

- 8838—F. T. Rintz, buy in paving tax.
 8839—Cath. Wygonik, cancellation general tax.
 8840—Berenice Zbieracz, cancellation penalty and interest.

REFERRED TO ZOOLOGICAL PARK COMMISSION

- 8841—Detroit Zoological Society, requesting investigation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

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

Alley Openings

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the communication from the Clerk of the Recorder's Court, transmitting verdict rendered by a jury of said court in the matter of opening alley in block bounded by Morrell, Ferdinand, Fort and Lafayette avenues, where not already opened, as a public street and highway. Your Committee begs to report that we have had the matter under consideration, and are satisfied that the property in the vicinity is benefited by same and should therefore bear all of the expense. The award of the jury was \$1,749.37 and we recommend that 100 per cent be assessed on the local assessment district, and therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
 ROBT. G. EWALD,
 Chairman

By Councilman Ewald:

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of Detroit hereby determines that the sum of \$1,749.37 is a just proportion of the compensation awarded by the jury for the property taken by the City of Detroit for the opening of alley in block bounded by Morrell, Ferdinand, Fort and Lafayette avenues, where not already opened, as a public street and highway, which should be paid by the owners or occupants of the pieces or parcels of real estate which will thus be benefited by said improvement, which said pieces or parcels of real estate are described in a resolution of the Common Council (J. C. C., p. 315, 1927), wherein the assessment district for this improvement was designated; and be it further

Resolved, That there be assessed and levied upon said pieces or parcels of real estate included in said resolution above referred to, the amount of \$1,749.37 as near as may be, to the

advantage which each lot or parcel is deemed to acquire by such improvement; and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Assessors of the City of Detroit be and they are 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 public improvements where a street is graded, comprising the property hereinbefore referred to and described in said resolution (J. C. C., p. 315, 1927), upon which they shall assess and levy the amount of \$1,749.37, each lot or parcel to be assessed at a ratable proportion as near as may be of said amount, in accordance with the amount of benefit derived by such improvement; and be it further

Resolved, That said assessment shall be made in two parts, part one of which shall become due and payable in 30 days after the first publication by the City Treasurer of the notice of such assessment.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Dingeman, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Walters and the President—7.

Nays—None.

Alley Openings

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the communication from the Clerk of the Recorder's Court, transmitting verdict rendered by a jury of said court in the matter of widening alley in block bounded by Girardin, Sherwood, Miller and Georgia avenues, where not already widened, as a public alley. Your Committee begs to report that we have had the matter under consideration, and are satisfied that the property in the vicinity is benefited by same and should therefore bear all of the expense. The award of the jury was \$1,822.76 and we recommend that 100 per cent be assessed on the local assessment district, and therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
 ROBT. G. EWALD,
 Chairman.

By Councilman Ewald:

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of Detroit hereby determines that the sum of \$1,822.76 is a just proportion of the compensation awarded by the jury for the property taken by the City of Detroit for the widening of alley in block bounded by Girardin, Sherwood, Miller and Georgia avenues, where not already widened, as a public alley.