

MONDAY JUNE 10th, 1918.

Council met in adjourned session. In the absence of President Barnard, City Auditor C. O. Silver called Council to order. Upon motion Royal Grubb was elected President pro-tem of the evening.

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

The following communication was received from the Director of Public Service:
June 4th, 1918.

To the Honorable City Council,
Alliance, Ohio.

Gentlemen:

The claim of E. C. Teeters for \$25.00 damage to automobile, caused by open ditch on South Arch Ave. near South St. was referred to me for investigation.

Having looked into the matter carefully, I hereby recommend the acceptance of his proposition hereto attached.

Yours very truly,

J. H. McConnell,

Director of Public Service.

The Solicitor was instructed to prepare an ordinance to cover the payment of this claim.

E. C. Teeters
Damage claim
of \$25. al-
lowed.

More funds
needed to
install city
scales.

The Service Director spoke of Council having issued bonds some months ago, to the sum of \$280.00 for installing city scales. He stated that this amount would not be sufficient to install scales at this time and requested that Council take up this matter and investigate it, and if they decide to have these scales installed more funds would have to be provided.

Street lights
not burn-
ing regular-
ly.

Attention was called to the number of complaints from citizens of the city, stating that many street lights are not burning regularly, some being extinguished for periods of as much as a week or two. Service Director stated that he had told the Light Co. that he would approve no more bills until something was done to remedy the trouble.

On motion of Lower the Solicitor was instructed to take up the matter with the Light Co.

Light rate
question to
be answered
soon.

City Solicitor Shetler reported that he had called upon the State Utility Commission at Columbus last week and had been told by President Marshall of the Commission that a report on the light rate question would be given at an early date and as soon as Engineer White could secure some further data needed on the subject.

Obstructions
on side-
walks.

The Solicitor stated that it would be necessary to take further action to compel some of the Greek people to comply with the regulations as to occupying sidewalk space with display racks, etc. On motion of J. G. Miller, seconded by Merts, the Sidewalk Committee was instructed to meet with the Solicitor relative to taking proper measures of making the sidewalks clear of obstructions.

Report on
the \$27,500.
Fire & Po-
lice Dept.
Bonds.

The Finance Committee and City Auditor submitted the following report of the bids received for the \$27,500--5 1/2% Fire and Police Department Bonds:

Graves, Glanhet & Thornburgh, Toledo, Ohio---\$28,902.00; Sidney Spitzer & Co. Toledo, Ohio---\$28,729.60; Stacy & Braun, Toledo, Ohio \$28,672.02; Durfee, Niles & Co. Toledo, Ohio---\$28,081.80; Prudden & Co. Toledo, Ohio---\$28,612.00; Wm. H. Compton Invst. Co.-Cincinnati, Ohio---\$28,025.00; Breed, Elliott & Harrison, The Provident Savings Bank & Trust Co. Cincinnati, Ohio---\$28,671.50; Seasongood & Mayer, Cincinnati, Ohio---\$28,884.00; The Silvermann-Huyck Co. Cincinnati, Ohio---\$28,727.00; Weil, Roth & Co. Cincinnati, Ohio---\$28,737.50; C. E. Denison & Co. Cleveland, Ohio---\$28,857.75; Field, Richards & Co. Cleveland, Ohio---\$28,662.00; The Tillotson & Wolcott Co. Cleveland, Ohio, \$28,526.50; Continental & Commercial Trust & Savings Bk. Cincinnati, Ohio---\$28,697.00; A. B. Leach & Co. Inc. Chicago, Ill.---\$28,889.00; E. H. Rollins & Sons, Chicago, Ill.---\$28,549.68.

On motion of Merts, seconded by J. G. Miller the bid of Graves, Blanchet & Thornburgh, being the highest and best bid, the bonds be awarded to them; which motion was agreed to.

Ord. 64-A.
passed.

The Finance Committee submitted Ordinance 64-A and recommended its passage.

