

REGULAR MEETING.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

MONDAY, March 2, 1908

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, March 2, 1908, at 7:30 o'clock, in regular session, President William J. Neukom in the chair.

Present: The Hon. William J. Neukom, President of the Common Council, and 19 members, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilkene and Henry.

Absent, 1, viz.: Mr. Wright.

Mr. Bangs moved that the reading of the Journal be dispensed with. Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 20, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I return herewith with my approval Resolution No. 2, 1908.

I have the honor to remain,

Yours very truly,

C. A. BOOKWALTER,
Mayor.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: There will be presented to your honorable body at this meeting an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$45,000 to and for the use of the Board of Park Commissioners for the construction of certain portions of a boulevard system, the work in contemplation being that portion of such boulevard lying between Northwestern avenue and Capitol avenue. A portion of this money will be necessary to secure certain real estate either by purchase or condemnation, belonging to the Fall Creek Realty Company and others along the line of such proposed boulevard. My main purpose in submitting this ordinance to you for such action as you may deem best is to provide employment to those citizens of Indianapolis who at present, owing to industrial conditions, are without work. The situation in Indianapolis is such that I believe the city would be warranted in making an appropriation to give some kind of employment even though we were not ready to commence work upon a definite boulevard plan. Men are walking the streets of Indianapolis to-day, not asking for charity, but for an opportunity to earn something for the support of themselves, their wives and their children. Indianapolis is not alone in taking steps of this kind to relieve suffering. Almost every city in the Central West has found it to be necessary to take similar action, and I am of the firm belief that the expenditure of even more money at this time for this purpose would meet with the approval of all our people.

The Board of Park Commissioners has already received a proposal for the sale of sufficient land to enable us to commence work on a material portion of the proposed boulevard, while from the funds here asked for we will be able to purchase such other lands as may be required, or to proceed with the necessary legal steps to secure possession of such other ground as may be required to complete the full section outlined above.

I do not wish to be understood as holding out the promise that the funds called for in the ordinance submitted at this time will be sufficient to complete such work. Other moneys will doubtless be necessary, but if Indianapolis is ever to take advantage of the opportunities which offer for municipal beautification by the improvement of both banks of Fall Creek, action should not longer be delayed. Almost every day sees some further encroachment by private improvements, which only add to the embarrassments already existing. Let us act now, most promptly. No other municipal improvement will meet with such general approbation in my opinion as will the proposed boulevard system, comprehensive plans for which are now under preparation by Mr. Kessler, the newly appointed Superintendent of Parks. Other cities are awake to the importance of this kind of work, and I believe Indianapolis should be up and doing.

Coming back to the relief proposition, let me suggest that men who are willing to work and who would prefer to sell their labor rather than accept charity should be given this opportunity. I am not, under ordinary conditions, inclined to be pessimistic, but I am of the opinion that when the two or three months have gone by the industrial situation, instead of improving, will have become much more serious in character. Therefore, I most earnestly urge upon your honorable body that early action be taken looking towards the furnishing of employment to men who are to-day, and doubtless for some weeks to come, will be unable to secure work elsewhere.

I have the honor to remain,

Yours very truly,

C. A. BOOKWALTER,
Mayor.

At 8:00 o'clock P. M. Mr. Wright entered the Council Chamber and took his seat.

REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

From City Controller:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I herewith present a communication from the Department of Public Works, requesting that I recommend the securing of funds for paying for a new scale for weighing coal at the City Hoospital, and for making some necessary changes in the electric wiring system at the City Hospital, which will necessitate the putting in of a new lead cable, switch boards, etc.

I herewith submit an ordinance supplemental to G. O. No. 116, 1907, and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. T. BREUNIG,
City Controller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
OFFICE OF THE BOARD.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

Mr. George T. Breunig, City Controller, City:

DEAR SIR: You are respectfully requested to recommend to the Common Council the passage of an ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to use the unexpended portion of the money appropriated for installing an elevator at the City Hospital, or so much of said balance as is necessary, for making changes in the electric wiring at the City Hospital; also the passage of an ordinance transferring the sum of \$214.93 from the fund for the purchase of coal cars, etc., so that it will be available to pay for new scales, the old one having broken down.

Respectfully yours,
JOSEPH T. ELLIOTT,
P. C. TRUSLER,
Board of Public Works.

From City Controller:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I herewith submit a communication from the Department of Public Works, requesting an appropriation of the sum of \$2,350.00 to

pay an assessment against the city for the opening and widening of West Michigan street.

I herewith submit an ordinance providing for the appropriation asked for and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. T. BREUNIG,
City Controller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
OFFICE OF THE BOARD.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 28, 1908.

George T. Breunig, City Controller, City:

DEAR SIR: You are hereby requested to recommend to the Common Council the passage of an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$2,350.00 to pay the assessment against the City of Indianapolis on account of the opening and widening of Michigan street. It was necessary to widen Michigan street to provide an approach to the West Michigan street bridge.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH T. ELLIOTT,
F. J. MACK,
Board of Public Works.

From City Controller:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I herewith present communications from the Board of Park Commissioners and from the Board of Public Works, requesting the transfer and reappropriation of the sum of \$45,000.00, from the appropriation heretofore made for City Hall purposes, to the Board of Park Commissioners to be used in acquiring lands for boulevard purposes, improving same and such necessary improvements in the park system as may be deemed necessary. The desire being to commence on these improvements at a very early day, so as to give employment to the unemployed.

I herewith submit an ordinance providing for such transfer and reappropriation, and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. T. BREUNIG,
City Controller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 28, 1908.

Hon. George T. Breunig, City Controller:

DEAR SIR: The Board of Park Commissioners has this day passed a resolution requesting you to recommend to the Common Council an appropriation ordinance for \$45,000.00 for the purpose of acquiring lands for boulevards and improving same.

The board declares that an emergency exists for the reason that a

large part of this money will be expended in giving work to the employed of the city.

Yours very truly,

HENRY JAMESON, *President.*

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
OFFICE OF THE BOARD.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

George T. Breunig, City Controller, City:

DEAR SIR: The proposed transfer of \$45,000.00 from the City Hall Fund to the Board of Park Commissioners for park and boulevard purposes is hereby approved by this Board.

Yours truly,

JOSEPH T. ELLIOTT,
P. C. TRUSLER,
Board of Public Works.

From City Controller:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I herewith submit a communication from the Department of Public Works, requesting an additional appropriation of \$8,000.00 for the payment of assessments for sewer and public improvements against city property.

I herewith submit an ordinance providing for the appropriation asked for and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. T. BREUNIG,
City Controller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
OFFICE OF THE BOARD.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 28, 1908.

George T. Breunig, City Controller, City:

DEAR SIR: There are now assessments against the City of Indianapolis on account of street improvements and sewers amounting to \$7,703.98, which includes the assessment of \$6,672.08 on account of the construction of the North Indianapolis sewer, and which, under the law, was assessed against the city instead of the Crown Hill Cemetery Association.

We now have on hand \$946.49, which leaves a shortage of \$6,757.49. Besides assessments mentioned above, there will be other small assessments during the year, so that we feel it will be necessary to have an additional appropriation of \$8,000.00.

You are therefore requested to recommend to the Common Council the passage of an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$8,000.00 to the fund for the payment of assessments.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH T. ELLIOTT,
F. J. MACK,
Board of Public Works.

From City Controller:

Mr. Royse moved that the City Controller's report be printed without reading. Carried.

CONTROLLER'S REPORT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER,
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 1, 1908.

Hon. Charles A. Bookwalter, Mayor, and the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I submit herewith my report for the fiscal year ending with December 31, 1907, exhibiting revenues, receipts and expenditures, and the sources from which the revenues are derived.

The total bonded debt on January 1, 1907, was \$2,929,800, which was reduced by the payment of maturing bonds with moneys taken out of the City Sinking Fund in the sum of \$73,000, leaving the bonded debt at the end of the year \$2,856,800. The \$73,000 of bonds redeemed by the Sinking Fund Commissioners includes \$15,000 of Bridge Bonds of 1899, due January 1, 1909, which were offered to the Commissioners at a discount.

Of the total bonded debt on December 31st, \$2,772,500 is city debt proper, and \$84,300 is bonded debt assumed by the city by the annexation of the towns of Brightwood, Haughville, Irvington and West Indianapolis.

Of the city debt proper \$1,063,000 bears three and one-half per cent. interest, and \$1,709,500 bears four per cent. interest; of the suburban bonds \$2,500 bears 3 65-100 per cent., \$8,000 bears four per cent., \$12,800 bears five per cent. and \$61,000 bears six per cent.

The total assessed valuation of taxable property in the city, as appraised in 1907, is \$178,851,150, from which is deducted mortgage exemptions aggregating \$4,606,825, leaving a net total appraisalment subject to taxation, of \$174,244,325.

