

# PROCEEDINGS OF COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR SESSION—NOVEMBER 4, 1889.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, met in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, November 4th, A. D. 1889, at 7:30 o'clock, in regular session.

**PRESENT**—Hon. Caleb S. Denny, Mayor, and *ex officio* President of the Common Council in the Chair, and 19 members, viz: Councilmen Burns, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gaspar, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**ABSENT**, 6—viz: Councilmen Coy, Finch, Kelley, Markey, O'Connor, and Swain.

The Proceedings of the Common Council for the regular session held October 21st, 1889, having been printed and placed on the desks of the Councilmen, said Journals were approved as published.

## OPENING AND REFERRING SEALED PROPOSALS FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Sealed proposals for the following street improvements were opened, read, and referred to the Committee on Contracts:

For grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of North street and the sidewalks thereof, and laying a twenty-four (24) inch sewer pipe line in the center of the roadway, from Meridian street to Illinois street.

Councilman Pearson moved that the Committee be requested to report on the above proposal at this session, if possible.

Which was adopted.

## COMMUNICATIONS, ETC., FROM THE MAYOR.

His Honor, the Mayor, submitted the following report; which was received:

*Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 29, 1889.*

To the Hon. Mayor DENNY:

DEAR SIR:—The Soldiers of Indianapolis have arranged for a Memorial Service for the late Governor Morton, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on Tuesday, November 5th, 1889. It is the anniversary of the burial of the distinguished War Governor of Indiana, and a marble bust is to be set up in Crown Hill Cemetery on the occasion, and at which place the ceremonies will take place.

The committee in charge extend to you and through you to the honorable Board of Aldermen and Common Council of the city, a cordial invitation to be present on the occasion, and assist us in paying a tribute to the memory of the "Soldiers' Friend."

D. R. LUCAS, Sec'y.

On behalf of the Committee,

O. R. WEAVER, Ch'n.

#### REPORTS, ETC., FROM CITY OFFICERS.

The City Clerk submitted the following report; which was read and received:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—I herewith submit an itemized statement showing the amount of orders drawn upon the city treasury during the month of October, 1889, viz:

Board of Health.....	\$ 382 06
City Civil Engineer's Department.....	396 80
City Commissioners.....	45 00
City Dispensary.....	327 24
City Hall.....	9 50
City Hospital and Branch.....	1,363 10
City Hospital and Branch—(special).....	140 00
Electric Light.....	501 80
Fire Department—accounts.....	612 58
Fire Department—pay-rolls.....	5,504 00
Fountains and pumps.....	9 75
Garfield Park.....	76 14
Gas.....	3,548 56
Illinois street tunnel.....	60 00
Incidentals.....	291 50
Interest.....	1,076 85
Markets.....	203 65
Parks.....	631 50
Police.....	5,545 10
Printing.....	756 27
Public charity.....	50 00
Salary.....	6,018 18
Station House.....	159 34
Sewers.....	1,425 80
Street Improvements.....	3,529 31
Street repair—accounts.....	1,591 88
Street repairs—pay-rolls.....	3,804 90
Tomlinson Hall—accounts.....	54 59
Tomlinson Hall—Janitors.....	150 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 38,265 38</b>

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. W. BOWLUS, City Clerk.

The City Clerk submitted the following report:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—I herewith report the following entitled affidavits, now on file in the office of the City Clerk, for the collection of street improvement assessments by precepts, to-wit:

Thos. Wren vs. Bridget and Riley Keefe, for.....	\$15 45
Thos. Wren vs. John O. Sullivan, for.....	11 35
Thos. Wren vs. Catharine Dugan, for.....	20 95
Thos. Wren vs. Abel D. Streight, for.....	90 75
R. P. Dunning vs. Wm D. Murphy.....	23 20

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. W. BOWLUS, City Clerk

Which report was received, and the precepts ordered to issue, by the following vote :

AYES, 18—viz: Councilmen Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

NAYS, 1—viz: Councilmen Burns.

The City Civil Engineer submitted the following report; which was received, and the estimates (presented therewith) approved :

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen :

Gentlemen.—I herewith report the following estimates of work done according to contract :

A first and final estimate in behalf of Cooper & Haywood, for grading and paving with brick the south sidewalk of Pratt street, from Meridian street to Illinois street.

293 lineal feet, at 31 cents.....	\$ 90 83
31 lineal feet of walk-stone, at 58 cents.....	17 98
19 square yards of bowldered wings, at 50 cents.....	9 50
	\$118 31

A first and final estimate in behalf of Wm. F. Gansberg, for grading and graveling Frank street and sidewalks, from Jefferson street to Prospect street.

1,236 lineal feet, at 87 cents.....	\$1,075 31
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A first and final estimate in behalf of Roney & Dunning, for grading and graveling Raymoud street and sidewalks, from the west line of East street to the east line of Singleton street.

780 lineal feet, at 44 cents.....	\$343 20
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A first and final estimate in behalf of Jas. E. Twiname & Co., for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters Ohio street, from Mississippi street to the Canal.

906.00 lineal feet of curb, at 40 cents.....	\$362 60
846.00 lineal feet of bowldered gutter, at 54 cents.....	456 82
46.50 lineal feet of walk-stone, at 57 cents.....	26 50
48.60 lineal feet of curb re-set, at 7 cents.....	3 40
97.66 square yards of bowldered wings, at 60 cents.....	58 60
22.00 square yards of bowlders re-laid, at 25 cents.....	5 50
	\$913 42

A first and final estimate in behalf of Laakmann & Scherrer, for grading and paving with cement the sidewalks on the east and north sides of Military Park.

1,510.10 lineal feet of walk, at \$1.04.....	\$1,575 70
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A first and final estimate in behalf of Wm. F. Gansberg, for grading and bowldering the first ailey north of Louisiana street, from East street to New Jersey street.

844 lineal feet, at 44 cents.....	\$337 60
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A first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Seibert, for grading and graveling the first alley east of East street, from Gresham street to Morton street.

600 lineal feet, at 23 cents.....	\$138 00
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A first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Seibert, for grading and graveling the first alley south of Gresham street, from the first alley east of East street to Gray street.

946 lineal feet, at 18 cents.....	\$170 28
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A first and final estimate in behalf of Cooper & Haywood, for grading, bowlder-

ing and curbing the north gutter of Second street, from Meridian street to Illinois street.

459.00 lineal feet of bowldered gutter, at 38 cents.....	\$174 42
494.00 lineal feet of curbing, at 40 cents .....	197 60
22 40 lineal feet of double walk-stone, at 58 cents. ....	13 00
9.60 lineal feet of extra bowldered gutters, at 38 cents..	3 64
26.53 square yards of bowldered wings, at 50 cents.....	13 26
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	\$401 92

A first and final estimate in behalf of Cooper & Haywood, for grading, bowlder-ing and curbing the north gutter of Second street, and paving with brick the side-walk thereof, from Illinois street to Tennessee street.

