# REGULAR MEETING.

# COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

Monday, December 1, 1919.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, December 1, 1919, at 7:30 o'clock in regular session, President Wm. B. Peake in the chair.

Present: The Hon. Wm. B. Peake, President of the Common Council, and seven (7) members, viz.: Messrs. Kirsch, Willson, Schmidt, Furniss, Pettijohn, Brown and Carnefix.

Absent: Mr. Miller.

Mr. Brown moved that the reading of the Journal be dispensed with. Carried.

### COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR.

November 20, 1919.

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

Gentlemen: I have this day approved General Ordinance No. 109, 1919, amending General Traffic Ordinance No. 37, 1919. However, I wish to call to the attention of the Council for its further consideration, Section three under Paragraph Q, Line sixteen, which reads as follows: "Only a space not greater than twenty-five (25) feet in length may be reserved in the foregoing manner, provided that such space may not extend in length the frontage of such occupants premises."

I approve of the general plan of providing relief for business houses by giving them a right to reserve space in front of their buildings, and I am convinced that twenty-five feet in length is greatly inadequate in a great many cases. I therefore recommend that this clause in Section three, Paragraph Q, be amended to permit a space sufficiently adequate for the demands of the property owners or occupants.

Yours truly,

CHARLES W. JEWETT, Mayor.

#### November 20, 1919.

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

Gentlemen: I hand you herewith General Ordinance No. 111, 1919, which I have approved. However, I wish to suggest to the Council that said ordinance be amended to require physicians to whom this privilege is extended to register their name and number of automobile license with the City Controller, and to secure from him an identification plate upon which shall be printed the word "Physician", in order that the privilege extended to physicians may not be exercised by persons who are not entitled to such privilege.

I am of the opinion that such a provision safeguarding General Ordinance No. 111 will be a protection, not only to the general public but also to physicians who are entitled to this consideration.

Yours truly,

CHARLES W. JEWETT, Mayor.

## November 20, 1919.

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

Gentlemen: I have this day signed and delivered to George O. Hutsell, City Clerk, Special Ordinance No. 5.

#### Yours truly,

### CHARLES W. JEWETT, Mayor,

#### November 20, 1919.

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

Gentlemen: I herewith return to you without my approval General Ordinance No. 113, 1919, which I have this day vetoed for the following reason:

Section 1015 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, provides that "It shall be unlawful for any street or electric railway company, operating street or interurban railway cars within or upon the streets of the city, to cause or to permit any motorman or conductor to operate any street or electric car upon or within the streets of said city, unless said motorman or conductor shall have had at least thirty days' experience and instruction in such work."

This provision is a safeguard to the traveling public which should not be repealed. The work of a motorman and a conductor involves a responsibility for the safety of the traveling public, and no person should be permitted to operate a street car or interurban car without having

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sufficient experience and skill to be able to operate said car with safety to himself and the passengers he carries.

Yours very truly,

## CHARLES W. JEWETT, Mayor.

Mr. Miller entered the Council Chamber at 8:10 o'clock P. M., and took his seat.

### REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

From City Controller:

#### December 1, 1919.

## To the Honorable President and Members of the Common Council, Indianapolis, Indiana:

Gentlemen: I hand you herewith, a communication from the Board of Public Safety, asking for the passage of an ordinance appropriating Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars to the Board of Public Safety Telephone fund.

I submit you also herewith, an ordinance calling for above amount and recommend its passage.

Yours very truly,

ROBERT H. BRYSON, City Controller,

#### December 1, 1919.

## To the Honorable President and Members of the Common Council, Indianapolis, Indiana:

Gentlemen: I hand you herewith, a communication from the Board of Public Safety, asking for the appropriation of Seven Thousand (\$7,-000.00) Dollars to the Fire Force Pay-roll Fund.

I submit you also herewith, an ordinance calling for above amount and recommend its passage.

Yours very truly,

ROBERT H. BRYSON, City Controller.

November 28, 1919,

### Robert H. Bryson, City Controller, City:

Dear Sir: You are hereby requested to recommend to the Common Council the passage of an ordinance appropriating the sum of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000,00) to the Fire Force Pay-roll fund and five hundred dollars (\$500,00) to the Foard of Public Safety Telephone fund.

The deficit in the above funds was caused by the recent increased

salaries granted members of the Fire Force and the increase in telephone rates which became effective June 11th, 1919. Yours very truly.

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A. L. TAGGART, President Board of Public Safety.

From the Board of Public Works:

Novmber 28, 1919.

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## Hon. Members of the Common Council, City:

Gentlemen: The transfer of funds under the Department of Public Works, as requested in General Ordinance No. 114, is asked in order that this Department may be able to take care of its 1919 obligations within the current fiscal year. The amounts have been carefully worked out and the money is asked to be transferred from funds which will have, remaining, sufficient amounts to meet the balance of this year's expenditures.

Yours truly,

W. F. CLEARY, Clerk, Board of Public Works.

November 29, 1919.

## To the Honorable President and Members of the Common Council, City.

Gentlemen: I am submitting to you herewith, an ordinance fixing the salary of the Superintendent of Garbage Collection at the rate of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) per annum.

Yours very truly,

W. F. CLEARY,

Clerk, Board of Public Works.

# From the Board of Public Safety:

### November 29, 1919.

## Wm. B. Peake, Pres., and Members of the Common Council, City of Indianapolis.

Gentlemen: The Board of Public Safety herewith presents to your Honorable Body an ordinance creating a department to be known as the Electrical Department, and abolishing the Gamewell Division of the Police and Fire Departments. The service rendered by these departments are of the most vital importance to every citizen of this city and we believe should be operated in such a manner as to give the most efficient service at all times, and in our opinion, this can only be done by combining the two departments under one head. ing

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We would appreciate very much if you will appoint a committee who will meet with this Board and discuss this ordinance in detail.

Yours very truly,

## A. L. TAGGART,

President Board of Public Safety.

November 29, 1919.

Wm. B. Peake, Pres., and Members of the Common Conneil, City of Indianapolis.

Gentlemen: The Board of Public Safety herewith presents to your Honorable Body, an ordinance transferring the Fire Prevention Department from the Building Department and placing the same in and making it a part of the Fire Force.

We believe the passage of this ordinance will be a great aid in increasing the efficiency of this department and will result in greater benefits to the public.

Trusting that your Honorable Body will give this ordinance favorable consideration, we remain,

Yours very truly,

A. L. TAGGART,

President Board of Public Safety.

November 29, 1919.