The constitutional debt limit of two per cent. is \$3,484,886.50, from which amount deduct total bonded debt of \$2,856,800, leaving a margin of \$628,086.50.

I call your attention to the excellent condition of the city treasury at the end of our second fiscal year. On January 1, 1906, when we came into office the gross cash balance was \$254,307.47, which amount included special appropriations for specific purposes aggregating \$56,151.94, leaving a cash balance of \$198,155.53 available for general purposes. On January 1, 1907, the gross cash balance was \$587,066.59, including special appropriations for specific purposes amounting to \$383,318.65; leaving a cash balance for general purposes of \$203,747.94. On January 1, 1908, the gross cash balance was \$514,869.12, including special appropriations and funds for specific purposes amounting to \$214,422.90, leaving a cash balance available for general purposes of \$300,446.22.

Your attention is called to the several tables showing expenditures by departments, city sinking fund, bonded debt statement, etc.

Very respectfully,

GEO. T. BREUNIG,
City Controller.

TABLE No. 1.

Synopsis of Receipts and Expenditures, 1907.

GENERAL FUND.

Cash available January 1, 1907.....		\$203,747 91
Special appropriation balances.....		383,318 65
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Total cash balance January 1, 1907.....		\$587,066 59
Received from taxes.....	\$1,315,584 34	
Received from sundry sources.....	481,264 38	
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Total receipts		\$1,796,848 72
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Total to be accounted for.....		\$2,383,915 31
Paid current expense.....	\$1,617,462 64	
Paid permanent improvements.....	206,808 19	
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Total ordinary expenditures..	\$1,824,270 83	
Paid track elevation.....	\$44,775 36	
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Total extraordinary expend- itures	\$44,775 36	
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Total expenditures		\$1,869,046 19
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Cash balance December 31, 1907		\$514,869 12
Special appropriation carried over—		
Brightwood Water Works ex- tension of mains.....	\$4,863 43	
City Hall	152,619 00	
City Hall site.....	35,000 00	
City Hospital improvements....	14,871 32	
New official city map.....	1,500 00	
Expenses incurred in appre- hension of Jesse Coe.....	400 00	
Rewards	1,100 00	
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Total special appropriations....	\$210,353 75	
Park General Fund balance.....	\$4,069 15	
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		\$214,422 90
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Actual available cash in General Fund December 31, 1907.....		\$300,446 22

TABLE No. 2.

Current Receipts, 1907.

FEES.

Board of Public Works—Inspection fees paid by public corporations.....		\$91 25
Board of Public Works—Inspection fees paid by public contractors.....		4,496 25
City Civil Engineer—Permits.....		6,538 29
City Controller—Auction license.....	\$16 00	
Building license.....	8,400 15	
Dance license.....	2,006 00	
Distributing medicine license	13 00	
Exhibition license...	28 00	
Liquor license issue.	740 00	
Liquor license application	371 00	
Market leases	154 50	
Milk license	1,326 00	
Peddlers and hucksters license.....	833 50	
Plumbers license...	121 00	
Restaurant license...	270 00	
Skating rink license	14 00	
Shooting gallery license	3 00	
Selling imported goods license	1 00	
Selling dry goods license	4 00	
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		\$14,301 15
City Hospital—Pay patients.....		139 32
East Market		7,713 25
Scales, Weights and Measures.....		2,326 50
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Total		\$35,606 01

LICENSES.

Auction	\$435 00
Ball and cane racks, etc.....	48 00
Billiards and pool tables.....	3,284 00
Brewery	11,000 00
Clairvoyants, palmists and mediums.....	680 00
Dog	9,139 00
Employment bureau	400 00
Exhibition	1,795 00
Hotel solicitors	10 00
Hucksters	3,650 00
Liquor	185,050 00
Merry-go-round	25 00
Pawnbrokers	1,900 00
Peddlers	582 50
Selling dry goods	12 00

TABLE No. 2—Continued.

Selling imported goods.....	25 00
Shooting gallery	50 00
Show room	100 00
Skating rink	425 00
Slot machine	115 75
Testing machine	298 00
Transient merchant	50 00
Vehicle	43,837 25
Total	\$262,911 50

FRANCHISES.

J. E. Christian.....	1 00
Central Union Telephone Co.....	6,000 00
Indianapolis Telephone Co.....	11,951 00
Indianapolis Light and Heat Co.....	23,732 08
Merchants Light and Heat Co.....	8,350 08
Peoples Heat and Light Co.....	4,134 96
Indianapolis Coal Traction Co.....	65 57
Indianapolis, Columbus and Southern.....	99 62
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	147 66
Indianapolis and Eastern	75 50
Indianapolis and Martinsville	69 44
Indianapolis and Northwestern	84 05
Indianapolis and Western	8 89
Indianapolis Traction and Terminal Co., Interurban	3,509 22
Indianapolis Traction and Terminal Co., City	30,000 00
Union Traction Co.....	326 30
Total	\$88,555 37

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bath houses	\$243 10
Brightwood Waterworks	4,079 50
City Hall site—Rentals.....	64 00
City bonds, exchange refunded.....	13 22
Deposits filed with bids—Forfeited by Board of Public Works.....	100 00
Fines and fees, City Court.....	29,919 75
Fire Insurance—Fire damage at Tomlinson Hall	40 00
Fire Insurance—Return premium City Hospital insurance	55 75
Fire cisterns	100 00
Fire Force receipts.....	116 52
Haughville Hall rentals.....	446 08
Indiana Medical College—Refund salaries Hospital internes	477 50
Law Department—Transcript fee.....	12 50
Law Department—Costs refunded.....	6 00
Law Department—Preparation of abstract.....	7 50
Market leases	25,347 65

TABLE No. 2—Continued.

Markets—Sale of old material.....	19 75
Miscellaneous Park receipts.....	6,556 45
Option on Consumers Gas Co. plant.....	100 00
Option on the option.....	25 00
Police Force receipts.....	223 01
Street opening and vacations.....	4,930 66
Street Commissioner—Sale of old material, etc	1,797 57
Street Commissioner—Repairing permanent improved streets.....	63 60
Street Cleaning Department—Sale of old material, etc.	3,152 44
Taxes	1,315,584 34
Tomlinson Hall	2,133 25
Track elevation—Marion County proportion of Vandalia Railway elevation.....	8,482 44
Track elevation—Indianapolis, Newcastle & Toledo Ry. Co., proportion of Massachu- setts avenue elevation.....	5,000 00
Warrants and overcharges refunded.....	4 73
Weed cutting	673 35
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Total	\$1,409,775 84
Grand Total of Receipts.....	\$1,796,848 72

TABLE No. 3.

Appropriations, Expenditures and Balances.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.			
<i>Fund</i>	<i>Appropriations.</i>	<i>Expenditures.</i>	<i>Balances.</i>
Assessing city property.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	
Bank books, printing and supplies....	2,000 00	1,985 76	\$14 24
Memorial Day	200 00	147 00	53 00
Miscellaneous expense city offices....	5,500 00	5,490 44	9 56
Official surety bonds.....	413 15	413 15	
Special Police Judge.....	245 00	245 00	
Salaries	38,223 34	38,223 33	01
Interest and Exchange—			
City bonded indebtedness.....	106,950 00	106,664 30	285 70
Brightwood bonded indebtedness..	600 00	600 00	
Haughville bonded indebtedness..	429 49	429 49	
Irvington bonded indebtedness....	640 00	640 00	
West Indianapolis bonded indebtedness	3,180 00	3,180 00	
Totals	\$160,880 98	\$160,518 47	\$362 51
LAW DEPARTMENT.			
Change of venue cases.....	\$400 00	\$399 92	\$0 08
Employment of additional counsel....	500 00	500 00	
Judgments, compromises and costs..	10,201 13	10,193 22	7 91
Law library	700 00	699 90	10
Office rent and expenses.....	850 00	849 50	50
Salaries	8,750 00	8,750 00	
Transcripts, printing of briefs, stationery and miscellaneous supplies	500 00	493 88	6 12
Totals	\$21,901 13	\$21,886 42	\$14 71
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.			
Assessment bureau, maps and plats..	\$2,400 00	\$2,234 00	\$166 00
Assessment bureau, clerks salaries..	8,850 00	8,663 15	186 85
Assessments, erroneous	500 00	64 19	435 81
Assessments, payment of.....	1,000 00	941 25	58 75
Assessments, reduced by court.....	2,000 00	1,345 15	654 85
Bath houses	1,600 00	1,359 80	240 20
Blank books, printing and advertising	5,000 00	4,995 54	34 46
Bridges	18,000 00	17,384 27	615 73
Bridge gang, pay roll.....	8,000 00	7,944 48	55 52
Brightwood waterworks	5,000 00	4,319 55	680 45
Brightwood waterworks, extension of mains	5,500 00	636 57	4,863 43
Cisterns	2,261 53	549 20	1,712 33
City Civil Engineer, accounts.....	4,575 00	4,344 95	230 05
City Civil Engineer, salaries.....	65,000 00	64,989 51	10 49
City Civil Engineer, track elevation fund	4,000 00	2,245 00	1,755 00
City Hall, accounts	4,300 00	4,264 44	35 56
City Hall, janitors	3,115 00	3,115 00	
City Hall, building	172,000 00	19,381 00	152,619 00
City Hall site	150,000 00	115,000 00	35,000 00

TABLE No. 3—Continued.

