

sum of \$150 each in full for their services as members of said committee. Adopted.

By Canvasser Wetherbee: Resolved, That the Common Council be and they are hereby requested to allow William H. Beck and David Ferguson, clerks of the Recount Committee in the Wilkins-Chapin contest, the sum of \$100 each in full for services rendered.

Adopted. By Canvasser Wetherbee: Resolved, That the Common Council be and they are hereby requested to allow Howard C. Beck and Frank J. Navin, clerks of the Recount Committee in the Sheahan-Sellers contest, the sum of \$100 each in full for services rendered.

Lost. By Canvasser Wetherbee: Resolved, That the Common Council be and they are hereby requested to allow Lemuel Guyman, messenger of the Recount Committee in the Wilkins-Sheahan contest, the sum of \$35 in full for services rendered. Lost.

RECONSIDERATION.

Canvasser Palmer moved to reconsider the vote whereby the resolution was adopted allowing Wm. H. Beck and David Ferguson, clerks of the Recount Committee, \$100 each, which motion prevailed.

Canvasser Grunow moved to lay the resolution on the table. Carried.

SAME.

Canvasser Palmer moved to reconsider the vote whereby the resolution was adopted allowing Canvasser Charles F. Beck, Benjamin F. Briscoe and Wm. B. Thompson, Committee on Recount, \$150 each in full for services rendered, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Canvasser Smalley the resolution was then laid on the table.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Canvasser Thompson: Resolved, That the thanks of this board be tendered to Superintendent Starkweather and Captain Martin for the accommodation at Police Headquarters furnished the committee appointed to recount the ballots in the contested election cases of Charles T. Wilkins and Patrick J. Sheahan, and for the courtesies extended during the progress of the same, and that the clerk be directed to transmit to the Board of Police Commissioners a copy of the above resolution. Adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Canvasser Grunow moved to take from the table the resolutions allowing Charles F. Beck, Benjamin F. Briscoe and Wm. B. Thompson the sum of \$150 each for services rendered as members of Recount Committee; also allowing Wm. H. Beck and David Ferguson the sum of \$100 each as clerks of the Recount Committee, also allowing Howard C. Beck and Frank J. Navin the sum of \$100 each as clerks of Recount Committee; also allowing Lemuel Guyman the sum of \$35 as messenger of Recount Committee, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Canvasser Grunow the several resolutions were then referred to the Common Council.

On motion of Canvasser Reves the Board of City Canvassers then adjourned sine die.

JOSEPH T. LOWRY, Chairman. CHARLES R. FOSTER, Secretary.

COMMON COUNCIL

(OFFICIAL.)

Detroit, Tuesday, Dec. 12th, 1893.

The Council was called to order by the President the Honorable Walter H. Coots.

Present - Ald. Batchelder, Behlow, Bleil, Buhner, DeGaw, Fisher, Goeschel, Grunow, Hanes, Hoffmann, Paterson, Protiva, Roser, Roth, Schmidt, Scovel, Thompson, Vernor, Welsh, Wesch, Wright, Wuellner and the President.

The journal of the last session was approved.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES.

Ald. Roser moved to take from the table an ordinance laid over Dec. 5th, 1893, entitled, "An ordinance changing the name of Morton avenue to Maxwell avenue," which motion prevailed.

The ordinance was then placed on the order of third reading and adopted as follows:

Yeas-Ald. Batchelder, Behlow, Bleil, Buhner, DeGaw, Fisher, Goeschel, Grunow, Hanes, Hoffmann, Paterson, Protiva, Roser, Roth, Schmidt, Scovel, Thompson, Vernor, Welsh, Wesch, Wright, Wuellner and the President-23. Nays-None.

The title to the ordinance was confirmed.

SAME.

Ald. Roser moved to take from the table an ordinance laid over Dec. 5th, 1893, entitled, "An ordinance changing the name of Moeller street to Philadelphia avenue," which motion prevailed.

The ordinance was then placed on the order of third reading and adopted as follows:

Yeas-Ald. Batchelder, Behlow, Bleil, Buhner, DeGaw, Fisher, Goeschel, Grunow, Hanes, Hoffmann, Paterson, Protiva, Roser, Roth, Schmidt, Scovel, Thompson, Vernor, Welsh, Wesch, Wright, Wuellner and the President-23. Nays-None.

The title to the ordinance was confirmed.

SAME.

Ald. Roser moved to take from the table an ordinance laid over Dec. 5th, 1893, entitled, "An ordinance changing the name of Seventeenth street north of Grand River avenue to Stanton avenue," which motion prevailed.

The ordinance was then placed on the order of third reading and adopted as follows:

Yeas-Ald. Batchelder, Behlow, Bleil, Buhner, DeGaw, Fisher, Goeschel, Grunow, Hanes, Hoffmann, Paterson, Protiva, Roser, Roth, Schmidt, Scovel, Thompson, Vernor, Welsh, Wesch, Wright, Wuellner and the President-23. Nays-None.

