

The resolution offered at last Meeting by A. W. Coates and laid over till the Meeting in relation to Hitching Posts, was taken up ~~and on Motion~~ M. C. Pennock offered an amendment to said resolution as follows: That said hitching posts be placed close to the outer edge of the sidewalk, (instead of three feet from the outer edge as the original resolution required) On Motion the amendment concurred in, the matter was then laid over until next Meeting.

The Matter of Building a Town Hall the present season was suggested by L. Ely, which on Motion was referred to a Committee consisting of M. C. Pennock, St. Altman and R. C. Greenlee, with instructions to consult Mechanics, as to a plan for the building the probable cost &c and report at a future Meeting.

Nominations

The Mayor presented the name of St. B. Higby as nominee for solicitor for the ensuing year, which on Motion was received and on the question being called the candidate rejected St. B. Pippitt was then nominated by the Mayor for solicitor which was received and on Motion a vote was had and the candidate declared elected.

Commissions

The Street Commissioners presented his Bond with Jacob Knight and J. N. Webb as Bonds men, which on Motion was received and approved.

On Motion of A. W. Coates, a vote of thanks was tendered to J. D. Parker, by the Council for ^{the} satisfactory manner in which he had discharged his duties as solicitor the past year.

On Motion adjourned to meet next Monday evening at 7 o'clock.
Joseph Barnaby, Recorder,

April 24th 1871

Council Met pursuant to adjournment. The Mayor being absent. On Motion of A. W. Coates M. C. Pennock was appointed Chairman for the Evening. Present A. W. St. Altman, J. C. Morgan, J. C. Morgan and R. C. Greenlee of last Meeting read and approved.

Minutes
Committee

to whom was referred the Petition presented at last Meeting praying that the Peddling of Meat from wagons in the village be prohibited. Reported unfavorable to granting the prayer of the Petitioners. On Motion of J. C. Morgan report received and Committee discharged.

Committee

to whom was referred the Matter of Purchasing 10 of Babcock's Fire Extinguishers, reported favorable to the prayer of the Petitioners. On Motion report received and Committee discharged. Thereupon a Committee consisting of Altman and M. C. Pennock was appointed.

to confer with the Manufacturers of said Fire Extinguishers and to have them send a person here with one of their Extinguishers to Experiment so that ~~the~~ our people may see whether or not it is what they claim for it, and in case the Company cannot send a person here with one that said Committee go to Chicago and see it tested there,

Resolution

A. H. Coates offered a Resolution as follows:
Resolved by the Town Council of the incorporate Village of Alliance, that Ten of Babcocks Fire Extinguishers be purchased for the use of the Village provided that they shall prove satisfactory to the Committee appointed see them tested, which on Motion was received and on the question being called for was adopted,

Committee

to whom was referred the Petition of Citizens asking that a portion of Walnut Street in front of the Property of S. Beck & the Presbyterian Church be vacated, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the Petitioners, on Motion report received and Committee discharged,

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The Committee on side walks & Croppings reported in favor of laying a walk on the south side of Columbia Street from Arch to Depot Street, as petitioned for by the property holders abutting on said walk. Thereupon on Motion the following Resolution was offered and adopted,

Resolution

Resolved that a side walk be ordered laid on the south side of Columbia Street from the East side of Arch Street to the West side of Depot Street said walk to be six feet in width, constructed of ~~pine~~ plank 12 inches thick laid lengthwise on Oak stringers 4 by 4 inches and 4 feet apart, and on a grade to correspond with the present grade of said Arch & Depot Streets, J. C. Morgan the following resolution which on Motion was received and adopted, unanimously

Resolution

Resolved by the Town Council of the Village of Alliance that after this evening, all Meetings of the Council during this year shall adjourn at or before 10 o'clock P.M.,

Committee

to whom was referred the Matter of building a Town house reported progress and asked further time to make a full report, on Motion Report received and Committee Continued with instructions to report at next regular Meeting

A Petition

Presented by a Committee appointed by Fire Committee lately formed, asking that the Ordinance be