<i>Fund</i>	<i>Appropriations.</i>	<i>Expenditures.</i>	<i>Balances.</i>
City Hospital improvements.....	76,185 61	61,314 29	14,871 32
Electric, gas and vapor lights.....	142,500 00	124,192 85	18,307 15
Fountains and wells.....	1,000 00	702 00	298 00
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,000 00	999 65	35
Garbage collection and disposal of..	60,738 47	60,738 47	
Incidentals	500 00	458 50	41 50
Indianapolis Traction and Terminal Co.—Emergency repair fund....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00
New official city map.....	1,500 00	.....	1,500 00
Payment of appraisers.....	300 00	75 00	225 00
Public buildings and repairs.....	5,000 00	4,991 63	8 37
Salaries—Members of board and office force	10,301 67	10,301 66	01
Sewers	4,000 00	2,423 31	1,576 69
Sewer gang payroll.....	21,400 00	21,243 63	156 37
Streets, maintenance and repair of..	20,000 00	19,591 43	408 57
Streets, sweeping and cleaning.....	105,000 00	104,525 64	474.36
Streets, sprinkling, unimproved....	34,300 00	33,944 40	355 60
Streets, repair, permanently im- proved	75,000 00	59,775 41	15,224 59
Streets, repair accounts	3,000 00	2,861 27	138 73
Streets, opening and vacations.....	1,000 00	403 67	596 33
Street signs and house numbers.....	1,500 00	1,499 95	05
Telephones	650 00	543 36	106 64
Tomlinson Hall accounts.....	1,800 00	1,793 08	6 92
Tomlinson Hall janitors.....	2,675 00	2,631 35	43 65
Track elevation	55,000 00	44,775 36	10,224 64
Track elevation, clerks salary.....	900 00	555 00	345 00
Water	110,000 00	108,471 88	1,528 12
Total	\$1,199,352 28	\$932,559 84	\$266,792 44

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Office.

Incidentals	\$500 00	\$499 78	\$0 22
Printing and stationery	200 00	150 20	49 80
Salaries	7,734 15	7,734 15	
Totals.....	\$8,434 15	\$8,384 13	\$50 02

Building Inspection.

Printing and sundries.....	250 00	189 55	60 45
Salaries	7,800 00	7,776 67	23 33
Transportation	750 00	733 10	16 90
Totals.....	\$8,800 00	\$8,699 32	\$100 68

Scales, Weights and Measures.

Incidentals	\$300 00	\$297 61	\$2 39
Salaries	2,850 00	2,850 00	
Totals.....	\$3,150 00	\$3,147 61	\$2 39

TABLE No. 3—Continued.

<i>East Market.</i>			
<i>Fund</i>	<i>Appro-</i>	<i>Expendi-</i>	<i>Balances.</i>
	<i>priations.</i>	<i>tures.</i>	
Cleaning buildings	\$900 00	\$482 00	\$418 00
Current	300 00	295 47	4 53
Gas and electricity	7,700 00	7,041 31	658 69
Printing and stationery	30 00	16 60	13 40
Repairs to buildings.....	1,000 00	999 40	60
Salaries	6,176 31	6,176 31	
Totals.....	\$16,106 31	\$15,011 09	\$1,095 22
<i>Fire Department.</i>			
Pay roll	\$229,738 75	\$226,059 96	\$2,778 79
Fire alarm, telegraph department....	4,500 00	3,637 33	862 67
Fuel and heat.....	3,500 00	3,479 55	20 45
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,600 00	1,599 76	24
Gas and electric light.....	2,100 00	2,099 35	65
Harness and repairs.....	700 00	628 03	71 97
Hose, purchase of.....	2,800 00	2,539 99	260 01
Horses, purchase of.....	3,125 00	3,070 00	55 00
Horse feed	10,700 00	10,695 96	4 04
Horseshoeing	2,500 00	2,498 52	1 48
Miscellaneous	1,750 00	1,532 20	217 80
New apparatus	3,000 00	2,969 55	30 45
Printing and stationery.....	150 00	149 97	03
Repairs to apparatus.....	3,000 00	2,714 24	285 76
Repairs to buildings.....	4,843 00	4,842 85	15
Repairs to cisterns	250 00	180 00	70 00
Soda and acids.....	350 00	218 45	131 55
Telephones	1,500 00	1,500 00	
Totals	\$276,106 75	\$271,315 71	\$4,791 04
<i>Police Department.</i>			
Pay roll	\$221,327 00	\$220,976 68	\$350 32
Station house salaries.....	9,682 50	9,665 76	16 74
Automobile patrol wagon.....	4,000 00	4,000 00	
Automobile maintenance and repairs	800 00	789 24	10 76
Building repairs	3,000 00	2,991 70	8 30
Bicycles and repairs.....	1,200 00	1,179 67	20 33
Cow pounds	100 00	72 00	28 00
Electrical system	2,000 00	1,823 69	176 31
Emergency police	500 00	227 50	272 50
Expenses incurred in apprehension of Jesse Coe.....	500 00	100 00	400 00
Fuel	1,200 00	719 69	480 31
Gas and electric light.....	1,800 00	1,255 63	544 37
Horses	500 00		500 00
Horse feed	1,000 00	955 74	44 26
Horseshoeing	500 00	306 45	193 55
Incidentals	2,500 00	2,003 38	496 62
Mounted police, horses and equip- ment	600 00	437 45	162 55
Mounted police, horse feed.....	400 00	18 05	381 95
Printing and stationery.....	750 00	714 70	35 30
Prisoners' meals	2,100 00	1,936 90	163 10

TABLE No. 3—Continued.

<i>Fund</i>	<i>Appropriations.</i>	<i>Expenditures.</i>	<i>Balances.</i>
Returning criminals	500 00	94 11	405 89
Rewards	1,100 00	.....	1,100 00
Secret service	750 00	531 83	218 17
Telephones	1,500 00	1,500 00	
Wagons, harness and repairs.....	800 00	420 13	379 87
Totals.....	\$259,109 50	\$252,720 30	\$6,389 20

BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Health Office.

Blank books, printing and stationery	\$1,000 00	\$572 46	\$427 54
Cutting weeds	1,000 00	699 09	300 91
Horse board and transportation.....	1,150 00	1,149 90	10
Incidentals	500 00	432 97	67 03
Inspection of public schools.....	2,450 00	2,310 00	140 00
Laboratory	1,200 00	1,199 58	42
Prevention of contagious diseases...	8,945 00	8,074 04	870 96
Public charity	1,800 00	1,800 00	
Salaries	19,785 00	19,614 97	170 03
Telephones	125 00	122 50	2 50
Totals.....	\$37,955 00	\$35,975 51	\$1,979 49

City Dispensary.

Artificial gas	\$10 00	\$9 72	\$0 28
Ambulance	660 00	589 08	70 92
Drugs	1,300 00	1,292 09	7 91
Dry goods	150 00	144 89	5 11
Groceries	60 00	55 93	4 07
Incidentals	500 00	457 34	42 66
Laundry	150 00	132 50	17 50
Printing and stationery.....	120 00	113 60	6 40
Surgical supplies	500 00	425 38	74 62
Salaries	5,660 00	5,198 00	462 00
Telephones	105 00	105 00	
Transportation	580 00	431 50	148 50
Totals.....	\$9,795 00	\$8,955 03	\$839 97

City Hospital.

Drugs	\$2,000 00	\$1,999 90	\$0 10
Dry goods	2,500 00	2,500 00	
Electrical supplies	150 00	149 94	06
Engin room supplies	400 00	400 00	
Furniture	600 00	599 67	33
Flower Mission Hospital.....	4,550 00	4,549 68	32
Fuel	6,000 00	5,999 99	01
Gas	640 00	640 00	
Hardware	250 00	250 00	
Horseshoeing	100 00	86 30	13 70

TABLE No. 3—Continued.