The title to the ordinance was confirmed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Ald. Buhner moved to take from the table a resolution laid over Dec. 5th, 1893, authorizing Thos. T. Leete, Jr.,

Chief Assistant City Counselor, to retain Edwin F. Conely, Esq., to defend the Council and Special Committee in the proceedings issued by the Supreme Court upon the complaint of John J. Speed, which motion prevailed.

The resolution was then adopted as follows:

Yeas-Ald. Batchelder, Behlow, Bleil, Buhner, DeGaw, Grunow, Hanes Hoffmann, Paterson, Protiva, Roser, Roth, Schmidt, Scovel, Thompson, Vernor, Welsh, Wright and the President-19. Nays-Ald. Fisher, Goeschel, Welsh and Wuellner-4.

Petitions Presented.

BY ALD. THOMPSON.

Of D. D. Phelps Company for permission to display a banner from a flag pole at their place of business during the Holiday season.

Granted under the ordinance. Of Louis Edelman, M. D., for permission to erect a sign post on the south side of Montcalm street east, between five and six feet back from the building line of Woodward avenue.

Granted under the ordinance. Of Ferdinand A. Fisher, for permission to erect a sign post in front of No. 75 Larned street west.

Granted under the ordinance.

BY THE CLERK.

Of Peter F. Karpp, for damages for injuries received while paving River street. Referred to the Committee on Claims and Accounts.

Of James Gamble, for rebate on a street opening assessment. Referred to the Committee on Street Openings.

Of William H. Hellings, for a tax deed of the western 66.94-100 feet of lot 96, Loranger farm.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes. Of Albert Crane and others asking that the plan of the city be changed making Cavalry avenue from Fort street to Dix avenue fifty feet wide instead of sixty-six feet wide as projected.

Referred to the Committee on Street Openings.

Of William R. Farrand and others, for the acceptance of a plat.

Referred to the Committee on Street Openings.

Of A. C. McGraw & Co., for permission to construct a suspension bridge across the alley in rear of their place of business.

Referred to the Committee on Streets.

Communications.

FROM THE ACTING MAYOR.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen-Having received and accepted the resignation of Dr. Duncan B. McLeod as member of the Board of Health, I hereby nominate Dr. L. Vounghusband, and recommend his appointment by your honorable body to fill said vacancy.

Very respectfully, WALTER H. COOTS, Acting Mayor.

Accepted. The rules were suspended and the nomination confirmed as follows: Yeas-Ald. Batchelder, Behlow, Bleil, Buhner, DeGaw, Fisher, Goeschel, Grunow, Hanes, Hoffmann, Patterson, Protiva, Roser, Roth, Schmidt, Sco-

vel, Thomson, Vernor, Welsh, Wesch, Wright, Wuellner and the President-23.

Nays-None. The regular order was resumed.

FROM THE CONTROLLER.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen-The following reports of city officers, for the week ending Saturday, Dec. 9, 1893, are respectfully submitted:

Table with financial reports: Louis B. Littlefield, City Treasurer, receipts \$55,806 32; Louis B. Littlefield, City Treasurer, disbursements \$146,545 98; Albert Stoll, Receiver of Taxes, 22,355 17; Henry Vonder Heide, Pound Master and Wood Inspector, E. D., 1 50; C. E. Newton, Pound Master and Wood Inspector, W. D., ...; Wm. S. Velger, Weigh Master, E. D., 55 90; C. H. Pitman, Weigh Master, W. D., 41 00; A. McPherson, Secretary Board of Public Works, 7,479 05; J. P. Southwick, Dog Pound Master, 25 00; John Papke, Clerk of Market, rents, wagons, 41 50; L. R. Meserve, License Collector, \$16 50; Engineers, 1 00; Newsboys, 85; Meat Shops, 12 00; Peddlers, 9 35; Drays, 70; Hack drivers, 1 80 42 20; Dogs, ...; Respectfully, etc., C. W. MOORE, Controller.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

FROM THE SAME.

To the Honorable the Common Council: Gentlemen-The following approved accounts are respectfully submitted:

Table with financial reports: Pay roll, Board of Public Works office, \$ 976 26; Pay roll, City Engineer's office, 770 89; Pay roll, witnesses Recorder's Court, 12 00; Pay roll, janitor, City Hall, Nov. 17-23, 7 50; Pay roll, janitor, City Hall, Nov. 24-30, 7 50; Pay roll, janitor, City Hall, Dec. 1-7, 7 50; Pay roll, laborers, cleaning streets, Ward 1, 62 50; Pay roll, laborers, cleaning streets, Ward 1, 52 13; Pay roll, laborers, cleaning streets, Ward 2, 67 37; Pay roll, laborers, cleaning streets, Ward 2, 45 26; Pay roll, laborers, cleaning streets, Ward 3, 30 94; Pay roll, laborers, cleaning streets, Ward 4, 44 50; Pay roll, laborers, cleaning streets, Ward 4, 50 13; Pay roll, laborers, cleaning streets, Ward 5, 29 06; Pay roll, laborers, cleaning streets, Ward 6, 29 07.