

for the week ending Saturday, September 14th, are respectfully submitted.

E. C. Hinsdale, City Treasurer.		\$ 23,786 99	
Receipts.....		22,807 71	
Disbursements.....			\$1,279 28
W. Y. Rumney, Receiver of Taxes.....			22,739 67
John McBride, City Collector, special assessments.....			397 17
Harris Jacobs, Pound Master. E. D.....			8 50
John N. Moore, Pound Master. W. D.....			22 40
A. Lichtenberg, Clerk of Market			
Market—Rents			
" bench.....	109 00		
" wagon.....	59 15		
" sale of sheep and calves..	5 10		
			\$173 25
Geo. W. Burchell, License Collector.			
Licenses—Meat shops.....	\$ 5 00		
" Peddlers.....	2 50		
" Trucks.....	46 00		
" Porters.....	2 00		
			55 50

Respectfully, etc.,
E. I. GARFIELD,
Controller.

Accepted and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—I herewith respectfully transmit for your consideration the trial balance of the books of the House of Correction for the month of August furnished this office by Z. R. Brockway, Esq., Superintendent.

Respectfully, etc.,
E. I. GARFIELD,
Controller.

Accepted and referred to the Committee on the House of Correction.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to transmit herewith form of ordinance to divide the Seventh Ward into two election districts, and to repeal the ordinance approved January 6, 1872, dividing said ward into three election districts.

At your session of the 10th inst. resolutions prevailed directing me to report the necessary ordinances to divide the First Ward into two and the Ninth Ward into three election districts. Act 30 of the Session Laws of 1872 requires, after providing that any ward of the city may be divided into election districts, that the number of electors in each district shall be not less than 500. By reference to your Manual, page 73, you will find in the statement of votes cast at the last municipal election that the greatest number of votes cast in the First Ward is 780. Taking this number as a standard, and the division of the First Ward into two election districts, as contemplated, is impossible.

As to the Ninth Ward, investigation is being made, and report will be made at a future session of your honorable body.

Very respectfully,

F. G. RUSSELL,
City Attorney.

The communication was accepted, and, on motion of Ald. Fulda, the ordinance was read twice by its title, as follows: "An ordinance to divide the Seventh Ward of the city of Detroit into two election districts, and to repeal an ordinance approved January 6, 1872."

SUSPENSION OF THE RULES.

On motion of Ald. Fulda the rules were suspended and the ordinance put upon its third reading.

The ordinance was read a third time by sections and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—Ald. Adams, Christian, Daly, Dullea, Fowler, Foisom, Fulda, Hill, Kuhn, Lichtenberg, Mahony, O'Keefe, Parsons, Preston, Ruenle, Stange, Woolley, and the President—18.

Nays—None.

The title of the ordinance was confirmed. On motion, the Council then proceeded to the regular order of business.

FROM THE CITY ATTORNEY.

To the Honorable the Common Council:
Gentlemen—I herewith transmit the necessary resolution for the opening of Porter street, from its western terminus to Twelfth street, also for opening an alley in the Fourth Ward in the block bounded by Mullett, Clinton, Hastings and St. Antoine streets.

Very respectfully,
F. G. RUSSELL,
City Attorney.

Accepted and placed on file.

Be it Resolved by the Common Council of the city of Detroit, That we, the said Common Council, deem it a necessary public improvement in said city to open Porter street from its western terminus to Twelfth street, which said improvement is described by metes and bounds, courses and distances, as follows, to wit: All that part of the Thompson farm bounded as follows: Commencing at the southwesterly corner of lot 44, subdivision of lot 2, Lognon farm, and running thence south 60 degrees west 196 56-100 feet, thence south 22 degrees 47 minutes east 60 48-100 feet, thence north 60 degrees east 196 56-100 feet, thence north 22 degrees 47 minutes west 60 48-100 feet to the place of beginning.

And be it further resolved by the said Common Council, That the City Attorney be, and he is hereby directed to apply to the Recorder's Court of said city for the drawing and impaneling of a jury required in such cases, and to give notice in accordance with the city charter.

Be it Resolved by the Common Council of the city of Detroit, That we, the said Common Council, deem it a necessary public improvement in said city to open an alley in the Fourth Ward in the block bounded by Mullett, Clinton, Hastings and St. Antoine streets, which said improvement is described by metes and bounds, courses and distances, as follows, to wit: All that part of the Charles Moran farm bounded as follows: commencing at the northeasterly corner of lot 6, of the subdivision of said farm, north side of Clinton street, and running thence south 30 degrees east 10 feet, thence north 60 degrees east 278 10 100 feet to Hastings street, thence north 26 degrees west 20 05-100 feet, thence south 60 degrees west 279 50-100 feet, thence south 30 degrees east 10 feet to the place of beginning.

And be it further Resolved by the said Common Council, That the City Attorney be, and he is hereby directed to apply to the Recorder's Court of said city for the drawing and impaneling of a jury required in such cases, and to give notice in accordance with the city charter.

FROM THE CLERK OF THE RECORDER'S COURT.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:
Gentlemen—The jury heretofore impaneled in the matter of opening Abbott street, from its western terminus to Twelfth street, in the Ninth Ward, have filed their report to open said street, and that the same was confirmed by the Recorder's Court on the 4th day of September, A. D., 1872, and that I have on this day filed in the office of the City Clerk a certified copy of said report and of the order of said court confirming the same.

JOHN T. MELDRUM,
Clerk of the Recorder's Court.

Accepted and placed on file.

Leave being granted Ald. Hill offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand five hundred and thirty-seven (\$3,537) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to pay the awards of the jury in the matter of opening and extending Abbott street from its present western terminus to Twelfth street in the Ninth Ward. And the City Controller is hereby directed to draw his warrant on the City Treasurer for said sum to pay said awards.

Objected to and laid over under the rules.