

PROCEEDINGS OF COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR SESSION—JULY 19, 1886.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, met in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, July 19th, A. D. 1886, at eight o'clock, in regular session.

PRESENT—Hon. Caleb S. Denny, Mayor, and *ex officio* President of the Common Council in the Chair, and 25 members, viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

ABSENT—None.

The Proceedings of the Common Council for the regular session held July 5th, 1886, and the adjourned session held July 7th, 1886, having been printed and placed on the desks of the Councilmen, said Journals were approved as published.

OPENING AND REFERRING SEALED PROPOSALS FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Sealed proposals for making the below described improvements, were opened, read, and referred to the Committee on Contracts:

(S. O. 106, 1885)—For grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Wright street, from Buchanan street to Coburn street.

(S. O. 9, 1886)—For the erection of two lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes), on Fourth street, between Illinois and Meridian streets; work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer.

(S. O. 21, 1886)—For the erection of two lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes), on Mississippi street, between Garden and Merrill streets; work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer.

(S. O. 22, 1886)—For the erection of two lamp posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes), on Willard street, between Merrill and Garden streets; work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEE ON CONTRACTS.

The Committee on Contracts, through Councilman Reynolds, submitted the following report; which was concurred in, except that action on the third and eleventh clauses was postponed :

To the Mayor and Common Council :

Gentlemen:—Your Committee on Contracts, to whom was referred the proposals received July 7th, 1886, have examined the same, and find them to be as follows :

1st. For grading and bowldering the first alley north of Vermont street, from Illinois street to Tennessee street.

Henry C. Roney	65 cents per lineal foot front on each side.
Fulmer & Seibert	63 cents per lineal foot front on each side.
R. P. Dunning	61 cents per lineal foot front on each side.
Geo. W. Buchanan.....	61 cents per lineal foot front on each side.
J. W. Cooper & Co.....	60 cents per lineal foot front on each side.
James W. Hudson	59 cents per lineal foot front on each side.
Richter & Twiname.....	58 cents per lineal foot front on each side.

Richter & Twiname being the lowest and best bidders, recommend they be awarded the contract.

2d. For grading and graveling Reid street and sidewalks, from the C., I., St. L. & C. R. R. to Washington street.

Richter & Twiname.....	\$1.76 per lineal foot front on each side.
Fulmer & Seibert.....	1.75 per lineal foot front on each side.
R. P. Dunning.....	1.69 per lineal foot front on each side.
J. L. Spaulding.....	1.64 per lineal foot front on each side.
J. W. Cooper & Co.....	1.58 per lineal foot front on each side.

Recommend a new ordinance be introduced for this work.

3d. For grading and graveling Reid street and sidewalks, from Woodlawn avenue to the C., I., St. L. & C. R. R.

R. P. Dunning	\$1.53 per lineal foot front on each side.
Kennington & Co.....	1.45 per lineal foot front on each side.
Richter & Twiname.....	1.40 per lineal foot front on each side.
J. L. Spaulding	1.39 per lineal foot front on each side.
J. W. Cooper & Co.....	1.39 per lineal foot front on each side.
Fulmer & Seibert.....	1.37 per lineal foot front on each side.
James W. Hudson	1.32 per lineal foot front on each side.

J. W. Hudson being the lowest and best bidder, recommend he be awarded the contract.

4th. For grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Yandes street, from Malott avenue to Lincoln avenue.

R. P. Dunning.....	38 cents per lineal foot front on each side.
Fuimer & Seibert	37½ cents per lineal foot front on each side.
Richter & Twiname	37½ cents per lineal foot front on each side.
J. L. Spaulding.....	37 cents per lineal foot front on each side.
James W. Hudson.....	36½ cents per lineal foot front on each side.
David A. Haywood.....	36 cents per lineal foot front on each side.

Bids for this improvement were received June 7, and action postponed; we now recommend the contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, David A. Haywood.

5th. For the construction of a brick sewer, three and one-half feet internal diameter in and along New Jersey street, from New York street to and connecting the with Washington street sewer.

	Sewers.	Catch-basins.	Man-holes.
Fulmer & Seibert.....	\$3.25
C. E. Whitsit	3.00.....	\$80.00 each.....	\$23.00 each.
A. Bruner.....	2.98.....	50.00 each.....	30.00 each.
Dunning & Roney	2.94.....	54.00 each.....	28.00 each.

Dunning & Roney being the lowest and best bidders, recommend they be awarded the contract.

6th. For the construction of a brick sewer four feet internal diameter, in and along Washington street, from Mississippi street to Missouri street.

	Sewers.	Catch-Basins.	Man-Holes.
C. E. Whitsit.....	\$4.35 lineal foot.....	\$95.00.....	\$27.00 each.
Fulmer & Seibert	3.98 lineal foot.....	62.00.....	37.00 each.
Dunning & Roney	3.95 lineal foot.....	58.00.....	31.00 each.
A. Bruner.....	3.90 lineal foot.....	60.00.....	30.00 each.

A. Bruner being the lowest and best bidder, recommend he be awarded the contract.

7th. For the erection of one-lamp-post, lamp and fixtures, (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes), on the south side of Second street, between Delaware and Pennsylvania street.

Only one bid received; Freaney Bros. bids \$21.00 per lamp-post.
Recommend they be awarded the contract.

8th. For the erection of one lamp-post, lamp, and fixtures, (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes), on Bellefontaine avenue between Christian avenue and Cherry street.

Only one bid received; Freaney Bros. bid \$21.00 per post.
Recommend they be awarded the contract.

9th. For the erection of lamp-posts, lamps, and fixtures, (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes), on High street, between McCarty street and Coburn street.

Only one bid received; Freaney Bros. bids \$21.00 per post.
Recommend they be awarded the contract.

10th. For grading and paving with brick the south sidewalk of Market street, from West street to Blackford street.

