County, Michigan," be and the same is hereby approved and accepted, and the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby directed to sign and approve same.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Ashe, Barnett, Bleil, Burton, Cranshaw, Dill, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Guthard, Hindle, Jakel, Keating, Kocher, Krimmel, Kronk, Kunz, Lempke, Lodge, Nowc, Richert, Robinson, Rollo, Rutter, Schemansky, Schultz, Starkey, Stefanowski, Thompson, Wartell, Wenzel, A. E. Wilson, W. J. Willson, Zink, Zoeller, and the President Pro Tem—36.

Nays—None.

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**Street Openings.**

To the Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen: To your Committee on Street Openings was referred the petition of Morris Shulman (8490) requesting the vacation of a strip of land. Your Committee find that the petitioner is the owner of the property at the corner of Riopelle and Farnsworth streets, at which location Riopelle street is 4.35 ft. wider than its uniform width of 50 ft. As this property lies outside the street line, your Committee can see no objection to vacating it as requested, and therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
EDWARD BARNETT,
JAMES VERNOR,
JOHN A. KRONK,
JOHN T. THOMPSON,
F. W. WENZEL,
HERMAN F. ZINK.

Accepted, and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Barnett:

Resolved, That the "west 4.35 ft. of the south 118.65 ft. of that part of Riopelle street between the north line of Farnsworth street and the south line of existing alley 20 ft. wide north of Farnsworth street" be and the same is hereby vacated,

Provided, That petitioner pays to the City Treasurer within thirty days from the date of the adoption hereof the sum of $200.00 to reimburse the city for any expense to which it may have been put in the matter of constructing sewers, cross-walks, paving, etc., otherwise this resolution shall be null and void and of no force or effect.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Ashe, Barnett, Bleil, Burton, Cranshaw, Dill, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Guthard, Hindle, Jakel, Keating, Kocher, Krimmel, Kronk, Kunz, Lempke, Lodge, Nowc, Richert, Robinson, Rollo, Rutter, Schemansky, Schultz, Starkey, Stefanowski, Thompson, Wartell, Wenzel, A. E. Wilson, W. J. Willson, Zink, Zoeller, and the President Pro Tem—36.

Nays—None.

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**Parks and Boulevards.**

To the Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen: To your Committee on Parks and Boulevards was referred the petition of the motorcycle patrolmen of the Park and Boulevard Department, requesting an increase in pay from $3.00 to $3.50 per day, the same to take effect on and after July 1, 1916, with twenty days' furlough per year and one day off in every fourteen. Your Committee after a careful consideration of the matter, are of the opinion that the patrolmen in the employ of the Park and Boulevard Department should receive the increase in salary requested, together with the yearly furlough of twenty days and one day off in every fourteen. We therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. H. ELLIS,
JOHN L. JAKEL,
JAMES CRANSHAW,
JULIUS L. KRIMMEL,
JOHN A. KRONK,
A. G. KUNZ,
W. J. WILLSON.

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

By Ald. Ellis:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks and Boulevards be and he is hereby authorized and directed to increase the compensation received by all motorcycle patrolmen under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks and Boulevards, from $3.00 to $3.50 per day, effective July 1, 1916, in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 30 of Ordinance 409-A, approved June 28, 1916; and also, that the Commissioner of Parks and Boulevards be directed to grant a furlough to all such employes of twenty days out of each year, and that they be allowed one day off duty out of every fourteen days of service.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Ashe, Barnett, Bleil, Burton, Cranshaw, Dill, Ellis, Field, Freiwald, Guthard, Hindle, Jakel, Keating, Kocher, Krimmel, Kronk, Kunz, Lempke, Lodge, Nowc, Richert, Robinson, Rollo, Rutter, Schemansky, Schultz, Starkey, Stefanowski, Thompson, Wartell, Wenzel, A. E. Wilson, W. J. Willson, Zink, Zoeller, and the President Pro Tem—36.

Nays—None.

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**Parks and Boulevards.**

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to whom was referred the resolution of Ald. Littlefield requesting the Commissioner of Parks and Boulevards to consider the advisability of restricting automobile traffic on Belle Isle, has had the same under consideration.

After hearing various suggestions offered by several members of this body as well as other citizens, and after consulting with the Commissioner of Parks and Boulevards, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Respectfully,
GEORGE H. ELLIS,
JAMES CRANSHAW,
W. J. WILLSON,
A. G. KUNZ,
J. L. KRIMMEL,
JOHN L. JAKEL.

Accepted, and on leave the following resolution was offered:

By Ald. Ellis:

Resolved: That the Commissioner of Parks and Boulevards be, and he is hereby requested to limit the use of the roadways on Belle Isle to automobile traffic as follows:

Commencing at the Belle Isle bridge and turning to the right, going over Bridge No. 2 and along Sunset Drive to Bridge No. 8, thence in an easterly direction along the Strand to Vista avenue, thence northerly to River Bank road along the American shore, thence in a westerly direction to the place of beginning; also all roads east of Vista avenue, including both the inside and shore drives, without restriction, it being understanding that this prohibits automobile traffic on all roads running through the picnic and zoological grounds as well as the roads in front of the Aquarium, Horti-