<i>Fund</i>	<i>Appropriations.</i>	<i>Expenditures.</i>	<i>Balances.</i>
Incidentals	1,150 00	1,150 00	
Laundry	400 00	400 00	
Nursing	5,300 00	5,220 00	80 00
Paints and painting.....	1,300 00	1,200 16	99 84
Provisions	14,500 00	14,499 49	51
Plumbing supplies	300 00	299 77	23
Printing and stationery.....	400 00	399 47	53
Queensware	300 00	299 59	41
Repairs to buildings.....	2,300 00	2,299 97	03
Stable supplies	500 00	500 00	
Surgical supplies	1,800 00	1,800 00	
Salaries	13,599 07	13,599 07	
Telephones	150 00	149 56	44
Totals.....	\$59,189 07	\$58,992 56	\$196 51

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Salaries, office expenses and supplies	\$6,400 00	\$6,400 00	
Engineer corps	2,500 00	2,499 20	\$0 80
General park fund.....	36,251 56	32,182 41	4,069 15
Brookside, maintenance	4,800 00	4,790 00	10 00
Boswell Place, maintenance.....	100 00	99 90	10
Capitol Ave. Boulevard, maintenance	4,000 00	3,999 93	07
Deaf and Dumb, maintenance.....	2,000 00	.....	*2,000 00
East 32nd St. centers, maintenance..	450 00	449 30	70
Fall Creek Boulevard, maintenance..	1,000 00	999 99	01
Flower Mission, maintenance.....	800 00	799 02	08
Garfield, maintenance	13,600 00	13,575 45	24 55
Greenlawn, maintenance	1,000 00	999 98	02
Highland Square, maintenance.....	750 00	750 00	
Highland Place centers, maintenance	350 00	349 70	30
Hendricks, Fletcher, Oriole and South, maintenance	1,000 00	999 97	03
Irving Circle, maintenance.....	200 00	200 00	
Indianola Square, maintenance.....	500 00	499 95	05
Morton Place centers, maintenance..	800 00	799 90	10
Morris Square, maintenance.....	350 00	349 70	30
Military, maintenance	2,400 00	2,398 82	1 18
McCarty Place, maintenance.....	250 00	249 90	10
Pleasant Run Boulevard, maintenance	1,000 00	999 96	04
Riverside, maintenance	10,000 00	9,999 54	46
St. Clair Square and Ft. Wayne Triangle, maintenance	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Spades, Fletcher and East Eleventh centers maintenance	1,800 00	1,799 90	10
University maintenance	1,000 00	1,000 00	
White River Boulevard maintenance	100 00	99 35	65
Brookside improvements	4,000 00	.....	*4,000 00
Fall Creek Boulevard improvements	7,000 00	.....	*7,000 00
Garfield improvements	5,000 00	.....	*5,000 00
Greenlawn improvements	1,000 00	.....	*1,000 00

TABLE No. 3—Continued.

<i>Fund</i>	<i>Appropriations.</i>	<i>Expenditures.</i>	<i>Balances.</i>
Oriole center improvements	200 00	.....	200 00
Pleasant Run Boulevard improvements	1,000 00	229 33	*770 67
Riverside improvements	10,000 00	108 60	*9,891 40
Spades Place improvements.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
University improvements	1,000 00	999 90	10
White River Boulevard improvements	250 00	249 60	40
Totals	\$124,851 56	\$90,880 20	\$33,971 36

*On demand of the Board of Park Commissioners, and in pursuance of the opinion of the Corporation Counsel that the annual payment of \$30,000 made by the Indianapolis Traction & Terminal Company, for park purposes, belongs to said Park Department, the sum of \$29,662.07 of the \$30,000 payment made May 1, 1907, was credited to the General Park Fund and a like amount of specific appropriations left unexpended, leaving a cash balance in the General Park Fund on January 1, 1908, of \$4,069.15.

TOTALS.

Finance Department	\$160,880 98	\$160,518 47	\$362 51
Law Department	21,901 13	21,886 42	14 71
Public Works	1,199,352 28	933,559 84	266,792 44
Public Safety	571,706 71	559,278 16	12,428 55
Public Health and Charities.....	106,939 07	103,923 10	3,015 97
Public Parks	124,851 56	90,880 20	33,971 36
	\$2,185,631 73	\$1,869,046 19	\$316,585 54

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of warrants outstanding January 1, 1907.	\$113,136 96
Amount of warrants issued January 1, to December 31, 1907.....	1,869,046 19
Total	\$1,982,183 15
Amount of warrants redeemed January 1, to December 31, 1907.....	1,913,541 20
Amount of warrants outstanding December 31, 1907	\$68,641 95
Cash on hand December 31, 1907..	\$583,511 07
Warrants outstanding	68,641 95
Cash balance December 31, 1907	\$514,869 12
Balance of special appropriations (See Table 1).....	\$210,353 75
Balance in Park General Fund.....	4,069 15
	\$214,422 90
Actual available cash in General Fund December 31, 1907.....	\$300,446 22

STATEMENT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

PUBLIC WORKS.			
	<i>Appropriations.</i>	<i>Expenditures.</i>	<i>Balances carried to 1908.</i>
Brightwood waterworks, extension of mains	\$5,500 00	\$636 57	\$4,863 43
City Hall	172,000 00	19,381 00	152,619 00
City Hall site	150,000 00	115,000 00	35,000 00
City Hospital improvements.....	76,185 61	61,314 29	14,871 32
New official city map.....	1,500 00	.....	1,500 00
PUBLIC SAFETY.			
Expenses incurred in apprehension of Jesse Coe.....	\$500 00	\$100 00	\$400 00
Rewards for capture of Jesse Coe..	1,100 00	.....	1,100 00
Total	\$406,785 61	\$196,431 86	\$210,353 75

Statement Showing Special Appropriations for Specific Purposes Carried Forward from 1906 to 1907.

City Hospital improvement	\$76,185 61
City Hall	300,000 00
Brightwood waterworks, extension of mains.....	5,500 00
Miscellaneous Park receipts fund.....	33 04
Rewards	1,100 00
Expenses incurred in apprehension of Jesse Coe.....	500 00
Total	\$383,318 65

TABLE No. 4.

Statement of Expenditures, 1907.

	Current Expenses.	Extraordinary Disbursements.	Expenditures in Permanent Improvements.	Totals.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.				
Interest and exchange.....	\$111,513 79			
Assessing.....	2,500 00			
Miscellaneous.....	8,281 35			
Salaries.....	38,223 33			\$160,518 47
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.				
Improvements.....			\$90,493 90	
Maintenance.....	51,887 10			
Office expense and salaries.....	8,499 20			90,880 20
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.				
Expenditures.....	711,470 19		176,314 29	
Track elevation.....		\$44,775 36		982,559 84
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.				
Salaries and office expense.....	8,384 13			
Fire force.....	271,315 71			
Police force.....	252,720 30			
East market.....	15,011 09			
Building inspection.....	8,699 32			
Scales, weights and measures.....	3,147 61			559,278 16
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.				
Salaries.....	19,614 97			
Office expense.....	8,286 50			
Contagious diseases.....	8,074 04			
City Hospital.....	58,992 56			
City Dispensary.....	8,955 03			103,923 10
DEPARTMENT OF LAW.				
Salaries and office expense.....	9,599 50			
Expenditures.....	12,286 92			21,886 42
Totals.....	\$1,617,462 64	\$44,775 36	\$206,808 19	\$1,869,046 19

TABLE No. 5.

Statement of Expenditures, 1906.

	Current Expenses. Including Salaries.	Extraordi- nary Dis- bursements.	Expendi- tures in Per- manent Im- provements.	Totals.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.				
Redemption of bonds.....		\$24,000 00		
Interest and exchange	\$107,552 28			
Assessing.....	2,500 00			
Miscellaneous.....	10,452 00			
Salaries.....	38,097 65			\$182,601 98
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.				
Expenditures.....	658,675 62		\$58,656 31	
Track elevation.....		35,079 38		752,411 31
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.				
Improvements.....			19,199 88	
Maintenance.....	63,809 41			
Office expense and salaries	10,000 00			
Boulevards.....			45,715 98	
Purchase of real estate.....			21,069 44	159,794 71
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.				
Salaries and office expense.....	3,307 50			
Fire force.....	266,357 01			
Police force.....	229,632 86			
East market.....	11,357 87			
South side market.....	665 44			
Building inspection.....	7,222 10			519,542 78
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.				
Salaries.....	16,633 95			
Office expense.....	8,960 21			
Contagious diseases.....	2,569 99			
City Hospital.....	55,414 82			
City Dispensary.....	7,874 89			91,453 86
DEPARTMENT OF LAW.				
Salaries and office expense.....	9,300 00			
Expenditures.....	11,743 38			21,043 38
Totals.....	\$1,523,126 98	\$59,079 38	\$144,641 61	\$1,726,847 97

TABLE No. 6.

Statement of Expenditures, 1905.

