

recommend that I be directed to appeal this case to the Supreme Court as there are a number of other cases involving exactly the same question as to the liability of the city for injuries received on the same occasion by other parties.

Respectfully submitted,
JNO. J. SPEED,
 City Counselor.

Accepted and recommendation concurred in as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Baker, Barnes, Beck, Deimel, Fisher, Grant, Hoffman, Langley, McGuire, Protiva, Reynolds, Richert, Robinson, Roser, Roth, Schmidt, Seely, Thompson, Vernor, Webster, Welsh, Wesch, Wright and the President—25.
 Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:
 Gentlemen—In the case of The City of Detroit, complainant, against John P. Sanger, Elias H. Sellers, Albert Sellers and William H. H. Russell, defendants, which is a case in which a bill of interpleader was filed by the city to determine to whom the money due from the city in a judgment recovered by John P. Sanger, should be paid, a decree was entered by the Circuit Court of Wayne County, in chancery on the 14th of March, by which the city was ordered to pay the amount due on the judgment, fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000), to the Register of the Court in full satisfaction of the judgment. I recommend that the Controller be directed to draw his warrant on the proper fund in favor of William May, Register of the Circuit Court, as directed by said decree.

Respectfully,
JNO. J. SPEED,
 City Counselor.

Accepted and on leave the following was offered.

By Alderman Vernor:
 Resolved, That the City Controller be directed to draw his warrant on the proper fund for the sum of fourteen thousand dollars in favor of William May, Register of the Circuit Court of Wayne County, in chancery, as directed by the decree of said Court in the case of the City of Detroit, complainant vs. John P. Sanger, Elias H. Sellers, Albert Sellers and William H. H. Russell, defendants.

Adopted as follows:
 Yeas—Ald. Baker, Barnes, Beck, Deimel, Fisher, Grant, Hoffman, Langley, McGuire, Protiva, Reynolds, Richert, Robinson, Roser, Roth, Schehr, Schmidt, Seely, Thompson, Vernor, Webster, Welsh, Wesch, Wright and the President—25.
 Nays—None.

FROM THE CITY ATTORNEY.

To the Honorable the Common Council:
 Gentlemen—I transmit herewith to your honorable body a deed of a strip of land 122.75 feet in length and 20 feet in width, in the block bounded by Kirby and Merrick avenues and Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets. This strip of land will give a continuous alley running parallel with and between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets from Merrick avenue several blocks north. This deed is correct as to form and execution. I respectfully recommend that this deed be accepted by the city, and the City Controller be directed to cause the same to be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds.

Respectfully,
FRANK A. RASCH,
 City Attorney.

Accepted and on leave the following was offered:

By Ald. Seeley:
 Resolved, That the deed executed by Callaghan McCarthy and wife and James Tough and wife, conveying to the City of Detroit, for public use as a public alley, a strip of land beginning at the northeasterly corner of lot 1, of Ford's subdivision of part of the Stanton Farm, P. C. 473, north of Grand River avenue, thence northerly 122 75-100 feet, thence east 20 feet, thence south 122 75-100 feet, thence west 20 feet to place of beginning; and further resolved, that the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to have

the same recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds.

Adopted as follows:
 Yeas—Ald. Baker, Barnes, Beck, Deimel, Fisher, Grant, Hoffman, Langley, McGuire, Protiva, Reynolds, Richert, Robinson, Roser, Roth, Schehr, Schmidt, Seely, Thompson, Vernor, Webster, Welsh, Wesch, Wright, and the President—25.
 Nays—None.

FROM THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

To the Honorable the Common Council:
 Gentlemen—On consultation with the Fort Wayne & Elmwood Street Railway Company we find that they desire 14 feet 9 inches for their double tracks on Fort street from McKinstry avenue to the westerly city limits, the same as on Jefferson avenue, in view of rapid transit. The Board therefore requests authority of the Council to revise the estimate, which was on a basis of 14 feet for the tracks, in order that the property owners may not be required to pay for the 9 inches as herein referred to.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN MCVICAR,
 President.

Accepted, and leave being granted, the following resolution was offered.

By Ald. Vernor:
 Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to revise the estimate for the paving of Fort street west from McKinstry avenue to the westerly city limits in order that 9 inches more of the paving may be included in the portion to be paved by the Fort Wayne & Elmwood Street Railway Company.

Adopted as follows:
 Yeas—Ald. Baker, Barnes, Beck, Deimel, Fisher, Grant, Hoffman, Langley, McGuire, Protiva, Reynolds, Richert, Robinson, Roser, Roth, Schehr, Schmidt, Seely, Thompson, Vernor, Webster, Welsh, Wesch, Wright, and the President—25.
 Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:
 Gentlemen—The Board of Public Works herewith submit the third and final estimate on the the repaving of Jefferson avenue with brick on concrete foundation under the contract with Archibald Grant, from Wayne to Second street, as follows:
 City of Detroit To Archibald Grant, Dr.
 To third and final estimate on contract for repaving Jefferson avenue from Wayne to Second street.....

Amount of contract.....	\$18,771 22
Less former estimates.	18,671 22
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Respectfully submitted,
JOHN MCVICAR,
 President.

Accepted and leave being granted the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Vernor:
 Resolved, That the Controller be and is hereby directed to draw his warrant on the repaving fund for the sum of one hundred (\$100) dollars in favor of Archibald Grant on account of the repaving of Jefferson avenue from Wayne to Second street.

Adopted as follows:
 Yeas—Ald. Baker, Barnes, Beck, Deimel, Fisher, Grant, Hoffman, Langley, McGuire, Protiva, Reynolds, Richert, Robinson, Roser, Roth, Schehr, Schmidt, Seely, Thompson, Vernor, Webster, Welsh, Wesch, Wright, and the President—25.
 Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:
 Gentlemen—The Board of Public Works to whom was referred the remonstrance of John McGreevy and others against the paving of Twenty-third street from Baker street to the Michigan Central Railroad tracks, and the re-