

# PROCEEDINGS OF COMMON COUNCIL.

ADJOURNED SESSION—JULY 12, 1886.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, met in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, July 12th, A. D. 1886, at eight o'clock, pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT—Hon. Caleb S. Denny, Mayor, and *ex officio* President of the Common Council in the Chair, and 25 members, viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

ABSENT—None.

The Building Committee on Market House and Public Buildings, through Councilman Pearson, submitted the following report; which was concurred in:

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen.*—It is important to decide at once whether the butchers are to occupy the market floor of the Tomlinson Hall building, or the new Market House now in contemplation of being built. The architect desires to proceed at once to have the stalls laid off and constructed in the building already erected, but must know whether vegetable marketers are to occupy it, or whether your honorable bodies desire it for butchers and fish dealers, before he can proceed with the work. The architect says he can arrange the new Market House to be erected to a much better advantage for the sale of meats and fish than the present one, and he strongly recommends the establishment of vegetable and fruit stalls in the building already completed, and that the new building, when done, be set apart exclusively for meat and fish dealers. A restaurant can be located in the rear end of the present building if this plan is carried out, the arrangement at that location being well adapted to such a use; but if meats are sold in this building, no one would likely desire the space referred to for such a purpose. A restaurant could not be located in the new building, for the reason that no provision for fire or heat of any kind is to be made in it.

Under these circumstances, we recommend that the suggestions of the architect be approved.

Your committee received bids to remove the old market sheds and other material off of the market square, to a point 160 feet east of the east side of Tomlinson Hall, the space indicated to be cleared on or before the 16th inst. John W. Cooper proposes to pay the city the sum of \$30.00 for the privilege, he to have such of the material as belongs to the city. He being the best bidder, we recommend that his bid be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. Denny, Mayor,  
John R. Pearson,  
Thomas E. Endly,  
Joseph H. Howes,  
Isaac King,  
Building Committee.

The same committee submitted the following report; which was approved:

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—Your Building Committee advertised for proposals for the erection of the new Market House in the following daily papers, viz:

Indianapolis News, June 29th.  
 Indianapolis Journal, June 30th.  
 Indianapolis Times, June 30th.  
 Indianapolis Sentinel, July 1st.

In response to these advertisements we received nine (9) sealed proposals, which were opened on Saturday, July 10th, showing the following result, viz.:

Proposal by P. Routier, \$33,760 and \$450 extra for tile roof, if wanted.  
 Proposal by E. F. Gobel \$33,564 and \$400 extra for tile roof, if wanted.  
 Proposal by Salisbury & Stanley \$33,291 and \$460 extra for tile roof, if wanted.  
 Proposal by Jungclaus & Schumaker, \$32,795.  
 Proposal by Schover & Christian, \$32,239 and no extra charge for tile roof.  
 Proposal by M. K. Fatout, 31,900 and \$400 extra for tile roof.  
 Proposal by G. Ittenbach & Co., 30,400 and 33,300 extra for tile roof.  
 Proposal by Nuerge & Reinking, \$30,296 and \$300 extra for tile roof.  
 Proposal by J. A. Buchanan, \$29,225 and \$300 extra for tile roof.

As Mr. J. A. Buchanan is the lowest bidder, we recommend that the contract be awarded to him at \$29,225, and that your committee have power to add tile roof, if thought proper.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. Denny, Mayor,  
 John R. Pearson,  
 Joseph H. Howes,  
 Thomas E. Endly,  
 Isaac King,  
 Building Committee.

Indianapolis, July 12th, 1886.

The same committee presented contract bond of John A. Buchanan, for building the Market House.

Councilman Cummings offered the following motion; which was adopted:

“That the damages in the contract and bond of John A. Buchanan, be changed to \$25.00 instead of \$10.00 per day; and if said change be consented to by the sureties on said bond, then the bond to be approved.”

The Board of Aldermen being in session in the Aldermanic Chamber, on motion the foregoing reports and action on the contract and bond were sent to it for consideration.

Later in the session the following message relative to the above was received:

To the Mayor and Common Council:

*Gentlemen:*—The Board of Alkermen in regular session held in the Aldermanic Chamber, held this evening, July 12, 1886, refused to concur in your action adopting the following motion:

“That the damages in the contract and bond of John A. Buchanan be changed to \$25 00 instead of \$10.00 per day, and if the change be consented to by the sureties, then the bond be approved.”

I submit the same for your consideration.

JOSEPH T. FANNING,  
 Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

On motion, the action of the Common Council was reconsidered, and the contract and bond as presented was approved.

The following message was read, and the action of the Board of Aldermen concurred in:

To the Mayor and Common Council:

*Gentlemen:*—The Board of Aldermen in regular session, held in the Aldermanic Chamber June 28th, 1886, amended the following motion adopted by your honorable body June 21, 1886:

That the Mayor and chairman of the Building Committee of the Council, and President of the Board of Aldermen, be and they are hereby appointed as a permanent committee to fix the price for and rent Tomlinson Hall in the future. *Provided*, that the hall shall not be let at any time free of charge.

Amended by striking out the words, "Chairman of the Building Committee of the Council," and inserted in lieu therefor the words "City Clerk," and adopted the motion as amended.

I submit the same for your consideration.

JOSEPH T. FANNING,  
Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

#### INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDINANCES.

Under this order of business the following entitled ordinances were introduced and severally read the first time:

By Councilman McGroarty:

G. O. 46, 1886—An ordinance to repeal an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance granting the right of way along Tennessee street for a railroad track, connecting the Rolling Mill to be erected by R. A. Douglass, on Out-Lot 125, and the Terre Haute and Richmond Railroad, or Union Tracks;" passed by the Common Council April 14, 1857.

By Councilman Cummings:

G. O. 47, 1886—An ordinance to amend section 7 of General Ordinance No. 27, 1886, being an ordinance entitled "An ordinance requiring Auctioneers, Peddlers, Hucksters and certain classes of Public Showmen to pay a license to the City of Indianapolis; regulating certain matters connected with the business of such persons, and re-pealing certain ordinances herein specified." Ordained and established the 14th day of June, 1886.

By Councilman Burns; which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys:

S. O. 129, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Washington street, from Bloominton street to Belmont avenue.

By Councilman Dell:

S. O. 130, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Reid street and sidewalks, from the C., I., St. L. & C. R. R. to Washington street, and repealing S. O. 91, 1886.



