PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR SESSION.

CHAMBER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, Monday, FEBRUARY 28, 1870, 7 oclock P. M.

The Common Council met in regular session.

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

Councilmen Brown, Cottrell, Gimber, Harrison, Heckman, Kahn, Kennington, Locke, Marsee, Newman, Pyle, Shepherd, Thalman, Thoms, Whitsit, Wiles and Woodburn—17.

Absent—Councilman Weaver,—1.

The proceedings of the adjourned session held.February 18, 1870, and of the regular session held February 21, 1870, were read and approved.

Mr. Brown moved that the motion adopted at last meeting of Council, in regard to refreshment stands on Meridian and Pennsylvania streets, be reconsidered. Which was adopted.

Mr. Kahn moved that the motion so reconsidered be laid on the table.

Which was adopted.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Dr. Woodburn, from the Committee on Accounts and Claims, introduced the following entitled ordinance:

Special appropriation ordinance No. 10, 1870-entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the city of Indianapolis.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Newman, from the Committee on Finance, made the following report :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the claims of the City Treasurer, for per centage for collecting taxes on city duplicate, including per centage for collecting delinquent taxes report, that the per centage of City Treasurer is fixed by ordinance, and they are informed that the City Clerk and the City Treasurer have consumed much time, and have laboriously gone over the whole duplicate, and have carefully made up the account filed and referred to your committee. They therefore recommend the allowance of the claim. They further think the claim for notifying the delinquent tax payers reasonable, and they recommend its allowance, and they ask to be discharged from further consideration of said claims.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN S. NEWMAN, J. H. WOODBURN, THO'S COTTRELL,

Which was concurred in, and City Clerk instructed to insert claims in account ordinance now pending.

Mr. Harrison, from Committee on Revision of Ordinances, made the following report :

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

GENTLEMEN: — Your Committee on Revisien of Ordinances, to whom was referred "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled, 'An ordinance to prohibit any person or persons from soliciting passengers of bagage on any street in the vicinity of the Union Depot, except McNabb street,' with instructions to report an ordinance repealing all ordinances in relation to "runners," herewith report an ordinance to repeal the ordinance of September 16, 1869, and of Nov. 29, 1869.

Respectfully submitted.

TEMPLE C. HARRISON, ERIE LOCKE, THOMAS COTTRELL,

Which was received.

Also General ordinance No. 11, 1870, entitled :

AN ORDINANCE to repeal an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance to prevent hack, express, dray or cartmen, or hotel runners, from approaching nearer to the Union Depot, on the north side of McNabb street, than twelve feet, between Meridian and Illinois street," ordained September 16, 1869.

Which was read the first time.

Also General ordinance No. 12, 1870, entitled :

AN ORDINANCE to repeal an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to prohibit any person or persons from soliciting passengers or baggage on any street in the vicinity of the Union Depot, except McNabb street," ordained November 29, 1869.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Thalman, from the Committee on Streets and Alleys, made the following report :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom was referred several motions for naming streets, recommend that the motions be concurred in, which are as follows:

1. That the street between Washington and Maryland street, and between Benton and the first alley east of Benton street, be called Cumberland street.

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2. That the alley between East and Liberty streets, from Georgia street to Pogues run, be called Cook street.

Respectfully submitted,

ISAAC THALMAN, JOHN L. MARSEE, C. HECKMAN,

Which was concurred in.

Also the following report:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN: —The Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom was referred a petition of property holders on Mississippi street, from First to Second street, asking Council to give them permission to grade and gravel the said square, in accordance with a petition presented to Council February 21, 1870, the Committee would report in favor of granting prayer of petitioners, and that the Civil Engineer set the grade stakes.

Respectfully submitted,

ISAAC THALMAN, JOHN L. MARSEE, C. HECKMAN,

Which was concurred in.

Mr. Wiles, from the Committee on Contracts, made the following report:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Contracts, to whom was referred sundry proposals for improving streets, have examined the same, and find that Cogill & Davis are the lowest bidders fof grading and graveling Pine street and sidewalks, from Noble to Harrison street; their bid being 88 cents per lineal foot on each side of line improved, we would recommend that they be awarded the contract.

For grading and graveling the alley running north and south through out lot 39, James Mahoney is the only bidder; that being the case, we think the same had better be readvertised by the City Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. D. WILES, HENRY GIMBER, ISAAC THALMAN,

Which was concurred in.