Henry C. Roney.....	55 cents per lineal foot front.
R. P. Dunning	51 cents per lineal foot front.
Richter & Twiname.....	50 cents per lineal foot front.
J. W. Cooper & Co.....	50 cents per lineal foot front.
James W. Hudson	49 cents per lineal foot front.
George W. Buchanan	48 cents per lineal foot front.

George W. Buchanan being the lowest and best bidder, recommend he be awarded the contract.

11th. For grading and gravling State avenue and sidewalks, from Washington street to Michigan street.

Richter & Twiname.....	\$1.79 per lineal foot front on each side.
Fulmer & Seibert	1.75 per lineal foot front on each side.
R. P. Dunning	1.75 per lineal foot front on each side.
J. L. Spaulding.....	1.73 per lineal foot front on each side.
James W. Hudson.....	1.71 per lineal foot front on each side.
Robt. Kennington & Co	1.69 per lineal foot front on each side.

Robert Kennington & Co. being the lowest and best bidders, recommend they be awarded the contract.

12th. For grading and paving with cement the walks of Circle Park, have examined the same, and find them to be as follows:

Name of Bidders.	Pavement, square foot.	Cement Steps, per cubic foot.	Stone Steps, per cubic foot.
Richter & Twiname	20 cents.....	95 cents.....	\$1.50
Christ. Beck.....	20 cents.....
I. S. Clark.....	18 cents.....
Laakman & Sherer.....	16 cents.....	50 cents.....	75

Laakmann & Sheerer being the lowest and best bidders, recommend they be awarded the contract.

Respectfully submitted,

M. M. Reynolds,
Frank M. Dell,
John H. Herig,
Committee on Contracts.

The same committee presented the following contracts and bonds ; which were approved :

Contract and bond of David A. Haywood, for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Yandes street. from Malott avenue to Lincoln avenue.

Bond, \$800.00; surety, R. P. Dunning.

Contract and bond of Dunning & Roney, for constructing a brick sewer in and along New Jersey street, from New York street to and connecting with Washington street.

Bond, \$10,000; sureties, L. A. Fulmer, J. L. Spaulding and Fred. Gansberg.

Contract and bond of Laakmann & Sherer, for laying a cement walk in Circle Park. Bond, \$3,000; sureties, L. A. Fulmer and Aug. M. Kuhn.

COMMUNICATIONS, ETC., FROM THE MAYOR.

His Honor, the Mayor, submitted the following reports; which were read and received :

To the Council and Board of Aldermen :

Gentlemen:—Since my last report of funds paid on the Pattison account, Cas. Byfield, Trustee, has paid the further sum of \$195.00, which I credited on the written guaranty of N. S. Byram and others, paying the same into the Additional City Hall Fund, and depositing the Treasurer's receipt therefor with the City Clerk.

I will also state, that since the last report of collections for rent of Tomlinson Hall, the sum of \$76.59 has been paid to me and turned into the treasury, being in full for the nights of June 27th, July 9th, and July 11th, and \$16.59 on account of July 4th. The balance for that night, and also the rent for night, will be paid soon, which will square all accouns to this date.

Your permanent committee on the renting of the hall, have made several engagements of the same for the future.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. DENNY, Mayor.

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen :

Gentlemen:—I herewith report the amount of fees and fines due the city, collected by me for the month of June, 1886, as follows:

Marshal's fees.....	\$165 70
Mayor's fees.....	128 40
Fines due city.....	24 40
Total.....	\$318 50

I have paid said fines and fees to the County Treasurer, for the use of the city, on the 10th inst., and filed his receipt therefor with the City Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. DENNY, Mayor.

REPORTS, ETC., FROM CITY OFFICERS.

The City Civil Engineer submitted the following report; which was received and the estimates (presented therewith) approved:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I herewith report the following estimate of work done according to contract:

A first and final estimate in behalf of James W. Hudson, for grading, bowldering and curbing the south gutter of Merrill street, from Delaware street to Alabama street.

490 lineal feet of bowldering, at 39 cents \$191.11
 No new curbing put in.

A first and final estimate in behalf of Henry C. Roney, for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Ninth street, from Central avenue to College avenue.

2183.70 lineal feet, at 34 cents \$742.45

A first and final estimate in behalf of James W. Hudson, for grading and paving with brick the south sidewalk of Gregg street, from New Jersey street to East street.

313.40 lineal feet, at 36 cents..... \$113.30

A first and final estimate in behalf of R. P. Dunning, for grading and graveling the first alley west of Illinois street, from Seventh street to Eighth street.

1635.56 lineal feet, at 17 cents..... \$277.95

A first and final estimate in behalf of J. W. Cooper & Co., for grading and paving with brick the south sidewalk of Washington street, from State street to the first alley west of State street.

241 lineal feet, at 54 cents \$130.15

A first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Seibert, for grading and graveling the first alley south of Huron street, from Noble street to Pine street.

336 lineal feet, at 20 cents..... \$67.20

A first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Sibert for grading and graveling the roadway of Greenbriar Lane, from Fern Way to the Belt Railroad.

2138 lineal feet, at 47 cents..... \$1,004.87

A first and final estimate on behalf of J. L. Spaulding, for grading and paving with brick, the sidewalks of Seventh street, from Mississippi street to Meridian street.

2,179.25 lineal feet, at 28 cents..... \$609.80
 130 lineal feet of double walk-stone, at 54 cents..... 70.20
 119.68 square yards of bowldered wings, at 44 cents 52.65

\$732.65

Respectfully submitted,

S. H. SHEARER, City Civil Engineer.

The following estimate resolution was read:

Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of James W. Hudson, for grading, bowldering and curbing the south gutter of Merrill street, from Delaware street to Alabama street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis. That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Henry C. Roney, for grading and paving with brick the sidewalk of Ninth street, from Central avenue to College avenue. be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis. That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of James W. Hudson, for grading and paving with brick the south sidewalk of Gregg street, from New Jersey street to East street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis. That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of R. P. Dunning, for grading and graveling the first alley west of Illinois street, from Seventh street to Ninth street be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of J. W. Cooper & Co., for grading and paving with brick the south sidewalk of Washington street, from State street to the first alley west of State street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Seibert, for grading and graveling the first alley south of Huron street, from Noble street to Pine street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read :

Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of Fulmer & Seibert, for grading and graveling the roadway of Greenbriar Lane from Fern Way to the Belt Railroad, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following estimate resolution was read:

Resolved by the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, That the accompanying first and final estimate in behalf of J. L. Spaulding, for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of Seventh street, from Mississippi street to Meridian street, be, and the same is hereby, adopted as the estimate of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of said city; and that the property owners are hereby required to pay the sums set opposite their respective names.

