SPECIAL MEETING.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, November 22, 1897.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, November 22, 1897, at 8 o'clock, in special session, pursuant to the following call:

> EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, November 9, 1897.

To the President and Members of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

Gentlemen-On October 26, 1897, Thomas J. Montgomery, representing the citizens of Indianapolis in your honorable body as Councilmanat-Large, resigned, and, as required by law, I hereby call a special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, to be held in the Council Chamber, at 8 o'clock p. m., on Monday, November 22, 1897, for the purpose of electing a Councilman-at-Large to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of the said Thomas J. Montgomery.

> THOMAS TAGGART. Mayor.

Present, Hon. John H. Mahoney, President of the Common Council, in the chair, and 18 members, viz.: Messrs. Allen, Bernauer, Clark, Colter, Costello, Crall, Harston, Higgins, Knight, Madden, Merrick, Moffett, McGrew, Rauch, Scanlon, Shaffer, Smith and Von Spreckelsen.

Absent, 1-viz.: Mr. Bowser.

REPORTS, ETC., FROM CITY OFFICERS.

Communication from City Clerk:

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., November 22, 1897.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

Gentlemen-As required by law, I notified the members of the Common Council, November 10, 1897, that there would be a special meeting of the Common Council on the 22d day of November, 1897, at 8 o'clock

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p. m., for the purpose of electing a Councilman-at-Large to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Thomas J. Montgomery. The law requires that the City Clerk notify the members of said Council of such meeting ten days before an election for a Councilman-at-Large to fill a vacancy in the Common Council. The law also requires the City Clerk to have a notice of the same published in a daily newspaper of general circulation five days before said meeting, a copy of which I herewith submit.

CHAS. H. STUCKMEYER, City Clerk.

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF A COUNCILMAN-AT-LARGE.

STATE OF INDIANA, MARION COUNTY, SS: CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS,

I, Charles H. Stuckmeyer, Clerk of the City of Indianapolis, hereby certify that there will be a special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis on Monday, November 22, 1897, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a Councilman-at-Large to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Thomas J. Montgomery. Election to be held subject to the following call:

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T. TAGGART,

Mayor.

Witness my hand and official seal this 16th day of November, 1897. [SEAL.] CHAS. H. STUCKMEYER,

City Clerk.

(EDITOR'S AFFIDAVIT.)

 $\left. \begin{array}{c} {\rm State \ of \ Indiana,} \\ {\rm Marion \ County,} \end{array} \right\} {\rm ss} \, : \label{eq:state-state$

Personally appeared before the undersigned Henry D. Winte, who, being duly sworn, says that he is advertising clerk of the Indianapolis Sentinel, a public daily newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the City of Indianapolis, in the county aforesaid, and upon his oath further saith that the notice, of which the attached is a true copy, was duly published in said paper for two times successively, the first of which publication was on the 17th day of November, and the second publication was on the 18th day of November, 1897.

HENRY D. WINTE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of November, 1897.

JAMES M. SWAN, Notary Public. November 22, 1897.] CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

Which was read and ordered spread on the minutes.

President Mahoney announced that nominations for Councilman-at-Large were in order.

Whereupon Mr. Higgins placed in nomination Mr. Edward W. Little for Councilman-at-Large, which nomination was seconded by Messrs. Colter and Scanlon.

There being no further nominations, Mr. Clark moved that the City Clerk cast the unanimous vote of Council for the nominee, which motion was adopted.

Thereupon City Clerk Stuckmeyer cast nineteen votes for Edward W. Little.

President Mahoney declared Mr. Edward W. Little duly elected for Councilman-at-Large, to serve until the first Thursday after the second Tuesday in October, 1899, or until his successor is elected and qualified.

On motion of Mr. Madden, the Common Council, at 8:08 o'clock P. M., adjourned.

President. ATTEST: City Clerk.