

port that we have had the same under consideration, and find that by reason of a re-subdivision of certain property lots 43, 44, 45 and 46 of McLaughlin Bros. and Hough's subdivision of the southerly 323 feet of the northerly 653 feet of the south one-half of one-quarter section 25, 10,000 acre tract, were assessed on Hamilton Boulevard and also on Burlingame avenue. In view of the fact that the assessments levied against said lots on Burlingame avenue have been paid and the Board of Assessors have acknowledged the same to be a double assessment, we recommend that the assessments appearing against the same lots on Hamilton Boulevard be cancelled, and we therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
 HERMAN F. ZINK.  
 CHAS. F. WING.  
 HIRAM L. ROSE.  
 JOHN GRINDLEY.  
 M. J. OSTROWSKI.

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

Resolved, That the Receiver of Taxes be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to cancel the General City Taxes levied against lots 43, 44, 45 and 46 of McLaughlin Bros. and Hough's subdivision of the southerly 323 feet of the northerly 653 feet of the south one-half of one-quarter section 25, 10,000 acre tract, situate on the east side of Hamilton Boulevard, for the year 1906, for reasons set forth in the above report.

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

**FROM THE SAME.**

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your Committee on Taxes, to whom was referred the petition of Walter H. Stowers, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Presbyterian Church of the Covenant, asking for exemption from taxes, respectfully report that we have had the same under consideration, and see no reason for granting the request of the petitioner. We therefore recommend that the same be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
 HERMAN F. ZINK.  
 CHAS. F. WING.  
 HIRAM L. ROSE.  
 JOHN GRINDLEY.  
 M. J. OSTROWSKY.

Accepted and adopted.

**Street Openings.**

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your committee on Street Openings to whom was referred the petitions of Thomas Campau & Son and Mason L. Brown & Co., for the acceptance of certain plats, respectfully report that we have had the same under consideration and find that the proposed plats conform to the general

plan of the city, and so doing, we recommend that they be accepted and approved, and therefore offer the following resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,  
 CHAS. W. BURTON,  
 W. P. KINGSLEY,  
 GEO. A. OWEN,  
 OTTO C. GOESCHEL,  
 CHAS. H. WIEBER.

Accepted, and on leave the following resolutions were offered:

By Ald. Burton:  
 Resolved, That the plat of Gray's sub. of the westerly 569.56 feet of outlot 24 and of the southerly half of outlot 23, sub. of the Van Dyke farm, p. c. 679, be and the same is hereby accepted and approved, and the commissioner of public works be and he is hereby directed to sign and approve same.

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

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

Nays—None.  
 By Ald. Burton:  
 Resolved, That the plat of Henry and Meredith sub. of lot A, block 5, of the sub. of Cook farm between Mack and Forest avenues, be and the same is hereby accepted and approved, and the commissioner of public works be and he is hereby directed to sign and approve same.

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

By Ald. Burton:  
 Resolved, That the plat of Van Winkel, Schmanski Werbach's sub. of outlot 25 and 27, p. c. 267, 268 and 270, between Fort-st. and D. M. & T. R. R., be and the same is hereby accepted and approved, and the commissioner of public works be and he is hereby directed to sign and approve same.

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

### FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your Committee on Street Openings, to whom was referred the communication from the Secretary of the Common Council Committees, relative to deeds of certain property intended to be deeded to the City for alley purposes and also calling attention to the fact that there are two tax titles held by Cyrus Johnston against two of the strips proposed to be deeded and recommending that he be reimbursed twice the amount paid for the certificates with 6 per cent interest added thereto from the date of purchase, respectfully report that we have had the matter under consideration and after investigation recommend that the deeds in question be recommended for acceptance and that Cyrus Johnston, who holds the tax titles in question, be paid the amount recommended. We therefore recommend that the deeds herein referred to, being from Samuel Post and wife, Duncan McLeod and wife, Daniel J. Campau and C. W. H. Potter to the City of Detroit, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means for acceptance, and that the following resolution be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHAS. W. BURTON,  
W. P. KINGSLEY,  
GEO. A. OWEN,  
OTTO C. GOESCHEL,  
CHARLES H. WIEBER.

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

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to draw a warrant upon the proper fund in favor of Cyrus Johnston for the sum of \$6.90, being twice the original amount paid for certificates of title against the east 10 feet of lot 4 and the west 10 feet of lot 13 of Potter's Sub., etc., with interest added thereto at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the date of purchase upon surrendering certificates issued him by the County Treasurer covering said property.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays—None.

### FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your Committee on Street Openings, to whom was referred the petition of G. Jerome for acceptance of a plat, respectfully report that we have had the same under consideration and find that the property in said plat is platted to the best interests of the City, and we therefore recommend its acceptance and approval, and herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHAS. W. BURTON,  
W. P. KINGSLEY,  
GEO. A. OWEN,  
OTTO C. GOESCHEL,  
CHARLES H. WIEBER.

Accepted, and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Burton:

Resolved, That the plat of Scullen's Sub. of lot 8, except the north 65.10 feet

of the plat of the Meldrum Farm lying north of Jefferson, be and the same is hereby accepted and approved, and the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to sign and approve same, provided that the owners of said property dedicate to the City of Detroit all that portion of their property lying in the line of Fort street east, extended 50 feet wide, said deed, however, not to become operative until such time when said Fort street shall be opened from Meldrum to Beaufait avenues within a period of ten years.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays—None.

### FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your Committee on Street Openings, to whom was referred the petition of Mrs. Campau Thompson et al., for vacation of part of alley in block bounded by Cadillac square, Bates and Congress streets, and Woodward avenue, respectfully report that we have had the matter under consideration and find that there is a blind alley or cul-de-sac in the rear of the Normandie hotel which in part is occupied by buildings as well as the hotel proper; that said alley is not now nor has it ever been of any use to any other property than that of your petitioners, and in view of the fact that extensive building operations are contemplated in addition to those now being constructed, petitioners, who are the owners of all the abutting property, desire same vacated and your committee after a personal investigation can see no particular objection to said request. We, therefore, recommend that the request of petitioners be granted, and herewith offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHAS. W. BURTON,  
W. P. KINGSLEY,  
GEO. A. OWEN,  
OTTO C. GOESCHEL,  
CHARLES H. WIEBER.

Accepted and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Burton:

Resolved, That all that part of the public alley in the block bounded by Cadillac square, Bates and Congress streets, and Woodward avenue, being on Section 1, Governor and Judges' plan described as follows: Commencing at the northwest corner of lot 94; thence southeasterly to the northeast corner of said lot 94; thence northeasterly 30 feet to the northeast corner of lot 93; thence northwesterly to the northwesterly corner of lot 92; thence southwesterly to the place of beginning, be and the same is hereby vacated.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays—None.