

inflammable liquids, and further

Provided, That all of said work shall be done under the supervision of said last-mentioned Department, and further provided that all work of excavating and refilling shall be done under the supervision of the Department of Public Works;

Provided, That no rights in the public street shall be considered waived by this permission, which is granted expressly on the condition that said gasoline tank and all obstructions in connection therewith shall be removed at any time when so directed by the Common Council.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Ashe, Auch, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Brennan, Burton, Cowan, Crane, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Reinhold, Richter, Riopelle, Ross, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, Wilson, and the President—37.

Nays—None.

Taxes.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee on Taxes was referred the petition of Ewing & Sherwood (938) for cancellation of a personal tax assessment for the year 1917. Your Committee find that said petitioner erroneously paid on a double assessment, and therefore recommend that petition be granted, in accordance with the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN C. BLEIL,
JAMES VERNOR,
RICHARD O. STARKEY,
OSCAR A. DODT,
JOS. A. MIOTKE.

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

By Ald. Bleil:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cancel the personal tax assessment levied against "The Ewing" (Ewing and Sherwood No. 938) for the year 1917 (W. 3, fol. 59), valuation \$1,000.00, amount \$13.81.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Ashe, Auch, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Brennan, Burton, Cowan, Crane, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Reinhold, Richter, Riopelle, Ross, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, Wilson, and the President—37.

Nays—None.

Health and City Hospitals.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee on Health and City Hospitals was referred a communication from the Board of Health, transmitting proposals for installing lighting fixtures in two pavilions at the Herman Kiefer Hospital. Your Committee find that C. J. Netting Company is the lowest bidder for said equipment, in the amount of \$3,401.70, and believing said bid to be satisfactory and reasonable, we recommend that same be accepted and approved in accordance with the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. E. GLINNAN,
JAMES CRANSHAW,
JOSEPH A. WALSH,
OSCAR A. RIOPELLE,
ANTHONY NOWC.

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

By Ald. Glinnan:

Resolved, That the contract entered into by the Board of Health with C. J. Netting Company for furnishing and installing lighting fixtures in two pavilions at the Herman Kiefer Hospital, in the amount of \$3,401.70, be and the same is hereby approved and confirmed.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Ashe, Auch, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Brennan, Burton, Cowan, Crane, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge, Miotke, Mitter, Nowc, Reinhold, Richter, Riopelle, Ross, Starkey, Thompson, Vernor, Walsh, Wartell, Wenzel, Wilson, and the President—37.

Nays—None.

Ald. Allan entered and took his seat.

Street Openings.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee on Street Openings was referred the petition of Lincoln Motor Co. (1330), for the vacation of alley, 20 feet wide, extending southerly from Holden Avenue, first east of and parallel to Lincoln Avenue, being part of Brooklyn Avenue, and extending thence easterly 10 feet wide, to G. T. R. R. right-of-way. Your Committee finds that petitioner is the owner of all the property bounded by Lincoln and Holden Avenues and G. T. R. R., and therefore the only persons interested in the continuation of said alleys; also, petitioners desire the vacation of said alleys to avoid the necessity of maintaining guards in same to prevent trespass of enemy aliens and others, in connection with their work of manufacturing aircraft motors for the government. We therefore recommend that said petition be granted, and offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. A. KOCHER,
JAMES VERNOR,
JAMES CRANSHAW,
GEO. H. ELLIS,
WM. A. RICHERT,
RICHARD O. STARKEY.

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

By Ald. Kocher:

Resolved, That "All that part of the public alley, 20 feet wide, first south of and parallel to Holden Avenue, and lying between the north line of Grand Trunk R. R. and the east line of Brooklyn Avenue"; also "All that part of Brooklyn Avenue, 20 feet wide, lying between the south line of Holden Avenue, and north line of that portion of Brooklyn Avenue vacated by the Common Council Feb. 23, 1916," be and be and the same is hereby vacated.

Provided, That petitioner pays into the City Treasury, within 30 days from the date of the adoption of this resolution, whatever expense may have been incurred by the City in the matter of paving, curbing, construction of sidewalks, crosswalks, etc., as may be certified by the City Engineer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Allan, Ashe, Auch, Bahorski, Bleil, Bradley, Braun, Brennan, Burton, Cowan, Crane, Cranshaw, Dill, Dodt, Ellis, Glinnan, Guthard, Hunter, Kocher, Kronk, Kunz, Littlefield, Lodge,