By Councilman Howes, accompanied with petition:

S. O. 131, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the east sidewalk of Maxwell street, from Elizabeth street to Coe street.

To the Mayor, Common Council, and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis:

*Gentlemen.*—The undersigned, owners of real estate fronting on the west side of Maxwell street, between Elizabeth and Coe streets, respectfully petition for the passage of an ordinance providing for grading and paving with brick the west sidewalk of Maxwell street, between Elizabeth and Coe streets.

J. F. Redmond, Maggie A. Redmond, Austin H. Redmond, Isaac Ferguson, Scipio Dobbs.

By Councilman Mack:

S. O. 132, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the roadway of Meridian street from Palmer street to the Belt Railroad.

By Councilman Markey:

S. O. 133, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley south of Merrill street, from Ketcham street to the first alley east of Alabama street.

S. O. 134, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the roadway, bowldering the gutters, curbing with stone and paving with brick, the sidewalks of Ketcham street, from Merrill street to Sinker street.

S. O. 135, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and bowldering the roadway, and curbing with stone, the sidewalks of Alabama street, from McCarty street to Merrill street, where not already curbed.

*Indianapolis, July 8th, 1886.*

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen.*—The undersigned, owners of real estate fronting on south Alabama street, between Merrill and McCarty streets, respectfully remonstrate against the passage of an ordinance providing for the bowldering of said street.

Andrew Oehler, 55½ feet; F. Rand, Receiver of Indiana Banking Co, 122 feet 6 inches; I. W. Robinson, 33 feet; Sarah Duval, 33 feet; C. Cornelius, 50 feet; Margaret Walsh, 25 feet; Elizabeth Unverzagt, 33 feet; Anna Hamilton, 33 feet; Josephine Fischer, 99 feet; Mrs. Mary M. Laird, per Agent, 65 feet; David Miller, per W. E. Mick & Co., 33 feet; Janet D. Moores, 180 feet; Saml. Stephens, 49 feet 7 inches; Phillippiena Zoble, 52 feet; Anna Heart, 50 feet; Wilhelmena Fette, 45 feet; Wm. Blume, 28 feet; Geo. W. Snider, 33 feet.

On motion, S. O. 135, 1886, of the above entitled ordinances, and the accompanying remonstrance, were referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys.

By Councilman Pearson:

S. O. 136, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Superior street and sidewalks, (or the first alley west of Meridian street,) from Pratt street to Second street.

By Councilman Rooker:

S. O. 137, 1885—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the west sidewalks of Mississippi street, from Herbert street to the first alley north of Herbert street.

INTRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Councilman Burns offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, instructed to put a railing along the sidewalk on the south side of Washington street, at the west end of White River bridge.

Councilman Coy presented a claim of \$42.75 for M. S. Coffman for street improvements on Out lot 21, between New Jersey and East streets; which was referred to the Committee on Accounts and Claims.

Councilman Dell offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, directed to raise the sidewalks and fix the gutters of south East street, from a point 250 feet south of Washington street to a point 750 feet south of Washington street, to conform to the grade recently made in constructing the bridge over Pogue's Run. The work to be done according to stakes set by the City Civil Engineer.

Councilman Dell offered the following motions; which were adopted:

That Stout & Bannister be granted the permission of putting a driveway crossing of bowlders on Liberty street, on the east side thereof, just immediately south of the C., H. & D. R. R. tracks. The work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the City Civil Engineer.

That the Street Commissioner be directed to clean the gutters at the southeast corner of Washington and East streets.

Councilman Cummings offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the city purchase a horse, buggy and harness for the use of the Street Commissioner, as he can not do the work without one.

Councilman Dunn offered the following motion:

That the City Civil Engineer make a preliminary survey and estimate of the expense that would be occasioned by the proposed change of the tracks of the C., I., St. L. & C. R. R. from their present locality so as to connect with the Union tracks for the Union Depot; and that the Chief Engineer of the said railroad be requested by said City Civil Engineer to assist him in this work; and that said City Civil Engineer be instructed, if in his opinion he deems it necessary, to employ an assistant to help him.

Councilman Pearson offered the following as a substitute for the motion offered by Councilman Dunn:

That the City Civil Engineer be authorized to employ an assistant for sixty days, if in his judgment he needs the same, for the purpose of preparing plans, &c, for tunnels and bridges on Illinois and Meridian streets, and the first alley east.

And the substitute was adopted.

Councilman Edenharter offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, directed to place a catch-basin at the second alley on Spring street, north of New York street, and connect the same with the Railroad street sewer by a line of cement pipe of sufficient diameter.

Councilman Herig presented the following petition; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

*Indianapolis, July 12, 1886.*

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—We, the undersigned, property owners in the neighborhood of Pogue's Run, respectfully request your honorable bodies to pass an ordinance for the construction of a stone wall in Pogue's Run, between Catharine and McCarty streets.

John McKenna, Ellen Casey, Maurice Lucid, James Sheay, his + mark; John Dalton, John Lynch, Geo. Kurtz, Patrick Carey.

Councilman Howes offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the City Civil Engineer be instructed to direct the Gas Company to dismantle the first lamp-post on the west side of Douglass street south of Michigan street, and re-mantle the second lamp-post on the east side of Blake street north of New York street.

Councilman Mack offered the following motions; which were adopted:

That the Kissel heirs be allowed to place curbing in front of their property, corner of McCarty street and Russell avenue, at their own expense, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer.

That the Committee on Railroads be requested to report at the next meeting in regard to the motion referred to it, asking the Street Railway Company to extend their line on south Meridian street to Palmer street, or to the cemeteries.

Councilman Mack offered the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the City Clerk be, and he is hereby, instructed to give the proper legal notice, by publication, of the meeting of the Common Council, Board of Aldermen, City Clerk and Township Assessor, as a Board of Equalization, such meeting to be held on Monday evening, August 2d, 1886, at eight o'clock, in the Council Chamber.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smithers, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman and Waterman.

NAYS—None.



Councilman Markey offered the following motion; which was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That the City Civil Engineer be and he is hereby instructed to direct the Sun Vapor Light Company to erect and light lamps on the following streets:

Six lamps on Downey street, between Madison avenue and East street.

Six lamps on Dunlap street, between Madison avenue and East street.

Six lamps on Nebraska street, between Madison avenue and East street.

Six lamps on Lincoln Lane, between Madison avenue and East street.

