

Alliance O. Sept 24<sup>th</sup> 1888

Council met in regular Session

President Pennock Presiding

Members Present Pennock, Betts Bush Jones  
Johnson Miller Seftert Vick. (Mr Early  
Arriving before Council Adjourned)  
Absent Williams.

Minutes read and Approved

Treasurer Teel Reported the receipt of \$632.33  
belonging to Mount Union Ward Which he  
had apportioned to the several funds in  
accordance with the tax Levy by the Council  
of said Ward. After having apportioned  
the same he received a corrected statement  
from the Auditor showing that \$68.39  
of the whole amount received was for Side walk  
Tax - That he had ~~had~~ charged up to the  
several funds their proportionate amount of  
said \$68.39 and credited the same to the  
Side walk fund. - Report Approved

The Finance Committee reported  
that they had approved the Bill  
of E. E. Coline for Salary as Chief of the  
Fire Department for 3 months \$30.00  
for Photographs of Fire Engine 3.00  
Total 33.00

Betts Moved that the report be accepted  
and that the Clerk be authorized to  
draw an Order in favor of Mr. Coline  
for the amount \$33.00  
Seconded by Johnson & Carried  
Yeas Pennock Betts Bush Jones  
Johnson. Miller Seftert Vick Yeas  
& Nays None -

Mr Johnson in behalf of the Committee to whom was referred the Matter of damages claimed by Mr Cleland for injuries received by reason of defective sidewalk. Reported a possibility of settling the same for about \$200. And recommended a settlement of the same. Brick moved the report be accepted and that the Finance Committee be authorized and instructed to proceed to settle the claim on the best terms possible providing the amount did not exceed \$200. Seconded by Betts & Carried.

Mr Brick as a member of the Committee to whom was referred the Petition from Arch St residents asking for the use of dirt from the Arch Street excavation. Reported in favor of giving Arch Street property owners the preference.

Johnson moved that sufficient dirt be taken from the Arch Street excavation to complete the fill near the residence of Mathew Hester. Seconded by Betts & Carried.

Jones moved that the Owners of Property abutting on the South Side of Broadway between the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Rail Way and the County Line be permitted to put down a temporary plank walk along said street. Seconded by Bush and Carried.

Bush moved that the Sidewalk Committee be authorized to purchase sufficient flag stone to construct 600 feet of sidewalk. Seconded by Brick & Carried. Yeas Permost. Betts Bush Jones Johnson Miller Lepist Brick Early Yeas 9 Nays none.

## Petition

To Improve Union Avenue

A petition was presented and read, from representing over two thirds of the Property abutting on Union Avenue between Main Street Alliance and Main Street Mount Union Ward Asking that the Avenue be improved by Grading Curbing draining, Macadamizing &c

Johnson Moved to refer the petition to the Street Committee with instructions to report the same back at the present meeting Seconded by Betts & Carried

The Committee retired and after duly considering the request of the petitioners, returned and reported in favor of granting the prayers of the said petitioners.

Johnson Moved the report be Accepted Seconded by Betts & Carried

## Resolution offered by

Mr Johnson,

To

Improve Union Avenue formerly known Mount Union and Portage Streets South from Main Street in Alliance to Main Street in Mt Union Ward

Resolved, That in the Opinion of 2/3 of the Members Elected to the Council of the City of Alliance it is necessary to improve Union Avenue, formerly known <sup>as Mt Union</sup> and Portage Streets from Main Street in Alliance South to Main Street in Mount Union Ward by grading curbing draining Macadamizing and the construction of C. Leawhs and necessary Culverts, Such improvements being recommended by the Street Committee in accordance with plans, profiles

and Specifications on file with Said Street Committee, The Expense of Said improvement to be assessed per foot front on the property bounding and abutting thereon according to the Law and Ordinances on the Subject of Assessment. The Assessments therefor to be payable in five Annual installments, if deferred and the Same Collected as provided by law and in the Assessing Ordinances hereafter to be passed. Bonds may be issued in Anticipation of the Collection of the Assessments unless the property Owners pay their Assessments before the Same are issued and within the time prescribed in said Assessing Ordinance, and the Clerk is hereby directed to Cause this resolution to be Published in a Newspaper of general Circulation in the Corporation for a period of two Consecutive weeks.

Done in the Council Chamber of the City of Alliance, Ohio, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1888.

J. Jones Moved the Resolution be Adopted  
 Seconded By ~~Watts~~ and Carried  
 Yeas Pennock Bells Bush Early Jones  
 Johnson Miller Sept Vick Yeas 9  
 Nays none

Jones Moved that the Clerk be instructed to Notify the Owners of property abutting on the Arch Street improvement that the first installment of the cost of said improvement falls due Oct 10<sup>th</sup> and that if the Same be paid on or before that date to the City Treasurer no interest would be added otherwise the Same would be placed upon the Tax duplicate with the interest and penalty added.

Seconded Bush & Carried