

CITY OF RENSSELAER,  
IN  
COMMON COUNCIL,  
Tuesday evening August 2nd, 1921.  
Regular meeting.

The Council convened at 8:20 o'clock P. M. and was called to order by President Edgar C. Miles.

The roll being called the following answered to their names.

President Niles.  
Alderman McMahon, Alderman Whitman,  
" Conlin, " Gibson,  
" Rosekrans, " Younghans,  
Alderman Norman.

READING OF MINUTES.

Alderman Conlin Moved that the minutes be adopted as printed subject to correction.

Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR,  
HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS AND CITY  
OFFICERS.

The Clerk reported that the Mayor had approved of all resolutions passed at the last meeting of the Board,  
Report was received,  
Charity Commissioner Chas. W. Calkins reported having expenses for the month of July 1921 the sum of \$207.00 for the relief of the poor.  
Report was received and ordered filed.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS,  
REMONSTRANCES AND COMMUNI-  
CATIONS.

Rensselaer, N. Y. Aug 2nd, 1921,

To the Honorable President and  
Members of the Board of Aldermen,  
City of Rensselaer, N. Y.

Gentlemen:- I hereby petition your Honorable Body for two weeks vacation, Thanking you for same, I am.

Yours very truly,  
J. G. Salt, City Clerk,

Was received and ordered filed.

James J. Rigney,  
339 Columbia Street,  
Rensselaer, N. Y.

1921,  
May 10th, to Bond for faithful performance for repairing Second  
Street brick pavement as per enclosed bill amount of Bond \$1475.00  
premium - - - - - \$29.50  
May 10th, To guarantee Bond on same contract as per enclosed  
bill - - - - - 29.50  
59.00

This guarantee bond is not in specifications on repair work and therefore your board on advise of your City Engineer who is familiar with the same can give you the necessary information therefore present bill for which you should return me - - \$29.50  
Was received and referred to the Law Committee.

Rensselaer, N. Y. August 2nd, 1921,

To the Honorable President and  
Members of the Board of Aldermen,  
Rensselaer, N. Y.

Gentlemen:- I would most respectfully petition your Honorable Body to reconsider your action on my bill, as recommended by the Law Committee some time ago, this work was done by me, at a cost of \$526.23 caused by the City sewer being in bad condition, and I believe I should be reimbursed for that amount.

Hoping you will take favorable action on this request, I am  
Respectfully,

Geo. H. Mollenkopf,

Was received and referred to the Law Committee.

SUPREME COURT - RENSSELAER COUNTY.

IRVING A. FLINT, Plaintiff,

-against-

COMPLAINT,

THE CITY OF RENSSELAER, JOHN WAGNER and GERTRUDE WAGNER, his wife, Defendants.

The plaintiff for a complaint against the defendants alleges, upon information and belief: FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION.

FIRST.- That at all the times hereinafter mentioned the defendant, The City of Rensselaer, was and now is a domestic municipal corporation existing under and by virtue of the Laws of the State of New York.

SECOND.- That during all the times hereinafter mentioned the plaintiff, and the defendants, John Wagner and Gertrude Wagner, his wife, were and now are residents of the City of Rensselaer, Rensselaer County, New York.

THIRD.- That during all the times hereinafter mentioned First Street in the said City of Rensselaer, New York, was a much travelled thoroughfare, owned, controlled and maintained by the defendant, The City of Rensselaer, and that during all of said time said street consisted of a public paved driveway for the use of vehicles, and a sidewalk on either side thereof consisting of paving and dirt, all of which was maintained, owned and controlled by the defendant, The City of Rensselaer, That it was the duty of the defendant, The City of Rensselaer, to maintain the said sidewalk and driveway of said street and all of said street in a reasonably safe condition and free from obstructions of all kinds.

FOURTH.- That during all of the times hereinafter mentioned the defendants, John Wagner and Gertrude Wagner, his wife owned premises on the east side of First Street, in the City of Rensselaer, New York, known as No. 1516 First Street, and it was the duty of the defendants, John Wagner and Gertrude Wagner, his wife, to keep the sidewalk in front of said premises free from obstruction of every kind, and in particular to refrain from placing dangerous obstructions in said Street.