434.50 lineal feet of bowldered gutter, at 38 cents.....	\$165 11
440.50 lineal feet of curbing, at 40 cents.....	176 20
16.00 lineal feet of walk-stone, at 58 cents.....	9 28
209.00 lineal feet of brick walk, at 30 cents.....	62 70
19.62 square yards of bowldered wings, at 50 cents.....	9 81
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	\$423 10

A first and final estimate in behalf of Henry Clay, for grading and graveling the first alley south of Twelfth street, from Meridian street to the first alley west of Meridian street.

403.50 lineal feet, at 25 cents.....	\$100 88
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A first and final estimate in behalf of Fisher & Roney, for grading and paving with brick the east sidewalk of New Jersey street, from Washington street to Mar-ket street.

403.30 lineal feet, at 65 cents.....	\$262 14
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Respectfully submitted,

A. P. SHAWVER, City Civil Engineer

The following estimate resolution was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Fisher & Roney, for grading and paving with brick the east sidewalk of New Jersey street, from Wash-ington street to Market street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

**AYES**, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The following estimate resolution was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Henry Clay, for grad-ing and graveling the first alley south of Twelfth street, from Meridian street to the first alley west of Meridian street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.



And it was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Cooper & Haywood, for grading, bowldering and curbing the north gutter of Second street, and paving with brick the sidewalk thereof, from Illinois street to Tennessee street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Cooper & Haywood, for grading, bowldering and curbing the north gutter of Second street from Meridian street to Illinois street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Seibert, for grading and graveling the first alley south of Gresham street, from the first alley east of East street to Gray street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The following estimate resolution was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Seibert, for grading and graveling the first alley east of East street, from Gresham street to Morton street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

AYES, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Wm. F. Gansberg, for grading and bowldering the first alley north of Louisiana street, from East street to New Jersey street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

AYES, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Laakmann & Scherrer, for grading and paving with cement the sidewalks on the east and north sides of Military Park, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

AYES, 19—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of James E. Twiname & Co., for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of Ohio street, from Mississippi street to the Canal, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

**AYES**, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Roney & Dunning, for grading and graveling Raymond street and sidewalks, from the west line of East street to the east line of Singleton street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Wm. F. Gansberg, for grading and graveling Frank street and sidewalks, from Jefferson street to Prospect street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Cooper & Haywood, for grading and paving with brick the south sidewalk of Pratt street, from Meridian street to Illinois street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 20—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Gasper, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, Markey, McClelland, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The City Civil Engineer submitted the following report; which was read, and the contract and bond approved:



To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen:*—I herewith submit the contract and bond of The Western Paving & Supply Company, for grading and paving with Filbert Vulca ite Asphaltic Pavement, the roadway, and curbing the gutters thereof, of Court street, from Pennsylvania street to Delaware street. Bond, \$2,000; sureties, A. H. Perkins, W. D. Hitchcock, V. W. Foster and S. H. Shearer.

In connection with this bond, I desire to submit for your information, the following letters from the Indiana National Bank and Fletcher's Bank, relative to the individual responsibility of the above company and bondsmen.

Respectfully submitted, A. P. SHAWVER, City Civil Engineer.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 2d, 1889.

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis :

*Gentlemen:*—From information we have received relative to the responsibility of The Western Paving & Supply Company, of Chicago, and the parties who compose the company, we are led to believe that a bond given by them would be good for three hundred and fifty thousand (\$350,000) dollars. This is thought to be a conservative estimate.

Very respectfully,

THE INDIANAPOLIS NATIONAL BANK,  
By V. T. MALOTT, Pres't.

Indianapolis, Aug. 29, 1889.

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis :

*Gentlemen:*—From information in our possession, we are led to believe that a bond signed by The Western Paving & Supply Company—W. D. Hitchcock, Amos H. Perkins and V. W. Foster—would be good for four hundred thousand dollars.

Yours respectfully, S. A. FLETCHER & Co.

The City Attorney submitted the following report, which was read; and on motion of Councilman Cummings, that part relating to the viaduct, laid over until the next meeting of the Council :

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen:*—I submit to you a report of matters in my Department since your last meeting :

1st. The Supreme Court has affirmed the decision of the Circuit Court in the cases of Charles H. Bush vs. The City of Indianapolis, and William Moore vs. The City of Indianapolis. These cases involved the constitutionality of the \$250 liquor law of 1889; and the Moore case especially raised the question of the validity of the ordinance imposing the \$250 license fee provided for in said act. The opinions of Judges Coffey and Mitchell, and concurred in by the full bench, appeared in the daily papers, and sustained both the Act of the Legislature and the ordinance of the city. The result is that all of the money already paid in on these licenses, will be retained, and about \$34,000 in bank, deposited to await the decision in these cases, will also be immediately paid into the city treasury.

2d. In accordance with your instructions, I have prepared the necessary papers for entering suit to compel the Union Railway Company to build a viaduct on the alley between Meridian and Pennsylvania streets; but to day Messrs. John T. Dye and Edward Daniels, Attorneys for the Indianapolis Union Railway Company, had a conference with the Mayor and myself, the result of which was that they agreed to recommend to the Union Railway Company to immediately advertise for bids for the construction of the proposed viaduct; and this afternoon wrote to Mr. Ingalls, President of said company, advising him to cause bids to be immediately advertised for for the construction of said viaduct.

Therefore, unless otherwise ordered, I shall consider this, for the present, at least, a compliance with the order of your honorable bodies.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. L. TAYLOR, City Attorney.



Councilman Hicklin presented the following petition; which was referred to the City Attorney :

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 30, 1889.

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis :

*Gentlemen:*—The undersigned, owners of real estate and merchants occupying buildings as tenants on Meridian street, petition your honorable bodies to take no action looking to the closing of Meridian street at the new Union Station.

They respectfully represent that if Meridian street is closed, it will greatly damage them; that it will materially reduce the value of real estate, and greatly obstruct and interfere with the business on said street. Wherefore your petitioners pray that Meridian street be left open to wagon and foot travel and passage as it now is. The unobstructed passage over the Union Railway Company's tracks on Meridian street, is a matter of great importance to them, and your petitioners hereby protest against the closing or obstructing of said Meridian street in any manner.

Respectfully submitted,

Fahney & McCrea, 33 feet; A. B. Conduitt, 45 feet; F. Stout & Son, 32 feet; Geo. W. Stout, 32 feet; Geo. W. Linder, 22½ feet; John Faehr, 27 feet; Mathias Harth, 50 feet, south of tracks; L. S. Ayres, 62 feet, north; Wm. Henderson, Attorney, 60 feet; Henry Schnull, 113 feet—and 25 others.

