

1285; valuation \$2,500; amount \$54.18; Ward 2, Folio 24.

Michigan Steel & Metal Co.—Petition No. 1263; valuation \$50,000; amount \$1,083.66; Ward 2, Folio 91.

Valmas Drug Co.—Petition No. 1251; valuation \$6,060; amount \$131.34; Ward 2, Folio 134.

Woodward Motor Sales Co. (State Motor Sales Co.)—Petition No. 1406; valuation, \$6,700; amount, \$145.20; Ward 2, Folio 145. And further

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to accept from Subdivision Land Co. (1300), the sum of \$21.67 on valuation of \$1,000, in full settlement of personal assessment, on valuation of \$2,500 levied against them for the year 1921 (W. 2, f. 127), and cancel balance due, being a reduction on valuation of \$1,500 on recommendation of the Board of Assessors; and further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant upon the proper fund in favor of Nicholas Sibinic, 1544 Davison avenue west (1074) for the sum of \$21.67, being a refund on valuation of \$1,000, over-assessed for building on "Lot 37, Oakman boulevard subdivision, part of 1-4 sections 6 and 15, 10,000-acre tract," N. Davison (W. 6, f. 311), for the year 1921, on recommendation of the Board of Assessors, upon presentation of receipt showing payment of 1921 general city taxes levied against said lot; and further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant upon the proper fund in favor of Gertrude Wolcott Stowers, 2695 Virginia Park (8980), for the sum of \$10.84, being a refund on valuation of \$500, over-assessed for building on "Lot 73, Montclair Land Co., Ltd., sub. of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24 Montclair sub.," etc., S. S. Virginia Park (W. 10, f. 84), for the year 1921, on recommendation of the Board of Assessors, upon presentation of receipt showing payment of 1921 general city taxes levied against said lot.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor, Watson and the President Pro Tem—8.

Nays—None.

Taxes.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Henry A. Willhahn (1565), for the cancellation of interest charges on city bids covering general city and special assessments levied against "South 14.30 feet of lot 3, Scripps & Brearley's sub.," for the years 1899 to 1918, both inclusive. Your committee finds that the amount of city bids up to the year 1911 and assignments to the city for years 1915 to 1918 aggregate approximately \$1,574. After consultation with the City Treasurer, your committee recommends that tax assignments be issued to petitioners on all city bids for general and special taxes, at the face amount of such city bids, with interest added at 5 per cent. We therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
SHERMAN LITTLEFIELD,
Chairman.

By Councilman Littlefield:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make assignment to Henry A. Willhahn of the original amount of city bids of all general city and special assessments levied against "South 14.30 feet of lot 3 of Scripps & Brearley's sub.," E. S. Thirty-first street, Sixteenth Ward, for the years 1899 to 1911, both inclusive, and for the year 1918, upon payment to him by said Willhahn of the face amount of city bids for said years with interest added at the rate of 5 per cent, and further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby directed to execute a quit-claim deed from the City of Detroit to Henry A. Willhahn of south 14.30 feet of lot 3, sub. last above mentioned;

Provided, said Henry A. Willhahn pays into the city treasury the original amount of the city bids of the general city taxes levied against above described property for the years 1915, 1916 and 1917, with interest added at the rate of 5 per cent.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor, Watson and the President Pro Tem—8.

Nays—None.

Vacation of Alleys.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the request of the Department of Recreation asking vacation of alley running through the center of Playground No. 1, located between Alfred and Brewster, just west of Hastings; also for vacation of alley running through Playground No. 2-A, lying between Erskine and Watson, just west of Rivard, providing sufficient space is left at end of alleys in question to permit vehicles using said alleys to turn around in.

The Department having secured written consent of the majority of property owners abutting on the alleys proposed to be vacated, your committee recommends that the alleys running through Playgrounds No. 1 and No. 2-A as above described be vacated with the understanding that if objection or protest is filed by any of the abutting property owners, the alleys can again be re-opened. We therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. NAGEL,

Chairman.