Chas. Merts
J. W. Penick
L. L. Lower

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

Claims of
Rev. Pub. Co.
Allowed.

The Finance Committee submitted the following claims of the Review Publishing Co. \$65.16, another of \$9.10, another of 4.22 and another of 50.69, and recommended payment.

Chas. merts
J. W. Penick
L. L. Lower

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

Ord. 62-A.
passed.

The Platting Committee submitted Ordinance 62-A and recommended its passage.

R. Grubb
L. L. Lower
J. Miller

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

MONDAY JUNE 10th, 1918 (Continued).

The following ordinances and resolutions were introduced:

ORDINANCE 67-A.

Ord. 67-A
read the
1st time.

Mr. _____: An ordinance to authorize the settlement of the claim of Christian Tschantz and Mary Tschantz, husband and wife, against the City of Alliance, Ohio and the Pennsylvania Co. for damages by reason of the change of grade in the construction of the Arch Street Subway; was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

ORDINANCE 66-A.

Ord. 66-A.
read the
1st time.

Mr. Miller: An ordinance directing the Director of Public Service to enter into a contract with E. A. Grubbs to provide for the watchman for the Westville Reservoir; was read the first time. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

ORDINANCE 65-A.

Ord. 65-A.
referred to
Com. for im-
mediate
action.

Mr. Weaver: Granting to the Stark Electric Railroad Co. a corporation, its successors and assigns, the right to charge certain fares, cash and by the sale of tickets on its city lines and interurban lines within the limits of the city of Alliance, Stark County Ohio, describing the terms and conditions thereof; was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Telegraph for immediate action.

ORDINANCE 69-A.

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read the
1st time.

Mr. Weaver: An ordinance authorizing the City Solicitor to take the necessary legal steps to bring about a settlement with certain property owners on West Vine Street, of the assessments heretofore levied against them for the improvement of West Vine Street, from Union Avenue to Rockhill Road and for the construction of a Sanitary Sewer on West Vine Street from Union Avenue to _____ Avenue, being known as Sewer No. 5; was read the first time. Referred to the Assessment Committee.

On motion of J. G. Miller, seconded by Lower, Council referred back to the report of the standing committees.

The Finance Committee submitted Ordinance 64-A:

Mr. Penick: An ordinance fixing the salaries of certain employees in the Department of Public Safety, Department of Public Service, Mayor's, Auditor's and Solicitor's Departments, and recommended its passage.

Chas. Merts
J. W. Penick
L. L. Lower

Ord. 64-A.
passed.

The report of the Committee was agreed to. Lower moved, seconded by J. G. Miller, that the statutory rule requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and the ordinance read the second and third time. The question being on the suspension of the rules, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted in yeas 7, nays, none. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Grubb, Lower, Merts, H. Miller, J. Miller, Penick, Weaver. The question being on the passage of the ordinance the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, yeas 7, nays, none. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Grubb, Lower, Merts, H. Miller, J. Miller, Penick, Weaver. So the rules were suspended and the ordinance read the second and third time.

The City Auditor stated that he was unable and could not make the certificate as provided for by Section 3806 of the General Code of Ohio. The question being on the passage of the ordinance the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, yeas 7, nays none. So the ordinance was passed.

ORDINANCE 62-A.

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passed.

Mr. Grubb: An ordinance to accept the plat of Max and Morris W. Geiger, by replatting Outlot No. 265 and 272; was read the first time. H. Miller moved, seconded by Merts that the statutory rule requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and the ordinance read the second and third time. The question being on the suspension of the rules, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted in yeas 7, nays, none. The question being on the passage of the ordinance the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, yeas 7, nays none. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Grubb, Lower, Merts, J. Miller, J. Miller, Penick, Weaver. Thus the rules were suspended and the ordinance read the second and third time.

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On motion of J. G. Miller, seconded by H. Miller, Council adjourned.

Attest:

Chas. Merts

City Auditor.

Chas. E. Bernard

President of Council.