

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28th, 1916.

Council met in adjourned session with President Barnard in the chair.

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Lower, Merts, Miller, Penick. Present 7, Absent 0.

The following communication was received from the Mayor.

To the Honorable Council,
Alliance, Ohio.

Communica-
tion from
Mayor,
regarding
municipal
coal yard.

Some time ago I drew your attention to a serious condition in regard to our domestic coal supply. I know that you have been considering the situation seriously, as well as myself, and hope that some prompt move or action may be taken toward the relief of the conditions that yet exist and appear to be growing worse.

I believe that a municipal coal yard would be profitable if for nothing more than to furnish our own water works plant, and at the same time warrant a protection to all of our citizens.

Respectfully yours,

C. S. WESTOVER.

On motion, the communication was ordered filed.

The following communication was received and read:

Alliance, Ohio, November 29, 1916.

Alliance City Council,
Alliance, Ohio.

Communica-
tion from
Memorial
Day Com-
mittee,
regarding
moving
picture to
be taken.

Gentlemen:- It has been suggested and also approved by many of the organizations of our city, that a moving picture be taken of the Parade to be held next Decoration Day, May 30, 1917, and arrangements have already been completed with Mr. Lemotto Smith for taking same, and showing in both his theaters for three days.

The object being to preserve in this way a picture of the heroes of the Civil War who have taken part in the activities of this day for so many years, and whose fast diminishing ranks will soon be a thing of the past.

Also, we expect our percentage of the receipts derived from the exhibition of the film to be placed in the Memorial fund, to defray the expenses of the occasion.

It may seem a little premature, but to facilitate matters we ask your organization to appoint a representative to act on a permanent Committee.

This Committee will meet Wednesday, December 20th, 1916, at 7:30 P.M. at G.A.R.Hall.

Hoping you realize the importance of this meeting and see that your representative is present, we remain,

Respectfully,

The Memorial Day Committee of the
Sons and Daughters of Veterans.

C. A. DIEHL, President,
MRS. G. V. GUITTARD, Secretary.

The President was appointed to meet with the Committee to arrange for the Memorial Day exercises.

The Finance Committee submitted their report recommending the payment of the following claims:

Claims
submitted
by Finance
Committee.

Review Pub. Company	\$175.00
" " "	20.32
S. F. Lozier, Serving Notices	1.10
C.C.Davidson, Services E.Patterson	5.00
Chas. Smith " " "	5.00
Arthur Wright " " "	5.00

Chas. F. Merts,
J. W. Penick
L. E. Grubb.

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

On motion of Grubb, seconded by Lower, Council adjourned.

Attest:

Chas. Silvers
City Auditor.

Chas. Barnard
Pres. of Council.