

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR SESSION.

CHAMBER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS,
MONDAY, JANUARY 4TH, 1864, 7½ O'CLOCK, P. M. }

The Common Council met in regular session.

Present—His Honor, the Mayor, John Caven, in the chair,
and the following members:

Councilmen Allen, Brown, Boaz, Cook, Coburn, Emerson, S. A. Fletcher, Jr., H. A. Fletcher, Glazier, Haughey, Jameson, Lefever, McNabb and Thompson—14.

Absent—Councilmen Blake, Colley, Staub and Wallace—4.

The proceedings of the special session, held December 28th, 1863, were read and approved.

By Dr. Jameson—Petition:

INDIANAPOLIS, January 4th, 1864.

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

The undersigned petitioner, would respectfully represent to your honorable body, that he became lately, by purchase, the owner of that part of lot 4, in square 87, in Indianapolis, fronting on Kentucky Avenue, and being between Washington and Maryland streets; that there is on said premises a large two-story frame building, which building needs, in that part facing the back yard, a good deal of repairing to make it comfortable. Your petitioner would ask leave from your honorable body to grant him the privilege to extend the lower parts of the north-east part of said house, instead of repairing it in its present dimensions, about

three feet in the back yard ; and your petitioner would also state, that it would not increase the danger of fire, said building being isolated and separated from other adjoining buildings, besides the back yard, by a private alley. All of which is respectfully represented to your honorable body, and your petitioner will ever pray.

WILLIAM KOLB.

Which, on motion of Dr. Jameson, was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Haughey, Chairman of the Finance Committee :

INDIANAPOLIS, January 4, 1864.

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

Gentlemen—The Finance Committee respectfully recommend that orders be issued by the City Clerk on the City Treasurer, to refund erroneous taxes, viz :

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| To Joseph K. English, City Treasurer, for the following, viz : | |
| Double assessment on 36 feet, north side, lot 45, out-lot 153, for 1862, in the name of William S. Ayres | \$2 86 |
| Double assessment against Charles Teine, on poll and personal property, for 1862 and 1863..... | 1 41 |
| Double assessment of lot 7, square 23, in name of J. S. Pratt, for 1862 and 1863..... | 11 37 |
| Daniel Keely, poll tax for 1863, over age..... | 50 |
| Overcharge of delinquent taxes against Samuel Goldsberry's heirs, on lot 10, square 44, and lots 3, 7, 15, 16, 17 and 18, in out-lot 46..... | 42 70 |
| Double assessment against lot 34, Stumph's sub-division, out lot 44, poll and personal property for 1862, in the name of John Muller..... | 2 40 |
| To George Mather, on poll and personal property, for 1861 and 1862, resides in Lawrenceburg..... | 2 50 |
| To Daniel Keely, for poll tax for 1862, over age..... | 50 |
| To John Clark, for poll tax for 1863, over age..... | 50 |
| | \$64 79 |

THEO. P. HAUGHEY, }
 H. COBURN, } *Committee.*
 H. A. FLETCHER, }

On motion, the report was concurred in, and the City Clerk directed to issue the warrants.

By Mr. S. A. Fletcher, Jr., Chairman Committee on Accounts :

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis :

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis,* That the following named persons be allowed the amounts set opposite their respective names, from any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, as follows :

POLICE EXPENSES.

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| David Powell, services as chief of police, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | \$62 00 |
| W. S. Johnson, services as lieutenant of police, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| John S. Bray, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| George Taffe, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| Thos. D. Amos, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 43 75 |
| Wm. W. Loucks, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 53 37 |
| Hannibal Taffe, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| Joseph Charles, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 50 75 |
| W. F. Brennemer, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| Robt. Redmond, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 52 50 |
| Sam'l Buser, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 49 00 |
| F. Lang, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| Henry Paul, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| Stephen Wilson, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| A. Unversaw, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| H. S. Adams, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 52 50 |
| J. W. Bradley, services as policeman, to Decembet 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| A. E. Catterson, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| D. I. Thompson, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 51 62½ |
| Jesse T. Murphy, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 51 62½ |
| Jacob B. Power, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| Jos. P. Duvall, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| Chas. E. Carter, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 7 00 |
| Amount carried forward..... | <u>\$1179 37</u> |

