

Aliance O August 20, 1890
 Council Met in special session upon the following call of the Mayor.

Mayor's
 call for
 special
 meeting

" You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Alliance city council is called to convene at the Council Chamber in said city on Wednesday evening August 20th 1890 at 7:30 to act upon the Claims Ordinance; to amend the grade on Patterson Street; to take action on improvement of Seneca Street and Market Street; Making contract for improving Oxford and West Main Streets; appointing Decennial city board of equalization; Numbering the city, and to take action on injunction of city against the Pennsylvania Company

Signed J. M. Stillwell Mayor
 With President Hull in the chair and the members all present.

report of
 finance
 committee

Report of Finance Committee
 Brinker Moved That there be apportioned from any unapportioned money in the treasury to the street and Sanitary fund the sum of \$351 ²³/₁₀₀ seconded by Wilson and Carried.

Passage of
 Claims ordinance

The Claims Ordinance for the payment of Claims against the city for the month of July was then read and Brinker Moved That the ordinance be placed on its passage seconded by Wilson and Carried. Yeas 12 nays none.

Petition from
 Seneca st
 property
 owners

A Petition ~~asking~~ signed by property owners on Seneca Street asking that in the proposed improvement of said street the paving be made only twenty four feet wide was presented and on motion of Brinker referred to the Street committee & The solicitor to whom was referred the waiver of property owners on Market Street

ment of
petition on
Market at

in favor of Market street improvement
reported favorably on the same and
on motion of Bush the same was
accepted.

petition of
Market at
bids

Bush moved that all bids received
for the improvement of Market Street
be rejected seconded by Brinker and
carried.

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d for bids
or Market
street

Brinker moved that the Clerk be
instructed to advertise for bids for the
improvement of Market Street in accordance
with the plans and specifications now on
file. Seconded by McLaughlin and Carried
Yeas Brinker Bush Cowan Crubough Earley
Hartzell Kepingner Kynett McLaughlin
Siefert Wilson Hull. Yeas 12 nays none.

engineer
make

estimate of
at for Market
Seneca st

On motion of Bush
The engineer was instructed to make
estimate of the cost of said improvement,
and ~~on motion of~~ also of the
improvement of Seneca Street.

The committee in charge
of the improvement of Oxford Street made
following report.

report of
committee

Oxford at

The committee in charge of the Oxford
Street brick pavement improvement have
agreed on the following changes in the
specifications: The roadway to be
graded two (2) feet below grade at the
curb lines instead of sixteen inches.
no trench or socket tile to be put in.

The above changes agreed to

W. W. Gilson Contractor

J. C. Bell

C. H. Bush

On motion of Bush. The report was
adopted.

A resolution to contract
with W. W. Gilson for the
improvement of Oxford Street
was read as follows

Resolution to accept bid and contract with W. H. Gilson for the improvement of Oxford Street

Resolution to contract with W. H. Gilson on Oxford Street

Resolved by the council of the city of Alliance Ohio that the bid of W. H. Gilson for the improvement of Oxford Street from the east side of Morgan Street to the west side of Seneca Street, be accepted the same being the lowest bid in the aggregate for said work. and the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with said W. H. Gilson with George Jakes, as surety for doing said work according to the plans and specifications therefor at the following rates to wit:

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| Paving complete per sq yd including sand filling and top dressing | .93 ^c |
| Furnishing and setting curbing complete per ^{base} linear foot | .38 ^c |
| " " " angle blocks for curb corners each | \$1.00 |
| " " " Laying socket tile per foot | .09 |
| Excavation, per cubic yard | .35 |
| Ballast or sand and gravel foundation complete per cubic yd | .83 |
| Furnishing and setting iron catch basin covers per lb | .05 |
| Brick catch Basins complete each | 30 ⁰⁰ |

The amount to be paid by the city not to exceed \$6360⁰⁰

clerks certificate

I hereby certify that the money required for the above mentioned contract is in the treasury to the credit of the Oxford Street Paving fund, and not otherwise appropriated to any other purpose.

Thomas Casselman
Clerk

Brinker moved the adoption of the resolution seconded by Keplinger and carried.

Yeas Brinker Bush Cowan Crubaugh

Carry Hartzell Keplinger Kyrett.

McLaughlin Defert - Wilson Hull yeas 12
nays none.

notice of injunction

The Mayor gave notice of an injunction having been served upon the city by Henry Shaffer to prevent the said city from

making contract with H. H. Gilson for the improvement of Main Street and on motion of Brinker the solicitor was instructed to arrange for a hearing of the same as soon as possible.

The appointment of members of the Decennial board of Equalization being next in order. Keplinger nominated

appointment
of Board
of Equalization

D. J. Armstrong of the 5th ward, seconded by Brinker, confirmed by yeas 12 nays none.

McLaughlin nominated Jesse Williams of the fourth ward, seconded by Keplinger and confirmed. Yeas 12 nays none.

Wilson nominated Dr. St. P. Rice of the 6th ward seconded by Brinker and confirmed Yeas 12 nays none. Defert - nominated

Isaac Smith of the 2nd ward seconded by McLaughlin and confirmed Yeas 12 nays none.

Carley nominated Patrick Scanlon for the 1st ward, seconded by Brinker and confirmed Yeas 12 nays none.

Bush nominated S. Th. Sacrist for the 3rd ward, confirmed Yeas 12 nays none.

The Committee to whom was left the matter of numbering the city made following report:

report of
committee
on numbering
houses

Your committee appointed to devise a system for numbering the city houses and buildings of the city beg leave to submit the following as the result of our deliberations. We are satisfied that the system of numbering buildings known as the Philadelphia Plan has very many advantages over any other with no disadvantages whatever: it is to establish certain base lines running through the city North and South and East and West at which all numbers begin and at each succeeding block or fixed distance. Beginning with a new hundred. The odd numbers being on one side of the street the even numbers on the other.

We recommend that Main Street and the line dividing the second and third ward be the base line running East and West

and that Union Avenue be the base line running North and South.

We further recommend that all public driveways of thirty feet or more in width running East and West be known as Streets and that those running North and South be known as Avenues and that the buildings on the North and East sides of the Streets and Avenues be assigned the odd numbers and those on the South and West sides be assigned the even numbers.

Numbering
houses

That each ten (10) feet of frontage on all Streets and Avenues shall be entitled to a number and on Streets and Avenues not divided into blocks by Cross Streets or ~~alleys~~ Avenues the new hundred shall begin at the end of each four hundred (400) feet. but where one side is divided and the other is not. the side that is so divided into squares shall govern in fixing the hundreds.

Signed

J. R. Morgan Sr
Thos Wilson
Geo R Gyger
Alex Cowan
Jacob Hartzell

} Committee

On Motion of Bush seconded by Wilson the report was adopted.

Moved by Bush seconded by Keplinger that the matter of numbering houses be left in the hands of the Judiciary Committee and Engineer.

On Motion of Bush the solicitor was instructed to prepare an ordinance in conformity with the above report.

Wilson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

Resolved that the injunction of the City of Alliance against the Pennsylvania R-R Co

resolution
to dissolve
instructions

restraining the said company from fencing and
otherwise improving certain grounds lying
between the intersection of North Webb St
and East Main Street in said city
be dissolved and that the city solicitor be
instructed to consummate the same")

Keplinger seconded the motion to adopt
the yeas and nays were called resulting
Yeas. Keplinger Wilson Hull, Nays
Brinker Bush Cowan Crumbaugh Earley
Hartzell Lynett McLaughlin Seft
Yeas 3 nays 9. and the motion
was declared lost.

On Motion Council adjourned.

Thos Casselman
Clerk

James W. Hull
Pres