

By Ald. Burton:

Resolved, That the sum of \$6,735.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated from surplus in the Police Pay Roll Fund, and placed to the credit of funds in the same account, as follows:

To purchase of new 2½-ton truck for Signal Division, to replace truck wrecked on Jan. 12, 1917..	\$ 3,400 00
Equipment and Replacement.....	700 00
Janitor Supplies	400 00
Horseshoeing	300 00
Harness, Saddles and Repairs....	200 00
Laundry and Cleaning.....	135 00
Meals	1,600 00

Grand total\$ 6,735 00 and the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to make the proper entries upon his books to effect said transfers.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Ashe, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Burton, Cowan, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Holden, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Richert, Riopelle, Robinson, Ross, Schultz, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, and the President—36.
Nays—None.

Ways and Means.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your committee on Ways and Means was referred the communication from the Department of Parks and Boulevards requesting a transfer in the amount of \$2,000 from Surplus Account "D" to Account 44, Fuel, Power Plant, in the said Department's funds. Your Committee have had this matter under consideration, and find that the purpose of said transfer is to cover the amount of increased consumption and higher prices for coal consumed at the Belle Isle Power Plant. Your committee therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution, concurring in the request as stated.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES VERNOR,
JOHN C. LODGE,
JACOB GUTHARD,
RALPH MITTER.

Accepted, and on leave, the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Burton:

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,000.00 be, and the same is hereby appropriated from Surplus Account "D" in the Parks and Boulevards funds, and placed to the credit of Account No. 44, Fuel, Power plant, in the same funds, and the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the proper entries upon his books to effect said transfer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Ashe, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Burton, Cowan, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Holden, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Richert, Riopelle, Robinson, Ross, Schultz, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, and the President—36.
Nays—None.

Ways and Means.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your committee on Ways and Means was referred the communication from the Public Lighting Commission requesting a transfer in the sum of \$826.22 from conduit account in said Department's funds, to a fund for payment of bill rendered by the Department of Public Works for the cost of repairing pavement over conduit in Fort street

west. Your Committee find that these repairs were made necessary during the summer of 1915, following the completion of a contract with W. F. Cummings, of Chicago, and that said contractor has not reimbursed the Department, the Corporation Counsel having been instructed to sue his bondsmen. We therefore recommend that the request of the Commission be granted, and offer the following resolution therefor.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES VERNOR,
JOHN C. LODGE,
JACOB GUTHARD,
RALPH MITTER.

Accepted, on an leave, the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Burton:

Resolved, That the sum of \$826.22 be, and the same is hereby appropriated from balances for 1915 conduit construction, and placed to the credit of fund for payment of the Department of Public Works bill for repairs to pavement as rendered the Public Lighting Commission, and the City Controller be, and he is hereby instructed to make the proper entries upon his books to effect said transfer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Ashe, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Burton, Cowan, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Holden, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Richert, Riopelle, Robinson, Ross, Schultz, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, and the President—36.
Nays—None.

Ways and Means.

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your committee on Ways and Means was referred the quit-claim deed of the North Woodward Methodist Episcopal Church of certain property to the City of Detroit, for alley purposes, also warranty deed of Joseph Grindley to the City of Detroit of certain property to be used for street and alley purposes. Your Committee has had same under consideration and find that said deeds have been certified by the City Engineer as being correct in description, and by the Corporation Counsel as being correct in form and execution. We therefore recommend the approval of said deeds, in accordance with the following resolutions:

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES VERNOR,
JOHN C. LODGE,
JACOB GUTHARD,
RALPH MITTER.

