

MONDAY FEBRUARY 16th, 1920.

Council met in regular session with President Barnard in the chair. The roll being called, the following members answered to their names: Messrs. Cary, Hall, H. T. Miller, J. H. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. Present 6, absent 1.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communica-
tion from
Gas Company
read and
ordered filed.

A communication addressed to Mr. J. H. McConnell, Director of Public Service, from the New Process Gas Company giving the reasons for not submitting plans and specifications for the erection of a Municipal artificial gas plant distributing system in accordance with the advertisement which called for the submitting of proposals, etc. for the erection of a Municipal Gas Plant with the Director of Public Service, February 4th, 1920, was read to Council and ordered filed.

Petition of
A. G. & P.
Co. read to
Council

The petition of the Alliance Gas & Power Company filed with the Public Utilities Commission relating to the appeal of said Company on the provisions of Ordinance No. 181-B passed December 29th, 1919, was read to Council and referred to the City Solicitor and Gas Committee.

Sewer Com.
submits re-
port

The Sewer Committee to whom was referred the communication of Max and Morris Geiger and the West Park Realty Company for the construction of storm sewers, submitted their report and recommended that the storm sewers be constructed as per agreement.

M. C. Cary
H. T. Miller

The report of the committee was agreed to.

Com. on grades
submits report.

The committee on grades submitted Ordinance 23-C and recommended its passage.

H. T. Miller
Ryan
Weaver

The report of the committee was agreed to.

Com. on streets
and alleys submits
report.

The committee on streets and alleys submitted their report and recommended the passage of Ordinance No. 17-C.

M. Ryan
J. H. Miller
H. T. Miller

The report of the committee was agreed to.

On motion of M. Ryan, Ordinance No. 11-C was referred to the City Solicitor and Safety Director for further consideration.

Council as
a committee
of the
whole consi-
ders Ord.
154-B

On motion of Ryan seconded by H. T. Miller, Council dissolved itself as a committee of the whole to consider ordinance No. 154-B. The committee of the whole having dissolved, Council reconvened.

Ryan moved that the committee of the whole be relieved of Ordinance No. 154-B and it be referred to a select committee of one with leave to report at any time, which motion was agreed to. Thereupon the President appointed Mr. Ryan a committee of one on Ordinance No. 154-B. Mr. Ryan reported Ordinance 154-B to Council.

Ordinance No. 154-B

To issue bonds for the purpose of erecting or purchasing gas works for the manufacture of artificial gas to the inhabitants of the City of Alliance.

WHEREAS, at a special election held for that purpose on the 6th day of September, 1919, the question of issuing the bonds of said City in an amount in excess of one per cent of the total value of all property in said City as listed or assessed for taxation that is in the sum of \$525,000.00 for the purpose of erecting or purchasing gas works for the manufacture of artificial gas for the inhabitants of the City of Alliance, Ohio, was read the second time.

The following ordinances were introduced:

Ordinance No. 25-C

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Mr. Weaver: An ordinance to authorize the Director of Public Service to enter into a contract for the purchase of coal for the Water Works in the City of Alliance, Ohio was read the first time and referred to the Finance committee for immediate action.

On motion of H. T. Miller, Seconded by Weaver, Council referred back to the fourth order of business, reports of standing committees.

The Finance committee submitted Ordinance No. 25-C and recommended its passage. The report of the committee was agreed to.

Passage of Ord. No. 25-C

Weaver moved, seconded by H. T. Miller that the statutory rules requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and Ordinance No. 25-C be 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/ Cary, Hall, H. T. Miller, J. H. Miller, Ryan, 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. Cary, Hall, H. T. Miller, J. H. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed.

Ordinance No. 17-C

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Mr. Ryan: An ordinance granting a right-of-way to John Wilson across Auburn Place and east Summit St. in the City of Alliance, Ohio, for the use of side track or railroad switch was read the second time. J. H. Miller moved seconded by Ryan that the statutory rules requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and ordinance No. 17-C be read the 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. Cary, Hall, H. T. Miller, J. H. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the rules were suspended and the ordinance read the 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. Cary, Hall, H. T. Miller, J. H. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed.

Ordinance No. 23-C

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Mr. H. T. Miller: An ordinance to establish a grade on E. Summit St. from Union to Arch was read the second time. H. T. Miller moved seconded by Weaver, that the statutory rules requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and Ordinance No. 23-C be read the 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. Cary, Hall, H. T. Miller, J. H. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the rules were suspended and the ordinance read the 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. Cary, Hall, H. T. Miller, J. H. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed.

Ryan moved seconded by H. T. Miller that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet next Thursday Evening, February 26th, 1920, which motion was agreed to.

Ryan called attention to the bad condition of the side walk in front of Turnipseed & Steffy Store which was referred to the Director of Public Service.

On motion of Weaver, seconded by H. T. Miller, the Solicitor was requested to prepare an ordinance approving the compensation of the Clerk of the Hospital Commission, which motion was agreed to.

Motion of H. T. Miller, Council adjourned.

Attest: Chas. Sivers
CITY AUDITOR

Chas. E. Bernard
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL