Guiney, the foregoing arrangement was unanimously agreed to, subject to the approval of the Common Council.

Trusting that your honorable body will make provision for the payment of this account. of this account.

Very respectfully submitted

DARIUS D. THORP, BENJAMIN GUINEY,

Special Committee of the Board of Water Commissioners of the City of Detroit.

H. S. STARKEY, General Manager. BENJ. F. GUINEY, Secretary.

Accepted and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.
Ald. Mayhew was excused.

the Metropolitan Police Commission.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Detroit:

Gentlemen—It is provided by Section 588 of the City Charter that petitions to be placed upon the pension roll of the police force shall be addressed to the Common Council, and when such a petition is presented the Presithe Common Council, and when such a petition is presented the President shall appoint two members of the Council to act upon a committee of which the Mayor, the Controller, the President of the Council and the President of the Board of Police Commissioners shall also be members, the Mayor being Chairman.

This committee shall consider the petition and determine whether or not the petition shall be granted.

By direction of the Board of Police Commissioners I herewith return the petition of the widow of the deceased policeman, Ferdinand Kaeding, that your honorable body may take such steps in the matter as the charter requires.

quires.

Very respectfully,

JOHN G. HAWLEY.

Attorney for the Police Board.

Accepted and referred to special committee, consisting of the Mayor, Controller, President of the Common Council, President of the Police Commission and Ald. Reinhardt and Wei-

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Coun-

cil:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Board of Metropolitan Police Commissioners held 4th inst., the resolution of Ald. Miller requesting the enforcement of the ordinances compelling the Fort Wayne & Belle Isle Railway Co. to give a six-minute service on said line east of Woodward avenue; and the resolution of Ald. Atkinson to detail an officer for duty in connection with the proper disposition of matter being hauled to the city dumps in the vicinity of Michigan avenue in the Sixteenth ward, were presented.

I am directed to inform you that the proper officers had been instructed to secure evidence in such violation and submit the same to the Corporation Counsel.

Counsel.

Respectfully submitted, J. EDWARD DUPONT, Secretary Metropolitan Police Commis-Accepted and placed on file.

From the Board of Health.

Transmitting report of non-collection of garbage for week ending June 2d, 1900.

Accepted and referred to the Committee on Health.

From the Board of Building Inspectors.

Transmitting report for May, 1900. Accepted and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

From the Boiler Inspector.

Transmitting report for May, 1900. Accepted and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

From the Clerk of the Recorder's

To the Honorable the Common Coun-

cil:
Gentlemen—I respectfully report to
your honorable body that a jury duly
impanelled in the Recorder's Court, in
the matter of opening King avenue
from Brush street to Oakland avenue,
rendered a verdict in favor of said
opening May 10th, 1900, which was confirmed by the Court June 4th, 1900.
In accordance with the statute, I
herewith transmit a certified copy of
said verdict, and of the judgment of
confirmation.
Respectfully,

Respectfully, JOHN A. GROGAN. Clerk.

Accepted and referred to the Committee on Street Openings.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—I respectfully report to your honorable body that a jury duly impanelled in the Recorder's Court, in the matter of opening Scovel place from Vinewood avenue to Chope place. rendered a verdict in favor of said opening, May 29th, 1900, which was confirmed by the Court June 4th, 1900. In accordance with the statute, I herewith transmit a certified copy of said verdict, and of the judgment of confirmation.

Respectfully, JOHN A. GROGAN,

Clerk. Accepted and referred to the Committee on Street Openings.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

cil:
Gentlemen—I respectfully report to your honorable body that a jury duly impanelled in the Recorder's Court, in the matter of opening, extending and widening Twenty-sixth street, from McGraw avenue to Grand River avenue, rendered a verdict in favor of said opening, May 26th, 1900, which was confirmed by the Court May 31st, 1900.

In accordance with the statute, I herewith transmit a certified copy of said verdict, and of the judgment of confirmation.

confirmation.

Respectfully, JOHN A. GROGAN,

Clerk. Accepted and referred to the Com-mittee on Street Openings. FROM THE SAME.

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June 5th, 1800.

In accordance with the statute, I herewith transmit a certified copy of heredict, and of the judgment of said verdict, and confirmation.

Respectfully,

JOHN A. GROGAN. Clerk.

Accepted and referred to the Com-mittee on Street Openings.

From the Clerk.

That he presented such portion of the proceedings of the last session as is required by the Charter to be so presented, to his honor the Mayor for approval, on the 2nd inst., and that they were approved on the 5th inst.

Accepted and placed on file.
Also that the following named persons have filed their indemnity bonds for trafficking in liquor: A. Ruoff Brewing Co., A. Ruoff Brewing Co., William Michels, Frederick W. Meyer, Miss May Smith, Nicholas L. and August W. Koenig, John W. Lucker, Wm. W. Cartwright, Archibald McKeller, B. Stroh Brewing Co., B. Stroh Brewing Co., Frank Marquis.

Referred to the Committee on Liquor

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Bonds.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to report that I have been served with copy of bill of Complaint, and order to show cause issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, In Chancery, in a cause wherein John W. Goodson et al., are Complainants and the Common Council et al., are defendants, The Complainants seek to restrain the holding of causes. holding of caucuses Thursday, May

I have referred the matter to the Corporation Counsel.

Very respectfully,

JOHN A. SCHMID,

City Clerk. Accepted and placed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Ways and Means.

To the Honorable the Common Coun-

Gentlemen-Your Committee on Ways Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the reports of the various city officers for the week ending June 3, 1900, respectfully report that with the Chief Accountant we have examined the same, and believing them to be correct, recommend their approval.

Respectfully, submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER H. COOTS. OSCAR B. MARX. OLIVER H. GRUNOW. WM. C. HOUGHTON. JOHN WEIBEL.

Accepted and adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Atkinson, Coots, Deimel,

Fracher, Grunow, Haarer, Hansjosten, Hillger, Houghton, Joy, Knauss, Koch, Koenig, Lemke, McGraw, McGulre, Marx, Merrell, Miller, McGulre, Reinhardt, Schneider, Smith, Snow, Steiger, Tossy, Weibel, Weiler, Wildman and the President—30.

FROM THE SAME. o the Honorable the Common Coun-

Gentlemen — Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the communication from the Controller, submitting proposals for the purchase of \$250,000 of public school bonds of the City of Detroit, respectfully report that we have examined the matter and recommend that the bonds be awarded to W. J. Hayes & Sons of Cleveland, Ohio, at par and a premium of \$20,187, they being the highest bidders for said bonds, and herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER H. COOTS.

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OSCAR B. MARX.
OLIVER H. GRUNOW.
WM. C. HOUGHTON,
JOHN WEIBEL,

Accepted, and leave being grante the following resolution was offered: granted

By Ald. Coots:

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Resolved, That the bid of W. J. Hayes & Sons of Cleveland, for the public school bonds amounting to \$270,187.00 and accrued interest, being the highest bid, be and the same is hereby accepted.

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby instructed and authorized to sell two hundred and fifty public school bonds of the face value of one thousand dollars each, to W. J. Hayes & Sons of Cleveland, for the sum of \$270,187.00 with accrued interest.

Resolved, That the City Controller be

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby directed to prepare the bonds so ordered sold, in compliance with the provision of the city charter, and to deliver the same to the City Treasurer as required by law.

Resolved. That upon receipt of such

City Treasurer as required by law.

Resolved, That upon receipt of such bonds, the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to notify the proper parties that they are ready for delivery, and to deliver the same to the persons entitled thereto upon receipt of the principal, \$250,000, and a premium of \$20,187 and accrued interest, if any; and be it further

Resolved, That upon the receipt of said principal, proceeds and premium, the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to place the principal \$250,000 to the credit of the Board of Education, and the premium of \$20,187 and accrued interest, if any, to the credit of the Detroit city sinking fund, as required by law.

Adopted as follows:

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Yeas—Ald. Atkinson, Coots, Deimel, Fracher, Grunow, Haarer, Hansjosten, Hillger, Houghton, Joy, Knauss, Koch, Koenig, Lemke, McGraw, McGuire, Mary, Mary, Morrell Miller, Moeller, Koenig, Lemke, McGraw, McGuire, Marx, Merrell, Miller, Moeller, Reinhardt, Schneider, Smith, Snow, Steiger, Tossy, Weibel, Weiler, Wildman and the President—30. Nays-None.

Ald. Schneider was excused.

Claims and Accounts.

To the Honorable the Common Coun-Committee Gentlemen - Your