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By unanimous consent, Mr. Thoms offered the following motion:

That the Committee on Bridges confer with the owners of the Rolling Mill, and see what portion of the expense they are willing to pay, toward building an iron bridge over Pogues run, on Tennessee street, and report to this Council next Monday evening.

Which was adoptad.

Mr. Wiles, from the Committee on Gas Light, made the following report:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN:---We herewith submit an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$2,000, for the purchase of posts and lanterns for public gas lamps, and respectfully urge its immediate passage.

According to the estimates of the City Gas Inspector, ordinances providing for the erection of at least three hundred new gas lamps, have already been passed by the Council. It is our judgment that this aggregate will be increased to five hundred, before the end of the season. Under the charter of the Gas Company, the time for erecting lamps commences with to-morrow, March 1. Having but few posts on hand, it is important that preparations should be at once made for receiving proposals to furnish that article, so that a quantity might be manufactured or delivered before the end of the ensuing month, at the farthest. We therefore recommend that, on the passage of the accompanying ordinance, the City Gas Inspector be directed to advertise for proposals to furnish one hundred lamp posts, of an average weight of three hundred pounds.

Respectfully submitted,

W. D. WILES, ROBERT KENNINGTON, LEON KAHN.

Which was concurred in.

Also Special Appropriation ordinance No. 11, 1870-entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money for the purchase of posts and lanterns for the public gas lamps.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Wiles, from the Committee on Gas Light, made the following report :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN:—Having considered "An ordinance to provide for the erection of a lamp post, lamp and fixtures complete to burn gas, except the service pipe, on the southwest corner of Pearl street and the first alley west of Meridian street," we would report :

That the alley above described is the one commencing immediately in the rear of Daggett & Co.'s store, coming out on Maryland street at the rear of the old Athaneum building. Believing that the alley further west (in the center of the square), and known as Bank or Severn alley, should be lighted, we would recommend that such an amendment be made in the ordinance. And there being no room for a lamp post at that point, we would also recommend that a bracket lamp be substituted for the post, and that said lamp be erected under the supervision of the City Gas Inspector.

The indicated changes being made, we recommend that the ordinance pass

Respectfully submitted,

W. D. WILES, ROBERT KENNINGTON, LEON KAHN,

GEO. H. FLEMING, City Gas Inspector.

Which was concurred in.

Dr. Woodburn, from the Committee on Benevolence and Hospitals, made the following report:

RECAPITULATION OF THE WEEKLY REPORT OF THE CONTENTS OF REGISTER OF PATIENTS OF CITY HOSPITAL ENDING FEBRUARY 12, 1870.

Number of patients in Hospital at last report	36
Number of patients received in Hospital since last report	10
Number of patients born in Hospital since last report	
Number of patients discharged from Hospital since last report	8
Number of patients died in Hospital since last report	
Number of patients remaining in Hospital at present report	37

Which was received.

REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

The Civil Engineer made the following reports :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870]

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

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

Hanway & Lefever—For grading and graveling the alley running north and south, through Seidensticker's sub-division of out lot No. 15, and between South and Garden streets.

Length on east side,		-	-	-	-	400 fe	et.	
Length on west side,	-	•	-	-	-	400 fe	et.	
Total length,	-	-	-	-	-	800 fe	et.	
At 40 cents per lineal	foot	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$320_00

Also:

Patterson & Dunning—For grading the street, bouldering the gutters, street and alley crossings on Illinois street, between Ohio and North streets. Length of gutter on east side, -Length of gutter on west side, --1965 feet. 1920 feet. 3885 feet. Total length; At 56 cents per lineal foot \$2175 60 937 square yards of bouldering, at 7 cents per square yard, 674 64 2714 cubic yards of earth excavation, at 35 cents per yard, 949 90 747 cubic yards screened gravel, at \$1 35 per yard, 1008 40 266 00 280 yards pit gravel, at 95 cents, -156 75 O. Williams, for superintending, -\$5231 29 Total estimate, -4966 04 Deduct former estimate, . Present estimate. \$265 25 -Deduct for work done by the Street Commissioner, 48 65 . \$216 60 Present payment, -

Also:

J. H. Robinson—For excavating a new channel for Pogues run, from Illinois street to Central Canal—a partial estimate.

504 feet, at 85 cents per lineal foc	ot,	-	-	-	-	\$428:40
Deduct former estimate,	-	-	-	-	-	207 40
Present payment, -	-	-	-	•	-	\$221 00
Respectfully s	ubmi	itted.				