Wm. B. Peake, Pres., and Members of the Common Council, City of Indianapolis,

Gentlemen: The Board of Public Safety herewith presents to your Honorable Fody, an ordinance amending and repealing certain sections of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917; also repealing General Ordinance No. 23, 1918. These changes are made necessary by the contemplated passage of the ordinance transferring the Fire Prevention Department from the Building Department and placing it in and making it a part of the Fire Force.

The amendment of Sections 296, 540, 542, 556 and 557 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, are substantially the same as contained in General Ordinance No. 12 before the passage of General Ordinance No. 23, 1918.

Trusting that your Honorable Body will give this ordinance favorable consideration, we remain.

Yours very truly,

A. L. TAGGART, President Board of Public Safety,

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## REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

From the Committee on Finance:

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 1, 1919.

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

Gentlemen: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 114, 1919, entitled An Ordinance transferring certain funds in the Department of Public Works to certain funds in the Department of Public Works, reappropriating the same and fixing a time when the same shall take effect, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

> LOUIS W. CARNEFIX, RUSSELL WILLSON, S. A. FURNISS, G. G. SCHMIDT, O. B. PETTIJOHN.

Mr. Carnefix moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 1, 1919.

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

Gentlemen: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 115, 1919, entitled an Ordinance, amending General Ordinance No. 76, 1919, authorizing and creating the position of Secretary of Committees for the Common Council, defining his duties, fixing the salary thereof and declaring a time when the same shall take effect, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

> LOUIS W. CARNEFIX, RUSSELL WILLSON, S. A. FURNISS, G. G. SCHMIDT. O. B. PETTIJOHN.

Mr. Carnefix moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

## Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 1, 1919.

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

General Ordinance No. 116, 1919, entitled an Ordinance fixing the salary

of the Court Matron of the City Court of the City of Indianapolis, appropriating the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50,00) to the salary fund of the City Court under the Department of Finance, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same do not pass.

> LOUIS W. CARNEFIX, RUSSELL WHLLSON, S. A. FURNISS, G. G. SCHMIDT,

Mr. Carnefix moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Public Works:

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 1, 1919.

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

Gentlemen: We, your Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 98, 1919, entitled an Ordinance approving a certain contract granting William O. Bates the right to lay and maintain a sidetrack or switch from the Belt Railroad across Tuxedo Street and Bates Court according to blue print attached, in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same do sot pass.

> RUSSELL WILLSON, Chairman, LOUIS W. CARNEFIX, S. A. FURNISS.

Mr. Willson moved that the report of the committee be concurred in. Carried.

INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES.

By City Controller:

## APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 42, 1919.

AN ORDINANCE appropriating Five Hundred Dollars (\$500,00) to the Telephone Fund of the Department of Public Safety, and declaring time when the same shall take effect.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indiaudpolis: Section 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated the sum of Five Hundred Dolfars (\$500.00) to the Telephone Fund of the Department of Public Safety.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## By City Controller:

## APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 43, 1919

AN ORDINANCE, appropriating Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000.00) to the fire force pay roll of the Department of Public Safety, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

Be if ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

Section 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated the sum of Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000,00) to the Fire Force pay roll.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDINANCES.

By City Controller:

### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 117, 1919.

AN ORDINANCE, prescribing the penalty for the bond of the City Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis, approving the bond of the City Treasurer-Elect for the two-year term beginning January 1st, 1920, and Acclaring the time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, It is provided by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana entitled, "An act to amend Section two hundred and seven '(207) of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations, approved March 6, 1905,' approved March 6, 1909, and being Acts 1909, page 289, it is provided as follows: The bond of said County Treasurer, ex officio City Treasurer, shall be in such sum and with such surefies as the Common Council may by ordinance determine, to the approval of such Common Council;" and,

WHEREAS, Ralph A. Lemcke, was at the general election held in the County of Marion, State of Indiana, November 5, 1918, duly elected to the office of Treasurer of the County of Marion, Indiana, ex officio

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Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis for the two-year term beginning January 1, 1920.

WHEREAS, He has executed a certain bond in favor of the City of Indianapolis in the penal sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,-000,00), with Fred Dickson, Arthur V. Brown, Linneas C. Boyd, Charles C. Perry, L. C. Huesman, Carleton B McCullock and Eugene H. Darrach, as sureties which bond has been approved as to form by Samuel Ashby, Corporation Counsel, and has tendered same to the Common Council of said city for its approval:

## Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis as follows:

Section 1. That the amount of the bond of the County Treasurer, acting ex officio in the capacity of the City Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis, is hereby fixed for a term of two (2) years beginning January 1, 1920, and until his successor is elected and qualified, in the penal sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000,00), payable to the City of Indianapolis.

Sec. 2. That the bond of Ralph A. Lemcke, in the penal sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000,00) as above with Fred Dickson, Arthur V. Brown, Linnaes C. Boyd, Charles C. Perry, L. C. Huesman, Carleton B. McCulloch and Eugene H. Darrach as sureties, is hereby in all things confirmed and approved. Said bond shall be filed with the City Controller as provided by law.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Carnefix moved that the rules be suspended and General Ordinance No. 117, 1919, be placed upon its passage.

The roll was called and the motion to suspend the rules carried by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch, Miller, Schmidt, Pettijohn, Willson and President Wm. B. Peake.

Mr. Schmidt called for General Ordinance No. 117, 1919, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Willsón moved that General Ordinance No. 117, 1919, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 117, 1919, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch, Miller, Pettijohn, Schmidt, Willson and President Wm. B Peake.

## By the Board of Public Works:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 118, 1919.

AN ORDINANCE, fixing the salary of the Superintendent of Garbage Collection under the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

#### Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

Section 1. The salary of the Superintendent of Garbage Collection under the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis, shall be and is hereby fixed at the rate of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500,00) per annum.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1st, 1920.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## By the Board of Public Safety:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 119, 1919.

AN ORDINANCE creating the Electrical Department under the Department of Public Safety, creating certain offices and employments thereunder, defining the duties and fixing the salaries thereof, abolishing the Gamewell Divisions under the Police and Fire Departments and offices and employments thereunder, transferring the property of such Gamewell Systems to such Electrical Department, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana:

Section 1. That there be and is hereby created an electrical department under the Department of Public Safety to be known as the "Electrical Department."

