. S. Gibson, Chief Depm't.....	29 days			\$166 66
Sam'l Bemish, Ass't.....				100 00
Jas. Malcomb.....				50 00
F. A. Jaques, foreman.....		No. 1		75 00
Michael Lambert, driver.....				60 00
J. B. Teller, hoseman.....				60 00
Edward Colbert.....				60 00
Geo. A. Mumford.....				60 00
P. J. Hartel, foreman.....		No. 2		75 00
E. F. Tabor, driver.....				60 00
Charles Weaver, hoseman.....				60 00
J. H. Cagy.....	27 1/2			56 90
John McDermett.....	29			60 00
John P. Topham, foreman.....		No. 3		75 00
F. R. McCord, driver.....				60 00
Leo. White, hoseman.....				60 00
Andrew Nolan.....				60 00
G. F. Grettton.....				60 00
Fred. Howard.....				60 00
Fred. Cole, foreman.....		No. 4		75 00
Barney Kearney, driver.....				60 00
G. E. Baker, hoseman.....				60 00
Thos. Irwin.....				60 00
Edward Engel.....				60 00
Nicholas Oldfield, foreman.....		Extr.		75 00
Ralph Fendebury, pipeman.....				70 00
Edmund Barker, ass't.....				65 00
Charles Armstrong, driver.....		Prots		60 00
M. S. Butler.....				60 00
Joseph Drenel, driver.....				60 00
J. P. Forman, supt. hose.....		Dept.		70 00
G. E. Miller, ass't.....				60 00
C. F. Finnegan, Supt. tel.....				144 66
Joseph Ringstein, foreman.....		Hook 1		75 00
Thomas W. Rice, Tillerman.....				65 00
James Snelder, driver.....				51 00
P. O'Meara, ladderman.....				66 00
William Fogarty.....				60 00
Frank Huck.....				60 00
James Haycen.....				60 00
James Lynch.....				60 00
August Welgel.....				60 00
George Whitbeck, extra.....				60 00
William Boon, foreman.....		Hook 2		75 00
Chas. Whitbeck, driver.....				60 00
Frank Spears, tillerman.....				60 00
John McCormick, ladderman.....				60 00
Thos. Whitley.....				60 00
Edward Huck.....				60 00
John McCormick.....				60 00
Sharon Sherman.....				60 00
James Lynch.....	27 1/2			56 90
F. R. Parsons.....	21 1/2			44 50
Michael Fox.....				44 50
Total.....				\$3,510 62

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the City Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, March 5th, 1884.

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds, on the 5th day of March, 1884, as required by section 53 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education, Building Fund.....	\$ 70 97
..... Repair.....	44 25
..... C niment Fund.....	4,286 47
..... Teachers'.....	14,597 24
Fire Department Fund.....	6,386 03
Poor Department Fund.....	27,500 64
Police Department Fund.....	1,870 45
Comptent Fund.....	9,493 38
Highway Fund.....	1,733 32
Lawn Fund.....	3,362 92
Health Fund.....	1,477 53
City Property Fund.....	473 67
Park Fund.....	34 08
Water Works Fund.....	19,706 89
Water Pipe Fund.....	10,001 20
Salary and Expense Fund.....	1,695 54

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of March, 1884.

CHAS. H. STILWELL,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the City Attorney—

GENTLEMEN: In obedience to a resolution of your honorable body passed at a late meeting, directing me to report whether, in my opinion, the sureties on the bond of the City Treasurer are liable for the loss to the city caused by the failure of the City Bank of Rochester, I hereby state:

The question presented is not, by any means, free from doubt. A satisfactory determination of the question could only be made upon the statement of the facts agreed upon by all the parties concerned. As the facts relating to said matter are more or less in dispute, it is impossible to determine with certainty the question presented. I have given the matter referred to a very full and careful examination, and have come to the conclusions set out below:

Section 7 of the city charter provides that the treasurer, before he enters upon the duties of his office, shall execute and file with the Mayor a bond for a total sum of fifty thousand dollars, or such other sum as the Common Council may have fixed, with good and sufficient sureties, which bond shall be "conditioned for the faithful performance of all his duties as treasurer, and of all the duties imposed upon him by law in respect to the money, property and affairs of said city." In accordance with this section the bond of the treasurer was duly given. It was observed that the charter prescribes the language of the condition in the bond. The bond, as drawn, follows exactly the form as laid down by the charter.

On November 14th, 1882, the following resolution was adopted by the Common Council:

"Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to issue the city's notes for one hundred thousand dollars discount on the same to be charged to the Contingent fund; notes to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee."

In pursuance of this resolution ten notes of ten thousand dollars each, in the usual form were drawn by the Treasurer and countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee. One of said notes was discounted by the Flour City National Bank. The other nine were discounted by the City Bank of Rochester at a less rate of interest than that offered by any other bank. The City bank was not a city depository at the time. These notes were discounted on the fourth day of December, 1882. The following is a statement of the matters connected with such discounts down to the time of the failure of the City Bank: The discount on said bills was \$1,336.88, leaving available proceeds of the discounted paper \$93,663.12, for which the City Bank issued a draft on New York for \$23,950.00, and paid the Treasurer \$5,000 in currency and gave the Treasurer a cashier's check for the balance, namely, \$59,713.12.

The Cashier's check is the same in form as the one of which copy is hereafter given. On the sixth day of December the Treasurer surrendered to the City Bank said Cashier's check, and receiving from said bank five thousand dollars in currency and a Cashier's check for \$54,713.12. On the eighth day of December the Treasurer surrendered said last-mentioned Cashier's check and received from said bank ten thousand dollars in currency and a Cashier's check for \$44,713.12. On the 11th day of December the Treasurer surrendered said last-mentioned Cashier's check and received from said bank in currency \$4,713.12, and a Cashier's check for \$40,000. On the 13th day of December the Treasurer surrendered to the bank said last-mentioned Cashier's check, and in return received from the bank \$5,000 in currency and a Cashier's check for \$95,000. On the 18th day of December the Treasurer surrendered the Cashier's check last-mentioned and purchased drafts on New York to the amount of \$4,370.59, and received a Cashier's check for \$30,139.41. The drafts above-mentioned were duly paid by the banks on which they were drawn, leaving at the time of the failure, the claim of the city against the City Bank, the amount of said last-mentioned Cashier's check. Such Cashier's check is in the following words and figures, to wit:

No. 2,892. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1882.

City Bank of Rochester pay to the order of cash thirty thousand one hundred and twenty-nine and 41/100 dollars (\$30,139.41.)

H. C. FENN, Teller.

On the 19th day of December the City Bank failed, and the Treasurer has since held said last-mentioned cashier's check.

The foregoing statement of facts is admitted by all parties concerned, and the question as to whether the transaction of the City Bank was known to the Finance Committee or its chairman, and whether the course pursued with reference to said matters was in accordance with the custom which had previously obtained, is in dispute.

It is claimed that the acts performed by the Treasurer with reference to the discount of said notes and the collection of the proceeds of the discounts were outside of his duty as Treasurer, and that the sureties upon his bond are not therefore liable. I am of the opinion, however, that this claim has no foundation in fact. While the charter does not expressly and, perhaps, does not implicitly state that the Treasurer shall procure the notes or obligations of the city to be discounted, yet, when the note of the city is once issued, it becomes something of value which it is the duty of the Treasurer, as chief fiscal officer of the city, to retain, or part with only for a full and lawful consideration. It seems to me, at any rate, that when the notes made in pursuance of the resolution of the Common Council, have once passed from the hands of the Treasurer, or of any city official having charge of the same, that the proceeds derived from the sale or discount of such paper, and which comes into the hands of such treasurer, must be by him accounted for as the property of the city. And that, for the faithful performance of his duty, in so far as relates to the money, drafts or checks received as the proceeds of the discounts by the treasurer, the sureties upon his bond are bound by the condition therein. To illustrate: If the money, drafts or checks received as the proceeds of said discounts by the treasurer, by reason of his malfeasance had been lost, the sureties would have been bound upon their bond.

This brings me to the consideration of the serious question in this matter. The obligation which the sureties assumed was that the treasurer should faithfully perform his duties as such, and all other duties imposed upon him by law in respect to the money, property and affairs of the city, that for the faithful performance of his duty, in so far as above referred to faithfully perform his duties in the premises? If he did, the sureties are not liable; if he did not, they are liable. The condition that the treasurer shall faithfully perform his duties does not mean simply that he shall execute the duties of his office together with such other duties as shall be by law imposed upon him with honesty, but that he shall as well exercise reasonable care and diligence. If his duties were performed negligently, or improperly, or if his duty was violated from want of capacity or want of care then he did not "faithfully" perform his duty as stated in the bond. In other words, did the treasurer in acting under the terms of the resolution, as above described, act with reasonable care and prudence? Did he do this with an ordinarily prudent man of experience and skill in a responsible fiduciary office would have done under the same circumstances? If he did, I am of the opinion that the sureties would not be held liable for the loss. As will be seen the question whether the acts performed were prudent acts is a question of fact, not of law.

As far as upon this question any evidence showing or tending to show knowledge on the part of the Common Council, or of its finance committee, or any member of its finance committee, of that which was in fact done in this case prior to the 19th day of December, 1882, any concurrence with or assent to what was done, upon this important and material bearing as to the question of the liability of the sureties. But this again is a question of fact which I understand to be disputed.

In this case, and all others like it, the contract which the sureties made with the city (that is the bond) is the measure of their liability, and it is well settled that the courts will construe such an obligation strictly and favorably to the sureties so far as warranted by the terms employed.

It is conceded that the treasurer acted as he believed to be for the best interest of the city in this matter. His entire good faith and integrity of purpose has not been, and I do not believe will be, questioned whether a jury under the well settled rules of law, to which I have briefly referred, would say that the sureties on the treasurer's bonds should be held liable for the amount of the loss, even upon the facts which I have above summarized as conceded is, to my mind, a very serious question. If all the facts surrounding the transactions were all agreed upon it would be comparatively an easy matter to determine with reasonable certainty what the verdict would be. But such facts can only be established upon the trial of an action.

If the facts should be found to be that the course pursued by the treasurer was in accordance with a custom recognized and understood by the Common Council, or if the transaction relating to the proceeds of the discounts were held with reasonable certainty to be or assumed by the Common Council, or of the Finance Committee, or of its Chairman, this, in connection with the facts above given, as agreed upon, would, in my opinion, be a defense to an action upon the bond.

It will be seen that a definite answer cannot be given to the enquiry made. The question presented is one of fact as well as law. I have endeavored to state briefly the rules of law which I understand to be applicable to this case.

Respectfully submitted,
J. N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he hereby is directed to prepare an agreement between the city of Rochester and Ambrose C. McGlachlin, Thomas Brown, Jr., Asa T. Soule, Ambrose Cram and John W. Martin providing in substance that if the said city of Rochester shall accept 40 cents upon the dollar of the claim held by said city for \$30, - 129.41, growing out of the failure of the City Bank of Rochester, that such acceptance and the assignment or release of any interest held by the city in said claim against the City Bank of Rochester, or the receiver of the City Bank of Rochester, shall not be pleaded or proven as a defense of any action which may be hereafter brought by said city against said persons above named, or any of them, or their representatives, or their, or any of their heirs, executors or administrators, to recover any sum for which said persons, or any of them are on this date liable to said city upon the bond given on the second day of April, 1881, as security for the faithful performance of the duties of said Ambrose C. McGlachlin as treasurer of the city of Rochester, and all duties imposed upon him by law in respect to the money, property and affairs of said city as such treasurer, excepting, that the 40 per cent. of said claim which may be received by said city shall be treated as a payment by the Bank, and the liability, if the court shall hold any to exist, upon said bond, shall only be for 60 per cent. of said claim, and further providing that the acceptance of said 40 per cent. is with the consent of said persons, and that such acceptance shall not affect the liability of said persons, or any of them to said city for sixty per cent. of said claim; and further providing that the execution of said agreement on the part of said persons shall not prejudice or affect the rights, or be construed as the waiver of any rights which they or any of them now have in the premises. Said contract shall be approved by the City Attorney and the Chairmen of the Law and Finance Committees. And that if said agreement shall be duly executed by each of said parties, the mayor be and he hereby is directed to execute the same on the part of the city. It is further resolved, That if the aforesaid proposed agreement shall be duly executed by all of the parties hereinbefore named, the mayor is hereby directed to execute a release or assignment of all the interest, claim and demand of the city of Rochester against the City Bank of Rochester or the receiver of the City Bank of Rochester growing out of the discount of nine notes of \$10,000 each on the 4th day of December, 1882, which claim or demand amounts at this date to the sum of \$30,129.41, exclusive of interest, upon there being paid in cash into the city treasury 40 per cent. of the said claim, to wit, the sum of \$12,051.76, without thereby releasing any claim which the said city of Rochester has or may have against the sureties upon said bond for the balance of said claim. Adopted.

From the Excise Commissioners :

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester.

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule, commencing Feb. 1st, 1884 and ending Feb. 29th 1884, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, viz. beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains

a statement of all the money received during said month, viz.:

1884—Feb. 4.	
Haungs, Joseph, 100 Allen st.....	\$35 00
Donnelly, Charles F., 8 Central ave.....	50 00
St ehle, Leonard, 41 Central ave.....	50 00
Taylor, Minnie L., 168 North st.....	30 00
Davis, Mary, 60 Exchange st.....	30 00
Fien, John J., 48 Scramont st.....	50 00
Rice, Susan, 315 State st.....	50 00
Arlon Singing Society, North Clinton and Mari- etta sts.....	30 00
Lieders, Seigfried, 41, 48 and 45 N. Fitzhugh st..	87 00
Feb. 11.	
Jennings, Frank G., 18 stone st.....	50 00
Knapp, John O., 44 Caledonia ave.....	50 00
Holliger, Rudolph, 71 North Clinton st.....	6 00
Downey, Maria, 92 Exchange st.....	30 00
Duffy Bros., 52 South ave.....	66 00
Feb. 18.	
Becker, Henry L., 38 North St. Paul st.....	50 00
Normile, Henry, Lyell ave. and Cameron st...	50 00
Slattery, Patrick, 168 Plymouth ave.....	50 00
Begy, Louisa, Brown and Warehouse sts.....	30 00
Feb. 25.	
Koehl, Julius W., 55 Hudson st.....	50 00
Lehle, Jacob Jr., Bay and Miller sts.....	50 00

Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer..... \$ 983 00

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

Dated February 29th, 1884.

STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF MONROE, City of Rochester, ss

The undersigned, Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of February, 1884.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of February, 1884. MAURICE MOYNIHAN,
Commissioners of Deeds

Ordered, received, filed and published.
From the Overseer of the Poor—

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 5, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Overseer of the Poor of the city of Rochester, would respectfully report that during the month of February, he has relieved 439 paupers, which consists of 1,365 persons, in the following manner:

Orders on Poor Store.....	\$1,439 25
.. .. Coal yard.....	862 50
.. .. Undertakers.....	73 00
.. .. for transportation.....	9 86
.. .. Shoes.....	80 40
Total.....	\$2,465 01
Less amount charged towns.....	68 15
Total to city.....	\$2,396 86

All of which is respectfully submitted,
N. THOMPSON, Overseer of Poor.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Clerk :

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 5, 1884. }

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of the City Charter, I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath of office as prescribed by law: Erastus U. Ely, Asa W. Russell and David Bruce, Commissioners of Deeds.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 5, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of sec. 205 of the City Charter, I hereby report that the City Assessors have delivered to me the following Assessment Rolls, certified and sworn to as required by law.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Andrew street sprinkling.
 Clinton street sprinkling.
 Clarrissa street sprinkling.
 Court street sprinkling.
 East avenue sprinkling.
 Exchange street sprinkling.
 East avenue sprinkling.
 Franklin street sprinkling.
 Fulton street sprinkling.
 Fitzhugh (North) street sprinkling.
 Gibbs street sprinkling.
 Howell street sprinkling.
 Jones street sprinkling.
 Lake avenue sprinkling.
 Lyell avenue lift bridge approaches imp.
 Meigs street sprinkling.
 Mt. Hope avenue sprinkling (Sec. 1).
 Mt. Hope avenue sprinkling (Sec. 2).
 Monroe avenue sprinkling.
 Oakman street sprinkling.
 Park avenue sprinkling.
 Platt street sprinkling.
 Scio street sprinkling.
 South avenue (sec. 1) sprinkling.
 South avenue (sec. 2) sprinkling.
 St. Paul street (North) sprinkling.
 St. Joseph street sprinkling.
 West avenue sprinkling.
 Water street sprinkling.
 Allegations being called for and no person appearing—

Ald. Bronson submitted the following:
 By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That foregoing assessment rolls reported by the City Clerk be and they are hereby confirmed.

Adopted by the following vote:
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinls, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Keuy, Simmelnk—14.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

OPENING AND EXTENDING SKUSE PARK.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of opening and extending Skuse park.

Adopted.
 The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,700.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The opening and extension of Skuse park, from the present eastern terminus thereof, to North avenue, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefor, is described as follows, viz.: A certain lot of land 23 feet wide and 100 feet deep, situated opposite the end of Skuse park, and owned by Louis C. Langie. Also, a strip of land 5 feet wide and 100 feet deep, situated north of, and adjoining the first described property, and owned by the heirs of Valentine Brasch.

And, Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$3,700, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

All the territory enclosed within the following described boundary lines, viz.: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Hudson street, with the south line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. property, to the east line of lot number 28 of the Skuse Tract; thence southerly along the east line of said lot number 28, to the north line of a lot owned by the heirs of Valentine Brasch; thence easterly along the north line of said lot, to North avenue; thence southerly along the west line of north avenue, to the south line of lot number 31 of the Skuse Tract; thence westerly along the south line of said lot number 31, and in said line continued to the east line of Hudson street; thence northerly along the east line of Hudson street to the place of beginning.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Wednesday evening, March the 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at

the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN CHILD STREET.

By Ald. Smmelnk—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Child street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$517.

By Ald. Simmelnk—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Child street, from the sewer in Campbell street to a point 60 feet north of Wilder street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$517, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Child street from Campbell street to a point 60 feet north of Wilder street. And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, March 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN PINNACLE AVENUE.

By Ald. Smmelnk—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Pinnacle avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$932.

By Ald. Smmelnk—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Pinnacle avenue, from the center of Caroline street, to the west line of Bly street. Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$932, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of Pinnacle avenue, from Caroline street to Bly street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, March the 18th, 1884, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN HURON, HIBBARD, POPLAR, UNION AND ALEXANDER STREETS AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE.

By Ald. Simmelnk—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing pipe sewers in Huron, Hibbard, Poplar, Union and Alexander sts. and Pennsylvania ave.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$5,013.

By Ald. Simmelnk—Resolved, That the following improvements are expedient, viz:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Huron st., from the center of Scio st. to the center of Hibbard st.;

In Hibbard st., from the center of Huron st. to the center of Poplar st.;

In Poplar st., from the center of Hibbard st. to the center of Union st.;

In Union st., from the centre of Poplar st. to the center of Pennsylvania ave.;

And in Pennsylvania ave., from the center of Union st. to the center of Alexander st.

Also a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Pennsylvania ave., from the center of Alexander st. to the center of First ave.;

In Alexander st., from the center of Pennsylvania ave. to a point 100 ft. south of Central park;

And in Union st., from the center of Pennsylvania ave. to a point 235 ft. south of German st.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and report the same at \$5,013, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz:

One tier of lots on each side of the following named streets and avenues between the limits mentioned:

Pennsylvania ave., from Union st. to the center of First ave.;

Alexander st., from Pennsylvania ave to a point 100 ft. south of Central park;

Union st., from the center of Poplar st. to a point 225 ft. south of German st.;

Poplar st., from Union st. to Hibbard st.;

Hibbard st., from the center of Poplar st. to the center of Huron st.; and

Huron st., from Hibbard st. to Scio st. The difference in cost between a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter and a pipe sewer 16 inches in diameter in Huron st., to be assessed on the territory above mentioned, exclusive of Huron st.

And further, Resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvements may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll, and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last instalment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, March 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING FRONT ST.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Front street during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$376

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Front street, from East Main street to Central avenue, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$376, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Front street from East Main street to Central avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING PRINCE STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Prince street, during the season 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$419.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Prince street, from East avenue to East Main street, during the season of 1884.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$419, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, that the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

On tier of lots on each side of Prince street, from East avenue to East Main street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

SPRINKLING SOUTH ST PAUL ST. AND SOUTH AVE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling South St. Paul street and South avenue from East Main street to the centre of Comfort street, during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$623.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of South St. Paul street from East Main street to the centre of Comfort street, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$623, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of South St. Paul street and South avenue from East Main street to the centre of Comfort street.

And the clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

SPRINKLING NORTH ST. PAUL STREET, SEC. 1.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling North St. Paul street, Sec. 1, during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$492.00

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of North St. Paul street, from Main street to the center of Marietta street, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$492.00 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street, from East Main street to the center of Marietta street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING MEIGS STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Meigs street during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$431.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Meigs street, from East avenue to Monroe avenue, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$431, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Meigs street, from East avenue to Monroe avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised City Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, March 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

SPRINKLING EAST MAIN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling East Main street during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,000.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of East Main street from the center of East avenue to the east line of Goodman street, west of the N. Y. C. R. R. bridge, during the season of 1884.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,000, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said City is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of East Main street, from

the center of East avenue to the west line of Goodman street, west of N. Y. C. R. R. bridge.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March the 18th, 1884, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING EAST AND WEST MAIN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling East and West Main streets during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,100.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of East and West Main streets, from the Erie canal to the center of East avenue, during the season of 1884.

And, Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,100, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of East and West Main street, from the Erie canal to the center of East avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

STATE STREET SPRINKLING.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling State street during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$1,112.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of State street from the north line of Main street, to the center of Lyell avenue, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,112, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of State street, from the north line of Main street to the center of Lyell avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March the 8th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING LAKE AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Lake avenue during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$1,477.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Lake avenue, from the center of Lyell avenue to the north line of the Ninth ward, during the season of 1884.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,477, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Lake avenue from Lyell avenue to the north line of the Ninth ward.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, March the 18th, 1884, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING EAST AVENUE, SEC. 1.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor

ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling East Avenue, sec. 1, during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$320.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of East avenue from Main street, to the west line of Goodman street, south of East avenue, during the season of 1884.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$320, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of East avenue, from Main street to Goodman street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, March 18th, 1884, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING EAST AVENUE (SEC. 2)

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling East avenue (Sec. 2) during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$785.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of East avenue, from the west line of Goodman street, south of East avenue, to 400 feet east of Bates street, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$785, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of East ave., from Goodman street, to four hundred feet east of Bates st.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are hereby required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March the 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING EXCHANGE STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Exchange street during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$762.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Exchange street, from the south line of Main street, to the center of Edinburg street, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same \$762, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Exchange street, from Main street, to Edinburg street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March the 15th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

CENTRAL AVENUE SPRINKLING.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Central avenue during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$712.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Central avenue, from North avenue to State street, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$712, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further—That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Central avenue, from North avenue to State street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, March the 8th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted

SPRINKLING WEST AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling West avenue during the season of 1884.

Adopted.
The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$1,198.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of West avenue from the Erie canal to the center of Colvin street during the season of 1884.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,198 which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of West avenue, from the Erie canal to the center of Colvin street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, of section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend at the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March the 15th, 1884, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING CLINTON STREET, SEC. 1.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Clinton street (Sec. 1) during the season of 1884.

Adopted.
The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$716.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Clinton street from Monroe avenue to the centre of Marietta street during the season of 1884.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof and reported the same at \$716, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton street from Monroe avenue to the center of Marietta street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172, of the Revised Charter, of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March the 15th, 1884, at six o'clock at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING MONROE AVENUE.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Monroe ave, during the season of 1884.

Adopted.
The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$1,015.
By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Monroe ave., from Clinton st. to the west line of Nichols Park tract during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,015, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Monroe avenue, from Clinton street to the east line of Nicholas park tract.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Wednesday, March 18th, 1884, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

CLINTON PLACE SPRINKLING.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Clinton Place during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$309.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Clinton Place, from North avenue to Clinton street, during the season of 1884.

And Whereas, the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$309, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton place from North avenue to Clinton street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March 15th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING MILL STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Mill street during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$497

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Mill street, from Exchange place to Brown street, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$497, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Mill street, from Exchange place to Brown street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, March 15th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Franklin street, during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$370.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of Franklin street, from Main street to North St. Paul street, during the season of 1884.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$370, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin street, from Main street to North St. Paul street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March the 15th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

SPRINKLING ST. JOSEPH STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling St. Joseph street, from Clinton place to Herman street, during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$616.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The sprinkling of St. Joseph street, from Clinton place to Herman street, during the season of 1884.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$616, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of St. Joseph street, from Clinton place, to Sherman street.

And the City Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1830, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, March the 18th, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 567.

PLANK WALK ON CAMERON STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a plank walk on Cameron street, from Lyell avenue to Myrtle Hill Park.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a plank walk four feet 8 inches in width on the east side of Cameron street, from Lyell avenue to Myrtle Hill Park.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$165, which estimate is hereby approved and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the east side of Cameron street, from Lyell avenue to Myrtle Hill Park.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE—NO. 2, 568.

CAMERON STREET PIPE SEWER.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a 12-inch pipe sewer in Cameron street, from the sewer in Lyell avenue to a point opposite the south line of Myrtle Hill park.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Cameron street, from the sewer in Lyell avenue to a point opposite the south line of Myrtle Hill park. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and man-holes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$314, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Cameron street, from Lyell avenue to the south line of Myrtle Hill park.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 569.

PIPE SEWER IN BRIGHTON AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Simmelink the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Simmelink submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Brighton Avenue, from the sewer in Goodman street to a point 60 feet east of Rowley street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 9 inches in diameter in Brighton Avenue, from the sewer in Goodman street to a point 60 feet east of Rowley street; also the necessary lot laterals, surface sewers and man-holes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the as-

essment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$364 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Brighton Avenue, from Goodman street to a point 40 feet east of Rowley street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

The final ordinance to improve Adams street came up.

Ald. Bronson moved to postpone two weeks.

Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That objections to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners in the matter of the opening and extension of Syke street, be heard at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held on the 19th day of February, 1884, at 6 o'clock, p. m. Adopted.”

“Ald. Kelly moved that action be further postponed until the next meeting. Adopted.”

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Kelly moved that the report of the commissioners be confirmed.

Adopted by following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Simmelink—Whereas, The entire cost of opening and extending Hayward park has been ascertained to be the sum of (\$1,252) twelve hundred and fifty-two dollars; therefore,

“Resolved, that all persons interested in the matter of the ordering of an assessment for the opening and extending of Hayward park be heard as to the same at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, March 5th, and that the City Clerk cause to be published a notice of said hearing, as provided by section 190 of the city charter. Adopted.”

After hearing allegations, Ald. Simmelink moved that action be postponed two weeks.

Adopted.

Ald. Southard moved that the first ordinance for the opening and extension of Skuse park, which was tabled at the last meeting, be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

Ald. Foley moved that the resolution of Ald. Jeffords adopted November 27th, 1883,—page 254 of the current proceedings—relating to the Rochester Gas Light Company laying its mains through and along Plymouth Avenue, Genesee street, Strong street, Bartlett street and Frost Avenue be reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Foley moved that the resolution be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Whereas, The Common Council heretofore authorized the mayor to enter into a contract with the Rochester Gas Light company providing for the laying of gas mains in certain streets of the Eighth ward, which resolution is at pages 254 and 255 of the proceedings for the current year; and

Whereas, Said gas light company refused to execute the contract provided for by said resolution, and said resolution has been duly reconsidered and indefinitely postponed; and

Whereas, The Municipal Gas Light company

has since said refusal of said Rochester Gas Light company to execute said contract offered to execute a contract in the premises; therefore

Resolved, That the mayor be and he is hereby instructed to enter into a contract with the Municipal Gas Light company, to be drawn and approved by the city attorney, providing that said company shall lay its mains through and along Plymouth avenue, from the Genesee Valley canal bridge south to Genesee street; through and along Strong street, from Plymouth avenue to Francis street; through and along Bartlett street, from Plymouth avenue to Francis street, and through and along Frost avenue, from Plymouth avenue to Francis street; and that the city will for three years from the first day of July, 1884, obtain its light for said streets from said company at the current price per lamp per year paid for lighting other streets of the city with gas for said ensuing three years. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Watson moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

C. G. Hapgood, Fourth ward,

Wm. H. Clark, C. H. Clark and Cortland Annis, Seventh ward,

George C. Worth and William J. Burke, Ninth ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Foley moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Jacob Howe, jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—9.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to postpone voting for Police Commissioner until the next meeting. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That his honor the mayor be and he is hereby directed to execute a lease, on behalf of the city of Rochester, to E. G. Marshall post of the Grand Army of the Republic, for the period of five years at the nominal rent of \$1 per year, of such room or rooms as are now unoccupied in the city building on Front street, as may be set apart for such purposes by the city property committee of the common council. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Whereas, It is claimed that some member of the detective force of the police department of the city of Rochester has unlawfully interfered with the rights of citizens at or with reference to the late charter election, for the purpose of furthering the interest of some candidate; therefore

Resolved, That a committee of three members of this board be appointed by the president to make investigation as to said complaints, and as to any irregularities or improper actions by any member of said force, and report the facts to this board; and that said committee be and hereby is granted power to subpoena witnesses and to require their attendance upon the sitting of such committee. Adopted.