And it was adopted by the following vote :

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Waterman

NAYS—None.

The City Civil Engineer submitted the following report; which was received:

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:—The following motion was referred to me:

"To ascertain what can be done with the fifth alley south of McCarty street, between Union and Locust streets; and, also, the alley between south Meridian street and Russell avenue, to enable the water to run off."

The only thing that needs to be done is to improve the alleys by grading and graveling them.

Respectfully submitted,

S. H. SHEARER, City Civil Engineer.

The City Clerk submitted the following report:

To His Honor, the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—I herewith report the following affidavits, now on file in my office for the collection of street improvement assessments by precept, to-wit:

Fulmer & Seibert vs. Ellis & Krans	\$18 00
George W. Seibert vs. Mary A. Downey.....	17 00
Fred Gansberg vs. John Champ	30 40
Fred Gansberg vs. M. M. Farman.....	7 60

Respectfully,

MICHAEL F. SHIELDS, City Clerk.

Which was received, and the precepts ordered to issue, by the following vote:

AYES, 18—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Haugh, Herig, Mack, Markey, McClelland, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Waterman.

NAYS, 2—viz: Councilmen Edenharter, and Thalman.

Wm. Hadley, Rental Agent, submitted his report for June, 1886; which was read and received.

The Chief Fire Engineer submitted the following report:

To the Hon. Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—I herewith present the name of Hermon Oehler, to fill the vacancy in the Fire Department caused by the resignation of Charles Hamlin.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. WEBSTER, Chief Fire Engineer

Councilman Cummings moved to lay the above recommendation on the table.

Which motion failed of adoption, by the following vote:

AYES, 9—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Herig, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Smith, and Smither.

NAYS, 15—Councilmen Benjamin, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Mack, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman,

On motion by Councilman Thalman, the report was concurred in and the appointment confirmed by the following vote :

AYES, 17—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Howes, Mack, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS, 8—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Herig, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, and Smither.

The Chief Fire Engineer presented the following request ; which was granted :

To His Honor, the Mayor, Members of the Council and Board of Aldermen :

Gentlemen:--I respectfully ask your permission for a week's absence from the City.

Respectfully, J. H. WEBSTER, Chief Fire Engineer.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE.

The City Clerk introduced the following entitled ordinance; which was read the first time :

Ap. O. 42, 1886—An ordinance appropriating money for the payment of sundry claims against the City of Indianapolis, on account of Miscellaneous. [Amount appropriated, \$190 50.]

On motion, the Rules were suspended for the purpose of placing the above entitled ordinance upon its final passage, by the following vote :

AYES, 24—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The ordinance was then read the second time, ordered engrossed, read the third time, and was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 24—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

PENDING ORDINANCES.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time :

G. O. 78, 1884—An ordinance making it unlawful to interfere with civic, military, or funeral processions.

And on motion, it was stricken from the files by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time :

G. O. 43, 1885—An ordinance to amend Section one of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance prohibiting cows, horses, and other animals, from running at large, etc., orgained June 11, 1883.

And on motion, it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time :

G. O. 11, 1886—An ordinance authorizing the "Sun Vapor Light and Stove Co." to erect and maintain additional lamps in the City of Indianapolis.

Councilman Thalman moved to refer the above entitled ordinance to the Committee on Public Light.

Councilman Mack moved to lay that motion on the table; which prevailed by the following vote :

AYES, 12—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Edenharter, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McGroarty, Newland, Reinecke, Smither, and Stuckmeyer.

NAYS, 11—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Cummings, Dunn, Haugh, McClelland, Pearson, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Thalman, and Waterman.

Councilman Rooker moved that the ordinance be ordered engrossed, and upon that motion he demanded the previous question.

The question being, "*Shall the main question be now put?*"

It was ordered by the following vote:

AYES, 15—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Dell, Edenharter, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, Newland, Reinecke, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Stuckmeyer.

NAYS, 9—viz: Councilmen Cummings, Dunn, Haugh, McClelland, McGroarty, Pearson, Reynolds, Thalman, and Waterman.

The ordinance was then ordered engrossed, read the third time, and passed by the following vote :

AYES, 19—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McGroarty, Newland, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, and Stuckmeyer.

NAYS, 5—viz: Councilmen Haugh, McClelland, Pearson, Thalman, and Waterman.

The following entitled ordinance was read the third time:

G. O. 42, 1886.—An ordinance to amend Sections one and two of an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance to amend Sections one and two of an ordinance entitled: 'An ordinance prohibiting cows, horses and other animals from running at large within the corporate limits of the City of Indianapolis; to provide for the impounding, keeping, sale and redemption thereof, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, ordained and established June 11, 1883;' which said amended ordinance was ordained and established June 14, 1886."

Councilman Thalman moved that the ordinance be stricken from the files.

Councilman Coy moved to lay that motion on the table.

Which failed of adoption, by the following vote :

AYES, 12—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Cummings, Edenharter, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, Newland, Reinecke, Reynolds, and Stuckmeyer.

