

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR SESSION.

CHAMBER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE }
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, }
Monday, Feb. 24, 1873, 7 o'clock, P. M. }

The Common Council met in regular session.

Present—His Honor, the Mayor, Daniel Macauley, in the chair,
and the following members:

Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber,
Hardesty, Kahn, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thal-
man, Whitsit, Wiles and Woodburn—16.

Absent—Councilmen Cottrell and Reagan—2.

The proceedings of the special session held Feb. 13th, and of
the regular session held Feb. 17, 1873, were read and approved.

Sealed proposals for placing the names of streets on lamp-posts, &c., were received, opened, read and referred to the Committee on Contracts.

REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

The City Civil Engineer made the following report:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 24, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby report the following work finished according to contract:

Hiram Seibert, for grading and graveling Merrill street from East street to Virginia avenue:

Length on north side 688 ft. 3 in.

Length on south side 722 ft. 8 in.

Total length 1410 ft. 11 in.

At 87 cents per lineal foot \$1,227 50

Respectfully submitted.

R. M. PATTERSON, City Engineer.

Which was concurred in.

The City Clerk made the following report:

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK,
INDIANAPOLIS, February 24, 1873. }

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

GENTLEMEN:—The City Clerk would respectfully report the first and final estimate allowed Hiram Seibert for grading and graveling Merrill street from East street to Virginia avenue.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN R. CLINTON, City Clerk.

Which was concurred in.

Also, the following resolution:

Resolved, That the foregoing first and final estimate of Hiram Seibert for grading and graveling Merrill street from East street to Virginia avenue, be

and the same is hereby adopted as the estimate of this Council, and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Hardesty, Kahn, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman, Whitsit, Wiles and Woodburn—15.

Negative—None.

The Board of Health submitted the following report :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 24, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis :

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Health submits the following mortality report for the week ending Feb. 24, 1873 :

Under 1 year.....	5
From 1 to 2 years	0
From 2 and 5 years	0
From 5 to 10 years.....	0
From 10 to 15 years.....	1
From 15 to 20 years.....	0
From 20 to 25 years.....	4
From 25 to 30 years.....	3
From 30 to 40 years..	3
From 40 to 50 years..	1
From 50 to 60 years....	2
From 60 to 70 years.....	0
From 70 to 80 years..	2
From 80 to 90 years.....	0
From 90 to 100 years.....	0
100 and upwards.....	0
Unknown.....	0
Total.....	21

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. COMINGOR, M. D., Pres't.

W. WANDS, M. D., Secretary.

Which was received.

The City Assessor presented the following :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 24, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis :

GENTLEMEN:—The tax duplicate shows that E. H. Koller, Wm. Y. Wiley, Herman Sturm, S. A. Fletcher, I. N. Phipps, Ed. King, Ovid Butler, R. L. McQuat, C. H. Bals, W. H. Talbot, Mary Holman, R. B. Duncan, T. A. Morris and James Morrison's heirs, are each taxed with tracts of lands of more than five acres, which, according to a late decision of the Supreme Court are not taxable. We ask your honorable body to make some order to relieve the City Officers and the tax payers of the embarrassment in which we are placed.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. HADLEY, City Assessor.

Which was received.

By consent, Mr. Wiles offered the following motion :

Moved, That the City Clerk, City Assessor and City Treasurer be authorized to strike from the duplicate the tax charged against tracts of land exceeding five acres.

Which was adopted.

Also, the following motion :-

Moved, That the City Clerk and City Treasurer report to the Council at its next meeting the names of the parties owning, and the amount of the tax paid on all tracts of land exceeding five acres.

Which was adopted.

By consent, Mr. Batty offered the following :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 24, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis :

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby tender my resignation as Councilman of the Second Ward, to take effect May 5th next.

Very respectfully,

W. D. WILES.

Which was accepted.

The City Solicitor made the following report :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 24, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis :

GENTLEMEN:—I have, in obedience to your instruction, examined the ordinance providing for the construction of a sewer on the first alley east of East street, running parallel with East street to Merrill street, thence on Merrill street one hundred and twenty feet, and am of opinion that said ordinance is so defective that it would be inexpedient to attempt to collect the tax therein provided for.

