

MONDAY AUGUST 25, 1919.

Council met in adjourned session with president Barnard in the chair

The roll being called the following members answered to their names, Messrs. Grubb, Lower, Merts, J. Miller and Penick. Present 5, absent 2.

Communication from Board of Elections.

The following communication was received from the Board of Elections, which was ordered filed.

CERTIFICATE OF RESULT OF VOTE
CASE ON PROPOSITION SUBMITTED.
CITY OF ALLIANCE.

We, the undersigned, the Board of Deputy State Supervisors and Inspectors of Elections for Stark County, Ohio, and Auditor of the City of Alliance, Ohio, respectively, comprising and canvassing board as provided by Section 5115, of the General Code, do hereby certify that the following is the result of the vote cast in the various voting precincts in the City of Alliance, Ohio, at an election held August 12th, 1919, on the question of issuing bonds, as appears by, the returns made from all the voting precincts in said City, duly returned to, filed, canvassed, and now remaining on file in the office of the Board of Deputy State Supervisors and Inspectors of Elections for Stark County, Ohio, Canton, Ohio:-

Shall bonds be issued in the sum of (\$100,00.00) One Hundred Thousand Dollars, for the purpose of purchasing and condemning the necessary land for parks, boulevards and public play grounds and for improving it as well as for improving or completing the improvement of any existing boulevard, park or parks or public play grounds in the City of Alliance?

For the issue of bonds.-----981

Against the issue of bonds.-----766

Witness our official signatures at Canton, Ohio, in Stark County, this 18th, day of August, A. D. 1919.

The Board of Deputy State Supervisors and Inspectors of Elections for Stark County, Ohio
By. Emil J. Kauffman, Chief Deputy
Geo. H. Shauf, Clerk
Chas. O. Silver, City Auditor.

Petition received from property owners on North Webb. Ave.

The following petition was received and referred to Service Director and City Solicitor:

Alliance, Ohio August 25th, 1919

To the City Council, Alliance, Ohio

Gentlemen:

The elevation of the new dam is to be the same as that of the old, which as it stands to day is approximately about six inches higher than the elevation of the old dam prior to 1896. The six inches has been added to the original elevation at different times since 11896 by the Board of Service and the Superintendents of Water Works, without the consent of the property owners being previously obtained, as required by law.

Since 1896, possible with the approval of the City Council, the Board of Service and the Superintendents of Water Works raised the said dam with planks to make a higher elevation.

That action was unlawful and has damaged the property of the following property owners and possibly some others not on this petition. Should this dam be completed according to present plans we shall hold the city of Alliance, individually or collectively, responsible for substantial damages.

- Morris Pomper 869 N. Webb Ave.
- L. M. Webb
- A. Wise
- M. D. Vaughn
- A. W. Avughn
- Fred Thellman 863 N. Webb Ave.
- James Ashman
- Louise Zumbrunen
- Mrs Frank Blaney Per Mrs. Bonner
- Frank Pany

Report of Platting Comm.

The platting Committee to whom was referred Ordinance 125-B and 117-B, submitted report and recommended passage of same.

- Loyal Grubb
- L. L. Lower
- J. G. Miller

The report of the Committee was agreed to

On motion of J. G. Miller, seconded by Lower the Solicitor was ordered to prepare ordinance to vacate portion of 23rd, Street.

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Ordinance 125-B.

Ordinance
125-B
read 2nd
time.

Mr. Grubb: An ordinance to vacate portions of certain streets and alleys in the City of Alliance, Ohio.
Was read the second time.

Ordinance 117-B.

Ordinance
117-B
read 2nd,
time.

Mr. Grubb: An ordinance to accept the plat of the United States Housing Corporation by replatting Lots 5597 to 5718 inclusive, 5563 to 5569 inclusive, 5582 and 5583, 5489 to 5594 inclusive, 5467 to 5472 inclusive.
Was read the second time.

Ordinance 129-B.

Ordinance
129-B
read 1st,
time.

Mr. Grubb: An ordinance to accept the plat (Pleasant Place Allotment) of Albert F. Elliott and Wesley Betz in Southwest quarter Section 23 Lexington.
Was read first time and referred to platting Committee.

Ordinance 128-B. Mr. Merts,

Ordinance
128-B
read 1st,
time.

Mr. Merts: An ordinance to make supplementary appropriations to the regular semi-annual appropriation Ordinance 111-B, passed July 21st, 1919.
Was read first time and referred to Finance Committee.

~~Resolution~~
Ordinance 127-B.Resolution
127-B
adopted.

Mr. Merts: A resolution directing the City Auditor to prepare a financial statement of the City of Alliance, Ohio as of July 1st, 1919, was read.
Penick moved, seconded by Grubb, the resolution be adopted, which motion was agreed to.

Communication
form
Hospital
Commission.

The following communication was received from the Hospital Commission and ordered filed.

ALLIANCE CITY HOSPITAL COMMISSION

Alliance, Ohio, August 22, 1919.

Mr. C. S. Westover, Mayor
City of Alliance, Ohio

Dear Sir:

The Alliance City Hospital /Commission, of which you are chairman and composed, besides yourself, of Dr. C. S. Hoover, Mr. W. H. Morgan, Mr. William Lindesmith and Mr. W. B. Hassett, has now completed all the work in connection with which they are appointed, namely; the building of the City Hospital. All the obligations incurred by the Board, so far as they know, have been paid. There is a small sum left in the Hospital Fund, which it is recommended, if possible, be turned over to the Safety Director for disbursement for hospital needs.

The Hospital Building Commission was originally appointed by your predecessor, Mayor W. P. Barnum, on March 19, 1914, for the purpose of building the City Hospital on ground donated to the city by the Alliance City Hospital Association. The new hospital was opened January 1, 1917, and was formally turned over to the Safety Director of the City of Alliance on January 4, 1917. After the hospital was completed, the Commission took up the matter of remodeling the old hospital, making it suitable for a nurses' home. This work has also been completed and all obligations paid.

We wish to thank the various manufacturing plants of the city who contributed to the fund for equipping the operating rooms. Their aid made it possible to obtain equipment much more satisfactory than could have been obtained with the funds otherwise available.

Recently the Commission had charge of enlarging the diet kitchen on the first floor of the hospital, so as to make it more convenient for preparing food for the patients. All these matters have required the attention of the Board up to the present time.

We now feel that since our work has been completed, that the members of the Board should be formally relieved from it by you, as there is no further work which the Board can do.

The members have served on this board, as you know, without compensation of any kind. There has always been the heartiest cooperation on the part of the members and on the part of the city council and administration.

The Board would very strongly recommend that the city take up the matter in the immediate future of increasing the size of the hospital. Much of the time it is overcrowded and is not large enough to take care of the needs of a city of our present size, and, inasmuch as cost of building seems to be increasing right along, we believe it would be to the advantage of the city to increase the size of the hospital at the earliest possible moment.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. Morgan
C. S. Hoover
Wm. S. Lindesmith
W. B. Hassett.

On motion of Grubb, seconded by J. Miller a vote of thanks was extended to Hospital Commission for their very efficient services rendered the city of Alliance.

On motion of Grubb, seconded by J. Miller, Council Adjourned.

MONDAY AUGUST 25, 1919 (CONTINUED).

On motion of Grubb, seconded by Penick, council adjourned.

Chas Filous
City Auditor.

Chas E Bassard
President of Council.