NAYS, 13—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Dell, Dunn, Haugh, McClelland, McGroarty, Pearson, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

The motion offered by Councilman Thalman was then adopted, and the ordinance stricken from the files, by the following vote :

AYES, 14—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Haugh, McClelland, McGroarty, Pearson, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS, 11—viz: Councilmen Burns, Coy, Edenharter, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, Newland, Reinecke, Reynolds, and Stuckmeyer.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time; and on motion it was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

G. O. 43, 1886.—An ordinance extending the period of time for which the Indianapolis Brush Electric Light and Power Company was invested with certain rights and privileges.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and read the third time :

G. O. 47, 1886.—An ordinance to amend section 7 of General Ordinance No. 27, 1886, being an ordinance entitled "An ordinance requiring Auctioneers, Peddlers, Hucksters and certain classes of Public Showmen to pay a license to the City of Indianapolis; regulating certain matters connected with the business of such persons, and repealing certain ordinances herein specified." Ordained and established the 14th day of June, 1886.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 21—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS, 4—viz: Councilmen Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, and Smither.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Finance, with instructions to report the amount of funds now in the Sewer Fund; also, the advisability of passing the ordinance:

S. O. 12, 1885—An ordinance providing for the construction of a brick sewer in and along Morris street and Madison avenue, from East street to White River.

By consent, the Committee on Sewers and Drainage, through Councilman Benjamin, submitted the following report and amendment; which report was concurred in, and the amendment adopted:

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:—Your committee to whom was referred S. O. No. 128, 1885, would recommend its passage, with the accompanying amendment.

Amend Section one, to read:

“With an additional diameter of two and one-half feet, said sewer shall be constructed and paid for by abutting property on either side of street, with City portion not to exceed one-third of cost of sewer.”

Respectfully submitted,

F. E. Benjamin,

R. McClelland,

Thomas Markey,

Committee on Sewers and Drainage.

The following entitled ordinance was then read the second time, ordered engrossed, and read the third time:

S. O. 128, 1885—An ordinance to provide for the construction of a brick sewer in and along Delaware street, from St. Mary street to North street, connecting with the sewer now in said Delaware street terminating at said North street.

And it was passed as amended, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smithers, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time:

S. O. 64, 1885—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of St. Clair street, from New Jersey street to East street.

And on motion it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time:

S. O. 116, 1885—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the south sidewalk of Vermont street, from Mississippi street to Missouri street, where not already done.

And on motion it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalmann, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time:

S. O. 124, 1885—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of Elm street, and widening the sidewalks thereof, from Pine street to Dillon street.

And on motion it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalmann, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and read the third time:

S. O. 129, 1885—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the north sidewalk of North street, from New Jersey street to East street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalmann, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time:

S. O. 131, 1885—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the sidewalks of McKernan street, from Buchanan street to the first alley south of Coburn street.

And on motion it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 24—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalmann, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and read the third time:

S. O. 12, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley east of Callifornia street, from North street to Indiana avenue.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalmann, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was then read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 32, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley south of Merrill street, from East street to Virginia avenue.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalmann, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time:

S. O. 42, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the sidewalks of Walnut street, from Illinois street to Tennessee street.

And on motion it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalmann, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time:

S. O. 43, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the sidewalks of Walnut street, from Tennessee street to Mississippi street, where not already done.

And on motion it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalmann, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Public Light and Councilman Markey, (he having introduced the ordinance):

S. O. 51, 1886—An ordinance to provide for the erection of lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes), on Madison avenue, between Nebraska street and the J., M. & I. R. R. tracks.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 58, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graviling the first alley west of College avenue, from Ninth street to the first alley north of Ninth street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 70, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and bowldering the first alley south of Fletcher avenue, from Dillon street to Linden street.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 86, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the sidewalks of Davis street, from Bicking street to its southern terminus.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 87, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley east of Park avenue, from Seventh street to Eighth street.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 88, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley east of Tennessee street, from Ray street to Morris street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 89, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the south sidewalk of Indiana avenue, from Blake street to Locke street.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 94, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the south gutter, and paving with brick the south sidewalk of Morris street, from Madison avenue to the J., M. & I. R. R. tracks.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 96, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the east sidewalk of Olive street, from Orange street to Pleasant Run.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen, Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 97, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the sidewalks of Short street, from Dougherty street to Coburn street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 98, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Morris street and sidewalks, from East street to Wright street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 99, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling East street and sidewalks, from Minnesota street to the Belt Railway tracks.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 100, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley south of McCarty street, from Beaty street to the first alley east of Beaty street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

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The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 103, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley north of Virginia avenue, from Cedar street to the first alley west of Cedar street.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 104, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley north of Virginia avenue, from Cedar street to Grove street.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newman, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 106, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of English avenue, from Harrison street to Dillon street, where not already done.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 107, 1886—An ordinance to provide for the grading and paving with brick the east sidewalk of Pennsylvania street, from Seventh street to Eighth street.

And it was passed by the following vote :

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

- S. O. 110, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of South street, from Delaware street to New Jersey street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reineke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

- S. O. 111, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of East street, from South street to the C., H. & I. R. R. tracks.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

- S. O. 112, 1886—An ordinance to provide for re-grading and graveling the roadway of California street, from Washington street to Market street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

- S. O. 114, 1886—An ordinance to provide for the grading and bowldering of the first alley south of Michigan street, from Blake street to Douglass street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

By consent Councilman Mack presented the following petition; which was ordered filed with the ordinance. S. O. 115, 1886.

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis:

Gentlemen.—The undersigned, owners of real estate fronting on Union street, between Phipps and Merrill streets, respectfully petition for the passage of an ordinance providing for bowldering and curbing the gutters on the west side of Union street between Phipps and Merrill streets.

Frederick Berner, 45 feet; Joseph Reinhart, 22½ feet;
F. G. Wiselogel, 45 feet; J. Thomas, 90 feet.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 115, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the west gutter of Union street, from Merrill street to Phipps street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilman Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 116, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Woodlawn avenue, from Dillion street to the third street east of Dillion street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 117, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving the north sidewalk of Malott avenue, from Yandes street to the first alley west of Yandes street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 118, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and bowldering the first alley east of the intersection of Clifford avenue and Pendleton Pike, from Clifford avenue to Pendleton Pike.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 119, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Omer street and sidewalk, from a point 370 feet east of Brooksike avenue to Newman street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilman Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 120, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Sixth street, from Illinois street to Tennessee street, where not already done.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time; and, on motion, was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

S. O. 121, 1886—An ordinance to provide for the erection of lamp posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes) on Pratt street, between Delaware street and Alabama street.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 122, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and bowldering the gutters of Rockwood street, from East street to its eastern terminus.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time.