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By Ald. Rice—

To the Honorable the Common Council the City of Rochester :

GENTLEMEN: The owners of the property on Gregory street complain that an old, dilapidated frame building, situated on the south-east corner of Gregory and Poplar streets, has been permitted to stand without stone or other foundation, and is liable to fall and is a public nuisance and is a great injury to the interest of owners of property in the vicinity, the Fire Marshal is of the opinion that the building should be declared a nuisance and should be ordered taken down

WM. CARROLL, Fire Marshal.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Rice—Whereas, The Fire Marshal reports an old frame building on the corner of Gregory and Poplar streets as unsafe and liable to fall and a nuisance to the neighborhood; therefore,

Resolved, That said frame building be, and is hereby declared a public nuisance, and that the Fire Marshal give notice to the owners of said building to take down the same within ten days after a copy of this resolution shall be served on the owner or owners, and if they fail to take down said frame building, the Fire Marshal is directed to take down the same and report the expense to the Common Council, to be assessed on the land on which it stood, as per section 277, of the Revised City Charter. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of John W. Graves for permission to erect a wood building and moved that permission be granted under the direction of Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Whereas, much complaint has been made with reference to the obstruction of South St. Paul street near the corner of East Main street, by trucks, wagons and carts being loaded and unloaded in such locality,

Resolved, That the Executive Board be requested to cause said street to be kept open and free from obstruction. Adopted.

Ald. Bronson presented the petition of L. D. Watters for permission to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive \$37.90, less discount, for Goodman street sewer tax, on South part of lots 1, 2 and 3, Leak's Sub. part of Brooks & Smith Tract, west side Goodman street, assessed to Harriet C. Martin, and charge balance to erroneous assessments, in pursuance of Assessors' certificate. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to receive \$24.15, less discount, for Genesee Valley outlet sewer tax, on part of lots 48 to 50, east side of Ford street, assessed to Peter McMullen, and charge balance to erroneous assessments, in pursuance of Assessors' certificate. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 37 and 38 of the Caledonia tract, Edinburg street, Third Ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal Outlet sewer, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Feb. 20th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$31.15, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

(COPY.)

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 20, 1884.

A. C. McGlathlin, Treasurer.

SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883 to Elizabeth Leat, viz. :

Lots No. 37 west pt and 36 east pt Caledonia Tract, north side of Edinburg street, Third Ward, 44.6 feet front, 44.6 feet rear, and 117 feet deep; and that the owner of said property should pay as her portion of Genesee Valley Canal Outlet Sewer Tax, O. 2.263, the sum of \$31.15, upon the payment of which, less discount she will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON, Assessors

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 20th, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 1, 2 and 3 of the Leak's subdivision, part of Brooks & Smith Tract, west side Goodman street, 7th Ward, was assessed for Goodman street sewer, under one valuation and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated Feb. 23, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$31.73, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 23, 1884. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1883, to Loren R. Weeks, viz:

North part of Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Leak's subdivision, part Brooks & Smith Tract, west side Goodman street, 7th Ward, 35 feet front, 35 feet rear, and 112 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as portion of Goodman Street Sewer Tax No. 25.29, the sum of \$31.73, upon the payment of which, less discount he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 23, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Cobb tract, west side Alexander street, Seventh ward, was assessed for Alexander st. improvement, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated March 5th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$15.01, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE, }
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 5, 1884. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to William H. Gorsline, viz:

Part lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, Cobb tract, west side of Alexander street, Seventh ward, 5 feet front, 5 feet rear and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Alexander st. improvement sum of \$15.01, upon the payment of which, less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed.) WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON, Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
Rochester, N. Y., March 5, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.
By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the city clerk be directed to draw orders on the city treasurer in favor of the chairman of each of the boards of inspectors of election (including clerks) for (\$75) seventy-five dollars each in full for services as registrars and inspectors of the charter election of 1884, provided no objection is made by any inspector or clerk. Objection being made, the clerk is directed to

draw an order in favor of each claimant for his individual compensation, retaining from the same all proper charges against such inspectors; also an order in favor of each proprietor (except the city of Rochester) of places used for election purposes for the sum of (\$30) thirty dollars; also an order in favor of engines companies number 1 and 3 for the sum of (\$10) ten dollars each, and charge the contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

By Ald. Collins—

Whereas, the City Treasurer has received from the county of Monroe the sum of \$12.71 which pays for part bill of Frost & Co. for flowers furnished during 1883, and which should have been paid direct to Frost & Co.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, that the City Clerk draw an order on the Treasurer for \$12.71 in favor of Frost & Co. and charge Contingent Fund.

Ald. Kelly moved to refer to the law committee. Adopted.

Ald. Foley called up the following:

By Ald. Foley—Whereas, It is a matter of very great importance to the people of this city that the waters of Hemlock Lake should be kept pure and wholesome.

Resolved, That the president of this board appoint a committee to consist of five members of this board and five citizens, which committee shall consider and report to the Common Council from time to time the necessary steps to be taken for the preservation of the purity of said waters.

On motion of Ald. Foley tabled and action postponed until the next meeting.

On motion of Ald. Foley the resolution was adopted.

The chair announced the following committee to investigate the conduct of certain members of the detective force, Ald. Kelly, Foley, Pitkin.

Adjourned. FRANK N. LORD,
City Clerk.

In Common Council, March 7th, 1884.

CONVENED AS A BOARD OF CANVASSERS.

The clerk called the board to order.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Absent—Ald. Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Felsing, Rice, Aikenhead—6.

On motion of Ald. Kelly, Ald. Barron was appointed chairman.

The City Clerk submitted the certified statements of the Inspectors of Election for the several election districts of the city, of the votes received at the charter election held in the city of Rochester on the fourth day of March, 1884, the said certificates having been filed in the City Clerk's office as required by law. The board then proceeded to canvass the votes of the charter election held March 4, 1884, as appeared in the certificates filed in the office of the City Clerk, and determined as follows:

COMMON COUNCIL CHAMBER,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 7, 1884. }

State of New York, City of Rochester, ss.—We, the

undersigned, members of the Common Council of the city of Rochester, convened as a Board of Canvassers, do hereby certify that we examined the certified statements of the election of City and Ward officers held on the fourth day of March, 1884, filed in the office of the Clerk; and, according to said statements, we do certify and determine that the following named persons, having received the greatest number of votes, were duly elected to the several offices as herein respectively set forth:

CITY OFFICERS.

For Mayor, for the term of two years, Cornelius R. Parsons.

For Member of the Executive Board, for the term of three years, Byron Holley.

For Game Constable, for the term of one year, Henry Kodish.

WARD OFFICERS.

SUPERVISORS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

First Ward—Edward F. Sitwell.
Second Ward—George B. Wesley.
Third Ward—George Morgan.
Fourth Ward—Charles B. Ernst.
Fifth Ward—George Caring.
Sixth Ward—Abram Stern.
Seventh Ward—Charles C. Meyer.
Eighth Ward—James P. Tumilty.
Ninth Ward—Frederick E. Conway.
Tenth Ward—Bartholomew Keeler.
Eleventh Ward—John Brayer.
Twelfth Ward—D. Clinton Barnum.
Thirteenth Ward—James H. Brown.
Fourteenth Ward—Thomas Gosnell.
Fifteenth Ward—George J. Held.
Sixteenth Ward—Oscar F. Brown.

ALDERMEN FOR THE TERM OF TWO YEARS.

First Ward—William H. Tracy.
Third Ward—Amos Bronson.
Fifth Ward—Henry Kohinetz.
Seventh Ward—Charles A. Jeffords.
Ninth Ward—Frank S. Upton.
Eleventh Ward—Peter G. Slener.
Thirteenth Ward—Christian Sten.
Fifteenth Ward—J. Miller Kelly.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS FOR THE TERM OF TWO YEARS.

First Ward—John E. Durand.
Third Ward—Thomas McMillan.
Fifth Ward—Charles S. Cook.
Seventh Ward—Milton Noyes.
Ninth Ward—William J. McKelvey.
Twelfth Ward—Thomas H. Maguire.
Thirteenth Ward—Frederick C. Loebis.

CONSTABLES FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

First Ward—Frank H. Hovey.
Second Ward—Patrick H. Griffin.
Third Ward—William H. Groot.
Fourth Ward—Ferdinand Selfrid.
Fifth Ward—Joseph Kocher.
Sixth Ward—Lodovick F. Relyea.
Seventh Ward—James K. Foster.
Eighth Ward—John Daily.
Ninth Ward—William Daningburg.
Tenth Ward—George C. Lentner.
Eleventh Ward—Patrick H. McMahon.
Twelfth Ward—John Dart.
Thirteenth Ward—Henry Giescher.
Fourteenth Ward—Emil Beuler.
Fifteenth Ward—Andrew Wolf.
Sixteenth Ward—George Kimpel.

INSPECTORS OF ELECTION FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

First Ward—Thomas Brooks, Minmorris B. Sheldon,
2d, John A. Post, appointed.
Second Ward—John Tenity, James Lyons.
Third Ward—First district, Charles D. Evans, Hampden Hyde, Luke J. McGuire, appointed.
Third Ward—Second district, William R. Gregory, J. C. D. Curtiss.
Fourth Ward—Patrick H. Kelly, William Whitelocke, W. V. K. Lansing, appointed.
Fifth Ward—First district, Chauncey B. Dostxort, Michael K. Gannon, Frank E. Rowe, appointed.
Fifth Ward—Second district, Albert Ostrander, John Scheck, George H. Graham, appointed.
Sixth Ward—Geo. W. Enlehardt, Frank M. Killop.
Seventh Ward—First district—George R. Losey, John J. Bowen.
Seventh Ward—Second district, Wm. I. Hanford, George H. Brown, Jeremiah M. Deyo, appointed.
Eighth Ward—First district, Maurice Moynihan, Thos. H. DeLaney, James M. Niven, appointed.
Eighth Ward—Second district, Moses Furlong, Wm. H. Moore.
Ninth Ward—First district, Geo. H. Cummings, Michael L. Burk.
Ninth Ward—Second district—De Garmo Robbins, Charles F. Chappell.
Tenth Ward—Geo. W. Hatch, Emmet S. Ray, Joseph Carberry, appointed.

Eleventh Ward—First district, John C. Butler, Henry Weber.

Eleventh Ward—Second district, David R. Peirce, Peter Mensing.

Twelfth Ward—First district, Martin Russell, Elmer L. Oliver, Conrad Gaenzler, appointed.

Twelfth Ward—Second district, Philip Arnold, Chas. B. Franklin, Chas. W. Holland, appointed.

Thirteenth Ward—First district, John U. Gugelman, Conrad Kuehes, Peter Edelman, appointed.

Thirteenth Ward—Second district, George Beiner, Frederick Stade, Jr.

Fourteenth Ward—First district, John G. Skuse, Henry Keunzi.

Fourteenth Ward—Second district, Robert B. Swanton, August Wagner, Fred'k Wegman, appointed.

Fifteenth Ward—John H. Stephenson, Henry B. Effinger, Joseph Meyer, appointed.

Sixteenth Ward—First district, Isaac DeMallie, Fred. C. Holbrook, Wm. E. Buell, appointed.

Sixteenth Ward—Second district, Mathew Sem, Geo. Sturmer, Geo. Handel, appointed.

Sixteenth Ward—Third district, John A. La Force, Geo. Heckner, Robert A. Russell, appointed.

(Signed in duplicate.)

A. COLLINS,
MARTIN BARRON
AMOS BRONSON,
CHARLES WATSON,
JOHN H. FOLEY,
J. A. HINDS,
JAMES M. PITKIN,
JAS. T. SOUTHARD,
J. MILLER KELLY,
J. B. SIMMELINK.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—March 18th, 1884.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in the chair.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Rice, Southard, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the last meeting, held March 5th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, & C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

Union and Advertiser Co., blanks for Treasurer.	\$138 50
..... for Clerk.	125 50
John C. Moore, blanks and stationery.	120 33
C. E. Morris, stationery.	138 70
Steele & Avery,	233 85
J. F. O'Neil, blanks.	20 00
C. B. Denny, services on water works account.	185 00
S. W. Stott, services Attorney's office.	15 00
..... serving notices.	10 00
J. N. Beckley, disbursements.	44 10
Schmidt & Kaelber, instruments.	11 00
Rochester District Telegraph Co., services.	4 91

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Strouss presented a petition for a sewer in Harrison street. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Ald. Strouss presented the petition of Seth Green for the extension of the Holly water main to his premises on State street, and submitted the following:

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, March 13, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN—We respectfully recommend that the prayer of the annexed petition of Seth Green for the extension of a six-inch Holly water main to his premises on east side of State street be granted, as such extension will undoubtedly produce a large immediate revenue to the city, and will provide for other future connections to other adjacent business places.

Respectfully submitted,
BYRON HOLLEY,
Chairman Executive Board.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby directed to extend a suitable Holly water main along the east side of State st. to the premises of Seth Green, Esq., in accordance with his petition this day submitted to the Common Council, the cost of said extension not to exceed two hundred and twenty-five dollars, and to be paid from any moneys now or hereafter provided for the Water Pipe Extension Fund. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bill of
Municipal Gas Light company, for Feb. \$95 33
Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of John Cleveland for permission to move wood buildings on South Union street, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition for the sprinkling of Meigs street.
Referred to the Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Foley presented petitions of Joseph Newman, Mary Atkin, Benedict Deigert, Mary Burgman, Nicholas Bedenburg and John Abbs for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Foley for Ald. Archer presented a petition for a plank walk on St. Michaels street. Referred to the Improvement Committee.

Ald. Rice presented a petition for water in Benton street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Rice presented petitions for electric lights in South avenue and Hickory street. Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Rice presented the petitions of Joseph Roth, Andrew Hyde, H. G. Sauer, Joseph Miller and Alpha Gilman to erect a wood building and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of
Municipal Gaslight Co., gas city buildings. \$ 223 30
P. W. Kuttruff, torch. 1 25
W. G. Martens, clock Mayor's office. 43 00
Hayden & Havens, furniture, Mayor's office. 6 50
Geo. H. Nichols, painting. 2 10
Gahn & Bassett, labor and material. 238 36

Referred to the City Property Committee.
Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for a sewer in Carter street. Referred to the sewer committee.

Also a petition for opening a new street from Goodman street to Almeroth street. Referred to the committee on opening and alteration of streets.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of Luman Smith for permission to erect wood building. Referred to the wood building committee.

Also a petition for a sewer in Lincoln and Clifford streets. Referred to the sewer committee.

Ald. Hinds presented petitions of H. L. Fowler and Charles Wells, Sr., for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—
To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, residents and tax payers on North Kent street, in the city of Rochester, respectfully represent: That a few years ago they caused a sewer to be constructed in said street for drainage purposes, for which they were solely assessed; which assessment they paid.
Your petitioners allege that persons other than the owners of the property and situate on Oak street, have heretofore or are now engaged in constructing lateral

sewers into said sewer on Kent street without permission of the City of Rochester or the persons who were assessed for said sewer as aforesaid.

Your petitioners further represent that the capacity of said North Kent street sewer will not warrant the introduction of laterals from property situate on other streets.

Wherefore, your petitioners ask that the Sewer Committee and City Attorney be requested to take such action in the matter as may be just to your petitioners.

Rochester, March, 1884.
M. L. Tierney, Maurice Hayes,
Thomas Masou, John Welch,
John B. Groves, E. J. Conway,
Sarah C. Welch.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.
Ald. Barron presented the petition of Frederick Wurtz, Jr., for permission to erect a wood building on Evergreen street, and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of
Mary Weist, rent \$ 10 00
Sophia Brock, rent 16 00
F. M. Harvey, 9 00
Jas. Howard, 2 50
Zimmer Bros, meat 25 00
John McDonald, meat 25 00
A. L. Morris, 75 00
P. Kleinhaus, 50 00
Henry Martin, groceries 27 50
C. F. Marks, 13 75
M. Gannon, 21 25
T. J. Kennig, 25 50
A. M. Semple, 121 95
Hamilton & O'Connell, groceries 37 50
Bender & Shuman, burials 30 50
P. Joyce, 30 50
Gerling Bros., flour 458 51
Smith, Perkins & Co., sugar 110 35
Geo. Oppel, bread 24 60
S. B. Stewart & Co., coal 234 31
E. W. Tripp, ice 5 25
Mary Flannigan, board 12 00
F. J. Amsden, transportation 60 98

Referred to the Poor Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee; Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee; Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp Committee; Ald. Felsing, from the Poor Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Pitkin, from the Police Committee, presented the bill of Chas. G. Davis, painting at police headquarters, 25. 17.

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Jeffords—
To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester.

GENTLEMEN: According to the resolution adopted by your honorable body on the 12th of February, 1884, I herewith submit the following report:

The total number of lamps now in use by the following companies is as follows, viz.:

Municipal Gas Co.	55
Rochester Gas Co.	672
Citizens' Gas Co.	1, 089
Oil lamps,	1, 540
Electric Light Co.	275

The electric lights have taken the place of and discontinued 1, 441 lamps. Respectfully yours,
E. A. MAHAR, Ins.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Strouss— ROCHESTER, March 18, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: Your Water Works Committee and the Executive Board, to whom was referred the petition of Frank Ritter for the extension of a water pipe from St. Paul street down to the flats on the east side of the Genesee River and north of Vincent place, respectfully report:

That there are 6 dwelling houses now constructed and occupied on said flats and some material has been delivered and work done toward the erection of a manufactory near the east bank of the river.

From the indications presented it is believed that the

extension of the said pipe would be a proper and prudent operation for the city and one that the owners have a right to expect and demand, provided said owners shall first either legally dedicate to the city the streets through which the pipe is proposed to be extended or furnish satisfactory evidence that the dedication has been made, so that the pipe shall not occupy private property; that the several lots shall be subject to the three cent water tax in case the water is not used; or that said owners shall execute an indenture granting a right of way or easement for said pipe and containing if necessary an agreement to pay the three cent water tax on all lots adjacent to the said pipe, as required by law.

Ordered received, filed and published, and referred to the Executive Board.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 15, 1884.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

E. D. Smith, stenographer.....	\$ 65 00
Williamson & Hattie, stationery.....	21 25
J. B. Flannery, services.....	21 67
G. P. Bailey, stamp, Treasurer's office.....	15 00
Henry Sheiter, framing picture (Mayor).....	7 95
A. W. Mudge, carriage (Mayor).....	3 00
E. N. Lord, City Clerk, disbursements.....	21 55
B. L. Sheldon, C. C. lunch, March 18.....	15 00
J. F. Southard, committee expenses to Albany.....	28 00
Patrick Dennis, February salary, Surveyor's office.....	50 00
And charge that fund.....	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

S. B. Stuart & Co., coal.....	523 25
Fleckenstein Bros., bread.....	302 84
N. Kirchoff, bread.....	71 08
J. D. Whitpie & Co., beans.....	18 83
Jos. Barthoen, meat.....	25 00
Casper Fromm, meat.....	468 53
Henry Reddick,.....	75 00
Geo. Baker,.....	100 00
C. W. Gray, groceries.....	93 26
Smith, Pettus & Co. groceries.....	82 50
L. J. Hall & Bro., groceries.....	48 75
E. J. Keehn, shoes.....	118 80
Leo Stadler,.....	39 60
E. O'Reilly, burials.....	86 00
Geo. E. Stillson,.....	2 00
A. W. Mudge,.....	25 00
J. Z. Culver & Co., rent.....	10 00
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	70 31
And charge that fund.....	

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

A. Metcalf, soap.....	3 00
And charge that fund.....	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

D. Hickey, Collecting garbage.....	228 00
J. W. Maser,.....	228 00
P. Brady,.....	114 00
Jacob Rauber.....	114 00
Jerome Keyes, Superintendent collecting garbage.....	34 60
And charge that fund.....	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Brush Electric Light Co. lighting for February.....	3,583 80
Rochester Gas Light Co., less over charge.....	742 46
P. W. Kuttruff, lamp pots.....	171 15
And charge that fund.....	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

H. H. Warner, safe, h'gdrs.....	100 00
B. Frank Enos, disbursements.....	124 34
A. Schiffer, repairing furniture.....	10 50
Bennett & Schaffner, chairs at headquarters.....	10 00
And charge that fund.....	

EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER,
 Offices, City Hall, March 17, 1884.

To the Common Council:

The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment; as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Salaries and Expenses—Salary and Expense Fund.

Byron Holly, salary for March.....	\$ 208 33
Samuel B. Williams.....	208 33
George W. Aldridge.....	208 34
	\$625 00

Street Department—Highway Fund.

Geo. C. Buell & Co., salt.....	\$ 1 00
Carey, Rose & Co., hardware.....	3 95
H. Kohlmetz & Son, iron work.....	14 88

John R. Sny, repairs to harness.....	\$ 25
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	5 75
A. W. Mudge, horse hire.....	3 00
	\$86 53

(Payable when there are funds applicable.)

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Weekly pay-rolls, Mar. 13.....	\$ 156 00
Mar. 20.....	132 00

R. D. Wood & Co., hydrants.....	\$ 308 00
Geo. B. Harris, freight on hydrants.....	2,185 22
..... pipe and specials.....	60 23
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	77 23
	4 50
	\$2,685 73

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Mch. 13, op. expenses.....	\$520 20
12 service & rep.....	332 50
	\$ 852 70

Weekly pay roll, Mch. 20, op. expenses.....	\$520 20
service & rep.....	331 00
	\$51 20

Geo. G. Flannery, blanks.....	40 00
Thomas J. Neville, office expenses.....	16 21
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	4 88
John C. Moore, blank books.....	15 63
Cary, Rose & Co., hardware.....	4 02
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay.....	19 11
B. F. Harris, rent of stable.....	22 50
B. F. Harris, repairs to stable.....	2 00
J. Forbes Potter, cutter and robe.....	40 00
A. W. Mudge, horse hire.....	3 50
John R. Sny, repairs to harness.....	3 75
G. F. Schilling, coal.....	118 70
Jas. R. Chamberlin, supplies P. House.....	68 25
Rochester Gas Co., gas.....	30 40
S. Moulson, soap.....	1 30
J. E. Watters, coal, D. reserve.....	17 20
	\$2,117 05

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

Thos. McCormick, painting Protectives' house.....	\$ 37 55
Geo. B. Harris, paid for hay.....	37 08
Monthly pay roll, payable March 31.....	2,587 32
E. S. Gibson, disbursements.....	6 23
C. H. Finch, bill for ice.....	5 70
James Field, supplies.....	2 95
F. E. Handy, labor on fire telegraph, two bills.....	26 00
Geo. B. Harris, disbursements.....	6 58
Rogers & Wallace, furnishing Lyell avenue station.....	161 71
T. & G. Heberling, straw.....	23 61
	\$4,184 73

Local Improvement—Special Fund.

Alden & Lassic, extra work.....	\$162 45
And charge Central avenue bridge, O. 2,410.....	
Alden & Lassic final estimate.....	570 00
And charge Central avenue bridge, O. 2,410.....	
Adopted by the following vote:	
Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Kings, Rice, Southard, Aik-n-head Kelly, Shumelink—13.	

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
 Rochester, March 11th, 1884.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In the matter of the petition of sundry property owners for the removal of the R. C. & B. Street Railway Co.'s turn-table in Central avenue at Clinton street, which was referred to the Executive Board, said Board was respectfully reported that it has no power or authority in the premises, as will be seen by reference to a written opinion of the City Attorney, bearing date Dec. 7th, 1883, published in the proceedings of said Board of Dec. 10th, in which the following language is used: "The Street Railroad Co. made application to the Common Council for permission to lay and operate its tracks along Atwater street (now Central avenue) to Clinton street. The operations of said railroad requires that a turn table should be used, and permission to lay and operate said tracks would include the right to place at the terminus of each line a turn table. As far as permission has been granted by the Common Council to said railroad company to locate at a given point a turn table, or as far as the right to locate a turn table is implied by the permission granted by the Common Council to the railroad company to lay its tracks and maintain and operate its road, the Executive Board has no control over the matter."

According to the opinion of the attorney the entire control of the matter is vested in the Common Council and not in the Executive Board.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk,
Ordered received, filed and published.
From the City Clerk—

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 18, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with section 29 of the city charter, I herewith submit a list of the officers elected at the charter election, March 4th, 1884, and appointed by the Common Council at the last regular meeting, who have filed their acceptance and taken the oath of office required by law, also a list of those who have omitted to file the same:

OFFICERS ELECTED AND APPOINTED.
CITY OFFICERS.

For Mayor, for the term of two years—Cornelius R. Parsons.
For Member of the Executive Board, for the term of three years—Byron Holley.
For Game Constable, for the term of one year—Henry Kadish.

WARD OFFICERS,

SUPERVISORS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

- First Ward—Edward F. Stilwell.
- Second Ward—George B. Wesley.
- Third Ward—George Morgan.
- Fourth Ward—Charles B. Ernst.
- Fifth Ward—George Caring.
- Sixth Ward—Abram Stern.
- Seventh Ward—Charles C. Meyer.
- Eighth Ward—James P. Tumilly.
- Ninth Ward—Frederick E. Conway.
- Tenth Ward—Bartholomew Keeler.
- Eleventh Ward—John Brayer.
- Twelfth Ward—D. Clinton Barnum.
- Thirteenth Ward—James H. Brown.
- Fourteenth Ward—Thomas Gosnell.
- Fifteenth Ward—George J. Held.
- Sixteenth Ward—Oscar F. Brown.

ALDERMEN FOR THE TERM OF TWO YEARS.

- First Ward—William H. Tracy.
- Third Ward—Amos Bronson.
- Fifth Ward—Henry Kohlmetz.
- Seventh Ward—Charles A. Jeffords.
- Ninth Ward—Frank S. Upton.
- Eleventh Ward—Peter G. Siener.
- Thirteenth Ward—Christian Sten.
- Fifteenth Ward—J. Miller Kelly.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS FOR THE TERM OF TWO YEARS.

- First Ward—John E. Durand.
- Third Ward—Thomas McMillan.
- Fifth Ward—Charles S. Cook.
- Seventh Ward—Milton Noyes.
- Ninth Ward—William J. Eckelvey.
- Twelfth Ward—Thomas H. Maguire.
- Thirteenth Ward—Frederick Loebis.

CONSTABLES FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

- First Ward—Frank H. Hovey.
- Second Ward—Patrick H. Griffin.
- Third Ward—William H. Groot.
- Fourth Ward—Ferdinand Seifried.
- Fifth Ward—Joseph Kochner.
- Sixth Ward—Lodowick F. Relyea.
- Seventh Ward—James K. Foster.
- Eighth Ward—John Daily.
- Ninth Ward—William Daningburg.
- Tenth Ward—George C. Lentner.
- Eleventh Ward—Patrick H. McMahon.
- Twelfth Ward—John Dart.
- Thirteenth Ward—Henry Fleischer.
- Fourteenth Ward—Emil Beuler.
- Fifteenth Ward—Andrew Wolf.
- Sixteenth Ward—George Kimpfle.

INSPECTORS OF ELECTION FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

- First Ward—Thomas Brooks, Minnorris B. Sheldon, 2d, John A. Post, appointed.
- Second Ward—John Tenity, James Lyons.
- Third Ward—First district, Charles D. Evans, Hampden Hyde, Luke J. McHugh, appointed.
- Fourth Ward—Second district, William B. Gregory, J. C. D. Curtis.
- Fourth Ward—Patrick H. Kelly, William Whitlocke, W. V. K. Lansing, appointed.
- Fifth Ward—First district, Chauncey B. Doxtator, Michael K. Gannon, Frank E. Rowe, appointed.
- Fifth Ward—Second district, Albert Ostrand, John Scheck, George H. Graham, appointed.
- Sixth Ward—George W. Englehardt, Frank M. Killop.
- Seventh Ward—First district, George R. Losey, John J. Bowen.
- Sevent Ward—Second district, William I. Hanford, George H. Brown, Jeremiah M. Deyo, appointed.

Eighth Ward—First district, Maurice Moynihan, Thos. H. DeLaney, James M. Niven, appointed.

Eleventh Ward—Second district, Moses Furlong, Wm. H. Moore.

Ninth Ward—First district, Geo. H. Cummings, Michael L. Burke.

Ninth Ward—Second district, De Garmo Robbins, Charles F. Chappell.

Tenth Ward—Geo. W. Hatch, Emmet S. Ray, Joseph Carberry, appointed.

Twelfth Ward—First district, John C. Butler, Henry Webber.

Eleventh Ward—Second district, David R. Pierce, Peter Mensing.

Twelfth Ward—First district, Martin Russell, Elmer L. Oliver, Conrad Gaenzler, appointed.

Twelfth Ward—Second district, Philip Arnold, Chas. B. Franklin, Chas. W. Holland, appointed.

Thirteenth Ward—First district, John U. Gugelman, Conrad Keuhles, Peter Edelman, appointed.

Thirteenth Ward—Second district, George Belner, Frederick Stade, jr.

Fourteenth Ward—First district—John G. Skuse, Henry Keunz.

Fourth Ward—Second district, Robert B. Swanton, August Wagner, Fred'k Wegman, appointed.

Fifteenth Ward—John H. Stephenson, Henry B. E. E. f. ing, Joseph Meyer, appointed.

Sixteenth Ward—First district, Isaac DeMallie, Fred. C. Holbrook, Wm. E. Buell, appointed.

Sixteenth Ward—Second district, Mathew Sehm, Geo. Stummer, George Handel, appointed.

Sixteenth Ward—Third district, John A. La Force, Geo. Heckner, Robert A. Russell, appointed.

COMMISSIONERS OF DEEDS.

William J. Burke, George C. Worth, Cortland A. Annis, W. H. Clark.

CONSTABLES.