	Current Expenses, Including Salaries.	Extraordinary Disbursements.	Expenditures in Permanent Improvements.	Totals.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.				
Redemption of bonds.....		\$78,000 00		
Interest and exchange	\$102,836 95			
Assessing	2,500 00			
Miscellaneous.....	7,600 50			
Elections.....	13,788 50			
Salaries.....	34,829 85			\$239,550 80
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.				
Expenditures.....	584,145 55		\$171,776 53	
Salaries.....	8,220 00			764,142 08
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.				
Improvements.....	96,405 26			
Maintenance.....	56,559 63			
Office Expense.....	757 50			
Purchase Deaf and Dumb Hos.site			25,000 00	
Salaries.....	6,842 50			185,564 89
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.				
Salaries and office expense.....	10,587 98			
Fire force.....	259,368 00			
Police force.....	190,018 57			
East market.....	13,474 25			
South side market.....	1,140 74			
Payment back salaries policemen and firemen.....	4,566 00			479,155 54
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.				
Salaries.....	10,807 25			
Contagious diseases	7,905 03			
Board of Health, office expense..	13,281 60			
City Hospital.....	51,125 31			
City Dispensary.....	6,345 43			88,864 62
DEPARTMENT OF LAW.				
Salaries and office expense.....	8,535 00			
Expenditures	6,946 62			15,481 62
Totals.....	\$1,497,983 02	\$78,000 00	\$196,776 53	\$1,772,759 55

TABLE No. 7.

Tax Levy on \$100 of Taxable Property.

YEAR.	State.	County.	School.	City.	Township.	Totals.
1891.....	\$0 35	\$0 32	\$0 27	\$0 60	\$0 01	\$1 55
1892.....	35	36	25	60	01	1 57
1893.....	32	39	32½	64½	01	1 69
1894.....	32	39	34	60	01	1 66
1895.....	30½	39½	34	60	01	1 65
1896.....	29⅔	40⅓	34	60	01	1 65
1897.....	29⅔	40⅓	42	60	01	1 73
1898.....	29⅔	40⅓	44	70	01	1 85
1899.....	29⅔	38⅓	50	60	02	1 80
1900.....	29⅔	37⅓	50	73	02	1 92
1901.....	29⅔	37½	51	75	02	1 95
1902.....	29⅔	37½	51	88	02	2 08
1903.....	30¼	37¼	57	82	02	2 09
1904.....	30¼	37¼	57	88	01	2 14
1905.....	31.35	37.65	57	85	02	2 13
1906.....	31.35	37.65	57	88	02	2 16
1907.....	33.35	34.65	58	92	01	2 19

TABLE No. 8.

Statement of Taxable Property and Taxes Collected.

YEAR.	Assessed Valuation.	Taxes Collected.
1891.....	\$93,595,930	\$541,598 85
1892.....	98,230,242	566,257 61
1893.....	103,317,880	608,797 58
1894.....	104,215,885	648,430 17
1895.....	105,637,860	608,672 12
1896.....	108,285,915	671,959 67
1897.....	117,746,670	706,017 54
1898.....	119,856,680	785,094 03
1899.....	123,295,840	699,127 42
1900.....	123,753,030	876,667 44
1901.....	129,184,950	932,607 90
1902.....	132,927,210	1,117,569 87
1903.....	142,846,065	1,118,805 20
1904.....	148,240,815	1,241,193 21
1905.....	152,978,350	1,241,450 38
1906.....	158,087,310	1,617,462 64
1907.....	174,244,325	Payable in 1908.

TABLE No. 9.

City Sinking Fund, 1907.

J. F. Wild & Co., Sinking Fund Depository.

RECEIPTS.

Balance January 1, 1907.....	\$2,342 79	
June 14. Tax settlement	43,713 16	
June 30. Interest on deposit.....	179 40	
Dec. 19. Tax settlement	35,002 30	
Total		\$81,237 65

DISBURSEMENTS.

Mar. 12. West Indianapolis funding bonds and interest	\$1,030 00	
June 25. West Indianapolis school house bonds and interest	2,060 00	
June 25. Market house bonds and interest.....	3,052 50	
June 25. Emergency bonds and interest.....	10,175 00	
July 2. Irvington bonds, Series D, bonds and interest	1,018 26	
July 12. West Indianapolis school house bonds and interest	2,060 00	
July 27. Purchase of bridge bonds of 1899 and interest	14,964 37	
Dec. 23. Bridge bonds of 1899 and interest....	15,262 50	
Dec. 23. Fire Department and City Hospital bonds and interest	14,245 00	
Dec. 23. Emergency bonds and interest.....	10,175 00	
Total		\$74,042 63
Balance December 31, 1907.....		\$7,195 02

TABLE No. 10.—*Tabulated Statement of Bonded Debt, January 1, 1908.*

TITLE OF BONDS.	Date of Issue.	Date of Maturity.	Par Value of Bond.	No. Outstanding.	Aggregate Amount.	Rate of Interest.	Interest Payable.
Southern Park purchase, refunding bonds, 1894.....	Jan. 26, 1894	Jan. 26, 1924.....	\$500	219	\$109,500	4	July 1, Jan. 1
Refunding bonds of 1894.....	Mar. 1, 1894	Mar. 1, 1924.....	1,000	600	600,000	4	July 1, Jan. 1
Refunding bonds of 1894 (Series C).....	June 30, 1894	June 30, 1924.....	1,000	300	300,000	4	June 30, Dec. 30
Refunding bonds of 1895 (Series D).....	July 1, 1895	July 1, 1915.....	1,000	200	200,000	4	July 1, Jan. 1
Park improvement bonds of 1897.....	Apr. 1, 1897	Jan. 1, 1927.....	1,000	350	350,000	4	July 1, Jan. 1
Public Safety bonds of 1897.....	June 1, 1897	Jan. 1, 1927.....	1,000	150	150,000	4	July 1, Jan. 1
Refunding bonds of 1899.....	Jan. 1, 1899	Jan. 1, 1909.....	1,000	110	110,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
Bridge bonds of 1899.....	Sept. 1, 1899	\$15,000 ann., Jan. 1.....	1,000	75	75,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
Fire Department and City Hospital bonds of 1901.....	Mar. 1, 1901	\$14,000 ann., Jan. 1.....	1,000	45	45,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
Emergency bonds of 1901.....	Dec. 14, 1901	\$10,000 semi-an., Jan. 1 July 1.....	1,000	80	80,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
Market house bonds of 1903.....	Mar. 2, 1903	\$3,000 ann., July 1.....	1,000	18	18,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
Boulevard bonds of 1903.....	May 1, 1903	May 1, 1933.....	1,000	140	100,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
Bridge bonds of 1903.....	Oct. 1, 1903	Jan. 1, 1924.....	1,000	65	65,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
Flood bonds of 1904.....	May 1, 1904	Jan. 1, 1924.....	1,000	125	125,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
Refunding bonds of 1905.....	July 1, 1905	July 1, 1925.....	1,000	45	45,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
City Hospital improvement bonds of 1906.....	June 1, 1906	Jan. 1, 1936.....	1,000	100	100,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
City Hall bonds of 1906.....	July 1, 1906	Jan. 1, 1936.....	1,000	300	300,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	July 1, Jan. 1
BONDED DEBT ASSUMED BY ANNEXATION.		Total city.....			\$2,772,500		
Brightwood water works bonds.....	Feb. 15, 1895	Feb. 15, 1910.....	1,000	5	5,000	6	Feb. 15, Aug. 15
Brightwood water works bonds.....	Feb. 15, 1895	Feb. 15, 1915.....	1,000	5	5,000	6	Feb. 15, Aug. 15
Haughville school house bonds.....	July 15, 1895	July 15, 1915.....	300	1	300	5	Jan. 15, July 15
Haughville school house bonds.....	July 15, 1895	July 15, 1915.....	500	1	500	5	Jan. 15, July 15
Haughville school house bonds.....	July 15, 1895	July 15, 1915.....	1,000	12	12,000	5	Jan. 15, July 15
West Indianapolis school house bonds.....	July 1, 1891	\$2,000 ann., July 1.....	1,000	4	4,000	6	Jan. 1, July 1
West Indianapolis school house bonds.....	July 15, 1892	\$1,000 July 15, 1909.....	1,000	1	1,000	6	Jan. 15, July 15
West Indianapolis school house bonds.....	July 15, 1892	\$3,000 July 15, 1910-11-12.....	1,000	9	9,000	6	Jan. 15, July 15
West Indianapolis funding bonds.....	Feb. 5, 1894	\$10,000 ann., Feb. 5, 1908-9.....	1,000	20	20,000	6	Feb. 5, Aug. 5
West Indianapolis funding bonds.....	Mar. 15, 1895	\$1,000 ann., Mar. 15.....	1,000	3	3,000	6	Mar. 15, Sept. 15
West Indianapolis funding bonds.....	July 6, 1896	\$1,000 ann., July 6, from 1912.....	1,000	6	6,000	6	Jan. 6, July 6
West Indianapolis funding bonds.....	Dec. 21, 1896	Dec. 21, 1916.....	1,000	8	8,000	6	June 21, Dec. 21
Irrington school house bonds (Series D).....	Sept. 16, 1899	\$1,000 Sept. 1, 1908.....	500	2	1,000	3 $\frac{55}{100}$	Mar. 1, Sept. 1
Irrington school house bonds (Series D).....	Sept. 16, 1899	\$1,500 Sept. 1, 1909.....	500	3	1,500	3 $\frac{75}{100}$	Mar. 1, Sept. 1
Irrington school house bonds (Series E).....	Aug. 1, 1900	\$1,000 ann., Aug. 1, from 1910.....	1,000	8	8,000	4	Feb. 1, Aug. 1
Total suburban bonds.....					\$84,300		
Total city proper bonds.....					2,772,500		
Grand total.....					\$2,856,800		

TABLE No. 11.

