

City Controller be and he is hereby directed to pay the bills submitted for aboye work out of the Contingnt Fund.

Adopted as follows:  
Yeas—Ald. Brozo, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Gadde, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Hillger, Keating, Kingsley, Korte, Littlefield, McClellan, Moeller, Ostrowski, Owen, Renaud, Rose, Rosenthal, Schulte, Shapland, Smith, Theisen, Tossy, Watson, Weibel, Wieber, Wing, Zink and the President—34.

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 Clerk stating that the Ireland & Matthews Mfg. Co. have filed an agreement with him in pursuance to a resolution of the Common Council adopted May 14th, 1907, which was originally filed with the City Controller by mistake on their part. The agreement having been approved by the Corporation Counsel, we recommend same be accepted and placed on file.

Respectfully submitted,  
WM. F. MOELLER,  
R. M. WATSON,  
LOUIS BROZO,  
W. P. KINGSLEY,  
CHARLES H. WIEBER.

Accepted and adopted.

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 Treasurer requesting the appropriation of a sufficient amount of money to pay the premiums on bonds proposed to be exacted by the Treasurer from various clerks in his department, respectfully report that we have had the matter under consideration and agree with the City Treasurer that the City should pay the premiums on bonds exacted by him from various clerks in his department, which same policy is pursued by all banks and commercial houses, and we therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
WM. F. MOELLER,  
R. M. WATSON,  
LOUIS BROZO,  
W. P. KINGSLEY.

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Moeller:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby directed to pay out of the Contingent Fund such bills as may be presented by the City Treasurer for premiums due on surety bonds furnished by a surety or guaranty company to such of his employes as he may designate, the aggregate of same, however, not to exceed the sum of \$200.00.

Objected to and laid on the table.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:  
Gentlemen — Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was re-

ferred the communication from the Board of Library Commissioners requesting authority to transfer from balances of unexpended funds the sum of \$750 in order to pay for printing a catalogue of juvenile books, respectfully report that we have had the matter under consideration and agree with the Library Commissioners that said catalogue is necessary, and in view thereof we recommend the request be granted and therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
WM. F. MOELLER,  
R. M. WATSON,  
LOUIS BROZO,  
W. P. KINGSLEY,  
CHARLES H. WIEBER.

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Moeller:

Resolved, That the sum of \$750 be and is hereby appropriated from the unexpended balances remaining on hand in the Public Library Fund for the purpose of paying the expense of printing a catalogue of juvenile books, and the City Controller be and he is hereby directed to make the proper entry upon his books showing said transfer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Brozo, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Gadde, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Hillger, Keating, Kingsley, Korte, Littlefield, McClellan, Moeller, Ostrowski, Owen, Renaud, Rose, Rosenthal, Schulte, Shapland, Smith, Theisen, Tossy, Watson, Weibel, Wieber, Wing, Zink and the President—34.

Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen — Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the warranty deed of the Dime Savings Bank to the City of Detroit of certain property to be used for alley purposes by report of the Committee on Street Openings, respectfully report that we have had same under consideration and find that said deed is 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 so being we recommend that said deed be accepted and approved and duly recorded and we therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
WM. F. MOELLER,  
R. M. WATSON,  
LOUIS BROZO,  
W. P. KINGSLEY,  
CHARLES H. WIEBER.

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Moeller:

Resolved, That the warranty deed of Dime Savings Bank to the City of Detroit of certain property to be used for alley purposes, more particularly described as follows, to-wit: The west 17 1/2 feet of the east 28 14-100 feet of lot 21 of Eugene Hill's sub. of part of O. L. 25, Leib Farm, etc., be and the same is hereby accepted and approved and the City Controller be and he is hereby directed to cause same to be recorded in the office of

the Register of Deeds for the County of Wayne, Mich.

