

## Council Room

Alliance Ohio Sept 5 1881

Council convened in regular session

Mayor Johnson presiding Roll called  
 Proserot, Townsend Stillwell Beardsley, Coates  
 Transue Mercer. Minutes of last meeting  
 read and approved.

Mayor's Report of fines and licenses for month  
 of July amounting to 46<sup>44</sup> was read on motion  
 of Stillwell report was accepted and ordered filed.

The following was read

To The Hon Mayor & Council  
 Gentl. I hereby tender my resignation as  
 engineer of steamer business calling me away  
 from home almost all the time

Yours Truly  
 J. H. Woods.

The resignation of J. H. Woods as fireman of steamer  
 was also read on motion of Beardsley, seconded  
 by Stillwell the yeas and nays were called with the  
 following result yeas Townsend Stillwell  
 Beardsley, Coates Transue Mercer yeas 6 nays 0.

The Mayor declared the resignations accepted.

The following report was read:

That the Gas Committee, to whom  
 was referred the petition for lamp post on  
 South Linden Avenue beg. heard to report  
 favorably.

J. M. Stillwell  
 L. B. Coates

R. F. Mercer.

Motion of Transue seconded by Townsend that  
 report be accepted.

Mr. Townsend offered the following resolution  
 Be it Resolved by the Council of the Incorporated  
 Village of Alliance Ohio that the owners of lots  
 No 107, 118, 119 in Mr. Hester's addition be  
 and is now hereby required and ordered  
 within sixty days after due notice to her  
 of the passage of this Resolution, to cause in-

a sidewalk in front of Lots No 117 118 119 in the addition aforesaid upon the elevation fixed by the ordinance now in force providing and establishing a grade on Patterson Street in said village. That said side walk shall be six ft in width, and constructed of stone or brick, surrounded by curbs and carried by the following vote yeas Townsend Stillwell Boardley Coates Dransner Mercer yeas six yeas. Mayor declared the Resolution duly passed.

The following Resolution was offered by Mr Boardley Resolved that the Alliance & Lake Erie Railroad Company be granted permission to build their depot on corner of Mechanic and Main Streets surrounded by curbs by curbs and carried by the following vote, yeas Townsend Stillwell Boardley Coates Dransner Mercer yeas 6 yeas. Mayor declared the Resolution duly passed.

The following Bills were read,

J G Bogue	Salary as night Police	50 00
Ed Berlin	" " "	50 00
J C Craven	" " extra "	1.66
Alliance Gas Co.	Lighting corporation	140 35
" "	" town hall	14 00
A B Love	" Gasoline	50 00
W H Teel	Percentage	40 00
J H Gillespie	Printing	23 78
J C Garrison	"	12 65
James S Woods	Salary as fireman on Steamer	51 60
J H Woods	" " engineer "	37 50
J C Woods	51 days firing heater	12 75
D J Johnston	Boarding Prisoners	6 00
W H Teel	Mowing woods in alleys & Streets	13 43
Sandersmith Bros	Repairing harness	1 65
Knowles & Nelson	Blacksmithing	4 50
W B Trail	Labor on sidewalks	30 00
W H Hester	30 doz water	9 00

A & L. E. R.R.

granted permission

to build Depot.

D Johnston.	Burying dogs.	4.00
H J Beardsley	Street Commissioner	113.00

Mr Coates moved that orders be drawn on the Treasury out of the different funds as road excused by Mercer and carried by the following vote yeas Townsend Stillwell Beardsley Coates Transner Mercer yeas six nays 0

Mr Coates then called the attention of the Street Committee to a bridge on North Arch Street near the Pittsburg Fort Wayne and Chicago R.R. which he stated was in a dangerous condition.

It was moved by Beardsley seconded by Stillwell that the Gas Com be given power to change the location of several gas posts carried.

Mr Coates moved that the City Solicitor be instructed to draw up an ordinance requiring property owners to trim their shade trees for the distance of ten or twelve ft so they would not obstruct the light from the gas posts.

Mr Mercer then offered the following Resolution. Whereas the lack of a full supply of water for domestic manufacturing and fire purposes has been felt and conceded by all citizens of the village And whereas the experience of a number of years has shown that the present water supplies of the town are and will continue to be insufficient for the purposes named.

And whereas the Legislature has authorized municipal corporations to make adequate provisions to secure such supply as is necessary for all purposes of convenience and safety.

And whereas regarding these considerations we believe that the neglect to provide a full and complete supply of water for all proper purposes for the comfort of citizens for the encouragement of manufactures and as a defense against fire would be a neglect of duty and betrayal of the interests