By Councilman Connor: Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby instructed to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of:

Margelee Thigpen, Health Depart-ment, at the rate of \$32.00 per week. Dennis Brown, Public Lighting, at the rate of \$34.00 per week, (\$32.00

per week plus \$2.00 for one dependent).

John Waugh, Public Lighting, at the rate of \$34.00 per week, (\$32.00 per week plus \$2.00 for one dependent).

Adopted as follows:

Yeas-Councilmen Connor, Lincoln. Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, Wise, Youngblood, and President Miriani—8. Nays-None.

## Reconsideration

Councilman Connor moved reconsider the vote by which to the resolution was adopted.

Councilman Rogell moved to suspend Rule 23 for the purpose of indefinitely postponing the motion to which motion prevailed reconsider, as follows:

Yeas-Councilmen Connor, Lincoln, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, Wise, Youngblood, and President Miriani-8.

Nays-None.

Councilman Van Antwerp then moved that the motion to reconsider be indefinitely postponed, which motion prevailed.

The regular order was resumed

## Corporation Counsel May 4, 1956.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen-This is to inform your Honorable Body that on May 1, 1956, an Order was signed by Hon. Neal Fitzgerald, Wayne Circuit Judge, in case No. 284,474, Wayne Circuit Court, vacating the public alley in block bounded by Braile, Patton Avenues, Joy Road and Dover Avenue. (Common Council Petition 5572).

The Order provides that a public easement for public utility purposes be retained in the lands formerly

comprising the alley.

We submit herewith a resolution directing the City Clerk to record the attached true copy of the Order with the Wayne County Register of Deeds. Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED SAWAYA. Asst. Corporation Counsel.

By Councilman Connor:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to record the Order vacating public alley, in the office of the Wayne County Register of Deeds, within 30 days from the date hereof, in accordance with the foregoing communication from the Corporation Counsel. Approved:

WALTER E. VASHAK, Acting Corporation Counsel. Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Connor, Lincoln, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, Wise, Youngblood, and President Miriani-8. Nays-None.

## Corporation Counsel

May 3, 1956.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen-Attached hereto please find resolution of necessity and public improvement in reference to widening of Pembroke Avenue, west of Telegraph Road, where not already opened and widened as a public street and highway, as requested by Honorable Body on February 7, 1956, (J.C.C. Page 190).

Respectfully submitted, E. A. WALINSKE, Director, Bureau of Real Estate.

By Councilman Youngblood:

Whereas, The Common Council did by resolution on February 7, 1956, (J.C.C. page 190), approve the acquisition of land for the widening of Pembroke Avenue; Now, Therefore,

Resolved, That it is hereby declared necessary by the Common Council of the City of Detroit to make the following described improvement in said City, and that the same is for the use or benefit of the public, viz: Widening of Pembroke Avenue, west of Telegraph Road, where not already opened and widened as a public street and highway, and that they deem it necessary to take private property for the purpose of making such improvement, which said property is situated in said City of Detroit, and described as follows:

The North 30 feet of Lot 77 of Thomas Hitchman's Subdivision, located on the east 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 5 and north 386 feet of the West ½ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 4, Town 1 South, Range 10 East, as recorded in Liber 30, Page 50 of Plats, Wayne County Records, except that part taken for widening of Telegraph Road.

That it is the Purpose of the said Common Council to assess a part of the damages awarded in the proceedings for the taking of said property upon a special assessment district, which said district is described as follows:

Lot 1170, also Lots 1208 to both inclusive, also Lot 1314 of Holtzman and Silverman Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 78 of Plats, Pages 25 and 26, Wayne County Records.

Also, the North 156 feet of Lot 97, also, the North 138 feet of Lots 69 to 77, both inclusive, lying south of and adjoining Pembroke Avenue, as pro-posed to be widened, of Thomas posed to be widened, of Thomas Hitchman's Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 30 of Plats, Page 50, Wayne County Records.

And be it further Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is