

That the Office Messenger to the Fire Department, is vacant, the last incumbent having declined to act as such, from and after the 26th day of December last.

Ordered. That the Hose carriage, & Hose belonging to the Good Intent Fire Engine, be transferred to the Marion Engine Company, to be used by said company until further ordered.

Ordered, That the Treasurer, purchase One cord of Wood for the use of the Council Chamber.

And the Council adjourned.

Attest

James G. Jordan
Secy, City Council

Geo. A. Chapman
President.

Council Chamber
Indianapolis, Jany 22. 1849.

The Council met pursuant to a call of the President. Present George A. Chapman President, Messrs Brandt, Tutwiler, Eaglesfield, Mayhew, & Sibert Councilmen.

The Object of the meeting having been explained.

Mr Sibert presented the following petition.

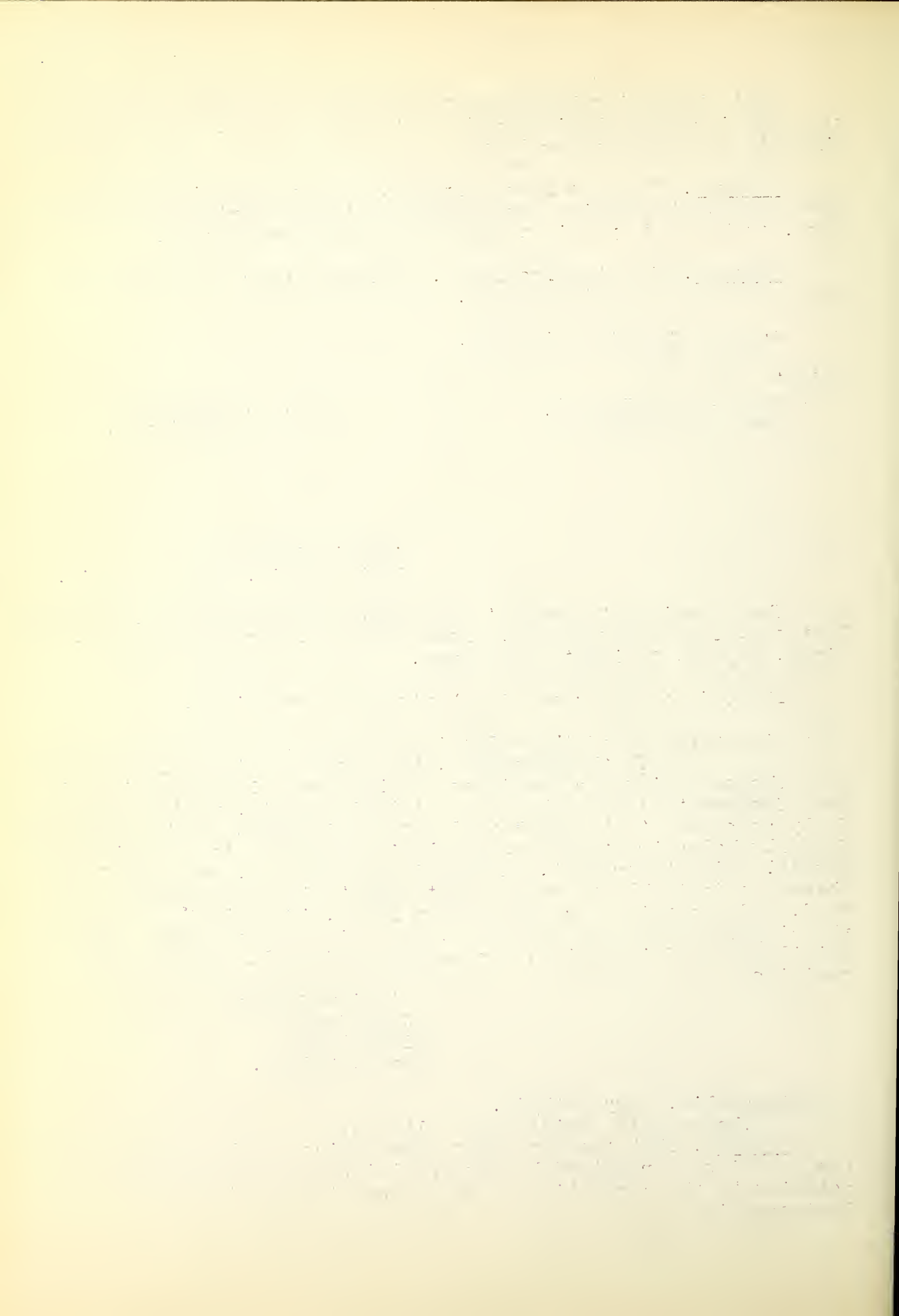
To the Honorable, the City Council of Indianapolis
The undersigned a committee of the Peru & Indianapolis Rail Road Company to locate the Depot at Indianapolis, would respectfully represent that they have located said Depot on the property formerly belonging to Messrs Blithe & Little, South of Washington Street, and between East, and New Jersey Streets, and that it is therefore desirable to occupy East Street with the track of the road, and use this track with Steam Power, if admissible under the city Ordinance, if Otherwise, then with horse power. For the privileges of doing which, the undersigned would respectfully petition

William Conner
John Burk
Samuel Dale
Wm J. Holman.

Indianapolis, Jany 20th/49.

The petition being read: It was:

Ordered. That the Secretary give notice of the pendency of the petition as required by the provisions of the Ordinance in relation to the connection of Rail Roads in the city of Indianapolis



The President laid before the council a proposition from F. G. Macey for lighting the city with Gas, action upon which was postponed until next meeting.

And the Council adjourned

Attest

Jas G. Jordan
Secretary

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(President, City Council.

Council Chamber
Indianapolis, Feby 5. 1849

The Council met. Present Geo A. Chapman President, Messrs Brandt, Alford Eaglesfield, Mayhew and Sibert

Minutes of the proceedings read and approved for two last meetings

The Treasurers report and Accompanying vouchers were presented, read examined, approved, and Ordered to be filed.

The Street Commissioner presented a report of the work performed on Indiana Avenue, which was read and referred to select committee consisting of Messr Alford, Eaglesfield, & Mayhew

- 68 Allowed, John Bishop, Marshall \$15.00 for removing nuisances.
75 Allowed H Bates \$ 4.61 for a foot bridge
An apc of Chinn & Boden for \$36.02 for pump work. was presented read and referred to committee on claims.
71&72 Allowed, H. Sibert \$15.00 for taking care of Engine, Hose, & C.
89 Allowed, John P Meikel \$7.50 for hauling Gravel 5" Wd.
(86) Allowed, Edwards & Davenport \$19.50 for Bridge Work in 5" Ward.
79. Allowed, Chas Mayer \$ 9.62½ " Sundries for Fire Depmt.
77.78 Allowed, Isaac Davis 14.75 for pump work, reported
by Com on Public Wells.

An account for services rendered by Wm B. Greer for \$102.00 for services as City attorney was presented, and referred to the committee on claims.

Mr Mayhew from the committee to select sites for school Houses presented a report, recommending the purchase of the 2nd Lot of 50 feet south from the NW corner of Block No 85. fronting on, and east of Pennsylvania Street. from Mr Nicholas McCarty, and that the sum of Six hundred dollars be applied to the purchase of said lot, and to fill the same with earth suitable for building upon. - which was read, received. and laid upon the table for further consideration.