

SPECIAL MEETING.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.,

SATURDAY, November 20, 1915.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber Saturday evening, November 20, 1915, at 7:30 o'clock, in special session, President Thomas C. Lee in the chair, pursuant to the following call:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., November 20, 1915.

To the Members of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Ind.:

GENTLEMEN—You are hereby notified that there will be a Special Meeting of the Common Council held in the Council Chamber on Saturday, November 20, 1915, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of the introduction and action on appropriation ordinances, and the consideration and final action on Appropriation Ordinance No. 30, 1915.

Yours respectfully,

THOMAS C. LEE,

President.

I, Thomas A. Riley, Clerk of the Common Council, do hereby certify that I have served the above and foregoing notice to each and every member of the Common Council, prior to the time of meeting, pursuant to the rules.

THOMAS A. RILEY,

City Clerk.

Which was read.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: The Hon. Thomas C. Lee, President of the Common Council, and 7 members, viz.: Messrs. Barry, McGuff, Miller, Porter, Connor, Graham and Shea.

Absent, 1, viz.: Mr. Young.

REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

From City Controller :

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., November 20, 1915.

*To the Honorable, the President and Members of the Common Council,
Indianapolis, Indiana:*

GENTLEMEN—I hand you herewith communication from the Liberty Bell Committee, requesting an appropriation of \$500 to cover expenses of the city's reception to this national historic relic. In order to insure the safety of the public on the streets, it is deemed desirable to rope off the street railway tracks on Washington Street, on the line of the exhibition, and to cover the cost of this and other accidental expenses, I recommend the appropriation of \$500 to the Department of Public Safety for Liberty Bell Reception, and inclose ordinance providing for same.

Respectfully submitted,

J. P. DUNN,
City Controller.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., November 20, 1915.

Mr. Jacob P. Dunn, City Controller, Indianapolis, Ind.:

DEAR SIR—As Secretary of the Committee on the Reception of the Liberty Bell I am directed to ask you to communicate with the City Council, asking for an appropriation of \$500.00 to cover any expenses that might be incurred in this reception.

Very respectfully,

H. W. BASSETT.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

From the Committee on Finance :

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., November 20, 1915.

To the President and Members of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Ind.:

GENTLEMEN—We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 30, 1915, entitled, "An ordinance making

additional appropriations to the Department of Public Works, and fixing the time when the same shall take effect," beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN F. CONNOR,
ED. MCGUFF,
FRANK GRAHAM,
MICHAEL J. SHEA.

Mr. Connor moved that the report of the Committee be concurred in. Carried.

INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES.

By City Controller :

Appropriation Ordinance No. 31, 1915: An ordinance appropriating \$500 to the Department of Public Safety for Liberty Bell Reception.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, that there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$500 to the Department of Public Safety for expenses of the Liberty Bell Reception on November 21, 1915, the same to be paid out on vouchers signed by the Chairman of the Liberty Bell Reception Committee and the Superintendent of Police.

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

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Connor moved that the rules be suspended and that Appropriation Ordinance No. 31, 1915, be placed upon its passage.

The roll was called and the motion to suspend the rules was carried by the following vote :

Ayes, 8, viz.: Messrs. Barry, McGuff, Miller, Porter, Connor, Graham, Shea and President Thomas C. Lee.

Noes, none.

Mr. Connor called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 31, 1915, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Connor moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 31, 1915, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 31, 1915, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 8, viz.: Messrs. Barry, McGuff, Miller, Porter, Connor, Graham, Shea and President Thomas C. Lee.

Noes, none.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Connor called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 30, 1915, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Connor moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 30, 1915, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 30, 1915, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 8, viz.: Messrs. Barry, McGuff, Miller, Porter, Connor, Graham, Shea and President Thomas C. Lee.

Noes, none.

On motion of Mr. Miller the Common Council, at 8 P. M., adjourned.

Thomas C. Lee

President.

ATTEST :

Thomas A. Riley
City Clerk