- William Daningburg, 9th ward;
- Henry Fleisher, 13th ward;
- And
- Wm. R. Gregory, J. C. D. Curtis, 2d dist., 3d ward;
- Peter Mensing, 3d dist., 11th ward;
- John G. Skuse, 1st dist., 14th ward;
- Joseph Meyer, 15th ward;
- Inspectors of Election,

have failed to file acceptances as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the Police Clerk—

REPORT OF THE POLICE CLERK FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1884.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, March 18, 1884.

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully present the following as my report for the month of February, 1884.

February.	Crime.	Penalty.	Paid.
1—Julius Andrews.....	Drunk	\$10	
Cyrus Marsh.....	..	10	
Francis A. Jennings....	vio. ord.	5	
Della Jennings.....	..	5	
Rich. M. Steindley.....	hotel fraud	cost	2
Corilla Backus.....	pet. lar.	5	3
2—Lizzie Murphy.....	drunk	10	
Edward Mead.....	..	10	
4—Wm. Sullivan.....	..	10	
Timothy Sullivan.....	..	10	
Morris Mulqueen.....	..	10	
Casper Danzer.....	..	10	
Simon Switzer.....	..	10	
Frank Myers.....	..	10	5
Philip Remore.....	..	10	5
Maggie O'Brien.....	..	10	
5—August Vrobel.....	..	10	5
Mary O'Hara.....	..	10	
Geo. Dayton.....	..	10	
Maggie Grab.....	assault	5	5
Mrs. Ross.....	..	5	3
Patk. Carroll.....	..	2	2
6—Josephine Valcore.....	drunk	10	10
7—Frank Apple.....	..	10	
Hiram Swan.....	..	10	
8—Louis Myers.....	assault	10	
Wm. Dohberton.....	..	cost	1
9—Jack Weber.....	drunk	10	
John Butler.....	..	10	
Rudolph Holliger.....	sel liq without lic	cost	1
Wm. C. Hammond.....	..	cost	1
Louisa Begy.....	..	cost	1
11—Dennis Burke.....	drunk	10	
Joseph Irwin.....	..	10	
James Melvin.....	..	10	
Patk. FitzPatrick.....	assault	cost	1
12—James McGarrity.....	drunk	10	5
Geo. Clark.....	vio. ord.	25	
Lizzie Harrison.....	..	25	
Valentine Keisel.....	drunk	10	

Geo. M. Taylor.....	assault	Cost	1
13—Rudolph Gems.....	hotel fraud	Cost	3
Geo. Bollosch.....	drunk	10	
Barbara Machin.....	..	10	
Henry Brocket.....	..	10	
Mary Erick.....	..	10	
15—John Mahoney.....	..	10	10
Kate Lynch.....	..	10	
Edward Leonard.....	..	10	
Mary A. Brown.....	..	10	
16—Joseph Myers.....	..	10	
Thos. Erwin.....	..	10	
Wm. O'Donnell.....	vio. ord.	10	
Lawrence O'Brien.....	..	10	
Frank O'Donnell.....	..	10	
18—James Fanning.....	drunk	10	
Robert Durand.....	..	10	
Samuel Ervin.....	vio. ord.	10	5
Patk. Hussey.....	drunk	10	
Kate O'Brien.....	..	10	
Chris. Kiesel.....	..	10	
19—Mich. O'Connors.....	..	10	
Chas. Kramer.....	..	10	5
Ed. Frank.....	..	10	5
David L. Wilforth.....	..	10	10
Thos. Orr.....	petit larceny	25	25
Wm. E. Hall.....	..	Cost	1
Thos. Howard.....	assault	Cost	1
20—Thos. Moran.....	drunk	10	1
Peter Kathriena.....	..	10	5
21—Andrew Totten.....	..	10	5
Geo. H. Palmer.....	..	10	10
Geo. Moore.....	..	10	
Andt Rosenthal.....	..	10	
5—Thos. Cranston.....	..	10	5
Geo. Cranston.....	..	10	
Mary Williams.....	..	10	
John Cain.....	..	10	
John Simpson.....	..	10	
Edward Green.....	..	10	1
Patk Norris.....	..	10	
Elizabeth McLean.....	..	10	10
Thos Roach.....	..	10	
Albert Millinan.....	assault	cash	2
26—Sarah White.....	drunk	10	
Mary Jones.....	..	10	
James Caler.....	..	10	2 50
27—Mary Lvsaight.....	..	10	
Philip Voet.....	..	10	5
28—Mary FitzGerald.....	..	10	
29—Henry Hacket.....	..	10	5
Joseph Freach.....	..	10	
John C O'Reagan.....	..	10	
Mary Clark.....	..	10	

\$71 50

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Monroe, City of Rochester, ss:

I, B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk of said city, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the foregoing report contains a true and correct statement of all the moneys received by me as such Clerk during the month of February, 1884, for fines, penalties and costs imposed by the Police Justice of said city.

B. FRANK ENOS, Police Clerk.

Sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1884.

F. J. IRWIN, Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Hinds presented the annual report of the City Treasurer and moved that it be received, filed and published and referred to the Finance committee. Adopted. (The report will be published in pamphlet form.)

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Finance committee be authorized to employ competent and suitable persons to assist them in the examination of the Treasurer's annual report. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, March 13th, 1884. }

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Prior to the adoption of the tax levy for 1884, the spring cleaning of streets and alleys and the removal of the winter accumulation of dirt and ashes will be required to be done, some important street repairs will need to be made, navigation on the canal will have opened, and the lift bridges are to be manned, the work of strengthening and painting Vincent place bridge has been completed and is to be paid for; hence it will be necessary to provide as follows for the Highway Fund, before the sum which shall be placed in the tax levy will be available:

For street cleaning and removal of dirt and ashes.....	\$20,000
For street repairs, including materials.....	3,000

For bridge tending, including supplies and repairs.....	700
For Vincent place bridge.....	3,300

Total..... \$27,000

The Executive Board would therefore respectfully request you to make the necessary provision for the wants of this department.

The current budget exhausts the fund.
Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to issue the city's notes for the sum of \$45,000, under authority of section 81, City Charter, said notes to be discounted and the credit thereof placed as follows:

Police Fund.....	\$15,000 00
Contingent Fund.....	10,000 00
Lamp Fund.....	10,000 00
Highway Fund.....	10,000 00
	\$45,000 00

Discount to be charged to contingent fund
Said notes to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

By Ald. Hinds—

OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
ROCHESTER, March 13, 1884. }

to the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The accompanying bill of disbursements on account of the Fire Department was contracted in paying the expenses of S. B. Williams, of the Executive Board; Law S. Gibson, Chief, and Ex-Chief Geo. B. Harris, to whom this city is largely indebted for its efficient department who went as delegates from the Rochester Fire Department to the eleventh annual Convention of the National Association of Fire Engineers held in New Orleans in October last.

The purpose of these annual gatherings of Fire Commissioners, Fire Engineers and Delegates is to discuss topics of the utmost interest and importance connected with the management of fire departments, the character of appliances for the extinguishment of fires, and all cognate subjects, and also to furnish opportunity for exhibition and test of new or improved apparatus.

The discussion of all matters pertaining to the extinguishment of fires or conflagrations by practical and experienced men of many years active service, cannot fail to result in benefit to those departments which send delegates to these conventions.

The Fire Commissioners of the great city of London, England, in 1882 thought these gatherings and discussions of sufficient value and importance to warrant sending the Chief of the London Fire Brigade to attend the convention of that year held in Cincinnati. The Fire Commission of the city of Brooklyn also sent one of its number to the same convention in addition to the Chief of the Department.

Since the organization of the association, in 1873, the Fire Department of the city of Rochester has been represented each year in the convention by its Chief Engineer, except 1880, and by a Commissioner since 1879, except the year 1880. Out of the attendance upon the convention of 1882 came the purchase of the Hayes truck now in use in our department, as well as other additions and features incorporated in our service.

Upon these considerations, the Executive Board believes the expense amounts necessary to defray the actual expenses (in this instance considerable in consequence of the great distance) has been warranted, and would respectfully ask that the accompanying bill be placed upon the budget.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

EXECUTIVE BOARD, FIRE DEPARTMENT, }
ROCHESTER, March 13, 1884. }

The City of Rochester to Geo. B. Harris, Acting Clerk, Dr.:

Expenses of delegation of Fire Engineers' National convention at New Orleans, Oct. 24, 1884.....	\$340 00
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On motion of Ald. Hinds, ordered received, filed and published, and action postponed two weeks.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

SPRINKLING MEIGS STREET.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of sprinkling Meigs street, from East avenue to Park avenue, during the season of 1884.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$150.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The sprinkling of Meigs street, from East avenue to Park avenue, during the season of 1884.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$150, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, Further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

One tier of lots on each side of Meigs street, from East avenue to Park avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April the 1st, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

EXTENSION OF SEWARD STREET.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of opening and extending Seward street from Cady street to Bronson avenue.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$2,000.

By Ald. Southard—Resolved, that the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The opening and extension of Seward street, from Cady street to Bronson avenue, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefore is described as follows, viz :

A strip of land 60 feet in width situated opposite the north end of Seward street, and extending from Cady street to Bronson avenue. The south end of said premises are suppose to be owned by Rhoda A. Lester, the central portion by John H. Graves, and the north end by heirs of Charles H. Bicknell.

And Whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$2,000, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

All the territory inclosed within and described by the following boundary lines, viz : Beginning at the southwest corner of Seward and Strong streets, thence westerly along the south line of Strong street, and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, 375 feet, thence northerly and parallel with Seward street, and in a continuance of the line, to Bronson avenue, thence easterly along the south line of Bronson avenue, excepting one tier of lots on the south side thereof, 775 feet, thence southerly on a line parallel with, and 350 feet east of Seward street, to the south line of Strong street, thence westerly along the south line of Strong street, and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to the place of beginning.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of title VII., section 172 of the revised Charter of 1880 of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, April 1st, 1884, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN OAKMAN STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, that the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Oakman street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$500.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz :

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Oakman street, from near the east line of Fien place to the east line of Hawkins street ; also the necessary surface sewers, man-holes and lot laterals.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$500, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further That the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz :

One tier of lots on each side of Oakman street,

from the east line of Fien place to the east line of Hawkins street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday, April 1st, 1884, at 6 o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE NUMBERING AND RE-NUMBERING OF BUILDINGS, DWELLINGS AND BUSINESS PLACES IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows :

First—It is deemed by said Common Council advisable and necessary that all buildings and business places in the city of Rochester shall be renumbered on all of the streets, squares, avenues, parks, places, courts and alleys in said city.

Second—The cost and expense of such renumbering shall be borne by the owners of the buildings, dwellings and business places aforesaid.

Third—The cost and expense of such renumbering shall not exceed thirty cents for each building, dwelling or business place renumbered.

Fourth—The cost and expense of such renumbering shall be paid by the Treasurer, upon orders duly drawn by authority of the Common Council, from the Contingent Fund.

Fifth—On or before the 1st day of January, 1885, the City Surveyor shall deliver to the Assessors a duly certified statement of the names of the owners of the buildings, dwellings and business places thus renumbered, with a description of such buildings, dwellings places, together with a statement of the cost and expense of renumbering each of said buildings, dwellings and business places, and the said Assessors are hereby directed to add to the general city tax for 1885 imposed upon each lot upon which such building, dwelling or business place stands, the cost and expense of renumbering such building, dwelling or business place.

Sixth—The cost and expense of renumbering each of such buildings, dwellings and business places shall be, and the same is hereby declared to be, a lien upon each of said buildings, dwellings and business places, the amount of which in each case shall be payable in the same manner that the general city taxes for the year 1885 are paid; and the remedies which are provided by law for the enforcement and collection of general city taxes shall apply to the collection of the costs and expense of such renumbering of each of said buildings, dwellings and business places respectively.

Seventh—This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Ordered received, filed and published, and action postponed two weeks.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That all persons interested in the subject of an ordinance providing for the renumbering of all buildings, dwellings and business places in the city of Rochester at the cost and expense of the owners thereof, be given an opportunity to be heard with reference thereto at the next regular meeting of the Common Council to be held on the first day of April next, at six o'clock p. m., at the Common Council Chamber in the city of Rochester; and that the Clerk be, and he hereby is, directed to publish for four days in the papers authorized to publish city notices a notice relating, in substance, that allegations with reference to said matter will be heard at said time and place. Adopted.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to improve Adams street came up. Ald. Bronson moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,570.

OPENING OF A STREET FROM REYNOLDS STREET TO SEWARD STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below :

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following :

An ordinance to open a street from Reynolds street to Seward street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows :

The opening of a street 50 feet in width, extending from Reynolds street to the rear of the Colwell property, and 25 feet in width from the rear of, and along the north side of, and adjacent to the Colwell property, to Seward street. The centre line of said street where 50 feet in width, and the south line of said street where 25 feet in width, to be the south line of the Strong tract.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$800, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of the proposed street, from Reynolds street to Seward street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnik—16.

The final ordinance to open and extend Skuse park came up. Ald. Strouss moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,571.

PIPE SEWER IN HURON, HEBARD, POPLAR, UNION AND ALEXANDER STREETS AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Simmelnik, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Simmelnik submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Huron, Hebard, Poplar, Union and Alexander streets and Pennsylvania avenue.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Huron st., from the center of Scio st. to the center of Hebard st.;

In Hebard st., from the center of Huron st. to the center of Poplar st.;

In Poplar st., from the center of Hebard st. to the center of Union st.;

In Union st., from the center of Poplar st. to the center of Pennsylvania ave.;

And in Pennsylvania ave., from the center of Union st. to the center of Alexander st.

Also a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Pennsylvania ave., from the center of Alexander st. to the center of First ave.;

In Alexander st., from the center of Pennsylvania ave. to a point 100 ft. south of Central park;

And in Union st., from the center of Pennsylvania ave. to a point 225 ft. south of German st.

Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at five thousand and thirteen dollars, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvements is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of the following named streets and avenues between the limits mentioned:

Pennsylvania ave., from Union st. to the center of First ave.;

Alexander st., from Pennsylvania ave to a point 100 ft. south of Central park.;

Union st., from the center of Poplar st. to a point 225 ft. south of German st.;

Poplar st., from Union st. to Hebard st.;

Hebard st., from the center of Poplar st. to the center of Huron st.;

Huron st., from Hebard st. to Scio st. The difference in cost between a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter and a pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter in Huron st., to be assessed in the territory above mentioned, exclusive of Huron st.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

And the tax payers to be assessed for making such improvement, may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of such roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of such roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of said last instalment, a discount will be allowed of six per cent. per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Ar-

cher, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnik—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,572.

PIPE SEWER IN PINNACLE AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Simmelnik, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelnik submitted the following:

An Ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Pinnacle avenue, from the center of Caroline street to the west line of Bly street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Pinnacle avenue, from the center of Caroline street, to the west line of Bly street. (Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$932 00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Pinnacle avenue, from Caroline Bly street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnik—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,573.

PIPE SEWER IN CHILD STREET.

On motion of Ald. Simmelnik the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Simmelnik submitted the following:

An ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Child street from the sewer in Campbell street to a point 60 feet north of Wilder street.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Child street, from the sewer in Campbell street to a point 60 feet north of Wilder street. Also the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$517, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Child street from Campbell street to a point 60 feet north of Wilder street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelnik—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE—No. 2,574.

CLINTON PLACE SPRINKLING.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Clinton Place, from North avenue to Clinton street, during the season of 1894.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Clinton Place from North avenue to Clinton street, during the season of 1894.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$909, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton place from North avenue to Clinton street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,575.

SPRINKLING CLINTON STREET, SEC. 1.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Clinton st., section 1, from Monroe ave. to the center of Marietta st. during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Clinton street from Monroe avenue to the centre of Marietta street during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$716, which estimate is hereby approved, and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Clinton street from Monroe avenue to the center of Marietta street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,576.

CENTRAL AVENUE SPRINKLING.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Central avenue, from North avenue to State street, during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Central avenue, from North avenue to State street, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of lands to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$712, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Central avenue, from North avenue to State street.

On which described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following Vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,577.

SPRINKLING EAST AVENUE, SEC. 1.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle East avenue, sec. 1, from Main street to the West line of Goodman street, south of East avenue.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of East avenue from Main street, to the west line of Goodman street, south of East avenue, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$820, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East avenue, from Main street to Goodman street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,578.

SPRINKLING EAST AVENUE (SEC. 2)

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle East avenue (Sec. 2), from the west line of Goodman street, south of East avenue, to 400 feet east of Bates street, during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling East avenue, from the west line of Goodman street, south of East avenue, to 400 feet east of Bates street, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$785, which estimate is hereby approved and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East ave., from Goodman st. to four hundred feet east of Bates st.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,579.

SPRINKLING EXCHANGE STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Exchange street, from the south line of Main street to the center of Edinburg street, during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Exchange street, from the south line of Main street, to the center of Edinburg street, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$762, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Exchange street, from Main street, to Edinburg street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,580.

SPRINKLING FRONT ST.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:
An ordinance to sprinkle Front street from East Main street to Central avenue, during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Front street, from East Main street to Central avenue, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$876, which estimate is hereby approved, and the portion of said City which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Front street from East Main street to Central avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingner, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,581.

SPRINKLING FRANKLIN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle Franklin street, from Main street to North St. Paul street, during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Franklin street, from Main street to North St. Paul street, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$370.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Franklin street, from Main street to North St. Paul street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The final ordinance for sprinkling Lake ave. came up. Ald. Hinds presented a remonstrance and moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,582.

SPRINKLING EAST MAIN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below.

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle East Main street, from the center of East avenue to the east line of Goodman street west of the N. Y. C. R. R. bridge.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of East Main street from the center of East avenue to the east line of Goodman street, west of the N. Y. C. R. R. bridge, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,000, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East Main street, from the center of East avenue to the west line of Goodman street, west of N. Y. C. R. R. bridge.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2,583

SPRINKLING EAST AND WEST MAIN STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle East and West Main street, from the Erie canal to the center of East avenue, during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of East and West Main streets, from the Erie canal to the center of East avenue, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$1,100, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of East and West Main street, from the Erie canal to the center of East avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the

expense of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The final ordinances for sprinkling Monroe avenue and Meigs street came up. Ald. Jeffords presented a remonstrance and moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance for sprinkling Mill street came up. Ald. Hinds moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

The final ordinance for sprinkling Prince street came up. Ald. Pitkin moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,584.

STATE STREET SPRINKLING.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle State street from the north line of Main street to the center of Lyell avenue during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of State street from the north line of Main street to the center of Lyell avenue, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$1,112 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of State street, from the north line of Main street to the center of Lyell avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The final ordinance for sprinkling St. Joseph street came up. Ald. Southard moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,585.

SPRINKLING NORTH ST. PAUL STREET, SEC. 1.

On motion of Alderman Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Alderman Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle North St. Paul street, Sec. 1, from Main street to the center of Marietta street during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of North St. Paul street, from Main street to the center of Marietta street, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$432, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of North St. Paul street, from East Main street to the center of Marietta street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsinger, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

FINAL ORDINANCE NO. 2,586.

SPRINKLING SOUTH ST. PAUL ST. AND SOUTH AVE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the Ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle South St. Paul street and South avenue from East Main street to the centre of Comfort street, during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of South St. Paul street and South avenue from East Main street to the centre of Comfort street, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$223 which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem to be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of South St. Paul street and South avenue from East Main street to the centre of Comfort street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

The final ordinance for sprinkling West ave. came up. Ald. Foley moved it be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Simmelink—Whereas, The entire cost of opening and extending Hayward park has been ascertained to be the sum of (\$1,252) twelve hundred and fifty-two dollars; therefore,

“Resolved, that all persons interested in the matter of the ordering of an assessment for the opening and extending of Hayward park be heard as to the same at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, March 5th, and that the City Clerk cause to be published a notice of said hearing, as provided by section 190 of the city charter. Adopted.”

After hearing allegations, Ald. Simmelink moved that action be postponed two weeks. Adopted.

Ald. Simmelink moved that action be further postponed four weeks. Adopted.

The following came up:

“By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the Senator and Assemblymen from this county be, and hereby are requested to urge the passage by the Legislature of the following proposed charter amendments: (The proposed amendments are published on page 359 of the current proceedings, in Common Council, March 5th, 1884.)

“Ald. Foley moved to receive, file and publish, and that action be postponed. Adopted.”

Ald. Bronson moved that the resolution be adopted. Adopted.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Felsing presented the resignation of Peter Mensing as Inspector of Election for the 2d district of the Eleventh ward and moved it be accepted. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved to proceed to appoint an Inspector of Election for the 2d district of the Eleventh ward. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing nominated Jacob Kolb.

Jacob Kolb was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Jacob Kolb was declared appointed Inspector of Election for the 2d district of the Eleventh ward.

Ald. Bronson moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and that the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Frederick L. Churchill, of the 3d ward; J. Jumpp, of the 7th ward; Henry Salyerds and Jacob Traugott, of the 14th ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were declared appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

Ald. Collins moved to proceed to appoint a police commissioner. Adopted.

FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr. was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

THIRD VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

Ald. Hinds moved to postpone until the next meeting.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Felsing, Kelly—7.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Simmelink—9.

FOURTH VOTE:

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley—5. No choice.

FIFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strauss, Jeffords—4.

Matt Cartwright was named by Ald. Foley—1. No choice.

Ald. Felsing moved to postpone voting for two weeks.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Felsing—1.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

EIGHTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald.

Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

NINTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—4.

Isaac Marshall was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

TENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss—3.

Geo. W. Archer was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.

Isaac Marshall was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

ELEVENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss—3.

John A. Folsinger was named by Ald. Jeffords—1.

Isaac Marshall was named by Ald. Foley—1.
No choice.

TWELFTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.

No choice.
Ald. Foley moved to postpone voting for two weeks.

Lost by the following vote :
Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Felsinger—5.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Jeffords, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

THIRTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

FOURTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

Ald. Foley moved to postpone until after miscellaneous business.

Lost by the following vote :
Ayes—Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Southard, Kelly—8.

Nays—Collins, Barron, Watson, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Aikenhead, Simmelink—8.

FIFTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

SIXTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

SEVENTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

EIGHTEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

Ald. Kelly moved to postpone voting for two weeks.

Lost by the following vote :
Ayes—Ald. Bronson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—8.

Nays—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice—8.

NINETEENTH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

TWENTIETH VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—11.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—5.
No choice.

TWENTY FIRST VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—4.

Joseph Fleckenstein was named by Ald. Foley, Felsing—2.

No choice.

TWENTY-SECOND VOTE.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Bronson, Watson, Strouss, Jeffords—4.

Joseph Fleckenstein was named by Ald. Foley, Felsing—2.

No choice.
Ald. Kelly moved to postpone voting for two weeks. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Archer in the chair.
By Ald. Kelly—Resolved. That the City Treasurer be and is hereby directed to publish in the Democrat and Chronicle the list of lands

to be sold for unpaid taxes, which takes place on the 27th instant, at the same rate of compensation per square or column allowed the UNION AND ADVERTISER Company.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—16.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of Francis N. Skuse, also a remonstrance, to move wood buildings. Also petitions of William Machan and Joseph H. Crane to erect wood buildings, and moved permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard—Whereas, the Common Council, at a meeting held December 11th, 1883, adopted an ordinance for opening and extending Maria street; and,

Whereas, The Common Council, at a meeting held December 26th, 1883, adopted a resolution determining that the amount demanded by S. Klingler, the owner of the land necessary for the extension of said street, being the sum of \$350, was satisfactory to said board, and directing that the Mayor enter into a contract with said Klingler, providing for the purchase by said city of said land as necessary for the extension of said street; and,

Whereas, Said contract has been duly executed; therefore,

Resolved, That all persons interested in the extension of said street and in the payment of the cost and expense thereof, be heard with reference to the ordering of the assessment roll thereon at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, which is appointed to be held on the 1st day of April, 1884, at the Common Council Chamber, Rochester, N. Y., and that the City Clerk be, and he hereby is, directed to publish a notice four days that such allegations will be heard in accordance with section 190 of the city charter. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of V. F. Whitmore to remove a wood building, and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Executive Board. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Whereas, The Central avenue bridge is alleged to be a dangerous place for pedestrians during the night, therefore,

Resolved, That the Police Commissioners be and hereby are requested to cause a policeman to be stationed on said bridge between the hours of 8 P. M. and 4 A. M. Adopted.

By Ald. Pitkin—Resolved, That hereafter when application is made for the use of the City Hall, it shall be the duty of the presiding officer and City Clerk to call the attention of this Board to rule 42, relating to the same. Said rule was adopted at a meeting of the Common Council held December 11th, 1877, is still in force.

Ald. Foley moved to indefinitely postpone.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Nays—Ald. Pitkin—1.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petition of J. W. Dake for permission to build a wood building for a roller skating rink on the corner of East Main street and University avenue; also a re-

monstrance, and moved that action be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Finance Committee respectfully represents:—

The assessments levied upon the government property upon the corner of Church and Fitzhugh streets for local improvements amount to about five thousand dollars.

Some time since action was taken by your committee looking to an appropriation by Congress for the payment of the same. The Secretary of the Treasury, before whom the matter was laid, stated that the assessments should be provided for by the government, but as there was no funds in the Treasury from which payment could be made, Congress would need to make an appropriation for the purpose of paying said assessments, and he caused a letter to be written to the chairman of the committee on appropriations of the House, and requested that an appropriation be made to pay said assessments.

Since that time the United States District Attorney has examined the questions connected with the levying of said assessments, and has announced himself as opposed to the payment by the government of said assessments on the ground that when the government took title to the land on which the assessments are laid, in fact became a lien upon the same, and that under the act of 1881, passed by the Legislature of the State of New York, said property was exempted from the payment of assessments as well as general city taxes.

The position taken by Mr. Townsend also is that the effort to secure an appropriation for the payment of said assessments will defeat the necessary additional appropriation required for the construction of the government building. If the latter is the fact, it may be deemed advisable, irrespective of the question of the legal right of the city to make assessments, to take such action as would result in securing the appropriation needed for the building, but as the matter now stands, your committee is of the opinion that the Secretary of the Treasury and the committee on appropriations in the House will favor not only an appropriation for the payment of the assessments, but also, an appropriation for the necessary amount to construct the building.

Your committee is of the opinion that it would be advisable to ascertain, as early as possible, what action the Treasury Department and said committee propose to take with reference to the matter, and to that end recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

J. A. HINDS,

GEO. W. ARCHER,

J. M. PITKIN,

Finance Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Attorney be, and he hereby is directed, to appear before the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives for the purpose of presenting the question as to assessments on government property in this city, and to ascertain whether the needed appropriation for the government building in this city will be endangered by the said assessments, and to report to this board at its next regular meeting. Adopted.

Bly Ald. Hinds—

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Having been invited by you in connection with the late Mr. Charles A. Brady to make an examination of the receipts and expenditures on account of the Water Works by the Executive Board of this city from the time the Water Works passed under their control, would respectfully submit the following:

The Executive Board assumed charge of the Water Works October 2d, 1878.

The following is a detailed statement of the pay-roll of the employes of the Executive Board, which is charged to and paid out of the Water Works Fund and Water-pipe Extension Fund, for the week during which the resolution was passed authorizing this investigation:

EXECUTIVE BOARD—CITY OF ROCHESTER.

Water Works Department.

Pay-roll for week ending May 3d, 1884.

OPERATING EXPENSES.

Charged to Water Works Fund.

J. Nelson Tubbs, chief engineer.....	\$	57	53
E. Kutching, assistant		36	25
T. J. Neville, clerk.....		30	22

F E Witherspoon, receiver of water rents.....	28 01
W N Tubbs, clerk.....	19 18
J Kavanaugh.....	18 41
C M StJohn.....	18 09
E A Maher, meter reader.....	17 06
F H Callahan, clerk.....	17 00
M Race.....	15 00
J B Davis.....	15 00
S E Armstrong.....	14 00
Louis Davis.....	6 00
Geo B Harris.....	15 10
S C McKay, sup't of repairs.....	23 01
Henry Jones engineer pump house.....	28 76
F C Glenn.....	28 01
P J McCracken, helper.....	13 81
P J Healey.....	13 81
D S Almstead, gate keeper dis't reservoir.....	12 00
W Mengerink.....	12 00
Alex Grey.....	12 00
T M Blossom.....	12 00
R Crennell, sup't conduit line, sec 2.....	16 00
S M Oviat.....	16 00

Water rents.....	51,160 96
Unpaid water rents added tax rolls.....	1,936 38
Amount included in tax levy for 1877.....	7,060 00
Taps and tapping.....	3,106 28
Rebate on expenses.....	10 00
Returned Treasurer.....	7 15
Special fund from Water Commissioners.....	1,515 47
Telegraph pole sold.....	1 28
For repairs, and pipe sold.....	10 25
From Street Department.....	90 75
Add for error in adding water rents, \$40; less for error in adding water rents, \$1.....	39 00

64,377 47

Total..... \$ 43636

Pay Roll for week ending May 3d, 1883 :

SERVICE AND REPAIRS.

Charged to Water Works Fund.

P. C. Flemming, machin t.....	\$ 18 00
L. T. Lidster, plumber.....	15 00
H. Weber, inspector of taps.....	15 00
R. N. Warfield, flusher.....	1 00
E. W. Richmond, inspector of services.....	15 00
F. Curran, watchman.....	13 00
C. N. McCarthy, inspector.....	13 00
C. N. Rountier, service man.....	12 50
P. Lick.....	12 05
J. Gallagher.....	12 50
P. McKenna.....	12 00
James Smith.....	11 50
X. McKenna, tool man.....	11 50
M. Schneider, service man.....	10 50
T. McKenna.....	10 50
M. Dubelbeis, tapper.....	10 50
George Johnson, stable man.....	9 00
P. Guinan, service man.....	9 00
A. Barbot.....	9 00
C. B. Schlegel.....	9 00
L. C. Dow, inspector.....	9 00
John King, service man.....	9 00
James Doulan.....	9 00
S. McIntire.....	9 00
J. Behan.....	9 00
J. Burns.....	9 00
J. Harris.....	9 00

Total..... \$ 311 00

Pay Roll for week ending May 3d, 1883 :

WATER PIPE EXTENSION.