Offices and employments in such department are hereby created, with salaries hereby fixed at the rate per year as appears opposite each as follows, to-wit:

Electrical Engineer	\$3,600,00
General Foreman	\$2,100.00
Signal Operator	\$1,560,00
Relief Operator	\$1,560.00
Instrument Repairman	\$1,700.00
Circuit Repairman	\$1,700.00
Cable Splicer	\$1,700.00
Cable Splicer's Helper	\$1,200.00
Laborer	\$900.00

The Electrical Engineer, who shall be the head of such department, shall, within ten days after his appointment, give bond in the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000,00) Dollars for the faithful performance of his du; i.e. He shall be appointed by the Board of Public Safety, may be removed by them at any time and shall hold office until removed or his successor is duly appointed and qualified.

The Board of Public Safety may transfer regular members of the Police and Fire Departments of the City of Indianapolis to any such office or employment in such Electrical Department, during which time such members shall maintain their status as members of such fire or police force, retaining all rights and duties in force relating to the policeman's or fireman's pension fund they may have had at the time of such transfer. During such time such member shall only receive the salary fixed for such office or employment held by him under such Electrical Department.

Sec. 2. Such department shall be charged with the construction, maintenance, operation and repair of all apparatus, instruments, wires, cables, boxes and equipment of the Fire and Police Alarm telegraph service. It shall receive and transmit fire alarms and police business in such form and manner as the Board of Safety shall from time to time direct.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the Electrical Engineer to supervise and direct the men under his control; to keep accurate and complete records of all the work performed, tests made, alarms received or transmitted; make such reports and in such form as the Board of Public Safety may require; be responsible for the proper and efficient functioning of the department under his control.

Under the direction of the Electrical Engineer, it shall be the duty of the General Foreman to supervise and direct the construction and maintenance work of such department. He shall assist the Engineer and shall be in charge of such department during his absence.

Under the Direction of the Electrical Engineer, the Signal Operators and Relief Operators shall receive and transmit alarms of fire and reports of police officers and citizens; shall make and record the results of hourly tests on the circuits and shall test to localize faults as an aid to the Circuit Repairmen.

The Instrument Repairman shall be a mechanic skilled in the manufacture and repair of instrument parts. He shall, under the direction of the Electrical Engineer and his superiors, do such work of his trade as directed.

The Circuit Repairmen, Cable Splicer, Cable Splicer's Helper and Laborers shall, under the direction of the General Foreman, perform the work necessary to construct, maintain and repair the signal system. They shall perform such other work as may be ordered by the General Foreman and his superiors.

Under the direction of the General Foreman, the Cable Splicer shall be charged with the proper maintenance and repair of the underground cables, terminals and jumper wire connections, and shall perform such other duties as the General Foreman and his superiors shall direct.

The Cable Splicer's Helper and the Laborer shall work under the direction of the Cable Splicer and assist him in the performance of his duties. He shall also perform such other duties as the General Foreman and his superiors shall direct.

Sec. 4. All apparatus, supplies, materials and property heretofore under the direction and control of the Gamewell Divisions of the Police and Fire Departments are hereby transferred to and under the direction and control of such Electrical Department.

The Gamewell Divisions under the Police Department and Fire Department with all offices, positions and employments authorized thereunder, are hereby abolished.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the first day of January, 1920.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

By the Board of Public Safety:

### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 120, 1919.

AN ORDINANCE concerning Fire Prevention, providing certain regulations, creating the Division' of Fire Prevention in the Fire Department under the Department of Public Safety, creating the office of Chief of the Division of Fire Prevention, defining the duties thereof, transferring and reappropriating certain appropriations for the year 1920, providing certain penalties and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

## Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana:

Section 1. That there be and is hereby created in the Fire Department under the Department of Public Safety, the Division of Fire Prevention. There is hereby created the office of Chief of the Division of Fire Prevention who shall be the executive head of such Division and shall rank as Assistant Chief of the Fire Department. Such Chief of the Division of Fire Prevention shall receive a salary which is hereby fixed at the rate of twenty-seven hundred (\$2,700.00) dollars per year, and shall be appointed by the Board of Public Safety and may be removed by said Board at any time and shall hold office until removed or his successor is duly appointed. Within ten (10) days after appointment, he shall file with the City Controller a bond in the sum of two thousand (\$2,000,00) dollars, with surety to be approved by the City Controller, conditioned upon the faithful performance of such duties as are and may be required by law.

Sec. 2. The Chief of the Division of Fire Prevention shall have full power and it is hereby made his duty to enforce all ordinances pertaining to the prevention of fires, spreading of fire or disastrous results in case of fire. He is hereby empowered and authorized to at any and all reasonable times enter upon and into any premises, building or structure within the corporate limits of the City of Indianapolis, for the purposes of examining and inspecting the same to ascertain the condition thereof with regard to the presence of, arrangement of, or deposit of any article, waste, debris, rubbish, materials, substances, goods, wares or merchandise or inflammable or combustible material, which has or may have a tendency to create danger of or from fire, or to catch on fire in or about said premises, building or structure, or to create danger in case of fire on or in the same, or personal injury to or loss of life of the occupants of or in said premises, building, or structure; also with regard to the condition, size, arrangement and efficiency of any and all appliances for protection against fire on or in such premises, building or structure.

Sec. 3. It is hereby made unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to place, maintain, store or to handle or to permit the placing, maintaining, storing or handling of any goods, wares, merchandise, article, material, rubbish, paper, waste, inflammable or combustible material in any residence, room, building, premise or structure, unless so placed, maintained, stored or handled so as to afford all reasonable safeguards against the dangers of fire, or to place, maintain, store or handle any such goods, wares, merchandise, article material, rubbish, debris, waste, inflammable or combustible material in any such residence, building, premise, or structure in such a manner as to totally or partially block, cut off, enclose or interfere with any opening, exit or place of ingress or egress, in or to any such residence, room, building, premise or structure.

It shall be unlawful to maintain any extinguisher, appliance or apparatus in, on or about any such residence, room, building, premise or structure for the purpose of extinguishing fires, unless such extinguisher, appliance or apparatus shall at all times be in proper and sufficient condition for such purpose.

Sec. 4. The Chief of Fire Prevention, with the approval of the Chief of Fire Force hereby is empowered and authorized to detail such and as many firemen to make the inspections hereinbefore provided for, and to further earry out the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 5. The Chief of Fire Prevention and his authorized assistants may give any order or orders to remove or remedy any condition which is a violation of this ordinance or any other ordinance of the City of Indianapolis, pertaining to the prevention of fires, spreading of fire or disastrous results in case of fire. Such order or orders may be directed to the owner, lessee or occupant of said premises, building or structure, or to any person in control of the articles, materials, goods, wares or merchandise herein referred to, or to the owner thereof, as the circumstances may require. PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That this nor any other section of this ordinance shall not be construed as authorizing any person, firm or corporation to violate any law nor any provision or any ordinance of the City of Indianapolis, nor to require such Chief of Fire Prevention, or his assistants, to so notify or order any such person, firm or corporation.

