

and the Assessors after an investigation being satisfied thereof, recommend that said assessment be reduced from \$1,500 to \$500, which is concurred in by your Committee.

Re petition of Pauline Siebert, we find that a personal assessment of \$1,600 was levied against her for 1909 on a mortgage of said amount; that said mortgage was duly discharged of record on the 15th day of March, 1909, as is certified to by the Register of Deeds, and such being the case, we recommend that said assessment be canceled; and herewith offer the following resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. R. SHAPLAND,
WM. GUTMAN,
GEO. H. ELLIS.
R. M. WATSON,
GEORGE S. FIELD,
OTTO REINHARDT,
AUG. SCHULTE.

Accepted and on leave the following resolutions were offered.

By Ald. Shapland:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to accept from Wilhelmina Papke the sum of \$7.23, being the taxes on a valuation of \$400 in full settlement of the personal assessment levied against her for 1909 and cancel balance due for reasons set forth in the above report. Eighteenth ward, folio 576.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Heineman, Keating, Koenig, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller and the President—35.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Shapland:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to accept from Nicholson & Turner the sum of \$30.72, being the taxes on a valuation of \$1,700, in full settlement of the personal assessment levied against said firm for 1909 and cancel the balance due for reasons set forth in the above report. 1st ward.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Heineman, Keating, Koenig, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller and the President—35.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Shapland:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to accept from Martha Mitchell, of 115 Winder street, the sum of \$9.04, being the taxes on a valuation of \$500, in full settlement of the personal assessment levied against her for 1909 and cancel the balance due for reasons set forth in the above report. 1st ward-folio 73.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan,

Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Heineman, Keating, Koenig, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, son, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Thompson, Watson, Wing, Zoeller and the President—35.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Shapland:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be, and he is hereby authorized and instructed to cancel the taxes due on a personal assessment of \$400 levied against Thomas Traski for 1909 for reasons set forth in the above report. 9th ward-folio 315.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Heineman, Keating, Koenig, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller and the President—35.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Shapland:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be, and he is hereby authorized and instructed to cancel the taxes due on a personal assessment of \$1,800, levied against Peter A. Klem, for 1909, for reasons set forth in the above report. 7th ward-folio 25.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Heineman, Keating, Koenig, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller and the President—35.

Nays—None.

By Ald. Shapland:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to cancel the taxes due on a personal assessment of \$1,600 levied against Mrs. Pauline Siebert for 1909 for reasons set forth in the above report.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Heineman, Keating, Koenig, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller and the President—35.

Nays—None.

Street Openings.

To the Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—Your Committee on Street Openings, to whom was referred the petition of the West Side Brewery Co., offering to dedicate certain lands to the City of Detroit for alley purposes, respectfully report that we have had the same under consideration and find that petitioners own a large tract of land on Howard street, east of Twelfth street; that they desire to dedicate to the City an alley 20 feet wide through said property, and your Committee seeing no objection thereto, recommend that said deed be referred to the Commit-

tee on Ways and Means for acceptance and approval.

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. W. BURTON,
GEO. A. OWEN,
GEO. H. ELLIS,
WALTER M. TREVOR,
LOUIS H. LEMPKE,
WILLIAM F. ZOELLER,
AUG. SCHULTE.

Accepted and adopted.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—Your Committee on Street Openings, to whom was referred the petition of the Wabash Railroad Co. for vacation of Seventh street, between Fort and River streets, respectfully report that we have had the matter under consideration, have made a personal investigation of the premises, and after listening to the arguments advanced by the various manufacturers located in the district affected, beg leave to state that we can see no reason for vacating said street as petitioned for, and we therefore recommend that the prayer of petitioners be denied.

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. W. BURTON,
GEO. A. OWEN,
GEO. H. ELLIS,
WALTER M. TREVOR,
LOUIS H. LEMPKE,
WM. F. ZOELLER,
AUG. SCHULTE.

Accepted and adopted.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—Your Committee on Street Openings, to whom was referred the petition of C. Harold Wills, et al., for vacation of an alley, respectfully report that we have had the matter under consideration and find that petitioners are the owners of all the property situate in the block bounded by Second and Third avenues, Glynn court and Boston boulevard; that they ask that the public alley in said block be vacated, it being their intention to beautify and ornament said premises and make same a fine residential block, and your Committee seeing no objection thereto, recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. W. BURTON,
GEO. A. OWEN,
GEO. H. ELLIS,
WALTER M. TREVOR,
LOUIS H. LEMPKE,
WILLIAM F. ZOELLER,
AUG. SCHULTE.

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

Resolved, That all of the public alley situate in the block bounded by Second and Third avenues, Glynn court and Boston boulevard be and the same is hereby vacated.

Provided the abutting owners pay into the City Treasury whatever expense may have been incurred by the city in the matter of constructing crosswalks at the entrances to said alley, furnishing curb, paving, etc., as may be certified by the City Engineer within 15 days from the date of the approval of this resolution, otherwise same shall be of no force or effect, and further

Provided, That C. Harold Wills, who is owner of all the real estate situate

in the block bounded by Glynn court, Second avenue, alley south of Glynn court and Hamilton boulevard, files an agreement with the City Controller that no lot abutting on the alley here-in vacated shall be used or occupied except for a single private dwelling house and dwelling house purposes only. That no dwelling shall be erected on said lots costing less than \$2,500, nor be located nearer than 20 feet to the line of Glynn court, nor more than two feet from the westerly line of said lot, nor less than two stories in height, and that the projections forming a part of the body of the house are constructed as a part of the house and must be set within the house line, etc., as more particularly set forth in said agreement, which is filed at the suggestion of your Committee to protect the property owners on the north side Glynn court from said street being used as an alley; and the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause said agreement to be properly recorded.

Adopted as follows:
Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Heineman, Keating, Koenig, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller and the President—35.

Nays—None.

Parks and Boulevards.

To the Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—Your Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to whom was referred the communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Boulevards relative to the disposition of old bath house on Belle Isle Park, respectfully report that we have had the matter under consideration, and after a personal inspection of the building, believe that the main portion of the building should be allowed to stand and that the east and west frame wings be torn down. The main building with a few slight repairs could and should be used as a shelter and rest for women and children and is most admirably adapted for such purposes. We therefore recommend that the Commissioner comply with the recommendation herein contained.

Respectfully submitted,
GODFREY FREIWAOLD
DAVID E. HEINEMAN
MAURICE J. KEATING
WM. R. SHAPLAND
ROBERT W. RUTTER
JOHN T. THOMPSON
MARTIN J. OSTROWSKI

Accepted and adopted as follows:
Yeas—Ald. Allan, Burton, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Garvey, Glinnan, Goeschel, Grindley, Gutman, Harpfer, Heineman, Keating, Koenig, Konkel, Korte, Lempke, Ostrowski, Owen, Reinhardt, Rosenthal, Rutter, Schulte, Shapland, Skrzycki, Theisen, Thompson, Tossy, Trevor, Vernor, Walsh, Watson, Wing, Zoeller and the President—35.

Nays—None.

Ordinances.

To the Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ordinances, to whom was referred the