TO GET PURE WATER

A. C. Sekell Submits a Plan to the Council.

WOULD PUMP BY ELECTRICITY

A Central Power House and Pump Stations in the Suburbs--More About the Sale of Bonds.

Last night's session of the council was short. The only questions of importance were whether or not the city should sell another $100,000 of street improvement bonds, and a proposition from A. C. Sekell regarding a supply of pure water for the city. Mr. Sekell's plea will be carefully considered, as it is entirely different from any plea previously submitted.

The Consolidated Street Railway company asked that the city decide to place wooden poles in Canal street. They claim iron poles will rust out quickly below the cement, and are dangerous during storms. Referred to committee having the matter in charge.

Residents on Ethel avenue asked that their street be graded and guarded without stone curbs. Referred to the committee on streets.

J. L. Giddings asked to be relieved of building a sidewalk on Umatilla avenue. Referred to the committee on sidewalks.

Residents of the city asked that Mrs. Catherine Collins be granted assistance by the poor department. Referred to the committee on poor.

Mathias Young stated that he had resided in the city since 1850 and is now seventy-eight years old. His allowance from the poor department has been cut off. He asks to be reinstated on the poor books. Referred to the committee on poor.

Want the Name Changed.

Residents on Ella avenue asked to have the name changed to Dearborn street. Referred to the committee on ordinances.

George Boal complained of a retaining wall on the north side of East Fulton street which is falling upon his lot. Referred to the board of public works and city attorney.

Mayor Stuart notified the aldermen that $270,000 of water bonds will fall due October 1, and the money would have to be ready for payment before that date. He recommended that the committee on ways and means report at the next meeting a plan for paying those bonds. Accepted, and recommendation concurred in.

To Pump by Lightning.

Mayor Stuart submitted a plan recently suggested by A. C. Sekell for a pure water supply for the city. Briefly, Mr. Sekell's plan is to sink wells in different parts of the city, and pump the water from these springs or wells into the water mains, and force it back through the mains to the center of the city. He would use the present station as an electrical power house and locate pump houses to be operated by electrical motors at the various springs and wells in the suburbs. He considers the plan one which will give plenty of pure water at a small cost. Ordered printed, and a committee appointed.

Comptroller's Report.

The comptroller reported bills calling from sums from the various funds as follows:

General fund	$ 1,659 28
Police department fund	6,196 87
Fire department fund	6,424 53
Poor department fund	81 00
Contingent fund	1,358 89
Superior court fund	12 50
Police court fund	44 44
Justice court fund	352 13
Bridge fund	21 75
Park fund	39 15
John Ball park fund	69 75
Lincoln park fund	19 05
Valley City cemetery fund	1,284 30
Greenwood cemetery fund	128 46
First highway fund	16 00
Second highway fund	73 97
Third highway fund	73 31
Fourth highway fund	61 26
Fifth highway fund	34 89
Sixth highway fund	22 00
Seventh highway fund	19 36
Eighth highway fund	23 35
Ninth highway fund	60 56
Tenth highway fund	41 84
Eleventh highway fund	16 00
Twelfth highway fund	22 05
First sewer district fund	140 87
Second sewer district fund	32 84
Waterworks income fund	110 28
Waterworks fund	5,163 09
Special improvements on five years' plan	2,742 07
Cash warrants	$26,504 3
Special improvements	7,536 5
Grand total	$34,040 94

The report was adopted.

Comptroller Caro reported that the justice court fund is now over drawn $1,057.15, and but $72.25 has been paid into the city from the justice courts. Mr. Caro recommended that $1,500 be transferred from the contingent fund to the justice court fund. The report was adopted.

Mayor Stuart appointed Aldermen Deferaaf, Forbes and Hauser as a pure water committee to investigate the proposition and plan of A. C. Sekell for a pure water supply.

The committee on ways and means recommended that the petition of M. Lou Sisson, secretary of the Children's Home society asking to be relieved of a sewer tax, be referred to the committee on poor. Adopted.

These Rolls Were Confirmed.

The following rolls were ratified and confirmed: Roll for sewer in Squire's alley, First street sewer, North College avenue sewer, Chestnut street improvement.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Alderman Ball, that $258.23 be transferred from the contingent fund to the McDowell street opening fund. Adopted.

By Alderman Teachout, that the board of public works proceed with the improvement of Houseman street on the five year plan. Laid on the table.

By Alderman Ball, that the contractors proceed with the improvement of Eureka avenue on the five year plan. Adopted.

By Alderman Dunakey, that a sewer be built in West street. Adopted.

Wants the Bonds Sold.

By Alderman Hauser, that $100,000 of street improvement bonds be placed in the hands of the city treasurer and be negotiated. Alderman Hausen said he made the resolution to call out discussion. Alderman Ball said that $70,000 of the first $100,000 was taken out of the banks and not one dollar had found its place back into the banks.

Alderman Schmidt said he could not see what difference it made to the banks. $70,000 was drawn from the banks and placed in the city depository again to be paid out to laborers.

Alderman Stein thought it better to sell the bonds outside the city and bring $100,000 into the city.

Alderman Hauser said men came to him and cried because they could not get work. They offered to work for 75 cents per day. He did not care when the bonds were sold, but he would like to see men given a chance to earn a living.