R. M. PATTERSON, Civil Engineer.

Which was concurred in.

The City Clerk made the following report:

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK, } Indianapolis, Feb. 28, 1870.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Indianapolis: The City Clerk respectfully reports to Council: 18

First, Contract and bond of B. F. Coleman, for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks on Virginia avenue, from Pogues run to Louisiana street.

Second, Contract and bond of B. F. Coleman, for grading and graveling Willard street and sidewalks, from Garden street to Pogues run.

Respectfully submitted,

D. M. RANSDELL, City Clerk.

Which wos concurred in, and bonds approved and contracts awarded.

The City Clerk made the following report:

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK, Indianapolis, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN:—I would respectfully report that there are on file in my office the following affidavits for the collection of street assessment by precept, as follows:

David Sylvester vs. Henry C. Young, for \$34 50.

David Sylvester vs. Anna Eva Chorn, for \$46 96.

And would recommend that you order the precepts to issue.

Respectfully submitted,

D. M. RANSDELL, Ctty Clerk.

Which was concurred in and precepts ordered to issue.

The City Clerk also made the following report:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

The City Clerk respectfully reports to Council:

First and final estimate allowed Samuel Hanway and Samuel Lefever, for grading and graveling the alley running north and south through Seidensticker's sub-division of out lot 15, and between South and Garden streets.

Respectfully submitted,

D. M. RANSDELL, City Clerk.

Which was concurred in.

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Also the following resolution :

Resolved, That the foregoing first and final estimate allowed Hanway & Lefever, for grading and graveling the alley running north and south through Seidensticker's sub division of out lot No. 15, and between South and Garden streets, 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.

The question being on the passage of the resolution.

Those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Brown, Cottrell, Gimber, Harrison, Heckman, Kahn, Kennington, Locke, Marsee, Newman, Pyle, Shepherd, Thalman, Thoms, Whitsit, Wiles and Woodburn-17.

No Councilman voting in the negative.

So the resolution passed.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING.

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

Special appropriation ordinance No. 8, 1870. Special appropriation ordinance No. 9, 1870: Special ordinance No. 20, 1870. Special ordinance No. 21, 1870. Special ordinance No. 22, 1870. Special ordinance No. 23, 1870. Special ordinance No. 24, 1870.

Special ordinance No. 27, 1870, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE to provide for planting, maintaining and protecting shade trees (where not already planted), on Illinois street, between Ohio and First streets.

Was called up and, on motion by Dr. Woodburn, was amended so to read, "between Ohio and Tinker streets.

The ordinance was then read the second time and ordered engrossed.

Special ordinance No. 19, 1870, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE to provide for leveling and graveling Alabama street, from Massachusetts avenue to Fort Wayne avenue.

Was called up and read the second time.

Mr. Wiles presented the following remonstrance :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned, owners of the real estate fronting on North Alabama street, between North street and Fort Wayne avenue, respectfully remonstrate against the passage of an ordinance providing for the grading and graveling of the above named street, this part of Alabama street having been graded and graveled since that part lying south of North street; the two squares lying north of North street being in good condition, and needing only somes light repairs.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE BROWN, CORNELIUS KING, ELIZABETH BROWN, JOHN E. HORNADAY, And 21 others.

Which was received.

Mr. Wiles moved to amend, by striking out that portion north of North street.

Which motion was adopted.

The ordinance was then ordered engrossed as amended.

Special ordinance No. 25, 1870, entitled :

AN ORDINANCE to provide for grading and graveling Delaware street, between Massachusetts avenue and St. Clair streets.

Was called up.

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When Mr. Wiles introduced Special ordinance No. 28, 1870, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE to provide for paving with what is known as Nicholson pavement, Delaware street, from Washington street to the north side of Massachusetts avenue.

Which was read the first and second times.

And also, Special ordinance No. 28, 1870, entitled :

AN ORDINANCE to provide for paving with what is known as Nicholson pavement, Delaware street, from the north side of Massachusetts avenue to the south side of St. Mary street.