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| Amount brought forward..... | \$1179 37 |
| William Bretney, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| M. W. E. Doran, services as policeman to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 54 25 |
| Rob't B. Barbee, services as policeman to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 22 75 |
| William Williams, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 49 00 |
| John Gray, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 35 00 |
| George Thomas, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 35 00 |
| Levi Wilmington, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 33 25 |
| Wm. A. Patterson, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 24 50 |
| Wm. Oyler, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 12 25 |
| August Nagel, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 9 62½ |
| Orrin Lawton, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 7 87½ |
| George W. Luckey, services as policeman, to December 31st, 1863, inclusive..... | 5 25 |
| J. B. Wilson, sundries furnished Street Commissioner... | 45 60 |
| George Stilz, sundries furnished Street Commissioner... | 10 50 |
| Smith & Ittenbach, furnishing and setting curbing, at the intersection of Pearl and Meridian streets..... | 26 00 |
| Jordan & Burnett, printing..... | 27 00 |
| Alexander Wood, assisting Civil Engineer.,..... | 39 60 |
| M. Shea, assisting Civil Engineer..... | 39 60 |
| John Stumph, for building bridge over the I. & C. R. Road at its crossing with Noble street..... | 2321 00 |
| John Stumph, balance on estimate for Pearl street..... | 6 98 |
| H. Timmerman, city's portion of first and final estimate for grading and graveling the thirty foot alley, running north and south through square 21..... | 20 00 |
| Henry Coburn, hauling wood to the poor, 11 days at \$3 00 per day..... | 33 00 |
| Henry Coburn, lumber furnished to build shanty for distributor of wood..... | 9 43 |
| FIRE DEPARTMENT. | |
| Charles E. Curtis, services as engineer in Fire Department, ending December 31st, 1863..... | \$65 00 |
| Dan'l Glazier, services as engineer in Fire Department, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 65 00 |
| Amount carried forward..... | <u>\$4231 08</u> |

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| Amount brought forward..... | \$4231 08 |
| William McDougal services as fireman, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| E. H. Webster, services as fireman, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| James Fox, services as fireman, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| James Smith, services as driver, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| William Dawson, services as driver, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| William Miller, services as driver, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| William Curtis, services as driver, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| Sam'l Blythe, services, as driver, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| George Kentzel, services as driver, ending December 31st 1863..... | 52 70 |
| Lafayette Doughty, services as watchman, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| Chas. W. Rhoads, services as watchman ending December 31st, 1863..... | 52 70 |
| C. F. Schmidt, for 322 yards dirt, used for filling up lot on South street, between Delaware and Pennsylvania street, at forty-five cents per yard..... | 144 90 |
| P. J. Reinhardt, keys for offices..... | 2 00 |
| Wesley M. Adams, repairing circle fence..... | 26 50 |
| G. F. Adams, desk for police office..... | 36 00 |
| Spiegel, Thoms & Co., desk for Clerk's office..... | 34 65 |
| Spiegel, Thoms & Co., varnishing desk in Mayor's office, | 4 00 |
| R. L. & A. W. McQuat, sundries..... | 2 60 |
| Indianapolis Gas Light & Coke Company, gas, &c., furnished street lamps for three months, ending December 31st, 1863..... | 2980 18 |
| W. J. H. Robinson, for keeping city prisoners for the month of November, 1863..... | 396 00 |
| Hugh Slavin, hauling wood twenty-two days to the poor, at \$2 75 per day..... | 60 50 |
| William McClain Boaz, hauling wood to the poor nineteen days, at \$3 00 per day..... | 57 00 |
| William McClain Boaz, twenty-five days distributing wood to the poor at \$2 00 per day..... | 50 00 |
| William Boaz, sundries, as per bill..... | 8 75 |
| Hasselmann & Vinton, sundries, as per bill..... | 41 30 |
| John G. Waters, specific..... | 75 00 |
| Total..... | <u>\$8730 16</u> |

RECAPITULATION.

