

office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Wayne, Michigan.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Atkinson, Barrie, Campbell, Freda, Haarer, Hillger, Houghton, Jerome, Keating, Koch, Koenig, Liphardt, McGuire, Magee, Marx, Miller, Moeller, Nevermann, Reinhardt, Smith, Snow, Steiger Tossy, Weber, Weibel, Weiler, Wildman and the President Pro Tem.—28.

Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the communication from the Police Department requesting the allowance of an appropriation for the purpose of connecting certain stations with the Public Lighting Commission, respectfully report that we have given this matter careful consideration, and upon investigation find that the Commissioner of Police requested the Public Lighting Commission to make some provision to light the Vinewood, Scotten, Chene, Fremont, Elmwood and Grand River avenue stations after July 1, 1901, although no appropriation was made in the last estimates of the Police Department; that said Commissioner was informed that the Lighting Commission had no moneys on hand with which to perform the work, but that if an appropriation could be secured from the proper authorities for construction, that the said Commission would furnish the light. We are informed by a communication to the Police Department from the Public Lighting Commission that said Commission will furnish the current free to all buildings of the Police Department if they will secure a sufficient amount to pay for the cost of construction. The stations to which it is intended to connect service at this time are the Elmwood, Chene, Grand River, Hamlin and Fremont stations, the total expense of which will cost \$2,833 83. Your committee are of the opinion that it is economy to appropriate this money and allow said buildings to be lighted by the Public Lighting Commission rather than have them lighted by private corporations, and we therefore recommend that the above mentioned sum be appropriated from the liquor license moneys and be placed to the credit of the Metropolitan Police fund, for the purposes aforesaid, and we herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBT. BARRIE,
H. F. LIPHARDT,
WM. C. HOUGHTON,
JOHN A. FREDA.

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Barrie:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby instructed to take the sum of \$2,833 83 from the moneys received as liquor taxes and place the same to the credit of the Metropolitan Police fund for the purpose of paying the cost of service of construction to the Elmwood, Chene, Grand River, Hamlin and Fremont street stations, and for no other purpose than that which is herein designated.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Atkinson, Barrie, Campbell, Freda, Haarer, Hillger, Houghton, Jerome, Keating, Koch, Koenig, Liphardt, McGuire, Magee, Marx,

Miller, Moeller, Nevermann, Reinhardt, Smith, Snow, Steiger, Tossy, Weber, Weibel, Weiler, Wildman and the President Pro Tem.—28.

Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the communication from the City Controller relative to moneys necessary for the payment of the salary of the Commissioner of Parks and Boulevards from June 1, 1901, to June 30, 1902, respectfully report that we have given this matter our careful consideration and beg leave to report that inasmuch as no money was appropriated for this purpose, said office having been created after the session of the Board of Estimates, that it will have to be appropriated out of some fund in the City Treasury. After consultation with the City Controller your committee recommend that the amount of said salary, amounting to \$5,416 67 be paid out of the contingent fund, and we herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBT. BARRIE,
H. F. LIPHARDT,
WM. C. HOUGHTON,
JOHN A. FREDA.

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Barrie:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to pay the salary of the Commissioner of Parks and Boulevards amounting to \$5,416 67, out of the contingent fund, being the salary from June 1, 1901, to June 30, 1902, at the rate of \$5,000 per annum, as provided for by an act approved May 4, 1901, entitled "An act to amend Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 22, 24, 26, 28, 31, 32, 33, 39, 40, 42, 45, 47 and 59 of an act entitled "An act supplemental to the charter of the City of Detroit and relative to the Park and Boulevard and other public grounds in said city, and to repeal act No. 374 of the Local Acts of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the use and maintenance of a broad street and boulevard about the limits of the city of Detroit, and through portions of the townships of Hamtramck, Greenfield and Springwells in the County of Wayne, approved May 21, 1879," approved May 8, 1889, as amended."

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Atkinson, Barrie, Campbell, Freda, Haarer, Hillger, Houghton, Jerome, Keating, Koch, Koenig, Liphardt, McGuire, Magee, Marx, Miller, Moeller, Nevermann, Reinhardt, Smith, Snow, Steiger, Tossy, Weber, Weibel, Weiler, Wildman and the President Pro. Tem.—28.

Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the petition of Henry Wineman, Jr., et al. for the acceptance of a deed of certain property to be used for alley purposes, beg leave to report that the petitioner is willing to deed unto the City of Detroit a strip of land 10 feet in width and 396.49 feet in

length, being off the rear end of his property between Haigh street and Alger avenue east of Woodward avenue, the alley at this point being but 10 feet wide, so as to make the alley of a uniform width of 20 feet. It being in accordance with the plan of the City, your committee recommend the acceptance of the deed, it having been certified to by the City Engineer as being correct in description and by the Corporation Counsel as being correct in form and execution and title satisfactory, and we herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBT. BARRIE,
H. F. LIPHARDT,
WM. C. HOUGHTON,
JOHN A. FREDA.

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:
By Ald. Barrie:

Resolved, That the quit-claim deed of Henry Wineman, Jr., et al, to the City of Detroit of all that piece and parcel of land situated in said City, more particularly described as follows, to wit: The northerly 10 feet of the easterly 396.49 feet of lot 1 of quarter section 44, 10,000 acre tract, be and the same is hereby accepted and the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to cause the same to be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Wayne, Michigan.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Atkinson, Barrie, Campbell, Freda, Haarer, Hillger, Houghton, Jerome, Keating, Koch, Koenig, Liphardt, McGuire, Magee, Marx, Miller, Moeller, Nevermann, Reinhardt, Smith, Snow, Steiger, Tossy, Weber, Weibel, Weiler, Wildman and the President Pro. Tem.—28.

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 July 16, 1901, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and believing the same to be correct, recommend that they be paid from the proper funds.

Respectfully submitted,

MAX C. KOCH,
EDWARD WILDMAN,
WM. W. MAGEE, JR.,
LOUIS E. TOSSY,
WM. HILLGER.

Accepted and adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Atkinson, Barrie, Campbell, Freda, Haarer, Hillger, Houghton, Jerome, Keating, Koch, Koenig, Liphardt, McGuire, Magee, Marx, Miller, Moeller, Nevermann, Reinhardt, Smith, Snow, Steiger, Tossy, Weber, Weibel, Weiler, Wildman, and President Pro Tem.—28.

Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Claims and Accounts, to whom was referred the communication from Assistant Corporation Counsel Hally, relative to the case of Ethel Wheeler vs. City of Detroit, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same and are informed according to

said communication that Ethel Wheeler, by her next friend, Charles Wheeler, recovered a verdict against the city for injuries received on a defective sidewalk, for the sum of \$500; that the case was carried to the Supreme Court for the purpose of having a new trial ordered, in which attempt they failed; that the city is now compelled to pay the judgment and costs of both courts and the interest on the judgment from the time it was taken. The judgment was \$500; costs in the Circuit Court \$51 90, and in the Supreme Court \$41 55; interest for eight months on the judgment, \$18 25, which makes a sum total of \$611 70. Inasmuch as there is no alternative, your committee recommend that the amount of said judgment, including costs and interests, be paid and we herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

MAX C. KOCH,
EDWARD WILDMAN,
WM. W. MAGEE, JR.,
LOUIS E. TOSSY,
WM. HILLGER.

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered.

By Ald. Koch:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of Ethel Wheeler, by her next friend, Charles Wheeler, for the sum of \$611 70, being the amount of the judgment, costs in the Circuit and Supreme Courts and interest to date, obtained by her by falling upon a defective sidewalk, upon presentation of a proper receipt therefor in full settlement of all claims for damages that she may have against the City of Detroit.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Atkinson, Barrie, Campbell, Freda, Haarer, Hillger, Houghton, Jerome, Keating, Koch, Koenig, Liphardt, McGuire, Magee, Marx, Miller, Moeller, Nevermann, Reinhardt, Smith, Snow, Steiger, Tossy, Weber, Weibel, Weiler, Wildman, and President Pro Tem.—28.

Nays—None.

Streets.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the communication from the Department of Public Works submitting proposals for the repaving of the following named streets, to wit: Eighteenth and One-half street, Mt. Elliott avenue, from Kercheval to Waterloo, and from Mack to Gratiot, Twenty-fourth street, Brush street, Warren avenue, Raynor street and Hancock and Clinton avenues, respectfully report that we have carefully examined the several proposals submitted, and find according to the communication that W. E. Lennane is the lowest bidder for the repaving of Eighteenth and One-half street, from River to Fort, at \$2 19 per square yard, and that he is also the lowest bidder for the repaving of Twenty-fourth street, from Merrick to McGraw, at \$1 29 per square yard; that William Lappin is the lowest bidder for the repaving of Mt. Elliott avenue, from Kercheval to Waterloo, at \$1 07 per square yard, and also for the repaving of said street from Mack to Gratiot, at \$1 16 per square yard; that T. J. Kennedy