S. O. 123, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks of New Jersey street, from Seventh street to Eighth street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time:

S. O. 124, 1886—An ordinance to provide for the erection of lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes) on New Jersey street, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

And, on motion, it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen, Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smitner, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time:

S. O. 125, 1886—An ordinance to provide for the erection of lamp-posts, lamps and fixtures (complete to burn gas, except the service pipes) on Ash street, between Lincoln avenue and Seventh street.

And, on motion, it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 126, 1886.—An ordinance to provide for grading, bowldering and curbing the gutters of Downey street, and paving with brick the sidewalks thereof, from Madison avenue to East street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Oummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds; Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time :

S. O. 127, 1886.—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley west of Broadway street, from Arch street to Vine street.

Councilman Haugh moved to refer the ordinance to the Committee on Streets and Alleys.

Which, on motion by Councilman McClelland, was laid on the table.

And the ordinance and remonstrance were then, on motion by Councilman Thalman, referred to the Councilman of the Seventh Ward—Mr. McClelland.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 130, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Reid street and sidewalks, from the C., I., St. L. & C. R. R. to Washington street, and repealing S. O. 91, 1886.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 131, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick, the east sidewalk of Maxwell street, from Elizabeth street to Coe street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 132, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the roadway of Meridian street from Palmer street to the Belt Railroad.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25 - viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 133, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley south of Merrill street, from Ketcham street to the first alley east of Alabama street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time:

S. O. 134, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the roadway, bowldering the gutters, curbing with stone and paving with brick, the sidewalks of Ketcham street, from Merrill street to Sinker street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the third time:

S. O. 135, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and bowldering the roadway, and curbing with stone, the sidewalks of Alabama street, from McCarty street to Merrill street, where not already curbed.

And, on motion, it was stricken from the files, by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 136, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Superior street and sidewalks, (or the first alley west of Meridian street,) from Pratt street to Second street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

The following entitled ordinance was read the second time, ordered engrossed, and then read the third time :

S. O. 137, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the west sidewalk of Mississippi street, from Herbert street to the first alley north of Herbert street.

And it was passed by the following vote:

AYES, 25—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Howes, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Swain, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

REPORTS, ETC., FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Finance, through Councilman Thalman, submitted the following report; which was adopted :

To the Mayor and Common Council :

Gentlemen:—We recommend that the following motion of Mr. McClelland, be concurred in:

“That the City Civil Engineer be instructed to advertise for proposals to build a one-thousand barrel brick cistern on Dorman street. Said work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer.”

Respectfully submitted,

Isaac Thalman,
John R. Pearson,
Henry L. Smith,
Julius F. Reinecke,
Joseph H. Howes,
Committee on Finance.

The Committee on Judiciary, through Councilman Rooker, submitted the following report; which was concurred in :

To the Mayor and Common Council :

Gentlemen:—Your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of W. A. & E. M. Pattison, for refunding the sum of \$42.80, illegally taxed and collected on part of Lots 4 and 5, Block 12, in Drake's addition, have investigated

the matter, and recommend the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and that the City Clerk be instructed to place said amount, \$42.80, in the next appropriation ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

C. F. Rooker,
Geo. F. Edenharter,
M. M. Cummings,
Committee on Judiciary.

The Committee on Markets, and Councilman Cummings, through Councilman McGroarty, submitted the following report:

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

Gentlemen:—Your Special Committee to whom was referred the report made by it on July 7, 1886, with instructions to prepare charges against the Health Board and its officers, and the Market Master, beg leave to report that the evidence produced before the committee does not warrant it in preferring charges against the Market Master, for the reason that while it is beyond doubt that oleomargarine and butterine have been sold upon the markets unlabelled, and for butter, this committee has evidence that when knowledge of these facts came to the Market Master, he at once took vigorous steps to compel the proper labelling of such articles.

Further, the evidence before your committee shows that the meat-market is in charge of an inspector who is an officer of the Health Board, and over this department of the Market the Market Master has assumed little or no authority or control.

Your committee make and prefer the following charges against the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Ind.:

1. That said Board has neglected to perform the duties incumbent upon it.
2. That said Board has not enforced the ordinances and laws respecting the health and sanitary condition of the city.
3. That said Board has appointed and retained as Health Officers men who are incompetent, and unqualified to perform the duties of their respective offices.

Your committee make the following charges against Samuel Barker, an officer of the Board of Health :

1. That he is incompetent to perform the duties of his office as Meat Inspector.
2. That he has knowingly allowed and permitted the violation of the ordinances of the city :

(a) By allowing and permitting bad, unwholesome, crippled and inferior meats to be sold and exposed for sale in the city.

(b) By allowing and permitting bull meat to be openly and publicly sold and offered for sale upon the markets of the city.

3. That he has failed to destroy, cut down and vat, the bad and unwholesome meats which he has condemned.

C. McGroarty,
Theo. F. Smither,
M. M. Cummings,
Special Committee.

On motion by Councilman Rooker the above report was referred to His Honor, the Mayor, President and Vice President of the Board of Aldermen, Vice President of the Common Council and City Attorney.

On motion by Councilman Rooker, Rule 61 was suspended, and the time of the session extended, by the following vote :

AYES, 17—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Coy, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Mack, Markey, McClelland, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smither, Stueckmeyer, and Thalman.

NAYS, 6—viz: Councilmen Burns, Cummings, Herig, McGroarty, Smith, and Waterman.

The Committee on Public Health and Board of Health, through Councilman Edenharter, submitted the following report; which was concurred in:

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:—The Board of Health and your Committee on Public Health, beg leave to report that they have considered the subject matter contained in the petition referred to them at the last meeting, with reference to Raugh & Co's establishment south of the Belt R. R., and do not find cause sufficient to recommend that the Council take any action at present.

E. J. BRENNAN, M. D., Pres't.

W. WANDS, M. D., Sec.

J. A. SUTCLIFFE,
Board of Health.

Geo. F. Edenharter,

Thomas Markey,

R. McClelland,

Committee on Public Health.

REPORTS, ETC., FROM SELECT COMMITTEES.

The Special Committee on the Washington street improvement, through Councilman Cummings, submitted the following report; which was adopted:

To the Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—Your Special Committee, to whom was referred the matter concerning the improvement of Washington street, beg leave to report that they have held two public meetings, at which citizens interested have attended; and after due consideration your committee recommend that the Committee on Contracts be instructed to defer action on the contract under said ordinance until your committee have made further investigation, and your committee ask further time in which to pursue such investigation.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. L. TAYLOR, City Attorney.
S. H. SHEARER, City Civil Engineer.

M. M. Cummings,

C. Waterman,

F. E. Benjamin,

Special Committee on part of Common Council.

Isaac King,
M. L. Brown,

Special Committee on part of Board of Aldermen.

The Building Committee on Market House and Public Buildings, through Councilman Pearson, submitted the following report; which was concurred in:

Indianapolis, Ind., July 19th, 1886.

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—Your Building Committee have carefully considered the matters of difference between the Council and Board of Aldermen as to the arrangement of the new market houses now built and under contract. As a temporary solution of the difficulties, we recommend that the Butchers and as many of the Gardners as can be accommodated there, be assigned by the Market Master to places under the Tomlinson Hall; and that the south half of all the ground east of a point ten feet from the east side of the building now under contract, be also set apart for market purposes, to be assigned temporarily by the Market Master, and the north half of

said space be reserved for a hay market. We recommend that the balance of the old market house, and all stands, benches and other obstructions, be immediately removed from said last mentioned space, and also from the space between the Tomlinson Hall building and the one under contract.

The Butchers and Gardners have so far failed to agree upon the permanent arrangement of the two market houses, and we think that question can be more satisfactorily settled after the new building shall have been completed.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. Denny, Mayor,
John R. Pearson,
Joseph H. Howes,
Isaac King,
Building Committee.

The Special Committee on Fire Department, through Councilman Benjamin, submitted the following report; which was adopted:

To the Mayor and Members of the Common Council :

Gentlemen:—We, your Special Fire Committee, to whom was referred the following motion, would recommend its passage:

“That the Chief Fire Engineer purchase Hose Wagon for the No. 5 Engine House.”

Respectfully submitted,

Frank E. Benjamin,
M. M. Cummings,
Fred. J. Mack,
J. H. Herig,
A. L. Newland.

Special Committee on Fire Department.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDINANCES.

Under this order of business the following entitled ordinances were introduced, and severally read the first time:

By Councilman Mack, accompanied with petition:

S. O. 138, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the east sidewalk of Meridian street, from Morris street to Palmer street.

Indianapolis, June 24th, 1886.

To the Common Council and Board of Aldermen :

Gentlemen:—We, the undersigned, petition to grade and pave with brick, six feet wide, of the east sidewalk on south Meridian street, from Morris street to Palmer street.

Joseph Schneider, 35 feet; Charles Schneider, 52½ feet;
M. H. Foltzenbogel 52½ feet; Herman Hoerst, 35 feet;
Matt. Mandernack, 70 feet; Fred. Keischmer, 33 feet;
Ben. Schlawzer, 33 feet; Frank Straub, 33 feet; Tim.
Warner, 66 feet; Ignatz Herman, 33 feet; Rosa Gruenert, 66 feet; G. P. McDougall, 105 feet; Michael Warten, 33 feet; M. Clune, 151 feet; C. Beck, 33 feet;
Louis Nelson, 33 feet.

By Councilman Markey:

S. O. 139, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and bowldering the first alley south of Bicking street, from Delaware street to Davis street.

S. O. 140, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley south of Bicking street, from Davis street to High street.

By Councilman Newland :

S. O. 141, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling Reid street and sidewalks, from Woodlawn avenue to the C., I., St. L. & C. Railroad, and repealing Special Ordinance No. 95, 1886.

By Councilman Pearson:

S. O. 142, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and graveling the first alley north of Pratt street, from Meridian street to Superior street.

By Councilman Reynolds:

S. O. 143, 1886—An ordinance to provide for grading and paving with brick the north sidewalk of Hill avenue, from Beiler street to Newman street.

INTRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Councilman Markey offered the following motion; which was adopted :

That the Committee on Water confer with the Indianapolis Water Co., as to the conditions upon which a new contract can be made, and report at next meeting of Council.

Councilman Cummings moved to take up for consideration the resolution providing for the widening of Alabama street from Merrill street to McCarty street.

Councilman Coy moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which failed of adoption, by the following vote:

AYES, 6—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Coy, Dell, Edenharter, Haugh, and Reincke.

AYES, 17—viz: Councilmen Burns, Cummings, Dunn, Herig, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, and Waterman.

Councilman Cummings presented the following petition, accompanied with resolution :

To the Honorable Mayor, Common Council and Board of Aldermen :

Gentlemen:—The undersigned owners of real estate fronting on Alabama street between Merrill and McCarty streets, hereby join in the petition of William Blume, J. W. Robinson, Sarah L. Duvall, and Josephine Fieber, filed January 18, 1886, praying your honorable bodies to cause Alabama street to be widened to the width of 60 feet. And we pray that the report of the Committee on Streets and Alleys, filed March 1, 1886, be adopted, and also that the resolution submitted with said committee's report of February 15th, 1886, be adopted.