Sec. 6. All such buildings, places and premises or parts thereof in which is kept any combustible or inflammable material, rubbish or debris, shall be kept and maintained in such a manner as to provide sufficient passageways or aisles for the convenient movement and work of the Fire Department of the City of Indianapolis, in case of fire therein.

There shall be no rubbish, excelsior, waste paper, shavings or other inflammable waste material left, placed or maintained in any part of any building or premise except when the same shall be stored within a fireproof room, provided with fire doors or fireproof container.

Sec. 7. It shall be unlawful to maintain any chimney, flue, fireplace, smoke pipe, smoke stack or heating apparatus in such condition as to endanger by fire to, or cause the catching on fire of, any residence, room, building, premise or structure or any part thereof.

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Sec. 8. That there be and is hereby transferred the sum of Twentyseven Hundred Dollars (\$2,700.00) from the "Fuilding Department Salary Fund" under the Department of Public Safety, available for and heretofore appropriated for the year 1920, and that the same be and is hereby transferred to and reappropriated to the "Fire Force Pay Roll Fund," under the Department of Public Safety for the year 1920,

Sec. 9. That there be and is hereby transferred the sum of Nine Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) from the "Building Department Printing, Stationery and Miscellaneous Fund" under the Department of Public Safety available for and heretofore appropriated for the year 1920, and that the same be and is hereby transferred to and reappropriated to a fund to be known as the "Fire Prevention Printing, Stationery and Miscellaneous Fund" under the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1920.

Sec. 10. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall upon conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding two hundred dollars (\$200.00) to which may be added imprisonment not to exceed ninety (90) days.

Sec. 11. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

By the Board of Public Safety:

### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 121, 1919.

AN ORDINANCE amending sections 296, 540, 542, 556 and 557 of General Ordinance Number 12, 1917, repealing section 348 of General Ordinance Number 12, 1917, repealing General Ordinance No. 23, 1918, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

## Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana:

Section 1. That Section 296 of General Ordinance Number 12, 1917, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 296. Class of Buildings Changed: (a) When buildings, the ases of which bring them within any of the classes mentioned, are to be applied to the uses of any other classes of which a better system of construction is required, the construction and equipment of such buildings shall first be made to conform to the requirements of this code as specified for their intended use.

(b) It shall be unlawful to use any such building for a new or different purpose than that for which its structure or purpose adapts it, unless its requirements to such new or different use for which it has been applied, with a permit for such alterations have been first obtained from the Commissioner of Buildings.

c) Frame Buildings, Residence, within Fire Limits. No frame buildings within the district known as the fire limits as described in Section 271, General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, occupied or is intended to be occupied for residence purposes, shall hereafter be altered, changed, added to or converted for any purpose other than residence purposes, unless provided with an approved automatic sprinkler system in each story of such frame building."

Sec. 2. That Section 540 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 549. Garages:

(a) A public garage shall be construed to be a building or structure in which are housed for rent, care, demonstration, storage, sales and repairing for profit, motor vehicles or other wheeled machines, containing the tanks thereof, inflammable liquids for fuel or power; also building or room used for the dismantling of motor vehicles for profit where inflammable liquid is used for cleaning parts of such motor vehicles; also all parts of this building and all adjoining structures or buildings not cut off from the part used for aforesaid purpose or purposes by an unpierced fire wall not less than eight (8) inches thick.

(b) Any building or structure, divided nto more than three compartments for the purpose of renting or using such compartments for the shelter of motor vehicles, containing inflammable liquid for fuel or power is hereby construed as a public garage. Any building or structure used for the purpose of storing, care, or repairing of more than three motor vehicles containing inflammable liquid for fuel or power is hereby construed as a public garage.

(c) Private Garage. All buildings or structures intended to be or is occupied for the shelter of not more than three motor vehicles shall be construed as a private garage."

Sec. 3. That Section 542 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 542. Garages, Where Located:

(a) No public garage shall be located, erected or maintained within one hundred fifty (150) feet of any lot on which there is situated a church or public school building, unless such public garage was established at such place prior to the establishment of such church or school building.

(b) Location of Public Garages. No public garage shall be allowed or maintained in any building used for a school or church place or as-

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sembly, hotel, apartment, tenement or lodging house; provided, however, that a public garage may be placed in a place of public assembly if such building or structure is of first-class or fireproof construction, as provided by Section 201, General Ordinance No. 12, 1917. Any building erected, remodeled or now occuped as a public or private garage and occupied in part as an office building, manufacturing establishment, warehouse or store, shall have such parts entirely cut off from the portion used as a garage, by unpierced fireproof walls, ceilings and floors not less than eight inches in thickness of brick, tile, concrete, or other fire-resisting material approved by the Commissioner of Buildings. All openings shall be provided with approved fire doors, shutters, or wire glass windows in metal frames. Exits shall be provided for in such building or structure independent of the garage."

Sec. 4. That Section 556 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 556. Dry Cleaning Establishments:

(a) 'Dry Cleaning' shall be known as the art, act or process of cleaning or renovating wearing or other apparel, clothes and other fabrics or textiles, or any other things with any inflammable liquid. 'Sponging' shall be the removal of dirt, grease, etc., by local application of inflammable liquid as applied by tailors and others. No dry cleaning business shall be installed or maintained within the City of Indianapolis, except under permit of the Commissioner of Buildings. Plans and specifications, giving full details as to location, construction and operation thereof, must be filed with the Commissioner of Faildings, together with an application to conduct such business. If the plans and specifications submitted comply with the rules of this ordinance then the Commissioner of Buildings may approve them and issue the necessary permit.

(b) Sponging is prohibited in shops, dwellings, enclosures, yards and all other places, unless carried on through the application of such inflammable liquids from an automatically closing safety can of not more than one (1) quart capacity, and the use for sponging of any liquid from, or in, open pans or vessels is prohibited.

(c) Sponging is prohibited in any room not provided with safe means of exit direct to the outside of the building and shall not be executed or applied in any room or enclosure containing any open or flaming fire or light nor within ten feet of any such light, self-heating iron or other spark or flame-producing appliance. During all such applications and for one-half hour thereafter, two direct openings for ventilation and air circulation must be provided, preferably on opposite sides of the room and near the floor level.

