

ages and expenses of any kind whatsoever that may be suffered by said Crowley-Milner & Co. pay to the said City of Detroit, or which it may be put to, or which may accrue against it by charging to or recovering from said City, and for any damages that may be done to any property or accrue to any person or persons traveling across said bridge or in and upon said Library avenue caused in consequence of the faulty and negligent construction and maintenance of said bridge across and over said avenue

Said bond shall be kept in force throughout the life of this permit, and shall, if necessary, be renewed when so directed by resolution of the Common Council of said City.

Be It Further Resolved, That this permit shall not become operative until the bond herein provided for has been accepted and approved by said Common Council.

Be It Further Resolved, That the work of constructing said bridge across said Library avenue shall be performed under the direction and supervision of the Department of Public Works and Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering, and in accordance with the plans submitted by said Crowley-Milner & Co. with its petition for permission to construct said bridge over and above said Library avenue which said plans are hereby approved by said Common Council.

Be It Further Resolved, That no rights in the public street shall be considered waived by the City of Detroit by this permission to construct and maintain said bridge across and over said Library avenue which is granted expressly upon the condition that the said bridge and all obstructions in connection therewith shall be removed and the said Library avenue restored to its present condition without expense to the City of Detroit at any time when so directed by said Common Council.

Be It Further Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with said Crowley-Milner & Co. with a bond thereto attached, for the privilege of constructing and maintaining said bridge across and over said Library avenue in accordance with the terms of the privilege therefor hereby and herein granted to said Company, and report said contract and bond when executed to this body for approval and confirmation.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor, and the President Pro Tem.—6.

Nays—None.

Banners.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Moslem Temple (5092), for permission to place a banner across Larned street in front of Light Guard Armory, advertising Shrine Circus, same to be in place during the circus, Feb. 5 to 17th, inclusive. Your Committee recommends that petition be granted, and offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED W. CASTATOR,
Chairman.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to Moslem Temple to place a banner across Larned street in front of Light Guard Armory during the period of the Shrine Circus to be held from Feb. 5 to 17, 1923, both dates inclusive.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor, and the President Pro Tem.—6.

Nays—None.

Street Names.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of Harper avenue M. E. Church (4745), asking that the name of Wales avenue be changed to Field avenue. Your Committee has also had under consideration the communication from the City Plan Commission, recommending that petition be granted, Wales avenue, extending one block north of Harper avenue being practically a continuation of Field avenue and no revision of house numbers being necessary. We therefore recommend that the Corporation Counsel be directed to prepare the proper ordinance changing the name of Wales avenue to Field avenue and submit same to this body.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED W. CASTATOR,
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Widening Fairport Ave.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the petition of House Financing Corporation, et al. (7644), asking that Fairport avenue between Portlance and Gratiot avenues be opened to a width of 60 feet. Your Committee finds that by resolution adopted April 25, 1922 (J. C. C. p. 802), the Corporation Counsel was directed to prepare resolution for the opening of Fairport avenue between

above streets. Your Committee has also had under consideration communication from the City Plan Commission, stating that 20 feet of land for the widening of street was dedicated and accepted June 6, 1922. We therefore recommend that further consideration of said petition be indefinitely postponed.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED W. CASTATOR,
Chairman.
Accepted and adopted.

Wildemere Ave. Opening.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That the report of Committee of the Whole and accompanying resolution, presented by Councilman Kronk and adopted Feb. 7, 1922 (J. C. C. p. 206-7), relative to the matter of opening Wildemere avenue from Maidstone avenue to Taylor avenue; determining the proportion of the award of the jury to be assessed on a local assessment district and the amount to be paid by the city out of the Street Opening Fund, and directing the Board of Assessors to prepare an assessment roll for collecting the expense of said public improvement, be and the same is hereby rescinded, for the purpose of providing for the payment of 33 1-3% of the award out of the Street opening fund, instead of 15% as provided in said resolution of Feb. 7, 1922.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor, and the President Pro Tem.—6.

Nays—None.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That the resolution presented by Councilman Littlefield and adopted December 12, 1922 (J. C. C. p. 2472), approving and confirming Street Opening Assessment Roll No. 350 for defraying part of the expense and cost of taking private property for the opening and extending of Wildemere avenue from Maidstone avenue to Taylor avenue, where not already opened, as a public street and highway, be and the same is hereby rescinded for the purpose of providing for the payment of 33 1-3 per cent of the award of the jury in opening said street, out of the Street Opening Fund; and further

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to refund to the persons respectively entitled thereto, all payments made on said Assessment Roll No. 350 for the opening of Wildemere avenue from Maidstone to Taylor avenues, Book 25.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Vernor, and the President Pro Tem.—6.

Street 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 Wildemere avenue from Maidstone avenue to Taylor avenue, where not already open, 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 of the improvement is largely benefited by same and should therefore bear a portion of the expense. The award of the jury was \$85,169.65, and we recommend that 66.67 per cent, or \$56,782.61, be assessed on a local assessment district, and that the remaining portion, viz.: \$28,387.04, or 33.33 per cent, be paid by the City of Detroit out of the Street Opening Fund. We further recommend that inasmuch as a total of \$2,855 was received by the City Treasurer from the sale of buildings located in the line of said street, that the Board of Assessors in making out the assessment roll, credit each piece or parcel of real estate benefited by such improvement with its proportionate share of 66.67 per cent, or \$1,903.43, of the total sum of \$2,855 received from the sale of said buildings, which is the same ratio agreed upon in apportioning the verdict rendered by the jury, as hereinbefore set forth, and we therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED W. CASTATOR,
Chairman.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of Detroit hereby determines that the sum of \$56,782.61 is a just proportion of the compensation awarded by the jury for the property taken by the City of Detroit for the opening of Wildemere avenue, from Maidstone avenue to Taylor avenue, where not already open, 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. 1159-1919), 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 \$56,782.61, as near as may