

Council Chamber
 Indianapolis February 1st 1845.

Council met All the members present

Mr. Griffith presented the Treasurer's monthly report which was read and received.

No.54 Allowed Jno N. Wright 37½ cts for freight on Box & Candle wick as per act.

No.39 Allowed William Ballenger 50 cts for repairs on Canal Bridge

No.38 Allowed R. Underhill 50 cts for one plough share as per act.

27 Allowed John Cook 2.19 for work done in first Ward as per act. ✓

28 Allowed George Weininger \$2.50 for work done in first Ward as per act.

29 Allowed Lawrence Irish \$2.50 " " " " " " " " per act.

36 Allowed Patrick Barrett 62½ cts " " " " " " " " per act.

37 Allowed Wesley Hughey \$1.50 " " " " " " " " per act.

44 Allowed Wm. Montgue \$1.90 " " " " " " " " per act.

35 Allowed Joseph Lafever 60 cts " " " " " " " " per act.

The President laid before the Council the Weighmasters report which was read and received.

25 Allowed Jacob Miller \$4.50 for work done on Pond Drain North East of town under appropriation of April 13th 1844.

No.33 Allowed James Pollett \$1.25 for work done in 6th Ward as per act.

The President laid before the Council the following - a copy of a Resolution of the Good Intent Engine Fire Company, to wit:

"On Motion of Mr. Vandergriff Resolved That a committee be appointed to confer with the Council and represent to their honorable body the condition of our Engine, and ask of them to grant us the privilege of appointing our own Messenger, they allowing us for that purpose the sum of \$25. one half of the present Messengers pay. Mr. Wright was appointed said Committee.

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Wm Eckert Secy"

In reading the Resolution Mr. Goldsberry moved to refer it to the Committee on the Fire Department, which was so refered.

30 Allowed Jas Vanblaricum \$2.68 for removing nuisances as per act.

The President laid before the Council an Ordinance entitled "an ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance authorizing the appointment of Town Auctioneer'" which was read amended and passed and the Secretary ordered to have the same published.

32. Allowed Nicholas McCarty \$5.02 for one Bale of rope as per act.

On Motion of Mr Rooker

Ordered That the fine assessed by the President against Mr. Philip Ennis be remitted upon his paying all costs of suit.

On Motion of Mr. Goldsberry

Resolved That a committee, to consist of three persons selected from the body of the Citizens, be appointed, to examine and report in writing to the Council, at the earliest practicable period, The Stove Pipes in the town that are so kept, and are now in the condition to endanger property by Fire; and what repairs and improvements or alterations, if any, are necessary to be made to each and every Pipe so examined, to prevent the same from setting fire to any property in its immediate vicinity; Also to examine and report the number of Ladders, and their Lengths, now kept in or about each Square in the central part of the town, and what number of Ladders, and their Lengths, should be required to be kept within each of said squares, or the number requisite for each house in said squares; and also That said Committee report the number of Fire Buckets now kept in, or belonging to each house, which they may visit for the purposes aforesaid; and the number by them deemed necessary to be kept in each house so visited.

Jno. N. Wright, C. N. Boatright & T. M. Smith were appointed said Committee.

Ordered That the Secretary furnish said Committee with a copy of the above Resolution.

On Motion of Mr. Rooker

Ordered That the fine assessed by the President against James Vanblaricum upon his paying all costs of suit within thirty days from this date - See Dock No 1. Page

The President laid before the Council the Petition of John Montgomery John Keely, and others praying the Council to cause New York Street to be opened, east from East Street to the line of the Donation, which was read, the prayer of the Petitioners granted, and the Supervisor Ordered to notify those having the said Street inclosed to open or cause the same to be opened within ninety days from this date, and if the same is not opened within said time, to proceed to do the same according to law.

26. Allowed Samuel Goldsberry \$8.37 $\frac{1}{2}$ hauling gravel as per act.

31. Allowed Martin Bykit 50 cts for repairing Pump at Corner of W. & W. streets.

And the Council adjourned

Attest:

W. L. Wingate
Secretary

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S. B. Wilson
Prest. Com. Council of Indpls.