(d) Buildings used for dry cleaning purposes shall be constructed of non-combustible material, shall not be more than one-story or 16 feet high, without a basement or other open space below the floor, shall

not be used for other occupancy, and shall be at least 10 feet from other buildings or a public thoroughfare, unless separated from such building or highway by a fireproof wall not less than eight inches thick. All floors shall be of concrete or other non-combustible material. All doors shall have raised sills at least 10 inches above the highest point of floor, and no other opening, except for ventilators, shall be less than 12 inches above same point. In wash rooms, only the necessary appliances for washing, extracting and redistilling shall be permitted. No direct opening shall be permitted between wash room and dry room.

No combustible material shall be permitted in the construction of dry rooms or any racks or other appurtenances. All steam or hot water pipes for drying purposes must be protected by wire screens or otherwise so as to prevent contact of pipes and inflammable goods. All windows, doors, or other openings within 100 feet of exposing openings or combustible structures or materials shall be provided with wired glass in metal frames or fireproof shutters, doors or covers. All doors, windows, shutters, screens, grills and barred openings shall be arranged for ready opening from either side in case of an emergency. Intercommunicating openings shall be provided with standard automatic closing fire doors kept closed except when passing through. All rooms shall have a steam extinguishing system satisfactory to the Chief of Fire Prevention or where such fire extinguishing agent is not available an approve.<sup>2</sup> sys<sup>4</sup>em using a fire deterrent chemical or gas. One approved hand chemical extinguisher shall be provided for each 500 square feet of floor area.

(c) A vent opening of at least 20 square inches area shall be provided at the floor level in each wash room and drying room, near each machine and opposite to any door or other air inlet, such openings shall be covered with 2x2 mesh No. 16 galvanized wire web and shall be kept clear of all obstructions. From the vent opening a flue of at least 20 square inches area of non-combustible materials, built into the wall or floor or securely fastened thereto and free from mechanical injury. shall conduct to and through a sparkless exhaust fan, to be run continuously, and which shall be of sufficient size to completely change the air volume every five minutes. All discharge outlets of vent pipes shall be provided with 12x12 mesh or equivalent wire screen and located without hazard to surrounding property and acceptable to the Commissioner of Buildings. Skylights and windows must be of wired glass in metal frames and provided with fusible link connecting to an automatically closing device, and shall be covered with 12x12 mesh or equivalent brass wire screen to prevent spark or other fire entrance. Necessary precautions shall be taken to prevent the clogging or in any way the stopping of air passage through such wire screens.

(f) Heating shall be done by steam or hot water. No steam boiler, furnace nor exposed fire, nor any electric dynamo nor motor, nor other

spark emitting device, shall be allowed in any washing, drying or distilling room, or in line with vapor travel therefrom. All artificial lighting shall be in accordance with electrical section of the Building Code of the City of Indianapolis.

(g) In each wash room there shall be provided a drain or connection to the sewer, at least 4 inches in diameter, provided with a U pipe forming a water seal to prevent the passage of inflammable vapor, and with inlet pipe in the form of an inverted U, or a siphon, with end at least 2 inches above the floor level,  $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch air inlet 3 inches above floor level, and top of siphon 8 inches above floor level.

(h) All dry cleaning, washing, extracting and redistilling shall be carried on in closed machines, which shall be fluid tight. Washers shall have hinged door and shall be arranged so that in case of an explosion the door will automatically close. The transfer of all liquids shall be through continuous piping, and all outlet or drain lines shall be drained by gravity to settling or storage tanks. No dry cleaning fluid shall be settled in any open or unprotected vessel or tanks. All piping and all metallic parts of each machine shall be properly grounded by at least No. 10 copper insulated wire to a water pipe or other grounded device.

(i) All reserve and storage stocks of such liquids shall be kept and handled as given in storage of oils in Sections 545 to 548, inclusive,

(j) All goods removed from washers to extractors must be kept in tight metal pans with underside of bottom covered with wood, and no goods or washed stocks shall be taken from wash room till washing liquid has been removed by the extractor and all dried goods shall be removed from extractor at close of operation. Settling tanks shall be constructed, located and vented essentially as given for the storage tanks. At the close of the day's operations, all liquids contained in washers, extractors, or stills, or otherwise, shall be returned to the stock or settling tanks. The location of all tanks buried or otherwise and their contents and hazards shall be plainly marked by signs as approved by the Chief of Fire Prevention Bureau.

(k) None of this installation shall be covered from sight until after an inspection by the Chief of Fire Prevention and his written approval has been given, which approval he shall give without charge, provided all the requirements of these rules and regulations have been observed."

Sec. 5. That Section 557 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 557. Motion Picture Films and Sheet Celluloid:

(a) It shall be unlawful to handle, store or use motion picture films, including negatives, raw stock, finished product, discarded scrap or used film or sheet celluloid in any building structure, or lot except as hereinafter provided in this section.

(b) The handling, storing or use of motion picture films, including negatives, raw stock, finished product, discarded scrap or used film, or sheet celluloid, is prohibited in any building or structure which is occupied or is intended to be occupied as a hotel, school, a place of public assembly, or tenement house, rooming house, residence of more than one family.

(c) The handling, storing or use of motion picture films, including negatives, raw stock, finished product, discarded scrap or used film, or sheet celluloid, is prohibited in any building or structure used for the sale of merchandise or factory purposes, except in the top story of a fireproof building or structure and such room for the handling, storing or using of motion picture films, or sheet celluloid, is completely separated from the other part of building by a fireproof wall as specified in paragraph o of this section.

(d) The handling, storing or use of motion picture films, including Legatives, raw stock, finished product, discarded scrap or used film, or sheet celluloid is prohibited in any building hereafter erected or occupied, any portion of which is situated within 25 feet opposite of any wall of another building which is devoted to any use described in preceding clause, paragraph b.

(e) The handling, storing or use of motion picture films, including negatives, raw stock, finished product, discarded scrap or used film, or sheet celluloid, is prohibited in any building not of fireproof construction except as hereinafter provided for. Any non-fireproof building over three (3) stories in height, unless occupied in whole for the storage, keeping or handling of motion picture films, and protected throughout by a standard two-source automatic sprinkling system. Any nonfireproof building three (3) stories or less in height, and with no other occupancy, except the storage, keeping or handling of motion picture films. Any frame building in the fire district, or any frame building located outside the fire district unless such building is located not less than seventy-five (75) feet from any other building or public highway. It shall be unlawful to store or place sheet celluloid in larger amount than twenty-five pounds in any building unless stored or placed in a fireproof vault as described in paragraph m, Section 557, of this ordinance.