Which was read the first and second times.

Mr. Wiles presented the following petition :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned, property owners on the line of Delaware street, between Washington street and the Corporation line north, respectfully petition your honorable body to cause the said street to be improved, by paving with the Nicholson pavement, or with the improved Nicholson pavement.

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. WRIGHT, J. F. WINGATE, T. B. HARVEY, E. B. HARPER, And 47 others.

Which was received.

Also the following remonstrance:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN;—The undersigned, owners of the real estate fronting on North Delaware street, between North street and St. Clair street, respectfully remonstrate against the passage of an ordinance providing for the grading and graveling, and paving gutters of the above named street; this part of Delaware street having been graded and graveled since that part of the street lying south of North street; the part lying north of North street being in good condition, and needing only some slight repairs.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. EAGLE, JOHN W. FRAZEE, JAMES TRUEBLOOD, HORACE PARROTT, And 19 others.

Which was received.

Mr. Wiles moved that Special ordinances numbered 28 and 29, 1870, be substituted for Special ordinance No. 25, 1870.

Mr. Kahn moved to postpone further consideration of the matter for one week.

The question being on postponement.

The ayes and noes were demanded.

Those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Kahn, Newman, Pyle, Thalman and Whitsit-5.

Those who voted in the negative were Councilmen Cottrell, Gimber, Harrison, Heckman, Kennington, Locke, Marsee, Shepherd, Thoms, Wiles and Woodburn-11.

So the motion to postpone was not adopted.

The question being on the adoption of Mr. Wiles' motion to substitute.

The ayes and noes were demanded.

Those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Cottrell, Gimber, Harrison, Heckman, Kennington, Locke, Marsee, Shepherd, Thalman, Thoms, Wiles and Woodburn—12.

Those who voted in the negative were Councilmen Kahn, Newman, Pyle and Whitsit-4.

So the motion to substitute was adopted.

Mr. Cottrell moved that the ordinances be ordered engrossed.

Mr. Newman called for the ayes and noes.

Those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Cottrell, Gimber, Heckman, Kennington, Locke, Marsee, Shepherd, Thalman, Thoms, Wiles and Woodburn-11.

Those who voted in the negative were Councilmen Harrison, Kahn, Newman, Pyle and Whitsit-5.

So the motion to engross was adopted.

On motion, the City Clerk was instructed to advertise pendency of aforesaid ordinances.

Special ordinance No. 26, 1870:

Was called up and read the second time.

Mr. whitsit presented the following remonstrance :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN: —Understanding that a petition is before your honorable body asking that the first alley south of McCarty street, running from Virginia avenue to the west line of lots forty-two and forty-three, in Greer & Waters' sub-division, be graded and graveled, we, the undersigned, would respectfully remonstrate against said work being done, for the reason that persons whose property borders on said alley, are not able to pay the assessment that said work would cause to come against them.

Respectfully submitted,

H. AUGUST HUGO, HETTY BOCKEMEIER, CHRIST. ISKE, W. BULTEMEIER.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys, along with the ordinance.

ORDINANCES ON THIRD READING.

Special Appropriation ordinance No. 8, 1870, entitled :

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the city of Indianapolis.

Was read the third time and placed upon its passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass?

Those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Gimber, Harrison, Heckman, Kahn, Locke, Marsee, Newman, Pyle, Thalman, Thoms, Wiles and Woodburn -12.

Those who voted in the negative were Councilmen Cottrell, Kennington, Shepherd and Whitsit-4.

So the ordinance passed.

Special appropriation ordinance No. 9, 1870, entitled :

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AN ORDINANCE appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianopolis.

Was read the third time and placed upon its passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass?

Those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Gimber, Harrison, Heckman, Kahn, Locke, Marsee, Newman, Pyle, Thalman, Thoms, Wiles and Woodburn-12.

Those who voted in the negative were Councilmen Cottrell, Kennington, Shepherd and Whitsit-4.

So the ordinance passed.

Special ordinance No. 23, 1870, entitled :

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the erection of a bracket lamp and fixtures complete to burn gas, except the service pipe, on Pearl street, at the southeast corner of the alley known as Bank or Severn alley.

Was read the third time and placed upon its passage.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass?

Those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Cottrell, Gimber, Harrison, Heckman, Kahn, Kennington, Locke, Marsee, Newman, Pyle, Shepherd, Thalmsn, Thoms, Whitsit, Wiles and Woodburn—16.

Negative-none.

So the ordinance passed.

CALL OF THE ROLL.

Mr. Cottrell offered the following motion :

That the City Marshal be and is hereby instructed to enforce the hog ordinance, after one day's publication in the Indianapolis Journal, State Scattinel, German Tebegraph, and Volksblatt.

Which was adopted.

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Feb. 28, 1870.] COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Mr. Kahn offered the following motion :

That Patrick Jennings have his poll tax refunded him, he being not taxable for poll.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr, Locke offered the following motions :

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to plank the gutter at the junction of Blake street with Indiana avenue.

That the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to advertise for one week, in the *Indianapolis Daily Journal* and *Indianapolis Daily Sentinel*, for proposals to furnish the city with 50,000 feet of sound oak plank, to be delivered on the city's ground, north of the State House, before the first of May next, subject to inspection and measurement by the City Civil Engineer and Street Commissioner.

Which wery adopted.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Newman, from the Judiciary Committee, made the following report:

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN: — The Judiciary Committee, to whom was referred the petition of G. W. Allred, beg leave to report, that they have examined into the matter, and find that the property spoken of by the petitioner was dedicated to the city for a street before the petitioner purchased it; but inasmuch as the eity authorities assumed to sell the lot at tax sale, your Committee think that the city should refund him his purchase money and interest, as he prays for; but as he does not state the amount he paid, your Committee cannot report an ordinance to pay him his money and interest, and your Committee ask to be discharged from the farther consideration of said petition.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN S. NEWMAN, J. H. WOODBURN, Committee.

Wnicn was concurred in.

Mr. Shepherd offered the following motion :

That the City Marshal be instructed to notify Thomas Wren to remove the rubbish from the City Prison lot immediately.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Thalman introduced Special ordinance No. 30, 1870, entitled :

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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 Mississippi to West streets.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Thalman introduced Special ordinance No. 31, 1870, entitled :

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the erection of lamp posts, lamps and fixtures complete to burn gas, except the service pipe, on West street, from the arm of the Canal to New York street.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Thalman introduced Special ordinance No. 32, 1870, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the erection of lamp posts, lamps and fixtures complete to burn gas, except the service pipe, on Indiana avenue, from West to St. Clair streets.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Thalman introduced special ordinance No. 33, 1870, edtitled:

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the erection of lamp posts, lamps and fixtures complete to burn gas, except the service pipe, on New York street, from Blackford to Blake streets.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Thalman presented the following petition:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb 28, 1870.

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

GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned, owners of the real estate fronting on California street, between North street and Indiana avenue, respectfully petition your honorable body to pass an ordinance providing for the grading and graveling of said street and sidewalks, between the points named.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK HURLEY, JAMES RENIHAN, WILLIAM ARTHUR, JOHN MURPHY, JOHN HURLEY.

Which was received.

Also Special ordinance No. 34, 1870, entitled :

AN ORDINANCE to provide for grading and graveling California street and sidewalks, from North street to Indiana avenue.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Wiles offered the following motion :

That the City Treasurer be, and is hereby instructed to make a tender of the amount of damages assessed against real estate, on account of the opening of Gregg street, as per report of Commissioners, made to Council on the 4th day of October, 1869, and in accordance with section sixty-four of the City Charter.

Which was adopted.

D1. Woodburn presented the following petition :

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28, 1870

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

GENTLEMEN: — Your petitioner, Thomas Brooker, respectfully shows to your honorable body, that he is the owner of lots Nos. 1 and 2, of cut lot 23, corner Sixth and Tennessee streets, in said city of Indianapolis, and that one John W. Whinzates is the owner of lot No. 3 in same out lot, fronting on Tennessee street, for which Jesse Jones is agent, and who has requested petitioner to be joined in this petition. Now, this petitioner asks the right, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, to grade and gravel Tennessee and Sixth' streets, in front of his own said two lots, and also grade and gravel Tennessee street in front of said lot No. 3, as requested by said Jesse Jones — the grading and graveling to extend only to the center of the streets in front of said lots.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS BROOKER, JESSE JONES, Agent.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys.

On motion the Council adjour MACAULEY, Mayor.

ATTEST: