

allowed the following persons the following amounts:

James Cliff.....	\$254 15
James Stuart.....	130 00
William Patterson.....	54 50
John Penell.....	125 00
Total	\$563 65

Believing these to be just claims, we recommend that the City Controller be authorized to transfer to the Board of Health fund the sum of \$563 65, to be used for paying the above named claims and no other, and we herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER H. COOTS,
NOBLE ASHLEY,
W. P. SUMNER,
WM. AUBERLIN,
BERNARD YOUNGBLOOD,

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Coats:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer from the Contingent to the Public Health fund the sum of \$563 65 for the purpose of paying the above named persons the sums set opposite their names and for no other purpose.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Ashley, Auberlin, Batchelder, Beamer, Beck, Borck, Coats, Gerecke, Goeschel, Goldwater, Klein, Knauss, McGraw, Marx, Merrell, Patterson, Reves, Schmitt, Schuette, Stahl, Stevenson, Sumner, Thompson, Tossy, Wild, Youngblood and the President—27.

Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the deed of Ernst J. Olde and wife to certain lands in the line of Belvidere avenue, respectfully report that we have carefully examined the matter and believing this to be a matter of public benefit and said deed having been certified to as correct in description by the City Engineer, and as correct in form and execution by the Corporation Counsel, we recommend the acceptance of said deed and herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER H. COOTS,
NOBLE ASHLEY,
W. P. SUMNER,
WM. AUBERLIN,
BERNARD YOUNGBLOOD,

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Coats:

Resolved, That the deed given by Ernst J. Olde and wife to certain strips of land in the line of Belvidere avenue and the alley east and west of said avenue and parallel thereto, being parts of lot 16 of Olde's sub. of lot 16 of the Robert Beaubien sub. of private claim 10, be and the same is hereby accepted, and the City Controller be and he is hereby instructed to cause the same to be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wayne county, Michigan.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Ashley, Auberlin, Batchelder, Beamer, Beck, Borck, Coats, Gerecke, Goeschel, Goldwater, Klein, Knauss, McGraw, Marx, Merrell, Pat-

erson, Reves, Schmitt, Schuette, Stahl, Stevenson, Sumner, Thompson, Tossy, Wild, Youngblood and the President—27.

Nays—None.

Claims and Accounts.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Claims and Accounts, to whom was referred the Controller's list of approved accounts of March 16th, 1897, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and believing them to be correct, recommend that they be paid from the proper funds.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL STAHL,
CHARLES SCHMITT.

Accepted and adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Ashley, Auberlin, Batchelder, Beamer, Beck, Borck, Coats, Gerecke, Goeschel, Goldwater, Klein, Knauss, McGraw, Marx, Merrell, Patterson, Reves, Schmitt, Schuette, Stahl, Stevenson, Sumner, Thompson, Tossy, Wild, Youngblood and the President—27.

Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Claims and Accounts, to whom was referred the petition of James McQueen and James Barker, Assistant Boiler Inspectors, asking pay for Sunday work, respectfully report that upon examination we find that your petitioners were acting as Assistant Boiler Inspectors at an annual salary of \$800; that between Sept. 1, 1893, to Jan. 1, 1897, they were required to work 99 Sundays, for which they charge \$5 00 per day each, or a sum total of \$495 each. We are informed that there are a large number of boilers which cannot be inspected except on Sunday without considerable loss to their owners. As there is no law which compels a man to work on Sunday, as this was work which could be done on no other day, and as your petitioners were willing to do said work, we recommend that they each be paid the sum of \$495 00, and we herewith offer the following resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL STAHL,
CHARLES SCHMITT.

Accepted, and on leave the following resolutions were offered:

By Ald. Stahl:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of James Barker for the sum of \$495 00, upon receiving from him a receipt in full for all claims for Sunday work between Sept. 1, 1893, and Jan. 1, 1897.

Objected to and laid on the table.

By Ald. Stahl:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of James McQueen for the sum of \$495 00, upon receiving from him the proper receipt in full for all claims for Sunday work between Sept. 1, 1893, and Jan. 1, 1897.

Objected to and laid on the table.