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| Gas | \$2980 18 |
| Bridges | 2321 00 |
| Police | 1522 37 |
| Fire Department..... | 751 00 |
| Specific | 544 33 |
| Jail expenses..... | 396 00 |
| Street improvements..... | 132 18 |
| Printing | 27 00 |
| Street repairs.. | 56 10 |
| Total | <u>\$8730 16</u> |

SEC. 2. The City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to issue warrants upon the City Treasury to the persons named, and for the amounts as set forth specifically in section first, of this ordinance.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Ordained and established this 4th day of January, 1864.

JOHN CAVEN, *Mayor*.

Attest:

C. S. BUTTERFIELD, *City Clerk*.

The ordinance was read the first time, and, on motion of Dr. Thompson, was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Emerson then moved that the rules be suspended, and the ordinance read a third time now.

The question being on the suspension of the rules, those who voted in the affirmative, were Councilmen Allen, Brown, Boaz, Cook, Coburn, Emerson, S. A. Fletcher, Jr., H. A. Fletcher, Glazier, Haughey, Jameson, Lefever, McNabb and Thompson.—14.

Noes, none.

So the rules were suspended, and the ordinance read a third time.

The question being, shall the ordinance pass? those who voted in the affirmative, were Councilmen Allen, Brown, Boaz, Coburn, Cook, Emerson, S. A. Fletcher, Jr., H. A. Fletcher, Glazier, Haughey, Jameson, Lefever, McNabb and Thompson.—14.

Noes, none.

So the ordinance passed.

By Mr. Allen, Chairman Committee on Fire Department:

INDIANAPOLIS, January 4th, 1864.

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

The Committee on Fire Department, beg leave to offer the following resolution:

WILLIAM ALLEN,
THEODORE P. HAUGHEY. } *Committee.*

Resolved, That three hundred dollars be appropriated in favor of the Fire Department, for the purpose of procuring feed, fuel, &c.

The question being, shall the resolution pass? those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Allen, Brown, Boaz, Cook, Coburn, Emerson, S. A. Fletcher, Jr., H. A. Fletcher, Glazier, Haughey, Jameson, Lefever, McNabb and Thompson—14.

Noes, none.

So the resolution passed.

By Mr. Brown, Chairman Committee on Streets and Alleys :
INDIANAPOLIS, January 4th, 1864.

Mr. President—The Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom was referred the petition of A. C. Howard, proposing to put, up at the corners of streets, their names, would report that, though the price seems reasonable for the work proposed to be done, yet, in the present state of our finances, we think it inexpedient to now legislate upon the subject.

AUSTIN H. BROWN, }
HENRY COBURN, } *Committee.*
WILLIAM COOK. }

Which, on motion, was concurred in.

By Mr. Brown, Chairman Committee on Streets and Alleys :

Resolved, That a first and final estimate be allowed D. Root & Co., for furnishing and erecting lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures, on East street, between South street and Pogue's Run, when finished to the satisfaction of the Civil Engineer.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Allen, Brown, Boaz, Cook, Coburn, Emerson, S. A. Fletcher, Jr., H. A. Fletcher, Glazier, Haughey, Jameson, Lefever, McNabb and Thompson—14.

Noes, none.

So the resolution passed.

By Mr. Brown, Chairman Committee on Streets and Alleys :

Resolved, That the following first and final estimate allowed D. Root & Co., for furnishing and erecting lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures on Pennsylvania street, between Michigan street and Donation line north, be and the same is hereby adopted as the estimate of the Common Council, and the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Allen, Brown, Boaz, Cook, Coburn, Emerson, S. A. Fletcher, Jr., H. A. Fletcher, Glazier, Haughey, Jameson, Lefever, McNabb and Thompson—14.

Noes, none.

So the resolution passed.

ESTIMATE ALLOWED DELOSS ROOT—Continued.

| OWNERS' NAMES. | Lot. | Square. | Out lot. | Feet. | Inches. | Assessment. |
|----------------------------------|-------|---------|----------|-------|-----------------|------------------------|
| Amount brought forward..... | | | | | | \$488 63 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| John S. Spann, 20, 21, 22..... | | | 173 | 105 | 0 | \$14 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Jane Locke..... | 38 | | 173 | 103 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 13 93 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| Nathaniel F. Cunningham..... | 1 | | 173 | 93 | 10 | 12 67 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| Joseph E. McElvain..... | 2 | | 173 | 50 | 0 | 6 75 |
| Christ Church..... | 3 & 4 | | 173 | 100 | 0 | 13 50 |
| James M. Bradshaw, 5..... | 6 & 7 | | 173 | 150 | 0 | 20 25 |
| Lydia M. Latham..... | 8 | | 173 | 84 | 0 | 11 34 |
| William Tinsley, north part..... | | | 173 | 84 | 10 | 11 45 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| Common Council..... | | | | | | 87 29 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| | | | | | | \$680 00 |

I certify the above estimate correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council.

JAMES WOOD, *Civil Engineer.*

INDIANAPOLIS, January 4, 1864.

Mr. Brown, Chairman Committee on Streets and Alleys, presented the following Report from John M. Kemper, Street Commissioner :

INDIANAPOLIS, January 4, 1864.

Report of Street Commissioner to Committee on Streets and Alleys, of amount of work done by him from September 14, 1863, to January 2, 1864, inclusive.

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| John Richman, 78 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | \$117 00 |
| James Kennedy, 68 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 112 00 |
| Dennis Stow, 33 $\frac{3}{4}$ days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 50 62 |
| Mathias Kemper, 12 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 18 00 |
| Patrick Sullivan, 13 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 19 50 |
| Patrick Conner, 9 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 13 50 |
| John Leonard, 67 $\frac{3}{4}$ days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 101 62 |
| Thomas Pyle, 63 $\frac{3}{4}$ days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 96 62 |
| John Kirkwood, 4 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 6 00 |
| Michael Welsh, 2 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 3 00 |
| J. J. Wenner, 50 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 75 00 |
| James Ferreter, 12 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 18 00 |
| J. Nash, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 6 75 |
| Mathew McCormack, 34 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 51 00 |
| Phillip Mahony, 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 45 75 |
| John Hennesy, 33 days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 49 50 |
| John Hellen, 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 35 25 |
| Patrick Conwell, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1 50 per day..... | 6 75 |

Amount carried forward..... \$825 86

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| Amount brought forward..... | \$825 86 |
| J. W. Broomfield, 76 days teamster, at \$3 per day.... | 228 00 |
| William Wells, 4½ days teamster, at \$3 per day..... | 13 50 |
| A. Cropper, 5 days teamster, at \$3 per day..... | 15 00 |
| R. Cropper, 11½ days teamster, at \$3 per day..... | 34 50 |
| J. W. White, 34 days teamster, at \$3 per day..... | 102 00 |
| J. Clark, 6 days teamster, at \$3 per day..... | 18 00 |
| J. Cunningham, 7 days teamster, at \$3 per day..... | 21 00 |
| J. N. Burrows, 2 days teamster, at \$3 per day..... | 6 00 |
| L. Kemper, teamster, 38½ days..... | 115 50 |
| H. Lewis, teamster, 18½ days..... | 55 50 |
| A. Rubush, teamster, 1 day..... | 3 00 |
| Michael O'Conner, teamster, 1½ days..... | 4 50 |
| John Kimmel, Arcadia, Ind., for hewed timber and lumber..... | 125 50 |
| Toll-keeper of Lick Creek Gravel Road Company..... | 6 00 |
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| | \$1573 86 |
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JOHN M. KEMPER,

Street Commissioner.

Which, on motion, was accepted and approved.

By Mr. Brown, Chairman Committee on Streets and Alleys :

INDIANAPOLIS, January 4, 1864.

Mr. President—The Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom was referred the bids of John Stumph, for bouldering the alley running north and south through square 65, between Washington and Pearl street, and for bouldering the alley running north and south through square 65, between Pearl and Maryland streets, report that he is the best bidder, and recommend that the contract be awarded him.

