On Motion, Resolved. That Messrs Tutewiler, Rooker & King be and they are hereby appointed a committee to draft an Ordinance providing general regulations for the safety of the health of the city to report at next meeting of the council.

And the Council adjourned to meet on Monday evening Feby 14. 1848 at  $\frac{1}{2}$  past 6 oClock.

Attest

James G. Jordan Sev Henry Tutewiler President City Council protem

Council Chamber Indianapolis February 14. 1848.

Council met pursuant to adjournment-- Present Messrs Gates, Tutewiler, King, Morris, & Wingate

The President being absent, Mr Morris was appointed President protem.

Mr Tutewiler, from the committee appointed at the last meeting, to prepare an Ordinance &c reported an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to establish a Board of Health for the city of Indianapolis and to prevent the spread of contagious or malignant diseases in said city -"

Which was read, ordained and established to take effect from and after its publication as required by the Charter.-

Ordered That the Board of Health be directed to report in future the names and residence of those who may be infected with the Small pox. or varioloid.

Ordered That the Treasurer execute to James Van Blaricum a receipt in full for the taxes assessed against him by the common council of the town of Indianapolis for the year 1846. and the by the city council for the year 1847. for General purposes upon his crediting the judgment in his favor against the Common Council in the Marion Circuit Court to that amount.

Ordered That James Blake be and he is hereby directed to widen the gates over Pogues Run on his property fronting Meridian Street to a width equal to the Bridge over said run on said street, and indefault thereof within ten days after notification by the Commissioner of Streets that said Commissioner perform that service at the expense of Mr Blake. ---

480-1 Allowed S.J. Patterson & Co \$20.50 for extras on Bridge over canal.

And the council adjourned to meet on the 17th inst at  $\frac{1}{2}$  past 6 oclock P.M.

Attest

James G. Jordan Secv M Morris President City Council protem.

Council Chamber Indianapolis February 17. 1848.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present Messr Gates, King, Tutewiler, Rooker and Morris.

The President being absent, Mr Gates was appointed President pro tem.

The State Legislature having passed an act amendatory of the City Charter, empowering the City Council at any time to levy and collect a Special tax upon the taxables of the city for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses of any measure which may be adopted by said council to prevent the spread of the Small pox in said City

It was Ordered, That there be levied on the assessment returned by the assessor of the city of Indianapolis for the year 1847. a special tax of Fifteen cents on each One hundred dollars of real and personal property, and One dollar on each poll, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessary to prevent the spread of the Small pox within the limits of the city, and for the purpose of erecting a suitable building to be used as a City Hospital.

Ordered That the Secretary proceed forthwith to make out such Tax List, and upon the completion thereof, deliver the same to the city Treasurer, taking his receipt therefor; And that the Treasurer thereupon be and he is hereby directed to proceed forthwith to the collection of said Taxes. and that he demand, receive and collect the same in money within forty days from the reception of said list.

(No 479.)

Ordered, That the tax levied upon the assessment returned by the assessor for the year 1847. against Mr Baldwin, of Six hundred dollars be and the same is hereby remitted. it being upon an unfinished building.