Councilman McGroarty offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the City Engineer be, and he is hereby directed to advertise for bids to build a stone wall on the north bank of Pogue's run, from Tennessee street to Willard street.

Councilman Newland offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, ordered to place a double stone crossing across Prospect street, at the intersection of south Olive street.

Councilman Newland presented the following remonstrances; which were ordered filed with the ordinance:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—The undersigned owners of real estate fronting on Woodlawn avenue, north side between Dillon street and the third street east, respectfully remonstrate against the passage of an ordinance providing for the paving with brick six feet wide the north sidewalk between Dillon street and the third street east.

J. A. Donovan, 30 feet; E. L. Atkinson, 90 feet; S. W. Hawkey, 40 feet; Ed. H. Lubbe, 40 feet; Dudley T. Cloud, 40 feet; Anna A. Cloud, 40 feet; N. Yoke, 120 feet; James T. Layman, 80 feet; Louisa C. and Mary & Kate Layman, 80 feet.

To the Honorable Mayor, and Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—We the undersigned real estate owners, fronting on Reed street, between Woodlawn avenue and the C., I., St. L. & C. R. R., would most respectfully petition your honorable bodies not to award any contract for improving said street under special ordinance No. 95, 1886. We do not especially remonstrate against the improvement of said street, but the ordinance above mentioned provides that the street shall be made of raked River or Fall Creek gravel, which would make the improvement cost us at least one-third more than if it was made of creek gravel which can be got out of Pleasant Run, and we think would make a good street. We would therefore respectfully petition your honorable bodies to cause said special ordinance to be repealed, and an ordinance passed to make the street of creek gravel.

We heartily approve of this; in fact we would be glad to have the entire improvement postponed until better times.

H. D. Pierce, T. C. Moore, Wm. H. English, Helen M. Rockwood, Thames Loan and Trust Co., by Aldrich, agent; Wm. E. Rockwood, Lucretia Shaffer, Louis H. Mueller, Helen Rockwood Edson, Samuel Sullivan, T. D. Hamilton, Minnie Potter, Mary C. Hamilton, Geo. Cleerkeatt, Wm. Wallace, Receiver of Fletcher & Sharpe, and Newton Simonson.

We would insist upon the use of Pleasant Run gravel, as we believe it can be had cheaper, but do not wish a delay in the improving of said street.

D. A. & M. A. Ralston, Misses Lueders, R. O. Hawkins.

We would insist that the improvement be made with the least possible outlay, and that such material be used as will bring about said result. If the pleasant Run gravel is cheaper, then to use that.

J. H. RICE, Aud. of State.

Pleasant Creek gravel will make a better street than River, and hope you will change the ordinance.

Tucker & Dorsey, Manuf'g Co.

Councilman Newland offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements, with power to act:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby ordered to do what work is necessary to protect the street and sidewalks on Linden street, at Pleasant Run.

Councilman Newland presented the following petition; which was referred to the Committee on Markets:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis:

*Gentlemen*.—The undersigned respectfully says that he cannot pay the present rate of huckster and peddler license without great distress to himself and family financially, and asks that a special action be taken by your honorable body relative to all disabled peddlers; and your petitioner will ever pray.

SAMUEL LOVE.

Councilman Pearson offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to fill chuck-holes on north Mississippi street from North to Second street.

Councilman Reinecke offered the following motions; which were referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby directed to clean the gutters in McCarty, Bradshaw, Buchanan, Beaty, Greer and Water streets, (all in the 22d Ward).

That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby directed to place a stone crossing at the crossings of East street, at the intersection of the south side of Bicking street.

Councilman Reinecke presented a petition, signed by eighty-five citizens, to have Raugh & Co's. establishment on East street, at the Belt Railroad, declared a nuisance; which was referred to the Committee on Public Health and Board of Health.

Councilman Reinecke offered the following motion; which was adopted:

WHEREAS, one Mr. Thibben is owner of Lot number thirty-four (34) in Munson's subdivision in Barth heirs' addition to the City of Indianapolis. And

Whereas, the said owner of Lot thirty-four (34) is now erecting a frame building on said Lot thirty-four (34) in Munson's subdivision. And

Whereas, the city will have to secure part of said Lot thirty-four (34) for the purpose of opening and extending Orange street west to the width of fifty feet, the



Barth heirs having dedicated a strip of ground to the width of twenty-five (25) feet to be used as a street. Therefore, be it moved

That the City Clerk be directed to notify said owner of Lot thirty-four (34) of the proposed use of said Lot.

Councilman Reinecke offered the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the owners of the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots No. 19 and 20, in Hendricks' addition to the City of Indianapolis, which lots front south on Dougherty street, between south East street and Wright street of the City of Indianapolis, be, and they are hereby, required to fill or drain the same, as in the opinion of this Council, there is a hole or excavation thereon, in which water has or may become so stagnant or noxious as to be a nuisance and injurious to the health and comfort of said city and of the inhabitants thereof, and that the Street Commissioner be, and he is hereby required to notify the owners thereof, as provided by an ordinance passed April 28, 1866, entitled "An ordinance providing for the drainage and filling up of ponds, excavations and holes, and prescribing penalties for the failure to fill up or drain the same," and that in case of the failure of the owners thereof to fill or drain the same, the Street Commissioner proceed to fill or drain the said hole or excavation as provided in said ordinance: *Provided*, that the cost thereof shall not exceed ten per cent. of the value of the aforesaid real estate as assessed upon the tax duplicate for city purposes.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain Thalman. and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

Councilman Pearson offered the following motion; which was adopted :

That the matter of the improvement of Washington street, as contemplated by S. O. No. 40, 1886, and the bids for the same, be referred to a Special Committee of three Councilmen, two Aldermen, City Attorney and City Civil Engineer, with instructions to determine whether or not all bids should be rejected and the same re-advertised for bids, or a new ordinance drafted, omitting all items in the present ordinance that can be properly omitted; and that the owners of real estate along the line of said proposed improvement be requested to meet with such Special Committee.

And His Honor, the Mayor, appointed Councilmen Cummings, Waterman and Benjamin, on part of the Common Council, as the above provided-for Special Committee.