Alderman Stein moved to refer to the committee on ways and means to report at the next meeting.

Real Estate Transfers.

Libbie H. FitzGerald to Hiram Dennington and wife, part lot 3, C. C. Petsbone & Co.'s sub ..... $ 1,600
Mohala Wright to Nettie E. Austin, lot 69, South Grand Rapids, Michigan 1,300
Mohala Wright to Nettie E. Austin, part lot 1, blk 1, Merrill & Hinsdale add 800
Fernando Page, widower, to John S. Daniels, e ½ lot 3, blk 33, Stewart & Ives' add 865
Hiram Dennington and wife to Charles E. and Ella Clark, lot 4, and e ½ lot 3, blk 1, Avery's add, Lowell 850
Julia Barth to Adolph B. and Cora E. Mason, part lot 5, blk 18, Dexter frm 2,000
Charles H. Felton to George W. Frandsen, lots No. 68 and 69, Gunn add 1,500
Gunn Folding Bed company to Charles H. Felton, lots 68 and 69, Gunn add 1,000
J. W. Saunders and wife to William Gray, lots 1 and 2, blk 2, Meyers' add 200
Frederick H. Austin and wife to Mahala Wright and husband, pce land on sec 27, Vergennes 4,500
Mahala Wright and husband to Nettie E. Austin, s 34 A, n ½ s e ¼, sec 14, Wyoming 3,500
George Fingleton and wife to Mary B. McIlowerm, piece land on sec 34, Cannon 2,300
Sherman A. Bailey and wife to Dean Sweezy, piece land on sec 32, Plainfield 100

Marriage Licenses.

The following is a list of the marriage licenses issued since last publication, with the names residences (when out of the city) and ages of the parties:

	Age.
Edward Schneider and Lana Teckley	33—26
Ralph P. DeVries and Christiana Vandenberge	27—25

Died.

STEPHENSON—Sunday, August 13, 1893, Dr. H. C. Stephenson, aged 51 years. Funeral today at 3 p. m. from the residence, No. 459 Terrace avenue.

E. G. Cherryman, funeral director, No. 29 Fountain street. Telephone 1,009.

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[Author Unknown.]

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Once of etheral spirit full;
This narrow cell was life's retreat,
This space was thought's mysterious seat;
What beauteous visions filled this spot,
What dreams of pleasure long forgot;
Nor hope, nor love, nor joy, nor fear
Have left no trace of record here.

"Beneath this mouldering canopy
Once shone the bright and busy eye;
But start not at the dismal void
If social love that eye employed;
If with no lawless fires it gleamed,
But through the dew of kindness beamed,
That eye shall be forever bright
When stars and suns have lost their light.

"Here in this silent cavern hung
The ready, swift and tuneful tongue;
If falsehood's honey is disdained,
And where it could not praise was chained;
If bold in virtue's cause it spoke,
Yet gentle concord never broke,
That tuneful tongue shall plead for thee
When death unveils eternity."

The above sad, though beautiful sentiment portrays a ruin wrought doubtless at an untimely stage in its former owner's existence through drugs and poisons and unskilled efforts of medicine and ignorance of the divine gift that heals without wounding and restores without injury—electricity. This mysterious, though beneficent influence, as exhibited by Dr. Darrin, has averted countless ruins like those so eloquently described above. And many a skull, "with ethereal spirit full," bears hope and love and joy within its "narrow cell," and "beauteous visions fill the spot" that drugs and drastic doses long since have made a "silent cavern," but for the saving power of this man's skill. For example, read the following card from Mrs. Patterson and others. Mrs. Patterson is a lady of undoubted integrity, whose words speak volumes for Dr. Darrin. Surely the art of curing diseases by electricity is taking the lead, and no doubt will revolutionize the practice of medicine in the near future.

MR. EDITOR: I wish to express my thanks to Dr. Darrin through your paper. For twenty years prior to calling on the doctor, I had been afflicted with rheumatism, dizziness and general debility and many other complicated troubles. Dr. Darrin has given me electric treatment ten days and to my great satisfaction about cured me. Refer to me at 70 South Division street, Grand Rapids. MRS. S. M. PATTERSON.

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We could mention others, but space will not permit.

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March, 7, '93. W. R. Chilson.

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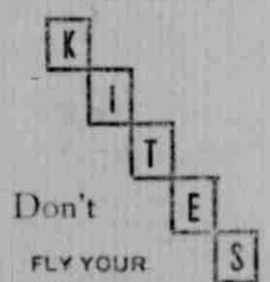

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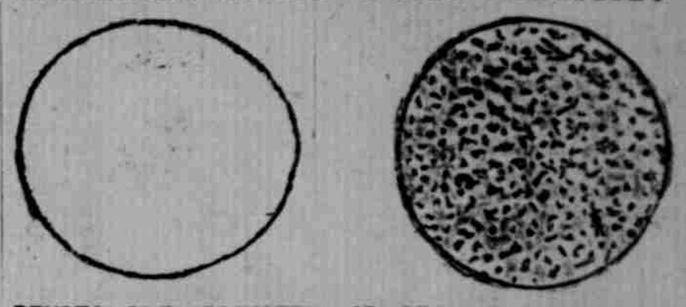

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