REGULAR MEETING.

Council Chamber, City of Indianapolis, Ind.

Monday, May 1, 1911.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, May 1, 1911, at 7:30 o'clock, in regular session, President John Blumberg in the chair.

Present: The Hon. John Blumberg, President of the Common Council, and 7 members, viz: Messrs. Johnson, Copeland, Rubens, Denny, Owen, Stilz and Troy.

Absent, 1, viz.: Mr. McCarthy.

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

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 20, 1911.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

Gentlemen: I return herewith with my approval the following ordinances:

General Ordinance No. 7, 1911, being an ordinance authorizing the sale of one hundred ten (110) bonds of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars each of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, payable from the general revenues and funds of said city, or from the Sinking Fund of said city, or as may be required by law, for the purpose of procuring money to be used for the purpose of erecting and equipping a hos-

pital for the City of Indianapolis; providing for the time and manner of advertising sale of bonds and of the receipt of bids for the same, together with the mode and terms of sale; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

General Ordinance No. 16, 1911, being an ordinance regulating and restricting the use of rotary gongs in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana; providing penalties for the violation thereof and fixing the time when the same shall take effect.

General Ordinance No. 21, 1911, being an ordinance authorizing the sale of two hundred (200) bonds of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars each of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, payable from the general revenues and funds of said city, or from the Sinking Fund of said city, or as may be required by law, for the purpose of procuring money to be used for the purpose of providing better fire protection for the City of Indianapolis; providing for the time and manner of advertising sale of bonds and of the receipt of bids for the same, together with the mode and terms of sale; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

General Ordinance No. 22, 1911, being an ordinance providing for the transfer of \$2,400.00 from a certain fund to a certain fund in and for the use of the Department of Public Works and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

General Ordinance No. 23, 1911, being an ordinance providing for the transfer of \$1,200 from a certain fund to a certain fund in and for the use of the Department of Public Works and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

General Ordinance No. 25, 1911, being an ordinance defining and prohibiting offensive conduct on the streets and public places in the City of Indianapolis, and providing a penalty therefor, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect, and repealing all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict therewith.

General Ordinance No. 26, 1911, being an ordinance concerning licenses to sell intoxicating liquors at retail.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 72, 1910, being an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$118.00 to and for the use of the Department of Finance and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 19, 1911, being an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$5,000.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Safety and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 28, 1911, being an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$2,500.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Safety and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 29, 1911, being an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$1,500.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Health and Charities and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 30, 1911, being an Ordinance appropriating the sum of \$835.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Safety and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 31, 1911, being an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$6,000.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Works and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 21, 1911, being an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$314.70 to and for the use of the Department of Finance and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 32, 1911, being an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$10,000.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Works and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

I have the honor to remain,

Very truly yours,

S. L. SHANK,
Mayor.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 25, 1911.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I return herewith with my approval the following ordinances:

Special Ordinance No. 7, 1910, being an ordinance providing a name for a certain street in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 34, 1911, being an ordinance providing for the appropriation of \$625.00 to and for the use of the Department of Finance, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

I have the honor to remain,

Very truly yours,

S. L. SHANK, Mayor.

REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

From City Controller:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 1, 1911.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

Gentlemen: I submit herewith a communication from the Department of Public Works requesting me to recommend an appropria-

tion of \$25,000.00 to the fund for the payment of cost of street and alley intersections.

I submit herewith an ordinance providing for the amount of the ap-

propriation requested and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY R. WALLACE, City Controller

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, OFFICE OF THE BOARD. Indianapolis, Ind., April 28, 1911.

Harry Wallace, City Controller, City:

DEAR SIR: You are hereby requested to recommend to the Common Council the passage of an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$25,000.00 to the fund for payment of cost of street and alley intersections.

Respectfully yours, C. A. Schrader, CHARLES L. HUTCHINSON, E. J. O'REILLY, Board of Public Works.

From City Controller:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE. OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 1, 1911.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

Gentlemen: I submit herewith a communication from the Department of Public Health and Charities requesting me to recommend an appropriation of \$1,200.00 to the "Recreation Fund."

I submit herewith an ordinance providing for the amount of the appropriation requested and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY R. WALLACE, City Controller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES, Office of the Board. Indianapolis, Ind., April 29, 1911.

Harry Wallace, City Controller, City:

My DEAR SIR: The Board of Public Health and Charities respectfully requests you to ask the Common Council to appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred (\$1,200.00) Dollars to the Recreation Fund of the Department of Public Health and Charities.
Yours very truly,

C. S. Woods, Secretary Board of Health.

From City Controller:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 1, 1911.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

Gentlemen: I submit herewith an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$225.00 to the fund known as "Memorial Fund" and recommend the passage of same.

Yours very truly,

HARRY R. WALLACE, City Controller.

INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES.

By City Controller:

Appropriation Ordinance No. 35—1911: An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$1,200.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Health and Charities and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

SECTION I. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That the sum of Twelve Hundred (\$1,200.00) Dollars be, and is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the City Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to and for the use of the Department of Public Health and Charities, the amount appropriated herein to be added to and form a part of the fund known as "Recreation Fund."

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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

By City Controller:

Appropriation Ordinance No. 36—1911: An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$25,000.00 to and for the use of the Department of Public Works and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Section I. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) be, and is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the City Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to and for the use of the Department of Public Works, the amount appropriated herein to

be added to and form a part of the fund known as "Street and Alley Intersections.'