REPORTS, ETC., FROM THE COMMITTEE ON CONTRACTS.

The Committee on Contracts, through Councilman Darnell, submitted the following report; which was concurred in :

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Adlermen :

*Gentlemen:*—Your Committee on Contracts, to whom were referred the proposals received October 17, 1889, have examined the same, and find them to be as follows:

1. For grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Clifford avenue, from Jefferson avenue to a point 135 feet west of Tecumseh street.

Price per lineal foot front.

Name of bidder.	Paving.	Walk-stone.	Bowldered Wings.
James E. Twiname & Co.	57 cents	75 cents	74 cents
Fisher & Roney	52 cents	70 cents	70 cents
Geo. W. Buchanan	39 cents	69 cents	69 cents

Geo. W. Buchanaa being the lowest and best bidder, recommend he be awarded the contract.

2. For grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of Huron street, and widening the sidewalks thereof, from Pine street to Grove street.

Price per lineal foot front on each side.

Name of bidder.	Bowldering.	Curbing.	Walk-stone.	Wings.
Jas. E. Twiname & Co.	57 cts	49 cts	75 cts	74 cts
Fisher & Roney	55 ctf	48 cts	70 cts	70 cts

Fisher & Roney being the lowest and best bidders, recommend they be awarded the contract.

3. For constructing a brick sewer three and one-half feet internal diameter, from the corner of Vermont and East streets south in and along East street to New York street; thence west in and along New York street to and connecting with the sewer at New Jersey street, with the requisite number of man-holes and catch-basins.

Price per lineal foot.

Name of bidder.	Sewer.	Man-hole.	Catch-basin.
Fisher & Roney.....	\$4 00.....	\$35 00.....	\$58 00.....
Jas. E. Twiname & Co....	3 30.....	30 00.....	50 00.....
A. Bruner.....	2 95.....	30 00.....	50 00.....
Roney & Dunning.....	2 94.....	24 00.....	45 00.....
The Nelson & Cleary Co..	2 95.....	24 00.....	44 00.....
Fulmer, Cooper & Co.....	2 93.....	24 00.....	45 00.....

Fulmer, Cooper & Co. being the lowest and best bidders, recommend they be awarded the contract.

4. For constructing a brick sewer two and one-half feet internal diameter, in and along Pennsylvania street, from Home avenue to Seventh street, with the requisite number of man-holes and catch-basins.

Price per lineal foot.

Name of bidder.	Sewer.	Man-hole.	Catch-basin.
Fisher & Roney.....	\$3 50.....	\$40 00.....	\$60 00.....
James E. Twiname & Co..	2 65.....	30 00.....	50 00.....
A. Bruner.....	2 45.....	30 00.....	50 00.....
The Nelson & Cleary Co..	2 45.....	24 00.....	44 00.....
Fulmer, Cooper & Co.....	2 39.....	23 00.....	44 00.....
Roney & Dunning.....	2 35.....	28 00.....	45 00.....

Roney & Dunning being the lowest and best bidders, recommend they be awarded the contract.

5. For grading and paving with brick the west sidewalk of Shelby street, from Virginia avenue to the first alley north of Roll street, where not already bricked.

Price per lineal foot front.

Name of bidder.	Graveling & Paving.	Walk-stone.	Wings.
Jas. E. Twiname & Co..	46 cents.....	75 cents.....	74 cents.....
Jos. Bernauer.....	45 cents.....	61 cents.....	61 cents.....
Fulmer, Cooper & Co.....	44 cents.....	60 cents.....	58 cents.....
Roney & Dunning.....	38 cents.....	70 cents.....	65 cents.....

Roney & Dunning being the lowest and best bidders, recommend they be awarded the contract.

6. For grading and graveling Jeck street, and paving with brick the sidewalks, from Shelby street to Barth avenue.

Price per lineal foot front on each side.

Name of bidder.	Graveling.	Paving.	Walk-stone.	Wings.
W. B. McCray.....	94 cts.....	.. cts.....	.. cts.....	.. cts.....
Fulmer, Cooper & Co.....	87 cts.....	44 cts.....	.. cts.....	.. cts.....
Jas. E. Twiname & Co.....	86 cts.....	49 cts.....	75 cts.....	75 cts.....
Robert Kennington.....	75 cts.....	45 cts.....	70 cts.....	65 cts.....

Robert Kennington being the lowest and best bidder, recommend he be awarded the contract.

7. For grading and graveling Barth avenue, and paving with brick the sidewalks, from Orange street to Roll street.

Price per lineal foot front on each side.

Name of bidder.	Graveling.	Paving.	Walk-stone.	Wings.
Fulmer, Cooper & Co.....	\$1 22.....	44 cts.....	.. cts.....	.. cts.....
Robert Kennington.....	1 15.....	45 cts.....	75 cts.....	75 cts.....
Wm. F. Gansberg.....	99.....	57 cts.....	75 cts.....	77 cts.....
Jas. E. Twiname & Co.....	95.....	60 cts.....	75 cts.....	74 cts.....
W. B. McCray.....	96 per foot on each for all.			

Being the best and lowest bidder, recommend the contract be awarded to W. B. McCray.

8. For grading and graveling the first alley west of East street, from Louisiana street to the first alley south of Pogue's Run.

Jas. W. Hudson..... 38 cents per lineal foot front on each side.

J. L. Spaulding..... 38 cents per lineal foot front on each side.

Geo. W. S. McCray..... 37 cents per lineal foot front on each side.

Geo. W. Buchanan..... 35 cents per lineal foot front on each side.

Geo. W. Buchanan being the lowest and best bidder, recommend he be awarded the contract.

Respectfully submitted,

D. F. Darnell,  
C. H. Stuckmeyer,  
R. McClelland,  
Committee on Contracts.

Councilman Thalman moved that all bids for the improvement of Barth avenue be rejected, and that the City Civil Engineer re-advertise for proposals.

Which motion was adopted.

#### REPORTS, ETC., FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Bridges, through Councilman Wilson, submitted the following report; which was concurred in:

To the Mayor and Common Council:

*Gentlemen:*—Your Committee on Bridges, to whom the following motion was referred, viz:

“That the City Civil Engineer be, and is hereby, directed to advertise for sealed proposals to build a bridge on the alley between Yandes street and Alvord street across the State Ditch, provided, however, the same shall not cost to exceed seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars.”

Recommend that the same be not done.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. Wilson,  
Sim. Coy,  
John O'Connor,  
Committee on Bridges.