By Councilman Littlefield:

Resolved, That "All that part of the public alley, 20 feet wide, lying between a line 30 feet east of the west line of lot 6, on the south side of Brewster street, extended southerly, and between a line 30 feet west of the east line of lot 3, on the south side of Brewster street, extended southerly, of plat of sub. of the C. Moran Farm, as recorded in Liber 1, Page 254 of Plats of Wayne County Records," be and the same is hereby vacated;

Provided, The Department of Recreation sets aside and reserves for the use of the public as a turn-around 30-foot square in connection with remainder of alleys in said block the following described property: "The southerly 5 feet of the westerly 30 feet of lot 6 on the south side of Brewster street, of subdivision last mentioned; the north-

erly 5 feet of the westerly 30 feet of lot 6 on the north side of Alfred street, subdivision last mentioned and the southerly 5 feet of the easterly 30 feet of lot 3 on the south side of Brewster street, subdivision last mentioned; also the north 5 feet of the easterly 30 feet of lot 3 on the north side of Alfred street, of last mentioned subdivision."

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor, Watson and the President Pro Tem—8.

Nays—None.

By Councilman Littlefield:

Resolved, That "All that part of the public alley, 20 feet wide, lying between the east line of lot 82, extended southerly, and the west line of lot 76, extended southerly, of Albert Crane's section of the Rivard Farm, being a sub. of outlot 184 as recorded in liber 1, page 125 of Plats of Wayne County Records," be and the same is hereby vacated;

Provided, The Department of Recreation sets aside and reserves for the use of the public as a turn-around 30-foot square, in connection with remainder of said vacated alley, the following described property: "The south 5 feet of lots 76 and 82, and the north 5 feet of lots 65 and 71, subdivision last above mentioned."

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor, Watson, and the President Pro Tem.—8.

Nays—None.

FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 1922.

Chairman Vernor submitted the following reports of Committee of the Whole for above date and recommended their adoption:

Claims and Accounts.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of John L. McGrath (363), for compensation for damages to Dodge touring car, damaged on Dec. 24, 1921, by being struck by city owned truck on north side of Howard St. between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, and removed to Wolverine Auto Repair. After a careful investigation of the accident, your Committee recommends that the towing and storage expense amounting to \$60.00 be paid and that the Department of Motor Transportation be directed to remove said damaged car from garage where now stored, repair the same at the municipal garage and turn machine back to petitioner when placed in good condition. We therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES VERNOR,
Chairman.

By Councilman Vernor:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant upon the proper fund in favor of Wolverine Auto Repair, 1556 Lafayette Blvd., for the sum of \$60.00, the said sum being the expense of towing Dodge touring car, owned by John L. McGrath, License No. 263802, from Howard and Nineteenth streets, Dec. 24th, to garage and storage charges on said car; and further

Resolved, That the Department of

Motor Transportation be and is hereby directed to remove said Dodge touring car damaged at Howard and Nineteenth streets Dec. 24th, from garage where now located, and cause the same to be repaired at the Municipal Garage and returned to petitioner, John L. McGrath, when same has been placed in good condition.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor, Watson, and the President Pro Tem.—8.

Nays—None.

Streets.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petitions of Jake Campbell (1577), for barber pole between sidewalk and curb on the S. E. corner of Waterloo and Chene; of Mrs. Louisa Miller (1578) to maintain shed over lot line in alley rear 4185 Cadillac; of Sterling Bros. Mfg. Co. (1583) for sign on post at corner of Forest and Ellery and of Federal Bond & Mortgage Co., Inc. (1664), for permission to paint sign on contractor's shed in connection with new office building S. E. corner Grand River and Broadway.

After consultation with the Department of Public Works, your committee recommend that each of said petitions be denied.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES VERNOR,
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Streets.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petitions of Pulaski Post, No. 270, American Legion (1576) for permission to use space between sidewalk and curb on the N. S. of Palmer avenue between alley W. of Chene and alley east of Dubois in order to erect a booth during a festival to be held from June 19th to 26th inclusive; of Thomas Hockey (1579) to maintain building over lot line in alley at 2338 Buchanan which building has been in place over 20 years; of P. H. Gorelick (1581) to place motor oil tank on wheels at curb front 4224 W. Warren avenue; of Edw. Brusak (1582) for areaway under sidewalk on Warren avenue west; of Sullivan Packing Co. (1584) to cut 100 feet of curb on E. S. of Beecher avenue south of Michigan; of W. E. Wood Co. (1662) contractors for Fisher Body Co. building to string guy wires from hoisting towers on private property and to connect same to two posts between sidewalk and curb on north side of Fort street and to anchor same in a concrete block under sidewalk, and of Henry F. Wolter (1663) to repair and rebuild areaway on Kercheval avenue side of property on N. E. corner of Crane and Kercheval.

After consultation with the Department of Public Works, your committee recommend that each of said petitions be granted, and offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES VERNOR,
Chairman.

By Councilman Vernor:

Resolved, That the Department of