Charged to Water Pipe Fund.

R. J. Smith, draftsman.....	\$ 26 47
J. McMahon, inspector of pipe laying.....	18 00
W. A. Anderson.....	18 00
T. H. Rogers, draftsman.....	15 00
M. K. Gannon, pipe receiver.....	13 50
F. M. Hills, tape man.....	11 50

Total..... \$ 102 47

The following are the receipts and expenditures, as appear by the books kept in the office of the Executive Board, to April 3d, 1880:

Receipts from October 2d, 1876, to April 30th, 1877, from following sources—

Water rents.....	\$18,843 91
Taps and tapping, including materials sold, repairs made, and error in voucher.....	1,475 96
Debits to sundry improvements.....	127 37
Rebate on coal.....	20 09
Amount transferred by Water Works Commissioners.....	2,879 16
Highway Fund.....	2 55
Water Pipe Fund.....	2,116 80

The expenditures during this time were as follows, viz.:

Services and labor.....	12,680 68
Disbursements.....	332 36
Taxes.....	888 08
Meters.....	218 00
Sundry expenses.....	4,899 88

\$19,018 90

Receipts from May 1st, 1877, to April 30th, 1878—

The expenditures during this time were as follows, viz.:

Engineering account.....	2,889 80
Salaries of clerks.....	2,689 08
Office expenses.....	704 48
Service account.....	6,184 88
Repair acct.....	4,062 74
Expenses, pump house.....	3,060 31
Repairs.....	333 76
Expenses, distributing reservoir & gate house.....	1,771 43
Expenses, storage res.....	938 88
Hemlock L. res.....	741 35
Conduit line repairs.....	2,666 55
Tools and implements.....	379 62
Land purchased.....	65 75
damages.....	864 62
Water rent refunds.....	58 29
Taxes and insurance.....	54 22
Miscellaneous expenses.....	328 41
Telegraph line expenses.....	137 24
constr'n acct,.....	3,094 23
Bulkhead and pipe line account.....	3,921 94
Transferred to credit of salary and ex. acct.....	4,000 00
Transferred to Water Works special acct.....	1,515 47

40,507 55

Receipts from May 1st, 1878, to May 5th, 1879.

Water rents.....	54,744 26
Wood Pulp Co added tax rolls.....	1,495 51
.....	8,065 92

Part of amount for change in office, ch'd as expenses in 1876-7.

Rent of house.....	15 00
Balance special appropriation for telegraph & bulkhead.....	54 81

Less credited in 1877-78..... 10 28

Materials transfer'd to Water Works mater'l accou t.....	3,000 00
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Am't credited service account..... 1,369 39

Amount credited repair account..... 1,294 66

Amount credited operating pump house acct..... 5 57

Amount credited telegraph expenses..... 50 60

72 869 50

The expenses during this term were as follows, viz.:

Transferred for interest on water bonds.....	40,000 00
Transferred to Water Pipe Fund.....	3,000 00
Engineering account.....	4,888 00
Salaries of clerks.....	2,650 50
Expense account.....	677 43
Service account.....	5,093 00
Repair account.....	6,622 82
Expenses pump house.....	3,437 98
Repairs pump house.....	333 96
Expenses distributing reservoir and G. H.....	2,642 49
Expenses storage reservoir.....	947 26
Expenses Hemlock lake G. H.....	607 60
Expenses conduit line.....	2,570 14
Tools and implements.....	429 92
Water Pipe Extension Fund.....	645 05
Water Works Material.....	645 05

Fund.....	1,877 88
Land purchased.....	226 00
Land damages.....	106 00
Water rent refunds.....	487 81
Taxes and insurance.....	68 27
Miscellaneous expenses.....	1,440 74
Telegraph expenses.....	309 96
Disbursements.....	10 00
White street pipe.....	117 93
Sibley park pipe.....	55 95
Minerva place pipe.....	155 08
Allen st. bridge pipe.....	604 00
Ambrose street pipe.....	6 95
Crouch island pipe.....	719 08

80,687 87

Receipts from May 6th, 1870, to April 3d, 1880.....	
Water rents.....	59,349 90
Water rents added to tax rolls.....	7,486 54
Sundry amounts charged as expenditures in 1878-9.....	4,202 40
Error in water rents.....	4 08
Sprinkling hydrants in 1878.....	846 10
Rent.....	100 00
Amount included in tax levy 1879 for purchase of land.....	12,093 43
Amount credited engineering account.....	15 25
Amts. credited expense account.....	38 85
Amts. credited service account.....	1,529 66
Amts. credited repair account.....	535 80
Amts. credited pump house expenses.....	14 82
Amts cre'd conduit line.....	27 14
Amts. credited storage reservoir.....	8 00
Amts. credited telegraph expenses.....	157 07
Amts. credited repairing service trenches.....	36 92
Amts. credited Hemlock lake station.....	10 00

86,565 95

The expenditures during this time were as follows, viz:	
Transferred for interest on water bonds.....	40,000 00
Salaries of board.....	1,893 84
Engineering account.....	4,354 83
Salaries of clerks.....	3,783 99
Expense account.....	1,422 26
Service account.....	4,493 51
Repair account.....	5,663 44
Pump house expenses.....	2,884 87
repairs.....	1,177 50
Expenses distributing reservoir & G. H.....	2,363 88
Expenses storage reservoir.....	2,641 92
Expenses Hemlock lake G. H.....	1,087 26
Expenses conduit line.....	2,509 72
Water rent refunds.....	183 88
Taxes and insurance.....	28 26
Telegraph expenses.....	402 31
Land damages.....	1 00
Miscellaneous expenses.....	894 36
Drinking fountains.....	270 51
Repairing service tr'chs.....	36 02
Land purchased.....	11,975 42
Balance.....	

\$7 538 58
22,121 86

249,768 76 249,769 76

Respectfully submitted,

C. B. DENNY.

Ordered received, filed and published.

Ald. Hinds presented the petitions of Thomas H. Work and James G. Comerford for permission to erect wood buildings and moved permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

ROCHESTER, March 18th.

By Ald. Hinds—

To the Hon. Mr. Hinds, Alderman, 9th Ward: Can you give any reason why the oil lamps on Emerson, Locust, Perkins, Fulton ave., Glenwood, Costar, &c., are not lighted. I have made several complaints the past winter, but it has done no good. The contractor, whoever he may be, ought to see that the lamps are in a condition to burn every night and all night, or have his salary cut down until he does do it.

Yours Respectfully,

A. R. BURNETT, 25 Locust street.
Ordered received, filed and published and referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of John Quinlin for permission to erect a wood building and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and hereby is requested to ascertain and report to this Board at its next regular meeting the prices at which the persons who own lands necessary to be taken for the opening of a street from Reynolds street to Seward street will sell the same. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of William F. Cole for permission to erect a wood building, and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Strouss presented the petition of M. J. Wagner for permission to erect a wood building and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of property owners on Evergreen street for a sewer, and moved the city surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented a petition of Christian Balke for permission to erect a wood building at 156 North Clinton street, and moved it be referred to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of property owners on Woodford place for the construction of a plank walk on the south side, and moved that the city surveyor be directed to prepare an ordinance. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented a communication from John Stephany, claiming damages for the overflow of the North Clinton street sewer, and moved it be referred to the Law Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Archer—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS,
Rochester, N. Y., March 13, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council: Com. Vicks, from the Law Committee, presented the following report:

To the Board of Education:

GENTLEMEN: The Law Committee, to whom was referred the communication of the Common Council regarding the damages to school house No. 1, town of Irondequoit, would report as follows:

The building when taken in the city by the extension of the city limits was in a very bad condition, so much so that it could not be used until thoroughly repaired. The out-house was in a similar condition.

The contents of the school buildings were some old double seats, almost worthless, and a book-case containing some old seats of little or no value. In our judgment, based on all the facts we can ascertain about the matter, no loss has been sustained by any act or authority of the city, and the district has been fully compensated for any loss which resulted, which must have been trifling. We are, therefore, compelled to report adversely to the claim made for loss of books and property.

FRANK H. VICK,
THOS. A. RAYMOND,
J. E. DURAND,
F. L. HEWITT,
M. NOYES,

Adopted. The above report was unanimously adopted at a meeting of the Board of Education, held March 5, 1884.

S. A. ELLIS, Clerk.

Referred to the Law Committee.

By Ald. Watson—Whereas, The Common Council directed the Map and Survey Committee to cause the re-numbering of the various buildings in the city of Rochester, and such work has been prosecuted under the direction

of the city surveyor during the past season, and the various details of measurements and office records now having been completed throughout the first fourteen wards of the city; and,

Whereas, It is desirable to place the proposed new numbers on the various buildings at the earliest opportunity, that facilities may be offered for the early issue of the next edition of the directory; therefore

Resolved, That the Map and Survey Committee be, and it is hereby authorized, to advertise for proposals for furnishing and putting in place the various required new numbers, and report the same to the Common Council at the next regular meeting. Adopted.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas Lots Nos 8 to 31 of the Hooker subn., pt, town lot 61 tract, west side Nichols Park, 16th ward, was assessed for Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols Park sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated March 18th 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$129.30 less discount, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer

SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to H. E. Hooker viz:

Lot Nos 8, 10, 12 and 14, Hooker subn., pt. town lot 51, west side of Nichols Park, 16th ward, 170 feet front, 170 feet rear, and 150 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park sewer, Ordinance No. 4,540, the sum of \$129.30, upon the payment of which, less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon above described land.

[Sig: ed]

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 18th, 1884.
(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. 52 of the Assessors' Sub'n, part town lot 61, tract, north side Brighton avenue, 16th ward, was assessed for Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated March 18th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$118.12, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 18, 1884.

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property was assessed upon the assessment rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to H. C. Hooker, viz.:

Part lot No. 52, Assessors' Sub'n, part town lot 41, tract, north side of Brighton avenue, 16th ward, 166 feet front, 166 feet rear, and 139 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of Cambridge street, Brighton avenue and Nichols park sewer No. 2,540, the sum of \$118.12, upon the payment of which, less discount, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed,)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 18th, 1884.
(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Bronson—Whereas, Lot No. pts 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 of the Cobb tract, west side Alexander street, Seventh ward, was assessed for Alexander street improvement under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate

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from the Assessors, dated March 18th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$30.02, less discount, in pursuance of said certificate. Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSORS' OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 18th, 1884.

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR.—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to Sarah R. Moore and C. Ross, viz: Part lots No. 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 Cobb tract, west side of Alexander street, Seventh ward, 10 feet front, 10 feet rear, and 200 feet deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as their portion of Alexander street improvement tax No. 2,358, the sum of \$30.02, upon the payment of which, less discount, they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., March 18th, 1884.
(A true copy.) A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

Ald. Barron moved that when this Board adjourned, it adjourn to the last Thursday in the month, March 27. Adopted.

The chair announced the following committee:

Committee on the preservation of the purity of the waters of Hemlock and Canadice Lakes—Aldermen Foley, Watson, Strouss, Pitkin, Rice, Dr. Edward M. Moore, Dr. James W. Casey, James E. Booth, Frank P. Michel, Jacob Gerling.

Ald. Foley moved that the President of this Board be added to this committee. Adopted.

Adjourned. FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, March 27, 1884.

CHARTER MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in the chair.

Present—Ald. Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Sammelink—12.

Absent—Ald. Collins, Bronson, Strouss, Rice—4.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, held March 18th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, REMONSTRANCES, &C., AND THEIR REFERENCE.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company for permission to erect a wood building on Marietta street, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of A. E. Kelly for permission to raise the roof of a building on Spring street. Permission was granted under the supervision of the Fire Marshal.

Ald. Pitkin presented the petitions of F. W. Armbruster and Catharine Hall for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds presented the petitions of James Rickard and Wm. Hondorf for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permis-

son be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Bills of

Rochester Gas Light Co., lighting, March.....	\$1,399 86
Citizens'	2,236 05
Brush Electric Light Co.	3,909 15
Municipal Gas Co.,	76 38
J. W. Maser, oil lamps.....	939 41

Referred to the Lamp Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petition of Sisters of the Sacred Heart in relation to an assessment for sprinkling.

Referred to the Assessment Committee.

By Ald. Felsing—Bills of

St. Pat's Orphan Asylum, board of inmates \$	691 66
St. Joseph's	871 30
St. Mary's	779 70
St. Mary's Hospital	2,732 14
Rochester City Hospital.....	948 50
Rochester Orphan Asylum	410 10
Church Home.....	209 40
Home of Industry.....	171 22
Home for the Friendless.....	78 00
Industrial School.....	382 20
Sisters of Mercy.....	136 50
J. D. Whipple, beans.....	27 01
Burke, Fitzsimons, Hone & Co., dry goods.....	10 00
Smith, Perkins & Co., pork.....	82 50
John Englert, rent.....	14 00
Home of Industry, bread.....	69 30
John Curran, meat.....	11 60
C. W. Gray, groceries.....	197 00
E. M. Moore, clothes.....	6 00
B. O'Reilly, burials.....	48 00
M. Heavey, transportation.....	15 50
F. Seifried, constable's fees.....	3 00
N. Thompson, disbursements.....	28 10

Referred to the Poor Committee.

By Ald. Southard—Bills of

Thomas Knowles, hack hire.....	3 00
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Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

Fee Bros., alcohol.....	6 00
A. Medcalf, soap.....	3 00
Municipal Gas Co., gas city buildings.....	208 08
Henry Martin, supplies.....	6 45

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for water in Alphonso street. Referred to the water works committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for a plank walk on Bay street. Referred to the improvement committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented the petition of Thomas F. Dawson for permission to erect a wood building on Upton park and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of J. G. Wagner for permission to erect a wood building on King street. Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Hinds—

ROCHESTER, March 6th, 1884.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned respectfully represents that she is the owner of certain lots on Maplewood avenue extending from McCracken street northwardly in the 9th ward of the city of Rochester, N. Y. That she has commenced the construction of about twenty dwellings on said lots. That in consequence thereof she requires the use of Hencklock water for said dwellings both during and after construction. She therefore prays the Common Council to direct the Executive Board to extend a four inch cast iron water main in said Maplewood avenue from McCracken street northwardly about 350 feet, at an estimated cost of \$250.

IDA J. COLE.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend a water main in Maplewood avenue from McCracken street northwesterly two hundred and fifty feet, in accordance with the petition of Ida J. Cole therefor, at an ex-

pense not to exceed two hundred and fifty (\$250) dollars, and pay the expense thereof from any moneys now or hereafter provided for Water Pipe Extension Fund.

Adopted by following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Aikenhead, from the Health Committee, presented bills of—

Jacob Rauber, collecting garbage.....	\$ 71 25
D. Hickey.....	142 50
F. Bradley.....	71 25
J. W. Maser.....	71 25
Jerome Keyes, supt.....	52 50
M. Heavey, board of horse, March.....	20 00
Union & Advertiser Co., printing.....	27 00

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee, Ald. Jeffords, from the Lamp Committee, Ald. Southard, from the Contingent Expense Committee, and Ald. Felsing, from the Poor Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Kelly—

REPORT OF THE WATER WORKS COMMITTEE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING APRIL 1st, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Water Works Committee submit the subjoined report in relation to the work done during the past year in the extension of water mains in the streets of this city and also in relation to the litigation arising out of the construction and maintenance of our system of water works.

In accordance with the provisions of the charter, the Common Council inserted in the tax levy for the fiscal year 1883-4 the sum of \$75,000 for water pipe extensions. Of this sum \$52,150 was to pay city notes issued from time to time by authority of the Common Council to pay water pipe extensions authorized by that body after the adoption of the tax levy for 1883-3. The remaining \$22,850 was for new work.

Immediately upon the adoption of this levy it was found that it would require a further sum of \$48,600 to make such extensions as were urgently demanded and for which petitions were then on file. This sum was authorized to be raised by issuing the notes of the city from time to time as the necessities of the work required. Various other extensions were authorized and made for which the Council, on the 27th of November last, authorized the making another city note for \$18,202.

At that date another large batch of petitions had been placed on file, which contemplated work amounting to \$42,430 more than had yet been provided. The Executive Board joined your committee in a recommendation that the water pipe required for the last mentioned work should be purchased and delivered during the winter just passed, both on the ground that it could be procured at a reduction of about ten dollars per ton, from prices during the summer season, but it would enable the work of laying the pipe to be commenced at the opening of the season. In compliance with this recommendation, the Council authorized the raising a sufficient sum on the city's notes, not to exceed \$20,652, to pay for the said pipe. Contracts were made by the Executive Board for the necessary pipe at \$50 per ton, and at this rate the 450 tons hereafter received, being about 7% of the whole amount contracted.

Of the \$20,652 authorized to be raised for the purchase of pipe during the winter, nothing has yet been raised, but it is expected that a note for about \$5,200 of this amount will have to be discounted previous to the adoption of the next tax levy. In case this shall be done, there will be city notes for water pipe extension outstanding as follows:

Resolution of May 15th, 1883.....	\$49,600
Nov. 27th, 1883.....	18,202
Nov. 27th, 1883.....	5,198
	\$72,000

Of course, these outstanding obligations must be met by inserting at least the \$72,000 in the tax levy for 1884-5. There will still remain of the \$20,652 authorized to be raised under the resolution of Nov. 27th, 1883, the sum of \$15,454, which, after the adoption of the coming tax

levy, may be raised by note chargeable against the tax levy of 1885-6.

There will also be required to pay for the laying of the pipe on hand the further sum of about \$16,000. There are also additional petitions for pipe extensions now on file, the estimated cost of which extensions if made will amount to about \$15,400 more. If therefore follows that in case but \$72,000 is raised in the present tax levy for water pipe extension, there will be required to be raised by note on the credit of the tax levy for 1885-6 the following sums for laying the pipe now on hand and for extensions asked for by petitions now on file the sum of \$46,854.

During the past year, pipe extensions have been made of greater or lesser length in 13 different streets amounting in all to 12 45-100 miles. In connection with these pipes have been set 105 stop gates and 90 fire hydrants.

The total pipe laid in city streets to April 1st is 142 69-100 miles.
The total number of fire hydrants is 1,220.
The total number of gates is 1,426.

WATER WORKS LITIGATION.

In the matter of the suit of Hiram P. Smith and others against the city of Rochester, the Court of Appeals overruled the judgment of the court below and ordered a new trial. The opinion in this case held that the city must pay such damages as result from the taking of the water by the city, in a large number of suits for such damages have been commenced. The City Attorney on the other hand has prepared a petition to the Supreme Court asking for the appointment of "Commissioners of Appraisal" to condemn such rights on the water as the city may desire for the purposes of its water supply for all time to come.

This petition is prepared and will soon be presented to the court. This proceeding will work a complete settlement of all legal questions with the parties interested in the use of the waters of Honeoye Creek. The preparation of these papers, including as it did, the critical examination of the titles to between thirty and forty pieces of property, has been a work of great magnitude, requiring the utmost care and exactness on the part of the City Attorney and his assistants. The County Clerk's searches in these cases alone have cost over \$1,500.

The papers in the case have been served on the several parties in interest, and the application will be made to the Court in a short time. By this preliminary work the Attorney has thoroughly familiarized himself with the details of the case, which will prove of great importance and value in the future conduct of the same.

Respectfully submitted, ELIAS STROUSS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
HENRY RICE,
Water Works Committee.

By Ald. Kelly—

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY PROPERTY COMMITTEE.

To the Honorable the Common Council.

GENTLEMEN—The City Property Committee begs leave to submit the following report of the receipts and expenditures of their department from April 1st, 1883, to March 27th, 1884.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand April 1st, 1883.....	\$ 642 88
Proceeds of note per resolution of Common Council Jan. 17th, 1883.....	2,000 00
Annual appropriation.....	3,000 00
Proceeds of note by resolution of Common Council Aug. 7th, 1883.....	3,000 00
Proceeds of note per resolution of Common Council Oct. 30th, 1883.....	2,500 00
Proceeds of note per resolution of Common Council Jan. 8th, 1884.....	1,500 00
Proceeds of note per resolution of Common Council Feb. 19th.....	500 00
Proceeds from rent.....	661 04
March 27, proceeds from rents J. W. Stanley, for land at Mt. Hope reservoir.....	200 00
	\$14,008 87

EXPENDITURES.

City Hall, furniture, carpets, repairs, &c. in different offices.....	\$2,144 01
City Hall, kalsomining and painting different offices.....	615 26
City Hall, changing steam heaters and water closets, plumbing, &c.....	1,837 51
City Hall, cleaning and front street building.....	1,124 00
City Hall, gas and front street building.....	1,981 76
City Hall, coal and front street building.....	1,275 00
Front street building, painting and repairing roof.....	1,432 32

Insurance.....	195 82
Cogswell fountain.....	745 20
Miscellaneous items.....	2,152 17
Balance on hand March 27th, 1884.....	510 92
\$310.92, J. W. Stanley, \$200.....	14,008 87

The committee is desirous of calling your attention to the apparently large expenditures this year over that of last year. The expenditure of about \$2,000 for changing the heaters in the different departments and putting in entirely new water closets on both floors of the City Hall was a very much needed improvement. Also the expenditures for changing, refitting, kalsomining, painting, &c. of the different offices. The expenditures at the front street building were necessary for safety, and the expenditure for the Cogswell fountain was done under resolution of the Common Council.

All of which is respectfully submitted,
J. MILLER KELLY,
CHAS. WATSON,
JOHN A. FELSINGER,
Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Lamp Committee present the following report of the amounts provided and the amounts expended for lighting the city from April 1st, 1883, to April 1st, 1884:

Amount in Lamp Fund April 1st, 1883.....	\$ 6,498 15
Annual appropriation.....	65,000 00
Appropriation Res. C. C., Feb. 19, 1884.....	7,000 00
Mar. 18,.....	10,000 00
	\$88,498 15

EXPENDITURES

Lighting and care gas lamps.....	\$52,479 35
Lighting and care electric lamps.....	25,635 60
Lighting and care oil lamps.....	11,491 10
National Gas Co., judgment Res. C. C. 1-4-1-21.....	1,421 21
Painting and calking lamp posts.....	759 70
Setting lamp posts.....	710 53
Lamp tops and oil pots.....	336 86
Boulevard globes and reflectors.....	216 50
Lamp posts.....	196 80
Lamp cocks, caps and burners.....	75 18
Repairing tops.....	76 10
Salaries Lamp Inspector and Supt. Electric Wires.....	525 00
	\$98,954 93

Balance to be provided for.....\$ 5,461 78

STATEMENT OF PUBLIC LAMPS.

Number of gas lamps, March 1st, 1883.....	2,514
Number of oil lamps, March 1st, 1883.....	1,593
Number of electric lights, March 1st, 1883.....	52
	4,159
Number of gas and oil erected during the year.....	115
Number of electric erected during the year.....	223
	398
Number of gas and oil lamps displaced.....	4,497
	860
Total number of lamps in use, March 1, 1884.....	3,637
Distributed as follows:	
Citizen's Gas Co., lights.....	1,094
Rochester Gas Co., lights.....	681
Municipal Gas Co., lights.....	46
	1,821
Brush Electric Light Co., lights.....	275
J. W. Maser, oil lamps, lights.....	1,541
	3,637

The lamp committee deem it their duty, in view of the increased expense of this department over that of last year, to call your attention to the cause of such increase.

The increase in the cost of lighting gas lamps for the months of April, May and June, 1883, over the corresponding months of the previous year was \$10 per lamp on the west side of the river and \$7 per lamp on the east side, amounting in the aggregate to over \$4,000. The erection of additional gas and oil lamps during the year has increased the expense about \$2,000.

An additional expense of about \$2,000 has been incurred by the salaries of the lamp inspector and the superintendent of electric wires, together with the payment of an old claim of the National Gas Light Co. [See expenditures.]

The extension of electric lights over territory heretofore unlighted has also added materially to the expense of the Lamp Department.

In conclusion, your committee would state that the substitution of electric light for gas has increased the cost of lighting the city about ten thousand dollars.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. JEFFORDS,
J. MILLER KELLY,
J. A. MINDS.
Lamp Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Southard—

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CONTINGENT EXPENSE COMMITTEE.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on Contingent Expenses would respectfully submit the following:

RECEIPTS.	
Balance in fund March 13th, 1883.....	\$ 3,708 62
Appropriation.....	87,000 00
Interest on assessments.....	12,000 00
Licenses.....	1,683 50
Municipal Court.....	2,841 20
City Attorney.....	870 50
Hollister & Co., land.....	250 00
Flour City National Bank.....	2,500 00
George Reynolds (Returned from Decoration Day appropriations).....	45 55
Philip Block (Buildings on North St. Paul st. on site new street).....	1,593 00
	\$111,992 37
Amount provided for from interest on assessments.....	1,357 24
	\$113,349 61
EXPENDITURES.	
Total disbursements (for items of which see Treasurer's annual report) from March 13th, 1883, to March 10th, 1884.....	\$ 99,987 52
Discounts, &c. (Union Trust Co.).....	13,362 09
	113,349 61

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. COLLINS,
J. T. SOUTHARD,
E. STROUSS,
Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Southard—

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—At the regular meeting of the Common Council held June 26th, 1883, the following resolution was adopted:

“By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to draw orders on the City Treasurer, not to exceed the amount of \$300, to pay for disbursements for firing salute, ringing bells, &c., on July 4th inst., upon presentation of orders from the chairman of the Contingent Expense Committee, and charge the same to the Contingent Fund.”

By authority of the above resolution disbursements were made as follows:

PAID THE SIXTEENS FOR RINGING BELLS JULY 4TH, 1883.	
St. Paul's Church, Fitzhugh street.....	\$2 00
Brick Church, Fitzhugh street.....	2 00
St. Lukes Church.....	2 00
St. Paul's Church, St. Paul street.....	2 00
St. Peter's Cathedral.....	2 00
Trinity Church.....	2 00
Holy Family.....	2 50
St. Peter's and Paul's.....	2 00
Epiphany.....	2 00
St. Andrews.....	2 00
South Avenue Presb.....	2 00
Grand Street Church.....	2 00
St. Maries.....	2 00
St. Peters.....	2 00
Grove Street Church.....	2 00
St. Josephs.....	2 00
Hudson Street Memorial.....	2 00
Holy Redeemer.....	2 00
St. James.....	2 00
First Presbyterian Church.....	2 00
Asylum Street Church.....	2 00
Lake Avenue Baptist.....	2 00
St. Michael's.....	2 00
City Hall.....	10 00
G. H. Reynolds, for firing a salute.....	100 00
	\$156 50

Respectfully submitted,

A. COLLINS,
Chairman Contingent Expense Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Aikenhead—

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH COMMISSIONERS.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The Board of Health Commissioners beg leave to submit the following report of receipts and expenditures of this department from April 1st, 1883 to April 1st, 1884:

RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand April 1, 1883.....	\$ 817 53
Proceeds of note per res. C. C. April 17, 1883.....	3,000 00
Annual appropriation.....	12,000 09
Proceeds of note per res. C. C. Feb. 5, 1884.....	2 500 00
Proceeds for sale of garbage, \$134.66, \$126.00.....	260 66
J. W. Maser, error in voucher for collecting garbage from Feb. 15, 1884 to March 14, 1884.....	114 00
	\$19,692 19
EXPENDITURES.	
Collecting garbage from April 1, 1883 to April 1, 1884.....	\$ 9,711 25
Salaries, viz: H. O. inspectors, register, flushers and messenger.....	7,248 42
Miscellaneous items: Boarding flusher's horse, hose, removing dead animals, &c.....	841 32
Balance on hand.....	891 20
	\$18,692 19

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES R. CHAMBERLIN,
E. B. CHASE.

Finance Committee Board of Health.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Foley—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

The Commissioners of Mount Hope Cemetery beg leave to present their annual report for the fiscal year ending March 1st, 1884, and the condition of funds belonging to said Cemetery.

RECEIPTS.	
To Soddy g and repairs.....	\$ 7,159 38
Internments.....	3,812 00
Va: It fees.....	238 50
Removals.....	326 50
Rents.....	188 00
Lots sold.....	12,738 70
Single graves sold.....	844 00
Perpetual contracts.....	855 00
	\$36,262 08
EXPENDITURES.	
By amount Sup't salary and labor as per pay roll.....	\$21,598 18
By amount paid for material, tools and repairs.....	3,244 49
By amount deposited on perpetual fund.....	855 00
By balance deposited with City Treasurer.....	564 44
	\$26,262 08

For amount of interest and condition of funds, see Statement of City Treasurer herewith.

The number of burial lots graded and sodded ready for sale during the past year is as follows:

On Range No. 3, 40 lots, 30x33½ feet.....	4, 18 lots,
On Section A, 5 lots, 15x20 feet.....	1, about 20 lots, 20x20 feet.

About three-fourths of the above lots remain unsold. Owing to the lack of space for single graves a large force of workmen have been employed during the winter grading the hill on the west side of Section W, thereby bringing into market a large quantity of land otherwise useless.

The additions to the Perpetual Fund during the year were as follows:

March 15—Marla S. Jeffreys.....	\$100 00
21—Frank W. Ellwood.....	250 00
April 21—J. E. Butterfield.....	75 00
June 7—Richard R. Smith.....	150 09
19—J. H. Lillie.....	40 00
19—J. H. Lillie, ex'r Orrin Lull.....	40 00
Sep't'r 25—G. C. Hayward.....	50 00
Oct'r 15—Louisa A. Hart.....	100 00
Dec'r 12—Isabella M. Backus.....	100 00
	\$855 00

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK COOK,
GEO. H. TOMPSON,
NEWELL A. STONE,
Commissioners.

REPORT

Of City Treasurer as Treasurer of Mt. Hope Commissioners March 5th, 1884.

BALANCE SHEET.

General Fund.....	\$7,218 26
Repair and Sinking Fund.....	18,605 00
Perpetual contracts.....	7,808 81
Cash.....	\$32,132 07
Rochester Water Loan.....	5,000 00
Erie County Public Building Loan.....	1,000 00
	\$38,132 07

CASH DEPOSITED.

Monroe County Savings Bank.....	\$12,927 00
Mechanics' Savings Bank.....	4,159 86
Rochester Savings Bank.....	6,837 38
East Side Savings Bank.....	6,858 88
	\$29,132 07

City of Rochester Registered Water Loan Bonds (three one thousand dollar)

.....	3,000 00
Erie County and City of Buffalo Bond (one one thousand dollar).....	1,000 00
	\$32,132 07

Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending March 5th, 1884:

Received from Superintendent—	
General Fund.....	\$22,866 40
Repair and Sinking Fund.....	2,540 68
Perpetual Contracts.....	855 00
Interest credited as follows:	
General Fund.....	\$369 48
Repair and Sinking Fund.....	738 96
Perpetual Contracts.....	360 44
	1,468 88
	\$27,730 96

Payments:

Checks to Superintendent—	
For labor and materials.....	\$24,842 67
Checks to Superintendent—	
For Perpetual Contracts Interest ...	360 44
Premium and interest on bonds purchased for investment.....	1,587 50
	26,790 61

Net receipts.....	\$ 940 35
Balance March 5th 1883.....	32,191 72
	\$33,132 07

Statement Showing Receipts and Expenditures at Mt. Hope Cemetery from March 1st, 1883, to March 1st, 1884.

March.....	\$ 691 27	
April.....	1,312 01	
May.....	1,804 87	
June.....	1,083 87	
July.....	408 59	
August.....	1,921 16	
September.....	364 25	
October.....	279 80	
November.....	486 75	
December.....	367 88	
January.....	231 59	
February.....	502 05	
	1,588 99	
	\$ 801 50	
	\$ 3,812 00	
	\$ 238 50	
	\$ 326 20	
	\$ 3 00	
	\$ 3 00	
	\$ 3 00	
	\$ 292 10	
	\$ 43 00	
	\$ 944 00	

Total amounts deposited with City.....	\$ 25,407 08
Material tools and repairs.....	\$ 3,244 49
Supt's pay rolls, Labor, etc.....	\$ 21,598 18
Total amounts drawn from City Treasurer.....	\$ 24,842 67

Ordered received, filed and published.
By Ald. Foley—

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC PARKS.

To the Honorable the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN: The Park Committee make the following report for receipts and expenditures from April 1st, 1883, to April 1st, 1884.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, April 4, 1883.....	73
Annual appropriation.....	2,000 00
Proceeds of note per res C. C. Aug. 7th, 1883.....	2,000 00
	\$ 4,000 73

EXPENDITURES.

Labor.....	\$ 2,418 92
Flag walk, Madison park.....	856 75
Lumber, for seats in parks.....	534 78
Miscellaneous items.....	156 20
Cash on hand.....	34 08
	\$ 4,000 73

Inventory of tools, implements, &c., belonging to the city, in charge of the Park Committee and stored in the city building:

- 1 Lawn mowers—4 old and almost worthless, 3 good.
- 2 Wheelbarrows.
- 3 Shovels.
- 1 Tree trimmer.
- 2 Rakes.
- 1 Pickaxe.
- 1 Sickle.
- 1 Screw-driver.
- 2 Oil-cans.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
J. H. FOLEY,
J. A. FELSINGER,
J. A. HINDS.

Ordered received, filed and published.
By Ald. Pitkin—

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE POLICE COMMITTEE.
To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Your Police Committee respectfully present the following as their Annual Report from March 15th, 1883, to March 10th, 1884:

RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury March 13, 1883.....	\$ 7,187 99
Annual appropriation.....	60,000 00
Special appropriations.....	22,000 00
Fines, penalties, costs, &c. collected in Police Court and paid by Police Clerk.....	7,817 24
Fines paid at Penitentiary for convictions in Police Court for year ending 1883.....	806 00
Fines paid at Penitentiary for convictions in Police Court for year ending 1883.....	535 00
Amount paid by County of Monroe for services rendered by Police Department.....	579 77
Total receipts.....	\$ 98,975 00

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries, including Police Commissioners, Police Justice, Clerk, &c.....	\$91,853 21
Monthly expenses of Clerk and Chief.....	1,159 20
Printing, stationery, law books, &c.....	192 20
Repairs at Police Headquarters.....	327 74
Ice at Headquarters.....	96 00
Use of telephone at Headquarters.....	55 00
Medical services.....	163 00
Music at annual parade.....	75 06

Fines paid to Society for Cruelty to Children and Animals	32 00
Badges for Department	136 00
Use of Arsenal for drill purposes	45 00
Furniture for Police Justice's office	127 87

Total expenditures \$94,266 22
 Leaving a balance in the treasury, March 10, 1884, of \$2,354 39
 All of which is respectfully submitted

J. M. PITKIN,
 JOHN A. FELSINGER,
 J. MILLER KELLY,
 Police Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Pitkin—

ANNUAL REPORT OF POLICE CLERK.
 POLICE JUSTICE'S OFFICE.

Rochester, March 26, 1884.

To the Hon. Common Council of the City of Rochester: GENTLEMEN—That your honorable body, as well as your constituents, may know officially and partially the work transacted in the Police Court, I herewith transmit to you the following report, showing the business of the Police Court between March 1st, 1883 and March 1st, 1884:

Number of persons arrested	4,215
Number of persons convicted	2,183
Number of persons committed to the Penitentiary	680
Number of persons committed to jail	804
Number of persons committed to the Western House of Refuge—Males, 42; females, 7	49
Number of persons held for the Oyer and Terminer	159
Number of warrants issued	1,247
Number of records of convictions filed	1,984
Amount collected for fines, penalties, costs, etc., at Police office	\$7,817 24
Amount of fines paid at Penitentiary for convictions in the Police Court	585 00
Amount received from County of Monroe for services rendered by the Department	579 77

The following table shows the number convicted of various crimes during each month of the year:

	Assault	Drunk and Disorderly	Disorderly	Drunk	Misdemeanors	Pelt Larceny	Vagrancy	Violating Ordinances	Total
March	8	63	1	39	19	2	2	7	139
April	7	73	1	53	16	2	2	6	139
May	14	96	1	50	16	8	2	12	197
June	15	104	4	48	2	5	4	17	199
July	18	102	2	59	4	15	8	25	233
August	3	99	1	62	1	10	8	38	242
September	3	74	1	66	1	33	9	10	213
October	11	95	1	33	7	13	5	17	206
November	7	61	3	49	—	19	9	8	154
December	8	50	1	57	6	32	4	23	136
January	11	60	1	34	13	20	1	12	152
February	6	43	2	24	3	7	3	8	96

All of which is respectfully submitted.

B. FRANK ENOS, Clerk of the Court.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Felsinger—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Support and Relief of Poor would respectfully present the following as their annual report for the year ending March 27th, 1884:

RECEIPTS.

Merchandise on hand as per inventory March 29th, 1883	\$ 638 93
Annual appropriation	30,000 00
Received from Excise Board	37,523 70
Received from towns	478 55
Received from sundry persons for board at hospitals and asylums	350 40
Balance on hand March 29, 1883	22,020 07

\$91,011 65

EXPENDITURES.

Paid St. Mary's Hospital	\$10,980 71
Paid City Hospital	3,067 70
Paid Industrial School	1,480 02
Paid St. Mary's O. Asylum	3,128 27
Paid St. Joseph's O. Asylum	3,500 67
Paid St. Patrick's O. Asylum	2,893 31
Paid Church Home	1,577 33
Paid Home of Industry	843 30
Paid Home of Friendless	667 26
Paid Sisters of Mercy	299 42
	537 42

\$28,535 97

Paid for bread	\$2,711 66
Paid for meat	4,346 65
Paid for groceries	4,644 30
Paid for flour and meal	1,588 26
Paid for shoes	342 00
Paid for undertakers' services	611 00
Paid for Overseer disbursements	493 64
Paid for transportation	173 61
Paid for ambulance	242 25
Paid for coal	7,001 36
Paid for salaries Overseer and Assistants	5,300 00
Paid for salaries City Physicians	3,600 00
Paid for salaries Excise Board and Assistants	3,460 00
Paid for sundries for Excise Board	105 25
Paid for blank books, stationary, &c.	120 02
Paid for rent for sundry persons	883 20
Paid for board for sundry persons	198 17
Paid for sundry expenses	24 57
Paid for medical supplies	16 00

\$35,907 94

Forward amount	\$64,343 91
Paid for dry goods	26 00
Constable Fees	13 00
Outstanding bills	855 81

65,238 72

Deduct mds in store and coal in yard paid for	2,504 59
Relief furnished towns and not yet reimbursed	384 25
Bills outstanding for the year 1882 and paid in the year 1883	8,971 35

11,810 39

Total cost for the support and relief of the poor for the year ending March 27th, 1884	\$58,428 33
Cost last year, 1882 and 1883	\$63,351 43
Cost this year, 1883, 1884	\$3,428 33

Less this year \$9,923 10

JOHN A. FELSINGER,
 JOHN H. FOLEY,
 A. COLLINS,
 Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 By Ald. Archer—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: Your Law Committee hereby submits its annual report regarding the actions and proceedings in which the city of Rochester is interested under the charge of your Law Committee during the past year:

1. An action brought by Richard Smith against James R. Kelly and others to recover ten thousand dollars for personal injuries, was tried at the October Circuit in the year 1880. The injuries complained of, for which damages were sought to be recovered, were occasioned during the centennial celebration in this city. The complaint was dismissed as to all of the defendants, except Gibson and Williams, and the jury rendered a verdict against said Gibson and Williams for five thousand dollars. Recently a motion for a new trial was made by the plaintiff's attorney, which motion is still pending undetermined.

2. An action brought by Henry Bamber, as receiver, against the City of Rochester resulted in a nonsuit on the trial. A motion for a new trial was made by the plaintiff, which was denied, and an appeal was taken to the General Term. The case was argued at the General Term in October, 1882, and the judgment was affirmed. The plaintiff thereupon appealed to the Court of Appeals, but the cause has not yet been reached.

3. The cases, James G. McCartney against the City of Rochester, and Susanna Schomer against the City of Rochester, both of which involve substantially the same questions, were argued at the last General Term. The decisions in said cases have not yet been rendered.

4. The action brought by Edgar Hornance against the city of Rochester to recover five thousand dollars damages for injuries received by him while driving on East avenue in January, 1879 was four times tried. On each of the three first trials the juries disagreed. The fourth trial came on before Mr. Justice Ramsey in June, 1883, and resulted in a verdict for the city. The plaintiff made a motion for a new trial, which was denied. No appeal has been taken from the order denying the motion for a new trial, and the case is, therefore, ended.

5. The action brought by George Truesdale against the city, to recover a balance alleged to be due plaintiff as Police Justice, is still pending at the General Term.

6. The case of the City of Rochester against Daniel O'Grady and the National Gas Light Company of the city of New York, which was tried before J. C. O'Brien, as referee, was taken by the National Gas Light Company to the General Term. In the meantime an action was brought by said National Gas Light Company

against the city to recover a balance owing on the contract for lighting certain streets with naphtha. Upon the trial of the last mentioned action the referee found that the city was owing the company nine hundred ninety-five and ten hundredth dollars on said contract. The Common Council, thereafter, passed a resolution providing for the payment of the amount found to be owing, whereupon the appeal in the former case was discontinued.

7. The action brought in the Supreme Court by James H. Hooker to recover thirteen thousand dollars damages for the pollution of the stream running across his premises in the town of Irondequoit by drainage into the stream of a sewer of the city, was tried at the last June term, and resulted in a verdict of six hundred dollars in favor of the plaintiff. A stay of proceedings was obtained and a motion for a new trial in this action will be made.

8. The action brought by Lewis Clehammer against the city to recover damages is still pending. The claim is similar to that made in the Hooker case above referred to.

9. In May, 1881, Patrick Crough brought an action against the city of Rochester to recover five thousand dollars damages alleged to have been received from a fall on North Clinton street. This cause was tried at the last October Circuit and resulted in favor of the city. No motion for a new trial has been made and the case is ended.

10. The appeal by the plaintiff in the action brought by Wm. S. Little against the city of Rochester to recover \$1,000 has been decided by the General Term, the judgment having been reversed and a new trial before another referee having been granted. This cause has been referred to Theodore Bacon, Esq., but has not yet been tried.

11. The action brought by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and others against the city is still pending. Said action was brought some years since to enjoin the city and the contractor, Cregan, from completing a sewer through Upton park.

12. The action brought by Elizabeth Folcomb to recover ten thousand dollars damages alleged to be injuries sustained by her by a fall on Brisbane street, was tried at the last June Circuit and resulted in a verdict for the city. No appeal has been taken.

13. The action brought by Luther G. Sheldon to recover damages for injuries alleged to have been caused by an open ditch on Lake avenue, in September, 1882, was tried at the March, 1883, term of the Monroe county court, and the complaint was dismissed. No appeal has been taken.

14. The action brought by a Amelia Groves and Thomas H. Groves against the city of Rochester to recover twenty-five thousand dollars damages, was tried at the last January circuit, and resulted in a verdict against the city for nineteen thousand dollars. Under the instructions of the Common Council a stay has been obtained and a motion for a new trial in said action will be made.

15. The action brought by Ransom D. McCrossen and others against the city of Rochester and the aldermen of the sixteen wards of the city of Rochester is at issue, and has not yet been tried. This action was brought for the purpose of obtaining a permanent injunction restraining the defendants from adopting any resolution or ordinance providing for the taking down of the bridges over the Genesee Valley canal on Atkinson and other streets of the city. The principle involved in this litigation is one of considerable importance. It is expected that this case will be brought to a hearing at the next equity term.

16. The action brought by the city of Rochester vs. The Genesee Valley Canal Railroad Company, James Shannahan and others, has not, as yet, been tried. In this case an injunction was granted restraining the defendants from flowing that portion of the Genesee Valley canal south of the southerly end of the Ohio basin with water. It was subsequently stipulated on the part of the Common Council that the injunction might be so far modified as to permit the water to flow over said portion of the canal for the purpose of testing the sewer under the bed of the same. Thereafter a motion was made by the Attorney General on behalf of the Superintendent of Public Works that the injunction in said action be vacated, which motion was, by the court, denied.

17. Growing out of the matter last above referred to, there were brought two actions by the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Railroad Company against the city of Rochester and others. Each of said actions sought to restrain the city, the members of the Common Council and Executive Board from constructing a dam in such a manner as to prevent the water of the canal from flowing into the Genesee Valley canal south of the southerly end of the Ohio basin. The injunction in each of said last mentioned cases was modified by the court so far as to permit the construction of said dam. Said actions are at issue, but have not yet been tried.

18. An action has been brought by William Kavanaugh against the city of Rochester to recover one

thousand dollars damages in consequence of injuries received by the plaintiff at the locality of the Genesee valley canal swing bridge. This cause is upon the calendar of the County Court now sitting, and will be tried during the term.

19. A second action has been brought against the city by James H. Hooker to recover damages alleged to have been sustained by him on account of the pollution of the stream flowing through his premises in Irondequoit since the first day of January, 1878. This cause will probably be tried at the next June Circuit.

20. An action of great importance to the city is that entitled Frank W. Elwood against the City of Rochester and Amrose C. McGlathlin, as treasurer of said city. This action was brought for the purpose of obtaining a judgment declaring the assessment role for the opening of a new street from State street to Sophia street void. This action has been referred to the Honorable E. A. Nash County Judge of Livingston county, to hear, try and determine. The trial will begin before Judge Nash on the seventeenth day of April next.

21. An action has been brought by Orrin Harris against the city of Rochester to recover the amount paid by the plaintiff for Oak street improvement. It is claimed by the plaintiff that the amount paid by him was paid in consequence of a levy upon his property, and he seeks to recover said amount on the ground that the assessment roll has been declared by the Court of Appeals void. If the plaintiff succeeds in his action a great number of actions of a similar nature would undoubtedly be brought. It is, therefore, important that some action should be taken by the Common Council looking to a final adjustment of the whole matter.

22. George Emnis claims to have sustained one thousand dollars damages by reason of the defective construction of a sidewalk on Sherman street, and has brought an action against the city to recover that amount. This case is upon the calendar of the County Court now in session, and will be reached during the term.

23. William Lusink has brought an action against the city to recover fourteen hundred dollars damages alleged to have been sustained by him by a fall over the outlet of East avenue sewer. The city has answered, and the case will probably be reached at the June Circuit.

24. Duane Earl seeks to recover of the city two hundred and four and 78/100 dollars, claimed to be owing him on account of work done and materials furnished under the direction of a former City Property Committee. The subject matter of this action was before a former Law Committee of the Common Council, which committee reported adversely upon the claim. This case will probably not be reached before next October.

25. The action brought by Emily Clark against the city to recover one thousand dollars damages in consequence of the alleged negligence of the city in failing to provide drainage for the street upon which her premises are situated is at issue, but will probably not be reached before October next.

26. Albert J. Fisk, by his guardian, has brought an action against the city of Rochester to recover one thousand and four hundred dollars. The cause of the alleged damages is substantially the same as that alleged in that of Lusink against the city hereinbefore referred to.

27. The case of Daniel Runkle against the city to recover \$16,730.24 and interest, claimed to be owing on the sale of iron pipe used in the construction of the water works, was referred to ex Judge David Runsey, and preparations had been made for the trial of said cause, but owing to the death of Judge Runsey, nothing further was done until a short time since, when another referee, the Hon. T. E. Ellsworth, of Lockport, was selected. This case has been noticed for trial for the twenty-eighth of this month, but will probably not be tried before the last week in April or the first week in May, owing to engagements until that time of Senator Ellis. The preparations for the trial of the case involves an examination of the water-work construction account. Necessarily a great amount of time has been spent in such preparations by the City Attorney.

28. A case of very great importance to the city has been decided by the Court of Appeals since the term of the present Law Committee began, viz., the case of Hiram Smith and others against the City of Rochester. In this case, it will be remembered, was brought for the purpose of enjoining the city from drawing the water of Hemlock Lake from its natural outlet. The Court of Appeals holds that the city is not entitled to the use of the water of Hemlock Lake for general municipal purposes, and for the domestic use of the inhabitants of the city, unless the right to so draw and use the water is obtained by purchase, or condemnation proceeding from the owners of the mills manufactories and water privileges upon the outlet of said lake and Honeyoek Creek, if it shall be determined that such taking of water in fact so far affects the flow of water in said streams as to injure said mill owners. Such action now comes back for a new trial. Such trial will occur at the adjourned Ontario County

Equity Term, which will be held in May or June. The city will endeavor to show on this trial that by reason of the improvements made at the outlet of Hemlock and Canadice Lakes by the city, the millers have been furnished with a more constant and uniform supply of water than before the construction of the water dams, and that consequently the mill owners have not suffered damage and are not entitled to the injunction prayed for.

In consequence of said decision of the Court of Appeals condemnation proceedings have been instituted. It is proposed to obtain by virtue of these proceedings a permanent and perpetual right to draw from Hemlock Lake and Canadice Lake nine millions of gallons of water per day. The appointment of commissioners in said proceedings will be made either at the March or April special term.

29. In consequence, also, of the decision of the Court of Appeals in the case last above referred to, thirteen actions have been brought to recover damages alleged to have been sustained by reason of the taking of water by the city from Hemlock Lake.

The titles of these actions, with the amounts claimed, are as follows:

John G. Neal et al. vs. The City of Rochester.—Amount claimed, \$25,000.

James A. Stillman vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$5,000.

Martin Pierce et al. vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$15,000.

Elias L. Yates et al. vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$5,000.

Frank A. Booth vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$10,000.

Guy R. Pride vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$15,000.

George R. Smith, as executor, vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$75,000.

Alvin T. Smith, as executor, vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$15,000.

Elston Hunt vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$5,000.

Amos Lotze vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$10,000.

Adrianna C. Smith vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$15,000.

Edwin E. Bond vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$10,000.

Alonzo W. Townsend vs. The City of Rochester. Amount claimed, \$15,000.

It is understood that other actions are to be brought. Eight of the foregoing actions are triable in the county of Monroe, and five in the county of Ontario. It is expected that the issues in all of the actions will be referred to the commissioners to be appointed in the condemnation proceedings, and that the hearing in all of said matters will begin by the middle of May next.

As these matters have been under the control of the water works committee of the common council and the executive board, your committee does not deem it necessary at this time to give any more than the foregoing brief statement with reference to such matters.

During the past year the following named improvements have been made:

Land has been acquired for the purpose of a new street from Water street to the west bank of the Genesee river.

Land has been acquired for a street from Mill street to the west bank of the Genesee river.

Land has been acquired for the widening and straightening of North St. Paul street.

Commissioners were appointed in the matter of the extension of Ward and Hamburg streets, and all proceedings with reference thereto were taken looking to the acquisition by the city of land for such purpose, but the common council voted not to confirm the assessment, and said improvement has been abandoned.

Two commissions and two hearings have been had in the matter of opening a new street from Frontale avenue to Griffith street. The report of both commissions were set aside by the common council. Negotiations were thereupon made by the land owners, the result of which was the purchase by the city of sufficient land for said new street.

The necessary legal proceedings have been taken for the opening of a street from Clifford street to Norton street. In this improvement over ninety parcels of property were taken.

Commissioners were appointed in the matter of the opening and Extension of Hayward Park, and have made their report, which has been confirmed.

Proceedings have been taken for the opening of a new street from Campbell street to Presbyterian church. In these proceedings the commissioners have made their report, which has been confirmed.

In the matter of widening North St. Paul street from Division street to River street commissioners were appointed and the necessary proceedings have been taken. The report of the commissioners has been confirmed, except as to the Reformed Presbyterian church, the trustees of which have filed a notice of appeal. Argument on the appeal will be made at the coming March Special Term.

Proceedings have been taken for the opening of a street from Reynolds street to Seward street. A commission was appointed and a hearing was had and a report made. The Common Council set aside the report, and a new ordinance has been adopted changing the amount of land to be taken for said improvement.

In the matter of opening and extension of Sykes street the report of the commissioners has been made and confirmed.

There are a large number of other actions of minor importance, which have been under the direction of your Law Committee, to which cases it is not necessary at this time to make a more particular reference. Many claims have been considered by your committee, in the investigation of which, considerable time was necessarily expended.

In conclusion, we desire to call attention to the efficient and faithful manner in which the City Attorney has performed the duties of his office.

Considering the large increase of business which has devolved upon that department of the city government the past two years, and the prompt and efficient manner in which it has been disposed of, we feel that the city well congratulated to have secured so capable and watchful a person at the head of that department, one who has always been courteous, considerate and honest in his opinions and advice to both the Council and your Law Committee.

GEO. W. ARCHER,
A. BRONSON,
E. STROUSS,
City Law Committee.

Ordered, received, filed and published.

By Ald. Watson—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GEORGE W. ARCHER—Your committee to whose charge was committed the work relating to street numbering, submits the following report:

The question of renumbering the various buildings in the city was first presented to the Common Council at a meeting held August 22nd, 1882, in a communication from the Executive Board dated August 7th of the same year, said communication being ordered received, filed and published and referred to the Map and Survey Committee. A report from said committee relating to the proposed work was submitted to the Common Council at a meeting held September 19th, 1882, said report embodying the general plan to be pursued in the performance of the work, and an estimated cost of the preliminary field work, copying field records for office use, and adjusting the new numbers therein, amounting to \$5,000. The report was received, filed and published, and at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, held October 3d, 1882, said report was adopted, together with the following resolution.

By Ald. Jeffords—Resolved, That the Map and Survey Committee be and it hereby is directed to cause the renumbering of the lots on all streets and public places of the city of Rochester, under the direction of the City Surveyor, in accordance with the plan embodied in the report of the Map and Survey Committee presented to the Common Council September 19th, 1882, and that the expense of such improvement be paid out of the Contingent Fund until such time as the Common Council shall otherwise order and determine."

In accordance with the spirit of the above resolution, the City Surveyor was directed to proceed with the work. The field work includes the measurement of all lot frontages and obtaining a record of each lot owner or tenant and the old number of each building. This portion of the work was performed during the last part of the year 1882 and the spring of 1883. The work of adjusting the new numbers in the field notes for reference in locating the same, the copying of said field notes and making the necessary maps on which to record them has been performed during the past season. The territory numbered and to which the records apply, covers the entire first fourteen wards and portions of the fifteenth and sixteenth wards, the numbers being adjusted on a basis of one number each for each store and hallway, on territory covered with solid blocks of buildings. In central territory, not yet built up, from 16½ to 20 feet have been designated for one number, and in suburban territory one number has been given to each lot having from 35 to 40 feet frontage. The office records include eight large books of field notes, in which are recorded thirty-three thousand on hundred and eighty-three new numbers, and eight large folios, containing in the aggregate 203 maps. Out of the appropriation of \$5,000, made by the common council, when all outstanding bills have been presented, there will have been paid for the work, as completed, the sum of \$4,336.77, leaving a balance of \$663.23 to the credit of the fund. Your committee have also considered the matter of placing the new numbers on the buildings. It is desirable that they be located quickly and uniformly as possible to prevent the alteration of both old and new numbers, and in accordance with the authority conferred by your Honorable Board, proposals have been solicited from painters for manufacturing, furnishing and putting them in place.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES WATSON,
 C. A. JEFFORDS,
 J. T. SOUTHARD,
 Map and Survey Committee.

Ordered received, filed and published.
 By Ald. Watson—

ROCHESTER, March 27, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In pursuance of authority conferred by your honorable body, the work relating to street numbering has been duly advertised, and the following summary of proposals is herewith submitted.

Respectfully,

CHARLES WATSON,
 C. A. JEFFORDS,
 J. T. SOUTHARD,
 Map and Survey Committee.
 One Two Three Four
 Figure. Figures. Figures. Figures.

	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
James Gosnell, Jr.	11½	12	12	12
Frank Van Dorn.	12	14	15	15
George Belknap and Adolph Smith.	8½	9	9½	10
Thomas McCormick.	28	25	27	27
George H. Nicholson.	20	22	25	30
Henry H. Fleischer.	15	18	32	25
William Huddy.	12	16	16	20
(No signature)	10½	11	11½	13
Walter & Arthur Savage.				
		An average price of 11¾		

On motion of Ald. Watson, laid on the table.

Ald. Kelly moved that the City Surveyor be directed to prepare a resolution, to be submitted to this Board, giving property owners twenty days to number their buildings.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Watson, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—10.

Nays—Ald. Jeffords, Foley—2.

Ald. Foley called from the table the summary of proposals for street numbering submitted by the Map and Survey Committee.

Ald. Kelly moved to refer back to the Map and Survey Committee to re-advertise for proposals for numbering all buildings remaining unnumbered at the expiration of the time fixed by the Common Council, to report to this Board.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Jeffords, Foley, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—7.

Nays—Ald. Barron, Watson, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin—5.

By Ald. Simmelink—

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN.—Your sewer committee, to which was referred the remonstrance of the property owners upon Kent alley against the drainage into the sewer in said alley of various lots upon Oak street, respectfully reports:

Your committee has made a careful investigation into all the facts relating to said complaint, and they find that the total cost of Kent alley sewer was \$175.28; that this amount was reduced by the payment by R. Barrett who owns a lot on Oak street of the sum of \$8.00, leaving the amount assessed upon property on Kent alley for said improvement \$167.28. The amount paid by said Barrett was for the privilege granted him by the Executive Board of draining his Oak street lot into said sewer, and the lot thus drained was included within the territory mentioned in the ordinance.

It further appears that Mathias Kondolf owns a parcel of land extending from Oak street to Kent alley, and that said lot was assessed, for the expense of said improvement, to said Kondolf, who also owned a lot on Oak street, inspected the work of said improvement as it progressed, and thus saved the expense which would otherwise have been made by the appointment of a paid inspector. Said Barrett, Knopf and Mr. Brayer, all of whom own lots on Oak street, have constructed a sewer across their lots which empties into a lateral sewer constructed by Mr. Kondolf, and the laterals thus made afford the only drainage for the lots of said parties on Oak street, there being no sewer on the last named street.

It further appears that the property owners upon Kent alley are willing that Mr. Kondolf, Mr. Barrett and Mr. Knopf should continue to drain into said Kent

alley sewer, but object to the drainage of Mr. Brayer's lot therein.

The City Surveyor informs your committee that Kent alley sewer is of sufficient size to drain all of the territory fronting on said alley, as well as the lots of the parties above named fronting on Oak street. It is a matter of considerable importance that lots upon Oak street should be afforded some means of drainage, and this drainage by Kent alley sewer seems to be the most practicable way at present. At the same time Mr. Brayer should not be allowed to drain into said sewer, except that he pays a fair proportion of the expense on the construction of the same.