AUSTIN H. BROWN, }
HENRY COBURN, } *Committee.*
WILLIAM COOK. }

On motion, the report was concurred in, and the contracts awarded.

By Mr. Emerson, from Select Committee :

INDIANAPOLIS, January 4, 1864.

Mr. President—Your Committee to whom was referred the matter in relation to damages to certain persons on Benton street, caused by the grading of said street, would respectfully report :

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| 28 yards of excavation, at 20 cents..... | \$5 60 |
| Brick work, 5000 at \$15 per thousand..... | 75 00 |

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| Total..... | \$80 60 |
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Your Committee would report further, that in their opinion the city is not liable for damages caused by the grading of any

street within the corporate limits. And for further information, your Committee would refer your honorable body to the decision of the Supreme Court of Indiana, and also that of Chief Justice John Marshall, delivered at Washington City, on the subject:

“In the case of *Macy v. City of Indianapolis*, 17 Indiana Rep. 267, the Supreme Court of Indiana decide that for damages resulting from a change in the grade of a street, the property holder cannot recover. In this case, the Supreme Court said: ‘It would no doubt have been within the legitimate province of the legislature to make provision for the payment of such damages, but they have not done so. In the absence of such provision, it is clear that damages cannot be recovered against the city.’

“In *Gostler v. City of Georgetown*, 6 Wheaton Rep. 593, the Supreme Court of the United States made a similar decision, Chief Justice John Marshall, delivering the opinion of the Court. In the case of *Smith v. City of Washington*, 20 Howard U. S. Rep. a similar decision was made by the same tribunal.”

Your Committee would, therefore, recommend that the action of this Council allowing the said damages, be rescinded.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. B. EMERSON,
S. LEFEVER,
WILLIAM ALLEN. } *Special Committee.*

Which, on motion of Mr. Haughey, was laid upon the table.

The Chief of Police submitted the following :

PAY ROLL and Report of the Police Force of the City of Indianapolis, for the month ending Dec. 31, 1863.

| NAMES. | Number of Days Run. | Intoxication. | Prostitution. | Associating with Prostits. | Assault and Battery. | Assault and Battery, with intent to kill. | Grand Larceny | Petit Larceny | Disturbing the Peace. | Driving on Sidewalk. | Exhibiting Show without License. | Violating Dog Ordinance. | Violating Sunday Ordinance. | Obstructing Sidewalks. | Obstructing Gutters. | Feeding on Streets. | Hitching to Shade Trees. | Hitching to Lamp Posts. | Shooting in Streets. | Resisting Officers. | Carrying Concealed Weapons | Gambling. | Running Vehicles without License. | Committing Nuisance. | Violating Cemetery Ord'e | Total. | | | |
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| David Powell, Captain..... | 31 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 18 | | |
| William S. Johnson, Lieutenant..... | 31 | | | | | | | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | | |
| John S. Bray..... | 31 | 12 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16 | |
| George Taffe..... | 31 | 5 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 16 | |
| Thomas D. Amos..... | 25 | 7 | 1 | ..... | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 16 | |
| William W. Loucks..... | 30 1/2 | 7 | 4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | |
| Hannibal Taffe..... | 31 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 | |
| Joseph Charles..... | 29 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 7 | |
| William F. Brennemer..... | 31 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12 | |
| Robert Redmond..... | 30 | 6 | ..... | 2 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 23 | |
| Samuel Buser..... | 28 | 19 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 13 | |
| Frederick Lang..... | 31 | 7 | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 22 | |
| Henry Paul..... | 31 | 17 | ..... | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 22 | |
| Stephen Wilson..... | 31 | 19 | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 16 | |
| Andrew Unversaw..... | 31 | 14 | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 19 | |
| Hubbard S. Adams..... | 30 | 16 | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | |
| Jephtha W. Bradley..... | 31 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 | |
| Abel E. Catterson..... | 31 | 4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 | |
| Daniel I. Thompson..... | 29 | 16 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 17 | |
| Jesse T. Murphy..... | 29 1/2 | 12 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12 | |
| Jacob B. Power..... | 31 | 11 | ..... | 1 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 17 | |
| Joseph P. Duvall..... | 31 | 14 | ..... | 1 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 21 | |
| Charles E. Carter..... | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| William Bretney..... | 31 | 11 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 |
| M. W. E. Doran..... | 31 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| Robert B. Barbee..... | 13 | 10 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11 |
| George Thomas, extra..... | 20 | 17 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 19 |
| William Williams..... | 28 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| John Gray..... | 20 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| Levi Wilmington..... | 19 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| William A. Patterson..... | 14 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| Total..... | ..... | 263 | 25 | 15 | 10 | ..... | 2 | 5 | 14 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 344 | |

I certify, on honor, that the above Pay Roll and Report is correct and just, and that it was made out in accordance with orders to me directed by the Common Council of the city of Indianapolis.

DAVID POWELL. *Chief of Police.*

Which, on motion, was accepted and approved.

Mr. F. M. Herron, winder of the town clock, reported verbally, that the \$50 in addition to his former salary, which was allowed him at a previous meeting of the Council, was not sufficient to enable him to put the clock in good repair, and keep it running, so as to keep correct time; that it would cost at least that amount to clean and repair the clock, and that it was worth at least \$100 per annum to wind and regulate the clock, and make it keep correct time.

Which was received.

By Mr. Haughey—Motion:

That Mr. Herron be allowed the sum of one hundred dollars per annum, as winder of the town clock; and that he be allowed the sum of fifty dollars to clean and repair the said clock.

Which motion was adopted.

By Mr. Emerson:

Resolved, That Bennet Brooks be allowed a first and final estimate, for the erection of the wood work of the bridge over the railroad on Noble street, when completed to the satisfaction of the Civil Engineer.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution, those who voted in the affirmative, were Councilmen Allen, Brown, Boaz, Cook, Coburn, Emerson, S. A. Fletcher, Jr., H. A. Fletcher, Glazier, Haughey, Jameson, Lefever, McNabb and Thompson—14.

Noes, none.

So the resolution passed.

By Mr. Brown:

Resolved, That the City Clerk issue his warrant in favor of John M. Kemper, Street Commissioner, for five hundred dollars, to pay for lumber, and labor on bridges and streets.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution, those who voted in the affirmative, were Councilmen Allen, Brown, Boaz, Cook, Coburn, Emerson, S. A. Fletcher, Jr., H. A. Fletcher, Glazier, Haughey, Jameson, Lefever, McNabb and Thompson—14.

Noes, none.

So the resolution passed.

By Dr. Jameson—Motion:

That a committee of three be appointed to revise the rules governing the deliberations of the Council.

Which motion was adopted.

His Honor, the Mayor, appointed as said Committee, Councilmen Jameson, Brown and Haughey.

By Dr. Thompson—Motion:

That the Committee on the Fire Department inquire and report to the Council whether the Engineers, Firemen, Drivers and Watchmen, in the Fire Department, engage in any other business than their regular duties.

Which motion was adopted.

By Mr. Haughey—Motion:

That the Street Commissioner be directed to replace the foot bridges on Pennsylvania street, and on Washington street, where there are stone crossings.

Which motion was adopted.

His Honor, Mayor Caven, presented the following:

By Telegraph from Brooklyn, January 4, 1864.

HON. JOHN CAVEN—Your letter received. Will accept according to your letter. Give the grant to R. B. Catherwood and his associates. We must re-organize. If given to me, will be on at once. Telegraph result.

R. B. CATHERWOOD.

Which was read and received.

His Honor, the Mayor, reported that he had issued 359 certificates to volunteers, for the sum of fifty dollars, in pursuance of the resolution, passed at a previous meeting of the Council, appropriating \$25,000, for the maintenance, protection and support of the families of volunteers.

On motion, the Council adjourned.

JOHN CAVEN, *Mayor.*

ATTEST:

C. S. BUTTERFIELD, *City Clerk.*