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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

By City Controller:

Appropriation Ordinance No. 37—1911: An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$225.00 to and for the use of the Department of Finance and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Section I. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, that the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-five Dollars (\$225.00) be, and is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the City Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to and for the use of the Department of Finance, the amount appropriated herein to be known as the "Memorial Fund.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 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 Mr. Owen (by request):

General Ordinance No. 28-1911: An ordinance amending subdivision E of Section 1 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance fixing the salaries and compensation of all officers and members of the Police Force of the City of Indianapolis," passed over the Mayor's veto November 18, 1907, as amended by General Ordinance No. 93, 1910, and approved December 21, 1910.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, that subdivision E of Section 1 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance fixing the salaries and compensation of all officers and members of the Police Force of the City of Indianapolis," passed over the Mayor's veto November 18, 1907, as amended by General Ordinance No. 93, 1910, and approved December 21, 1910, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section I. (E) Each bicycle-man, turnkey, plain clothes man and mounted patrolman on the Police Force shall receive the sum of

three dollars per day, and each corner-man shall receive the sum of

three and 25-100 dollars (\$3.25) per day.

Sec. 2. The salaries and compensation specified in the foregoing section of this ordinance shall be paid out of the funds in the hands of the City Treasurer appropriated for such purpose at the times and in the manner provided by law.

Sec. 3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith

are hereby repealed.

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

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

By Mr. Denny:

General Ordinance No. 29-1911: An ordinance to amend Section 16 of General Ordinance No. 75, 1910, entitled "An ordinance to regulate traffic upon the public highways of the City of Indianapolis," and fixing the time when the same shall take effect.

SECTION I. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, that Section 16 of General Ordinance No. 75, 1910, entitled "An ordinance to regulate traffic upon the public highways of the City of Indianapolis," be and the same is hereby amended to read

as follows:

"Section 16. When such signals are given, vehicles must stop at such places in the congested district as not to interfere with the passage of pedestrians at regular crossings. All heavy wagons, trucks, drays and other vehicles used for carrying heavy loads shall be kept off of Washington street, between Senate Avenue and Alabama Street, and off of Illinois Street, between Maryland Street and Ohio Street, except when delivering or calling for goods on such streets between such points on such streets, and in such cases, said vehicles shall enter and leave said portion of Washington Street and said portion of Illinois Street at the nearest street crossing to the places of destination of such vehicles."

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication once each week for two consecutive weeks in the Indianapolis Commercial, a daily newspaper of general

circulation, printed and published in said city.

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

By Mr. Blumberg (by request):

Special Ordinance No. 6—1911: An ordinance annexing certain territory to the City of Indianapolis and defining a part of the boundary line of said city and fixing a time when it shall take effect.

Section I. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of

Indianapolis, Indiana, that the boundary lines of the City of Indianapolis, be and the same are hereby extended so as to include the following described contiguous territory, all of which is hereby annexed to and made a part of the territory constituting and forming the City

of Indianapolis, in Marion County, Indiana.

Beginning at a point in the center line of Walker Avenue at its intersection with the center line of State Avenue extended south, the present city limits, and running thence south with the center line of State Avenue extended south to a point which will be 175 feet dis-State Avenue extended south to a point which will be 175 feet distant at right angles with the center line of Walker Avenue; thence south and east 175 feet distant from and parallel to the center of the extension of Walker Avenue to a point 175 feet east of the center line of the extension of Keystone Avenue extended south; thence north, 175 feet distant from and parallel to the center line of Keystone Avenue to the north line of the south half of the northwest quarter of Section 20, Township 15 North, Range 4 East; thence east along the line extended due east to a point which would be 175 feet east of and at right angles to the center line of Churchman feet east of and at right angles to the center line of Churchman Avenue; thence northwesterly, 175 feet distant from and parallel to the center line of Churchman Avenue to the south line of J. W. Brown's Southeast Addition; thence west with the south line of J. W. Brown's Southeast Addition to the center line of the first alley east of Calvin Street; thence north in the first alley east of Calvin Street to the center line of the first alley south of Reformers Street; thence west in the center line of this alley to the center line of the first alley east of Keystone Avenue; thence north in the center line of this alley and in line with the line extended due north and parallel to the center line of Keystone Avenue to the center line of Pleasant Run, the present city limits; thence southeasterly on the line of the city limits with the center of Pleasant Run to the center line-of Keystone Avenue; thence south in the center line of Keystone Avenue to the center line of the east extension of Walker Avenue; thence west and northwest with the center line of Walker Avenue, the present city limits, to the place of beginning.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication for two consecutive weeks in the Indianapolis Commercial, a daily newspaper of general circulation

printed and published in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana.

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

By Mr. Stilz:

Special Ordinance No. 7—1911: An ordinance annexing certain territory to the City of Indianapolis, defining the boundaries thereof, providing for the publication of said ordinance, and fixing the time when the same shall take effect.

Section I. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, That the boundary of the City of Indianapolis be, and the same is hereby extended as hereinafter described to include the territory contained within said boundary line, and that the said territory included therein be, and the same is hereby annexed to and made a part of the territory constituting and forming the City of

Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana. The boundary of the terri-

tory so annexed being as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the intersection of the center line of Wilkins Street with the center line of Tremont Street; thence north with the center line of Tremont Street extended in a straight line to a point in the center line of Oliver Avenue; thence east with the center line of Oliver Avenue to a point in the center line of Belmont Avenue; thence south with the center line of Belmont Avenue to a point in the center line of Wilkins Street; thence west with the center line of Wilkins Street to a point in the center line of Tremont Street, the said point being the place of beginning.

Street, the said point being the place of beginning.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication for two consecutive weeks in the Indianapolis Commercial, a daily newspaper of general circulation,

printed and published in said city.

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

On motion of Mr. Copeland, the Common Council, at 8:00

o'clock P. м., adjourned.

President

Edward a Ramsay

City Clerk.