Your committee, therefore, recommend that upon the payment by Mr. Brayer of the sum of fifteen dollars to the Executive Board, said sum being a proportionate amount to be paid by his lot of the cost of said sewer, that said Brayer be allowed to continue to drain into said sewer; and that the sum of money thus paid by said Brayer to the Executive Board should be retained by said Board to pay the expense of cleaning or repair of said sewer whenever necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. SIMMELINK,
CHARLES WATSON,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
 Sewer Committee.

Adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS.

A communication from the Board of Health in relation to water in cellars on North Alexander, Lincoln and Oakman streets, was referred to the Sewer Committee.

From the Milk Inspector—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—Although my term of office does not end until the first of June next, I deem it advisable that my report on Milk should be presented at the same time that the reports of other officers and committees are made.

The number of licenses for the sale and delivery of milk issued from June 1st, 1883, to March 20th, 1884, is two hundred and twenty-three, and the amount of money received by the Treasurer upon licenses granted during this period amounts to \$961.11. During the year ending June 1st, 1883, the number of licenses issued was one hundred and eighty-eight, showing an increase this year over last of thirty-five in the number of licenses issued.

Seven complaints have been made to me that impure or adulterated milk was being sold. A careful investigation was made in each case, and so far as it was found that any milk was impure or adulterated, steps were at once taken to prevent a recurrence of the cause of complaint.

During the past year I have made on milk wagons with the lactometer one thousand and eighty tests, and I have in the same manner made at stores and houses ninety-one tests. These tests have been made day by day since my term of office began, except during extreme cold weather, when the tests could not be made, and the result obtained shows that the quality of milk delivered with wagons is, on the whole, pure. I have found that the average of all tests made by me with the lactometer since my term of office began, is ninety-five and one-half per cent. pure milk, calling one hundred the standard.

I have, in addition to the foregoing, as occasion called, made during the year eighty-seven tests of milk with Targhabe's cream tester by the settling process. The testing of milk by this process occupies from twenty-four to forty-eight hours, and, therefore, is only adopted in the cases in which I have reason to suppose that the milk contains foreign substances, or is deleterious to health. Of eighty-seven tests thus made, sixty-five showed pure milk; twelve showed skim milk; nine showed milk diluted with water; and in one case it was found that the milk was unhealthful. In the last mentioned case, upon examination, I discovered that the cow from which the milk was drawn was confined in a small, ill-ventilated barn and fed upon green oats. The consequence of this was that the cow was made sick, by the milk kept on selling the milk. Of course steps were at once taken to prevent further vending of the milk until the animal entirely recovered.

I have found as the result of the tests and observations made by me that the milk brought into the city from the country is pure, and in every way better than the milk sold in the city. It is not difficult to ascertain the cause of this. Many of the cows that are kept within the city limits are confined in small and ill-ventilated quarters and fed upon improper food. I am of the opinion that stringent measures should be adopted by the Board of Health with respect to the keeping of cows within the city limits.

I have found that brewers grain and Buffalo corn feed are not satisfactory food for cows. While the result of feeding such food is to produce a considerable quantity of milk, the milk is not of good quality, and not healthful. There is a marked difference of the quality of milk produced from cows fed upon this material and the milk produced from cows which are fed upon corn-meal, malt-feed and other wholesome products.

I am satisfied that the results of daily inspection, made in various quarters of the city, has resulted in very greatly improving the quality of milk supplied to the inhabitants of the city. The fact that the inspector is certain to test milk at unexpected times and seasons is, of itself, a protection to the milk consumer.

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. MARTIN, Milk Inspector.

Ordered received, filed and published.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Hinds moved to proceed to appoint a constable for the Ninth ward Adopted.

Ald. Hinds nominated William Daningburg.

William Daningburg was named by Ald. Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

William Daningburg was declared appointed Constable of the Ninth ward.

Ald. Foley moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds and that the clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Ald. Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—12.

Reuben R. Bennett, Second ward, E. McP. Niven, Third ward, J. B. Simmelink Seventh ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Common Council were duly appointed Commissioners of Deeds.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the use of the City Hall be granted to Rev. Jas. A. O'Connor for the purpose of a free lecture to be given April 4, 1884. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the residents and taxpayers of the city of Rochester be given 20 days in which to re-number their various buildings, and they are hereby notified that all numbers not put in place at the expiration of the time given will be placed in position by the city authorities at the expense of the property on which the numbers are located, and the City Surveyor is directed to furnish information as to the proper number to be used, to each applicant.

Ald. Hinds moved to amend that the numbers be not less than of the following dimensions, viz. : one figure, $2\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{4}$ inches ; two figures, 3×4 inches ; three figures, $3 \times 4\frac{1}{4}$; four figures, 3×6 inches.

Accepted by Ald. Kelly. The resolution was then adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to receive nineteen dollars and twenty-eight cents (\$19.28) in payment of the general city tax of 1880 on s. pt. of lot 147 Orange street owned by Joseph Feist and charge balance to erroneous assessments, the said tax having been erroneously assessed that year to Henry Crab. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for water in Frost avenue. Referred to the water works committee and Executive Board.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be authorized to receive of Mary M. Udell the amount of the tax for St. Clair street plank walk on lots 52 and 53, Grantsyn's subdivision of the Bennett tract, St. Clair, corner

of Tremont street, without interest, the sum of \$33.36. Adopted.

By Ald. Jeffords—Whereas, Buck & Sanger, lessees of Powers's Hotel, have made a contract with Warren Buckland, under the terms of which contract said Buckland is permitted to have his hacks and carriages stand in front of said hotel upon Fitzhugh and Main streets ; therefore,

Resolved, That permission be, and hereby is, granted to said Buckland to use the space in front of said hotel on Fitzhugh and Main streets as a hack-stand, except that such use shall not interfere with the rights of the public to the use of said streets. Adopted.

By Ald. Felsing—Resolved, That the City Surveyor be authorized to establish the grade of Magne street between Smith and Saxton streets. Adopted.

The Board then adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council—April 1st, 1884.

REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in the chair.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strauss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, March 27th, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ACCOUNTS, &C.

By Ald. Collins—Bills of

E. D. Smith, stenographer's services.....	\$60 00
H. D. McNaughton, searc es, &c.....	250 01
J. N. Beckley, expens-s to Washington.....	73 13
Andrew Wolf, servinc notices.....	66 00
J. E. Kent, Comy/ Directory.....	6 00
J. P. O'Neil, printing Treasurer's, office.....	45 00
Thomas Bill, labor on safe, Atty's office.....	3 30

Referred to the Contingent Expense Committee.

Ald. Watson presented the petition of Mrs. E. A. Clapper for permission to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.—Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented a petition in relation to the assessment for Oakman st. sewer cleaning. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

Ald. Jeffords presented a petition of property owners on Park avenue for permission to use Hemlock water for sprinkling purposes. Referred to the Executive Board.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of L. C. Woodruff, Elizabeth Sellno, M. Ulton, Margaret McMillen and Geo. Mitchell for permission to erect wooden buildings, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petition of F. H. Sinclair for permission to move a building on Litchfield street. Referred to the Executive Board.

Ald. Rice presented a petition for a plank walk on Poplar st. Referred to the Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

Ald. Rice presented petitions of Peter Rice, J. J. Klee and Christian Hart for permission to

erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Rice presented the petition of V. F. Whitmore for permission to remove a wood building. Referred to the Executive Board.

By Ald. Kelly—Bills of

John O'Leary, labor (cellar)..... \$ 25 00
J. Hilbert & Co., cartage of safe,..... 12 00

Referred to the City Property Committee.

Ald. Kelly presented the petitions of Charles Little and Charles Maid for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Kelly presented a petition for water in Wackerman street.

Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of Chas. Vetter for permission to erect a wood building. Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal and Wood Building Committee.

Ald Southard presented a petition for water in Dudley street. Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Aikenhead presented the petition of P. A. Neil for permission to erect a wood building.

Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

By Ald. Kelly—

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers do most respectfully invite your honorable body to be present at the dedication of their new hall in the Carier building, corner of Church and State streets, on April 8th, 1884, at 7 o'clock p. a.

Respectfully yours,
M. J. LYNN,
CHAS. THOMAS,
WM. S. P. KE,
Committee.

On motion of Ald. Kelly the invitation was accepted.

By Ald. Kelly -

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

Your petitioner respectfully states that he has recently purchased the property on the northwest corner of Jones and Center streets, in this city, known as the W. Jerome Rogers lot, for the purpose of establishing a business for receiving, storing and selling Chicago dressed beef; that he desires to erect a refrigerator building on the portion of vacant property on said lot.

And your petitioner would further state that Center street between the west line of Jhus street and the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. is practically closed, there being no outlet of the street west of the said N. Y. C. & H. R. R. and the lot purchased by your petitioner is the only lot that bounds or lies on the north side of Center street, between Jones and John streets.

Your petitioner respectfully asks your honorable body to close that portion of Center street and allow him to build thereon and within the space included in the following description: Commencing at a point of intersection of the north line of Center street with the west line of Jones street, thence southerly on the said west line of Jones street, thence westerly along the center line of Center street, thence westerly along the said center line of Center street to the property of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. thence northerly on the eastern line of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. to the north line of Center street and thence easterly along the said north line of Center street, to the place of beginning. For this you petitioners humbly pray that this request may be granted.

F. KINCHEY,
For Geo. H. Hammond, Purchaser.

Dated Rochester, April, 1884.

On motion of Ald. Kelly, received, filed and published and referred to a committee of three members of the Board and the City Attorney to report to the Common Council.

Ald. Simmelink presented a petition for a pipe sewer in Hebard street. Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Ald. Simmelink presented petition for water in Schenck avenue and North Clinton street.

Referred to the Water Works Committee and Executive Board.

Ald. Foley presented petitions of Mrs. C. W. Coffin and Alex. C. Hazard for permission to erect wood buildings.

Permission was granted under direction of the Fire Marshal.

Alderman Foley presented the petition of F. N. Skuse for permission to move a wood building; also a remonstrance against the same. After hearing allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Foley moved to refer the matter to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal, with power to act. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for the improvement of Mansion street. Referred to the Surveyor.

Ald. Barron presented petitions of R. Whalen and B. F. Martin for permission to erect wood buildings and moved that permission be granted. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented a petition for a sewer in Summer street. Referred to City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Rice, from the Health Committee, reported the bill of—

John Becker, removing dead animals..... \$79

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Collins, from the Contingent Expense Committee; Ald. Kelly, from the City Property Committee, reported favorably on the several bills referred to their respective committees, and referred them to the Finance Committee for payment.

By Ald. Foley—

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In the summer of 1883 Mrs. Klem made a contract with certain parties to construct a stone cellar and build thereon a brick building two stories high. The work was delayed so that on the 27th of February I found one brick mason at work; I advised that work should be stopped until the weather became warm. Again in the early part of March I found the same man putting in arches over the main story windows. I then ordered the mason to stop until the frost was out of the brick, and better mortar should be made, as I considered it was unsafe to build in such severe cold weather.

The brick walls were built hollow, that is, two courses of brick were laid about two inches apart. The snow and rain worked in between the two courses of brick, the bonding of the same being injured by the severe cold weather—the walls have become dangerous and are not straight and plumb, and if the walls are raised higher are liable to fall down and injure persons and property. This building is situated on lot No. 153 West avenue. This building is constructed in violation of chapter 6, section 3 of penal ordinances, which states that when such a building is built of brick and more than one and a half stories in height, the outer walls of all but the upper story shall be at least twelve inches in thickness. I recommend that the walls be ordered taken down.

All of which is respectfully submitted,
WM. CARROLL, Fire Marshal.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Foley—Whereas, The Fire Marshal reports a brick building on lot No. 153, Lundy's subdivision, West avenue, in a dangerous condition and liable to fall down:

Therefore, Resolved, That the Fire Marshal notify the owners of said dangerous brick building to take down the brick walls thereof to the stone water-table within five days after to a certified copy of this resolution shall have been served on said owner, and if said owner fail to take down said walls the Fire Marshal is hereby directed to take down said walls to the water-table and report the expense thereof to the Common Council, to be assessed on the

land on which it stood as per section No. 277, revised city charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—
To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—You Assessment Committee to which was referred several petitions relating to assessments, do hereby report that we have investigated the claims of the several petitioners and submit the following resolutions in relation thereto, and recommend the adoption thereof.

A. BRONSON,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
A. COLLINS,
Committee.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and hereby is, authorized to cancel the assessment against Mary P Sammons for personal property for general city taxes of 1883, amounting to \$110.53, and charge the same to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to charge erroneous assessments with one-half the amount of the general city tax for 1883 assessed against lot pt. 73, E. side Front st., 1st ward page 8, in the name of K. S. Van Rennsalaer, said lot being assessed as 32 ft. 6 in. frontage and the correct measurement being 16 ft. Adopted.

FINANCE BUDGET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 1, 1884.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer pay as follows, when there are funds applicable:

CONTINGENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR MARCH, 1884.

Cornelius H. Parsons, Mayor	\$254 00
Ambrose C. McGlachlin, Treasurer	375 00
H. F. McGlachlin, assistant	166 66
Edward Thomas, clerk	83 33
Chas. M. Beattie, City Treasurer's Office	66 66
C. J. McDonald, City Treasurer's Office	66 66
J. Y. Elias	100 00
Charles Stillwell	100 00
John N. Beckley, City Attorney	250 00
G. F. Slocum, Clerk, City Attorney's office	100 00
Wm. J. Burke	50 00
Oscar H. Peacock, City Surveyor	208 33
Wm. S. Smith, Jr., Assistant Surveyor's office	125 00
W. J. Stewart, Assistant Surveyor's office	91 66
Wm. W. Race	75 00
Ambrose Redman	60 00
John Kenyon, City Surveyor's office	60 00
Geo. W. Gray, City Surveyor's office	70 00
Wm. M. Rebaz, Jr., draughtsman	80 00
John Gordon, City Assessor	208 33
Wm. Maher	208 33
V. Fleckenstein	208 33
Thomas E. White, Judge Municipal Court	150 00
Geo. E. Warner	150 00
W. F. Chandler, Clerk	50 00
F. N. Lord, City Clerk	166 67
Francis J. Irwin, City Messenger	100 00
Jarvis Lord, 2nd, City Clerk's Office	50 00
Wm. Carroll, Fire Marshal	100 00
Chas. Little, engineer City Hall	75 00
John O'Leary, watchman City Hall	75 00
eter G. Miller, Janitor Front Street Building	70 00
A. H. Martin, milk inspector	66 66
Union and Advertiser, printing proceedings to April 1st, 1884	\$825 00
Post-Express Printing Co., printing proceedings to April 1st, 1884	562 50
Rochester Printing Co., printing proceedings to April 1st, 1884	562 50
Rochester Herald Publishing Co., publishing city notices to April 1st, 1884	250 00
German Printing Co., publishing city notices to April 1st, 1884	250 00
Rochester Volksblatt, publishing city notices to April 1st, 1884	180 00
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Union and Advertiser Co., blanks for Treasurer	\$138 50
John C. Moore, blanks and stationery	125 50
C. E. Morris, stationery	120 83
Steele & Avery	138 70
C. B. Denny, services on water works account	238 85
J. N. Beckley, disbursements	185 00
J. F. O'Neil, bla ks	44 10
S. W. Scott, services attorney's office	20 00
S. W. Scott, services attorney's office	15 00
S. W. Scott, services notices	10 00
Schmidt & Kaelber, instruments	11 00
Rochester District Telegraph Co., services	4 91
Thos. Knowles, hack	3 00

B. L. Sheldon, C. C. Lunch, March 27th, 185,	30 00
April 1st, 185.....	30 00
J. H. Lant, gun, disbursements	6 00
C. R. Parsons, annual dibursements	78 00
And charge that fund.	

POOR DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR MARCH, 1884.

N. Thompson, overseer	\$ 141 66
J. H. McGreor, Clerk	75 00
Thomas Swanton, Clerk	75 00
Geo. Harrel, Clerk	75 00
Joseph Eagan, Clerk	75 00
Dr. J. J. A Burke City Physician	50 00
Dr. A. L. Perry, City Physician	50 00
Dr. Julius Scmitti, City Physician	50 00
Dr. J. C Harrington, City Physician	50 00
Dr. Thos Spencer, City Physician	50 00
D. Henry Koch, City Physician	50 00
Vincent M. Smith, Excise Commissioner	75 00
C. Herzberger	25 00
James P. Evans	75 00
Maurice Movnhan, clerk	62 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

St. Mary's Hospital, board of inmates to April 1	\$2,722 14
St. Mary's Boys' Orphan Asylum, board of inmates to April 1	779 70
City Hospital, board of inmates to April 1	948 50
Home for the Friendless, board of inmates to April 1	78 00
St. Patrick's Girls' Orphan Asylum, board of inmates to April 1	691 66
Sisters of Mercy, board of inmates to April 1	136 50
Industrial School, board of inmates to April 1	332 90
St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, board of inmates to April 1	371 80
Rochester Orphan Asylum, board of inmates to April 1	249 40
Home of Industry, board of inmates to April 1	410 19
C. W. Gray, groceries	171 22
Smith, Perkins & Co., pork	197 63
Home of Industry, bread	82 50
Geo. O'Connell, bread	69 36
Gerling Bros., flour	13 75
S. B. Stuart & Co., coal	488 51
A. M. Semple, groceries	284 31
Hamilton & O'Connell, groceries	121 95
T. J. Kenning, groceries	37 50
M. Gammon	25 69
C. F. Marks, board of inmates to April 1	21 28
Henry Martin	13 75
A. L. Morris, meat	27 69
P. Kleinhans	75 00
John McDonald, meat	50 00
Zimmer Bros, meat	25 00
John Curran, meat	11 60
John Engert, rent	14 00
Sophia Brock, rent	16 00
F. M. Hanvey	9 00
Mary Weist, rent	10 00
Jas. Howard	2 50
Smith, Perkins & Co., sugar	110 83
Ferdinand Seifried, constable fees	3 00
J. D. Whipple, beans	27 01
Burke, Fitzsimons, Hone & Co., dry goods	10 00
E. W. Tripp, ice	5 25
Mary Flannigan, board	2 00
E. M. Morrel, clothes	6 00
F. J. Amsden, transportation	60 93
M. Heavey	15 00
N. Thompson, disbursements	28 16
C. O'Reilly, burials	48 00
F. Joyce	30 50
Bender & Shuman, burials	30 50

And charge that fund.

CITY PROPERTY FUND.

Gauhn & Bassett, labor and material, 'stam heating	\$ 283 86
Municipal Gaslight Co., lighting city buildings, Feb.	222 30
Municipal Gaslight Co., lighting city buildings, March	208 80
W. G. Martens, clock Mayor's office	40 00
P. W. Kuttruff, torch	1 25
Geo. H. Nicholson, painting, Treasurer's office	6 10
Hayden & Havens, furniture, Mayor's office	2 60
Fee Brothers, alcohol for torch	6 00
Henry Martens, supplies City Hall	6 45
A. Medcalf, soap	3 00
Charles Little, monthly cleaning	88 00
John O'Leary, cartage and labor	25 00
And charge that fund.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR MARCH, 1884.

Dr. W. F. Sheehan, Health Officer	\$ 75 00
Geo. Messmer, Register	66 66
John N. Harder, Inspector	50 00
Otho Griawold, Inspector	50 00

Geo. W. Hall, Inspector.....	50 00
Chas. Smith, Inspector.....	50 00
John A. Snuey, Inspector.....	50 00
Henry M. Heuhold, Keeper Hope Hospital.....	58 33
Joseph Thompson.....	50 00
James Purcell, Inspector.....	50 00
Messenger.....	33 33

MISCELLANEOUS.

Daniel Hickey, collecting garbage to April 1st.....	\$142 50
Jacob Kaulber,	71 25
Patrick Bradley,	71 25
J. W. Maser,	71 25
Jerome Keys, Supt.	52 50
M. Heavey, board of flusher's horse,	20 00
Union & Advertiser Co., printing monthly reports.....	27 00
And charge that fund.....	

LAMP DEPARTMENT FUND.

Brush Electric Light Co., lighting for March.....	\$3,909 15
Citizens' Gas Light Co.,	2,226 05
Rochester Gas Light Co.,	1,589 86
J. W. Maser, oil lamps	939 41
Municipal Gas Light Co.,	95 33
..... for February	16 86
..... for March.....	75 00
Edward Maher, lamp inspector, March salary,	
Charles R. Finnegan, Superintendent electric wires	50 00
And charge that fund.....	

POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.

PAY ROLL FOR MARCH, 1884.

A. G. Wheeler, salary for March, 1884.....	\$ 300 00
Frederick Zimmer,	83 83
Jacob Howe, Jr.,	83 83
Alex. M'Lean,	134 00
Ferry Marzluff.....	85 00
Samuel Brown.....	85 00
Thos. Lynch.....	85 00
Peter Lauer, Jr.,	85 00
P. C. Kavanaugh.....	85 00
Thos. A. Burchill.....	85 00
Henry Baker.....	85 00
Chas. M' Cormick.....	85 00
Jos. S. Roworth.....	85 00
John C. Haydon.....	85 00
John H. Dana.....	75 00
Wm. H. White.....	75 00
Ed. Van Vorst.....	75 00
Thos. Dukelow.....	75 00
John C. M'Quatters, 28 days.....	75 00
Fred. Griebel.....	75 00
John M. Reis.....	85 00
Frank B. Allen.....	85 00
W. R. M'Arthur.....	75 00
Hugh Clark.....	75 00
Jacob Frank.....	75 00
John Wanzman.....	75 00
John Monaghan.....	75 00
Geo. Hoffner.....	75 00
Chas. Stefferd.....	75 00
Wm. S. Skuse.....	75 00
George Long, 29 days.....	72 50
Joseph Baker, 29 days.....	72 50
Daniel Goulaing.....	105 00
Hugh Johnston.....	105 00
Michael Cain.....	75 00
Joseph P. Cleary.....	103 33
Wm. Keith.....	100 00
Benj. C. Furrinerer.....	85 00
Nicholas J. Loos.....	85 00
John E. Davis.....	85 00
John A. Baird.....	85 00
Mich. Hyland.....	75 00
Older Ouver.....	75 00
Ralph Bendon, 29 days.....	72 50
Andrew Connouy.....	75 00
Robt. Burns.....	75 00
Jacob Harter, 23 days.....	87 50
Wm. P. O'Neil, 27 days.....	67 50
John Mitchell.....	75 00
Ed. McDonough.....	75 00
Jos. St. Helen.....	75 00
Jos. M'Kevey.....	75 00
Michael Brady.....	75 00
Chas. E. Fowler.....	75 00
Robert Sloan.....	75 00
John Dean.....	75 00
Samuel Schwartz.....	75 00
Jas. A. Johnson.....	75 00
Wm. Burgess.....	75 00
James P. Ryan, 27 days.....	67 50
Charles W. Peart.....	75 00
Chas. Hart.....	75 00
Wm. Laragy.....	75 00
Michael Hyne.....	75 00
Henry D. Snowe, 16 days.....	40 00
Leut. Nola.....	75 00
Peter Hess.....	75 00
Oliver A. Youle.....	75 00
Frederick Kipphut.....	75 00
Hiram Rogers.....	75 00
John E. McDermott.....	75 00

Patk. J. Cummings.....	75 00
Benj. L. Stetson, 23 days.....	70 00
Patk. Caulfield.....	75 00
Patk. Culligan, 16 days.....	40 00
Jerome P. Dowd.....	75 00
Wm. Murray.....	75 00
Michael Englert.....	75 00
John Sullivan.....	75 00
Dennis Hogan.....	75 00
James E. Ryan.....	75 00
John Yaman, 28 days.....	70 00
Mich. Zimmerman.....	75 00
Geo. H. Kron.....	75 00
George Biese.....	75 00
Henry Baker, Jr.,	75 00
Mich. Fitzpatrick.....	75 00
Wm. Hillard.....	75 00
Fred'k Walter.....	75 00
Ed. O'Laughlin.....	75 00
George Biezer.....	75 00
George Mohr.....	75 00
John A. Wallace.....	75 00
Geo. Kielesley.....	75 00
Thos. Crouch.....	75 00
John H. Mason.....	75 00
Ed. J. O'Brien.....	75 00
Jacob Markey.....	65 00
B. Frank Enos, Clerk, &c.....	125 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Chas. G. Davis, printing.....	\$ 25 17
And charge that fund.....	
EXECUTIVE BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, } Offices, City Hall, March 31, 1884. }	

To the Common Council:
The accompanying bills and estimates having been duly audited, examined and settled by this Board, are hereby respectfully referred to your honorable Board, for payment; as required by law.
Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Street Department—Highway Fund.

H. A. Kingsley & Co., hardware.....	\$ 41 20
Thos. J. Neville, clerk, disbursements.....	15 33
Goodale & Stiles, clothes.....	2 25
J. B. Williams, oils.....	80
Alcen & Lassig, repairing and strengthening Vincent Place bridge.....	2,926 81
Wm. Robinson, cleaning and painting Vincent Place bridge.....	800 00
Wm. H. Gorsline, stone chips.....	50 25
J. S. Beach, repairs.....	7 75

Water Pipe Extension—Water Pipe Fund.

Pay roll, for week ending March 27.....	\$ 140 00
George B. Hayes, Est. No. 4, cast iron pipe.....	3,557 05
Silas J. Wagoner, 8, drawing pipe.....	72 33
Thos. J. Neville, clerk, freight on pipe and specials.....	23 29
Street Department, ashes in summer 86.....	33 80
William Karges, for right of way.....	25 00
Steele & Avery, stationery.....	8 50
Thos. J. Neville, clerk, disbursements.....	2 95

Water Works Department—Water Works Fund.

Weekly pay roll, Mch. 27, op. expenses.....	\$520 20
..... service & rep.....	339 50
Steele & Avery, stationery.....	859 70
Thos. J. Neville, Clerk, office expenses.....	54 92
S. C. McKay, hangers.....	14 75
Thos. J. Neville, Clerk, disbursements.....	6 80
H. A. Kingsley & Co., hardware.....	11 70
Wm. Fogarty, wrought iron pipe.....	4 87
J. B. Williams, oil.....	81 12
Wm. H. Gorsline, labor Pump House.....	11 00
Wm. Thompson, services conduit line.....	35 00
National Meter Co., meters and repairs.....	993 05
Boffer Ellis, cleat, marches.....	22 95
Charles Mann, printing.....	116 33
E. J. Galentine, serving petitions.....	20 00
N. A. Gearhalt, search.....	19 00
John N. Beckley, disbursements (H. C.).....	9 16

\$2,387 01

Fire Department—Fire Department Fund.

(Payable when there are funds applicable.)	
R. B. Randall, repairs.....	\$ 13 48
E. H. Cook & Co., labor and material.....	41 00
Workman & Ziegler, repairs Hose No. 3.....	10 49
R. Bennett.....	7 06
Warner Westcott, labor and material Hose No. 3.....	2 00
Wendel Bayer, stabling.....	5 00
Alert Hose Co., quarterly appropriation.....	400 00
Active Hose Co., monthly.....	250 00
Protectives, Sack & Bucket Co., quarterly appropriation.....	400 00

M. W. Rundel, pictures and frames.....	25 00
Kelly Lamp Co., lamps and fittings.....	8 00
James Field, supplies.....	5 37
Geo. Englert, coal.....	82 50
Frank E. Handy, labor Fire Tel.....	12 00
Christian Muhl, hay and straw.....	36 98
Chas. R. Pratt, extra work, etc., Lyell avenue station.....	235 52
Howe & Rogers, furnishing Clinton st. station.....	141 98

\$1,676 38

Local Improvement—Special Fund.
 John Quin, inspecting..... \$25 00
 And charge N. Clinton street and Avenue A sewer, (C 2, 553.)

Adopted by the following vote—
 Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsingler, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND THEIR REFERENCE.

From the Executive Board—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
 ROCHESTER, April 1, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of opening a new street from Reynolds street to Seward street under ordinance No. 2,570, which was referred to the Executive Board to report upon the cost of the lands required for said street, said Board would respectfully report that all the parties owning lands to be taken will deed the same to the city for the sum of \$1 each, except Michael Farley, who will deed the land taken from his premises to the city for the sum of \$230.

Respectfully submitted, THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the Executive Board—

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 1, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by law,

1. Monthly report, showing the expenditures by this Board, for all purposes, during the month of March, 1884.

2. Monthly statement, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of this Board on the 31st day of March, 1884.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, CLERK.

MONTHLY REPORT

Showing the expenditures made by the Executive Board for all purposes, during the month ending March 31, 1884.

Orders Drawn on the City Treasurer.	
Executive Board orders for labor.....	\$ 3,733 40
Common Council orders for bills passed March 3, 17 and 31.....	29,204 76
Total.....	32,938 16

CLASSIFICATION.

Highway fund.....	\$ 7,259 22
Water Pipe fund.....	10,163 03
Water Works fund.....	6,914 96
Fire Department fund.....	7,273 50
Salary and expense fund.....	635 00
Local Improvement funds.....	757 45

Total..... \$ 32,938 16

MONTHLY STATEMENT, showing the condition of the several funds in the charge of the Executive Board on March 31, 1884.

Dr. Balances:	
Local Improvement Funds.....	64,685 25
Sidewalk Repair funds.....	2,069 95
Fire Department fund.....	1,267 21
Total.....	\$67,962 41

Cr. Balances:	
City Treasurer.....	\$ 44,044 01
Highway Fund.....	4,336 37
Water Pipe Fund.....	3 92
Water Works Fund.....	16,992 63
Water Works Fund (Special).....	1,515 47
Salary and Expense Fund.....	1,069 96
Total.....	\$67,962 41

Ordered received, filed and published.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER, }
 ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 31, 1884. }

To the Common Council:

I have the honor to transmit herewith, as required by resolution of your honorable Board:

1. Consolidated Pay-rolls of the Street Department for the month of March, 1884.

2. Consolidated Pay-rolls of the Water Works Department for the month of March, 1884, including operating expenses, service and repairs and water pipe extension.