FIFTH.- That on the 11th, day of April, 1921, and for a long time prior thereto the defendant knowingly, wrongfully and carelessly maintained and permitted and allowed to be maintained a water stop cock box or curb box in the sidewalk on the easterly side of said First Street immediately in front of No, 1516 First Street in said City of Rensselaer, New York, in such a manner as to protrude and extend about three feet above the surface of the sidewalk; that said stop cock box or curb box was about one and a quarter inches in diameter and covered with a metallic cover of about four inches in diameter and about one-half inch in thickness, and was so knowingly and wrongfully left in such a manner as to trip and throw persons passing up and down said sidewalk, and in such a manner as to constitute a public nuisance and to greatly endanger the lives and limbs of pedestrians using said sidewalk.

SIXTH.- Upon information and belief, that said stop-cock box or curb box had existed in the condition and position aforesaid, and said nuisance had existed in the condition aforesaid for so long a time prior to the 11th, day of April, 1921, that the officers, agents and servants of the said defendant, The City of Rensselaer, and all of the defendants herein had or ought to have had full notice of the existence thereof, and full complete opportunity to remove the said obstruction and to abate the said nuisance.

SEVENTH.- That on the 11th, day of April, 1921, while the plaintiff was lawfully walking along said sidewalk on the easterly side of First Street, in the City of Rensselaer, New York, and without any knowledge or warning of the existence of said water stop-cock box or curb box in the condition and position aforesaid, and without any fault or negligence on his part contributing thereto, one of plaintiff's feet was caught by the said water stop-cock box or curb box and he was thereby tripped and thrown violently down upon the paved sidewalk of said street, whereby he was injured in the manner and to the extent hereinafter alleged.

That said injury was caused by the said water stop-cock box or curb box protruding and falling

EIGHTH.- That solely by reason of Plaintiff's tripping and falling he was severely bruised, wounded and injured in and about his shoulder, chest, side, head and nose, and he was otherwise bruised, wounded and injured, and caused to suffer a serious nervous shock, was caused to undergo and suffer great pain, was made sick and sore and was confined to his house, and was rendered unable to attend to his usual duties, and has lost the benefit and profits thereof, and has been and will be put to great expense in endeavoring to heal himself of his said injuries, and that he is permanently injured, all to his damage in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5000.)

EIGHTH.- That heretofore and on or about the 21st, day of April, 1921, and within three months after the happening of the accident herein alleged, the plaintiff duly served a verified notice of his claim for damages sustained by reason of said accident, and the time, place and cause thereof, upon the Common Council of the City of Rensselaer, as required by law, a copy of which is hereto annexed and made a part hereof, and marked "Exhibit A" for identification.

NINTH.- That on the 21st, day of April, 1921, and within three months of the happening of said accident, the plaintiff duly served said verified notice of claim upon the Mayor of the City of Rensselaer.

TENTH.- That on the 21st, day of April, 1921, and within three months after said accident, plaintiff duly served upon the Corporation Counsel of the City of Rensselaer a notice of intention to bring an action against the City of Rensselaer to recover the damages specified in the said notice of claim, a copy of which said notice of intention to sue is hereto annexed and made a part hereof and marked "Exhibit A" for identification,

ELEVENTH.- That this action is brought within one year after the happening of said accident and after the expiration of three months from the service of said notice of intention to sue.

TWELFTH.- That by reason of the facts aforesaid the plaintiff has sustained damages in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars.

SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION.

Thirteenth.- The plaintiff reiterates, realleges and reincorporates herein each and every of the allegations set forth in paragraph marked "FIRST", "Second", "Third", "Fourth", "Sixth", "Seventh", "Eighth", "Ninth", "Tenth", and Eleventh", in this complaint contained, and further alleges;

FOURTEENTH.- That on the 11th, day of April, 1921, and for a long time prior thereto the defendants knowingly, negligently and carelessly maintained and permitted and allowed to be maintained a water stop-cock box or curb box in the sidewalk on the easterly side of said First Street immediately in front of premises No. 1516 First Street, in the City of Rensselaer, New York, in such a manner as to protrude and extend about three inches above the surface of the sidewalk. That said stop-cock box or curb box was about one and a quarter inches in diameter and covered with a metallic cover of about four inches in diameter, and about one-half inch thickness, and was knowingly, negligently and carelessly left in such a manner as to trip and throw persons passing up and down and along said sidewalk, and in such a manner as to greatly endanger the lives and limbs of pedestrians' lives using said sidewalk.

WHEREFORE, plaintiff demands judgement against the defendants in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, besides costs.

Woolard & Cogan, Attorneys for Plaintiff,  
Office & Post Office Address,  
73 State Street, Albany, N. Y.

Was received and referred to the Law Committee.

PRESENTATION OF ACCOUNTS.

Bill No,		
8863,	Havens Electric Co, recharging battery	1.00
8864,	Chas, A. McGinness supplies to Police & Fire Dept	5.55
8865,	Boston Store Sheets & Pillow Cases Fire Dept	18.75
8866,	Geo, L. Wiltse & Son teaming for street dept	104.00
8867,	Rensselaer Quarry Co, crushed syone street dept	53.60
8868,	Kapps Garage repairs & supplies to street & Fire Dept	64.06
8869,	Lewis E. Lawes agent & warden two mattress	25.48
8870,	Sarah J. McArdle washing bedding for fire dept	4.00
8871,	Dr, J. B. Congson professional service to wounded Policel	15.00
8872,	Alexander Duff auto to Troy Jail	5.00
8873,	Bailey & Parker lumber to Street dept	20.22
8874,	Chas, A. McGinness supplies to street dept	13.60

8875, C. L. R. Barnhart envelope printed City Treasurer	5.25
8876, Times Union printing circulars for Mayor	3.50
8877, Hans Dahl search against lots at bridge	40.00
8878, Automatic Registering Machine Corp supplies Voting Mch	14.22
8879, C. L. R. Barnhart printing for city offices	16.25
8880, Waugh & Berry coal to Veterans	28.50
8881, Waugh & Berry coal delivered to poor	21.75
8882, L. Scheibly Sons provisions delivered to poor	49.00
8883, A. E. Williams provisions delivered to poor	27.50
8884, A. E. Williams provisions delivered to Veterans	20.00
8885, Wm, H. Cornell provisions delivered to poor	40.50
8886, A. E. Uraig provisions delivered to poor	20.00
8887, James Picken provisions delivered to poor	18.00
8888, Geo, F. Ulmer provisions delivered to poor	136.00
8889, Ira M. Derrick provisions delivered to poor	16.00
8890, John A. Knox provisions delivered to poor	12.00
8891, Edward J. Keefe provisions delivered to poor	8.00
8892, Geo, H. Mollenkopf repairs & supplies to Street dept	15.20
8893, Geo, H. Mollenkopf repairs & supplies to fire dept	23.42
8894, Geo, H. Mollenkopf repairs & supplies fire dept	26.83
8895, Geo, H. Mollenkopf repairs & supplies election & depts	12.20
8896, Geo, H. Mollenkopf repairs & supplies fire dept	39.33
8897, Geo, H. Mollenkopf repairs & supplies street dept	21.20
8898, Geo, H. Mollenkopf repairs & supplies to fire dept	14.03
8899, Geo, H. Mollenkopf repairs & supplies Chemical No, 4,	45.74
8900, Rl A. Blakeman Jr, freight charges	6.66
8901, W. Wilkinson assisting City Electrician	15.75
8902, Waugh & Berry ice to Police Station No, 2,	15.60
8903, Waugh & Berry ice to fire houses	16.50
8904, A. P. W. Paper Company two toilet cabinets	1.58
8905, Ideal Disinfectant Corporation disinfectants	10.14
8906, Matthew Gurnik cleaning windows at City Bldg	3.50
8907, Matthew Gurnik cleaning windows Offices & jail	3.50
8908, Rensselaer Civic Club two supervisors playgrounds	69.00
8909, John Foust teaming for street dept	25.00
8910, Wm, P. Clifford supplies to fire dept	28.75
8911, Dr, D. F. Hannon attending wounded policeman	119.00
8912, Mrs L. H. Curtiss fumigating	2.00
8913, Charles W. Calkins expenses of office	1.30
Alderman Gibson moved that all bills be referred to the Auditing Committee.	

Carried.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Auditing Committee reported the following bills correct.

