

West Side of Arch Street, after which on motion of Gray, seconded by Pckes the vote on its final passage was taken resulting as follows Yeas, 5, nays, 1, Vincent Gray, Pckes Strong 5. Mayor & The Chair declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Pckes moved that the Council adjourn to meet next Monday Evening, seconded by Gray and carried.

H. Berckhemmer
Clerk

H. E. Strong
Chairman pro tem

Council Rooms Alliance Ohio.

Monday evening, April 9 1877.

Council convened as per adjournment. Mayor Barnaby being still sick, On motion H. E. Strong was chosen Chairman pro tem. Members Present Loret Vincent Gray, Pckes and Strong, Absent Ellison.

The following was read. To the Honorable Mayor and Council. I beg leave to submit my annual report.

I have this day carefully examined the cisterns and find them as follows.

West Main and Park street cistern full.

Freedom .. 7 feet.

Arch street full.

Public Square full.

Liberty street near R. R. 6 feet.

Back of Geo Seifert full.

I found the trap door on the Freedom cistern in a very bad shape, the door was split in two one hinge broke and no lock. I would recommend that the door be made four inches larger than the hole and barn door hinges be put on in place of the strap hinge, as they are all most worthless, also that the cistern on Liberty street be changed as above, it being entirely closed, and would

recommend that the plank bridge in front of engine house be taken up and filled in solid with cinders and new heavy plank instead of the broken ones that are now there.

I would also recommend that there be more secure fastenings to the large front engine house doors to prevent them from warping.

Also think for the good of all that there should be large doors on the west side of engine house to enable us to drive through. According to ordinance the Fire Police are to have a truck, rope and stakes, all of which we are greatly in need of.

Also the entire Fire Department are in need of lanterns. Hoping the above may be granted.

I am sir

W W King Chief

On motion of Vincent seconded by Luk, report was accepted and referred to Committee on Fire Department with power to act.

The following bills were read

Bill of Stringer and Garrison for printing, as per bill
\$ 6⁶⁵

Bill of G W Hise and M Myer for wardrobes in FD
\$ 62⁰⁰

On motion of Vincent seconded by Luk, the bills were accepted and ordered paid.

Report of Solicitor on Petition of Wm Jenkins and Lidia M Jenkins was read, and on motion of Dukes seconded by Gray, accepted and placed on file.

The following was read

To the Council of the Incorporated Village of Alliance. In pursuance of the provisions of the 162 Section of the Municipal Code I report to your honorable body as follows.

That for the year ending April 1st 1887, the only litigations in which the Incorporated Village was either directly or indirectly interested, was as follows, 1st The case of A W Green vs the Incorporated Village of Alliance, which case is now pending