(f) Any building not provided with at least two (2) independent means of escape in case of fire, situated remote from one another, one means of escape to be a fireproof enclosed stairway, or outside fire escape, and each means of escape shall lead to an unobstructed exit to the street or alley.

(g) The provisions of this ordinance shall not be construed to prevent licensed theaters and licensed picture shows from keeping on hand twelve or less films, provided such films are kept in metal containers in fireproof machine enclosures.

(h) A reel of film as the term is used in this ordinance shall be a standard reel containing 1,000 feet of film, and weighing approximately 5 pounds. Where any section of this ordinance is based upon a given number of reels of film in a vault or cabinet, the capacity of that vault or cabinet shall be deemed to be the maximum number of reels which can be stored in each vault or cabinet.

(i) No waste or discarded films or sheet celluloid in excess of twenty-five (25) pounds shall be handled in any building within the territory known as the 'Fire Limits,' or in any building used for any other purpose, or in any building located outside the fire limits unless said building is located at least 75 feet from any other building or public highway.

(j) No motion picture films or sheet celluloid shall be handled, stored, or used in any building or place, except by a permit issued by the Chief of Fire Prevention and Commissioner of Buildings, as in this ordinance provided. A permit for such established places shall be applied for within ten days after this ordinance is in effect.

(k) After one conviction by any owner, manager or user of any building, room or place, for the violation of any provisions of this section, and after one legal written notice of such violation has not been complied with within twenty-four hours after such notice, the Chief of Fire Prevention is hereby authorized and empowered to seize all motion picture films, sheet celluloid handled, stored or used without a permit or in violation of the provisions of this ordinance, and to remove same to a place of safety and in case of danger to destroy the same. Any and all expense incurred by the public authorities caused by such action, shall constitute a lien for the amount of such expense against the films and sheet celluloid, which if not destroyed, shall be sold at public auction to satisfy the said lien on three (3) days' notice, published in the official newspaper of the City of Indianapolis.

(1) Upon receipt of an application for permit, the Chief of Fire Prevention and Commissioner of Buildings shall make an investigation for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not the building or place at which it is desired or intended to keep, store or handle motion picture films and sheet celluloid, will comply with the provisions of this ordinance.

The Chief of Fire Prevention and Commissioner of Buildings shall approve such application and transit the same with his approval thereon to the City Controller, who shall upon the payment by such applicant to the City Controller of a license fee of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, issue to such applicant a license attested by the City Controller, authorizing such applicant to keep or store at the place designated in the application, motion picture films, unexposed films, motion film negatives, subject to the conditions imposed by the ordinance of the City of Indi-

anapolis, now in force or hereafter passed, relating to the storage or keeping of such films. The aforesaid license fee may be prorated according to month: Provided, however, that no license shall be issued for a sum less than six dollars and fifty cents (\$6,50) and all licenses shall expire on the 31st day of December of each year.

(m) No permits for the storage or handling of films shall be granted by the Chief of Fire Prevention and Commissioner of Buildings unless the following conditions are complied with in such buildings or structures occupied or to be occupied by the applicant for such permit:

Where the amount of film kept, stored or handled exceeds 50 reels on any floor of any building, there must be provided for excess films one or more vaults. Such vaults shall be constructed with walls, floors and ceiling not less than six inches in thickness of reinforced concrete, or eight inches of solid brick or twelve inches of hollow tile. In computing the thickness of a floor, wall and ceiling of the building may be included, provided it shall be of fireproof construction. No vault shall exceed 750 cubic feet of interior capacity or more than 10 feet high in size from floor to ceiling. Each vault shall have a ventilating duct or ducts of total sectional area of 700 square inches, and such duct or ducts shall lead to the outside air. The opening of each duct to the outside air shall be either above the roof of building, or at a point not less than 50 feet from the nearest building opposite the opening of such duct. All ducts from vault located in any building two stories or less in height shall lead to the outside air not less than four (4) feet above the roof of the building. No films, vaults, inspection rooms or cabinets shall be allowed in the basement of any building. All interior ducts shall be constructed of metal not less than 3-16 of an inch in thickness and lined on the outside with an approved fireproof material not less than two (2) inches thick. No openings allowed in vault except the ventilating duct and for door. Only one opening for door allowed in each vault, and this opening shall be equipped with approved standard vault iron doors and frames, the inner doors to be so arranged that they cannot obstruct or interfere with the outer door, outer doors to be equipped with automatic or self-closing attachments. Shelving and fixtures shall be of incombustible material. Lighting shall be controlled by indicator switch on the outside of vault, only vapor-proof globes equipped with wire guards and keyless sockets shall be used inside of vault. No artificial heat shall be allowed inside of vault. The ventilating duct shall be shielded from the weather and provided at the outlet with a wire screen of not larger than 4-inch mesh, and if so desired single strength glass may be installed. Where 50 reels or less are kept, an approved metal cabinet not exceeding 50 reels in individual capacity must be provided, such cabinet to be made of at least No. 8 sheet metal double walled, containing one-inch air space and doors to be constructed

equivalent to cabinet, door shall be self-closing, fit closely at all points of contact and shall be kept closed and locked. There shall not be more than one cabinet in any premises described in any one permit. Each reel must be kept when not under inspection in a separate metal container, and each container must be placed on edge in a vanit or cabinet. Films shall not be outside of cabinet or vault during the non-operation of such plant.

There must be a room separated from the rest of the premises by fireproof partition for the examination, rewinding, cleaning or repairing of any film, and no more than 12 exposed reels shall be handled at any time in such room. All tables and work benches or chairs in such room shall be made of metal or wood encased in metal and securely fastened in place. There shall be at least one sand pail, one filled water bucket and one approved two and one-half gallon chemical extinguisher in each room or division of the premises which the license covers.

(n) A room if provided for the projection of pictures shall be separated from the rest of the premises by fireproof partitions and so arranged that not more than twenty-five persons shall be allowed in such room at any one time; provided, however, that when a machine is so arranged that the danger of burning film is eliminated, and the machine is approved by the Chief of Fire Prevention, no such room is necessary.

(o) All lighting in the examination, rewinding, cleaning or repairing room shall be by electricity, and only vapor-proof globes shall be used. No other flame shall be used for either lighting or heating, and all heating shall be either by hot water or load pressure steam, and all radiators shall be provided with a wire screen of a mesh not greater than onequarter of an inch, and so arranged that nothing can be placed upon same, and all pipes carrying heated air, water or steam shall be covered with fireproof insulating material. A fireproof partition shall be a partition of hollow tile, plaster block, brick, reinforced concrete, metal lath and plaster, or other non-combustible material, not less than six inches in thickness, except metal lath and plaster, which may be solid thickness, not less than three inches. All openings in the partition shall be protected by either self-closing fireproof doors, or wire glass in metal frames.

