

Council Chamber December 25th
1858

Council met at 6½ P.M. Present his honor Mayor Maxwell and Councilman Cottrell, Dunlap, English, Fletcher, Greenfield, Geiesendorff, Hadley, McNabb, North and Pratt.

On motion by Mr. Cottrell, reading of the minutes were dispensed with after a portion of the Same were read.

The Civil Engineer reports to the City Council

1st. That the petition of owners of property for Gas on Illinois Street, between Market and North Streets, represents over 2/3 of the property bordering on Said Street.

2d. The Council, at last meeting, instructed the Civil Engineer to erect two lamps oppisite Market Square on Delaware Street, but he would respectfully State, that it would derange the general plan of lighting the city, as according to Said plan, there will be a lamp at the north west corner of the Court house Square; one 95 feet North of Market Street; and the next one 55 feet north of the Market Square. If the Council would order, or request the county commissioners, to erect a lamp on Delaware Street, at the north west corner of the Court House Square, and the city to erect one at or near the centre of the market Square, they would afford an equal amount of light to persons attending the market, and would be a Saving to the city of at least thirty Six dollars the Council will please reconsider the Subject, and instruct the engineer accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Hadley the above was referred to a Select committee consisting of Messrs Hadley, McNabb and Cottrell, to confer with county Commissioners.

3d. The Citys portion of the partial Estimate allowed Thomas Feritter for grading and graveling Spring Street, between Ohio and Vermont Streets is \$7.70. (2275)

On motion by Mr. Cottrell, the above was allowed and the Clerk was ordered to issue an order in his favour for the amount.

4th An advertisement was published in the daily Journal, and hand bills posted up within the city for proposals for building two Stone flag crossings on Washington Street, and also for grading and graveling the Sidewalk on the South Side of Washington Street, between East and Liberty St the proposals recieved are herewith Submitted to the Council.

James Woods, Civil Engineer

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Bids for grading and graveling the Sidewalk on the South Side of Washington Street between East and Liberty Street.

Christian Danmeyer	gradeing	20	graveling	25.	Security
					F.Danmeyer
James Russell & Co.	"	16	"	21	
H.Turnerman	"	40	"	50	"
					John F.Brinkman
C.Ostermeyer	"	32	"	37	F.Ostermeyer

Bids for making two flag Stone crossings on Washington Street and one across Meridian on the South Side of Washington Street.

The undersigned proposes to build the crossings on Washington and Meridian Street, at the following prices. for crossings on Washington Street where \$40.00 will be paid for. \$180.00 for the other crossing on Washington St \$185.00 for crossing on Meridian Street \$145.00

John B.Stumph
Geo.Deitz Security

Bids for digging well near Pogues Run.

The undersigned proposes to build the well on Pogues Run according to the Specification in the office of the cheif Fire Engineer for \$150.00. John B.Stumph
Geo.Deitz Security

On motion the bids were referred to committee on Streets and alleys, to award or withhold contract as in their judgement may Seem best.

Resolutions

By Mr.North

Resolved, That the Council now adjourn to meet on Wednesday evening at 6½ oclock P.M.

Ayes Messrs Cottrell, Dunlap, English, Fletcher, Greenfield, Geiesendorff, Hadley, Locke, McNabb, North, and Pratt 10.
Noes None
Adopted.

John G.Waters

City Clerk

Samuel D.Maxwell

Mayor
