

your committee recommends that same be denied.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT G. EWALD,
 Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

MONDAY, MAY 20

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

Gratiot Ave. Widening

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Stanny Market (1762), requesting extension of time to vacate building at 7322 Gratiot Ave., in connection with Gratiot Ave. widening. After consultation with the Department of Public Works, and careful consideration of the request, your committee recommends that same be denied.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES H. GARLICK,
 Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Permits

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of the Detroit Chapter, American Red Cross (1836), to conduct a public collection on the city streets during the week of June 3rd to 8th. After careful consideration of the request, and in view of the existing conditions and the need for relief furnished by this organization, your committee recommends that the petition be granted, and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES A. GARLICK,
 Chairman.

By Councilman Garlick:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted the Detroit Chapter, American Red Cross, to conduct a public collection on the Detroit streets during the week of June 3rd to 8th to assist in raising Detroit's quota of \$500,000.00 of the national fund for relief of suffering war victims of Europe.

Provided, That said campaign is conducted under the supervision of the Department of Police.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dingeman, Ewald, Garlick, Hamilton, Lodge, Sweeny, and the President—7.

Nays—None.

Permits

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole were referred petitions of

Geo. Aboud (1683), for permit to maintain hardware store on first floor of dwelling at 2417 National Ave., between Vernor Highway and Cherry St., and Ruth Sturkey (1685), to maintain frame confectionery stand at 924 Eliot Ave., between Hastings and Rivard Sts. After consultation with the Department of Buildings & Safety Engineering, and careful consideration of the requests, your committee recommends that same be denied.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES H. GARLICK,
 Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Taxicab Stands

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition C-1615 for a taxicab stand on the east side of Park Avenue, south of Columbia. After consultation with the Traffic Engineer, and careful consideration of the matter, your committee recommends that same be granted in accordance with the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES H. GARLICK,
 Chairman.

By Councilman Garlick:

Resolved, That the Department of Police be and it is hereby authorized and directed to establish a one-vehicle taxicab stand on the east side of Park Avenue, north of the alley north of West Elizabeth St.

Provided, That said taxicab stand is maintained and operated under the supervision of the Department of Police, and further

Provided, That this resolution is revocable at the will, whim or caprice of the Common Council.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dingeman, Ewald, Garlick, Hamilton, Lodge, Sweeny, and the President—7.

Nays—None.

Vacation of Alley

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of the Progressive Welder Co. et al (1005), for the vacation of east and west public alley south of and parallel to Outer Drive west of Moenart Ave. and the north and south public alley, 9 ft. wide, west of and parallel to Moenart Ave. between Outer Drive and Lantz Aves., petitioners offering to dedicate a new outlet into Moenart Ave. After consultation with the City Plan Commission, and careful consideration of the request, your committee recommends that same be granted in ac-

accordance with the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES H. GARLICK,
Chairman.

By Councilman Garlick:

Resolved, That all that part of public alleys in block bounded by Conley, Moenart, Lantz Avenues and Outer Drive East, more particularly described as The northerly 9 feet of east and west public alley, 18 feet wide, lying south of and adjoining the southerly line of the easterly 28.42 feet of lot 2, the southerly line of lots 3, 4 and 5, all of Ostrowski-Ratajczak Sub. of part of N. W. ¼ of S. E. ¼ of Sec. 5, T. 1 S., R. 12 E., City of Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich., as recorded in Liber 56, page 91 of Plats of Wayne County Records; also all that part of north and south public alley 9 feet wide lying west of and adjoining the westerly line of the northerly 15.97 feet of lot 17 of last mentioned subdivision.

Also all that part of north and south public alley 9 feet wide, lying west of and adjoining the westerly line of lots 6 to 16, both inclusive of Ostrowski-Ratajczak Sub. of part of N. W. ¼ of S. E. ¼ of Sec. 5, T. 1 S., R. 12 E., City of Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich., as recorded in Liber 56, page 91 of Plats of Wayne County Records; Also the southerly 9 feet of east and west public alley, 18 feet wide, lying north of and adjoining the northerly line of lot 6 of last mentioned subdivision and the northerly line of north and south public alley 9 feet wide heretofore mentioned.

Be and the same are hereby vacated to become part and parcel of the adjoining property.

Provided, Owner in fee deed to the City of Detroit, the southerly 20 feet of lot 17 of Ostrowski-Ratajczak Sub. of part of N. W. ¼ of S. E. ¼ of Sec. 5, T. 1, S. R. 12 E., City of Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich, as recorded in Liber 56, page 91 of Plats of Wayne County Records.

To be used for alley purposes, and further

Provided, If at any time said alley is ordered graded and paved the entire expense of such grading and paving shall be borne by petitioner, and further

Provided, Petitioners reimburse the owners to the extent of the value of any utilities now installed in said alley which it may be necessary to abandon due to the closing of same or bear the entire expense of relocating any public utilities in said alley which it may be necessary to relocate or reroute due to the closing of same, and further

Resolved, that upon compliance with the above provisos the City Controller be and is hereby directed to issue Quit Claim Deeds to Fred-

erick H. Johnson, single, and to Mary E. Schwartz, Rosalie G. Fix, George P. Finn and Joseph F. Finn, Jr., heirs at law of Joseph F. Finn, deceased, as owners in fee of adjoining property.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dingeman, Ewald, Garlick, Hamilton, Lodge, Sweeny, and the President—7.

Nays—None.

Finance

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole were referred the following communications from city departments requesting the transfer of funds, approval of vouchers, contracts, etc. After consultation with the City Controller, and careful consideration of the requests, your committee recommends that same be granted in accordance with the accompanying resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES H. GARLICK,
Chairman.

Controller

May 21, 1940

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Mrs. Leona Corcoran, Senior Stenographer, an employee of this department since November 15, 1920, has exhausted her sick leave period as provided for by the City Charter.

In view of the long and faithful service of Mrs. Corcoran, I would request an additional fifteen (15) days sick leave with pay for her.

May I, therefore, have your approval of the following resolution?

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. McLAURY,
Deputy City Controller.

By Councilman Hamilton:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to honor payrolls when submitted for fifteen (15) days sick leave with pay for Mrs. Leona Corcoran from May 27th to June 17th, 1940 inclusive.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dingeman, Ewald, Garlick, Hamilton, Lodge, Sweeny, and the President—7.

Nays—None.

Controller

May 20, 1940

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—May I request that Your Honorable Body authorize the advance of \$600.00 for travelling expense for the various City officials