(p) In all places where a permit is granted for the handling, storage or use of motion picture films, the following rules must be observed:

Smoking must be prohibited.

All films when not under examination must be kept in tightly closed metal containers.

In receiving rooms, films must be immediately placed in a cabinet or vault.

All film scrap or waste shall be kept in tightly closed metal receptacles, not exceeding one foot in height, and one foot in diameter, and

provided with metal standards not less than four inches in length, so that the bottom of receptacle shall not rest on floor. The place shall be kept clean from rubbish, debris and waste, and same shall be removed each day. Combustible material shall not be allowed in any room where the film is handled, stored or used.

All fire preventatives and protective apparatus and devices shall be kept in good working order.

All electrical machinery, wiring and equipment must be placed and installed as provided in the building ordinance of the City of Indianapolis.

No collodian, amyl, acetite or other similar inflammable cement, liquid or substance in quantities greater than one pint shall be kept in a room where inflammable motion films are manufactured, stored, used, handled or repaired.

No person shall carry a lighted cigar, cigarette, pipe or any lighted fiame in any room or floor for which a permit has been issued for the storage, handling or use of motion picture films.

(q) It shall be the duty of the Chief of Fire Prevention, or his assistants, to visit every motion picture show and theater within the city limits, and every licensed building or place where motion picture films are stored, handled, repaired or used, and report all the conditions surrounding such theater, building and place. He shall take the signature of the owner, proprietor or manager or other person in charge of each theater, building or place inspected, and it shall be the duty of such owner, proprietor, manager or person in charge to sign a statement giving the date and hour of the visit of such inspector and such inspector shall leave with such owner, proprietor, manager or other person in charge a duplicate of the document signed. Such inspector's badge of office shall entitle him to admission while in the discharge of his duties to the places herein named.

(r) Every owner, proprietor, manager or user of any building now occupied or used for the storage, handling, repair or use of motion picture films or like products, shall within thirty days from the taking effect of this ordinance remodel, reconstruct, repair, alter such building so as to comply with all the conditions of this ordinance, and such owner, proprietor, manager or occupant shall not be liable for any of the penalties prescribed in this ordinance until the expiration of thirty days from the taking effect thereof, unless by permission of the Chief of Fire Prevention.

Sec. 6. That Section 348 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Sec. 7. That General Ordinance No. 23, 1918, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

By Mr. Willson:

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#### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 122, 1919.

An Ordinance licensing dancing in connection with a public theater where such dancing is limited to the patrons of such theater and is merely incidental to its business and a duly designated matron is in charge of the place where such dancing is permitted, upon payment of a license fee to the City Controller.

Section 1. It is it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis that in all cases where dancing is allowed or permitted in a public theater in the City of Indianapolis and such dancing is limited to the patrons of such theater and is merely incidental to the business thereof and a matron duly designated by the Superintendent of Police is in charge of the place where such dancing is permitted or allowed and superintends the same, then the person, firm or corporation conducting such theater shall obtain a license for the place where such dancing is permitted or allowed, upon the payment to the City Controller of a license fee of twenty-five dollars, and such license shall be for one year from its date. The matron in charge of any such place is hereby clothed with all the powers and anthority of matrons designated for dance halls conducted under a permit from the Superintendent of Police and license from the City Controller. Said Controller shall charge and receive the sum of one dollar for issuing such license.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

# Which was read a first time.

Mr. Carnefix moved that the rules be suspended and General Ordinance No. 122 be placed upon its passage.

The roll was called and the motion to suspend the rules carried by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch. Miller, Pettijohn, Schmidt, Willson and President Peake. Mr. Carnefix called for General Ordinance No. 122, 1919, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Carnefix moved that General Ordinance No. 122, 1919, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 123, 1919, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch, Miller, Pettijohn, Schmidt, Willson and President Wm. B. Peake.

By Mr. Kirsch:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 123, 1919.

AN ORDINANCE amending paragraph No. 35 of Section 749 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, pertaining to fixing license fees to be charged for vehicles used on the streets for carrying on certain business. *Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis*?

Section 1. That paragraph No. 35 of Section 749 of General Ordinance No. 12, 1917, pertaining to fixing license fees to be charged for vehicles used on the streets for carrying on certain business, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Each motor truck with a carrying capacity not to exceed 2,000 pounds, \$4.00; and each motor truck with a carrying capacity of over 2,000 pounds and not to exceed 4,000 pounds, \$8.00; and each motor truck with a carrying capacity of over 4,000 pounds and not to exceed 6,000 pounds, \$12.00; and each motor truck with a carrying capacity of over 6,000 pounds and not to exceed 8,000 pounds, \$16.00; and each motor truck with a carrying capacity of over 8,000 pounds and not to exceed 10,000 pounds, \$20.00; and each motor truck with a carrying capacity of over 10,000 pounds and not to exceed 12,000 pounds, \$24.00; and each motor truck with a carrying capacity of over 12,000 pounds and not to exceed 14,000 pounds, \$28.00.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, and publication as required by law.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Kirsch moved that the rules be suspended and General Ordinance No. 123 be placed upon its passage.

The roll was called and the motion to suspend the rules carried by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch, Miller, Pettijohn, Schmidt, Willson and President Peake.

Mr. Kirsch called for General Ordinance No. 123, 1919, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Kirsch moved that General Ordinance No. 123, 1919, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 123, 1919, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch, Pettijohn, Miller, Schmidt, Willson and President Wm. B. Peake.

By Mr. Carnefix:

### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 124, 1919.

AN ORDINANCE amending section 3, subdivision b. of Section 5, and subdivision e. of Section 6, of General Ordinance No. 76, 1919, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

Section 1. That Section 3 of General Ordinance No. 76, 1919, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 3. For the Department of Finance: The City Controller, Four Thousand dollars per year. The Deputy City Controller, Eighteen Hundred dollars per year. The Chief Bookkeeper, Sixteen Hundred Twenty dollars per year. The Licensee Clerk, Fifteen Hundred dollars per year. The First Assistant Clerk, One Thousand Eighty dollars per year. Bar-

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ret Law Bookkeeper, Fifteen Hundred dollars per year. Barret Law Clerk, Thirteen Hundred Twenty Dollars per year. Barret Law Clerk, Twelve Hundred dollars per year. Stenographer, Ten Hundred Eighty dollars per year."

