

east 6 acres more or less of lot No. 8 of the survey of the E. $\frac{1}{2}$ of the S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 15 and the S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of the W. $\frac{1}{2}$ of the S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 15, T. 1 S., R. 11 E., 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 said plat.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Watson and the President Pro Tem.—8.
Nays—None.

Vacation of Plat.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Glass, Cook & Atkinson (5875), asking for the vacation of VanCourt avenue and certain alleys as shown in Plat of McKay, Howland & Grindley's sub., recorded July 19, 1904, said street and alleys having been re-subdivided and platted in Security Land Co. Plat of lots 1, 2, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 30, 31 and 32 of the McKay, Howland and Grindley's Partition Plat. The streets and alleys in that part of plat first mentioned, never having been formally vacated, and constituting a cloud on petitioner's title to lots in last mentioned subdivision, your committee recommends that the petition be granted and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. CASTATOR,
Chairman.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved that all those portions of Van Court avenue and the public alleys as shown on the McKay, Howland and Grindley partition plat recorded in Liber 23 of plats on page 62 (Wayne County Records), lying between the easterly limit of Private Claim 260 and the easterly limit of Thornton avenue; and the northerly limit of Holden (Tireman) avenue and a line produced through the northerly limits of Lots 22, 27 and 30 (as shown on said plat) from the easterly limit of Thornton avenue to the easterly limit of Private Claim 260, be and is hereby vacated.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Watson and the President Pro Tem.—8.
Nays—None.

Paving Contracts.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen: To your Committee of the Whole was referred resolution cancelling contracts entered into by the Department of Public Works in 1919 and 1920 with various firms for the paving of certain streets and alleys, on which no work has been performed by the contractors on their several contracts. After consultation with the Commissioner of Public Works concerning the delays in starting work on said streets and alleys, and after taking the matter up with the contractors affected, your committee recommends that said resolution, presented by Councilman Simons on Dec. 21, 1920 (J. C. C. p. 1998), rescinding contracts entered into by the Department of Public Works with Detroit Asphalt Paving Co., Cleveland Trinidad Paving Co., Otis Cement Construction Co., the Talbot Co. and Liberty Construction Co. for paving the

streets and alleys designated in said resolution, be indefinitely postponed.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. CASTATOR,
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Watson and the President Pro Tem.—8.
Nays—None.

Sewer Contracts.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the communication from the Department of Public Works, transmitting proposals received for construction of sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, Livernois Avenue public sewer. Your committee finds that R. A. Mercier is lowest bidder for Sec. 1 at \$265,206.00; R. A. Mercier for Sec. 2 at \$211,303.00; Jeynes & Affeld for Sec. 3 at \$146,756.30 and Chas. M. Davis for Sec. 4 at \$99,193.30. Your committee recommends that the contracts entered into by said department with the aforesaid lowest bidders be approved, and that the resolutions accompanying said communication, presented by Councilman Nagel on the 23rd ult. (J. C. C. p. 295-296), approving and confirming contracts with said lowest bidders, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. CASTATOR,
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Watson and the President Pro Tem.—8.
Nays—None.

Contracts.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the communications from the Department of Purchases & Supplies, transmitting proposals received for furnishing the Department of Public Welfare with 50,000 yards of 24x20 surgical gauze, and the Department of Public Works with one second-hand Potter sewer machine and with timber, plank and lumber. Your committee is informed that Hygienic Fibre Co. is lowest bidder for furnishing surgical gauze at \$3.89 $\frac{1}{2}$ per 100 yards; that Hoag & Dall Co. is lowest bidder for one second-hand Potter Sewer machine and accessories, but without engine and rail, for \$1,800.00 and that Strand Lumber & Woodwork Co. is lowest bidder for 19,000 pieces of timber; Lowrie & Robinson Lumber Co. for 30,000 pieces, Restriction Lumber Co. for 5,000 pieces and Ternes Coal & Lumber Co. for 69,000 pieces of timber at prices specified in communication referred to. Your committee concurs in the recommendation of the Commissioner that contracts be awarded to the aforesaid lowest bidders, and recommends that he be directed to enter into contract with them for furnishing above material.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. CASTATOR,
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted as follows.

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Watson and the President Pro Tem.—8.
Nays—None.