The Committee on Fire Department, through Councilman Trusler, submitted the following majority report:

To the Mayor and Common Council:

*Gentlemen:*—Last Spring a demand for possession was made at each Engine House in the city by the illegal “Bigham Fire Board” and ex-Chief Webster, backed by the Morning Sentinel and Evening News. The firemen, in strong contrast to the action of the Police Force, remained at their posts in spite of threats and offers of reward for desertion. Every effort has been made during the past year by the Sentinel and News, to disorganize the Fire Department, and to encourage insubordination. In spite of all this, the Fire Department is to-day better disciplined and more efficient than ever before.

We feel that the thanks of this Committee are due to the firemen, and that they are entitled to protection from the vengeance of those to whom they refused to surrender last Spring, and we therefore return G. O. No. 52, 1889, to the files, with the recommendation that it be now taken up and put upon its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

P. C. Trusler,  
J. C. Finch,  
Fire Committee.

The Committee on Fire Department, through Councilman Gaul, submitted the following minority report :

To the Members of the Common Council :

*Gentlemen:*—The undersigned, a member of your Committee on the Fire Department, begs leave to report that he has carefully considered G. O. 52, of 1889, and recommends that the same be not passed.

FRED. W. GAUL,  
of Fire Committee.

Councilman Coy moved that the minority report be adopted.

Councilman Cummings moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

**AYES, 14**—viz: Councilmen Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Long, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS, 10**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, and Stuckmeyer.

Councilman Long moved that the majority report be adopted, and on that demanded the previous question ; which was ordered, and the majority report adopted, by the following vote :

**AYES, 14**—viz: Councilmen Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Long, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS, 11**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, and Stuckmeyer.

Councilman Trusler moved that G. O. 52, 1889, be taken up, and demanded the previous question ; which motion was adopted, and the previous question ordered.

G. O. 52, 1889—An ordinance establishing and regulating the Fire Department of the City of Indianapolis, and repealing all conflicting ordinances.

Councilman Hicklin moved to amend by striking out that part of Section two of the above entitled ordinance as relates to the Chief Fire Engineer.

Which motion was laid on the table.

Councilman Markey moved to amend the above entitled ordinance by inserting " a majority of Council be a sufficient number to discharge any fireman."

Which motion was laid on the table.

The ordinance—G. O. 52, 1889—was then ordered engrossed and read the third time.

And it was passed by the following vote :

**AYES, 14**—viz: Councilmen Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Long, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS, 11**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, and Stuckmeyer.



The Committee on Sewers and Drainage, through Councilman Gasper, submitted the following report; which was read and received:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen*—Your Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 167, 1889, would recommend that the original ordinance be stricken from the files, and in lieu thereof the following ordinance be passed.

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. Gasper,  
Wm. T. Long,  
J. Johnston,  
Committee on Sewers.

The following entitled ordinance was read the first time:

S. O. 199, 1889—An ordinance to provide for the construction of a brick sewer three feet internal diameter, in and along Dillon street from the south line of Lexington avenue to and connecting with the sewer at the intersection of Fletcher avenue and Dillon street; said sewer to be paid for by the City of Indianapolis.

The Committee on Sewers and Drainage, through Councilman Gasper, submitted the following report; which was concurred in:

To His Honor, the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen*—Your Committee to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. ...., 1889, relative to a sewer on Grand avenue, would recommend that the same be not erected, as such would not benefit the property owners or the city.

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. Gasper,  
Wm. T. Long,  
J. Johnston,  
Committee on Sewers.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys, through Councilman Dunn, submitted the following report and resolution:

To the Mayor, and Common Council:

*Gentlemen*—Your Committee on Streets and Alleys report that on consideration they recommend that the petition of George Rech and others, asking for the opening and extension of Illinois street to the width of fifty (50) feet, where not already opened, from Arizona street south to Grand avenue, be granted, and that the street be opened, and that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward Dunn,  
Elton B. Elliott,  
Chas. H. Stuckmeyer,  
Committee on Streets and Alleys.

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the petition of George Rech and others, praying for the opening and extension of Illinois street to a width of fifty feet, where not already opened, beginning on the south line of Arizona street two hundred and ninety-five (295) feet west of the west line of Meridian street, and extending south so as to correspond with said street as opened through Rech's South Meridian Street Subdivision to a point two hundred and three (203) feet south of the south line of said Rech's subdivision; thence southeastwardly to the first alley parallel with the north line of Grand avenue, so that the east line of said extension, at its intersection with said alley, shall be two hundred and sixty (260) feet west of the west line of Meridian street, as prayed for in said petition, be referred to the Board of City Commissioners, with instructions to assess benefits and damages, and to make due report to the Common Council and Board of Aldermen; the City Commissioners to return all petitions and notices.

The City Clerk is hereby instructed to issue the proper notices, and the Superintendent of the Metropolitan Police Force is hereby directed to serve said notices on said City Commissioners and upon the property owners: *Provided*, That before the Clerk issue the said notices to said City Commissioners, a bond shall be filed with the said City Clerk, to the approval of the Mayor, guaranteeing the payment of all costs and charges of said Commissioners in this matter.

Which report was concurred in, and the resolution adopted, by the following vote :

**AYES**, 25—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys, through Councilman Dunn, submitted the following report ; which was concurred in :

To the Mayor and Common Council:

*Gentlemen*:—Your Committee on Streets and Alleys report as follows: As to the petition of the Indianapolis School Board, asking for the vacation of the first alley south of Home avenue and running from Ash street to Bellefontaine street, they report progress, and ask for further time.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward Dunn,  
C. H. Stuckmeyer,  
Elton B. Elliott,  
Committee on Streets and Alleys.

#### REPORTS, ETC., FROM SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Councilman Gasper, from the Special Committee on Public Light, submitted the following report ; which was concurred in :

To His Honor, the Mayor, Common Council, and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen*:—Your Conference Committee of the Council and Board of Aldermen, to whom was referred the proposition of the Sun Vapor Light Comdany, have had the same under consideration, and report as follows:

Believing the citizens on the outskirts of the city should be furnished light, and knowing that the only means of affording them at present are the vapor lights, we would therefore recommend that the proposition of the Sun Vapor Light Company to make the total number of lights three hundred (300), to be furnished at the rate of \$17.00 per post, be accepted, and that all vapor lights hereafter erected, shall be at a cost not to exceed \$17.00 per post.

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. Gasper, H. B. Smith,  
Isaac Thalman, Aldermanic Committee.  
John O'Connor,  
Council Committee.

Councilman Gasper presented the following petition ; which was referred to the Committee on Judiciry and City Attorney :

Indianapolis, November 4, 1889.