Respectfully,

B. K. ELLIOTT, City Solicitor.

Which was concurred in.

The City Solicitor made the following report :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 24, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis :

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit form of an ordinance for the purchase of the land known as the Sellers' farm.

Respectfully,

B. K. ELLIOTT, City Solicitor.

Which was received.

The City Solicitor introduced general ordinance No. 7, 1873, entitled :

An ordinance authorizing the purchase of certain lands to be used for the purpose of locating thereon slaughter houses, soap factories and establishments of like general character.

Which was read the first time.

ORDINANCES ON FIRST READING.

Mr. Sherwood presented the following petition :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 10, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis :

GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned, owners of the real estate fronting on North Meridian street, between New York street and Seventh or Tinker street, respectfully petition your honorable body to pass an ordinance providing for

the grading and paving said street with wooden block pavement and curbing the sidewalk with Flat Rock stone, between New York street and said Seventh or Tinker street, and that you provide in said ordinance for a commission composed of property owners on said street to provide specifications and to superintend the construction of said pavement. And your petitioners will ever pray, &c.

V. Butsch, W. A. Pfaff, John W. Pfaff, V. K. Hendricks,
Wm. A. Krag, and 54 others.

Which was received.

Mr. Sherwood introduced special ordinance No. 17, 1873, entitled:

An ordinance providing for grading and paving with wooden block pavement Meridian street, from the south side of New York street to Tinker or Seventh street, and curbing the sidewalks thereof with stone.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Kahn presented the following petition:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 18, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

We, the undersigned, citizens and property holders of Lockerbie street, pray and ask your honorable body to have Lockerbie street and sidewalks, from Liberty to Noble street, graded and graveled, and also have the same lighted with gas.

Fred. Simon, Wm. Jackson, Joseph Bilger and others.

Which was received.

Mr. Kahn introduced special ordinance No. 18, 1873, entitled:

An ordinance to provide for grading and graveled Lockerbie street and sidewalks from Liberty to Noble street.

Which was read the first time.

Also, special ordinance No. 19, 1873, entitled:

An ordinance to provide for the erection of lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures

complete to burn gas, except the service pipe, on Lockerbie street from Noble to Liberty street.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Bigham presented the following petition:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 24, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned, owners of the real estate fronting on East Ohio street, between Noble and Highland streets, respectfully petition your honorable body to pass an ordinance providing for the laying of gas pipes and erection of lamp-posts on Ohio street, commencing on Noble street and running east to Harvey street, and two hundred and twenty-two (222) feet east of Harvey street. And your petitioners will ever pray, &c.

Clemens Vonnegut, Gustavus G. Clark, Gustav Herrmann,
Cabinet Makers Union, and 14 others.

Which was received.

Mr. Bigham introduced special ordinance No. 20, 1873, entitled:

An ordinance to provide for the erection of lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures complete to burn gas, except the service pipe, on Ohio street, from Noble to Highland street.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Sherwood introduced general ordinance No. 8, 1873, entitled:

An ordinance authorizing the Union Railway Company of the city of Indianapolis to lay additional tracks and to extend the Union Passenger Depot over a portion of Louisiana street, and prescribing certain conditions, restrictions and regulations.

Which was read the first time, and made the special order of business for Friday evening, Feb. 28, 1873, at 7 o'clock, P. M.

Mr. Whitsit presented the following petition :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 24, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

GENTLEMEN:—We, the undersigned petitioners, pray your honorable body to cause Beatty street to be graded and graveled from McCarty street to Buchanan street, said street laying in Greer's subdivision of out-lot one hundred. Said street to be graded to stakes set by the City Civil Engineer, and graveled with good river or creek gravel to the width of twenty five feet in the center, and fifteen inches deep in center, and sloping to four inches at the edge, the sidewalks to the depth of eight inches.

Mark D. Miller, Andrew Schoen, Fred. Ritter, John Reid
William Clifford.

Which was received.

Mr. Whitsit introduced special ordinance No. 21, 1873, entitled:

An ordinance to provide for grading and graveleving Beatty street and sidewalks from McCarty to Buchanan street.

Which was read the first time.

CALL OF THE ROLL OF MEMBERS

For the Presentation of New Business.

Mr. Bigham offered the following motion :

Moved, That the City Clerk advertise for bids for the building and completion of two (2) seven hundred barrel cisterns, to be located at or near the corner of Highland and Ohio streets, and Davidson and Ohio streets, said work to be done under the direction of the Chief Fire Engineer.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department and Chief Fire Engineer.

Mr. Gimber offered the following motion :

Moved, That the Street Commissioner be, and he is hereby, directed to notify the Indianapolis, Terre Haute and Vandalia Railroad Company to plank their tracks on the crossing of West street the full width of the street, to be

done within ten days from the service of this notice; and if not done within the time specified, the Street Commissioner to do the work and charge the expense to the Railroad.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Hardesty offered the following motion :

Moved, That the City Civil Engineer set the grade stakes for Messrs. Deitz & Ballwig in front of their property, in out-lot 118, on Madison avenue, for the purpose of erecting a box factory on said premises.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Kennington offered the following motion :

Moved, That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, instructed to repair and fill up the holes on Delaware street from the Iron Bridge to Madison avenue.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Pressly offered the following motion :

Moved, That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, directed to grade the east end of Meek street, near the old corporation line. so as to properly drain the water from said part of said street.

Which was adopted.

Also the following motion :

Moved, That the City Clerk be, and is hereby, directed to advertise for proposals for building a cistern at or near Bates street and the old corporation line east, to be 600 barrel capacity.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department and Chief Fire Engineer.

Also the following motion :

Moved, That the City Clerk be, and is hereby, instructed to advertise for

bids for the extension of the sewer in the first alley east of East street, from the present terminus of said sewer to the south side of Stevens street.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Pressly, from the Committee on Bridges, made the following report:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 10, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Bridges, to whom was referred a motion to build a bridge over the crossing of Pogue's Run on Michigan street, have had the same under consideration, and would recommend that an Iron Bridge with stone abutments be built at said point fifty feet in width, and that the City Clerk be directed to advertise for proposals for the said bridge.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. PRESSLY,

L. Q. SHERWOOD,

HENRY GIMBER,

Com. on Bridges.

Which was concurred in.

Mr. Pressly, from the Committee on Public Buildings, made the following report:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 10, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Public Buildings, to whom was referred a plan for the erection of a Pest House, have examined the same, and have changed the same in some particulars, and herewith report the plan back with the changes made, and would recommend the same be built as changed. We estimate the cost to be about \$2,000.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. PRESSLY,

• LEON KAHN,

FRED. C. BOLLMAN,

Com. Pub. Buildings.

Which was concurred in.

Also the following motion :

Moved, That the City Clerk be, and is hereby, directed to advertise for sealed proposals for building a Pest House, in accordance with the recommendation of the committee.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Sherwood offered the following motion :

Moved, That John C. New be, and he is hereby, permitted to build a coal vault in front of No. 12 East Washington street, to be built in accordance with the ordinance regulating the building of coal vaults.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Thalman offered the following motion :

Moved, That the City Attorney be directed to draft an ordinance requiring property owners to number their houses on any street that the City Council may hereafter direct.

Which was adopted.

Also the following motion :

Moved, That the Street Commissioner be directed to raise the wooden blocks at the crossing of Illinois and Washington streets, so as to make a good dry crossing.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys with power to act.

Also, the following motion :

Moved, That the City Solicitor and City Clerk take such action as is legally necessary for condemning that part of the Gravel Road, within the city limits, leading west on Indiana avenue.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Thalman offered the following motion :

Moved, That a cistern be built on the corner of West and First streets.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department and Chief Fire Engineer.

Mr. Thalman, from the Board of Police, made the following report :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 24, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Board of Police, to whom was referred a motion "that we report whether or not a man was placed on the police force who is not a citizen of the State," report that to our best knowledge and information we have no such man on the force.

Respectfully,

ISAAC THALMAN,
W. D. WILES,
JOHN T. PRESSLY,
Board of Police.

Which was concurred in.

Mr. Craft offered the following motion :

Moved, That a Special Committee of three be appointed to confer with the County Commissioners in regard to securing a permanent place for holding elections in the First Ward.