Sec. 2. That subdivision b. of Section 5 of General Ordinance No. 76, 1919, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

For the Department of Public Works. b. For the City Civil "Sec. 5. Engineer's Force: The City Civil Engineer, Thirty-five Hundred dollars per year. The City Civil Engineer for Track Elevation, in addition to the above regular salary, Four Thousand dollars per year. (The City Civil Engineer may employ at his own expense an assistant civil engineer for the work of said track elevation). The First Assistant City Civil Engineer, Two Thousand Two Hundred Eighty dollars per year. The Second and Third Assistant City Civil Engineers, Two Thousand dollars per year each. The Fourth Assistant City Civil Engineer, Eighteen Hundred dollars per year. Each Transit Man, Sixteen Hundred Twenty dollars per year. Each Leveler, not to exceed Twelve Hundred dollars per year. The Chief Draftsman, Eighteen Hundred dollars per year. Each Draftsman, Class "A", Fifteen Hundred dollars per year. Each Draftsman, Class 'F", Twelve Hundred dollars per year. Each Draftsman, Class "C", Ten Hundred and Eighty Dollars per year. Each Rodman, Ten Hundred and Eighty dollars per year. Each Chairman, Ten Hundred and Eighty dollars per year. The Chief Clerk, Sixteen Hundred and Twenty dollars per year. Each Assistant Clerk, Twelve Hundred dollars per year. Stenographic Clerks, Twelve Hundred dollars per year, each. Stenographers, Ten Hundred and Eighty Dollars per year, each. The Chief Inspector, Two Thousand dollars per year. Each Assistant Chief Inspector, Eighteen Hundred dollars per year. Each Inspector, Class "A", Thirteen Hundred Twenty dollars per year. Each Inspector, Class "B", Twelve Hundred dollars per year. The Engineering Chemist, Twenty-four Hundred dollars per year. The Assistant Engineering Chemist, Fifteen Hundred dollars per year. Each Inspector and Assistant in Laboratory, Class "A", Twelve Hundred dollars per year. Each Inspector and Assistant in Laboratory, Class "A", Ten Hundred and Twenty dollars per year,

Sec. 3. That subdivision e. of Section 6 of General Ordinance No. 76, 1919, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

e. For the Fire Force: Chief of the Fire Force, Four Thousand dollars per year. First Assistant Chief, Two Thousand, Seven Hundred Fifty dollars per year. Each Battalion Chief, Two Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty dollars per year. Secretary to the Chief, Eighteen Hundred dollars per year. Clerk, Thirteen Hundred Twenty dollars per year. Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph, Two Thousand, Two Hundred dollars per year. Assistant Superintendent of Fire Alarm Tele-

graph, Eighteen Hundred dollars per year. Each Captain, Five dollars per day. Each Lieutenant, Four dollars and Fifty cents per day. Each Electrician, Four dollars and Fifty cents per day. Each Engineer, Four dollars and Twenty-five cents per day. Each Chanffeur, Four dollars and Twenty-five cents per day. Each Fireman, first grade, for first year after serving one year from regular appointment as a private, Four dollars per day. Each Fireman, second grade, for first year after appointment as a private, Three dollars, Sixty cents per day. Each Substitute Fireman, Three dollars, Thirty cents per day. Each Cable Splicer, Four dollars, Seventy-five cents per day. Master Mechanic, Assistant Mechanic, Department Mechanic, Gamewell and Telephone Operators, Four dollars and Twenty-five cents per day."

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

### INTRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Mr. Schmidt read the following statement of asphalt repairs made by the Street Commissioner's Department:

Following is a statement of asphalt layed during the months of June, July and August, including list of streets repaired during this period:

Streets patched during June, 1919—Woodlawn, Delaware, Nineteenth, Eleventh, New Jersey, Twelfth, Shelby, Thirteenth, Elm, Park, Broadway, Bellefontaine, Seventeenth, Hoyt, Lexington, Tenth, Highland, Davidson, Pratt, East Michigan, Jefferson, Hamilton, New York, Emerson, State, Arsenal, West Walnut, Marlowe.

Total number of square yards asphalt layed during June, 8,538.

Streets patched during July, 1919—West, Delaware, Alabama, Pennsylvania, Talbot, West Washington, Central, Palmer, St. Joseph, South Meridian, Union, Pratt, Tenth, Illinois, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Nineteenth, New Jersey, Morris, Russell, Stevens, McCarty, Greer, St. Clair, Buchanan, Woodlawn.

Total number of square yards asphalt layed during July, 7,600.

Streets patched Ruring August, 1919—Washington. Roosevelt, South Delaware, East Washington, West Washington, Erie, Central, Brookside, Bellefontaine, Cornell, Twenty-first, Rural, Tenth, Massachusetts, Alabama, Illinois, New Jersey, Adams, Fulton, St. Clair, Fourteenth, Eighteenth, Georgia, Kentucky, Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Thirteenth, Twenty-fourth, Twentieth, Morris, Market, Sutherland, College, West, first alley north Ohio between Meridian and Bird.

Total number of square yards layed during August, 8,067.

Total number of square yards of asphalt layed during months of June, July and August, 24,205.

At the request of Mr. Schmidt the Clerk was instructed to write to the Street Commissioner asking him to submit an itemized report or statement showing the number and size and location of patches or repairs made.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Carnefix called for General Ordinance No. 114, 1919, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Carnefix moved that General Ordinance No. 114, 1919, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 114, 1919, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch, Miller, Pettijohn, Schmidt, Willson and President Wm. B. Peake.

Mr. Carnefix called for General Ordinance No. 115, 1919, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Carnefix moved that General Ordinance No. 115, 1919. be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

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General Ordinance No. 115, 1919, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch, Miller, Pettijohn, Schmidt, Willson and President Wm. B. Peake.

Mr. Carnefix called for General Ordinance No. 116, 1919, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Carnefix moved that General Ordinance No. 116, 1919, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 116, 1919, was read a third time and failed to pass by the following vote:

Ayes, I, viz.: Mr. Pettijohn.

Noes, 8, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch, Miller, Schmidt, Willson and President Wm. B. Peake.

Mr. Willson called for General Ordinance No. 98, 1919, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Willson moved that General Ordinance No. 98, 1919, be stricken from the files.

The roll was called and General Ordinance No. 98, 1919, was stricken from the files by the following vote:

Ayes, 8, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Carnefix, Furniss, Kirsch, Miller, Schmidt, Willson and President Wm. B. Peake.

Noes, 1, viz.: Mr. Pettijohn.

On motion of Mr. Willson the Common Council at 9:30 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

President.

Attest:

City Clerk.