Vacation of Hudson Avenue.

To the Honorable the Common Coun-

Gentlemen-To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Sample & Smith Lumber Co. et al. (4886), for the vacation of the northerly 20 feet and the southerly 20 feet of Hudson avenue east of Wabash Ave., the remaining 20 feet in center of street to be used for alley purposes. Your committee begs to report that Hudson avenue east Wabash avenue is 150 feet long, ending at property owned by Trip-Lensee Manfg. Co., Buchanan & Huft owning the property abutting Hudson avenue on the north and petitioner the property on the south side of street, both of above firms having joined petitioner in requesting the closing of the street. Peti-.ioners being the only persons incerested in the continuation of said street, your committee recommends that petition be granted, provided they pay into the city treasury whatever expense may have been incurred by the city for paving, crosswalks, etc., and offer the following rescration.

> Respectfully submitted. SHERMAN LITTLEFIELD, Chairman.

By Councilman Littlefield:

Resolved, That "The northerly 29 feet of Hudson avenue lying between the eastely line of Wabash avenue and the westerly line of alley first east thereof, excepting that part of Hudson avenue described as follows: Beginning at a point distant south 22 degrees 36 minutes west 12 feet from the southwesterly corner of Lot 49 of Candler's sub. of that part of Outlot 3 of the sub, of Private Claim 228, Lafferty Farm, lying north of Grand Trunk Railway, as recorded in Liber 14, Page 151/2 of Plats of Wayne County Records; thence along a line south 22 degrees 36 minutes west 8 feet to a point; thence along a line south 67 degrees 13 minutes west 8 feet to a point; thence along a line north 22 degrees 18 minutes 30 seconds east 11.37 feet to the place of beginning;" also "The southerly 20 feet of Hudson Avenue lying between the easterly line of Wabash ave. and the easterly line of alley first east thereof," be and the same are hereby vacated.

Provided petitioners pay into the city treasury within 60 days from date of the adoption of this resolution whatever expense may be incurred by the city in the matter of paving, constructing sidewalks, crosswalks, etc., as may be certified ny the City Engineer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas-Councilmen Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littl-field, Vernor, Watson, and the President Pro Tem .-- 7.

Nays-None

Vacation of Parkwood Ave,

Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the Detiof the Whole Walter March (4626) for the vacation of the northerly 27.72 feet of Parkwood avenue, adjoin. ing lots 8 and 9, owned by petition. er and situated on the northeast er and situation and Parkwood Committee Your Committee finds that the vacation requested will give petitioner's lots a depth of 100 feet the same as the balance of lots in the block. After an inves. tigation of the matter, your committee recommends that petition be granted, and offer the following resolution:

Respectfully submitted, SHERMAN LITTLEFIELD, Chairman.

By Councilman Littlefield:

Resolved, That "The northerly 27.72 feet of Parkwood avenue, measured at right angles to the north line of said Parkwood avenue, lying east of Parkinson avenue and adjoining lots 8 and 9 of Palm's sub. of the northerly part of O. L. 13 of P. C. 60, as recorded in liber 25, page 44 of Plats of Wayne County Records," be and the same is hereby vacated, to become part and parcel of adjoining lots.

Adopted as follows:

Y e a s—Councilmen Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor Castator. Watson and the President Pro Tem

Nays-None.

Taxes

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen-To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Merrill-Palmer Motherhood & Home Training School (2641-4210), asking that lots 3 and 4, block 82, D. M. Ferry Sub., known as 71 Ferry Ave. East, be exempted from taxation because of the fact that property is owned and occupied by petitioner solely for educational and charitable purposes. After consultation with the Corporation Counsel, your committee recommends that petition be granted, and 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 cancel the general city taxes for the year 1922 levied against "Lots 3 and 4, Plat of D. M. Ferry's Sub. of park lot No. 41,"