

**REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT OF STREET RAILWAYS**

150—Berry Rug & Furniture Co., protesting street car loading conditions, Library Ave.

**REFERRED TO PUBLIC LIGHTING COMMISSION**

151—Mary Buczkowski, requesting street light on Garfield Ave.

**REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT OF POLICE**

- 152—John J. Barson, requesting traffic light, W. Fort and Dearborn.
- 153—Berrien C. Ketchum, et al, requesting traffic light, W. Fort and Dearborn.
- 154—Jacob Spieles, maintain dwelling at 14705 Klenk as beer garden.
- 155—West McGraw Political Club, requesting traffic light at McGraw and Central; also McGraw and Cecil.
- 156—Charles Rosenstein, release of auto.

**REFERRED TO WATER BOARD**

- 157—Steamfitters Local Union No. 636, protesting contracts awarded by Water Board.
- 158—American Engineering Co., protesting award of contract to Riley Stoker Corp.

**REFERRED TO CITY TREASURER**

159—Bernhard J. Kowenstrot, request taxes be placed on seven year plan.

**REFERRED TO BOARD OF ASSESSORS**

**Adjustment of Taxes**

- 160—Ralph A. and Arvilla F. Butweli
- 161—City Provision Co.
- 162—Haidee Dayne.
- 163—Angelo DiCicco.
- 164—Ellis Engineering Corp.
- 165—Field Hotel.
- 166—Helen Fowler.
- 167—International Art Publishing Co.
- 168—Monroe Waste Paper Co. Inc.
- 169—Palace Model Laundry Co.
- 170—Samuel E. Pentecost.
- 171—Joseph Rosenthal.
- 172—Dorothy Brezkewicz.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15**

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

**Billiard Rooms**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Albert Cheatham (82), asking that the restrictions imposed by ordinance against the maintenance of billiard rooms outside the one-mile circle be lifted insofar as same pertain to 2713 Hastings St.

Your Committee is informed by the the Department of Recreation that the applicant has secured the signatures of 51% of the property owners within a radius of 500 feet of the proposed location. We therefore recommend that the petition be granted, and offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBT. G. EWALD,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Ewald:

Resolved, That the restrictions imposed by the Compiled Ordinances of the City of Detroit, as amended, against the maintenance of billiard rooms outside the one-mile circle, be and the same are hereby lifted insofar as same apply to 2713 Hastings St.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Engel, Ewald, Jeffries, Lodge, Van Antwerp, and the President—7.

Nays—None.

**Licenses and Permits**

Schemm Brewing Co. (39), permit for sound car through loop district. Denied.

**Sale of Property**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Walter Laidlaw (7168), offering to purchase from the City of Detroit a parcel of land at the northeast corner of Mack and Conner aves. for the sum of \$3,500.00. After consultation with the Corporation Counsel and Board of Assessors, and careful consideration of the matter, your committee recommends that the offer be accepted, and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBT. G. EWALD,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Ewald:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel and City Controller be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute to Walter Laidlaw, 702 Pallister ave., a quit-claim deed to the parcel of land at the northeasterly corner of Mack and Conner aves., having a frontage of 44.14 ft. on Mack ave., 24.49 ft. on Conner ave., and 35 ft. on Peck ave., upon the



payment to the city of the sum of \$3,500.00.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Engel, Ewald, Jeffries, Lodge, Van Antwerp, and the President—7.  
Nays—None.

**Streets**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Packard Motor Car Co. (7815), to continue for another year the permission to close Bellevue ave. between East Palmer ave. and the south line of petitioner's property. After consultation with the Department of Police, hearing with petitioner, and careful consideration of the request, your committee recommends that the petition be granted, and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBT. G. EWALD,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Ewald:

Resolved, That Bellevue avenue be and the same is hereby closed between the south line of East Palmer ave. and the south property line of the Packard Motor Car Company for a period of one year from November 20, 1935, in connection with the expansion and operation of said company, provided said Packard Motor Car Company erects and maintains gates at each end of this section of the street.

Provided, This resolution is revocable at the will, whim or caprice of the Common Council, and grantee acquires no implied or other privileges hereunder not expressly stated herein.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Engel, Ewald, Jeffries, Lodge, Van Antwerp, and the President—7.

Nays—None.

**Taxes**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole were referred petitions of Lottie Rzeppa (38), and Albert Zielinski (40), requesting cancellation of general taxes on the grounds of charity. The Corporation Counsel having advised that it is illegal to cancel taxes on these grounds, your committee recommends that same be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBT. G. EWALD,  
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

**Taxes**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of the Crowe Realty Co. (41), offering to pay certain general and special taxes in a lump sum settlement provided same are reduced. After careful consideration of the request, your committee recommends that same be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBT. G. EWALD,  
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

**Taxes**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole were referred petitions of Johanna Kortas (29), Ernest J. Mac Arthur (30), John P. LeHue (2028), Detroit Sash & Door Co. (7726), A. H. Grossman (7874), Bommarito & Bros. (7919), Imperial Bird Store (7927), National Dairy (7930), Rosengarden Fashion Shop (7931), George Tasevich (7934), Union Tire and Radio Store (7935), John S. Nawrot (7992), Connors Ave. German Baptist Church (8074), and Connors Ave. German Baptist Church (8075), requesting reduction, cancellation or refund of taxes. After consultation with the Board of Assessors and careful consideration of the requests, your committee recommends that same be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBT. G. EWALD,  
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 16**

Chairman Jeffries submitted the following report of Committee of the Whole for above date and recommended its adoption:

**Claims and Accounts**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole were referred petitions of Mrs. Henry Fearn (6), Fred H. Brown (7855), Sam Cipriano (7969), and Victor Johnston (8041), for compensation for damages to automobiles. After investigation by the Corporation Counsel, and careful consideration of the requests, your committee recommends that same be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
EDWARD J. JEFFRIES, JR.,  
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.