His Honor, the Mayor, presented the following remonstrance; which was referred to the above Special Committee :

*Indianapolis, Ind., July 10, 1886.*

To His Honor, Mayor Denny, and Members of the City Council and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen*:—The undersigned petitioners, property owners and Trustees for the property fronting on Washington street, between Pennsylvania and Delaware streets, pray your honorable body will not allow the bowlder street between the above named Pennsylvania and Delaware streets to be taken up and re-laid with wooden blocks or other material, at the expense of the property holders fronting the same. That the City of Indianapolis, years since, passed an ordinance to grade

and bowlder the above named street, to be at the expense of the property owners fronting the same, and the same was done and received by the city as finished work, and paid for by the property holders as per ordinance of the City Council, and the same has been kept in repair by the city from year to year.

We beg leave to file this our remonstrance against any further tax against the property holders fronting as above on Washington street, between Pennsylvania and Delaware streets. And we ever pray.

James Johnson, about 18 feet; Catharine J. Holmes, about 18 feet; Esther A. Bristor, 29½ feet; Mrs. R. K. Clark, Sarah I. Kinder Mary K. Trumbull and Sandford C. Davis, Kinder heirs, 46½ feet; Margaret S. Coffman, 33 feet; Robert B. Duncan, 21 feet; John W. Ray, Trustee, 21 f. et.

Councilman Rooker presented the following petition; which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen.*—Your petitioners represent and show that long prior to and during the years 1884-5 to 6 they were the owners of forty-seven feet off of the north side of Lot No. 5, and seven feet off of the south side of Lot No. four (4) in block No. 12 in Drake's addition to Indianapolis.

That in the year 1885 there was charged up against the above described real estate a delinquent tax of forty-two dollars and eighty cents, which was a tax against the south half of Lot No. 11, in Yandes & Wilkins subdivision of square No. one hundred in the City of Indianapolis. In other words, it was charged against both pieces of real estate, but was the tax of the last described lot. Petitioners were the owners of the last described lot of real estate, which they sold to I. N. Patterson, and said purchaser paid said tax of \$42.80, but when so paid, it was not credited on the duplicate against the lot in Drake's addition. When your petitioners paid their taxes in April, 1886, upon the lot above described in Drake's addition, they paid again the sum \$42.80, which was the same tax paid by I. N. Pattison upon lot above described in Yandes & Wilkin's subdivision.

Wherefore your petitioners ask that thfs \$4 .80 so illegally taxed and collected from them be refunded. Your petitioners file herewith the certifiacte of J. C. Adams, Auditor of Marion county, Indiana, showing and certifying to the truth of facts herein set out.

W. A. PATTISON,  
E. M. PATTISON.

No. 24.]

CITY.

[Duplicate No. 17,485.

STATE OF INDIANA, *Marion County, Sct.:*

I hereby certify that E. M. Pattison is improperly chaiged on the tax duplicate of 1884 with extra delinquency, Dup City Clerk. Treasurer will deduct \$42.80.

Witness my hand this 8th day of February, 1886.

J. C. ADAMS, Auditor Marion Co.

Councilman Rooker offered the following motion:

That the Chief Fire Engineer be, and he is hereby, directed to strike the following clause from the Rules and Regulations governing the Fire Department, viz:

"Any member of the department who shall neglect to pay any just debt contracted during his connection with the department, after being notified that such a claim has been filed against him, shall be subject to suspension or dismissal."

Councilman Thalman moved to refer the above motion to the Special Committee on Fire Department; which, on motion by Councilman Rooker, was laid on the table by the following vote:

AYES, 20--viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, and Waterman.

NAYS, 4--viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Pearson, Smithers and Thalman.

And the original motion was then adopted by the following vote :

AYES, 14--viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Rooker, Smith, and Swain.

NAYS, 10--viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Cummings, Mack Pearson, Reinecke Reynolds, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, and Waterman.

Councilman Rooker offered the following motion; which was adopted :

That the City Civil Engineer notify contractor Levi Wright that he must complete his contract for the grading and graveling of the east side of Hall Place street before the next regular meeting of this Council, or his contract will be forfeited.

The following message was read, and the action of the Board of Aldermen *non* concurred in :

To the Mayor and Common Council :

*Gentlemen:*—The Board of Aldermen in regular session held in the Aldermanic Chamber this evening, July 12th. 1886, adopted the following motions :

“That the lower part of the City Hall be by the Architect arranged for occupancy by meat and fish men, and then be leased to them.”

“That John Cooper remove 60 feet of the west end of the old Market House by the 16th of July, 1886, and the remainder of said building by the 25th of July, 1886, under the bid heretofore made.”

I submit the same for your consideration.

JOSEPH T. FANNING,  
Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Councilman Smith presented the following claim, which was referred to the Building Committee on Market House and Public Buildings:

Indianapolis, July 6, 1886.

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS,

	<i>To J. H. Stem,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
For drawings for City Hall and Market House.....		\$5,231 10
For City Hall.....		3,375 50
Profits for superintendents.....		1,020 95
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Total.....		\$9,627 55
Cash.....		1,900 00
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Amount due.....		\$7,727 55

Councilman Smith offered the following motion; which was adopted :

That the City Civil Engineer be instructed to notify property owners at No. 449 north New Jersey street, west side, to change their numbers to correspond with regular ones.

Councilman Reynolds offered the following motion; which was adopted :



That the Street Commissioner be instructed to open Parker avenue, at the crossing of the Belt Railroad.

Councilman Reynolds offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements, with power to act:

That Mr. Sugart be permitted to take thirty loads of dirt off of Orange street, in order to complete a job of grading he is doing near said street.

Councilman Smither offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to clean the gutters on Indiana avenue, from North street to the Creek; also, Douglass street, from North street to Indiana avenue; also, West street, on the west side, from North street to Sixth street.

Councilman Stuckmeyer offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby directed to clean the gutters and fill the chuck-holes on Elm street from Pine street to Dillon street.

Councilman Stuckmeyer presented the following petition; which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis:

*Gentlemen*.—The undersigned, owners of real estate fronting on and in vicinity of first alley north of South street, between the first alley east of East street and the first alley west of Noble street, respectfully petition for the passage of a resolution providing for opening to a regular uniform width, the alley above described and between the points named.

Peter FitzFadden, 35 feet; A. H. Baker, Julia V. Smith, Chas. W. Gorsuch, I. S. Briggs, J. Ittenbach, Kate VanDeusen, J. W. Lamb, Fred Gansberg, 60 feet; Chas. F. Seiner, 30 feet; C. Henry Bock, 33 feet; George Johantgen, 30 feet; H. Cummins, 80 feet.

Councilman Swain presented the following remonstrance; which was ordered filed with the ordinance:

Indianapolis, June 88, 1886.

