

JOURNALS
OF THE
COMMON COUNCIL

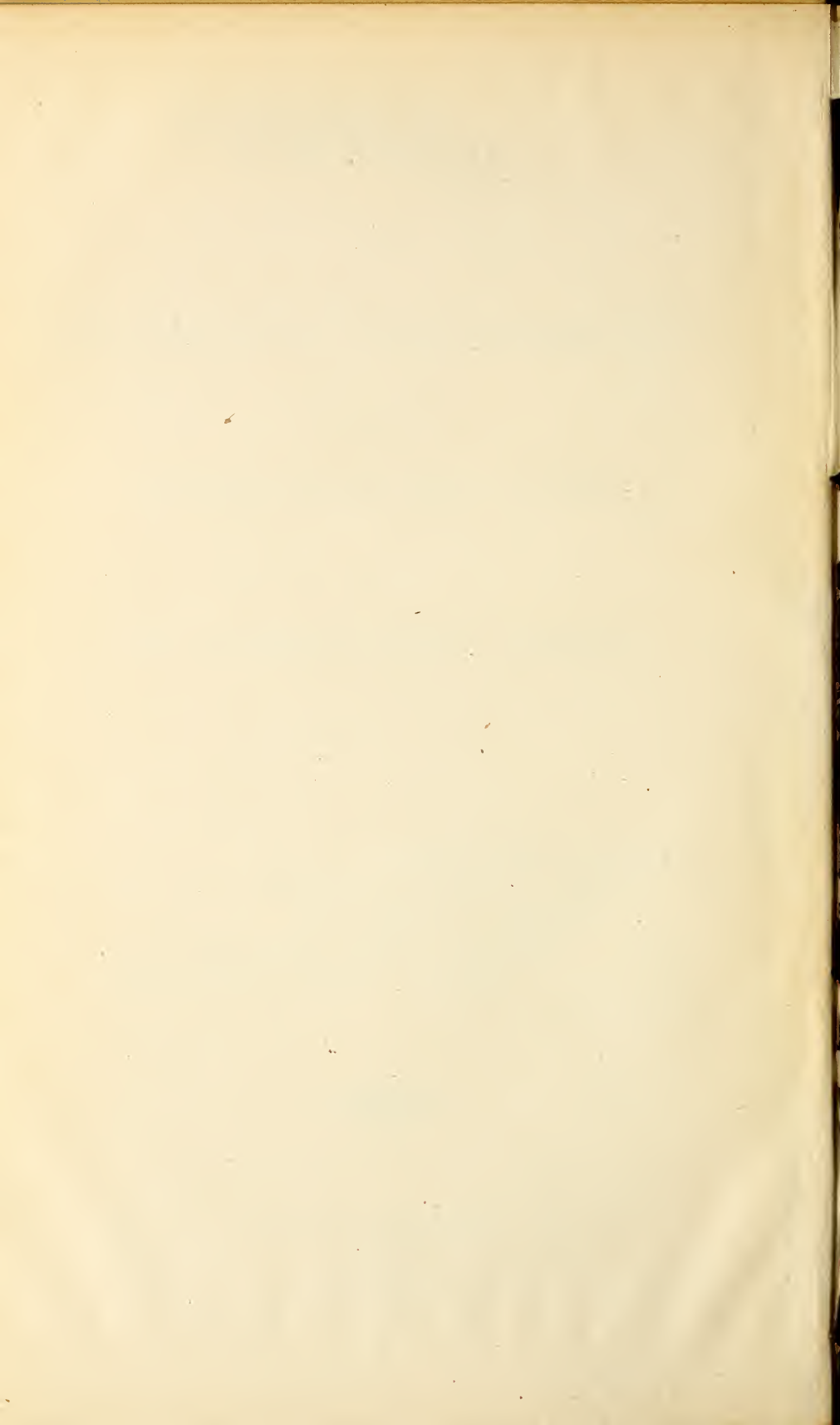
OF THE
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

FROM
JANUARY 1, 1912, TO DECEMBER 31, 1912

CHARLES B. STILZ, President
FRANK E. McCARTHY, Vice-President
EDWARD A. RAMSAY, Clerk
JAMES W. LAMKIN, Deputy Clerk
WILLIAM PAULSELL, Sergeant-at-Arms



