

— May 18th 1914 —

The council met in regular session with President Reeves in the chair.

The roll being called the following members answered to their names.

Messrs. Barnard, Binkley, Gubb, Heidman, Knowles, Ryan. Present. 6 Absent. 1.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

The following communication was received and read

May 15th 1914
To the Honorable, Council, and the Sinking Fund Trustees
of the City of Alliance, O

Gentlemen:-

In as much as a settlement has been made between the City and the property owners upon the street improvement upon North West Avenue, wherein the property owners are to pay 100 per cent of the whole cost of the new portion of the improvement and 57 1/2 per cent of the re-improved portion of said street.

We the undersigned property owners upon said street, having paid the full amount of the whole improvement assessed upon said street and believing that in all fairness to us and from a moral stand point it is not just for us to pay any more than the other property owners upon said improved and that in the adjustment of other street improvements excess payments made should be refunded.

We earnestly and most respectfully ask each of your Honorable Bodies to devise ways and means by which the amount paid by each of us in excess of the amount agreed upon to be paid by other property owners upon said street, be refunded and paid back.

Following is a list of properties showing the amounts paid, the new amounts, and the refund asked:

Lot No.	Name	Frontage	Am Paid	New amt	Over charge
2495	D. Sell	30 ft.	\$133.50	\$99.50	44.00
2530	D. Sell	40 "	106.80	71.60	35.20
2526	James Stanley	30 "	133.50	\$99.50	44.00
2527	W. Cappsaddle	50 "	133.50	\$99.50	44.00
2528	W. Cappsaddle	50 "	133.50	\$99.50	44.00
2529	M. Warner	40 "	106.80	71.60	35.20
2497	M. Warner	50 "	133.50	\$99.50	44.00
Q 132	St. Warner	195 "	516.03	349.05	166.98

OG 134	Jas. Richard	54 1/2 ft.	115.52	97.56	47.96
" 137	J. G. Westover	54 1/2 ft.	145.52	97.56	47.96
4556	J. G. Westover	40 "	106.80	71.60	35.20
4555	Sarah Westover	35 "	93.45	62.65	30.80
			\$ 1588.42	\$ 1269.12	\$ 619.20

We believe you will recognize the injustice to us, and that you will grant us, our request,
We are

Sincerely yours

J. G. Westover
Jennie Stanley
H. A. Caspado Ex. At.
S. H. Warner
James Richard
J. G. Westover
Sarah Westover.

Referred to com on Finance and Assessments.
The following communication was received.

May 12, 1914.

To the Honorable City Council
City of Alliance
Gentlemen.

I wish to call your attention to the condition of County Avenue, due to the fact that there is no means provided for taking care of the surface water draining on to this street, and which is now washing all the fill.

It is also washing away part of my land adjoining the street. I trust your honorable body will take steps to remedy this.

Respectfully yours,
Sadore Rock.

A communication was received from Mrs. Elizabeth A. Mastelski regarding an alley located on the north side of College Street, between Bond Street, and Union Avenue.

Referred to Finance Dept., City Solicitor, and Street, Alley Committee.

The following communication was received from The Trustees of the Sinking Fund.

May 18th 1914

To the Honorable Council
City of Alliance
Gentlemen.

In pursuance to Section 4513, General Code of Ohio. The Trustees of the Sinking Fund certify that it will be necessary to levy the sum of \$56,000.00

to provide a sinking for the future payment of bonds, issued by the corporation for the payment of final judgment, for the payment of interest on bonded indebtedness and the expenses incident to the management of the sinking fund.

Your attention is called to the following recent enactment of the Ohio Legislature, relating to Sinking fund and interest. This statute makes this item a perfected claim

On the

To amend Section 5649-1 of the General Code and to supplement the same by the enactment of a supplementary section to be known as 5649-1a, relating to levee for sinking fund and interest purposes.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio:

Section 1. That Section 5649-1 of the General Code be amended and that it be supplemented by the enactment of a supplementary section to be known as section 5649-1a to read as follows:

Section 5649-1. If any taking dusted, the governing authority shall, within the limitations now prescribed by law levy a tax sufficient to provide for sinking fund and interest purposes for all bonds issued by any political subdivision, which tax shall be placed before and in preference to all other items and pay the full amount thereof.

Section 5649-1a. All bonds heretofore issued by any political subdivision for a lawful purpose which have been sold for not less than par and accrued interest and the proceeds thereof paid into the treasury, shall be held to be legal, valid and binding obligations of the political subdivision issuing the same.

Section 2. That said original section 5649-1 of the General Code be and the same is hereby repealed.

Your attention is called to the General Bonded indebtedness which at this time amounts to \$786,100.00 and the interest, and the sinking fund necessary to liquidate this indebtedness.

amounts to more than half of the tax
levy.