Accepted, and on leave, the following resolutions were offered:

By Ald. Burton:

Resolved, That the quit-claim deed of the North Woodward Methodist Episcopal Church to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Detroit, known and described as follows: "the north nine feet of the east thirty feet of Lot No. 1 of McLaughlin Brothers' Subdivision of Lot 8, and the northerly thirty-three feet of Lot 7 of the subdivision of quarter section 57, Ten Thousand Acre Tract, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 17 of plats at page 73, Wayne County Records," be, and the same is hereby accepted and approved, and the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause the same to be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Wayne, Michigan; also

Resolved, That the Warranty Deed of Joseph Grindley to the City of Detroit of all that piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Detroit, and described as follows: "the westerly one hundred eighteen and twenty-six one-hundredths (118.26) feet of Lot 34, Schwartz Subdivision, of part of Section 22 T. 1 S. R. 12 E, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 27 of plats, on page 88, Wayne County Records," be, and the same is hereby accepted and approved, 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 the County of Wayne, Michigan.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Ashe, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Burton, Cowan, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Holden, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Richert, Riopelle, Robinson, Ross, Schultz, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, and the President—36.

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 February 20, 1917, 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.

A. G. KUNZ,
MOSES WARTELL,
FRED. W. ROBINSON,
JAMES S. HOLDEN,
F. W. WENZEL,
J. S. HUNTER,
GEO. W. ROSS.

Accepted and adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Ashe, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Burton, Cowan, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Holden, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Richert, Riopelle, Robinson, Ross, Schultz, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, and the President—36.

Nays—None.

Claims and Accounts.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee on Claims and Accounts was referred the communication from the Corporation Counsel relative to the claims of Charles Braun, and of Charles Neumann, against the City of Detroit, reciting the fact that verdicts were returned against the city, and recommending that the awards, together with costs assessed, be paid. Your committee find that the amount of damages allowed Charles Braun was \$168.50, together with cost of \$43.35, and the amount of damages allowed Charles Neumann was \$438.50, and costs of \$45.70. We, therefore, recommend the adoption of resolutions herewith presented for the payment of the awards, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

A. G. KUNZ,
MOSES WARTELL,
FRED. W. ROBINSON,
JAMES S. HOLDEN,
F. W. WENZEL,
J. S. HUNTER,
GEO. W. ROSS.

Accepted, and on leave, the following resolutions were offered:

By Ald. Kunz:

Resolved, That the City Controller be

and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon the Contingent Fund, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, in favor of Charles Braun, in the sum of \$211.85, in full settlement of verdict rendered and costs taxed against the City of Detroit by reason of damages alleged to have been sustained from defective condition of a highway; and further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon the Contingent Fund, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, in favor of Charles Neumann, in the sum of \$484.20, in full settlement of verdict rendered and costs taxed against the City of Detroit by reason of damages alleged to have been sustained from defective condition of a highway.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Ashe, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Burton, Cowan, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Holden, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Richert, Riopelle, Robinson, Ross, Schultz, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, and the President—36.

Nays—None.

Streets.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee on Streets was referred a communication from the Department of Public Works transmitting proposal for furnishing sand for the city's use during the present year, ending Jan. 31, 1918. Your committee have had this matter under consideration and find that the United Fuel and Supply Co. is the lowest and only bidder. We, therefore, recommend that the resolution offered by Ald. Cranshaw on the 30th ult. (J. C. C. p. 89), approving and confirming the contract entered into by said department, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES CRANSHAW,
THOS. E. GLINNAN,
SHERMAN LITTLEFIELD,
MOSES WARTELL,
ALEXANDER DILL,
ANTHONY NOWC.

Accepted, and adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Ashe, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Burton, Cowan, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Holden, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Richert, Riopelle, Robinson, Ross, Schultz, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, and the President—36.

Nays—None.

Streets.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee on Streets was referred the petitions National Car and Accessory Co. (9514) for permission to install a free air line at 1889 West Fort street, and of Louis Schneider (9496) for permission to maintain a temporary sign adjoining 116 Woodward avenue. Your committee have given these matters careful consideration, and seeing no objection thereto, recommend the adoption of the following resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES CRANSHAW,
THOS. E. GLINNAN,
SHERMAN LITTLEFIELD,
MOSES WARTELL,
ALEXANDER DILL,
ANTHONY NOWC.

Accepted, and on leave, the following resolutions were offered: