

## Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber  
May 3d. 1852

Council met. Present all save Mr. John Greer. Minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

Mr. George W. Pitts 4th Ward presented with oath of office endorsed thereon, his credentials and took his seat as Councilman.

The Treasurer presented monthly report, read and approved.

The Street Commissioner presented the following report and the various amounts allowed the persons named:

610)	Labor in 1st Ward	Joseph Butsch	3.75	
(	"	" 4th " "	1.00	
611	"	" 6th " "	1.00	Bockemier
612	"	sharpening & Steeling picks, C. Youngerman	1.50	
613	"	sharpening & steeling picks, I. Trucksess	1.00	
614	"	2d & 6th Wards	<u>5.00</u>	\$ 13.25
		A.P. Meikel		

The following petition was read:  
"To the Honorable the City Council:

The undersigned prays the privilege of grading sidewalk in front of lot No.7 in Square No.18, lying along Vermont Street; also,

The privilege of grading sidewalk in front of lots Nos.4 & 5 in same square lying along Alabama Street; also,

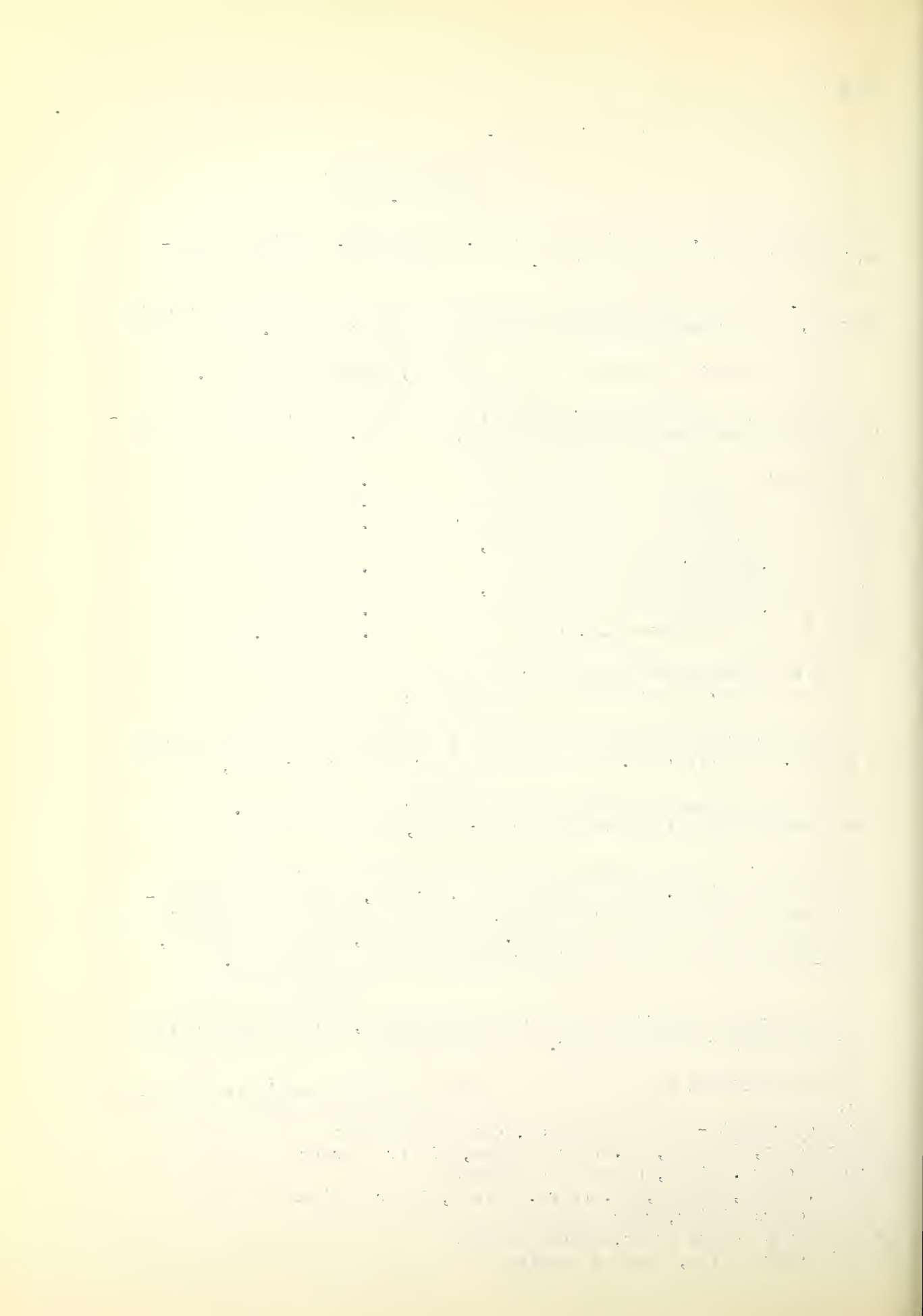
Further the undersigned prays the privilege of grading on the north side of lot No.12 in said Block No.18; and, inasmuch as a considerable fill would have to be made, he asks the privilege of taking from the sidewalk on the north of lot No.1 in Block 17, for said purpose, and requests that the City Engineer be directed to set Stakes.

William A. Holliday

Referred to Committee on Streets and alleys, and if no objection to granted prayer of petitioner.

The President announced the following Standing Committee for ensuing year:

"Fire Department - Messrs Buchanan, Delzell and Pitts  
Public Wells, cisterns, etc. Messrs Louden, Fitler & Greer  
Markets Messrs. Pitts, Delzell and Buchanan  
Streets, Alleys, bridges, etc. Messrs. Delzell, Fitler & Pitts  
Claims Messrs Fitler, Greer & Louden  
Ways & Means Messrs Greer, Delzell & Pitts  
School Messrs Pitts, Louden & Buchanan



Mr. John S. Allen assessor elect presented certificate of election with oath of office endorsed thereon and filed his bond, which was accepted.

Allowed, A.F. Shortridge the sum of \$30.63, being amount of judgment on Sullivan's docket, W.C. VanBlaricum & City Council Docket F. Page 635, cost \$3.15.

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On motion by Mr. Pitts it was

"Resolved, That the Marshal notify the Indianapolis and Lafayette Railroad Company, in making their road, as far as it may be within the limits of the City of Indianapolis, to comply with the City grade except as otherwise provided in their grant; and to place all culverts for the drainage of the water where now made or necessary to be made, at the proper city grade."

On motion by Mr. Loudon the Council proceeded to the election of officers of the city not otherwise elected, which resulted as follows:  
Mr. Jacob Miller was elected Clerk of East Market on 1st ballot  
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Mr. Philip Socks was elected Sexton of Public Burying Ground on 1st ballot  
"The Indiana State Sentinel" & "The Locomotive" were selected by ballot as the publishing papers of the City Council.

On motion by Mr. Delzell, The Council adjourned to meet again on Friday evening.

Attest:

David V. Culley, President City Council

Daniel B. Culley, Secy. C.C.

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