SENTINEL PRINTING COMPANY
INDIANAPOLIS



CITY OFFICIALS

Mayor	SAMUEL LEWIS SHANK.
Private Secretary to Mayor.....	ANNIS BURK.
Stenographer	FLORENCE ROBERTSON.
City Clerk	EDWARD A. RAMSAY.
First Assistant City Clerk.....	THOMAS J. YOUNT.
Second Assistant City Clerk.....	JAMES W. LAMKIN.
Third Assistant City Clerk.....	HILLARD H. RICKS.
Judge City Court.....	JAMES A. COLLINS.
Bailiff City Court.....	WILLIAM PAULSELL.
Assistant Bailiff	NEWTON SHAFER.
Assistant Bailiff	HENRY SLATE.
Probation Officer	SAMUEL GADDIS.
City Controller	HARRY R. WALLACE.
Deputy City Controller	FRED B. AKIN.
License Inspector	WILLIAM KOST.
Bookkeeper	J. WESLEY RHODEHAMEL.
Barrett Law Clerk	LEWIS ZIEGLER.
Deputy Auditor School Board.....	ALFRED E. COOK.
Corporation Counsel	JOSEPH B. KEALING.
City Attorney	MERLE N. A. WALKER.
Assistant City Attorney.....	NEWTON MCGUIRE.
City Prosecutor	JOHN F. ENGELKE.
Claim Agent	WILLIAM E. REILEY.
Superintendent of Police	MARTIN J. HYLAND.
Secretary to Superintendent.....	CHARLES SISLOFF.
Captains of Police	LEONARD CRANE.
	GEORGE V. COFFIN.
	CHRISTIAN L. KRUGER.
Lieutenants of Police	IRA L. LEET.
	JOHN CORRIGAN.
	CHARLES BARMFUHRER.
Captain of Detectives.....	WILLIAM A. HOLTZ.
Lieutenant of Detectives	JEREMIAH E. KINNEY.
Chief of Fire Department.....	CHARLES E. COOTS.
Secretary to Chief.....	BENJAMIN C. WHEAT.
First Assistant Chief.....	JOHN C. LOUCKS.
Second Assistant Chief.....	JACOB PETTY.
Third Assistant Chief.....	JOHN W. RIPLEY.
Fourth Assistant Chief.....	J. HARRY JOHNSON.
Cellar Inspector	BERT SWIGGETT.
City Civil Engineer	HENRY W. KLAUSMANN.
Chief Clerk	WILLIAM H. PEIRCE.
First Assistant Engineer.....	HARRY G. HAWEKOTTE.
Second Assistant Engineer.....	J. HARRY DEANE.
Third Assistant Engineer.....	CHARLES P. CULLEY.

Assistant Engineer Track Elevation	FRANK C. LINGENFELTER.
Chief Inspector	JOHN J. GRIFFITH.
Bookkeeper	OSCAR E. SHERMAN.
Chemist	CHARLES H. UNDERWOOD.
Superintendent of Streets	JOSEPH L. HOGUE.
Assistant Superintendent	JOHN J. MARSHALL.
Assistant Superintendent	ALFRED O. MELOY.
Clerk to Superintendent	GEORGE O. HUTSELL.
Notice Clerk	LOUIS KIEFER.
Chief Inspector of Sweeping and Sprinkling	JOHN H. KIMBLE.
Assistant Chief Inspector	EDWARD REINER.
Sweeping and Sprinkling Inspectors	HARRY B. NEWBY. JOHN W. CASTOR. JOSEPH FOPPIANO. CHARLES F. LUTZ. FRANK GREEN. CLAUDE POLAND.
Building Inspector	THOS. A. WINTERROWD.
Assistant Building Inspectors	THADDIUS GURLEY. THOMAS S. GARBER. O. R. RICKETTS. J. F. SMITH.
Electrical Inspector	FORT H. MOORE.
Smoke Inspector	JACOB P. BROWN.
Elevator Inspector	JOHN FEIGEN.
Plumbing Inspector	WILLIAM KOEPPER.
Secretary	WILLIAM H. LEE.
Chief Clerk Assessment Roll Bureau	HENRY M. COCHRANE.
Assistant Chief Clerk	GUSTAVE KOETHE.
Inspector of Scales, Weights and Measures	ISIDOR WULFSON.
Deputy Inspector of Scales, Weights and Measures	CHARLES HULSMAN.
Deputy Inspector of Scales, Weights and Measures	GORDON DONALDSON.
Custodian Tomlinson Hall	WILLIAM ROESSNER.
Custodian City Hall	CHARLES W. BROWN.
Chief Engineer City Hall	JOSEPH HARKNESS.
Custodian Police Station	JOSEPH STEPHENS.
Assistant Custodians	HENRY FERGUSON. JOHN CRITTENDEN. THOMAS ADAMS. HERBERT CLAY. SAM LUPEAR.
Market Master	CARLIN H. SHANK.
Assistant Market Master	WILLIAM LEWIS.

MEMBERS OF OFFICIAL BOARDS

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Chairman ----- CHRISTIAN A. SCHRADER.
CHARLES L. HUTCHINSON.
*EDWARD J. O'REILLY.
Clerk ----- FRANK J. NOLL, JR.

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Chairman ----- WILLIAM E. DAVIS.
WILLIAM L. RESONER.
*JESSE S. SISLOFF.
Clerk ----- JOHN B. WOOD.

BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

President ----- DR. EDMUND D. CLARK.
DR. THOMAS F. NOBLE.
*DR. MAVITY J. SPENCER.
*DR. T. VICTOR KEENE.
Health Officer and Secretary ----- DR. CHARLES S. WOODS.
Chief Clerk ----- HARRY DUNN.
Superintendent City Hospital ----- DR. JOHN L. FREELAND.
Superintendent City Dispensary --- DR. JEWETT V. REED.
Commissioner of Recreation ----- HARRY D. TUTEWILER.

BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS.

President ----- HENRY JAMESON.
(Term expires January 31, 1916.)
JOHN J. APPEL.
(Term expires January 31, 1913.)
CHARLES E. COFFIN.
(Term expires January 31, 1914.)
FERDINAND L. MAYER.
(Term expires January 31, 1915.)
Landscape Architect ----- GEORGE E. KESSLER.
Secretary ----- MABEL R. NEIDHAMER.

NOTE—* indicates Democratic members.

Members of the Common Council

OFFICERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL.

President	CHARLES B. STILZ.
Vice-President	FRANK E. McCARTHY.
Clerk	EDWARD A. RAMSAY.
Deputy Clerk	JAMES W. LAMKIN.
Sergeant-at-Arms	WILLIAM PAULSELL.

COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE.

First District	WILLIAM H. JOHNSON.
First District	*FRANK E. McCARTHY.
Second District	CHARLES F. COPELAND.
Second District	*GEORGE B. RUBENS.
Third District	GEORGE L. DENNY.
Fourth District	FRED C. OWEN.
Fifth District	CHARLES B. STILZ.
Sixth District	JOHN BLUMBERG.
Sixth District	*JAMES E. TROY.

Term of Office—From first Monday in January, 1910, to first Monday in January, 1914.

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Standing Committees

FINANCE.

William H. Johnson.
John Blumberg.
Fred C. Owen.

*George B. Rubens.
*James E. Troy.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Fred C. Owen.
William H. Johnson.
Charles F. Copeland.

*James E. Troy.
*Frank E. McCarthy.

PUBLIC SAFETY.

John Blumberg.
George L. Denny.

William H. Johnson.
*Frank E. McCarthy.

PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

*George B. Rubens.
*Frank E. McCarthy.
William H. Johnson.

George L. Denny.
Charles F. Copeland.

PARKS.

*James E. Troy.
*George B. Rubens.
Fred C. Owen.

John Blumberg.
George L. Denny.

LAW AND JUDICIARY.

George L. Denny.
Fred C. Owen.
William H. Johnson.

*James E. Troy.
*George B. Rubens.

ELECTIONS.

*Frank E. McCarthy.
Fred C. Owen.
John Blumberg.

*George B. Rubens.
Charles F. Copeland.

CITY'S WELFARE.

Charles F. Copeland.
*James E. Troy.
John Blumberg.

George L. Denny.
*Frank E. McCarthy.

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Calendar Sessions of the Common Council

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1. January 1, 1912-----Regular -----	1
2. January 15, 1912-----Regular -----	11
3. January 31, 1912-----Special -----	31
4. February 5, 1912-----Regular -----	45
5. February 9, 1912-----Special -----	99
6. February 19, 1912-----Regular -----	107
7. March 4, 1912-----Regular -----	129
8. March 18, 1912-----Regular -----	149
9. April 1, 1912-----Regular -----	165
10. April 5, 1912-----Special -----	183
11. April 15, 1912-----Regular -----	185
12. May 6, 1912-----Regular -----	211
13. May 20, 1912-----Regular -----	245
14. June 3, 1912-----Regular -----	261
15. June 17, 1912-----Regular -----	299
16. July 1, 1912-----Regular -----	395
17. July 15, 1912-----Regular -----	407
18. August 5, 1912-----Regular -----	417
19. August 15, 1912-----Special -----	427
20. August 19, 1912-----Regular -----	433
21. September 2, 1912-----Regular -----	457
22. September 9, 1912-----Special -----	469
23. September 16, 1912-----Regular -----	491
24. October 7, 1912-----Regular -----	509
25. October 11, 1912-----Special -----	539
26. October 21, 1912-----Regular -----	545
27. October 23, 1912-----Special -----	567
28. November 4, 1912-----Regular -----	585
29. November 18, 1912-----Regular -----	601
30. December 2, 1912-----Regular -----	627
31. December 16, 1912-----Regular -----	649
32. December 18, 1912-----Special -----	741
33. December 19, 1912-----Special -----	745
34. December 30, 1912-----Special -----	749
 Total regular meetings -----	 24
Total special meetings -----	10
 Total number of meetings -----	 34

Regular meetings the first and third Mondays in each month.