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen*.—The undersigned, owners of real estate fronting on Pennsylvania street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, respectfully remonstrate against the passage of an ordinance providing for the curbing and guttering of said Pennsylvania street between Seventh and Eighth streets.

Williams & Coe, 100 feet; Dr. F. M. Abbett, 40 feet; John W. Barkalow, 40 feet; W. W. Woollen, per Mary A. E. Woollen, 60 feet; W. N. Duzan, for Mrs. A. A. Duzan, 80 feet; Frank E. Smith, 40 feet; Charles H. Sherman, 40 feet; J. H. Smart, per L. D. Swan, Private Secretary, 80 feet; Elizabeth Talbott, by W. H. Talbott, Agent, 590 feet; Wm. Johnson & Kate E., 40 feet.

Councilman Thalman offered the following motions; which were adopted:

That Mrs. Jones be granted permission to put in stone curbing in front of her property, No. 273 North Illinois street, at her own expense, and under the direction of the Civil Engineer.

That W. H. Brown have permission to make water and gas connections to his new building on Meridian street, he to put same in as good repair as it now is, under the direction of the City Engineer.

Councilman Waterman offered the following motions; which were adopted:

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the property owners of 36 and 38 north East street to repair the sidewalk in front of their property, and if not done within 15 days, that said work be done by the Street Commissioner at the expense of the property owners.

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to place a double stone crossing on the south side of Ohio street across Noble street.

Councilman McClelland reported back S. O. 56, 1886, (which was referred to him at last meeting), and moved that the Common Council adhere to its former action; which was adopted.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys, Mayor, and City Attorney, through Councilman Dunn, submitted the following report:

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—The undersigned, members of the Committee on Streets and Alley, together with the Mayor and City Attorney, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 44, 1886, beg leave to report that they have made the corrections and amendments necessary therein to the satisfaction of the Citizens' Co-operative Telephone Company, and at the same time to the satisfaction of your committee, and we herewith return said ordinance for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. DENNY, Mayor.

WM. I. TAYLOR, City Attorney.

Edward Dunn,

Julius F. Reinecke,

John H. Herig,

Committee on Streets and Alleys.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and read the third time:

G. O. 44, 1886—An ordinance to amend Sections five, eight, ten, eleven and fourteen, and to repeal Sections four and nine, of General Ordinance No. 22, 1886, entitled "An ordinance granting the Citizens' Co-operative Telephone Company permission to use the streets and alleys of the City of Indianapolis in constructing, operating and maintaining lines of telephones in said city;" ordained and established on the 24th day of May, 1886.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 23—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman and Waterman.

NAYS, 2—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, and Edenharter.

Councilman Swain moved that the Common Council do now adjourn.

Which failed of adoption, by the following vote:

AYES, 6—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Cummings, McGroarty, Rooker, Smith, and Swain.

NAYS, 19—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, and Waterman.

Councilman Rooker moved to make the following entitled ordinance a Special Order of business for next Monday evening:

G. O. 42, 1886.—An ordinance to amend Sections one and two of an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance to amend Sections one and two of an ordinance entitled: 'An ordinance prohibiting cows, horses and other animals from running at large within the corporate limits of the City of Indianapolis; to provide for the impounding, keeping, sale and redemption thereof, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, ordained and established June 11, 1883,' which said amended ordinance was ordained and established June 14, 1886."

Which failed of adoption.

Councilman Coy moved to take up G. O. 42, 1886, for passage.

Councilman Thalman moved to lay that motion on the table.

Which failed of adoption, by the following vote:

AYES, 10—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Cummings, Dunn, McClelland, McGroarty, Pearson, Rooker, Smith, Swain, and Thalman.

NAYS, 15—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Dell, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, Newland, Reinecke, Reynolds, Smither, Stuckmeyer, and Waterman.

Councilman Swain moved to adjourn.

Which failed of adoption, by the following vote:

AYES, 10—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Cummings, Dunn, McGroarty, Pearson, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Swain, and Thalman.

NAYS, 15—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Dell, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, Newland, Reinecke, Smither, Stuckmeyer, and Waterman.

Councilman Thalman moved to refer G. O. 42, 1886, to a Special Committee.

Councilman Coy moved to lay that motion on the table.

Which was adopted, by the following vote:

AYES, 13—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Dell, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, Newland, Reinecke, Stuckmeyer, and Waterman.

NAYS, 12—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Cummings, Dunn, McClelland, McGroarty, Pearson, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Swain, and Thalman.



Councilman Swain moved to adjourn.

Which motion failed of adoption, by the following vote :

AYES, 11—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Cummings, Dunn, McClelland, McGroarty, Pearson, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Swain, and Thalman.

NAYS, 14—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Dell, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, Newland, Reinecke, Smither, Stuckmeyer, and Waterman.

Councilman Rooker moved the previous question.

Which was ordered, by the following vote:

AYES, 14—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Dell, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, Newland, Reinecke, Smither, Stuckmeyer, and Waterman.

NAYS, 11—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Cummings, Dunn, McClelland, McGroarty, Pearson, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Swain, and Thalman.

Councilman Rooker moved to refer the ordinance to the Committee on Judiciary.

Councilman Coy moved to lay that motion on the table.

Pending action on the above motion, it being now eleven o'clock, by virtue of Rule 61 :

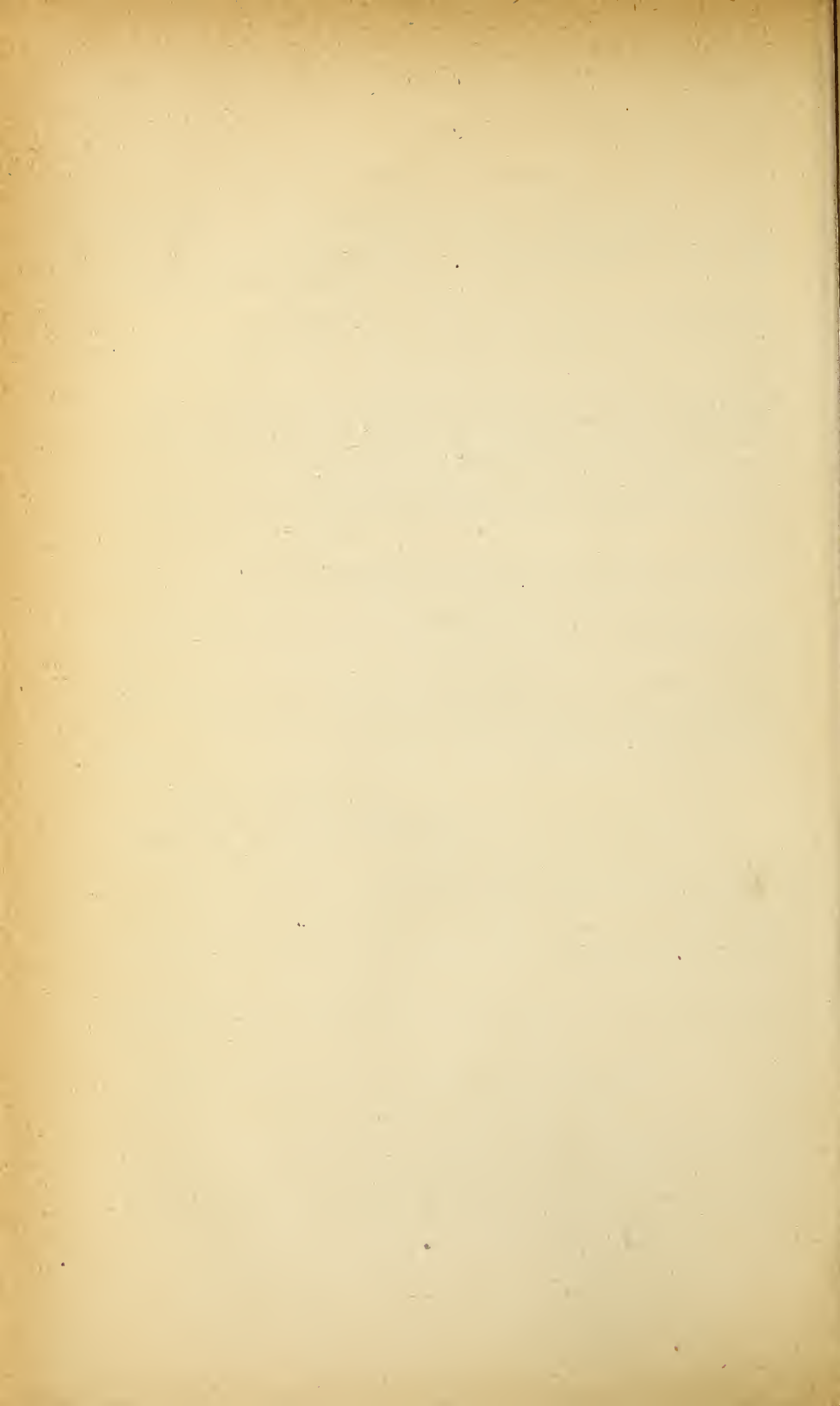
*" The Council shall not, without a suspension of the rules by a two-thirds vote, sit later on any evening than eleven o'clock."*

The Common Council was declared adjourned.

C. S. DENNY, Mayor,

President of the Common Council

Attest: MICHAEL F. SHIELDS, City Clerk.



# PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

REGULAR SESSION—JULY 12, 1886.

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, met in the Aldermanic Chamber, Monday evening, July 12th, A. D. 1886, at eight o'clock, in regular session.

**PRESENT**—Hon. Thomas E. Endly, President of the Board of Aldermen, in the Chair, and Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Pritchard, Prier, Rail, Schmidt, and Wright—9.

**ABSENT**, 1—viz: Alderman Brown.

The Proceedings of the Board of Aldermen for the regular session held June 14th, the special session held June 15th, and the regular session held June 28th, 1886, having been printed and placed on the desks of the Aldermen, said Journals were approved as published.

## MESSAGES AND PAPERS FROM THE COMMON COUNCIL.

The following message was read and received :

To the President and Members of the Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen*:—I submit herewith the following papers for your consideration, favorably passed upon by the Common Council, at its adjourned session held July 7th, 1886.

For the Common Council:

MICHAEL F. SHIELDS, City Clerk.

The following communication from His Honor, the Mayor, (see page 576,) *ante*,) was read and received:

*Indianapolis, Ind., July 7, 1886.*

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen*:—On the 29th ult., Cas. Byfield, Trustee, paid the sum of \$350.00 on account of the Pattison deficit, and to-day he paid the further sum of \$14,212.64 on the same account. I credited said amounts on the written guaranty of N. S. Byram and others, and paid the money over to the County Treasurer, for the use of the city, having the same credited to the Additional City Hall Fund.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. DENNY, Mayor.

The report from the Treasurer for the City, showing the receipts and disbursements during the month of June, 1886, (see page 586, *ante*), was read and received.

The report from the City Clerk, showing orders drawn on the Treasurer during the month of June, 1886, (see pages 585 and 586, *ante*), was read and received.

The report from the City Civil Engineer, (accompanied with estimates, (see pages 576, 579 and 578, *ante*), was read, and the favorable action of the Common Council thereon, was concurred in.



The following estimate resolution (see page 578, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Richter & Twiname, for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of St. Joseph street, from Pennsylvania street to the first alley west of Pennsylvania street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 578, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of George W. Buchanan, for grading and graveling Tenth street and sidewalks, from Central avenue to Greenwood street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 578, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Lemuel Eaglen, for grading and graveling the first alley south of New York street, from Blake street to Minerva street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 579, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Fred. Gansberg, for grading and graveling the first alley south of Stevens street, from Water street to Virginia avenue, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 979, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Seibert, for grading and graveling McGinnis street and sidewalks, from McCarty street to Ray street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 579, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Joseph Bernauer, for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Olive street, from Prospect street to Orange street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 579, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Richter & Twiname, for grading and paving with brick the east sidewalk of Pine street, from Market street to Washington street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 580, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Henry C. Roney, for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Seventh street, from Mississippi street to the C., I., St. L. & C. R. R., be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 580, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of R. P. Dunning, for grading and graveling Patterson street and sidewalks, from Vermont street to the first alley north of Vermont street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 580, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of R. P. Dunning, for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Christian avenue, from Bellefontaine avenue to the Wabash Railroad, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 581, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of R. P. Dunning, for grading and graveling the first alley south of Second street, from Illinois street to Superior street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 581, *ante*), was read:



*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of J. L. Spaulding, for grading and graveling the first alley north of Pratt street, from Illinois street to the first alley west of Illinois street, be, and the same is hereby adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 581, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of David A. Haywood, for grading and paving with brick the west sidewalk of Peru street, from Seventh street to Eighth street, be, and the same is hereby adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the amounts set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 581, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of David A. Haywood, for grading and paving with brick the south side of Brookside avenue, from Omer street to the first alley east of Omer street, be, and the same is hereby adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 582, *ante*), was read:

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of J. W. Cooper & Co., for grading and graveling the first alley east of Virginia avenue, from Huron street to Noble street, be, and the same is hereby adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 582, *ante*), was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Robert Kennington, for grading and graveling Herbert street and sidewalks, from Tennessee street to Mississippi street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 582, *ante*), was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Seibert, for grading and graveling the first alley south of McCarty street, from Greer street to Beaty street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 583, *ante*), was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of S. Hoover, for grading and graveling the first alley east of Alabama street, from Seventh street to the State Ditch, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Hrier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution (see page 583, *ante*), was read :

*Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis,* That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Richter & Twiname, for grading and graveling the first alley east of Park avenue, from Christian avenue to Butler street be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.



The report of the City Civil Engineer, submitting certain contracts and bonds (see pages 583 and 584, *ante*), was read, and the favorable action of the Common Council thereon, was concurred in.

The report of the Street Commissioner, and the action of the Common Council thereon, (see pages 586 and 587, *ante*), was read, and the action of the Common Council was concurred in.

The report from the City Attorney (see pages 584 and 585, *ante*), was read and received.

The semi-annual report of the Chief Fire Engineer (see page 587, *ante*), was read and received.

The report of the Superintendent of the City Dispensary for the month of June, was read and received.

The report from the Superintendent of the City Hospital for month of June, 1886, was read and received.

The Mortality report of the Board of Health for June, 1886, was received.

The report of the Board of Public Improvements and Street Commissioner, showing expenses for street repair department for June, 1886, (see page 587, *ante*), was read and received.

The following report of Committee on Public Property (see page 589, *ante*), was read, and referred the Committee on Markets and Public Property:

To the Mayor, Common Council, and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—Your Committee on Public Property, to whom was referred the communication from W. H. Tucker, Commissioner of Garfield Park, relative to improving of said Park, and appointing additional members forming a Board of Commissioners, &c., make the following report:

Recommend, in addition to the present Commissioner, that the members of the Committees on Public Property of the Council and Board of Aldermen, and City Civil Engineer, be appointed on said board. We further recommend that the City Civil Engineer be directed to carry out his instructions for advertising for proposals to construct a bridge and rip-rap wall in said Park; and that he further advertise for proposals for re-fencing the Park, and said proposals to state a price per lineal foot, for iron, wire or lumber fence, complete. We would further recommend that the Street Commissioner be directed to have said Park cleaned up.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred. J. Mack,  
Isaac Thalman,  
Edward Dunn,  
Committee on Public Property.

The report from the Committee on Streets and Alleys, (see page 590, *ante*), was read and received.

The following report and resolution (see page 791, *ante*), from the Committee on Streets and Alleys were read:



To the Mayor and Common Council:

*Gentlemen:*—Your Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom was referred the petition of B. W. Hartly, John Eberhart and others, for the opening and extension of Lincoln Lane, from its eastern terminus to Shelby street, recommend the prayers of the petitioners be granted, and that the accompanying resolution, relative thereto, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward Dunn,  
Julius F. Reinecke,  
John H. Herig,  
Committee on Streets and Alleys.

*Resolved,* That the petition of B. W. Hartley, John Eberhart and others, praying for the opening and extension of Lincoln Lane, from its eastern terminus to Shelby street, be referred to the City Commissioners, with instructions to assess benefits and damages, and to make due report to the Common Council and Board of Aldermen; the Commissioners to return all petitions and notices. The City Clerk is hereby required to issue the proper notices, and the Superintendent of Metropolitan Police is hereby directed to serve the notices upon the City Commissioners and property holders.

The report was received, and the resolution concurrently adopted, by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following report from the same committee (see pages 591 and 592, *ante*), was read, and concurrently adopted:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—The undersigned, Committee on Streets and Alleys, together with the City Attorney, to whom was referred the plat of the Mansur & Wright subdivision to Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8, in Isaac Harris' subdivision to Square 4, in Harris' addition in Out-lot 157, in the City of Indianapolis, report that we have considered the same, have examined the territory therein embraced, and recommend that said plat be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. L. TAYLOR, City Attorney.

Edward Dunn,  
Julius F. Reinecke,  
John H. Herig,  
Committee on Streets and Alleys.

#### APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES.

This being the regular appropriation night, the following entitled Appropriation Ordinances (passed by the Common Council) were placed on their final passage without a suspension of the Rules.

The following entitled ordinance was read the first and second times, and then read the third time:

Ap. O. 36, 1886—An ordinance appropriating the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, on account of the Street Repair Department of the City of Indianapolis.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright, and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the first and second times, and then read the third time:

Ap. O. 37, 1886—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis on account of the Fire Department. [Amount appropriated, \$1,003.49.]

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the first and second times, and then read the third time:

Ap. O. 38, 1885—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis, on account of the City Hospital and Branch. [Amount appropriated, \$1,071.86.]

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS,—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the first and second times, and then read the third time:

Ap. O. 39, 1886—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis. [Amount appropriated, \$12,675.35.]

And it was passed by the following vote:

NAYS, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the first and second times, and then read the third time:

Ap. O. 40, 1886—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis, on account of the Station House. [Amount appropriated, \$141.47.]

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following message was read:

To the President and Members of the Board of Aldermen:

*Gentlemen:*—I submit herewith the following papers for your consideration, favorably passed upon by the Common Council at its session held July 12th, 1886.

For the Common Council:

MICHAEL F. SHIELDS, City Clerk.

The following report from the Building Committee was read:



To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen:*—It is important to decide at once whether the butchers are to occupy the market floor of the Tomlinson Hall building, or the new Market House now in contemplation of being built. The architect desires to proceed at once to have the stalls laid off and constructed in the building already erected, but must know whether vegetable marketers are to occupy it, or whether your honorable bodies desire it for butchers and fish dealers, before he can proceed with the work. The architect says he can arrange the new Market House to be erected to a much better advantage for the sale of meats and fish than the present one, and he strongly recommends the establishment of vegetable and fruit stalls in the building already completed, and that the new building, when done, be set apart exclusively for meat and fish dealers. A restaurant can be located in the rear end of the present building if this plan is carried out, the arrangement at that location being well adapted to such a use; but if meats are sold in this building, no one would likely desire the space referred to for such a purpose. A restaurant could not be located in the new building, for the reason that no provision for fire or heat of any kind is to be made in it.

Under these circumstances, we recommend that the suggestions of the architect be approved.

2 Your committee received bids to remove the old market sheds and other material off of the market square, to a point 160 feet east of the east side of Tomlinson Hall, the space indicated to be cleared on or before the 16th inst. John W. Cooper proposes to pay the city the sum of \$30.00 for the privilege, he to have such of the material as belongs to the city. He being the best bidder, we recommend that his bid be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. Denny, Mayor,  
John R. Pearson,  
Thomas E. Endly,  
Joseph H. Howes,  
Isaac King,  
Building Committee.

Alderman Pritchard moved to *non-concur* in the first clause of the above report; which motion was adopted.

Alderman Pritchard offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the lower part of the City Hall be by the Architect arranged for occupancy by meat and fish men, and then be leased to them.

Alderman Pritchard moved to *non-concur* in the second clause of the above report; which motion was adopted.

Alderman Pritchard offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That John Cooper remove 60 feet of the west end of the old Market House by the 16th of July, 1886, and the remainder of said building by the 25th of July, 1886, under his bid heretofore made.

The Finance Committee, through Alderman Schmidt, submitted the following report; which was concurred in:

To the President and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen:*—Your committee to whom was referred the report of the Committee on Finance of the Council, and petition from the Board of "Home for Friendless Women," has given the matter due consideration, and we recommend the adoption of said report.

Respectfully submitted,

Lorenz Schmidt,  
H. W. Laut,  
Committee on Finance



The Committee on Streets and Alleys, through Alderman Schmidt, submitted the following reports, which were concurred in :

To the President and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen:*—Your committee to whom referred Special Ordinance No. 54, providing for paving with brick the east sidewalk of Dorman street between Michigan and St. Clair street, recommend that said ordinance be not passed, for the reason that it is not accompanied by a petition asking that the work be done, and a large number of the property owners remonstrate against the passage of the ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

Lorenz Schmidt,

John Rail,

H. J. Prier,

Committee on Streets and Alleys.

To the President and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen:*—Your Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom was referred the motion permitting David Pepper to erect a steam escape post in front of room 4, Bates House, West Washington street, recommend that the action of the Council be concurred in, providing that it be so constructed as to not annoy adjoining tenants.

Respectfully submitted,

Lorenz Schmidt,

John Rail,

H. J. Prier,

Committee on Streets and Alleys.

The following report from the Building Committee was read, and the action of the Common Council thereon, was concurred in.

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen :

*Gentlemen:*—Your Building Committee advertised for proposals for the erection of the new Market House in the following daily papers, viz.:

Indianapolis News, June 29th.

Indianapolis Journal, June 30th.

Indianapolis Times, June 30th.

Indianapolis Sentinel, July 1st.

In response to these advertisements we received nine (9) sealed proposals, which were opened on Saturday, July 10th, showing the following result, viz.:

Proposal by P. Routier, \$33,760 and \$450 extra for tile roof, if wanted.

Proposal by E. F. Gobel \$33,564 and \$400 extra for tile roof, if wanted:

Proposal by Salisbury & Stanley \$33,291 and \$460 extra for tile roof, if wanted.

Proposal by Jungclaus & Schumaker, \$32,795.

Proposal by Schover & Christian, \$32,239 and no extra charge for tile roof.

Proposal by M. K. Fatout, 31,900 and \$400 extra for tile roof.

Proposal by G. Ittenbach & Co., 30,400 and 33,300 extra for tile roof.

Proposal by Nuerge & Reinking, \$30,296 and \$300 extra for tile roof.

Proposal by J. A. Buchanan, \$29,225 and \$300 extra for tile roof.

As Mr. J. A. Buchanan is the lowest bidder, we recommend that the contract be awarded to him at \$29,225, and that your committee have power to add tile roof, if thought proper.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. Denny, Mayor,

John R. Pearson,

Joseph H. Howes,

Thomas E. Endly,

Isaac King,

Building Committee.

Indianapolis, July 12th, 1886.

The contract and bond of J. A. Buchanan, for the erection of the new Market House, and the action of the Common Council thereon, (see page 596, *ante*), was read.

Alderman Wright moved to *non-concur* in the action of the Common Council in increasing the penalty of the bond from \$10.00 to \$25.00 per day, and to approve the contract and bond as originally presented to the Council; which motion was adopted.

The following motion was read, and concurrently adopted:

That the City Civil Engineer be authorized to employ an assistant for sixty days if in his judgment he needs the same, for the purpose of preparing plans, &c., for tunnels and bridges on Illinois and Meridian streets, and the first alley east.

The following resolution was read:

*Resolved*, That the City Clerk be, and he is hereby, instructed to give the proper legal notice, by publication, of the meeting of the Common Council, Board of Aldermen, City Clerk and Township Assessor, as a Board of Equalization, such meeting to be held on Monday evening, August 2d, 1886, at eight o'clock, in the Council Chamber.

And it was concurrently adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Aldermen Crosby, King, Laut, Prier, Pritchard, Rail, Schmidt, Wright and President Endly.

NAYS—None.

The following motions were read, and concurrently adopted:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, ordered to place a double stone crossing across Prospect street, at the intersection of south Olive street.

WHEREAS, one Mr. Thibben is owner of Lot number thirty-four (34) in Munson's subdivision in Barth heirs' addition to the City of Indianapolis. And

Whereas, the said owner of Lot thirty-four (34) is now erecting a frame building on said Lot thirty-four (34) in Munson's subdivision. And

Whereas, the city will have to secure part of said Lot thirty-four (34) for the purpose of opening and extending Orange street west to the width of fifty feet, the Barth heirs having dedicated a strip of ground to the width of twenty-five (25) feet to be used as a street. Therefore, be it moved

That the City Clerk be directed to notify said owner of Lot thirty-four (34) of the proposed use of said Lot.

Alderman King offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to have the tree on the south sidewalk of Woodlawn avenue, between Olive and Linden street, removed.

On motion, G. G. 24, 1886, was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

The contract and bond of J. A. Buchanan was returned from the Common Council, and concurrently approved as originally presented.

On motion the Board of Aldermen then adjourned.

THOMAS E. ENDLY, President.

Attest: JOSEPH T. FANNING, Clerk.