3. Copy of Monthly Pay-roll of the Fire Department for the month of March, 1884.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

STREET DEPARTMENT PAY ROLL.
 FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1884.

Name.	Kind of Service.	Time.	Price.	Am't.
Anthony, John,	laborer.....	1 day	1 25	1 25
Andrews, G. W.,	10 "	1 25	12 50
Brown, Jacob,	laborer.....	10 "	1 25	12 50
Bowes, Patrick	5 "	1 25	6 25
Boylan, Patrick	6 "	1 25	7 50
Boylan, Hugh	6 1/2 "	1 25	8 12
Ball, Patrick	8 1/2 "	1 25	10 63
Buschalle, Chas.	17 3/4 "	1 50	25 83
Buschalle, Henry	1 1/2 "	1 25	6 88
Buckley, Thomas	14 3/4 "	1 50	21 37
Bauerlein, Peter	11 "	1 87 1/2	15 13
Butler, James	4 3/4 "	1 25	5 83
Bauer, John	21 "	1 50	31 50
Buff, Michael	3 "	1 25	3 75
Bergan, John	17 1/2 "	1 50	26 65
Burbot, G. E.	7 1/2 "	1 25	9 38
Burbot, George	7 1/2 "	1 25	5 00
Bien, Conrad	7 1/4 "	1 25	9 06
Brown, James	3 "	1 25	3 74
Burke, Wm.	7 "	1 25	8 75
Butler, Thomas	2 "	1 25	2 50
Birmingham, John	2 1/2 "	1 25	19 62
Bauerlein, Charles	2 1/2 "	1 25	2 81
Bergan, Ferdinand	1 1/2 "	1 25	1 87
Ballman, Andrew	12 "	1 25	15 00
Bulz, Adam	4 1/2 "	1 25	5 62
Baird, William	1 "	1 25	1 25
Connors, Lawrence	9 "	1 25	11 25
Culligan, John	4 "	1 25	5 00
Cochran, Jeremia	1 "	1 25	1 25
Cox, James	2 "	1 25	2 50
Clancy, Michael	2 "	1 25	2 50
Caversish, Joseph	10 "	1 25	12 50
Clancy, James	1 "	1 25	1 25
Callihan, Dennis	1 "	1 25	3 75
Carroll, Dennis	9 3/4 "	1 25	42 29
Costello, John	2 "	1 25	1 50
Cotello, John	6 "	1 50	7 50
Carroll, Francis	1 "	1 25	1 25
Connors, Michael	7 1/2 "	1 25	9 38
Callihan, Thomas	1 "	1 25	1 25
Connor, Robert	1 "	1 25	6 87
Connell, Joseph	5 "	1 25	6 25
Callihan, John	1 "	1 25	1 25
Cleary, Michael	3 "	1 25	3 75
Cnbitz, Frederick	2 "	1 25	2 50
Coughlin, William	2 1/2 "	1 25	2 51
Coughlin, John	3 1/2 "	1 50	4 88
Callahan, Michael	3 1/2 "	1 25	16 88
Conheady, Patrick	13 1/2 "	1 25	16 88
Cunneen, John	1 "	1 25	1 25
Cranson, Thomas	5 1/2 "	1 25	6 88
Clancy, Richard	3 "	1 25	3 75
Daly, James	5 "	1 25	6 25
Daly, John 1st,	2 "	1 25	7 50
Dwyer, John	6 "	1 25	2 50
Donovan, David	3 3/4 "	1 25	10 94
Dougherty, Martin	3 "	1 25	3 75
Delaney, Patrick	8 "	1 25	10 00
Deus, Louis H., clerk	4 weeks	6 75	27 00
Darmon, Henry laborer	1 day	1 25	1 25
Dowd, Geo. H., insp. of wks.	24 "	2 00	48 00
Daly, Michael, laborer	1 "	1 25	1 25
Dietrich, Andrew	8 1/2 "	1 25	10 62
Daly, Patrick	2 1/4 "	1 25	2 81
Daly, John 2d,	9 "	1 25	11 25
Dugan, Michael	3 "	1 25	3 12
Eisenhauer, John	13 1/2 "	1 50	20 53
Eisenhauer, Chas.	13 1/2 "	1 50	19 87
Eton, Emory	3 1/2 "	1 25	4 38
Engert, Martin	4 "	1 25	5 00
Edmunds, Robert	1 1/2 "	1 25	2 18
Ehlin, John	1 1/2 "	1 25	1 87
Freidel, Jos. foreman.....	4 weeks	21 00	81 00
Frankenberger, J. laborer.....	12 1/2 days	1 50	18 75
Frank, Nicholas	3 1/2 "	1 25	12 19
Forsary, Patrick	6 1/2 "	1 25	7 81
Fitsch, Martin	2 "	1 25	2 50
Franklin, Joseph	2 3/4 "	1 25	3 44
Flynn, Mathew	4 "	1 25	5 00
Fitzpatrick, John	9 "	1 25	11 25
Fuchs, Peter	1 1/4 "	1 25	1 25
Frobe, August	3 "	1 25	3 75
Fitzgerald, Michael	3 "	1 50	36 00
Gieb, John	24 "	1 50	18 87
Geib, Jacob	12 1/4 "	1 50	18 87
Gieb, Jacob	6 "	1 25	7 50

Gallagher, Domenica	5	1 25	6 25
Gleason, Wm	2	1 25	2 50
Garvey, James	7 1/2	1 25	9 37
Gleichaut, J. B.	3	1 25	3 75
Gill, James	3	1 25	3 75
Guthrie, Michael	5	1 25	6 25
Gluck, August	3	1 25	3 75
Gorman, Thos	3	1 25	3 75
Holahan, James foreman	24	3 00	72 00
Harris, Geo. B. clerk	4 weeks	16 33	65 20
Hurt, George laborer	6 days	1 25	7 49
Hunt, William	4 1/2	1 25	5 32
Hepler, Adam	6 1/2	1 25	3 13
Hennessey, Patrick	2	1 25	2 50
Hogan, Michael	7	1 25	3 75
Holden, Levi	1	1 25	1 25
Hawkins, John	11 1/2	1 25	14 37
Hennessey, John	9 1/2	1 25	11 87
Hickey, John	10	1 25	12 50
Harrison, James	1	1 25	1 25
Hayes, Michael	6 1/2	1 25	7 31
Hamilton, John	8	1 25	10 00
Holden, Edward	8	1 25	2 50
Hofweller, Adam	3	1 25	3 75
Jarvis, Henry	1 1/2	1 25	1 87
Kase, John B. carpenter	19	2 25	42 75
Kratz, William, toolman	4 weeks	11 59	46 00
Kilpeck, Martin, laborer	20 days	1 50	30 00
Knopfer, Joseph	4	1 25	6 00
Kelly, Michael	1 1/2	1 25	62
Koehler, Frederick	20 1/2	1 37 1/2	28 19
Koenig, John	3	1 25	3 75
Kosbab, Herman	9 1/2	1 50	14 25
Knorr, John	4	1 25	5 00
Kanole, Thomas	1	1 25	1 25
Kelly, John, 1st	14	1 25	17 50
Kelly, John, 2d	3	1 25	3 75
Kinney, Thomas	11	1 25	13 75
Kelly, Patrick	8	1 25	10 00
Kirny, Robert	16 1/2	1 25	20 63
Kilpeck, Barthol.	10	1 25	12 50
Kelly, Edward	1	1 25	1 25
Knob, August	3 1/2	1 25	3 75
Kecete, Edward	1	1 25	1 25
Kraemer, Eugene	12 1/2	1 25	15 95
Ketus, John	2 1/2	1 25	3 12
Kraemer, Joseph	2	1 25	2 50
Luethy, Chas.,	3 1/2	1 25	10 92
Leonard, John	2 1/2	1 25	3 13
Love, Richard	1	1 25	1 25
Lynch, John	1	2 25	54 00
McMahon, M. J. Insp. of w'ks.	24	1 50	28 50
McIntyre, Wm., laborer	19	1 25	23 75
McMahon, John	1 1/2	1 25	62
McCarthy, Wm.	3 1/2	1 25	10 94
McKinney, John	4	1 25	5 00
McHale, Michael	3	1 25	3 75
McDonald, Patrick	2	1 25	2 50
McLoughlin, Daniel	2	1 25	2 50
McMahon, Michael	5	1 50	7 50
McCarthy, Hugh	8	1 25	10 00
McCarthy, John 1st.	13	1 25	16 25
McCarthy, John 2d,	1	1 25	1 25
McGinn, Patrick	1	1 25	5 00
McGillick, John	4	1 25	1 25
McGrady, Owen	1	1 25	1 25
McCormick, Samuel	24	2 25	54 00
Moore, J. H. Insp. of w'ks	7	1 25	8 75
Mulligan, James, laborer	9	1 50	13 49
Moore, Samuel	9	1 25	2 50
Mulqueen, Mich.	4	1 25	5 00
Murnhy, Patrick	4	1 25	10 63
Muldoon, William	3 1/2	1 25	8 13
Mulryan, John	5 1/2	1 25	9 4
Miller, Joseph	5	1 25	6 25
Maloney, Michael	5	1 25	13 43
Manchen, Jacob	21	1 50	31 50
Meyer, Adam	6	1 25	7 50
Maloney, Pat'k	1	1 25	1 25
Mullet, John	8	1 25	2 50
Nunnold, Joseph	3	1 25	7 99
O'Donnell, Miles	2	1 25	3 75
O'Hara, Daniel	2	1 37 1/2	2 75
O't, Conrad	4	1 25	5 00
O'Connell, John	2	1 25	7 19
Pyne, John	5 1/2	1 25	6 25
Pfeiffer, John	5	1 25	6 25
Pacelo, John	5	1 25	6 25
Quetschenbach, C.	2 00	2 00	20 50
Reeder, Peter carpenter	10 1/2	1 50	29 62
Root, Jason laborer	19 1/2	1 25	9 37
Ryan, Michael	7 1/2	1 25	3 75
Roken, Patrick	3	1 25	3 75
Rittenbacher, Martin	6 1/2	1 50	9 37
Rota, Henry	15	1 50	22 50
Ryan, Thomas	11	1 25	13 75
Roche, Martin	2	1 25	2 50
Reynolds, G.H. sup't of st's.	4 weeks	34 52	138 08
Rosney, Ed. foreman	24 days	3 00	72 00
Russell, M. S.	19	2 00	38 00
Redly, Mich'l, laborer	1 1/2	1 25	1 88

Reynolds, Harry	8	1 25	10 00
Ragan, Lawrence	6	1 25	7 50
Rittenger, Frederick	2 1/2	1 25	2 81
Rapp, Frederick	1	1 25	1 25
Relyea, Daniel	3 1/2	1 25	4 69
Steinhaus, W. J. clerk	4 weeks	21 10	84 40
Stenzel, Chas. laborer	8 1/2 days	1 37 1/2	12 08
Sullivan, Jeremiah	1 1/2	1 25	3 13
Sullivan, John	1	1 25	1 25
Sullivan, Andrew	3	1 25	3 75
Scanlon, John	1	1 25	1 25
Sweetman, Rich'd	5	1 25	6 25
Stecke, John	6	1 25	7 49
Smith, John	6	1 25	7 50
Smith, Fred	2 1/2	1 25	3 13
Smith, Michael	1	1 25	1 25
Straub, John	4 1/2	1 25	5 81
Siebert, Henry	4 1/2	1 25	5 63
Scheuer, Adam	9	1 50	13 50
Sheridan Thomas	1	1 25	1 25
Snaus, Frank	4 1/2	1 25	5 62
Shannon, Jeremiah	11	1 25	13 75
Schneider, Crst'n	1	1 25	1 25
Silberstein, Abram	2	1 25	2 50
Slogan, Patrick	1	1 25	1 25
Thomas, John W,	6	1 25	7 50
Thomas, Lawrence	1	1 25	1 25
Tucker, Wm. H	1	1 25	20 00
Turnbull, Geo., bridge tender	2 1/2 week	11 25	23 75
Urlic, Paul, laborer	2 1/2 days	1 25	62
Varley, Michael	3	1 25	1 75
Van Buskirk, John	7 1/2	1 25	9 38
Voltz, John	1	1 25	1 25
Weich, James	4	1 25	5 00
Weiser, John	7 1/2	1 25	9 88
Westbury, James	3	1 25	2 50
Wunder, Jacob	1 1/2	1 25	1 47
Weiss, Peter	9 1/2	1 25	11 87
Walz, Herman	3	1 25	3 75
Welch, Richard	1	1 25	1 25
Westzcoski, Fred'k	3 1/2	1 25	94

Teamsters.

Ames, Edwin	1 days	3 00	3 00
Brown, Thomas	14	3 00	42 00
Beyer, Peter	15 1/2	3 00	46 50
Barry, John	1	3 00	3 00
Bradley, Patrick	10 1/2	3 00	31 50
Booth, R. A.	2	3 00	6 00
Commons, George	14 1/2	3 00	42 75
Crispy, George	10	3 00	30 00
Cole, George	5 1/2	3 00	16 50
Dirks, Wm.	10	3 00	30 00
Donivan, Daniel	11	3 00	33 00
Eble, Joseph	7 1/2	3 00	22 50
Elselman, George	1	3 00	3 00
Harty, Peter	14 1/2	3 00	43 50
Hox, Wm.	8 1/2	3 00	25 50
Hobbs, Wm.	3	3 00	9 00
Holahan, Thos	18 1/2	2 75	50 19
Hartel, Geo.	9 1/2	3 00	28 50
Hartung, Charles	1 1/2	3 00	1 50
Jeffords, C. A.	2	3 00	6 00
Kennedy, Martin	10 1/2	3 00	31 50
Kennedy, John	6 1/2	3 00	19 50
Kelly, Dennis	14 1/2	3 00	43 50
Krug, Henry	13 1/2	3 00	40 50
Kreckman, Wm.	17 1/2	2 75	47 44
Knob, John	1	3 00	6 00
Kaiser, Charles	2	3 00	6 00
Mason, Mart.	7	3 00	21 00
McMaster, Wm.	4	3 00	12 00
Prince Peter	7 1/2	3 00	22 50
Plum, Otto	2	3 00	6 00
Roe, Rowland	13	3 00	39 00
Ransom, John	11	3 00	33 00
Rossney, Patrick	12 1/2	3 00	37 50
Rickard, Robert	12 1/2	3 00	37 50
Roche, John	14 1/2	3 00	43 50
Smith, Hugh	12 1/2	3 00	37 50
Slatery, John	12 1/2	3 00	37 50
Saeer, George	4	3 00	12 00
Skiffcorn, Thos.	1	3 00	3 00
Ward, Frank	13 1/2	3 00	40 50
Walsh, Andrew	8	3 00	24 00
Zimmer, Wm. C.	17 1/2	3 00	52 00

Total.....\$3,650 97
FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PAY ROLL THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1884.				
Names.	Service.	Time.	Comp'y.	Am't.
L. S. Gibson,	Chief Depm't.	31 days		\$166 66
Sam'l Bemish,	Ass't			100 00
Jas. Malcom				50 00
F. A. Jacques, foreman			No. 1	75 00
Michael Lumbert, driver				60 00
J. B. Teller, hoseman.				60 00
Edward Colbert,				60 00
Geo. A. Mumford				60 00
P. J. Hartel, foreman			No. 2	75 00

E. F. Tabor, driver	60 00	
Charles Weaver, hoseman	60 00	
J. H. Carey	60 00	
John McDermott	60 00	
John P. Topham, foreman	75 00	No. 3
F. R. McCord, driver	60 00	
Leo. White, hoseman	60 00	
Andrew Nolan	60 00	
G. P. Gretton	60 00	
Fred. Howard	60 00	
Thos. Cole, foreman	75 00	No. 4.
Barney Kearney, driver	60 00	
G. E. Baker, hoseman	60 00	
Thos. Irwin	60 00	
Edward Engel	60 00	
Nicholas Oldfield, foreman	75 00	Extr.
Ralph Pendelbury, pipeman	70 00	
Edmund Barker, asst.	65 00	
Charles Armsstrong, driver	60 00	
G. E. Miller, hose depot	60 00	
J. P. Forman	70 00	
C. R. Finnegan, Supt. tel	144 66	
Joseph Ringelstein, foreman	75 00	Hook 1
Thomas W. Rice, Tillerman	65 00	
James Snieder, driver	55 00	
P. O'Meara, ladderman	60 00	
William Foarty	60 00	
Frank Huck	60 00	
James H. Lynch	63 66	
James Haylen	60 00	
August Weigel	60 00	
William Boon, foreman	75 00	Hook 2
Frank Spears, tillerman	65 00	
Chas. Whitbeck, driver	60 00	
John McCormick, ladderman	60 00	
Thomas Whitley	60 00	
Edward Huck	60 00	
James Lynch	60 00	
Sharon Sherman	60 00	
F. R. Parsons	60 00	
M. S. Butler, driver	60 00	Prot.
Joseph Dremel	60 00	
Geo. Whitbeck	60 00	Hose 5
Michael Fox, hoseman	60 00	
Fred Howard, extra man	50 00	

\$9,587 32

Ordered received, filed and published.
WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Consolidated.

PAY ROLLS FOR MARCH, 1884.

Operating Expenses.

Names.	Service.	Time.	Arre'	
J. Nelson Tubbs, Chf. Engr.	4 weeks	\$57 58	\$230 12	
T. J. Neville, clerk	4	34 52	138 08	
F. E. Witherspoon, clerk	4	23 01	92 04	
William N. Tubbs, clerk	4	19 18	76 72	
J. B. Davis, clerk	4	18 41	78 64	
F. D. Ayer, clerk	4	17 26	67 04	
P. H. Callahan, clerk	4	17 00	68 00	
Milton Race, clerk	4	17 00	68 05	
A. Knobles, clerk	4	15 00	60 00	
M. W. Conway, clerk	4	15 00	60 00	
W. McCarthy, clerk	4	15 00	40 00	
James Madden, clerk	2 1/2	12 00	48 00	
F. C. Holbrook, clerk	4	12 00	48 00	
C. B. Schlager, clerk	4	12 00	48 00	
Louis Rice, clerk	4	12 00	48 00	
L. W. Daus, clerk	4	6 75	27 00	
C. W. Barnes, clerk	4	9 00	36 00	
Geo. B. Harris, clerk	4	16 30	65 20	
E. C. McKay, foreman	4	26 85	107 40	
H. Jones, engineer pump house	4	28 76	115 04	
James Glavey	4	23 01	92 04	
P. J. McCracken, helper pump house	4	18 81	55 24	
P. J. Healey, helper pump house	4	18 81	55 24	
D. S. Almsted, gate keeper	4	12 00	48 00	
W. Mengerik, gate keeper	4	12 00	48 00	
Alex. Gray, gate keeper	4	12 00	48 00	
Thos. M. Blossom, gate keeper	4	12 00	48 00	
R. Crennell, overseer. C. L.	4	16 00	64 00	
S. H. Oviatt, overseer. C. L.	4	16 00	64 00	

\$2,080 90

Service and Repairs.

P. C. Fleming, machinist	4 weeks	18 00	72 00
L. F. Lidster, plumber	4	16 50	66 00
H. Weaver (Weber), insp'r taps	4	15 00	60 00
F. Curran, watchman	4	15 00	60 00
Wm. McCarthy, inspector	4	15 00	60 00
E. N. Wardfield, fusher	4	15 00	60 00
W. Considine, inspector	5	15 00	75 00
W. H. Plant	4	15 00	60 00
C. N. Routier, service man	4	13 50	54 00
P. McKenna	4	13 00	52 00
J. Gallagher	4	12 00	48 00
P. Lick	4	12 00	48 00

Jas. Smith	4	12 00	48 00
M. Dubelbeiss, taps	4	12 00	48 00
J. King, service man	4	12 00	48 00
J. Rudwigs, blacksmith	4	12 00	48 00
F. McKenna, tool man	4	11 50	46 00
G. F. Johnson, stable man	4	11 50	46 00
M. Schneider, service man	3	11 00	33 00
T. McKenna	4	11 00	44 00
P. Guinan	4	11 00	44 00
A. Burbott	4	11 00	44 00
Jas. Donlon	4	11 00	44 00
James Cox, laborer	26 days	1 50	39 00
T. Acton	20	1 50	30 00
Jas. Young	20	1 50	30 00
T. Smith	5	1 50	7 50
J. Cole	5	1 50	7 50
Thos. Fox	2 1/2	1 50	3 75
T. Callahan	2 1/2	1 50	3 75

\$1,314 50

Water Pipe Extension.

Geo. W. Rafter, engineer	4 wks	30 50	122 00
W. N. Racehurst	4	30 50	122 00
T. H. Rogers, draughtsman	4	18 00	72 00
J. McMahon, inspector	4	18 00	72 00
W. A. Anderson	4	18 00	72 00
M. K. Gannon, pipe receiver	4	13 50	54 00
F. M. Hills, clerk	4	11 50	46 00
Frank W. Tubbs, chainman	2 1/2	12 00	28 00

\$588 00

Ordered received, filed and published.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD,
ROCHESTER, April 1, 1884.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: An examination of the sewer in South avenue, running from near Oakland street to near Linden street, develops the fact that the tile of which the sewer is constructed is completely filled with sand should be at once cleaned. There are no manholes on the line of said sewer, and no conveniences for flushing the same. The Executive Board would therefore respectfully recommend that an ordinance be passed for cleaning said sewer and to construct the necessary manholes. Respectfully submitted,

THOS. J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Referred to the City Surveyor to prepare an ordinance.

From the City Treasurer—

TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, April 1st, 1884.

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—The Treasurer herewith submits the Monthly Statement of the balances of the principal funds, on the 1st day of April, 1884, as required by section 58 of the City Charter.

Departments.	Balance Undrawn.
Board of Education Building Fund	\$ 7 57
.. .. . Repair	44 25
.. .. . Centenent Fund	2,727 77
.. .. . Teachers'	10,315 25
Fire Department Fund	841 91
Poor Department fund	23,931 22
Police Department Fund	17,039 84
Centenent Fund	6,064 87
Highway Fund	7,821 27
Lamp Fund	5,265 67
Health Fund	740 52
City Property Fund	445 00
Park Fund	34 08
Water Works Fund	21,103 01
Water Pipe Fund	3,701 09
Salary and Expense Fund	1,070 54

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1884.
EDWARD THOMAS,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.

From the City Attorney—

OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY,
No 19 City Hall Building,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 1, 1884.

To the Honorable, the Common-council of the City of Rochester.

GENTLEMEN: In obedience to the resolution adopted at your last regular meeting, I have made such investigation as was possible with reference to the position which the United States government takes as to the payment of the assessments upon property purchased for the purpose of erecting thereon a government building, and with reference to a further appropriation for the building itself.

The contracts between the property owners and

the government provided that the property should be purchased by the government clear and free from all encumbrance. Before the recording of the deeds from the property owners to the government, the assessment roll for the acquiring of lands for Church street, was confirmed by the Common-council. The amount assessed against the property purchased by the government was about \$3,500. In addition to which there has been assessed part of the expense of the improvement of Church street, amounting to about \$1,500.

The act providing for the purchase of the land and the erection of the government building in this city limited the amount to be expended to the sum of \$300,000. \$225,000 has been appropriated for the purchase of the site and the construction of the building, of which sum about \$144,000 is in the treasury subject to be drawn against for the construction of the building. Under the original act, therefore, the amount to be further appropriated, is \$75,000. This amount the committee on appropriations of the house, I am informed, will insert in the appropriation bill, when reported, if the supervising architect will certify that amount is needed for expenditure this year. Such appropriation does not depend in any respect upon the action that this city has taken, or may take, with reference to the assessments on said property. The question which will be presented to said committee is whether a better and larger building should be constructed. If the executive officers of the government having in charge the matter so decide, an application will, of course, be made to said committee to report a larger appropriation. I find that Mr. Randall, chairman of the committee, is opposed to the appropriation of any amount for the payment of the assessments aforesaid, and, I am of the opinion that the committee will not insert in the appropriation bill any amount for the payment of said assessments this year. In view of the foregoing facts, if nothing further appeared, it might be considered advisable to let the matter stand in its present shape and bring the matter before congress at another session, but we are met by another difficulty. Judging from the conversations which I have had with the executive officers having in charge the construction of the building, I am of the opinion that the work will not be carried far forward upon the building until the title of the government to the land is entirely cleared from encumbrance. A change has taken place in the opinions of said executive officers, brought about, as I believe, by the statements made by the United States district attorney. The continuance of the liens of the assessments may, therefore, and probably would, result in delaying the construction of the building. In view of the uncertainty of securing an appropriation from congress for the payment of the assessments, and in view of the fact that the erection of the building is of more importance to the people of this city than the ultimate collection of the comparatively small amount assessed against this property, I believe the better course for the city to pursue would be the remission and cancellation of said assessments. I would say in conclusion, that no course was open to the commissioners and the assessors who made the assessments, except to include the government property in the various assessment rolls, such property being within the territory deemed to be benefitted by the Common-council. If such assessments had not been included in the rolls, a serious question would have arisen under the decision of the court of appeals in the Oak street assessment case, as to the validity of the assessment rolls themselves. Respectfully submitted,

J. N. BECKLEY, City Attorney.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to cancel all assessments for local improvements upon the property situated on or near the corner of Fitzhugh street and Church street, owned by the United States government,

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and charge such assessments to erroneous assessments.

Ald. Archer moved to table the resolution. Adopted.

Ald. Strous moved to refer the whole matter to a committee of three members of the Council and the City Attorney. Adopted.

From the Excise Commissioners:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned Commissioners of Excise of the city of Rochester, report that moneys have been received by said Commissioners from the persons named, and in the respective amounts set forth in the following schedule commencing March 1st, 1884, and ending March 31st, 1884, for licenses to sell and dispose of strong and spirituous liquors, ale, beer and wine in quantities less than five gallons at a time, at the places herein named, and that this report contains a statement of all the money received during said month, viz:

1884—March 3:		
Finkelstein, Solomon, 66 Chatham st.....		\$50 00
Kohn & Stahl, 92 North Clinton st.....		60 00
March 10:		
Lochner, Valentine, 123 Hudson st.....		50 00
Casler, August, 237 Genesee st.....		60 00
Roneone, Giovanni, 16 Ward st.....		30 00
March 17:		
Smith & Bauer, 118 North av.....		50 00
Weichman, Fred., Grape and Campbell sts....		50 00
Vanic, Abial M., 18 Fairmont st.....		50 00
Casler, August, 9 S. St. Paul st.....		50 00
Sommer, August C., 237 State st.....		50 00
Macomber, William, 239 E. Main st.....		50 00
Sullivan, Daniel, 89 S. St. Paul st.....		50 00
McCarthy, George E., 84 Mill st.....		60 00
Turner, George, 36 Mill st.....		50 00
Cutaker, Kate, 19 Lyell av.....		50 00
March 24:		
Smith, Edwin M., agt., 43 Exchange st.....		50 00
Spang, Michael, 97 Smith st.....		50 00
Jesserer, Andrew J., 68 Allen st.....		50 00
Florack, John George, 304 St. Joseph st.....		50 00
Stratton, Isaac J., agt., 149 E. Main st.....		50 00
Doerr, John, 112 N. Clinton st.....		59 00
March 31:		
Leonard, Peter J., 85 S. St. Paul st.....		62 00
Dana, Underhill, 9 N. Clinton st.....		50 00

Total amount received and deposited with the City Treasurer.....\$1,171 00
Dated March 31st, 1884.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Commissioners.

STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF MONROE, City of Rochester, ss.

The undersigned Commissioners of Excise for the City of Rochester, being duly sworn, each for himself says, that the above report of persons licensed, the date of the license and their respective places of business, and the moneys received from them is in all respects just and true, and that said report contains a statement of all the licenses granted and all moneys received by them during the month of March, 1884.

VINCENT M. SMITH,
CONRAD HERZBERGER,
JAMES P. EVANS,
Excise Com'rs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of March, 1884. MAURICE MOYNIHAN,
Commissioners of Deeds.

Ordered received, filed and published.
From the City Clerk--

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 1, 1884. }

To the Hon. the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: In accordance with section 29 of the City Charter I hereby report that the following named persons have qualified and taken the oath of office:

William Daningburg, constable; E. McP. Niven, Reuben B. Bennett, Henry Salyards, F. L. Churchill, Com. of Deeds; Jacob Kolb, Inspector of Election.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

Ordered received, filed and published.

ACTION ON ORDINANCES.

FIRST ORDINANCES.

PIPE SEWER IN LINCOLN AND CLIFFORD STREETS.

By Ald. Simmelinck—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense

of constructing a pipe sewer in Lincoln and Clifford streets. Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$3,340.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Lincoln street from the sewer in Channing street, to the center of Clifford street, and 15 inches in diameter in Clifford street from the center of Lincoln street to the center of Hollister street.

Also the necessary lot laterals, surface sewers, and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$3,340, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved further, that the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

“One tie of lots on each side of Lincoln street, from Channing street to Clifford street, and one tier of lots on each side of Clifford street, from a point opposite to the west line of Lincoln street and at right angles thereto, to a point opposite the west line of Hollister street and at right angles thereto.

And further, Resolved, That the taxpayers to be assessed for making such improvements may pay their assessments in three equal payments, as follows: One-third of the amount assessed within thirty days after the advertisement of the assessment roll; one-third of the amount within one year from the confirmation of said roll; and the remaining one-third within two years from the confirmation of said roll. On all sums paid prior to the maturity of the said last installment, a discount will be allowed at six per cent. per annum.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April the 22d, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN HARRISON STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Harrison street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate, \$314.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer, 9 inches in diameter, in Harrison st., from near the center of Leopold st. to a point 20 feet west of Oregon st.

Also, the necessary surface sewers, lot laterals and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$314, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, that the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Harrison street, from a point twenty feet west of Oregon street to the center of Leopold street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII, Section 172, of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council, on Tuesday evening, April the 23d, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PIPE SEWER IN CARTER STREET.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a pipe sewer in Carter street.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$1,053.

By Ald. Simmelink—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a pipe sewer 12 inches in diameter in Carter street, from a point 120 feet north of Kress street to the center of Alphonus avenue, and 15 inches in diameter from the center of Alphonus avenue to the North avenue sewer; also the necessary surface sewers, lot lateral connections and manholes.

And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$1,053, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, that the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Carter street, from a point 120 feet north of Kress street, to a point 216 feet south of Alphonus avenue.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in

pursuance of Title VII., Section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the City of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement, are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, April 22d, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

PLANK WALK ON EVERGREEN STREET AND THE EXTENSION THEREOF.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Surveyor ascertain and report to this Council the expense of constructing a plank walk on Evergreen street and the extension thereof.

Adopted.

The Surveyor submitted as such estimate \$639.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the following improvement is expedient, viz.:

The construction of a plank walk four feet in width on each side of Evergreen street and the extension thereof, from Conkey avenue to the west end of St. Michael street.

Also the necessary crosswalks. And whereas, The City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, has made an estimate of the whole expense thereof, and reported the same at \$639, which estimate is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, that the following portion of said city is deemed benefited and proper to be assessed for the whole expense thereof, viz.:

One tier of lots on each side of Evergreen street, and the extension thereof, from Conkey avenue to the west end of St. Michael street.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice in pursuance of Title VII., section 172 of the Revised Charter of 1880, of the city of Rochester, that all persons interested in the subject matter of said improvement are required to attend the Common Council on Tuesday evening, April 23d, 1884, at six o'clock, at the Common Council Chamber, when allegations will be heard.

Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCES.

The final ordinance to construct a plank walk on Silver street came up. Ald. Felsing moved to amend by extending the walk to York street. Adopted.

The final ordinance to construct a pipe sewer in Oakman street came up. Ald. Archer moved that action be postponed three weeks and that a committee of three be appointed to investigate and report to the Common Council at the regular meeting April 22d. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, NO. 2537.

EXTENSION OF SEWARD STREET.

On motion of Ald. Southard, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Southard submitted the following:

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The opening and extension of Seward street, from Cady street to Bronson avenue, and the territory deemed necessary to be taken therefore is described as follows, viz.:

A strip of land 50 feet in width situated opposite the north end of Seward street, and extending from Cady street to Bronson avenue. The south end of said premises are suppose to be owned by Rhoda A. Lester, the central portion by John H. Graves, and the north end by heirs of Charles E. Bicknell.

And the whole expense shall be contrived by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$2,000, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

All the territory inclosed within and described by the following boundary lines, viz. Beginning at the southwest corner of Seward and Strong streets, thence westerly along the south line of Strong street, and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, 376 feet, thence northerly and parallel with Seward street, and in a continuation of the line, to Bronson avenue, thence easterly along the south line of Bronson avenue, excepting one tier of lots on the south side thereof, 775 feet, thence southerly on a line parallel with, and 350 feet east of Seward street, to the south line of Strong street, thence westerly along the south line of Strong street, and including one tier of lots on the south side thereof, to the place of beginning.

On which above described portion of the city the ex

enses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14

The final ordinance to open and extend Skuse park came up.

Ald. Southard moved that action be postponed and a committee of three be appointed to investigate and report to the Common Council at the regular meeting, April 22d. Adopted.

The final ordinance for sprinkling Monroe avenue came up. Ald. Jeffords moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

The final ordinance for sprinkling Meigs street, from East avenue to Monroe avenue, came up. Ald. Jeffords moved it be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,588.

SPRINKLING MEIGS STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An Ordinance to sprinkle Meigs street, from East avenue to Park avenue, during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of Meigs street, from East avenue to Park avenue, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at \$157.00, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of Meigs street, from East avenue to Park avenue.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14.

FINAL ORDINANCE No. 2,589.

SPRINKLING WEST AVENUE.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing—

Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance for the sprinkling of West avenue from the Erie canal to the center of Colvin street during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of West avenue from the Erie canal to the center of Colvin street during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby, and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense and reported the same at \$1,193, which estimate is hereby approved; and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of West avenue, from the Erie canal to the center of Colvin street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—13.

FINAL ORDINANCE, No. 2,590.

SPRINKLING ST. JOSEPH STREET.

On motion of Ald. Aikenhead, the Board proceeded to hear allegations in relation to the improvement described in the ordinance below:

After hearing such allegations from all persons appearing, Ald. Aikenhead submitted the following:

An ordinance to sprinkle St. Joseph street, from Clinton street to Herman street, during the season of 1884.

The Common Council of the city of Rochester, do ordain and determine as follows:

The sprinkling of St. Joseph street, from Clinton place to Herman Street, during the season of 1884.

And the whole expense shall be defrayed by the assessment upon the lots and parcels of land to be benefited thereby; and the City Surveyor, under the direction of this Council, having made an estimate of such expense, and reported the same at six hundred and sixteen dollars, which estimate is hereby approved and the portion of said city which said Common Council deem will be benefited by said improvements is described as follows:

One tier of lots on each side of St. Joseph street, from Clinton place, to Herman street.

On which above described portion of the city the expenses of said improvement are hereby ordered assessed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—14

The final ordinance for sprinkling Prince street came up. Ald. Pitkin moved it be postponed until the regular meeting April 22d. Adopted.

The final ordinance for sprinkling Mill street came up. Ald. Hinds moved to postpone until the regular meeting April 22d. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds moved to reconsider the postponement of the ordinance for sprinkling Mill street until April 22d. Adopted.

Ald. Hinds moved to indefinitely postpone the ordinance for sprinkling Mill street. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

"The following came up:

"By Ald. Watson—

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE NUMBERING AND RENUMBERING OF BUILDINGS, DWELLINGS AND BUSINESS PLACES IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER.

The Common Council of the City of Rochester do ordain and determine as follows:

First—It is deemed by said Common Council advisable and necessary that all buildings and business places in the city of Rochester shall be renumbered on all of the streets, squares, avenues, parks, places, courts and alleys in said city.

Second—The cost and expense of such renumbering shall be borne by the owners of the buildings, dwellings and business places aforesaid.

Third—The cost and expense of such renumbering shall not exceed thirty cents for each building, dwelling or business place renumbered.

Fourth—The cost and expense of such renumbering shall be paid by the Treasurer, upon orders duly drawn by authority of the Common Council, from the Contingent Fund.

Fifth—On or before the 1st day of January, 1885, the City Surveyor shall deliver to the Assessors a duly certified statement of the names of the owners of the buildings, dwellings and business places thus renumbered, with a description of such buildings, dwellings and business places, together with a statement of the cost and expense of renumbering each of said buildings, dwellings and business places, and the said Assessors are hereby directed to add to the general city tax for 1885 imposed upon each lot upon which such building, dwelling or business place stands, the cost and expense of renumbering such building, dwelling or business place.

Sixth—The cost and expense of renumbering each of such buildings, dwellings and business places shall be, and the same is hereby declared to be, a lien upon each of said buildings, dwellings and business places, the amount of which in each case shall be payable in the same manner that the general city taxes for the year 1885 are paid; and the remedies which are provided by law for the enforcement and collection of general city taxes shall apply to the collection of the costs and expense of such renumbering of each of said buildings, dwellings and business places respectively.

Seventh—This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

"Ordered received, filed and published, and action postponed two weeks.

"By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That all persons interested in the subject of an ordinance providing for the renumbering of all buildings, dwellings and business places in the city of Rochester at the cost and expense of the owners thereof, be given an opportunity to be heard with reference thereto at the next regular meeting of the Common Council to be held on the first day of April next, at six o'clock p. m., at the Common Council Chamber in the

city of Rochester; and that the Clerk be, and he hereby is, directed to publish for four days in the papers authorized to publish city notices a notice relating, in substance, that allegations with reference to said matter will be heard at said time and place. Adopted."

After hearing allegations from all persons appearing the ordinance was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—14.

The following came up:

"Resolved, That all persons interested in the extension of Maria street and in the payment of the cost and expense thereof, be heard with reference to the ordering of the assessment roll therefor at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, which is appointed to be held on the 1st day of April, 1884, at the Common Council Chamber, Rochester, N. Y., and that the City Clerk be, and he hereby is, directed to publish a notice four days that such allegations will be heard in accordance with section 190 of the city charter. Adopted."

Allegations were called for and no person appearing, Ald. Southard submitted the following:

**LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT No. 2561.
OPENING AND EXTENDING MARIA STREET.**

Whereas, The Common Council did upon the 11th day of December, 1883, enact an ordinance for opening and extending Maria street.

And, Whereas, the actual expense of said improvement has been ascertained to be the sum of \$350.

And the portion of said City which said Common Council deemed would be benefited by said improvement is described as follows:

One tier of lots on the west side of Maria street as at present, and as proposed to be opened, from Clifford street to Sullivan place (formerly Klingler street), and one tier of lots on the east side of Maria street, as at present opened, from Clifford street to the south end of Maria street, as opened; also, lot No. 11 adjoining lot No. 20 on the east side.

Therefore, Resolved, That the sum of \$350.00, being the whole amount of the expenses aforesaid, shall be and hereby is assessed on such lots and parcels of land to wit:

One tier of lots on the west side of Maria street as at present, and as proposed to be opened, from Clifford street to Sullivan place (formerly Klingler street), and one tier of lots on the east side of Maria street, as at present opened, from Clifford street to the south end of Maria street, as opened; also, lot No. 11, adjoining lot No. 20 on the east side.

And Wm. Maher, V. Fleckenstein and John Gorron the Assessors of said City, not interested in any of the property so benefited, and not of kin to any person so interested, are hereby designated and directed to make an assessment upon all the lots and parcels of land and houses within the portion or part of said City so designated, of the said amount of expenses, in proportion as nearly as may be, to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire by the making of said improvement; and said Assessors are hereby notified to meet for this purpose on Saturday, the 5th day of April, 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the City Assessors, No. 15 City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—14.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS.

Ald. Watson moved to proceed to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and the Clerk cast the ballot.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—14.

Samuel J. Gormley, of the Fifth Ward, having received the concurrent vote of the Com-

mon Council, was declared appointed Commissioner of Deeds.

Ald. Collins moved to proceed to appoint a Police Commissioner. Adopted.

Jacob Howe, Jr., was named by Ald. Collins, Barron, Archer, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—10.

Joseph W. Rosenthal was named by Ald. Watson, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley—4. No choice.

Ald. Archer moved to postpone balloting for Police Commissioner until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Ald. Simmelinck presented a petition for a plank walk on Jennings street, and moved it be referred to the Improvement Committee. Adopted.

By Ald. Kelly—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to make the city's note for the sum of \$500, under provision of section 81 of the city charter, and procure the same to be discounted, such note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee, the proceeds thereof to be credited to the city property fund and discount to be charged to contingent fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelinck—14.

By Ald. Aikenhead—

To the Hon. Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: The petition of J. M. Smith and D. L. Crittenden, also J. M. Smith and Crowner, of the 7th ward, shows that they have been assessed for general taxes, personal property, 1883. The amount of said tax is \$41.47 for Smith and Crittenden, and \$74.64 for Smith and Crowner. It is proved, however, to the satisfaction of the Assessment Committee there should not be any assessment for personal property.

Your committee submits the following resolution, whereby the mistake may be corrected.

A. BRONSON,
A. COLLINS,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
Assessment Committee.

Received, filed and published.

By Ald. Aikenhead—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby directed to cancel the general city tax for 1883, assessed for personal tax, 7th ward, to J. M. Smith and D. L. Crittenden for \$41.47, and to J. M. Smith and Crowner for \$74.64, the same being erroneously assessed, and charge to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

Ald. Southard presented the petition of John De Mallie for permission to erect a wood building, and moved permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Southard—Whereas, The entire cost and expense of opening a street from Clifford street to Norton street has been ascertained to be the sum of (\$8,294.34) eight thousand two hundred and ninety-four dollars and thirty-four cents; therefore,

Resolved, That all persons interested in the matter of the ordering of an assessment for opening a street from Clifford street to Norton street be heard as to the same at the meeting of the Common Council to be held April 8th, 1884, at 6 o'clock P. M., and that the City Clerk cause to be published a notice of said hearing as provided by section 190 of the city charter. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin moved to reconsider the post-

ponement of the Prince street sprinkling ordinance to April 22d. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin moved that the final ordinance for sprinkling Prince street be postponed until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

By Ald Pitkin—Whereas, Operations have been begun for the erection of a roller skating rink on the lot next south of public school No. 14; and,

Whereas, A number of the residents in the school district aforesaid, and patrons of the school, believe that the erection of this building and its use as a skating rink will be a great injury to the school, on account of continuous noise and the distraction of the attention of pupils;

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and is hereby directed to take such action as may be suitable in the premises to secure an injunction to prevent the erection and use of the building before mentioned as a skating rink.

Ald. Pitkin presented a remonstrance and moved that the matter be referred to the Law Committee and City Attorney. Adopted.

Ald. Pitkin presented a petition from Eliza R. Ellsworth for permission to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Hinds—

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, }
Rochester, March 31st, 1884. }

To the Finance Committee:

GENTLEMEN: The Fire Department Fund is exhausted, and the Executive Board respectfully requests you to provide a sufficient amount to carry on the operations of the department until the sum which shall be placed in the tax levy for 1884 is available.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. NEVILLE, Clerk.

Received, filed and published.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to issue the city's note for the sum of \$10,000, under authority of section 81 of the city charter, said note to be discounted under the direction of the Finance Committee, and the proceeds thereof placed to the credit of the Fire Department Fund. Discount to be charged to Contingent Fund and the note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—13.

By Ald. Hinds—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to make the city's note for (\$5,500) fifty-five hundred dollars, get the same discounted and place the avails thereof to the credit of the Lamp Fund, and charge discount to Contingent Fund; said note to be countersigned by the chairman of the Finance committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—13.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the price at which the property owners whose lands are to be taken for the proposed new street from Reynolds street to Seward street is satisfactory to this Board, and that the propositions of said owners, as reported to this Board by the Executive Board, be accepted. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the city attorney be and hereby is directed to prepare contracts to be entered into between the city of

Rochester and the property owners whose lands are to be taken for the new street proposed to be opened from Reynolds street to Seward street for the purchase of the land necessary therefor, in accordance with the propositions as made by said owners and accepted by this Board, and in accordance with title 7 of the city charter, and that the mayor be and he hereby is directed to execute said contracts on the part of the city of Rochester. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Executive Board be and hereby is requested to ascertain and report to this Board the amount at which the property owners whose lands are necessary to be taken for the extension of Seward street will sell the same for that purpose. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to cancel the assessment against St. Mary's Hospital, St. Mary's Orphan Asylum and Rochester City Hospital, for West avenue sprinkling for 1883, and charge the amount to erroneous assessments. Adopted.

By Ald. Foley—Resolved, That the Rochester Gas Light Company be and it hereby is requested to lay their gas mains on Atkinson street, from Reynolds to their present mains on said street. Adopted.

Ald. Foley presented the petitions of Richard Bennett and George Engler for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved that permission be granted, under direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

Ald. Jeffords presented the petitions of Rev. James Stewart and Mary O'Brien for permission to erect wood buildings, and moved their reference to the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Strouss—Resolved, That consent is hereby given that the Rochester City and Brighton Street Railroad Company construct and operate one track from East Main street along the west side of the proposed sewer in North avenue, to connect with its tracks at University avenue during the construction of said sewer, upon the condition that all additional expense to the city or contractor of building said sewer be paid by said company. Adopted.

Ald. Archer presented the petition of August H. Scheck for permission to erect a wood building, and moved that permission be granted under the direction of the Wood Building Committee and Fire Marshal. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Common Council on the 27th day of March, 1884, referring back to the Map and Survey Committee the proposals for the numbering of buildings and directing said Map and Survey committee to readvertise for proposals for the numbering of all buildings, be, and the same hereby is, reconsidered. Adopted.

Ald. Watson moved that the resolution directing the Map and Survey Committee to readvertise for proposals for the numbering of all buildings be indefinitely postponed. Adopted.

By Ald. Watson—Resolved, That the proposals for the making of numbers and placing them in position upon buildings in the city be, and are hereby referred back to the Map and Survey Committee, and said committee is here-

by authorized and directed to make a contract with such person or persons as they shall deem advisable for the making of said numbers and placing them in position upon such buildings at a price not to exceed twelve cents per number. The contract to be drawn in accordance with the specifications with reference to which proposals were made, and to be accompanied by a bond in the penalty of at least two thousand dollars, with two good and sufficient sureties conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract. The contract and bond to be drawn by the City Attorney and to be approved by him as to form and as to the sufficiency of the sureties by the Map and Survey Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, KeNy—12.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lot No. 5 and 7 of the Worcester Subn. Tract, Redfield street, 5th Ward, was assessed for General City Tax for 1883, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated March 27, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$1.69, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 27, 1884. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to John Freck, viz.: Lot No. 6, Worcester sub'n Tract, east side of Redfield street, 5th Ward, 35 feet front, 35 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of General City Tax for 1883, the sum of \$1.69, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 1, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots Nos. 22 and 23 of the Greig tract, Cadys street, 3rd Ward, was assessed for Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated March 26th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$8.80, less discount in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 26th, 1884. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax, for the year 1884, to John Ernisse, viz.:

Lot No. E pt. 22 and w pt 23 Greig Tract, Noruth side of Cadys, 3rd ward, 44 ft. front, 44 ft. rear, and 14 ft. deep, and that the owners of said property should pay as his portion of Genesee Valley canal outlet sewer tax, No. 2, 283, the sum of \$3.80, upon the payment of which, less discount, they will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y. April 1st, 1884. }

(A true copy.) A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lot No. 64 of the Assessors' tract, Goodman street, 16th ward, was assessed for Goodman street sprinkling, under one valuation

and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons, therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated March 27, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$5.94, with expenses and interest in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 27, 1884. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR: We, the Assessors of the city of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the Assessment Rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884, to Wm. W. Gilbert, viz:

Lots 43, 44 and 55 of sub'n of 64 Assessors' sub'n of pt. Town tract, east side of Goodman street, 16th ward, 75 feet front, 75 feet rear and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of sprinkling North and South Goodman street the sum of \$5.94, upon payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, N. Y., March 19, 1882. }

(A true copy.)

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Alderman Collins—Whereas, Lots Nos. 5 and 7, of the Worcester subdivision tract, Redfield street, A. 5th ward, was assessed for general city tax, 1882, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors dated March 27th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such assessment upon the payment of \$1.51, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 27, 1884. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the general city tax for the year 1884, to John Freck, viz: Lot No. 5, Worcester subdivision, A Tract, east side of Redfield street, 5th ward, 36 feet front, 55 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of general city tax, 1882, the sum of \$1.51, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
Assessors.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Rochester, April 1, 1884. }

(A true copy.)

A. C. MCGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, Lots No. 5 and 7 of the Worcester subdivision tract, Redfield street, Fifth ward, was assessed for general city tax, 1881, under one valuation and in one amount, and is now owned by two or more persons; therefore,

Resolved, That the property described in a certificate from the Assessors, dated March 27th, 1884, and on file in the Treasurer's office, a copy of which is attached hereto, be released from the lien of such tax upon the payment of \$1.41, with expenses and interest, in pursuance of said certificate.

Adopted.

[COPY.]

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 19, 1884. }

A. C. McGlachlin, Treasurer:

SIR—We, the Assessors of the City of Rochester, do hereby certify that the following described property will be assessed upon the assessment rolls for the General City Tax for the year 1884 to John Frick, viz.:

Lot No. 5, Worcester subdivision tract, east side of Redfield street, Fifth ward, 35 feet front, 55 feet rear, and 100 feet deep, and that the owner of said property should pay as his portion of general city tax, 1881, the sum of \$1.41, upon the payment of which, with expenses and interest, he will be entitled to a release from the lien of the same upon the above described land.

(Signed)

WM. MAHER,
V. FLECKENSTEIN,
JOHN GORTON,
ASSESSORS

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 1, 1884.
(A true copy.)

A. C. McGLACHLIN, Treasurer.

By Ald. Collins—Resolved, That the Treasurer of the city of Rochester is hereby authorized and directed to receive from Mary E. Briggs, her heirs or assigns, the sum or amount of \$456.24, four hundred and fifty six 24-100 in payment in full for tax assessed to said Mary E. Briggs for the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer on lands on Strong street west of Francis street, and from Mary E. Briggs the sum of \$527.71 five hundred and twenty-seven 71-100 dollars in payment in full for the tax assessed Mary E. Briggs on lands on Strong street east of Francis street, for the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, and from Snyder & Stone the sum of \$434-10, four hundred and thirty-four 10-100 dollars, and from William Cox the sum of \$193.95, one hundred ninety-three 95-100 dollars in payment in full for the tax assessed to Snyder & Stone and said William Cox on lands in the 8th ward in the city of Rochester, for the Genesee Valley Canal outlet sewer, and charge deficiency to erroneous assessment fund.

A. BRONSON,
J. M. AIKENHEAD,
A. COLLINS,
Assessment Com.

Ald. Felsing moved that action be postponed until the next regular meeting. Adopted.

Ald. Felsing moved that F. W. Dickinson be heard in relation to the tax of Mary E. Briggs and others. Adopted.

Ald. Aikenhead moved to reconsider the motion of Ald. Felsing to postpone action on the report of the Assessment Committee relating to the tax of Mary E. Briggs and others. Adopted.

After hearing Mr. Dickinson, Ald. Southard moved that the resolution be adopted.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Ald. Collins, Barron, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Foley, Hinds, Felsing, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly—11.

Ald. Collins presented a petition from property owners on North Fitzhugh street, remonstrating against a continuance of a high board fence, to be used as a bill board, and moved it be received and filed. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—Whereas, The property-owners in the vicinity of the intersection of Church and Fitzhugh streets have made complaint to this Board that some person or persons have erected a sign or bill-board on Church street, between Fitzhugh street and Montgomery alley, which board is, at least, ten feet in height, and one hundred and sixty three feet in length; and

Whereas, It appears that said bill-board is liable to be blown, or fall down, and thereby injure persons passing along said Church street; therefore,

Resolved, That the Fire Marshal be, and he hereby is, directed to notify the owner of the property on which said bill-board stands to at once remove the same, and if said bill board is not removed within twenty-four hours after such notice, then that the Fire Marshal be, and he hereby is, directed to take down and remove the same, and report the expense to the Common Council, in accordance with section two

hundred and seventy-seven of the Revised City Charter. Adopted.

By Ald. Collins—

To the Hon. Common Council of the City of Rochester:

GENTLEMEN—My attention has been called to the construction of a building at No. 20 Mill street, owned by Samuel Moulson, who has violated title VIII, section 220, revised city charter, by constructing a board and scantling front on said building without the consent of the honorable Common Council. All of which is respectfully submitted.

WM. CARROLL,
Fire Marshal.

Ordered received, filed and published.

By Ald. Collins—

Whereas, The Fire Marshal reports a violation of section 220: therefore,

Resolved, That the board and scantling front put up by Samuel Moulson be, and is, hereby declared a common nuisance, and is hereby ordered abated, and that said owner, Samuel Moulson, be served with a copy of this resolution, and he is hereby ordered to take down said board and scantling front within five days after a copy of this resolution shall be served on him; and if said owner shall fail to take down said front within five days, then the Fire Marshal is directed to take down said wood front and report the expense to the Common Council, to be assessed on the land on which it stood, as provided for in section No. 277 of the revised city charter. Adopted.

The chair announced the following committees:

Committee to inquire into the desirability of allowing Mr. Hammond to use part of Centre street to erect a fresh meat depot: Ald. Kelly, Watson, Foley, J. N. Beckley and the chairman of the Board.

Committee to inquire into the assessment of property owned by the United States on Church st.: Ald. Strouss, Pitkin, Kelly.

Committee on the extension of Skuse park: Ald. Simmelink, Aikenhead, Strouss.

Board adjourned.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

In Common Council, April 7th, 1884.

FINAL MEETING.

Ald. Barron, President of the Board, in the chair.

Present—Ald. Collins, Barron, Bronson, Watson, Archer, Strouss, Jeffords, Foley, Hinds, Pitkin, Rice, Southard, Aikenhead, Kelly, Simmelink—15.

Absent—Ald. Felsing—1.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, April 1st, were approved as published in the book of proceedings.

As there was no further business to transact, Ald. Pitkin, on behalf of the retiring council, addressed the President, Ald. Barron, as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT: The time has again come when the official relations of those who have, in this chamber, acted as servants of our city are to end. Some, who have met with us during the past year, are to leave, let us hope for a brief time only, the cares and responsibilities of public position, upon the adjournment of this body. The sixteen representatives who have in this chamber performed, as best they could, the duties devolving upon them, look back upon the year just gone as a period during which the ties of friendship and mu-

tual respect have been closely welded. Upon you, during that time, have been imposed cares and duties in a greater degree than on any other member of this board by reason of the position you have occupied as President. That you have filled that position with dignity, with ability and with a constant desire to further at all times the best interests of the people of this city, is known and acknowledged, not alone by us but as well by our citizens, irrespective of party. We of the minority have especial reason to accord you the high praise of having presided over the sessions of this Board with absolute fairness and impartially.

Your associates have designated me to express, as best I may, these sentiments, which they all feel, and also to be their medium in presenting you a slight token of their friendship and respect. We realize that for your honesty of purpose and your fidelity to public duty you need and ask no reward except such as comes from the approval of your own conscience. But it is our desire that you accept this gift now tendered as an expression, feeble though it be, of our remembrance of pleasant official relations and our sincere regard for you as an honest and faithful public servant.

Will the messenger convey this token of our esteem to the chair.

The token was an elegant gold-headed cane, handsomely engraved and suitably inscribed.

Ald. Barron, on accepting the memento, responded in a few remarks, feelingly expressed.

The President then delivered his valedictory, as follows:

Gentlemen of the Common Council:

With this meeting will end the labors of the fiftieth Common Council of this city. A glance backwards over the half century's labors of your predecessors would furnish much interesting matter for the pen of the historian—to relate in detail the aspirations, the hopes, the success and disappointments of the several official bodies who have had charge of the affairs of this city during that period of time. Rochester commenced its existence as a city in 1834. By the enterprise of its official bodies and the public spirit of its citizens, it has continued to advance in population and business undertakings far beyond the expectations of the most sanguine inhabitants of fifty years ago. Rochester today may be classed amongst the most advanced of American cities as a desirable place of residence and business.

Its educational facilities are second to no city of its size in the country. Its abundant supply of good water, its large mileage of improved and well-lighted streets, its efficient police and fire departments, all testify to the public spirit of the citizens and their desire to keep the city abreast of the times, and warrant its rapid growth in population and business. The onerous duties imposed on this board, growing out of the changeable conditions incident to the rapid growth of the city, called for and received the most careful inquiry and deliberation on the part of the board and its committees, who are to be congratulated on the results of their actions. Many important questions which agitated the citizens one year ago have been satisfactorily disposed of, and I congratulate you upon the conclusions reached under somewhat embarrassing circumstances.

The proposed changes in the city charter, now before the Legislature, if adopted by that body would, I think, be beneficial to the city, particularly the bill increasing the number of wards in the city, thereby giving it an increased representation in the Board of Supervisors.

Municipal legislation is attracting much more attention in this country lately than it has in the past, and it is to be hoped that some system will be evolved from the present agitation that will make the government of cities more simple, less expensive to their inhabitants, and induce the best minds to participate in their affairs.

The sanitary condition of the city during the past year has been improved by the construction of new sewers and cleaning old ones. Much more will have to be done in this direction, as a thorough sewer system is of the first importance to a city.

Manufactures, transportation facilities, business enterprises, and whatever tends to increase the industrial population of the city should receive the most liberal consideration at the hands of our municipal authorities and people.

The annual tax levy should be jealously watched by the members of the Board, the strictest economy should be practiced consistent with due efficiency of the different departments of the city government, and good faith to the city's creditors.

The time has now come for our official separation. I desire to tender my sincere thanks to each and every member of the board for the many kindnesses extended to me as your presiding officer—by your many indulgences the duties of the chairman were made easy and pleasant during the past year. If I have given any offence, it was not intentional (my desire being to extend equal and exact justice to all), and I ask to be pardoned for any offence I have given.

I am sure the retiring members will go back to their constituents with clean hands and clear consciences, certain of having performed their duties faithfully and honestly, preserving their own self-respect as well as that of the public and their associates in this board.

Those who remain to do the city's work another year will, I am sure, persevere to the end in the faithful performance of their duties.

The City Clerk, City Attorney, Messenger, and reporters of the press have extended to me so many courtesies during the past year I wish to tender them my sincere thanks.

In vacating the chair permit me to express the hope that the friendly intercourse we have enjoyed will be continuous, and that all will meet with a full measure of success in their various callings in life.

On motion of Ald. Pitkin, the valedictory of the President was ordered published.

Ald. Foley moved that a vote of thanks be tendered to the President of the Board, and to the retiring members, for the fidelity and ability with which they have discharged their respective duties during their official term.

Adopted by a rising vote.

The President then declared the Board adjourned *sine die*.

FRANK N. LORD, City Clerk.

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