We believe that all future bond issue
should be submitted to a vote of the
people, and in addition shoud the
authority to make an additional levy
for same, be submitted.

By order of the Trustees of the Parkway Fund
W^m Stallcup President
Chas. Silcox Secretary.

Referred to the Finance Committee.

The following communication
was received.

Alliance Ohio May 14th 1911

Honorable City Council
Alliance, O

Gentlemen:

As representing a large majority of
the property owners on South Union Avenue,
between Main Street and State Street, we beg
to call your attention to the urgent need
for repairing or re-paving South Union
Avenue between the point named.

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Respectfully Submitted
Committee

W. H. Morgan

C. F. Lawrence

W. H. Snell

Referred to com. on Streets, Alleys.

The Finance committee submitted their
report recommending the passage of Res No. 1760

W. A. Heidman

Chas. Barnard

The report of the committee was agreed to

Which report was agreed to.

The committee on Streets and Alleys submitted
their report recommending the passage of
Ord No 1752 and 1756 & Res No 1753.

Morgan

Chas E. Barnard

The report of the committee was agreed to
& Heidman moved, seconded by Barnard
that the City Engineer include in his
estimate thaty portion the amount of
assessable frontage that the city is
to paid

Which motion was agreed to.

The following petition was presented to council
 Alliance of May 18th 1914
 To the Hon. Council of the City of Alliance
 State of Ohio

We, the undersigned being the owners
 of the number of feet of property set opposite
 our names below, the same being a majority
 of foot frontage on Vincent street, between West
 curb line of Union Avenue and the East
 end of Crescent Boulevard, hereby respectfully
 petitioned your honorable board to pass
 the necessary legislation, therefore, and to
 improve said street between the points
 aforesaid by grading, draining, curbing,
 and paving with lava or sheet
 asphalt, and that so much of the
 entire cost and expense thereof as
 may be lawfully assessing upon the
 adjacent contiguous or other specially
 benefited lots and lands, be assessed
 by the foot front plan upon the lots
 and lands bounding and abutting
 on said Vincent street between the
 points aforesaid, said assessment to
 be paid in 10, semi-annual installments
 or in cash, at the option of the
 owner of property assessed, in the
 manner provided by law for
 the levy and collection of
 assessments;

Owner.	No of feet
J.D. Lane for	
J.D. Lane & J.D. Lane.	1002.
W.W. Ellett	255 ft
Leifsa & Roller.	61 "
C.H. Danner	67 1/2
W.C. Manchester	61 ft.
May Gage, M.W. Gage	621 "
Ella J. M. Gage	125.

Refered to com. on Streets, Alleys.

Alliance Ohio May 18th 1914
 To the Hon. Council of the City of Alliance
 State of Ohio

We, the undersigned being the owners
 of the number of feet of property set
 opposite our names below, the same
 being a majority of foot frontage
 on Crescent Boulevard, between the
 West end of Vincent street and the
 East curb line of Rockhill Avenue,
 hereby respectfully petitioned your
 honorable board to pass the necessary
 legislation, therefore, and to improve

said street between the points aforesaid by grading, draining, curbing and paving with tarvia or sheet asphalt and that so much of the entire cost and expense thereof as may be lawfully assessed upon, the adjacent contiguous or other specially benefited lots and lands, be assessed by their foot front plan upon the lots and lands bounding and abutting on said Crescent Boulevard between the points aforesaid, said assessments to be paid in 10 semi-annual installments or in cash, at the option of the owner of property assessed, in the manner provided by law for the levy and collection of assessments.

Owner	No. of Feet.	Lot No.
Walter Whit	1560 ft.	6082
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		85
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		89
		90
		91
		92
		93
		6094
J. Van Horn	60 ft.	6095
W. L. Gilman	60	
By J. Hawthorn		
		6096
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Referred to com. on Streets & Alleys

The com. on Streets and Alleys reported favorable on the petition to vacate O.G. No. 172 and recommended the

That your committee beg to report favorable on the proposed vacation provided that said benefited property owners, take care of expenses, and damage claims connected with same.

W. Ryan
C. E. Barnard

The report of the committee was agreed to which report was agreed to.

The Water Committee to whom was referred the petition for extension of water service outside the City of Alliance Ohio on what is known as Parkway Boulevard between West Summit Street extended and Glamorgan Street extended.

C. E. Barnard
J. E. Gubb

The question being agreed to the report of the com. which report was agreed to.

Introduction of ordinance and resolution
res. No. 1759.

Mr. Gubb. Declaring it necessary to improve
South Freedom Avenue between alley
south of Waugh Street and North
line of State Street by grading.
referred to com. on Streets, Alleys.
res. No. 1760.

Mr. Sudman. To issue a certificate
of indebtedness of the City of Alliance,
State of Ohio, to provide a fund
for the purpose of emergency arising
in the Health and Service Department
referred to Finance Committee.