Bill No,	
8808, The P. M. Frank Disinfecting Co, contract disinfectants	35.00
8809, Matthew Bender & Co, B?C? & G Pastors 1921,	1.50
8810, A. P. W. Paper Co, paper towels	9.90
8811, Colson, Brice & McCann minutes Corporation Counsel	43.50
8812, Colson, Brice & McCann minutes Corporation Counsel	30.22
8813, John F. Munger insurance on furniture & Fixtures	15.00
8814, Ideal Disinfectant Corporation Ideal Crystals	22.65
8815, F. W. Johnson letter heads for Civil Service Commission	6.00
8816, Albany Southern R.R.Co., Street Lighting.	797.04
8817, Morgan Spring Water Co, spring water city depts	19.85
8818, N. Y. Telephone Co, service & tolls Clerk & Court	1.06
8819, N. Y. Telephone Co, tolls to Mayor's residence	.20
8820, N. Y. Telephone Co, service to Clerk & Treasurer	5.50
8821, Stetson-Fisk Inc, supplies city offices	7.90
8822, N. Y. Telephone Co, service to City Engineer	3.00
8823, Standard Oil Co, Asphalt road oil	483.75
8824, Geo, L. Wiltse & Son teaming for street dept	82.00
8825, Boston & Albany R. R. Freight charges on crushed stone	36.80
8826, Buddington Sharpe supplies for street auto	3.30
8827, Albany Southern R.R.Co, electricity & gas Police Dept	18.67
8828, N. Y. Telephone Co, service to Chief of Police	2.00
8829, N. Y. Telephone Co, service & tolls Police Dept	8.18
8830, Havens Electric Co, repairs to Battery	31.63
8831, Fred E. Brown charging batteries for fire dept	25.00
8832, Albany Southern R.R.Co, electricity & gas fire houses	28.82
8833, N. Y. Telephone Co, service to fire houses	25.50
8834, Albany Hospital care of city poor	19.75

8836, Homeopathic Hospital care of wounded policeman	51.25
8837, Arthur E. Craig provisions delivered to poor	16.00
8838, Ira M. Derrick provisions delivered to poor	16.00
8839, Thos Sherwood Jr, coal delivered to Veterans	177.75
8841, A. H. Drake provisions delivered to poor	24.50
8842, A. E. Williams provisions delivered to Veterans	16.00
8843, Albany Hospital care of city poor	9.00
8844, John A. Knox provisions delivered to poor	12.00
8845, A. H. Drake provisions delivered to poor	8.00
8846, Thos, H. Heritage provisions delivered to Veterans	36.00
8847, Thos, H. Heritage provisions delivered to poor	39.00
8848, John E. Loy provisions delivered to poor	21.00
8849, Rensselaer Civic Club labor at playgrounds	8.24
8851, Mae Sign Co, Traffic Signs	15.00
8852, Thos, H. Heritage supplies to fire dept	2.75
8853, Edward J. Keefe provisions delivered to poor	4.00
8854, Herman Baacke rent of Garage	8.00
8855, Mattin Bowes gravel to street dept	12.00
8856, Lewis E. Lawes agent & warden street brooms	41.25
8857, Thos, Fahey expenses of Police	7.20
8858, Sarah J. McArdle washing bedding for fire houses	4.00
8859, Colson Brice & McCann minutes for Corporation Counsel	15.94
8860, James E. Scully expenses of office	35.45
8861, Albany Motorcycle Co, motorcycle police dept	650.50
8862, Daniel Muller painting interior Chemical No. 2,	100.00

STREET PAYROLL.

William Hagan \$36.00 Isaac Benson \$42.00 Frederick Rabe \$36.00  
 Lawrence Welsh \$36.00 Henry Alguyer \$34.50 Chas, Eiveleit \$34.50  
 ransom Ham \$27.00 Clarence Shaver \$30.00 Englebert Holstein \$36.00  
 Chas, Whitman Sr., \$34.50 John Hofelich \$36.00 Chas, Seeley \$36.00  
 C. D. Butler \$4.50 Gilson Hayford \$12.00 C. D. Cox \$36.75 Chas,  
 Oldenburg \$21.00 Martin Bowes \$15.00 John Konysky \$33.00  
 Alderman Rosekrans moved that the report of the Auditing Committee  
 be received and bills allowed and ordered paid also the Street pay-  
 roll.  
 Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans  
 and Norman ----- 8  
 Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

OPENING OF BIDS.

Rensselaer, N. Y. Aug 2nd, 1921,

Board of Aldermen, City of Rensselaer,  
 Dear Sirs:- I hereby agree to clean catch basin and auxiliaries as  
 per specifications on file in the City Clerk's Office as advertised  
 in the Rensselaer Eagle as follows:  
 Catch Basin cleaning each one ----- \$4.25  
 Auxiliary cleaning each one ----- 2.25

Yours respectfully,  
W. J. Randall,

Rensselaer, N. Y. August 2nd, 1921,

To the Hon., President and Members of the  
 Board of Aldermen, City of Rensselaer, N. Y.  
 Gentlemen:- I hereby agree to clean catch basins and auxiliaries  
 as per advertisement in the Rensselaer Eagle and specifications  
 on file in the City Clerk's Office as follows,  
 For each catch basin cleaning once the sum of ----- \$3.00  
 For each auxiliary cleaning once the sum of ----- 1.50

Yours truly,  
Vincent P. Farrell,

Certified check for \$25.00 enclosed.  
Alderman Rosekrans moved that the President appoint a committee of  
three to tabulate bids and that a recess of fifteen minutes be taken,  
Carried.

The President appointed Aldermen, Rosekrans, Whitman & Gibson as such  
Committee.

The Board convened when the following report was submitted by the  
Committee on tabulation.

Rensselaer, N. Y. Aug 2nd, 1921,

Board of Aldermen, Rensselaer, N. Y.  
 Gentlemen:- Your Committee authorized to tabulate and report on bids  
 for the cleaning of catch basins report as follows:-  
 Bids were received from Vincent P. Farrell and W. J. Randall.

Mr Farrell bids \$3.00 for Catch-basins and \$1.50 for auxiliary basins.

Mr Randall bids \$4.25 for catchbasins and \$2.25 for auxiliary basins Both bids were accompanied by certified checks in the sum of \$25.00 each.

Mr Farrell's bid being the lowest, we hereby recommend that the contract be let to him.

Respectfully submitted,  
C. Rosekrans,  
C. Whitman,  
C. V. Gibson.

Alderman Whitman moved that report be received and recommendations adopted.

Carried.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Rosekrans,  
Resolved that the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to make the following transfer of money appropriated in the 1921 - 1922 budget for the purchase of land for the Hudson Bridge Improvement, from the General Fund to the Street Fund \$1500. and reinstate his accounts as directed.  
Ayes; Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - - 8  
Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Rosekrans,  
Resolved that the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to purchase supplies for the various City Departments not to exceed \$300.00  
Ayes; Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - - 8  
Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Rosekrans,  
Resolved that the Mayor and City Clerk be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to issue a good and sufficient warrant to the City Treasurer authorizing and empowering him to pay to the New York Central Railroad Company the sum of \$11,903.77 from the General Fund, said sum being the final payment with interest of their claim against the City of Rensselaer, said payment to be made on or before the 15th, of August according to the agreement between the N. Y. C. R. R. Co, and the City.  
Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - - 8  
Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Rosekrans,  
Resolved that the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to take a vacation during the summer of 1921 at a time convenient to himself.  
Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - - 8  
Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Conlin,  
Resolved that the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized, and directed to remove a petition in the locker room in the E. F. Hart Chemical Company No, 3, an order to permit an enlargement of same for company purposes, The cost not to exceed Fifty Dollars.  
Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - - 8  
Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Younghans,  
Resolved that the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to place a catch basin on the north west corner of Dale and Sixth Streets at a cost not to exceed \$175.00  
Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - - 8  
Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Younghans,

Resolved that the City Engineer be authorized and directed to re-grade the gutter at the intersection of Dale and Sixth Streets and at the intersection of Dale and Seventh Streets.

Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - -8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Younghans,

Resolved that the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to build a catchbasin at the northwest corner of the intersection of Central Avenue and Sixth Street cost not to exceed \$175.00 and also to grade gutter at the above named intersection.

Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - -8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Younghans,

Resolved that the Common Council accept and it does hereby accept the plans submitted by the City Engineer for the construction of the sewer in Second Street from the center line of Church Street to the center line of Fowler Avenue together with the incidental work necessary thereto, be it further

Resolved that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise and receive sealed proposals for the construction of the above named sewer, following the receipt of the approval of the plans by the State Health Department, be it further

Resolved that such advertisement be placed in the official paper once a week for two consecutive weeks following the receipt of the approval of the State Health Department, and the advertisement be in the usual form.

Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - -8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Younghans,

Resolved that permission be given to James Hart of Washington Avenue to lower a portion of the curbing in front of his premises at No. 113 Washington Avenue said work to be done subject to the approval of the City Engineer be it further

Resolved that like permission be given to the owner of the premises at No 1480 Third Street, subject to the approval of the City Engineer,

Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - -8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Gibson,

Resolved that the Rensselaer Water Company be and they are hereby directed to remove the watering trough located in front of the Miller Hotel on Forbes Ave., and install the same on the north-west corner of Central Ave and Forbes Ave, under the direction of the City Engineer

Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - -8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Gibson,

Resolved that the City Engineer and Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby instructed to purchase and install a small electric sign on the North East corner of Catherine and Second Streets. directing motorists travelling north the proper course to Troy thereby avoiding annoyance to residents on Second St, between Catherine St, and McNaughton Ave. Said sign to be of such construction as to be readable by daylight and electric light to be furnished from the Street lighting system at a cost not to exceed the present cost per street light.

Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - -8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Whitman,

Resolved that the following be and they are hereby designated as and for the polling places in the City of Rensselaer, N. Y. for the Primary election.

- First Ward,  
Republican, J. N. Ring Steamer House, Second Avenue,  
Democrat, Arthur Cote's Shop, Washington Street,
- Second Ward,  
Republican, Wm, P, Clifford's Garage, Ferry Street,  
Democrat, John J. Sullivan's Office, Broadway,
- Third Ward,  
Republican, Frank Foyle's Store, Third Avenue,  
Democrat, Hart Hose House, Herrick Street,
- Fourth Ward,  
Republican, Mink & Claxton Hose House, Broadway,  
Democrat, Mrs Sarah Scully's Store, Harrison Avenue,
- Fifth Ward,  
Republican Hill Hook & Ladder House, Partition Street,  
Democrat, Miss Elizabeth Hein's Store, 24 Harrison Avenue,
- Sixth Ward,  
Republican, Thomas White's Kindergarten, Catherine Street,  
Democrat, D. Carrey's Store, John & Second Streets,
- Seventh Ward,  
Republican, Pythian Hall, First Street,  
Democrat, Arthur Miller's Hotel, Forbes Avenue,
- Eighth Ward,  
Republican, Chemical No, 4, Fifth Street,  
Democrat, Samuel Boyce's Store, Fifth Street,
- Ninth Ward,  
Republican, Staats Garage, foot og Nelson Avenue,  
Democrat, Geo, El Klock's Store, Nelson Avenue.  
Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans  
and Norman - - - - - 8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Whitman,

Resolved that the contract for the cleaning of Catchvasins and auxiliary basins be and the same is hereby awarded to Mr Vincent P. Farrell agreeable to his bid which id for catchbasins \$3.00 and Auxiliary basins \$1.50 each further more be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and City Clerk be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to enter into a contract with the said Vincent P. Farrell for the performance of the work according to specifications adopted by this board, said contract to be approved by the Corporation Counsel and a bond of \$1000. to be filed with the City Clerk by the said Vincent P. Farrell. furthermore be it

Resolved that upon the filing of the contract properly executed and approved together with the bond, the City Clerk is hereby authorized to return the checks of the bidders.

Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - - 8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Rosekrans,

Resolved that the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to purchase a gasoline concrete mixer suitable for repair work on the streets and highways of the City at a cost not to exceed \$400. the same to be a charge against the Street Fund.

Ayes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - - 8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

By Alderman Rosekrans,

Resolved that this Common Council declare and it hereby does declare its intention to purchase a 1½ ton truck with dumping body operated by power at a cost not to exceed \$3000.

Syes, Niles, McMahon, Conlin, Rosekrans, Whitman, Gibson, Younghans and Norman - - - - - 8

Adopted.

The President declared resolution duly adopted.

Alderman Whitman moved that the Clerk be directed to notify J. T. May the Garbage collector to appear at the next meeting of the Board.

Carried.

Alderman Rosekrans moved to adjourn, Alderman Norman seconded.

Carried.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings of a meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Rensselaer, N. Y. held Tuesday evening August 2nd, 1921.

City Clerk.

*J. G. Satt*

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