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis:

*Gentlemen*:— Your attention is respectfully invited to the following facts: That on the 4th day of May, 1880, under the provisions of law then in force affecting said city, (see Acts 1867-33 to 77, Rev. Statutes 1870-63 to 111, Davis' Revision, 1876, volume 1-267 to 314), as amended by the Act of 1877, (see Acts 1877-9 to 12,)

he was duly elected a member of the Common Council from the 22d Ward of said city, to serve for the term of one year, and until his successor should be duly elected and qualified; That on the 6th day of May, 1880, he took the oath of office and filed his certificate of election with the City Clerk, and immediately entered upon the discharge of his duties (see Proceedings of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen, May 10, 1880, to May 4, 1881,) and was by law entitled to hold said office until the election and qualification of his successor; That at the next election, held on May 3, 1881, under the Act of 1881, (see Act 1881-14 to 17, and Section 3,051 to 3,060, R. S. 1881,) petitioner and his opponent each received an equal number of votes, and it became the duty of the Council to order a new election, which the Council refused to do, (see Proceedings May 9, 1881, page 6,) at which time I attended the meeting of said body, and was and continued to be until the 1st day of January, 1884, eligible to fill said office; and although able and ever anxious to discharge the duties of said office, was not permitted to do so.

That on the 10th day of May, 1880, I began *quo warranto* proceedings in cause 27,906 of the Superior Court, to test my right to said office; which suit, however, was not tried until the 9th and 10th days of February, 1885, and on the 2d day of March, 1885, the Honorable Daniel Waite Howe, presiding in Room 2, decided the case in my favor, as shown by the record in said cause (see Entry Docket 35, O. B. 96, 336; O. B. 91, 78; O. B. 97, 20, 56; O. B. 119, 508; O. B. 120, 280, and O. B. 124, 381, 383 and 446.) This judgment determined my right to the office, but as it was not tried until after the term for which I would have held over, to-wit, May 1881 to December 31, 1883, had expired, it was of no direct benefit to me, and the emoluments of the office, \$150.00 per year, or \$400.00 for the whole time, was not paid me.

Under the decisions of the Supreme Court in the cases *Glasscock vs. Lyons*, 20 Ind., page 1, and *Douglass vs. The State*, 31 Ind., 429, as well as under the precedent established by the Council July 20, 1863, in the matter of Henry Geisel (see pages 147 and 148, Proceedings of that date,) who by wrongful action of the Council in keeping him from serving as a Councilman from the 9th Ward, was nevertheless declared entitled to, and did receive his pay, I am entitled to said \$400.00, as a matter of law and equity, and so ask that the same be allowed me by incorporating an item for that amount in the proper appropriation ordinance; and your petitioner, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

WILL F. A. BERNHAMER,

office 94 east Court (formerly Potomac); residence 348 east New York.

#### APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES.

This being the regular appropriation night, the following entitled Appropriation Ordinances were introduced and placed upon their final passage, without a suspension of the Rules :

Councilman Thalman, on behalf of the Finance Committee, submitted the following entitled appropriation ordinances :

Ap. O. 65, 1889—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of the salaries of the officers and members of the Fire and Police Departments; of the Committee Clerk; of the Janitor and Assistant Janitor of the City Hall; of the Janitor and Assistant Janitor of Tomlinson Hall, and of the East and West Market Masters. [Amount appropriated, \$10,513.33.]

Read the first and second times, ordered engrossed, read the third time and passed, by the following vote :



**AYES**, 25—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

Ap. O. 66, 1889—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis, on account of Station House. [Amount appropriated, \$282.28.]

Read the first and second times, ordered engrossed, read the third time and passed, by the following vote:

**AYES**, 25—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

Ap. O. 67, 1889—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis, on account of the Fire Department. [Amount appropriated, \$2,184.68.]

Read the first and second times, ordered engrossed, read the third time and passed, by the following vote:

**AYES**, 25—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

Ap. O. 68, 1889—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis, on account of the City Hospital and Branch. [Amount appropriated, \$1,441.68.]

Read the first and second times, ordered engrossed, read the third time and passed, by the following vote:

**AYES**, 25—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

Ap. O. 69, 1889—An ordinance appropriating the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) on account of the Street Repairs Department of the City of Indianapolis.

Read the first and second times, ordered engrossed, read the third time and passed, by the following vote:

**AYES**, 25—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.



The following entitled ordinance was read the first time:

Ap. O. 70, 1889—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis. [Amount appropriated, \$16,598.43.]

On motion by Councilman Thalman, the item of \$8,911.34, on account of the city's portion of assessment, was stricken out and, referred to the City Attorney.

On motion by Councilman Thalman, the item of \$75 00, for posting election notices, was stricken out, and referred to the Committee on Accounts and Claims and Superintendent of the Metropolitan Police Force.

The ordinance was then read the second time, ordered engrossed, read the third time and passed, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gasper, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

NAYS—None.

#### INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDINANCES.

Under this order of business the following entitled ordinances were introduced and severally read the first time:

By Councilman Elliott, which was referred to the Committee on Ordinances:

G. O. 53, 1889—An ordinance regulating soliciting by hackmen.

By Councilman Thalman:

G. O. 54, 1889—An ordinance to provide for the issue and sale of forty-five thousand dollars of bonds of the City of Indianapolis, for the purpose of paying off a like amount of bonds of the city issued to the Indianapolis, Crawfordsville & Danville Railroad Company.

On motion by Councilman Thalman, the Rules were suspended for the purpose of placing the above entitled ordinance on its final passage, by the following vote:

AYES, 23—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

NAYS—None.

The ordinance—G. O. 54, 1889—was then read the second time, ordered engrossed, and read the third time.

And it was passed by the following vote:

SIG. 68.

AYES, 23—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

NAYS—None.

By Councilman Darnell :

S. O. 200, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading Twentieth street and sidewalks, from Illinois street to Tennessee street, and for the costs thereof.

Councilman Darnell offered the following resolution :

DECLARATORY RESOLUTION.

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, Ind.,* That it is deemed necessary to improve Tennessee street, from Twelfth street to Twenty-second street, by grading and graveling the roadway and sidewalks thereof, in accordance with profile and specifications on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer. The total cost of said improvement shall be assessed per lineal front foot upon the real estate abutting on said Tennessee street, (except the proportion thereof occupied by street and alley crossings, which shall be assessed against the City of Indianapolis.) Said assessments, if deferred, to be paid in ten annual installments. A bond or bonds shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of said assessments, unless the property owners pay said assessments before said bond or bonds are issued, all as provided for in an Act of the General Assembly of Indiana, approved March 8, 1889.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

AYES, 24—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

NAYS—None.

By Councilman Darnell—ordered filed :

S. O. 201, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Tennessee street and sidewalks, from Twentieth street to Twenty-second street, and for the costs thereof.

Councilman Darnell offered the following resolution :

DECLARATORY RESOLUTION.

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, Ind.,* That it is deemed necessary to improve Illinois street, from Twentieth street to Twenty-second street, by grading and graveling the roadway and sidewalks thereof, in accordance with profile and specifications on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer. The total cost of said improvement shall be assessed per lineal front foot upon the real estate abutting on said Illinois street, (except the proportion thereof occupied by street and alley crossings, which shall be assessed against the City of Indianapolis.) Said assessments, if deferred, to be paid in ten annual installments. A bond or bonds shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of said assessments, unless the property owners pay said assessments before said bond or bonds are issued, all as provided for in an Act of the General Assembly of Indiana, approved March 8, 1889.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

**AYES, 24**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

By Councilman Darnell—ordered filed :

S. O. 202, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Illinois street and sidewalks, from Twentieth street to Twenty-second street, and for the costs thereof.

By Councilman Davis :

S. O. 203, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Agnes street, from North street to Elizabeth street, and for the costs thereof.

S. O. 204, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Douglass street and sidewalks, from New York street to Market street, where not already done, and for the costs thereof.

By Councilman Elliott :

S. O. 205, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Ingram street and sidewalks, from Hill avenue to Valley Drive, and for the costs thereof.

S. O. 206, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Clifford avenue, from Jefferson avenue to Keystone avenue, and the costs thereof.

Councilman Long offered the following resolution :

DECLARATORY RESOLUTION.

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, Ind., That it is deemed necessary to improve the roadway of Washington street, from the west line of Alabama street to the east line of Noble street, by paving the roadway with Filbert Vulcanite Asphaltic Pavement, in accordance with profile and specifications on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer. The total cost of said improvement shall be assessed per lineal front foot upon the real estate abutting upon said Washington street, (except the proportion thereof occupied by street and alley crossings, which shall be assessed against the City of Indianapolis, and except such proportion thereof as eighteen (18) feet bears to the whole width of roadway, which proportion is to be charged against the Citizens' Street Railroad Company.) Said assessments, if deferred, to be paid in ten annual installments. A bond or bonds shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of said assessments, unless the property owners pay said assessments before the said bond or bonds are issued, all as provided for in an Act of the General Assembly of Indiana, approved March 8, 1889.*

And the City Clerk be, and he is hereby, ordered to give the required legal notice to property owners along the line of said proposed improvement, of the time and place when and where objections can be made to the necessity of such improvement.

And it was adopted, by the following vote :

**AYES, 23**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS, 1**—viz: Councilman Smith.

By Councilman Long—ordered filed :

- S. O. 207, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading, paving with Filbert Vulcanite Asphaltic Pavement, the roadway of Washington street, bowldering between the rails of the tracks of the Citizens' Street Railroad, curbing with stone the gutters thereof, from the west line of Alabama street to the east line of Noble street, and requiring the Citizens' Street Railroad Company to pay a portion of the cost thereof, as provided for in General Ordinance No. 4, 1884.

By Councilman Stuckmeyer :

- S. O. 208, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of Noble street, from the C., I., St. L. & C. R. R. to Virginia avenue, and the costs thereof.

By Councilman Swain :

- S. O. 209, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the west sidewalk of Delaware street, from Eighth street to the Exposition grounds and the costs thereof.

By Councilman Trusler :

- S. O. 210, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Hoyt avenue, from Reid street to the first alley west of Reid street, and the costs thereof.
- S. O. 211, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of Shelby street, from the first alley south of Prospect street to Pleasant Run, and the costs thereof.
- S. O. 212, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Prospect street, where not already properly done, from Dillon street to Reid street, and the costs thereof.
- S. O. 213, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the west sidewalk of Linden street, from Prospect street to English avenue, and the costs thereof.

#### INTRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Councilman Burns offered the following motion ; which was adopted :

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, instructed to purchase a new pump for the well at West Market ; also, to clean the well.

Councilman Burns offered the following motion and petition ; which were referred to the committee on Public Light :

That the Brush Electric Light Company be instructed to erect one electric light at the crossing of the O, I. & W. tracks on west Washington street ; one at the Belt Railroad crossing, and one at Belmont avenue and Washington street.

*Indianapolis, Aug. 19, 1889.*

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis:

*Gentlemen:*—We, the undersigned, owners of real estate fronting on Washington and other streets, between White River bridge and Belmont avenue, respectfully petition for the passage of an ordinance providing for electric lights ; but we would respectfully petition your honorable body that we have light at the crossing of the



O., I. & W., L., D. & W. and the Belt. We are constantly in danger from these crossings, especially at night. We earnestly wish your favorable action on this petition, as it is a great necessity that we have them.

Oscar P. Hoover, Oscar S. Deitch, E. E. Burgess, M. E. Rafert, A. Traub, A. Dillinghouse, John M. Tomlinson, Madison Grose, Wm. H. Hedges, Rich. Cantrell, D. W. Cressler, Pat. Garland—and 9 others.

Councilman Coy offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be directed to lay a double stone crossing on Washington street at the alley between East and New Jersey streets.

Councilman Darnell offered the following resolution and petition; which were referred to the Committee on Public Light:

*Resolved*, That the Brush Electric Light Company be, and are hereby, ordered to erect one electric light on north Meridian street, between Fifth and Seventh streets, as the distance between said lights is over one thousand feet.

To the Honorable, the Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen*:—The undersigned, resident property holders of north Meridian street between Fifth and Seventh streets, respectfully petition your honorable bodies to put in an electric light on Meridian street at a point about where the line of Sixth street crosses Meridian street. Your petitioners show that the said street is lighted with electricity from the Circle to Seventh street with lights at each street crossing, being about four hundred (400) feet apart, during the whole length of said street, except that the distance between Fifth and Seventh streets, which is about a thousand (1000) feet, has no light, consequently it is very dark on Meridian street for several hundred feet in the middle of the space between Sixth and Seventh streets, and we earnestly ask your honorable bodies to put in a light as above requested; and we will ever pray.

A. C. Harris, J. H. Stewart, L. R. Herod, Mrs. Louisa A. Tousey, W. Henderson, J. Thomas..

Councilman Darnell presented the following petition; which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and City Attorney:

To the Honorable Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, Ind:

*Gentlemen*:—Your petitioner, Sarah E. Cromlich, represents and shows to the honorable Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, that she is the owner of seventeen and one-half feet off of the west side of Lot No. 3, in Ford's subdivision of Aldridge's addition to the said city, on which there is erected a small house, in which your petitioner is living. Your petitioner would further represent and show that by some error, the improvements on said real estate was appraised and assessed at \$700.00, when the same should have been assessed at \$300.00, its true and valid price for taxation. She says she is informed, and believes it to be true, that when said property was so assessed at \$700.00, it was done with the understanding and belief that one of the adjoining houses was on your petitioner's lot, and belonged to her. She says that she has paid an excess of taxes on her property as follows, to-wit: For the year 1886, the sum of \$7.12; for the year 1887, the sum of \$7.24, and for the year 1888, the sum of \$7.24—in all the sum of \$21.60—which amount she prays may be refunded to her. She further says that she is a widow with three small children dependent upon her for support, and her only means of support is her own earnings as a wash-woman. Wherefore she pray your honorable body to refund her said tax paid in excess as herein stated.

Respectfully, SARAN E. CROMLICH.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 28th day of October, 1889. Witness my hand and Notarial Seal.

LEWIS W. GRAVES, Notary Public. [Seal.]

Councilman Dunn offered the following motion ; which was referred to the Committee on Public Light :

That the Brush Electric Light & Power Company be instructed to erect and maintain an electric light on the north side of Washington street, at the corner of Blackford street ; and when said light is erected, that the City Civil Engineer cause the gas lamp at said point to be dis-mantled, and in lieu thereof cause to be re-mantled a gas lamp on the south side of Market street, at its intersection with California street.

Councilman Dunn offered the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the Indianapolis Gas Light & Coke Company be requested to lay mains on Geisendorff street, from New York to Washington streets, and also on Bright street, from New York to Wabash street ; and that the City Clerk be ordered to notify said gas company of the passage of this resolution.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 24—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

Councilman Finch presented the following petitions ; which were referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys :

*Indianapolis*, Nov. 4th, 1889.

To the Honorable Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana :

*Gentlemen*:—Your petitioners, who are citizens and real estate owners on east New York street, between Noble and Spring streets (north side,) respectfully petition your honorable bodies to vacate a five-foot alley on said New York street, running north and south, giving each of the adjacent owners of lots two and a-half feet of the same, for such consideration as may be deemed right and just. Said alley, while appearing upon the plat as an alley, is, and has been in fact, enclosed for a number of years ; but for the protection of the adjacent property owners who may wish to build, this action on the part of your honorable bodies is asked for.

We annex a plat of the described property for your information.

Respectfully submitted,

Val. Schlathauer, John Feldpusch, Fette Kahn,  
H. C. Schergens.

To the Street Commissioner of the City of Indianapolis :

We, the undersigned, owners of property on and in the neighborhood of Hanna street, very respectfully ask that said Hanna street, from King street north to Michigan street, be opened for public use. It is a public street, having long since been platted and dedicated to the public, but is now closed in the square named. The persons owning the ground abutting on said street in said square, having extended their fences into said street, and thereby cutting off the only outlet that we have north to Michigan street.

Very respectfully,

Rebecca J. King, Isaac C. Walker, Charles E. Coffin,  
John G. Rose, Chris. F. Walter, John A. Forberger,  
Jno. G. Polk, Jacob T. Fleck—and 8 others.

Councilman Gaul presented the following petition ; which was ordered filed with the ordinance :

*Indianapolis*, Sept. 19, 1889.

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis :

*Gentlemen*:—The undersigned, owners of real estate fronting on Tennessee street,

between Ray and Morris streets, respectfully petition for the passage of an ordinance providing for a six-foot brick sidewalk on the east side of the street.

Mathias Selb, Michael M. Mountain, Sumner Carson,  
John P. Fox, Otto Selcopp, John Borgmann, James  
Collier, Henry Drake, William Ruter.

Councilman Kelley presented the following communication; which was read and received:

Indianapolis, Nov. 4th, 1889.

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis:

*Gentlemen:*—After inspecting the condition of Bradshaw street, I do hereby recommend that the gutters and street be repaired, so as the service water will not stand on the same. This needs attention very bad as a sanitary measure.

Yours,  
LEN. CRANE,  
Sanitary Officer City Board of Health.

Councilman Kelley offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, directed to at once repair Bradshaw street, so as to prevent water from standing at the west end thereof, said street being now in an unhealthy condition.

Councilman Parkinson offered the following motions; which were referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to repair Tennessee street, from Maryland street to Louisiana street.

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, ordered to lay double stone crossings across Tennessee street, at the north side of South street.

Councilman Pearson offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet next Monday night.

Councilman Pearson offered the following resolution:

*Resolved,* That the Indianapolis Water Company be, and is hereby, directed to extend its water mains on Walnut street, from Mississippi street to the Canal; hydrants to be located under the direction of the Chief Fire Engineer.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 24—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

Councilman Stuckmeyer offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements, with power to act:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, instructed to comply with the motions passed by the Council in regard to fixing Fletcher avenue.

Councilman Stuckmeyer presented the following petition; which was referred to the Committees on Streets and Alleys and Public Health:



Indianapolis, Ind., July 12th, 1889.

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana.

*Gentlemen:*—The undersigned, owners of real estate fronting on Elm street, between Noble street and Dillon street, respectfully petition for the passage of an ordinance providing for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of Elm street, and widening the sidewalks thereof to a width of twelve (12) feet, from Noble street to Dillon street, pursuant to an Act of the General Assembly of Indiana, in force March 14, 1867, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

Geo. W. Seibert, 120 feet; Geo. Hitz, 40 feet; H. Malpas, 160 feet; John Reed, 20 feet; W. B. Simpson, 40 feet; John R. Bellis, 40 feet; R. H. Bigger, for Trustees of Church, 120 feet; W. E. Givens, 40 feet.

Councilman Swain offered the following motion; which was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That the City Civil Engineer draft an ordinance for the erection of an electric light at the corner of Pennsylvania and Seventh streets, and Alabama and Seventh streets.

Councilman Swain offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That J. S. Lazerus be permitted to grade and pave the sidewalk in front of and along the side of his property at the corner of Meridian and Twelfth streets; work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at his own expense.

Councilman Thalman offered the following motion; which was referred to the committee on Public Property:

That the Street Commissioner be directed to contract for laying asphalt walks diagonally through University Park.

Councilman Trusler offered the following motion; which was referred to the Committee on Sewers and Drainage:

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to place a catch-basin or trap at the corner of Reid street and Woodlawn avenue, so that the surplus water may be carried away by the sewer.

Councilman Trusler presented the following petition; which was referred to the Committee on Accounts and Claims:

To the Mayor and Common Council:

*Gentlemen:*—The undersigned would respectfully represent that he is the owner of Lot No. 10, in Square 13, in the southeast addition to the City of Indianapolis; that said lot has been made of no value to him by reason of improvements and ordinances of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen. He would therefore ask that the city purchase said lot at a reasonable price.

Respectfully submitted,

SINEON DEARINGER.

Councilman Trusler offered the following resolution:

*Resolved,* That the Indianapolis Water Company be, and are hereby, directed to lay a main in Dillon street, from Prospect street to Lexington avenue, and to locate fire hydrants according to contract along said line, under the direction of the Chief Fire Engineer.