Adopted as follows:  
Yeas—Ald. Erozo, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Gadde, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Hillger, Keating, Kingsley, Korte, Littlefield, McClellan, Moeller, Ostrowski, Owen, Renaud, Rose, Rosenthal, Schulte, Shapland, Smith, Theisen, Tossy, Watson, Weibel, Wieber, Wing, Zink and the President—34.  
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 Oct. 1, 1907; also vouchers Nos. 520, Gulf Refining Co., \$333 33; 521, Gulf Refining Co., \$321 18, and 540, Lennane Bros., \$928 92, which were previously held for further consideration, 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,  
JOHN GRINDLEY  
WM. GUTMAN.  
GEO. H. ELLIS  
GEORGE S. FIELD  
R. J. McCLELLAN

Accepted and adopted as follows:  
Yeas—Ald. Brozo, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Gadde, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Hillger, Keating, Kingslev, Korte, Littlefield, McClellan, Moeller, Ostrowski, Owen, Renaud, Rose, Rosenthal, Schulte, Shapland, Smith, Theisen, Tossy, Watson, Weibel, Wieber, Wing, Zink and the President—34.  
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 Albert Johnson for the cancellation of a noxious weed assessment, respectfully report that we have had the matter under investigation, and after reference to the Department of Public Works, are informed by said department that the assessment in question was levied against the wrong lot, and in view of said acknowledgment we recommend that the assessment be canceled, and herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
JOHN GRINDLEY  
WM. GUTMAN  
GEORGE S. FIELD  
GEO. H. ELLIS  
R. J. McCLELLAN

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

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to cancel noxious weed assessment levied against lot 53 of Clark's subdivision, situate on north side of Spring street, for the year 1907, the same having been erroneously levied against said property by the Department of Public Works.

Adopted as follows:  
Yeas—Ald. Brozo, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Gadde, Glinnan,

Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Hillger, Keating, Kingsley, Korte, Littlefield, McClellan, Moeller, Ostrowski, Owen, Renaud, Rose, Rosenthal, Schulte, Shapland, Smith, Theisen, Tossy, Watson, Weibel, Wieber, Wing, Zink and the President—34.  
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 Wm. Porath for payment of claim for constructing lateral sewers in former Village of Fairview, respectfully report that we have had the same under consideration and after consultation with the Department of Public Works, are informed by said Department that contracts were awarded to petitioner by the Village for the following sewers, to-wit:

|   |                    |
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| On the Hart Farm.....                                       | \$12,915 00        |
| In alley between St. Clair and Garland, north of Kercheval  | 470 00             |
| In alley west of Lemay, north of Jefferson.....             | 1,308 00           |
| In alley west of Lemay, south of Jefferson.....             | 1,119 00           |
| In alley between Taylor and Beniteau, north of Jefferson.   | 2,045 00           |
| In alley between St. Jean and Engle, south of Jefferson.... | 1,088 00           |
| In alley south of Jefferson, between Vanilla and Lycaste    | 2,146 00           |
| In alley west of Engle, south of Jefferson.....             | 1,349 00           |
| In alley between Garland and St. Clair.....                 | 2,411 00           |
|   | <b>\$24,851 00</b> |

Also that all of the above sewers were built according to contract and accepted by the Village, and that payments amounting to \$20,729.50 were made, leaving due on said contracts the sum of \$4,121.50 instead of \$4,598.62 as claimed in original bill, and which former amount we recommend be tendered in full payment of same. We therefore recommend the reference of this report to the Committee on Ways and Means with a request that said Committee provide funds for the payment of the amount herein recommended.

Respectfully submitted,  
JOHN GRINDLEY.  
WM. GUTMAN.  
GEORGE S. FIELD.  
GEO. H. ELLIS.  
R. J. McCLELLAN.

Accepted and adopted as follows:  
Yeas—Ald. Brozo, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Gadde, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Hillger, Keating, Kingsley, Korte, Littlefield, McClellan, Moeller, Ostrowski, Owen, Renaud, Rose, Rosenthal, Schulte, Shapland, Smith, Theisen, Tossy, Watson, Weibel, Wieber, Wing, Zink and the President—34.  
Nays—None.

**FROM THE SAME.**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Claims and Accounts to whom was referred the various statements showing the expense and time employed in the destruction of noxious weeds, filed in the office of the City Clerk, by the Commissioner of Public Works, as required by sections 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the