

MONDAY EVENING AUGUST 2, 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 meetings were read and approved.

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The following communication was received from the Alliance Gas & Power Company.

July 26th, 1920.

The Honorable City Council,  
Alliance, Ohio.

Gentlemen:

In reply to the request of some of your members for information regarding the progress of installing a new street lighting system in Alliance, we would advise that we are doing everything within our power to get this work completed. We regret to advise that due to our inability to obtain the necessary material and equipment, we will not be able to have this work completed by September 1. We are enclosing herewith copies of correspondence with the General Electric Company, who are furnishing most of this equipment. We believe this correspondence is self-explanatory.

We have already done considerable line work on this job, and are making a strenuous effort to have the poles, wire, etc., all in place by the time this equipment is received so that it may be installed rapidly on arrival.

Assuring you that we will do everything possible to hurry this job along, we are

Very truly yours,  
THE ALLIANCE GAS AND POWER COMPANY

H. G. Bonner  
General Manager

HGB/H

On motion of weaver the communication was ordered filed.

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The following petition was presented to Council and referred to the Streets and Alleys Committee.

PETITION TO VACATE STREET

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALLIANCE, STATE OF OHIO.

The undersigned owners of lots in the City of Alliance, Ohio, in the immediate vicinity of North Mechanic Avenue between Ely Street and the right-of-way of the Pennsylvania Railway Company respectfully petition your Honorable Body that the following described territory may be vacated to-wit:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of Mechanic Avenue and Ely Street; thence West Eighteen (18) feet to a point Four (4) feet east of the East curb line of Mechanic Avenue; thence South along a line parallel to the east curb line of Mechanic Avenue Ninety four and twenty six hundredths (94.26) feet; thence east to the New York Central Railway Company's right-of-way; thence South along the New York Central Railway Company's right-of-way to a point where it crosses the East line of Mechanic Avenue; thence North along the east line of Mechanic Avenue to the Southeast corner of Ely Street and Mechanic Avenue.

For the reason that it is no longer of use to the public and its vacation will not be detrimental to the general interests.

Wm. A. Baker  
Owner of Lot #29

Charles E. Klinger  
Owner of Lot #  
Anderson Bros, per David Anderson  
Owner of Lot #

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A communication was received signed "R. H. W." making a complaint of several matters which was read and referred to the Service Department.

Communication from Alliance Gas & Power Co., ordered filed.

Petition to vacate Street referred to Streets and alleys Committee

The following communications were presented to Council by Mr. S. P. Hall and referred to the Director of Public Service.

Alliance, Ohio, July 29th, 1920

Communications read and referred to Ser-Director

To the Council of the City of Alliance, Ohio.

Gentlemen:

We, the following, desire to petition your honorable body to construct the following much-needed cross-walks:

One cross-walk on the south side of High Street on the alley between High Street and Arch Avenue.

One cross-walk on the east side of Mechanic Avenue on the alley between High and Oxford Streets.

Name	Address
John Schmidt	215 E. High
F. M. Bichsel	1052 S. Seneca
Leonard Ley	219 E. High
Alfred Frick	803 E. Grant St.
A. A. Haudenschild	517 S. Union
H. G. Bard	517 S. Union
Karl Apolin	223 E. High
W. W. Babington	223 1/2 E. High
A. R. Edwards	422 S. Mechanic

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Name	Address
Alfred Grether	208 E. Oxford St.
Max Oberman	171 E. High St.
First Ref. Church	208 E. Oxford St.
Per John Eyer	

Mr. S. P. Hall,

Councilman.

Dear Sir:-

The condition of South Clark Avenue is such that the road should be scraped from State Street south, as it is full of holes and ruts. It is practically impossible to get in and out with a Machine.

Yours very truly,  
C. S. Parker.

July 1, 1920.

To City Council.

Dear Sir:

In regards to Perry St. between Park and Union Streets, it is almost impossible for traffic in wet weather. This street has been reported for the last two years, but nothing done on it. I also wrote Mayor Westover a letter in regards to the condition of this street. The street needs filling of about three (3) feet in order to bring it up to the street line. There is no sidewalk from Perry Street to Union, which is R. R. property. There are quite a few automobiles that have to get in and out at this street.

Would like to have you give this your immediate attention as soon as possible, as they are not slow in raising taxes as soon as property is improved. I must have a way of getting in and out.

Yours truly,  
Fred Moore,  
806 N. Park St.,  
Tax Payer

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Mr. S. P. Hall  
Councilman

As there is no other way to get coal and supplies in to the houses between Liberty and Grace, would like to have permission to use the sidewalk as a driveway to take care of this.