Which was adopted.

His Honor, the Mayor, appointed as such committee Councilmen Craft, Kahn and Whitsit.

Mr. Craft offered the following motion :

Moved, That the roll shall be called hereafter at the opening and closing of the session of the Council, and any member not answering to his name at the second call shall be considered as having been absent from the session, and shall forfeit his pay for such meeting, unless he shall have asked for and been excused by the Council.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Wiles presented the following petition :

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 31, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis :

GENTLEMEN :—The undersigned, owners of the real estate fronting on Bolton and Rohampton and adjoining streets, and on College avenue and Oliver street and vicinity, respectfully petition your honorable body to pass a resolution providing for the removal of the railroad track running along said Bolton street to the State Fair Grounds. The Indianapolis and Peru Railroad now occupy said street, without any claim or pretence of right, greatly to the inconvenience, damage and safety of the citizens of the north east part of the city. An effort is about to be made to grade and improve said street. The railroad completely blocks any improvement. And your petitioners will ever pray, &c.

Henry C. Guffin, J. Perry Elliott, T. O. Stem, J. H. Stem,
O. P. Stem, and 24 others.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Dr. Woodburn presented the following petition :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 12, 1873.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis :

GENTLEMEN :—The undersigned, owners of real estate fronting on Tennessee street, between First street and Indiana avenue, would respectfully petition your honorable body to pass an ordinance providing for the grading, curbing with Flat Rock stone, and paving with wooden block pavement Tennessee street from the south side of Indiana avenue to the north side of First street, said wooden block paving to be sixty feet in width ; and we hereby earnestly protest and remonstrate against the granting of a petition now before your honorable body to pave said street only forty feet in width. And your petitioners with ever pray, &c.

Eliza Blake, Wm. M. Blake, Mary E. Blake, Thomas A.
Hendricks, James B. Ryan, and 23 others.

Which was received.

His Honor, the Mayor, offered the following motion :

Moved, That all the catch-basins and manholes, on the Illinois street sewer, be at once and without delay so repaired as to prevent the escape of stench and foul air, the same to be done under the direction of the Sewer Engineer.

Which was adopted.

His Honor, the Mayor, offered the following motion :

Moved, That the City Solicitor report to this Council what legal steps are necessary to accomplish the prevention of burials in the cemeteries in the southwest part of the city, the gradual removal of the bodies from the said cemeteries, and the abolition of cemeteries or burial grounds within the city limits.

Which was adopted.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING.

Special ordinance No. 8, 1873, entitled :

An ordinance providing for the grading and paving with wooden block pavement Tennessee street, and for widening the sidewalks and curbing the outer edges thereof with stone, from Indiana avenue to First street.

Was read the second time, and amended by striking out forty feet and inserting fifty feet in width, and ordered engrossed.

By unanimous consent, the rules were suspended for the purpose of reading the third time and passing the above entitled ordinance.

The above entitled ordinance was then read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kahn, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman, Whitsit, Wiles and Woodburn—16.

Negative—None.

His Honor, the Mayor, appointed citizens Daniel M. Ransdell, Hon. A. G. Porter and David Geyer as members of the Special Committee to act in conjunction with the Committee on Contracts in awarding the contract, &c.

On motion, the following ordinances were taken up, read the second time and ordered engrossed :

Special ordinance No. 138, 1872.

do	do	No. 145,	do
do	do	No. 146,	do
do	do	No. 167,	do
do	do	No. 176,	do
do	do	No. 178,	do
do	do	No. 179,	do
do	do	No. 181,	do
do	do	No. 182,	do
do	do	No. 186,	do
do	do	No. 189,	do
do	do	No. 190,	do
do	do	No. 191,	do
do	do	No. 192,	do
do	do	No. 193,	do
do	do	No. 194,	do
do	do	No. 195,	do
do	do	No. 198,	do
do	do	No. 2,	1873.
do	do	No. 3,	do
do	do	No. 4,	do
do	do	No. 10,	do
do	do	No. 16,	do

Special ordinance No. 183, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance providing for grading and paving with Lefler paving stone the sidewalks of West street from Washington to North street.

Was read the second time, and after being amended in accordance with the report of the Committee on Streets and Alleys, made to the Council Nov. 11th, 1872, was ordered engrossed.

Special ordinance No. 13, 1873, entitled :

An ordinance providing for the grading and paving with brick of the south

sidewalk of Fort Wayne avenue from Pennsylvania street to New Jersey street.

Was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys.

Special ordinance No. 155, 1872, entitled:

An ordinance to provide for grading Arsenal avenue from Michigan to Campbell streets.

Was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Revision of Ordinances.

Special ordinance No. 161, 1872, entitled:

An ordinance providing for the grading and graveling of Peru street and paving with bricks the sidewalks thereof, from Home avenue to Massachusetts avenue.

Was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Revision of Ordinances.

Special ordinance No. 173, 1872, entitled:

An ordinance to provide for laying a cement pipe or drain in the center of Michigan street from Tennessee to Illinois streets.

Was read the second time and stricken from the files.

ORDINANCES ON THIRD READING.

Special ordinance No. 138, 1872, entitled:

An ordinance providing for grading and graveling the alley lying between Lord and Harrison streets, and Cady and Benton streets, in square 91.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 145, 1872, entitled :

An Ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Alabama street from Pogue's Run to Merrill street.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 146, 1872, entitled :

An Ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Alabama street, between Merrill and McCarty streets.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 167, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading, bouldering, curbing the sidewalks with stone, and putting down flagstone foot crossings on Delaware street from Pogue's Run to the south side of South street.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 176, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to grade and pave with brick the west sidewalk of East street, between Gregg and Cherry streets.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 179, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Yeiser street and sidewalks from Japan street to the Madison Road.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 181, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to pave to the full width the sidewalk on the north side of Massachusetts avenue, from Delaware to Alabama street, except where already paved to the full width.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 182, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley west of Virginia avenue from McCarty street to the first alley north thereof.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 183, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to grade and pave with bricks and widening to a width of 19 feet the sidewalks of West street, from Washington to Market street, and for paving with Lefler paving stone the sidewalks of West street from Market to North street, except where already paved, or permission given to pave with bricks.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 186, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling of Grove street and sidewalks, from Virginia avenue to Dillon street.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 189, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading and bouldering the gutter and curbing the sidewalk on the south side of North street, between Meridian and Illinois streets.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 190, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading East Grant street and graveling the east sidewalk thereof from Michigan avenue or Road to Bates street.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 191, 1872, entitled :

An Ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley west of New Jersey street, between Merrill and McCarty streets.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 192, 1872, entitled :

An Ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley east of New Jersey street, between Merrill and McCarty streets.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gib-

son, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 193, 1872, entitled :

An Ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the east sidewalk of New Jersey street, between Merrill and McCarty streets.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 194, 1872, entitled :

An Ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Bicking street and paving with brick the sidewalks thereof, between High and East streets.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 195, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with bricks the sidewalks of Chatham street from Massachusetts avenue to St. Clair street.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 198, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the alley running from the elbow of Rose street east to turn of said alley, thence north to Grant street.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 2, 1873, entitled :

An ordinance to grade and pave with brick the sidewalks of Delaware street from St. Clair to Tinker street.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 3, 1873, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading the first alley north of Merrill street, between the first alley east of East street and the first alley west of Virginia avenue.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 4, 1873, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading the first alley west of Virginia avenue running from Valley street to the first alley west of Virginia avenue.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 10, 1873, entitled :

An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling California street and sidewalks from St. Clair to First street.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

Special ordinance No. 16, 1873, entitled :

An ordinance providing for the grading and paving with brick the east sidewalk of Delaware street from Wyoming street to Bicking street.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

General ordinance No. 70, 1872, entitled :

An ordinance providing for the construction of a sewer in Potomac alley from Meridian street to Severn alley.

Was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Batty, Bigham, Bollman, Craft, Gibson, Gimber, Hardesty, Kennington, Pressly, Rush, Sherwood, Thalman and Wiles—13.

Negative—Councilman Woodburn—1.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet Friday evening Feb. 28th, 1873, at 7 o'clock, P. M.

DANIEL MACAULEY, Mayor.

ATTEST :

JOHN R. CLINTON, City Clerk.