Statement Showing the Maturity by Years of the Bonded Debt.

March 2, 1908.]

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

YEAR.	TITLE OF BONDS.	Date of Maturity.	Amount.	Total.
1908	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1894	Feb. 5.....	\$10,000 00	\$27,000 00
	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1895	Mar. 15.....	1,000 00	
	West Indianapolis school house bonds of 1891.....	July 1.....	2,000 00	
	Emergency bonds of 1901	July 1.....	10,000 00	
	Market house bonds of 1903	July 1.....	3,000 00	
	Irvington school house bonds of 1899	Sept. 1.....	1,000 00	
1909	Refunding bonds of 1899.....	Jan. 1.....	\$110,000 00	162,500 00
	Emergency bonds of 1901	Jan. 1.....	10,000 00	
	Fire Department and City Hospital bonds of 1901.....	Jan. 1.....	14,000 00	
	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1894	Feb. 5.....	10,000 00	
	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1895	Mar. 15.....	1,000 00	
	West Indianapolis school house bonds of 1891.....	July 1.....	2,000 00	
	Emergency bonds of 1901	July 1.....	10,000 00	
	Market house bonds of 1903.....	July 1.....	3,000 00	
	West Indianapolis school house bonds of 1892	July 15.....	1,000 00	
Irvington school house bonds of 1899.....	Sept. 1.....	1,500 00		
1910	Bridge bonds of 1899	Jan. 1.....	\$15,000 00	62,000 00
	Emergency bonds of 1901	Jan. 1.....	10,000 00	
	Fire Department and City Hospital bonds of 1901.....	Jan. 1.....	14,000 00	
	Brightwood waterworks bonds of 1895	Feb. 15.....	5,000 00	
	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1895	Mar. 15.....	1,000 00	
	Emergency bonds of 1901	July 1.....	10,000 00	
	Market house bonds of 1903	July 1.....	3,000 00	
	West Indianapolis school house bonds of 1892	July 15.....	3,000 00	
	Irvington school house bonds of 1900.....	Aug. 1.....	1,000 00	

TABLE No. 11—Continued.

YEAR.	TITLE OF BONDS.	Date of Maturity.	Amount.	Total.
1911	Bridge bonds of 1899	Jan. 1.....	\$15,000 00	\$56,000 00
	Emergency bonds of 1901	Jan. 1.....	10,000 00	
	Fire Department and City Hospital bonds of 1901	Jan. 1.....	14,000 00	
	Emergency bonds of 1901	July 1.....	10,000 00	
	Market house bonds of 1903	July 1.....	3,000 00	
	West Indianapolis school house bonds of 1892.....	July 15.....	3,000 00	
	Irvington school house bonds of 1900.....	Aug. 1.....	1,000 00	
1912	Bridge bonds of 1899	Jan. 1.....	\$15,000 00	36,000 00
	Emergency bonds of 1901	Jan. 1.....	10,000 00	
	Fire Department and City Hospital bonds of 1901	Jan. 1.....	3,000 00	
	Market house bonds of 1903	July 1.....	3,000 00	
	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1896.....	July 6.....	1,000 00	
	West Indianapolis school house bonds of 1892.....	July 15.....	3,000 00	
	Irvington school house bonds of 1900.....	Aug. 1.....	1,000 00	
1913	Bridge bonds of 1899	Jan. 1.....	\$15,000 00	20,000 00
	Market house bonds of 1903	July 1.....	3,000 00	
	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1896.....	July 6.....	1,000 00	
	Irvington school house bonds of 1900.....	Aug. 1.....	1,000 00	
1914	Bridge bonds of 1899	Jan. 1.....	\$15,000 00	17,000 00
	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1896	July 6.....	1,000 00	
	Irvington school house bonds of 1900.....	Aug. 1.....	1,000 00	
1915	Brightwood waterworks bonds of 1895.....	Feb. 15.....	\$5,000 00	219,800 00
	Refunding bonds (Series D) of 1895	July 1.....	200,000 00	
	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1896.....	July 6.....	1,000 00	
	Haughville school house bonds of 1895	July 15.....	12,800 00	
	Irvington school house bonds of 1900	Aug. 1.....	1,000 00	

March 2, 1908.]

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

1916	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1896.....	July	6.....	\$1,000 00	10,000 00
	Irvington school house bonds of 1900.....	Aug.	1.....	1,000 00	
	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1896.....	Dec.	21.....	8,000 00	
1917	West Indianapolis funding bonds of 1896.....	July	6.....	\$1,000 00	2,000 00
	Irvington school house bonds of 1900.....	Aug.	1.....	1,000 00	
1924	Bridge bonds of 1903.....	Jan.	1.....	\$65,000 00	1,199,500 00
	Indianapolis flood bonds of 1904.....	Jan.	1.....	125,000 00	
	Indianapolis Southern Park purchase of 1894.....	Jan.	26.....	109,500 00	
	Indianapolis refunding bonds of 1894.....	Mar.	1.....	600,000 00	
	Indianapolis refunding bonds of 1894 (Series C).....	June	30.....	300,000 00	
1925	Refunding bonds of 1905.....	July	1.....	\$45,000 00	45,000 00
1927	Park improvement bonds of 1897.....	Jan.	1.....	\$350,000 00	500,000 00
	Public safety bonds of 1897.....	Jan.	1.....	150,000 00	
1933	Boulevard bonds of 1903.....	May	1.....	\$100,000 00	100,000 00
1936	City Hospital improvements bonds of 1906.....	Jan.	1.....	\$100,000 00	400,000 00
	City Hall bonds of 1906.....	July	1.....	300,000 00	
Total.....				\$2,856,800 00	

STATE OF INDIANA, MARION COUNTY, SS:

I, George T. Breunig, Controller of the City of Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana, being first duly sworn, upon my oath say that the foregoing is a full, true and correct report of the revenues, receipts and expenditures of said city, and of the sources from which the revenues and funds were derived, for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1907, as I verily believe.

GEO. T. BREUNIG.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of March 1908.

[SEAL.]

JOHN B. WOOD,
Notary Public.

My commission expires December 31, 1909.

From Board of Public Works:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
OFFICE OF THE BOARD.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 28, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I am directed by the Board of Public Works to forward to your honorable body, for consideration and action thereon, the attached ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to proceed with the improvement of Pine street, from Market street to North street, with brick roadway and curb, as provided for by I. R. No. 5439.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.
F. J. NOLL, JR.,
Clerk.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

From the Committee on Contracts and Franchises:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Contracts and Franchises, to which was referred General Ordinance No. 41, 1907, begs leave to report that it

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has had same under consideration and recommends that said ordinance do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

E. J. STICKELMAN.
JACOB H. HILKENE.
OTTO HOFMANN.
JOHN F. WOOD.
JAS. F. SULLIVAN.
CHAS. L. HARTMANN.
J. H. HAMLET.

Mr. Stickelman moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee, to which was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 8, 1908, entitled "An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$3,000.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Health and Charities and fixing a time when the shall take effect," begs leave to report that it has had the same under consideration and recommends that said ordinance do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. ROYSE.
BENJ. A. BROWN.
JOHN L. DONAVON.
W. O. BANGS.
H. C. SMITHER.
W. A. RHODES.

Mr. Royse moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee, to which was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 4, 1908, entitled "An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$250.00 to the Department of Finance for the codification of certain laws and ordinances, and fixing the time when the same shall take effect,"

begs leave to report that it has had the same under consideration and recommends that said ordinance do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. ROYSE.
 BENJ. A. BROWN.
 JOHN L. DONAVON.
 W. O. BANGS.
 H. C. SMITHER.
 W. A. RHODES.

Mr. Royse moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee, to which was referred General Ordinance No. 74, 1907, entitled "An ordinance amending Section 4 of an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance concerning the compensation of all officers, heads of departments, clerks, assistants and employes of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and repealing all ordinances in conflict herewith,'" being General Ordinance No. 32, 1907, approved May 16, 1907, begs leave to report that it has had the same under consideration and recommends that said ordinance do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. ROYSE.
 BENJ. A. BROWN.
 JOHN L. DONAVON.
 W. O. BANGS.
 H. C. SMITHER.
 W. A. RHODES.

Mr. Royse moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee, to which was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 5, 1908, entitled "An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$9,000.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Works, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect," begs leave to report that it has had said ordinance under consideration and recommends that said ordinance be amended by striking out the figures "\$9,000.00" in the title of said ordinance and inserting in lieu thereof the figures following, to-wit: "\$1,500.00," and also that said ordinance be amended by striking out the words and figures "Nine thousand (\$9,000.00)" in line two of section

one of said ordinance and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures following, to-wit: "Fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00)," and that after being so amended your committee recommends that said ordinance do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. ROYSE.
 BENJ. A. BROWN.
 JOHN L. DONAVON.
 W. O. BANGS.
 H. C. SMITHER.
 W. A. RHODES,

Mr. Royse moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee, to which was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 22, 1907, entitled "An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$2,514.93 to and for the use of the Department of Public Parks, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect," begs leave to report that it has had the same under consideration and recommends that said ordinance be amended by striking out the word "Parks" in the title thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Works," and also by striking out the word "Parks" in line 4 of Section 1 of said ordinance and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Works," and after being so amended your Finance Committee recommends that said ordinance do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. ROYSE.
 BENJAMIN A. BROWN,
 JOHN L. DONAVON,
 W. O. BANGS.
 H. C. SMITHER.
 W. A. RHODES.

Mr. Royse moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee, to which was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 7, 1908, entitled "An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$3,600.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Works,

and fixing a time when the same shall take effect," begs leave to report that it has had the same under consideration and recommends that said ordinance do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. ROYSE,
BENJAMIN A. BROWN,
JOHN L. DONAVON,
W. O. BANGS,
H. C. SMITHER,
W. A. RHODES.

Mr. Royse moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee, to which was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 6, 1908, entitled "An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$65,000.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Works, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect," begs leave to report that it has had said ordinance under consideration and recommends that said ordinance be amended by striking out the figures "\$65,000.00" in the title thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000.00," and also by striking out the words and figures following, to-wit: "Sixty-five thousand (\$65,000.00)" in lines two and three of Section 1 of said ordinance and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures following, to-wit: "Twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00)," and after being so amended your committee recommends that said ordinance do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. ROYSE,
BENJAMIN A. BROWN,
JOHN L. DONAVON,
W. O. BANGS,
H. C. SMITHER,
W. A. RHODES.

Mr. Royse moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Public Health:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred

Resolution No. 1, 1908, beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration and recommend that said resolution do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

OTTO HOFMANN,
E. J. STICKELMAN.
THEO. PORTEUS.

Mr. Stickelman moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Public Property and Improvement:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Public Property and Improvement, to which was referred General Ordinance No. 15, 1908, entitled "An ordinance authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to improve St. Clair street, from east property line of Highland avenue to C., C., C. & St. L. Ry. tracks, with brick roadway and curbing," begs leave to report that it has had the same under consideration and recommends that the same do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

B. A. BROWN.
HARRY E. ROYSE.
J. L. DONAVON.

Mr. Brown moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Public Safety and Comfort:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Public Safety and Comfort, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 10, 1908, entitled "An ordinance prohibiting the manufacture, storage and sale of certain explosives and inflammable products," having had the same under consideration, return the same herewith and recommend the following amendments thereto:

That Section 1 be amended to read as hereinafter set out.

That after the word "structure" in Section 2 the following words be inserted: "or each day's storage of such gas, in violation of the provisions of Section 1 hereof."

That Section 3 be amended to read as hereinafter set out.

That said ordinance so amended read as follows:

An ordinance prohibiting the manufacture, storage and sale of certain explosives and inflammable products.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana: That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to construct, maintain or operate any building, structure or appurtenance thereto, within the corporate limits of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, for the manufacture and compression of any gas from calcium carbide, or for the storage of said gas in any tank, holder, or other storage reservoir having a cubical capacity greater than five (5) cubic feet, unless said building, structure or appurtenance thereto shall be located so as to be at least fifty (50) feet from any public highway and at least sixty (60) feet from the line of any abutting property.

SEC. 2. Any person, firm or corporation violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$50.00 for each violation thereof, and each day's maintenance and operation of such plant or structure of each day's storage of such gas, in violation of the provisions of Section 1 hereof, shall be deemed a separate violation of this ordinance.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall take effect on May 1, 1908, after publication for two consecutive weeks in the Indianapolis Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Indianapolis.

J. H. HAMLET.
ALBERT E. COTTEY.
OTTO HOFMANN.
L. F. HENRY.
BENJ. A. BROWN.

Mr. Royse moved that further action on the report of the committee be deferred until the next regular meeting. Carried.

From the Committee on Sewers, Streets and Alleys:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 2, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Sewers, Streets and Alleys, to whom General Ordinance No. 3, entitled "An ordinance authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to improve Belmont avenue, from the south property line of Washington street to the Vandalia Railroad tracks, with graded roadway and walks," has had same under consideration and recommends that same do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT E. UHL,
CHAS. L. HARTMANN,
THEO. PORTEUS,
CHAS. G. DAVIS,
ALBERT E. COTTEY.

Mr. Uhl moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES.

By City Controller:

Appropriation Ordinance No. 9—1908: An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$2,350.00, to and for the use of the Department of Public Works, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That the sum of two thousand three hundred fifty (\$2,350.00) dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated to and for the use of the Department of Public Works, to be used in the payment of the assessment made against the City of Indianapolis on account of the opening and widening of West Michigan street.

SEC. 2. This ordinance to be in force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

By City Controller:

Appropriation Ordinance No. 10—1908: An ordinance providing for the appropriation of \$8,000.00, to and for the use of the Department of Public Works, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated to and for the use of the Department of Public Works, such sum herein appropriated to be added to the appropriation known and designated as "Assessments, payment of."

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDINANCES.

By Board of Public Works:

General Ordinance No. 20—1908: An ordinance authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to improve Pine street from Market street to North street, with brick roadway and curbing.

WHEREAS, The Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, did on the 15th day of January, 1908, adopt Improvement Resolution No. 5439, 1908, for the improvement of Pine street, from the north property line of Market street to the south property line of North street, with asphalt roadway, brick gutters and curbing; and

WHEREAS, The said Board of Public Works did at the same time fix the 3rd day of February, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., as a date to hear all persons interested or whose property is affected by said proposed improvement; and the notice of the passage of said resolution and of the said time for hearing was published on the 16th day of January, 1908, and the 23rd day of January, 1908, in the Indianapolis Sun, a daily newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the City of Indianapolis, and notices by mail duly forwarded as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, On the day fixed for hearing, the Board postponed further action, pending investigation of petitions filed; and

WHEREAS, On the 14th day of February, 1908, the Board having met in regular session, took final action on said Improvement Resolution, modifying same so as to provide for brick roadway and curbing; and

WHEREAS, On the 22nd day of February, 1908, a written remonstrance was filed with the Board against the said improvement of Pine street, and the same was referred to the City Civil Engineer for investigation and report; and

WHEREAS, On the 28th day of February, 1908, the City Civil Engineer filed his written report, stating that a majority of the resident property owners had signed said remonstrance; and

WHEREAS, On the 28th day of February, 1908, the said Board of Public Works directed that said resolution be referred to the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, with a request that said Council pass an ordinance authorizing and empowering the said Board of Public Works to make said improvement in accordance with said resolution; now, therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, that the Board of Public Works of said city be, and the same is hereby, authorized and empowered to improve Pine street, from the north property line of Market street to the south property line of North street, with brick roadway and curbing, in accordance with Improvement Resolution No. 5439, 1908, adopted by the Board of Public Works on the 15th day of January, 1908.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Property and Improvement.

By City Controller:

General Ordinance No. 21—1908: An ordinance supplemental to General Ordinance No. 116, 1907, entitled "An ordinance for the transfer of certain public funds heretofore appropriated to the Department of Public Works," approved January 6, 1908, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That General Ordinance No. 116, 1907, entitled "An

ordinance for the transfer of certain public funds heretofore appropriated to the Department of Public Works," approved January 6, 1908, be and the same is, hereby so changed as to give authority to the Department of Public Works to use the unexpended balance of the appropriation made in said ordinance for installing a new elevator, or so much thereof as may be necessary; for changing the electric wiring system, putting in new switch boards, etc., at the City Hospital; and that said Department of Public Works be, and is hereby, authorized to use the sum of two hundred fourteen dollars and ninety-three cents (\$214.93) out of the \$500.00 appropriation made in said ordinance for plumbing in the new boiler house, for the payment of a new scale for weighing coal, etc.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

By City Controller:

General Ordinance No. 22—1908: An ordinance providing for the transfer and re-appropriation of the sum of \$45,000.00, heretofore appropriated to the Department of Public Works, to and for the use of the Department of Public Parks, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That the sum of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000) out of the unexpended moneys heretofore under and by Appropriation Ordinance No. 21, 1906, and Appropriation Ordinance No. 3, 1907, appropriated to the Board of Public Works to be expended for the construction of a City Hall building, containing offices for the several departments of the city government, and an auditorium suitable for public meetings of the citizens of the City of Indianapolis, on land belonging to the City of Indianapolis, lying between Delaware street, Market street, Alabama street and Wabash street, be and the same is hereby transferred and re-appropriated as a fund to be expended by the Board of Park Commissioners of said city in acquiring, either by purchase or condemnation, or both, land suitably located for additions to the present boulevard system, and in improving the same, and for such other work of park or boulevard improvement as said Board shall deem necessary.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Stickelman:

General Ordinance No. 23—1908: An ordinance fixing the salary of janitors at the Police Station.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of In-

dianapolis, Indiana, That the janitors at the police station shall each receive a salary at the rate of fifty-five (\$55.00) dollars per month.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

By Mr. Rhodes:

General Ordinance No. 24—1908: An ordinance regulating roller skating rinks.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, maintaining, operating or carrying on any skating rink for roller skating within the City of Indianapolis, to permit or allow any young man under twenty-one (21) years of age or any young woman under eighteen (18) years of age, to use said skating rink, or attend or be present in such skating rink, on any day or evening after the hour of six (6) o'clock p. m.

SEC. 2. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, for each offense, be fined in any sum not exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication once each week for two consecutive weeks in the Indianapolis Sun, a newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Indianapolis.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

By Mr. Royse:

General Ordinance No. 25—1908: An ordinance amending Clause b of Section 5 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance concerning compensation of all officers, heads of departments, clerks, assistants, and employes of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and repealing all ordinances in conflict herewith," being General Ordinance No. 32, 1907, approved May 16th, 1907.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That Clause b of Section 5 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance concerning the compensation of all officers, heads of departments, clerks, assistants, and employes of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and repealing all ordinances in conflict therewith," being General Ordinance No. 32, 1907, approved May 16th, 1907, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 5, Clause b. For the City Civil Engineer's force:

The City Civil Engineer shall receive a salary at the rate of twenty-five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars per annum.

The assistant City Civil Engineers, two in number, shall each receive a salary at the rate of fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars per annum.

The deputies or transistmen in charge of engineering corps shall each receive a salary at the rate of twelve hundred (\$1,200.00) dollars per annum.

The chief clerk to the City Civil Engineer shall receive a salary at the rate of thirteen hundred and twenty (\$1,320.00) dollars per annum.

The assistant clerks and the stenographer shall each receive a salary at the rate of eight hundred and forty (\$840.00) dollars per annum.

The draftsmen shall each receive a salary at the rate of twelve hundred (\$1,200.00) dollars per annum.

The chemist in charge of the laboratory shall receive a salary at the rate of nine hundred and sixty (\$960.00) dollars per annum.

The rodmen shall each receive a salary at the rate of eight hundred and forty (\$840.00) dollars per annum.

The chainmen shall each receive a salary at the rate of eight hundred and forty (\$840.00) dollars per annum.

The chief inspector shall receive a salary at the rate of eleven hundred (\$1,100.00) dollars per annum.

The assistant chief inspector shall receive a salary at the rate of nine hundred (\$900.00) dollars per annum.

The inspectors shall each receive a salary at the rate of eight hundred and forty (\$840.00) dollars per annum.

The City Civil Engineer in addition to his regular salary shall receive for his services in work of track elevation a salary at the rate of twelve hundred (\$1,200.00) dollars per annum.

The clerk to the City Civil Engineer engaged on work of track elevation shall receive a salary at the rate of nine hundred (\$900.00) dollars per annum.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

By Mr. Stickelman:

Special Ordinance No. 3—1908: An ordinance providing a name for the alley running north from East Tenth street to Sixteenth street, between Park avenue and Broadway.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That the alley running north from East Tenth street to Sixteenth street, between Park avenue and Broadway, be and the same is hereby designated as and given the name of Myron street.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By President Neukom:

FEBRUARY 26, 1908.

DEAR SIR: The attached resolution was unanimously adopted by the regular Monday meeting of the Methodist Ministers' Association, February 24, 1908. According to the provision of the resolution I take great pleasure in enclosing to you the same.

Sincerely,

FRANK F. LEWIS,
476 Arlington ave.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 26, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

WHEREAS, The Chief of Police has announced his intention to ask the City Council to pass an ordinance covering skating rinks, similar to the one governing dance halls, which forbids all males under twenty-one and all females under eighteen years of age visiting dance halls after night, except under escort; and

WHEREAS, The chief is further reported as saying, "About every night the desk sergeants receive complaints from anxious parents about their sons and daughters failing to return from the skating rink. I find that several of the rinks are largely patronized after night by children of tender years. They stay in most cases until the lights are turned off. If the youngsters do not get home when the parents expect them, then the police have to chase out and find them. The ordinance fixing an age limit on dancing should have a partner in another ordinance covering skating rinks. It is getting to be a serious evil to have children on the streets so late, and I desire to have it stopped if I can."

This language from Chief Metzger will certainly arouse interest and alarm on the part of those having in charge the moral interests of the city.

Therefore, resolved, That we most heartily commend the action of the Chief of Police in his effort to guard the child life of the city, and thus prevent many of them from being led into evil, and further we strongly urge the City Council to pass such an ordinance as that named above, the need of which is so keenly felt by the police authorities.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Chief of Police and also to the President of the City Council.

FRANK F. LEWIS,
Secretary,
476 Arlington Avenue.

Mr. Royle moved that the communication be referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries. Carried.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Stickelman called for General Ordinance No. 41, 1907, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Stickelman moved that General Ordinance No. 41, 1907, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 41, 1907, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 19, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Hofmann, Hilke, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, none.

Mr. Royse called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 8, 1908, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Royse moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 8, 1908, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 8, 1908, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 19, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Hofmann, Hilke, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, none.

Mr. Royse called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 4, 1908, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Royse moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 4, 1908, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 4, 1908, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 19, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Hofmann, Hilkené, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, none.

Mr. Royse called for General Ordinance No. 74, 1907, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Royse moved that General Ordinance No. 74, 1907, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 74, 1907, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 21, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilkené, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, none.

Mr. Royse called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 5, 1908, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Royse moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 5, 1908, be amended as recommended by the committee. Carried.

Mr. Royse moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 5, 1908, be ordered engrossed as amended, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 5, 1908, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 21, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilkene, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, none.

Mr. Royse called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 22, 1907, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Royse moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 22, 1907, be amended as recommended by the committee. Carried.

Mr. Royse moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 22, 1907, be ordered engrossed as amended, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 22, 1907, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 21, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilkene, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, none.

Mr. Royse called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 7, 1908, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Royse moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 7, 1908, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 7, 1908, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 21, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilken, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, none.

Mr. Royse called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 6, 1908, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Royse moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 6, 1908, be amended as recommended by the committee. Carried.

Mr. Royse moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 6, 1908, be ordered engrossed as amended, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 6, 1908, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 21, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilken, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, none.

Mr. Stickelman called for Resolution No. 1, 1908, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Stickelman moved the resolution be adopted.

The roll was called and Resolution No. 1, 1908, was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, 20, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilken, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, 1, viz.: Mr. Hamlet.

Mr. Brown called for General Ordinance No. 15, 1908, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Brown moved that General Ordinance No. 15, 1908, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 15, 1908, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 21, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Davis, Eppert, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilken, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

Noes, none.

Mr. Uhl called for General Ordinance No. 3, 1908, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Uhl moved that General Ordinance No. 3, 1908, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 3, 1908, was read a third time and failed to pass by the following vote:

Ayes, 8, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Davis, Eppert, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann and Portteus.

Noes, 13, viz.: Messrs. Hamlet, Wood, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Royle, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilkene, Wright, Henry and President William J. Neukom.

On motion of Mr. Davis, the Common Council at 9:10 o'clock P. M., adjourned.

W. J. Neukom

President.

ATTEST:

James M. Neulty

City Clerk.