And it was adopted by the following vote:

**AYES**, 23—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**—None.

Councilman Darnell offered the following motion; which was referred to the Fire Committee and Chief Fire Engineer:

That the Chief Fire Engineer be, and is hereby, ordered to locate a fire-alarm box on the corner of Meridian and Fifteenth streets.

It being now near eleven o'clock, on motion by Councilman Pearson, the Rules were suspended for the purpose of extending the time of the session, by the following vote:

**NAYS**, 20—viz: Councilmen Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Pearson, Swain, Thalman, Trusler, and Wilson.

**NAYS**, 3—viz: Councilmen Burns, Parkinson, and Smith.

The following entitled ordinances were read the second time and ordered stricken from the files:

S. O. 77, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley west of Missouri street, from Ray street to McCauley street, and the costs thereof.

S. O. 138, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley east of Meridian street, from the first alley north of Fifth street to the first alley south of Seventh street, and the cost thereof.

S. O. 139, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley east of Meridian street, from Fifth street to the first alley north of Fifth street, and the costs thereof.

S. O. 140, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley east of Meridian street, from Seventh street to the first alley south of Seventh street, and the costs thereof.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 23, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the south side of McCarty street, from Pogue's Run to Ann street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

**AYES**, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

**NAYS**—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 42, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley south of McCarty street, from Illinois street to the first alley west of Illinois street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

**AYES, 22**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

**NAYS**—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time :

**S. O. 67, 1889**—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of Blake street, and paving with brick the sidewalks thereof, from the first alley south of New York street to the National Road.

Councilman Coy moved that the above entitled ordinance be referred to the Board of Public Improvements.

Councilman Davis moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion was adopted by the following vote :

**NAYS, 16**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, and Trusler.

**NAYS, 6**—viz: Councilmen Coy, Hicklin, Johnston, Smith, Swain, and Thalman.

The ordinance—**S. O. 67, 1889**—was then ordered engrossed and read the third time.

And it was passed by the following vote :

**AYES, 16**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, and Trusler.

**NAYS, 6**—viz: Councilmen Coy, Hicklin, Johnston, Smith, Swain, and Thalman.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, and referred to the Committee on Sewers and Drainage :

**S. O. 88, 1889**—An ordinance to provide for the construction of a brick sewer four feet internal diameter, from the east line of West street in and along North street to Bright street; thence south on Bright street to, and connecting with, the sewer at the corner of Bright and New York streets.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

**S. O. 119, 1889**—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Ninth street, from Bellefontaine avenue to Hillside avenue, and the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

**AYES, 22**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

**NAYS**—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

**S. O. 121, 1889**—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley south of Downey street, from East street to Madison avenue, and the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

**AYES, 22**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

**NAYS**—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

**S. O. 159, 1889**—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the roadway of Cruse street, and paving with brick and curbing with stone the sidewalks thereof, from Washington street to Market street, and the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

**AYES, 22**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

**NAYS**—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

**S. O. 163, 1889**—An ordinance to provide for grading, paving with Filbert Vulcanite Asphaltic Pavement, the roadway of Illinois street, bowldering between the rails of the tracks of the Citizens' Street Railroad, curbing with stone the gutters thereof, from the south line of Washington street to the north end of the north approach of Illinois street tunnel, and requiring the Citizens' Street Railroad Company to pay a portion of the costs thereof, as provided for in General Ordinance No. 4, 1884.

And it was passed by the following vote :

**AYES, 17**—viz: Councilmen Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Long, McClelland, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

**NAYS, 5**—viz: Councilmen Burns, Kelley, Markey, O'Connor, and Parkinson.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

**S. O. 166, 1889**—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Sanders street and sidewalks, from Wright street to East street, and for the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 168, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley east of Broadway street, from Lincoln avenue to Seventh street, and the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 169, 1889—An ordinance to provide for the erection of two lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes,) on Ash street, between Lincoln avenue and Irvin street.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 180, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Yandes street and sidewalks, from the Belt Railroad to Bruce street, and for the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 181, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Vermont street and sidewalks, from Hanna street to Preston street, and for the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.



The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 182, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the west side of Archer street, from the south side of John street to the north side of Clifford avenue, and the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, and referred to the Committee on Sewers and Drainage :

S. O. 183, 1889—An ordinance to provide for constructing a brick sewer three (3) feet internal diameter, in and along Shelby street, from Arlington street to Pleasant Run.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, and referred to the Committee on Public Light :

S. O. 184, 1889—An ordinance to provide for the erection of lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes,) on Woodlawn avenue, between Linden street and Reid street.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 185, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Seventh street, from Tennessee street to the Canal, and the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 186, 1889—An ordinance to provide for the erection of lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes,) on Douglass street, between New York street and Market street.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 187, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Morris street, from Meridian street to West street, and the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 188, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the east sidewalk of Tennessee street, from Ray street to Morris street, and the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was referred to the City Civil Engineer, to be made the special order for the next meeting :

S. O. 189, 1889—An ordinance to provide for constructing a brick sewer two and one-half ( $2\frac{1}{2}$ ) feet internal diameter, from Seventh street in and along Broadway street to and connecting with the sewer that terminates on the north side of Cherry street, and the costs thereof.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 190, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Fourteenth street and sidewalks, from Central avenue to Illinois street, and for the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 192, 1889—An ordinance to provide for the erection of lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes,) on Meridian street, between Twelfth and Sixteenth streets.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 193, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Spann avenue, from Linden street to Reid street, and for the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was referred to the City Civil Engineer, to be made the special order for the next meeting :

S. O. 194, 1889—An ordinance to provide for constructing a brick sewer two and one-half feet internal diameter, from the corner of Broadway street and Christian avenue to Park avenue, west side, "sewer to connect with sewer in Broadway street."

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 195, 1888—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters and widening the sidewalks of Bellefontaine avenue, between Home avenue and Eleventh street.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Darnell, Davis, Dunn, Elliott, Finch, Gaul, Hicklin, Johnston, Kelley, Long, Markey, McClelland, O'Connor, Parkinson, Pearson, Smith, Swain, Thalman, and Trusler.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 198, 1889—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley east of Park avenue, from Home avenue to Butler street, and the costs thereof.

And it was passed by the following vote :

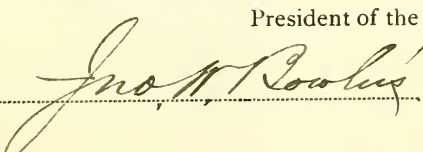
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NAYS—None.

On motion the Common Council then adjourned, at 11:50 o'clock, P. M.

 \_\_\_\_\_, Mayor,

President of the Common Council.

Attest:  \_\_\_\_\_, City Clerk,