D. V. Miller, by W. E. Mick & Co., agent, 25 feet.

The undersigned, owners of real estate on Alabama street, between McCarty and Merrill streets, hereby withdraw their names from the remonstrance filed February 15th, 1886; and we hereby join in the petition of William Blume and others, pray

ing for the widening of said Alabama street, and the adoption of the resolution as recommended by the Committee on Streets and Alleys.

John Murphy, his + mark, 49 $\frac{3}{4}$ feet front on the east side of Alabama street; Mary M. Laird, by W. J. McCullough, 66 feet 3 inches. Attest: G. S. Wright.

I withdraw my remonstrance, and consent that the street may be widened.

JANET D MOORES, by Wm. M. Moores, 180 feet west side of Alabama street.

Resolved That the petition of William Blume, J. W. Robinson et al., praying for the widening of Alabama street to a width of sixty feet, by taking fifteen feet off of the real estate on the east side of said Alabama street, from Merrill street to McCarty street, be referred to the City Commissioners, with instructions to assess benefits and damages, and to make due report to the Common Council and Board of Aldermen, the Commissioners to return all petitions and notices. The City Clerk is hereby required to issue the proper notice, and the Superintendent of Metropolitan Police is hereby directed to serve the notices upon the City Commissioners and property owners.

And the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 20—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Cummings, Dunn, Haugh, Herig Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smith, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS, 3—viz: Councilmen Coy, Dell, and Edenharter.

Councilman Cummings offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the Superintendent of the Police be requested to see that the cow ordinance be enforced.

Councilman Dell offered the following motions; which were referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That there be six (6) vapor lights erected on Oriental street, from Washington street to Michigan street.

That the Sun Vapor Light Company erect four (4) vapor lights on Benton street, between Washington and Georgia streets.

Councilman Haugh offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby, instructed to remove the dirt off of Liberty street, between New York and Lockerbie streets, and that broken stone be substituted, as was originally intended when the street was improved.

Councilman Herig offered the following motion; which was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That six vapor lights be placed on McGinnis street, from Ray to McCarty streets.

Councilman Smith was excused for the remainder of this session.

Councilman Mack offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to clean the gutters on Union and south Illinois streets, between Merrill and Morris streets.

Councilman Mackey presented the following petition; which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys:

To the Mayor and Common Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Indianapolis, Ind.

Gentlemen:—The undersigned owners of real estate adjoining an alley of irregular width, being the first alley north of McCarty street from the first alley west of New Jersey street to the first alley east of Alabama street, pray your honorable bodies to cause said alley to be made of the uniform width of ten feet, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

“Beginning at a point one hundred and forty-three (143) feet north of the southwest corner of lot number thirteen, (13) in Samuel Merrill’s subdivision of out-lot number one hundred and four (104) in the City of Indianapolis, as per plat recorded in Plat Book No. 1, at page 99, in the Recorder’s office of Marion county, Indiana; thence running east parallel with McCarty street, to the west line of the first alley west of New Jersey street; thence north ten feet to a point, thence due west and parallel with said McCarty street to the east line of the first alley east of Alabama street, and to a point one hundred and fifty-three (153) feet north of the southwest corner of said lot number thirteen (13), thence south ten (10) feet, to the place of beginning.”

For the reason that in its present irregular width, the said alley can not be improved.

A proper plat of said proposed straightening of said alley, and a copy of the report of the City Commissioners, filed July 7, 1886, referring to a former petition, filed April 7, 1886, recommending such straightening, is herewith filed and made a part hereof. H. T. Brandt, A. J. Stewart, Mike Rube, Mary Darmody.

Councilman Markey offered the following motion; which was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That the Sun Vapor-Light and Stove Company be directed to place vapor-light posts on south East street, between Morris street and Lincoln Lane.

Councilman Markey offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the Trustees of the German Reform Church, be and are hereby granted permission to grade, bowlder and curb the gutter in front of their property, on Coburn street, between New Jersey and East streets, at their own expense, under the direction of the City Civil Engineer.

Councilman Markey offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the owners of the following described real estate, to wit: Lot 25 in Out-Lot 108, in Vajen’s subdivision of B. F. Morris’ addition to the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, be, and they are hereby, required to fill or drain the same, as, in the opinion of the Council, there is a hole or excavation thereon, in which water has or may become so stagnant or noxious as to be a nuisance and injurious to the health and comfort of said city and of the inhabitants thereof. and that the Street Commissioners be, and he is hereby required to notify the owners thereof, as provided by an ordinance passed April 28, 1866, entitled, “An ordinance providing for the drainage and filling up of ponds, excavations and holes, and prescribing penalties for the failure to fill up or drain the same,” and that in case of the failure of the owners thereof to fill or drain the same, the Street Commissioner proceed to fill or drain the said hole or excavation as provided in said ordinance, *Provided,* that the cost thereof shall not exceed ten per cent. of the value of the aforesaid real estate, as assessed upon the tax duplicate for city purposes.

And it was adopted by the following vote:

AYES, 22—viz: Councilmen Benjamin, Burns, Coy, Cummings, Dell, Dunn, Edenharter, Haugh, Herig, Mack, Markey, McClelland, McGroarty, Newland, Pearson, Reinecke, Reynolds, Rooker, Smither, Stuckmeyer, Thalman, and Waterman.

NAYS—None.

Councilman McGroarty offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the Market Committee and City Attorney be instructed to take the necessary steps looking to the re-leasing of the West Market space for a term of one year; the present lease expiring on August 8, 1886.

Councilman McGroarty offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be ordered to lay a double stone crossing on Washington street, at the alley between Tennessee and Mississippi streets.

Councilman Newland offered the following motion; which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby ordered to fill the mud-holes on Fletcher avenue, between Linden and Spruce streets, with gravel or broken stone.

Councilman Reinecke offered the following motions; which were referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That the Sun Vapor Light and Stove Company be directed to place one vapor light post on Bismarck street, between Virginia avenue and Sullivan street.

That the Sun Vapor Light and Stove Company be, and is hereby, directed to place two vapor lights on Valley street, under the direction of the City Civil Engineer.

Councilman Reinecke offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the Committee on Streets and Alleys, with the City Attorney, be instructed to inquire into the title of the city to a fifteen-foot alley, being the first alley east of East street, from the first alley south of Buchanan Street to the first alley south of Coburn Street.

Councilman Reynolds offered the following motion; which was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That the Sun Vapor Light Co. be directed to place four vapor lights on Peru street, north of Seventh street; also, six vapor lights on Ludlow Lane.

Councilman Rooker presented the following petition; which was received:

Indianapolis, June 4th, 1886.

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

Gentlemen:—We, the undersigned, citizens of said city, residing on, and in the neighborhood of, North Mississippi street, earnestly protest against the action of the Citizen's Street Railway Co. in stopping the Mississippi line at First street, and we earnestly insist and petition your honors to enforce your resolution requiring said company to put down and operate its line of road from Indiana avenue to Twelfth street on North Mississippi street.

T. C. Darrell, P. G. Stemen, Dennis Egan, A. Schleicher, W. A. Moore, Richard C. Herrick, Geo. F. McGinnis, H. E. Smith, Frank Fertig, W. A. Bristol, W. G. Briggs, John Judd, W. Judd, Em. Martin, C. S. Gladden, Thos. Stibbens, Ebenezer Stibbens, M. G. Fitchey, G. C. Leathers, Bernie A. Fohl, Chas. Rieman, Will. J. Probt, A. Woerner, J. W. Wharton, Susan Wharton, James E. Franklin, John Maloney, Emil Fertig, Carl Jalesti.

Councilman Rooker offered the following motions; which were adopted :

WHEREAS, on the 15th and 22d of February, a resolution passed by this Council and Board of Aldermen, requiring the Citizens' Street Railway Co. to build a line from Indiana avenue on Mississippi street to Twelfth street. And

Whereas, An extension of time was given to do this; and

Whereas, afterwards a resolution or motion was introduced in this Council requiring said company to complete the said line or take up its track laid on Mississippi street from Indiana avenue to First street, which motion or resolution is still pending. And

Whereas, It is reported that said company has declared that it will not complete the line from First to Twelfth street at present, and have placed a turn table at First street. And

Whereas, the citizens on Mississippi street, north of First, and other neighboring streets, are demanding that the resolution above named should be complied with.

Therefore moved, that the Committee on Railroads, the City Attorney and City Engineer be required to investigate and inquire into, and report to this Council at its next regular meeting, whether said Railway Company can be compelled to complete its line of tracks from First to Twelfth streets.

And further, that said committee and City Attorney report to this Council a recommendation of what just and equitable action should be taken by this Council in the premises.

That the City Engineer inspect, and report to this Council at its next meeting, a proposition for the immediate drainage of Sixth street, between the Big Four tracks and the Michigan road, so as to do away with an intolerable nuisance in the nature of malaria, which exists at the west terminus of said Sixth street and between it and Seventh street.

That the Committee on Public Property take action and report to this Council at its next meeting, their recommendation as to what disposition ought to be made of a resolution introduced into this Council on the 7th of June last, in relation to express wagons, etc. on Circle street.

Councilman Rooker offered the following motion; which was referred to the Committee on Public Light :

That the City Civil Engineer be instructed to direct the Sun Vapor Light Company to place two vapor lights on Tennessee street, between Twelfth street and the north corporate limits.

Councilman Rooker offered the following resolution; which was referred to the Special Committee on Fire Department:

Resolved, That the Chief of the Fire Department be instructed to amend the rules thereof, so that each member of the Department shall be allowed twenty-four hours absence from duty each week.

Councilman Haugh offered the following motion; which was adopted :

That the property owners of the property on the south-east corner of Delaware and Michigan streets, be notified to repair the sidewalks adjoining their property in the next ten days; if not done in that time, that the Street Commissioner be instructed to proceed to do the work, and charge the same to property owners.

Councilman Smither presented the following petition ; and the prayer of the petitioner was granted:

Indianapolis, Ind., July 12, 1886.

To His Honor, the Mayor, the Common Council and Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—The undersigned respectfully petition your honorable bodies for permission to erect and maintain a water-plug to be used for the purpose of street sprinkling. Said plug to be located on the north side of Seventh street, between Talbott avenue and Delaware streets.

B. PORTER.

We the undersigned, owners of the property adjoining the said proposed water-plug agree to the erection thereof, and join in the above petition; on the condition, however, that the said plug shall be removed whenever the undersigned shall so desire.

ELIZABETH TALBOTT,

By W. H. Talbott, agent.

Councilman Stuckmeyer offered the following motions; which were referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That the City Civil Engineer be, and is hereby instructed to notify the Sun Vapor Light Company to erect five vapor lights on Hosbrook street, between Grove and Dillon streets.

That the City Civil Engineer be, and is hereby instructed to notify the Sun Vapor Light Company to erect five vapor lights on Lord street, between Noble and Pine streets.

Councilman Stuckmeyer offered the following motion; which was adopted:

That the Street Commissioner be requested to report by what recommendation he repaired north Delaware and Seventh street with broken stone.

Councilman Dell offered the following motions; which were referred to the Board of Public Improvements:

That the Street Commissioner be instructed to place double stone crossings across Noble street, south side of Washington street.

That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to repair the Alley crossings on Huron street, between Pine and Cedar streets.

Councilman Dell offered the following motion; which was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That the City Civil Engineer be, and is hereby instructed to notify the Gas Company to re-light the lamp in front of No. 298 South street.

Councilman Waterman offered the following motion; which was referred to the Committee on Public Light:

That the City Civil Engineer be and he is hereby directed to instruct the Sun Vapor Light Company to erect seven lamps on English avenue between Dillon and Linden streets. Also, seven lamps on Lexington avenue between Dillon and Linden streets:

On motion, the Common Council then adjourned.

C. S. DENNY, Mayor,

President of the Common Council.

Attest: MICHAEL F. SHIELDS, City Clerk.