

Works, your committee recommends that petition be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
**FRED W. CASTATOR,**  
 Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

**Vacation of Alley**

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of McRae Steel Co. (785), for vacation of portion of public alley first east of Michigan Central Belt Line R. R., between Miller and Abrey avenues. Your committee finds that petitioner is the owner of all property abutting on the portion of the alley to be vacated and that no other property is affected, and we therefore recommend that petition be granted, provided petitioner makes proper provision for the protection of the sewer in the alley, and waives damages due to grade separation, in accordance with the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
**FRED W. CASTATOR,**  
 Chairman.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That "all that part of the public alley 14 ft. wide first south of and parallel to Miller avenue and adjoining lots 142 to 144, both inclusive, and lots 153 to 155, both inclusive, of Kosciusko sub. of lots 11, 12 and 15 of the plat and survey of the N. ½ of Sec. 28 and the N. E. fraction of Sec. 29, T. 1 S. R. 12 E., as recorded in Liber 32, page 91, of plats of Wayne County Records," be and the same is hereby vacated to become part and parcel of adjoining lots.

Provided, the petitioners the McRae Steel Co., waives grade separation damages affecting lots 142 to 144, both inclusive, and lots 153 to 155 both inclusive, of above mentioned subdivision and alley hereby vacated, and further

Provided, That by reason of the vacation of the above described alley the City of Detroit does not waive any rights in the lateral sewer located in the alley aforesaid, and shall at all times have the right to enter upon said premises if found necessary on account of the sewer located therein, to repair same, and provided, further, that petitioners shall not build over the above described alley without securing the approval of the Board of Health, and further,

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby directed to execute a quit-claim deed covering the property vacated by this resolution.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Broderick, Castator, Dingeman, Murphy, Nagel,

Stevenson and the President Pro Tem—7.

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 Nellie E. Monroe (781), for vacation of strip of land on Petoskey avenue left over in the opening of Hazelwood avenue. Your committee is advised by petitioner that she is not willing to purchase this strip at the price paid by the city in condemnation proceedings. We therefore recommend that petition be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
**FRED W. CASTATOR,**  
 Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

**Vacation of Strips of Land**

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petitions of W. F. Whitehouse, et al (918), for vacation of strip of land at the northeast corner of Nardin and Collingwood, left over in the opening of Collingwood, and Walter Shattock (782), for vacation of strip on the east side of Petoskey ave. left over in the opening of Dundee ave. Your committee finds that petitioners are the owners of the adjoining lots, and that the strips in question are not used for street purposes. We therefore recommend that petitions be granted, and offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
**FRED W. CASTATOR,**  
 Chairman.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That "the northerly part of Collingwood ave. as opened, being 20.72 ft. in front on the east line of Nardin avenue, and 24.11 ft. in rear on alley first east thereof" be and the same is hereby vacated to become a part and parcel of the adjoining lot 441 of Nardin Park sub. of the N. W. Fract'l ¼ of Fract Sec 34 and the southwest part of ¼ Section 30 and west part of ¼ Section 31 of the 10,000 Acre Tract, T. 1, S. R. 11 E., as recorded in Liber 26, page 96, of plats of Wayne County Records.

Provided, Petitioner pays into the City Treasury within 30 days from the date of the adoption of this resolution the sum of \$896.96, being the cost to the City of Detroit in condemnation proceedings of the parcel of land herein vacated, and the sum of \$162.28 being the amount assessed against the parcel of land herein vacated for the paving of Nardin avenue, and further

Resolved, That "the northerly 5 ft. of Dundee avenue as opened, lying between the east line of Petoskey avenue and the west line of alley first



east thereof" be and the same is hereby vacated to become a part and parcel of the adjoining lot 308 of Lewis and Crofoot's sub. No. 2 of W. ½ of E. ½ of ¼ Section 32 of the 10,000 Acre Tract, T. 1, S. R. 11 E. as recorded in Liber 25, page 51, of plats of Wayne County Records,

Provided, Petitioner pays into the City Treasury within 90 days from the date of the adoption of this resolution, the sum of \$166.67, being the cost to the City of Detroit in condemnation proceedings of the parcel of land herein vacated, and further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue quit-claim deeds covering the land vacated by this resolution.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Broderick, Castator, Dingeman, Murphy, Nagel, Stevenson and the President Pro Tem—7.

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 A. E. Larson (779), for vacation of strip of land at the southwest corner of Fisher and Moffat avenues, left over in the opening of Moffat ave. Your committee finds that petitioner is the owner of the adjoining lot, and that same is not used for street purposes. Your committee further finds that petitioner has paid the general city taxes on this strip of land for the past eleven years, and we therefore recommend that same be vacated to him for the sum of \$1.00, and offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED M. CASTATOR  
Chairman.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That "the southerly 7.08 ft. of Moffatt street, as opened lying between the west line of Fisher avenue and the east line of alley first west thereof" be and the same is hereby vacated to become a part and parcel of the adjoining lot 55 of John H. and H. K. Howry's subs. of part of P. C. 154, as recorded in Liber 15, page 27, of plats of Wayne County Records.

Provided, Petitioner pays into the City Treasury within 30 days from the date of the adoption of this resolution, the sum of \$1.00, and further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a quit-claim deed conveying the land vacated by this resolution.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Broderick, Castator, Dingeman, Murphy, Nagel,

Stevenson and the President Pro Tem—7.

Nays—None.

#### TUESDAY, MARCH 11

Chairman Dingeman submitted the following reports of the Committee of the whole for above date, and recommended their adoption:

#### Claims & Accounts

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners (J. C. C. p. 361), requesting the cancellation of accounts receivable No. 44,610 in the amount of \$216.90 account of error in billing covering the return of empty cement sacks. After investigation of the request, your committee recommends that same be granted, and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR E. DINGEMAN,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Dingeman:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to cancel accounts receivable, No. 44,610, rendered by the Board of Fire Commissioners covering the return of empty cement sacks account of error in billing, corrected bill to be rendered.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Broderick, Castator, Dingeman, Murphy, Nagel, Stevenson and the President Pro Tem—7.

Nays—None.

#### Contracts

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred communication from the Department of Public Works (J. C. C. p. 352), relative to proposals for removing ashes and rubbish for one year from the public schools. Your committee finds that only one bid was submitted on the basis of \$16 per month per school. After consultation with the Commissioner of Public Works, and believing this bid to be reasonable, your committee recommends that contract be awarded accordingly, and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR E. DINGEMAN,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Dingeman:

Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with the Wayne County Moving & Storage Co. for the removal of ashes and rubbish for one year from the public schools at the rate of \$16.00 per month per school.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Broderick, Castator, Dingeman, Murphy, Nagel,