Hartwick Lumber Co., et al (6180), protesting against the comtemporary frame pletion of two real estate offices at corner of Richton and Linwood and Highland and Linwood. After visiting the location, and in view of the fact that these temporary buildings are permitted by the building code as amended, your committee recommends that further consideration be indefinitely postponed. Respectfully submitted,

JAMES VERNOR, Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Taxes

Common the To the Honorable Council:

Gentlemen-To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petitions of Mrs. W. Hates (5467) and Harry Cash (6449), for cancellation of personal taxes for the years 1920-21-22, on the grounds of charity. Your committee finds that William Hates conducted meat market at 6844 E. Lafayette avenue, stock assessed to P. Kanot for the year 1922, and we recommend that said assessment be cancelled. also recommend that the taxes assessed against Harry Cash for the above years be cancelled and offer the following resolution: Respectfully submitted,

JAMES VERNOR, Chairman.

By Councilman Vernor: Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cancel the personal assessment levied against P. Kanot for the year 1922, (W. 15, f. 180), valuation \$1,570.00; amount \$34.63, on petition of Mrs. W. Hates (5467), on the grounds of charity; and further

That the City Treas-Resolved. urer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cancel the personal assessments levied against Harry Cash (6449), for the year 1920 (W. 16, f. 116); for the year 1921 (W. 16, f. 113), and for the year 1922 (W. 16, f. 214), all on the valuation of \$1,000.00, on the grounds of charity.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas-Councilmen Bradley, Ewald, Littlefield, Vernor, Watson and the President Pro Tem-6.

Nays-None.

Claims and Accounts.

Honorable the Common the Council:

Gentlemen: To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of A. F. Korreck (5912), asking compensation for damage to automobile on Jan. 24, 1923. Your committee finds that said auto while tition of Gagnier Stereotype Foun-

parked in street was struck by Fire Department apparatus and recommend that actual amount damages, \$20.00, be tendered in full damages, post of claim. Your commitsettlement of claim. tee begs to report that it has again had under consideration the petition of Lester E. Deeley (5014) asking compensation for damages to automobile struck by city-owned truck, After a further investigation of the accident, your committee recommends that \$23.50, actual cost of repairs, be allowed, and 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 warrants upon the proper fund in favor of the follow. ing persons, for the amounts set op-posite their respective names, the said sums in each instance to be in full settlement of any and all claims which they may have against the City of Detroit by reason of certain damages sustained to automobiles, upon presentation of receipts approved by the Corporation Counsel: A. F. Korreck, 3389 Warren

Ave., East\$20,00 Lester E. Deeley, care Boyer-

Campbell Co..... 23.50

Adopted as follows:

Yeas-Councilmen Bradley, Ewald, Littlefield, Vernor, Watson, and the President Pro Tem-6.

Nays-None.

Opening Burlingame Ave.

Common the Honorable the Council:

Gentlemen: To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petitions of Morris Soverinsky, et al (5529) asking that additional payment be made as compensation for property taken in the opening of Burlingame avenue, and (5736), asking to be adequately awarded for property taken in the above street opening, or to immediately vacate that portion of petitioner's property now occupied by pavement in Burlingame avenue. Your committee, after a personal inspection of the premises, is of the opinion that remainder of lot not taken for street purposes is adequate for building purposes, recom-mend that said petitions be denied.

> Respectfully submitted, JAMES VERNOR, Chairman.,

Accepted and adopted.

Vacation of Alley.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

of the Whole was referred the pe-

dry Co. (5473), for the vacation of all that part of the public alley, 20 feet wide, first west of and parallel to McKinstry avenue, south of Plumer avenue, abutting the east line of lot 93, Wm. Tait's sub. Your committee finds that petitioner is the owner of said lot 93 and lot 53, same subdivision, being all the land abutting on the alley requested to be vacated, and also lots 74 to 92, said last mentioned lots lying between a 10 and a 20-foot alley, and in consideration of said vacation will deed 35 feet off lots 74 and 75 for alley purposes, to make connection between the 10 and 20-foot alleys. After an inspection of the premises your committee recommends that petition be granted, and offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted, JAMES VERNOR, Chairman.

By Councilman Vernor:

Resolved, That "All that part of the public alley, 20 feet wide, first west of and parallel to McKinstry avenue, being the southerly 25.16 feet of said alley, and adjoining lot 93 of Wm. Tait's sub. of outlot 42 Private Claim 30, as recorded in liber 16, page 68, of Plats of Wayne County Records," be and the same is hereby vacated;

Provided. Petitioner, Gagnier Stereotype Foundry Co. deeds to the City of Detroit for alley purposes, within 30 days from the date of the adoption of this resolution, the following described property: "All of lot 74 and the westerly 5 feet of lot 75," of last mentioned subdivision.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas - Councilmen Bradley, Ewald, Littlefield, Vernor, Watson and the President Pro Tem-6. Nays-None.

THURSDAY, APRIL 19.

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

Ordinances. To the Honorable, the Common Coun-

Gentlemen-To your Committee of the Whole was referred the communication from the City Plan Commission recommending that the name of Chicago boulevard, between Linwood avenue and Dexter boulevard, be changed to Thomas avenue. The above street having been widened through condemna-Thomas under the name of Thomas ayenue, your committee concurs in the recommendation and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted, ROBT. G. EWALD, Chairman. By Councilman Ewald:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby directed to prepare the proper resolution for changing the name of Chicago boulevard, between Linwood avenue and Dexter boulevard, to Thomas avenue.

Adopted as follows: Yeas — Councilmen Yeas — Councilmen Bradley, Ewald, Littlefield, Vernor, Watson and the President Pro Tem-6.

Nays-None.

Permits.

To the Honorable the Common Coun-

Gentlemen-To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petitions of Aaron Shifman (6226), to maintain a showcase in front of 3467 Hastings street, extending 8 inches from building, and Brownie Drug Company (6234), to maintain free weighing machine on sidewalk in front of 138 Michigan avenue. After consultation with the Department of Public Works, your committee recommends that these petitions be denied.

Respectfully submitted, ROBT. G. EWALD, Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Streets.

Honorable the Common the Council:

Gentlemen-To your Committee of the Whole was referred petitions of E. S. Chabensky (6236), to construct automobile draining rack between sidewalk and curb on Euclid avenue, corner of Russell street; of Percy Clifford (6239), to erect wire fence along sidewalk at Temple and Third avenues, and Independent Petroleum Products Co. (6240), to construct ornamental brick pier at northwest corner of Harper avenue and Grand Boulevard. After consultation with the Department of Public Works, your committee recommends that petitions be denied.

Respectfully submitted, ROBT. G. EWALD, Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Areaway.

To the Honorable the Common Coun-

Gentlemen-To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Standard Oll Co. (6225), to construct areaway in alley north of Lafay-ette, west of Fourth, to be covered with standard manhole covers. Afer consultation with the Depart-ment of Public Yorks, your com-mittee recommends that petition be granted, and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted, ROBT. G. EWALD, Chairman.