Will you kindly take this matter up and see if permission can not be granted.

Yours truly,

Otis L. Morrison  
1505 Grace St.

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Atty. H. C. Koenler addresses Council regarding 7¢ fare for Stark Electric

Attorney H. C. Koehler addressed Council upon the subject of increasing the fares of the Stark Electric R. R. Co. It was referred to Council as a whole, Mr. H. T. Miller being selected as Chairman.

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Atty. Emmons addresses Council in regard to vacating Street.

Attorney Emmons addressed Council in regard to the vacating of 10 feet off of the West side of Willow Street from Summit St. to Grant St., which Ordinance was pending before Council.

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Atty. Diehl addresses Council regarding the parking of express wagons on N. Linden

Attorney E. W. Diehl addressed Council regarding the parking of express wagons and drays on North Linden Avenue and stated that by allowing such parking it was being done at the annoyance of the merchants doing business in that locality.

The matter was referred to the Streets and Alleys Committee.

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City Solicitor is authorized and directed to collect delinquent hospital bills

H. T. Miller moved seconded by Weaver that the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to collect all delinquent Hospital bills by legal process., which motion was agreed to.

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Streets and alleys Committee recommend that E. Main St. improvement be abandoned at present.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys to whom was referred the petition of E. Main Street property owners from Union Avenue to Mechanic Avenue petitioning Council to abandon the proposed paving at this time, submitted their report and recommended that the improvement be abandoned for the present.

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

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

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INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

The following Ordinances and Resolutions were introduced:

Ordinance No. 110-C

Mr. Ryan:

An Ordinance granting a right-of-way to the Alliance Beverage Co., and the Fairmount Provision Company to construct a side-track or switch across Grant Street between Mahoning Avenue and the tracks of the Penna. R. R. Co., in the City of Alliance, Ohio, was read the first time and referred to the Streets and Alleys Committee for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 111-C

Mr. Ryan:

An ordinance to vacate 10 feet off of the West side of Willow from Summit Street to Grant Street was read the first time and referred to the Streets and Alleys Committee for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 109-C

Mr. Ryan:

An Ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of Alley East of Freedom Avenue between Main Street and Alley north of Market Street by grading, draining, and paving with concrete or brick block was read the first time and referred to the Finance and Assessment Committees for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 108-C

Mr. Ryan:

An Ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of Alley east of

Introduction of Ordinance No. 110-C

Introduction of Ordinance No. 111-C

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Introduction of Ord. No. 108-C

Seneca Street between Main Street and Market Street by grading, draining, and paving with concrete was read the first time and referred to the Finance and Street Assessment Committees for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 107-C

Mr. Ryan:

An Ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of North Freedom Avenue between Main Street and the Penna. R. R. by repaving, with brick block on concrete base or slag base was read the first time and referred to the Finance and Street Assessments Committees for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 106-C

Mr. Ryan:

An Ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of East Harrison Street between Hester Avenue and Park Avenue by constructing sanitary sewer No. 156 was read the first time and referred to the Finance and Street Assessment Committees for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 105-C

Mr. Ryan:

An ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of Milton Street from alley east of Arch to Union Avenue by constructing sanitary sewer No. 176 was read the first time and referred to the Finance and Street Assessments Committees for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 104-C

Mr. Ryan:

An Ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of Ohio Street from Woodland Avenue to Morgan Avenue by constructing sanitary sewer No. 177 was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Assessments for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 103-C

Mr. Weaver:

To provide for the issuing of bonds of the City of Alliance, in the sum of \$2675 for the purpose of extending the time of payment of certain indebtedness which from its limitations of taxation the said City is unable to pay at maturity, was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee for immediate action.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

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 Ordinances 109-C, 107-C, 108-C, 105-C, 103-C, 106-C, and 104-C and recommended their passage

Weaver  
H. T. Miller  
Hall

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

The Committee on streets and alleys submitted Ordinances 110-C and 111-C and recommended their passage.

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

The report of the committee was agreed to.

The following ordinances and Resolutions were taken up and considered

Ordinance No. 109-C

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. 109-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

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Passage of Ordinance No. 109-C

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Lower excuses  
from non-attendance

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On motion of J. H. Miller seconded by H. T. Miller, Lower was excused from non-attendance of this meeting.

Council ad-  
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On motion of J. H. Miller seconded by H. T. Miller, Council adjourned.

Attest:

Chas. C. Sivers  
CITY AUDITOR

Chas. C. Sivers  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL