

**Building Permits.**

To the Honorable the Common Council:  
Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petitions of Charles J. Brabenac, et al. (6603), protesting against the operation and maintenance of cement block factory at 2328 Reiden avenue; and of John W. Smith (6557), for permit to construct frame stand for soft drinks at side of house at 2789 East Grand Boulevard. After consultation with the Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering, your committee recommends that said petitions be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. M. WATSON,  
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

**Permits.**

To the Honorable the Common Council:  
Gentlemen:—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Harey Greenblatt (6409), for refund of \$300.00 deposit made on Permit No. 2765. After consultation with the Department of Public Works your committee finds that deposit was held to cover charges of \$377.51 for repaving alley adjoining property at the southwest corner of Brush and Montcalm streets. After an investigation of the matter, your committee recommends that deposit made by petitioner be returned, and that the cost of repaving alley be assessed against the owners of the abutting property, and offer the following resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. M. WATSON,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Watson:

Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant upon the City Treasurer in favor of Harey Greenblatt for the sum of \$300.00, being a refund of deposit made by him on Permit No. 2765.

Adopted as follows:  
Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Vernon, Watson and the President—9.  
Nays—None.

By Councilman Watson:

Resolved, That there be assessed and levied upon the following described property, to-wit: "Lot 7, Rathbone's sub. of Lot 12 of sub of Park Lot 5 and part of the Brush Farm," W. S. Brush street, the amount of \$377.51, for the repaving of part of alley west of Brush street between Montcalm and Columbia streets; and further

Resolved, That the Board of Assessors of the City of Detroit be and it is hereby directed and instructed to proceed forthwith to prepare an assessment roll in conformity with the requirements of the Charter of the City of Detroit relating to special assessments, for collecting the expense of repaving part of the alley west of Brush street between Montcalm and Columbia streets, comprising Lot 7, Rathbone's sub. of Lot 12 of sub. of Park Lot 5 and part of Brush Farm, upon which they shall assess and levy the amount of \$377.51; and further

Resolved, That said assessment shall be made in four parts.  
Adopted as follows:  
Ayes—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Ver-

nor, Watson and the President—9.  
Nays—None.

**Vacation of Alley.**

To the Honorable the Common Council:  
Gentlemen:—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Jennie Germansky (6626), asking that that part of resolution adopted Aug. 29, 1911, vacating "The northerly part of the public alley lying between Leicester Court and Kenilworth avenue, being 9.90 feet in width on Brush street and 12.60 feet in width on Oakland avenue," requiring the Ypsilanti Savings Bank and other owners of property affected to pay into the City Treasury whatever expense may have been incurred by the city in the matter of paying, furnishing curb, constructing crosswalks, etc. in front of vacated alley, be rescinded. Your committee is informed that no expense was incurred by the city in connection with the above matters in front of the alley above described, and said provision constituting a cloud on the title of the property owned by petitioner, we recommend that petition be granted, and offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. M. WATSON,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Watson:

Resolved, That all that part of resolution presented by Ald. Burton and adopted Aug. 29, 1911 (J. C. C. p. 1436), wherein "The northerly part of the public alley lying between Leicester Court and Kenilworth avenue, being 9.90 feet in width on Brush street and 12.60 feet in width on Oakland avenue," was vacated, to become part and parcel of property on the south side of Kenilworth avenue between Brush street and Oakland avenue, providing that the Ypsilanti Savings Bank and other owners of said property pay into the City Treasury whatever expense may have been incurred by the city in the matter of paving, furnishing curb, constructing crosswalks, etc. in front of that portion of said alley hereby vacated, as may be certified to by the City Engineer, within 30 days from the date of the approval of this resolution, be and the same is hereby rescinded, for the reason that the City of Detroit incurred no expense in connection with paving, curbing, etc.

Adopted as follows.  
Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Vernon, Watson and the President—9.  
Nays—None.

**Vacation of Alley.**

To the Honorable the Common Council:  
Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Gavil Gassel et al. (6261), for the vacation of the public alley, 10 feet wide, first north of and parallel with the Pere Marquette R. R. Co., lying between Prairie avenue, and the 18-foot public alley first west of Prairie avenue. Your committee finds that petitioner is the owner of lots 496 to 500, both inclusive, being the owner of all land directly abutting on the alley requested to be vacated; also that the owner of lot 377, lying to the west of said 10-foot alley, has consented to the vacation thereof. Your committee therefore recommends



that said alley be vacated, provided petitioner deeds to the City of Detroit for alley purposes the north 20 feet of lot and files a waiver of grade separation damages affecting lots 496, 497, 498 and the south 10 feet of lot 499. We therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. M. WATSON,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Watson:

Resolved, That "All of the public alley, 10 feet wide, lying north of and adjoining the Pere Marquette R. R. right-of-way and between the west line of Prairie avenue and east line of the alley first west thereof;" also "All that part of the public alley, 18 ft. wide, first west of and parallel to Prairie avenue, and lying between the north line of the P. M. R. R. right-of-way and the south line of the north 20 feet, extended, of lot 499 of Stoepel's Greenfield Highlands sub. of part of the S. E. ¼ of Sec. 33, as recorded in Liber 31, page 1 of Plats of Wayne County Records," be and the same are hereby vacated;

Provided, Petitioner, Gavil Gassel, deeds to the City of Detroit for alley purposes, the north 20 feet of lot 499 of last mentioned subdivision; and further

Provided, That petitioners file with the City Clerk, within 30 days from the date of the adoption of this resolution, an agreement waiving all grade separation damages which may accrue to them affecting Lots 496 to 498, inclusive, the south 10 feet of lot 499, of subdivision last mentioned, and the vacated alleys herein described.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Vernor, Watson and the President—9.

Nays—None.

#### Vacation of Trombly Ave.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of A. Lerner et al. (6541), for the vacation of all that part of Trombly avenue lying east of the east line of Hastings street and extending to railroad right-of-way. After an investigation of the matter your committee recommends that the petition be granted, and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. M. WATSON,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Watson:

Resolved, That "All that part of Trombly avenue lying east of Hastings street and adjoining lot 9 of Plat of Piquette avenue, 80 feet wide, from the east line of Woodward avenue to east line of lots 9 and 10 of Emily Campau's sub. of fractional part of section No. 31, T. 1 S., R. 12 E., as recorded in Liber 5, page 45 of Plats of Wayne County Records," be and the same is hereby vacated.

Provided, Petitioner files with the City Clerk within 30 days from the date of the adoption of this resolution, an agreement waiving all grade separation damages that may be suffered by him in connection with and affecting lot 9 of above mentioned subdivision and vacated Trombly avenue as herein described.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Ver-

nor, Watson and the President—9.  
Nays—None.

#### Vacation of Strip of Land.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Mat Myzek (6536), for the vacation of the north 10 feet of St. Stephens street (formerly Malta street), as opened lying between Central avenue and the alley first west thereof. Your Committee finds that petitioner is the owner of the east 100 feet of lot 1, Quinn's sub., which adjoins the 10-foot strip above referred to, and which was taken in the opening of Malta street. Same not being required for street purposes, your Committee recommends that same be vacated upon payment of the sum of \$516.60, being the amount paid for said land by the city in condemnation proceedings. We therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. M. WATSON,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Watson:

Resolved, That "The North 10 feet of St. Stephens street (formerly Malta street) as opened, lying between the west line of Central avenue and east line of alley first west thereof, and adjoining the east 100 feet of lot 1 of Quinn's sub.," be and the same is hereby vacated, to become part and parcel of adjoining lot;

Provided, Petitioner pays into the City Treasury within 30 days from the date of the adoption of this resolution, the sum of \$516.60, being the amount which the City of Detroit paid for said property in condemnation proceedings.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Kronk, Littlefield, Nagel, Simons, Vernor, Watson and the President—9.  
Nays—None.

#### Vacation of Strip of Land.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Benjamin Widelski (6537), for the vacation of a 10-foot strip of land taken by the city in the opening of Gilbert street. Your Committee finds that petitioner is the owner of lot 176, fronting on Wagner street, and that said lot adjoins the strip above referred to. Same not being required for street purposes, your Committee recommends that the same be vacated upon payment of the sum of \$150.00, being the amount paid for said strip by the city in condemnation proceedings. We therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. M. WATSON,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Watson:

Resolved, That "The westerly 10 feet of Gilbert street, as opened, lying between the north line of Wagner street and the south line of the alley first north thereof," be and the same is hereby vacated, to become part and parcel of adjoining lot 176;

Provided, petitioner pays into the city treasury within 90 days from date of the adoption of this resolution, the sum of \$150.00, the said sum being the amount which the City of