

SEPTEMBER 8, 1919.

Council met in adjourned session with President Barnard in the chair. The roll being called the following members answered to their names, Messrs. Mertz Lower, H. Miller, J. Miller, Fenick and Weaver. Present 6, absent 1.

Communication from Mrs. R. E. McLaughlin.

The following communication was received and referred to Finance, City Solicitor and Service Director.

Alliance, Ohio. September 8, 1919

To the Honorable Members of the City Council.

Please find bill of Mrs. R. E. McLaughlin of Bellene, Ohio

To amount paid for S. $\frac{1}{2}$ lot No. 14, Section E in Alliance Cemetery, June 20, 1907-	\$36.00
To interest on \$36.00 at 4% for 7 years	10.08
Total	46.08

This lot was resold by the City Officials in 1912 without consent or knowledge of the owner. The interest we ask is from the time the lot was sold until the present time.

W. M. Nichol, acting for Mrs. R. E. McLaughlin.

Communication from Board of Elections.

The following communication from the Board of Elections was read and ordered filed.

Canton, Ohio, Sept. 10, 1919.

We, the undersigned, members of 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, at an election held September 8th, 1919, on the question of issuing bonds, as appears by, the returns made from all the voting precincts in said City of Alliance, 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, Canton, Ohio:

Shall bonds be issued in the sum of (\$525,000.00) Five Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of erecting or purchasing gas works for the manufacture of artificial gas for the inhabitants of the City of Alliance, Ohio.

For the issue of bonds	-----987
Against the issue of bonds	-----215

Witness our official signatures at Canton, Ohio, in Stark County, this 10th day of September, A. D. 1919.

Geo. H. Shauf, Clerk.

Emil J. Kauffmann Chief Deputy  
 Chas. W. Metzger  
 Frank A. Zink  
 Niles A. Sponseller  
 Chas. O. Silver, City Auditor.

Financial Statement.

The following statement *which was filed with the City Auditor as clerk* was presented to Council and ordered filed. Alliance, Ohio

To the Council of the City of Alliance, Ohio

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to resolution No...I beg to submit herewith a financial statement showing the condition of the General, Safety, Service, Health Fund in accordance with the form as set forth in House Bill No.....Passed.....

Cash on hand, statement No. 1,	General Fund	\$5929.22
	Safety Fund	5498.14
	Health Fund	1446.67
	Service Fund	11919.83
Taxes estimated to come into the treasury, statement No. 4.	General Fund	\$2686.79
	Safety Fund	7683.20
	Health Fund	132.27
	Service Fund	2274.89
Other revenue estimated to come into the treasury, statement No. 5	General Fund	\$11067.53
	Safety Fund	5002.53
	Health Fund	764.00
	Service Fund	1710.00

Unfunded indebtedness statement No. 2	General Fund	
	Safety Fund	\$9000.00
	Health Fund	900.00
	Service Fund	

Estimated amount necessary to provide for the fund charges and current expenses for last six month of the 1919 as per statement of the year 1919, as per statement No. 3.	General Fund	\$22183.54
	Safety Fund	33283.87
	Health Fund	2842.94
	Service Fund	25904.72

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MONDAY SEPTEMBER 8, 1919 (CONTINUED)

## ORDINANCE 131-B

Ordinance  
131-B  
read 1st  
time.

Mr. Merts: An ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of West Columbia Street between Lincoln Avenue and Rockhill Avenue by grading, draining, curbing, and paving with brick block on slag or concrete base.

Was read first time and referred to Finance Committee for immediate action.

## ORDINANCE 137-B

Ordinance  
137-B  
read 1st  
time.

Mr. Merts: An ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of Shunk Avenue between south lines of State street and south line of 23rd Street by grading, draining, curbing and paving with brick block or bituminous macadam.

Was read first time and referred to Finance Committee.

## ORDINANCE 136-B

Ordinance  
136-B  
read 1st  
time.

Mr. Merts: An ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of South Wright Avenue between Cambridge and Glamorgan Streets by grading, draining, curbing and paving with brick block on slag or concrete base.

Was read first time and referred to Finance Committee for immediate action.

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Lower moved, seconded by Merts that Council refer back to fourth order business, reports of standing committees.  
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The Finance Committee submitted report recommending the passage of the following Ordinances: 132-B, 133-B, 134-B, 135-B, 131-B, 137-B, 136-B, 138-B, 139-B.

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

## ORDINANCE 132-B.

Ordinance  
132-B  
passed.

Mr. Merts, moved, seconded by J. G. Miller that the statutory rules 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 Yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Merts, Lower, H. Miller, J. Miller, Penick and Weaver. So the ordinance was read the second and third time. The question being on the passage of the ordinance the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Lower, Merts, H. Miller, J. Miller, Penick and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed.

## ORDINANCE 133-B.

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Mr. H. Miller moved, seconded by Lower that the statutory rules 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 Yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Lower, H. Miller, Merts, J. Miller, Penick and Weaver. So the ordinance was read the second and third time. The question being on the passage of the ordinance the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Lower, Merts, H. Miller, J. Miller, Penick and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed.

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MONDAY SEPT. 8, 1919 (CONTINUED)

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Passed.

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## RESOLUTION 150-B/

Resolution 150-B  
adopted.

Penick moved, seconded by Merts that the resolution be adopted.

## ORDINANCE 140-B

Ordinance 140-B  
read 1st time.

Mr. Lower: An ordinance to accept the replat of E. W. Diehl by the replatting of a part of the lots in Deith Court Allotment and being lots No 6028 to 6038 both inclusive.

Was read first time and referred to platting Committee.

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Report of  
City Solicitor.

The City Solicitor reported on the R. E. McLaughlin case and stated that he would recommend the payment of interest of 2 1/3 %, the same rate that the city draws from the deposite on daily balances be paid to Mrs. McLaughlin for the time which the city had the use of the money, or that another lot of equal value be given Mrs. McLaughlin.

J. Miller moved, seconded by H. Miller that the report be accepted.

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The matter of invitations not having been extended to all soldiers to attend the soldiers Home Coming, was taken up and discussed.

On motion of Penick the council went on record as having nothing to do with Home Coming and they decided that every soldier, enlisted or drafted, will receive one of the medals which were ordered by the City of Alliance. Which motion was agreed to.

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J. Miller reported  
no flood gate  
at city Water  
Works.

J. Miller spoke of having visited the new city dam at the Water Works and stated that no flood gate was being installed, the City Engineer stated that he saw no necessity of having a flood gate.. Superintendent Stanly stated that a five or six foot gate might be of value in cleaning the dam.

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Mayor Westover spoke of the proposed bond issue for an artificial gas plant which was voted on, stating that it was now up to the Council to get a supply of gas for the people.

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Penick reported having received a communication from Koch, Manager of the Pennsylv R. R. line having brought up the matter of two city storm sewers emptying on the Railroads property in the west yard. Referred to Engineer.

On motion of Fenick, seconded by H. Miller Council adjourned.

*Chas. Silvers*  
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City Auditor.

*Chas. E. Bennett*  
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President of Council.

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