

Council met in special session with president Barnard in the chair.

The roll being called the following members answered to their names: Messrs. Lower, Merts, H. Miller, J. G. Miller, Fenick and Weaver. Present 6, absent 1.

The following call which had been served to each member of Council as required by law was read.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

To Mr.

You are hereby notified that a Special Meeting of the City Council of the City of Alliance will be held on Friday evening, September 26, 1919 at 7.30 P. M. for the following purposes, to-wit:

To consider Ordinance No. 130-B. An ordinance fixing the salaries of certain employees in the Department of Public Service of the City of Alliance, and such other matter as may be necessary to consider.

Chas. Merts
L. L. Lower
J. W. Fenick.

Members of Council.

ORDINANCE 130-B.

Mr. Merts: An ordinance fixing the salaries of certain employees of the Department of Public Service of the City of Alliance, was read third time.

On motion of Merts, seconded by J. G. Miller the ordinance was referred to Finance Committee for revision.

The following communication was read:

September 22, 1919.

C. E. Barnard, President,
City Council,
Alliance, Ohio

Dear Mr. Barnard:

The Board of Trustees of the College has voted to make the new athletic auditorium, which will be used by both city and college, a permanent memorial in honor of the soldiers from Alliance and community (Draft District No. 2, Smith and Knox Townships) and from Mount Union College. Within the building will be placed large bronze tablets bearing the names of all men and women from this community who participated in the world war. Special tablets will bear the names of the dead heroes.

We earnestly desire the public indorsements of the City Council in behalf of this project and your moral support in the completion of our plans and the erection of the building, because it is intended for a gymnasium and auditorium to be used for the soldiers, the citizens and the students.

With all good wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Harry E. Martin,
Chairman of Publicity.

On motion of Lower, seconded by H. Miller the proposition of the Board of Trustees of Mt. Union College to make a new athletic auditorium, a permanent memorial in honor of soldiers from Alliance and community was endorsed by the Council of the City of Alliance, Ohio and that we give our moral support in behalf of same.

Which motion was agreed to.

Finance Committee submitted Ordinance 130-B, and recommended its passage. Report of committee was agreed to.

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. G. Miller, Fenick and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed.

The following ordinances and resolutions were introduced:

Resolution No. 145-B.

Mr. Merts: A resolution determining the amount of taxes that may be raised by the levy at the maximum rate authorized by law, without a vote of the electors to be insufficient and declaring the expediency of a levy in excess of such rate.

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

ORDINANCE 130-B.

Notice of special Council Meeting read.

Ordinance 130 was referred to Finance Committee for revision.

Communication from Mt. Union College.

Passage of Ordinance 130-B.

Resolution 145-B read first time.

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 26, 1919 (CONTINUED).

ORDINANCE 146-B

Mr. J. Miller: Determining to proceed with the improvement of Alley south of Ely Street from Park Avenue east 225 feet by constructing Sanitary Sewer No. 140-B. Was read first time and referred to Sewer Committee for immediate action.

ORDINANCE 147-B.

Mr. J. G. Miller: Determining to proceed with the improvement of Reed Street from Franklin Avenue to Alley west of Franklin Avenue by constructing sanitary sewer No. 93-B. Was read first time and referred to Sewer Committee for immediate action.

ORDINANCE 148-B.

Mr. J. G. Miller: Determining to proceed with the improvement of Carrs Place from Rice Street to second alley south of Rice Street by constructing sanitary sewer No. 174. Was read first time and referred to sewer committee for immediate action.

ORDINANCE 149-B.

Mr. J. Miller: Determining to proceed with the improvement of Ohio Avenue from Morgan Avenue to Liberty Avenue by constructing sanitary sewer No. 175. Was read first time and referred to Sewer Committee for immediate action.

Sewer Committee submitted Ordinances 146-B, 147-B, 148-B and 149-B and recommended their passage. Report of Committee was agreed to.

J. G. Miller,
Grubb,
Weaver.

ORDINANCE 145-B.

J. G. Miller moved, seconded by Penick 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, Merts, H. Miller, J. G. Miller, Penick and Weaver. So the rules were suspended and the ordinance 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. G. Miller, Penick and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed:

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ORDINANCE 148-B.

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The following communication was received which was read and referred to Special Committee on Gas.

Alliance, Ohio, Sept. 26, 1919

President Charles Barnard
and
Members of City Council.

Honorable Gentlemen:

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 26, 1919 (CONTINUED)

Members of this organization have requested us to ascertain, when are these bids for the Artificial Gas Plant to be sold and when is this building to be started.

Another question which confronts us is that a number of our homes will have to be remodeled for other fuel, and we are at a loss to know as gas Consumers of Alliance what necessary steps to take in regard to heating, lighting and cooking for our homes.

Thanking you in advance.

The Women's Gas Consumer's League.

Per President Mrs. Luella Fisher
Per Secretary Mrs. C. H. Grimm

Lower moved, seconded by H. Miller that a vote of thanks be extended to the special Gas Committee of the City Council of the City of Cleveland for the very generous manner in which the entertained the Council Committee, Thursday Evening, September 18, 1919 at the Holland Hotel.

Which motion was agreed to.

Lower moved, seconded by H. Miller, that the Mayor be instructed to call a special meeting of Council for Monday Evening to consider the gas proposition, and that an invitation be extended to all citizens interested in the gas proposition.

Which motion was agreed to.

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

Chas. S. Silver
City Auditor.

Chas. C. Brown
President of Council.

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