

## SPECIAL MEETING.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.,

MONDAY, May 14, 1917.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, May 14, 1917, at 6:30 o'clock in special session, President Michael J. Shea in the chair, pursuant to the following call:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 14, 1917.

*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 of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, held in the Council Chamber on Monday evening, May 14, 1917, at 6:30 o'clock for the purpose of receiving communications from the Mayor, reports from City Officers and official boards, reports from standing committees, for the introduction of General and Special Ordinances and for consideration and final action on Resolution No. 4, 1917, a resolution fixing the compensation for the Board of Canvassers for the city primary.

Respectfully,

MICHAEL J. SHEA,  
*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. Michael J. Shea, President of the Common Council, and 5 members, viz.: Messrs. Young, McGuff, Miller, Lee and Graham.

Absent, 3, viz.: Messrs. Barry, Porter and Connor.

At 6:40 o'clock P. M. Mr. Barry entered the Council Chamber and took his seat.

At 6:50 o'clock P. M. Messrs. Porter and Connor entered the Council Chamber and took their seats.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDINANCES.

By Mr. Miller :

General Ordinance No. 45, 1917. An ordinance amending Section 748 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, and fixing a license for baseball.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana :

SECTION 1. That Section 748 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, of the City of Indianapolis, Ind., be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following clause or provision requiring a license for conducting a baseball park, where an admission is charged: *Baseball Park*. For conducting or operating any park or enclosed grounds where any game of baseball is played, to which an admission fee of twenty-five cents or more is charged, five hundred dollars.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its passage and publication for two consecutive weeks in the Indiana Daily Times.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Mr. Miller :

General Ordinance No. 46, 1917. An ordinance amending Section 748 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, so far as the same relates to requiring of licenses for moving picture shows.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana :

SECTION 1. That the clause of Section 748 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, relating to moving picture shows, which is as follows: "*Moving Picture Shows*. For the operating of each moving picture show, twenty-five dollars, which shall be in addition to any license fee required of the operator of the moving picture machine; and for the operator of each such machine, five dollars," be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows: *Moving Picture Shows*. For the operating of each moving picture show where an admission of more than ten cents is charged, one hundred dollars, where ten cents or less is charged, twenty-five dollars, which shall be in addition to any license fee required of the operator of the moving picture machine; and for the operator of each such machine five dollars.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its passage and publication for two consecutive weeks in the Indiana Daily Times.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Law and Judiciary.

By Mr. Miller :

General Ordinance No. 47, 1917. An ordinance amending Section 748 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, so far as said section relates to licenses required for theaters or concert halls.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana :

SECTION 1.—That the clause of Section 748 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, of the City of Indianapolis which reads as follows, to-wit: "*Theater or Concert Hall*. For the operation and maintenance of each concert hall or theater, one hundred dollars," be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows: *Theater or Concert Hall*. For the operation and maintenance of each concert hall or theater where any fee of as much as one dollar is charged for admission, five hundred dollars. For all other theaters or concert halls, one hundred dollars.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its passage and publication for two consecutive weeks in the *Indiana Daily Times*.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on City's Welfare.

#### ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Connor called for Resolution No. 4, 1917, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Connor moved that Resolution No. 4, 1917, be adopted.

The roll was called and Resolution No. 4, 1917, was adopted by the following vote :

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Barry, Young, McGuff, Miller, Porter, Lee, Connor, Graham and President Michael J. Shea.

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On motion of Mr. Miller the Common Council, at 7:00 o'clock  
P. M., adjourned.

*Michael J. Shea*

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*President.*

ATTEST:

*Thomas A. Riley*

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*City Clerk.*