Ord. No. 1756 -
Mr. Knowles. To vacate a portion of
an alley or street from the south
lot line of lot No. 546 extended, to
the south line of the right of way
of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company
was read ~~the first time~~ referred to com. on Streets, Alleys.
res. No. 1757.

Mr. Ryan. Declaring it necessary to
improve Rush and Noble streets between
E. G. L. Fifth Street and W. G. L. Webb
Avenue by grading, draining, curbing
and paving with brick block
referred to com. on Streets, Alleys.

Sudman called attention to the
Telephone and Telegraph franchises which
required all poles to be shaved and
painted.

Gubb. called attention to bad crossing
at the intersection of Rush Avenue and
South Street.

Director of Public Services instructed to
repair same at once.

Barnard moved, seconded by Gubb
that when council adjourn, they
adjourn to meet next Monday
evening.

Which motion was agreed to.
Knowles moved, seconded by
Gubb that the Engineer be instructed
to prepare an ordinance for a
change of grade on East Broadway,
which motion was agreed to.
Sudman moved, seconded by
Gubb that the Eng. be instructed
to prepare plans and estimates for
the improvement of Seneca
and Milner.

Which motion was agreed to.

On motion of Knowles seconded by
Hedman referred back to report of standing
committee.

The com on Finance reported on
Resolution No 1760 and recommended
passage

W A, Hedman
C E Barnard.

The report of the com was agreed to.

The com on Streets and Alleys submitted
report on Ordinance No 1756 - 1753.

W Ryan
C E Barnard

The report of the com. was agreed to.

On motion of Knowles, seconded by
Gubb the council referred back to the
second reading of the ordinance.

Res No. 1753.

Mr Ryan. Declaring it necessary to improve
North Union Avenue. between north line
of Vine Street, and North Corporation
line by grading, draining and
paving with brick blocks was read
the second time.

Barnard moved seconded by Ryan
that the statutory rule requiring
ordinances and resolutions to be
read on three different days be
suspended and resolution No 1753 read
the second and third time.

The question being on agreeing to
the motion. The yeas and nays
were taken and resulted yeas
to nays. Those who voted
on the affirmative were Messrs
Barnard, Binkley, Gubb, Hedman,
Hosack, Ryan.

So the motion was agreed to.

Ord No 1752

Mr Binkley - Determining to proceed with
improvement of Diehl Court, from
North Union Avenue to Vine Street, in
the City of Alliance, Ohio by grading,
draining, curbing, and paving with
brick blocks, was read the
second time.

Barnard moved, seconded by Ryan
that the statutory rule 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 rule. The Yeas and Nays were taken and resulted. Yeas 6 Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Barnard, Binkley, Gubb, Heidman, Knowles, Ryan.

So the rule was 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. Barnard, Binkley, Gubb, Heidman, Knowles, Ryan.

So the ordinance was passed.

Ord No. 1756.

Mr Knowles - To vacate a portion of an alley or street from the south lot line of lot No 546, as extended to the south line of the right of way of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, was read the second time.

Knowles moved, seconded by Binkley that the statutory rule requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and the ordinance No. 1756 be read the second and third time.

The question being on the suspension of the rule. The Yeas and Nays were taken and resulted Yeas 6. Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Barnard, Binkley, Gubb, Heidman, Knowles, Ryan.

So the rule was 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. Barnard, Binkley, Gubb, Heidman, Knowles, Ryan.

So the ordinance was passed.

Resolution No. 1760-
 Mr. Hedman To issue a certificate
 of indebtedness of the City of Alliance,
 State of Ohio, to provide a fund
 for the purpose of emergencies arising
 in the Health and Service Department
 was read the first time

Hedman moved, seconded by
 Knowles that the statutory rule
 requiring ordinances and resolution
 to be read on three different
 day be suspended, and the
 resolution read the second and
 third time The question
 being on the suspension of the
 rule.

The yeas and Nays
 were taken and resulted yeas 6
 Nays 0. Those who voted
 in the affirmative were Messrs.
 Barnard, Buckley, Guibb, Hedman,
 Knowles, Ryan

So the rule was suspended, and
 the resolution read the second
 and third time.

The question being on the
 passage of the resolution. The
 yeas and Nays were taken
 and resulted yeas 6 Nays 0.

Those who voted in the affirmative
 were Messrs. Barnard, Buckley,
 Guibb, Hedman, Knowles, Ryan.

So the resolution was passed.

Hedman moved, seconded by
 Barnard that City Solicitor be
 requested to prepare an ordinance
 requiring all telephone and telegraph
 companies to paint their poles.

Which motion was agreed to.

On motion of Barnard, seconded
 by Knowles Council adjourned.

Attest

Chas. Silver
 Clerk.

Arthur R. Lewis
 President.