

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the communication from the Library Commission asking for a transitory appropriation, respectfully report that we have had the same under consideration and find that through a clerical error upon the part of a clerk in said Department an estimate of \$2,500 to cover the cost of labor and supplies during the present fiscal year was entirely omitted from the estimates transmitted to the Common Council and Board of Estimates, and inasmuch as it is too late to increase the amount, the Commission asks authority to transfer \$1,000 of the moneys appropriated for Book Fund to the credit of the fund for labor and supplies, to which your Committee can see no objection, and we therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. E. GLINNAN
WM. R. SHAPLAND
JOHN HARPFER
ALBERT T. ALLAN
JOHN T. THOMPSON
LOUIS E. TOSSY

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

Resolved, That the sum of \$1,000 of the moneys appropriated for Books in Public Library Fund be placed to the credit of the account for "Labor and Supplies," in order to help out said account during the present fiscal year, 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. Allan, Burton, Deimel, Ellis, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller, Zink and the President Pro Tem.—33.
Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—Your Committee on Wayne and Means, to whom was referred the communication from the Department of Buildings, requesting authority to expend \$50.00 to cover expense of visiting Cleveland for the purpose of studying the workings of the Department of Buildings in said city, respectfully report that we have had the matter under consideration and beg leave to state that we are well satisfied that the knowledge to be obtained warrants the expenditure asked, and we therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. E. GLINNAN,
WM. R. SHAPLAND,
JOHN HARPFER,
ALBERT T. ALLAN,
JOHN T. THOMPSON,
LOUIS E. TOSSY.

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

Resolved, That the Department of Buildings be and is hereby authorized

and empowered to send the Chief Inspector of said department to Cleveland for the purpose of studying the workings of the Department of Buildings in said city, at an expense not to exceed the sum of \$35.00, and be it further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized directed to pay the above expense out of the appropriation allowed for salary of Plan Examiner in Building Commission Fund, in which there will be a surplus of \$300 at the end of the present fiscal year

Adopted as follows:
Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Deimel, Ellis, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller, Zink and the President Pro Tem.—33.
Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the quit claim deed of Mary Martindale et al. to the City of Detroit of certain property to be used for street purposes, by report of the Committee on Street Openings presented at the last session of the Council, respectfully report that said deed is certified 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 herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. E. GLINNAN,
WM. R. SHAPLAND,
JOHN HARPFER,
ALBERT T. ALLAN,
JOHN T. THOMPSON,
LOUIS E. TOSSY.

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

Resolved, That the quit claim deed of Mary Martindale et al. to the City of Detroit of all those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in said City and known and described as follows, to-wit:

The east ten (10) feet of lot 126, all of lot 127, the west twenty (20) feet of lot 128 and all of lots 79 and 80 of Allendale Sub. of the southerly ten (10) feet of lot 4 and lots 7, 8, 11 and 12 of Tireman's sub. of part of lot 5 of the subdivision of quarter sections 50, 51 and 52, Ten Thousand Acre Tract and frac. sec. 3, T. 2 S., R. 11 E., according to the plat recorded in liber 23 on page 70, Wayne County Records.

Also all that part of lots 5 and 6 plat of the sub. of portion of quarter sections 50, 51 and 52 of the Ten Thousand Acre Tract and frac. sec. 3, T. 2 S., R. 11 E., according to the plat recorded in liber 260 of deeds on page 472, Wayne County Records, described as follows: Commencing at a point in the south line of said Allendale Sub., said point being distant north 63 degrees 16 minutes east along said line 1220 feet from the southwest

corner of said Allendale Sub.; thence southerly parallel to the west line, extended, of said Allendale Sub. to a point in the south line of said lot 6; thence easterly along the said south line of lot 6, sixty (60) feet, to a point; thence northerly parallel to the west line, extended, of Allendale Sub. to a point in the south line of said Allendale Sub.; thence south 63 degrees 16 minutes west, sixty (60) feet, to the place of beginning.

Also that all that part of lot "D," partition of a part of the estate of John Tireman, deceased, being part of quarter sections 51 and 52, Ten Thousand Acre Tract, according to the plat recorded in liber 442 of deeds on page 4, Wayne County Records, described as follows: Commencing at a point in the north line of said lot "D" said point being distant north 63 degrees 17 minutes east along said line 1220 feet from the west line, extended, of Allendale Sub.; thence southerly parallel to the said west line, extended, of Allendale Sub. to a point in the north line of Tireman avenue; thence easterly along said north line of Tireman avenue sixty (60) feet, to a point; thence northerly parallel to the west line, extended, of said Allendale Sub. to a point in the north line of said lot "D"; thence westerly along said north line of lot "D" sixty (60) feet to the place of beginning, be and the same is hereby accepted and approved, and the City 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. Allan, Burton, Deimel, Ellis, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller, Zink and the President Pro Tem.—33.

Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the communications from the Building Inspectors and Department of Buildings, the former in relation to Building Inspectors continuing in office until such time as the proposed building code is passed and the latter asking the Common Council to invest in the Department of Buildings full power to enforce the present building ordinances until such time as the proposed code, which is now being prepared, is submitted, passed and becomes effective, respectfully report that we have had this matter under consideration and beg leave to state that we are informed by the Department of Buildings that it is absolutely necessary, until the proposed code is passed, to invest in said Department full power to enforce the present ordinances relating to buildings and the present building inspectors, whose term expired on July 1 last, being acquainted with the general detail will be retained by the Building Commission, until such time as the code is passed by the Common Council, and

this meeting with the approval of your Committee, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. E. GLINNAN,
WM. R. SHAPLAND,
ALBERT T. ALLAN,
JOHN HARPFER,
JOHN T. THOMPSON,
LOUIS E. TOSSY.

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Glinnan:

Resolved, That the Common Council does hereby invest in the Department of Buildings full power to enforce the present ordinances relating to buildings until such time when the proposed building code becomes effective, and be it further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to pay the salaries of the Inspectors and Chief Inspector, employed or to be employed by said Department out of the appropriation allowed the Department of Buildings for such purpose for the present fiscal year, and to continue paying same out of the appropriation until such time when the building code, prepared by said Department is finally passed by the Common Council.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Deimel, Ellis, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller, Zink and the President Pro Tem.—33.

Nays—None.

Claims and Accounts.

To the Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Claims and Accounts, to whom was referred the Controller's list of approved accounts of July 13, 1909, 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
JAMES VERNOR
GODFREY FREIWALD
LOUIS H. LEMPKE
MARTIN J. OSTROWSKI

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Deimel, Ellis, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller, Zink and the President Pro Tem.—33.

Nays—None.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Claims and Accounts, to whom was referred the petition of F. J. Sober asking to be reimbursed for damage to automobile sustained on defective pavement, respectfully report that we have had the matter under consideration and after consultation with the Corporation Counsel recommend that claim of petitioner be settled, and we