

Common Council Chamber  
Saturday October 21st 1954

The Council met a 7 O'clock P M. Present all the members of the Council except Messrs Avery & Gowan

The following report was presented

The Committee on Accounts to whom was referred the accounts of Kingsbury, Tapscott & Co, also the account of Stewart & Wests, have examined the same and find them correct, and would recommend their allowance

W H Karns Ch of Com  
H Selbert  
Wm Boaz

and accompanying said reports are the accounts as follows

x Kingsbury & Tapscott & Co. Spanners for	
Invincible Fire Company	\$4.00
x Wests & Stewart for Ink, paper, pens & Sand	9.75

On motion said report was concurred in

The following report was presented

To The President of Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

The undersigned Committee appointed at the last meeting of Your Honorable body, to prefer charges against John Bishop, and John Bisbing for alleged misconduct as watchmen of said City, and during the hours of their watch, and whilst they should have been on duty as watchmen, would respectfully report, that the undersigned are satisfied, that said John Bishop and John Bisbing did perhaps on one or two occasions drink more than they ought to have done, and upon their promise of their not being guilty of the like again, and in view of an amendment to the Ordinance giving the Council power to remove any watchmen for misconduct on motion, would respectfully recommend that no further action be taken in the case and the Committee be discharged

W H Karns  
Daniel Keeley

On motion of Mr Dunlap said report was concurred in

Mr Pitts from the Select Committee to whom was referred the charges against Messrs Bishop & Bisbing presented the following Minority report

To the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis

The undersigned Committee appointed at the last meeting of your honorable body to prefer charges against John Bishop and John Bisbing for alleged misconduct as watchmen of said City, say that said John Bishop has since his appointment as



a watchman of said City and during the hours of his watch and whilst he should have been on duty as a watchman, been guilty of getting drunk and neglecting his duty as such watchman; And your Committee further say that said John Bisbing has since his appointment as a watchman of said City and during the hours of his watch and whilst he should have been on duty as a watchman; been guilty of getting drunk and neglecting his duty as such watchman

George W Pitts (Committee

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest

James N Sweetser  
City Clerk

James McCreedy Mayor.

Common Council Chamber  
Thursday Oct. 26 1854

The Council met at 7 O'clock P M pursuant to the call of the Mayor. Present all the members of the Council except Messrs Avery, Gowan & Pitts

Mr Dunlap offered the following resolution

Whereas it has been ascertained by undoubted authority, that dogs afflicted with Hygraphobia have been running at large for a few days past, and done considerable damage and have created much alarm among some of the Citizens; and for the purpose of preventing the spread of this alarming malady, the Council feel it their duty to take prompt and efficient measures to avert it - Therefore,

Resolved That the Marshall and his assistants be directed by the Council to kill all dogs found unmuzzled in any street or alley within the City limits from and after the 30th inst

Adopted by the following vote

Those who voted in the Affirmative are Messrs Boaz, Colley, Dunlap, Graydon, Jones, Karns, Keeley, Maguire, Nelson & Seibert 10

In the Negative - None

On motion of Mr Jones the vote on said resolution was reconsidered

The following Ordinance was presented

An Ordinance relative to Dogs running at large in the City

Sec 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, That the Mayor is hereby directed to issue his proclamation requiring the Marshall and his Assistants