

Council Chamber Alliance Ohio June 19th 1893

Council met in regular session with Vice President Gabelle in the Chair and the following members present. Buck Bush Conger Lambaugh Davidson Love Harris Williams absent Cowan, and Wilson. Wilson coming in during the session. On Motion of Love the reading of the minutes was dispensed with

Petition from
Morgan Eng co
to vacate lots

A communication from The Morgan Engineering Company asking Council to take such steps as may be necessary to have the plat and records of the city so changed as to have the lots owned by said company and at this time enclosed by their fence appear as a piece of land or outlet and agreeing to pay any expense incurred by reason of such change being made was on motion of Bush referred to the platting committee

Petition for
water main
on S. Park

A Petition from citizens of the fifth ward asking for the extensions of the water main on South Park Avenue and the location of a hydrant at the intersection of South Park Avenue and High Streets was referred to the water committee

Payment of
bill of \$100⁰⁰
to E Chapin

The finance committee reported a bill of L. E. Chapin for one hundred dollars to apply on the amount due him as Sanitary Engineer and Love moved there be apportioned to the general fund from the unapportioned fund the sum of \$100⁰⁰ seconded by Davidson and carried.

Love then moved the bill be allowed and that an ordinance be prepared providing for the payment of the same seconded by Conger and carried. The ordinance being prepared was read and Love moved the passage of the same seconded by Bush. The yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Buck Bush Conger Lambaugh Davidson Gabelle Love Harris Williams Wilson Yeas 10 nays 0. and declared passed

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Solicitor
to carry up
Kagry case

The Solicitor asked council what action they desired taken in the case of Kagry against the City. Stating that the motion argued in the Common Pleas Court for a new trial had been overruled and the verdict of one thousand dollars allowed by the jury reduced by the court to five hundred dollars. Love moved that the Solicitor be instructed to file a bill of exceptions preparatory to carrying the case to the Circuit Court. seconded by Conger. The yeas and nays were called resulting Yeas Bush Conger Crubaugh Davidson Gable Harris Love Williams Wilson Yeas 10 nays none and the motion was declared carried.

Bridge Com
to go to
Canton

On Motion of Conger the special bridge Committee consisting of Bush and Love were instructed to go to Canton and meet the county Commissioners and ascertain what financial assistance they would render toward the proposed bridge across the Railroad tracks at the east end of Main Street

Report of
Platting
Committee

The platting Committee to whom had been referred the matter of opening the alley running west from Arch Street between Grant and Rosenberg Streets reported having given the same their attention and after a thorough investigation and would report that the City has a twenty foot Alley extending from Linden Avenue west to the L. E. & S. R. R. at a point midway between Rosenberg and Grant streets as shown on the ^{new} City Map. Bush moved the report be adopted seconded by Williams and carried.

notify
Hadley
go to work

On motion of Davidson the Clerk was instructed to notify Mr Hadley the contractor on the City Street improvement that he would be required by Council to complete said contract within thirty days.

Specifications
for Ash St

The Engineer submitted specifications for the improvement of Ash Street, and on motion of Love seconded by Davidson the same were adapted and the engineer instructed to prepare a plan for said improvement

Report of
Sidewalk Com
on Seacrist's
walk

The Sidewalk Committee submitted the following report: "We the Sidewalk Committee to whom was referred the matter of lowering the sidewalk along W^m Seacrist's property on Seneca Street would recommend that the city at its expense grade said walk to the property line and relay the material now laid putting said walk to conform to the present established grade." signed O. A. Gabel, Geo. Bush, W. B. Cornbough, Wilson moved the adoption of the report seconded by Conger and carried.

Set Grade
Stakes

On Motion of Davidson the Engineer was instructed to set grade stakes for sidewalk for Geo. Boutes on North Union Avenue.

Throw out
walk

On Motion of Bush the sidewalk committee was instructed to have the walk at the south east corner of Broadway and Seneca Street along the property owned by Henry Williams thrown out.

Haines walk

Love reported that Mr J. R. Haines asked for further time in which to construct his sidewalk on West Main Street and on motion of Bush he was granted the same on condition that he commence the walk during the present week.

Communication
from Chief
of fire Dept

Mr Amstutz Chief of the fire Dept submitted a communication to Council making suggestions and recommendations as to the needs and necessities of the Dept necessary to make the same efficient and on motion of Bush the same was referred to the fire committee.

prepare Ord
to define
duties firemen

Bush called attention to the necessity of having an Ordinance defining the duties of the men employed in the fire department and the question of preparing the same was referred to the fire committee.

water in
basement of Hall

Conger called attention to a nuisance existing on the city property consisting of stagnant water in the

basement of the city hall and an old shed on the city lot west of the lockup and the same was referred to the buildings and grounds committee.

Purchasing
Committee

Council having at a previous meeting ordered that a standing committee be appointed to be known as the purchasing committee president Wilson announced as such committee Crubaugh Cowan and Looe

Looe Chairman
of Sewer
Committee

President Wilson also announced the appointment of A. B. Looe as chairman of the sewer committee in place of J. C. Devins,

1st reading
Market St
improve
Ordinance

An Ordinance to improve Market Street was read first time and Wilson moved that the rules be suspended and the ordinance be read second time the yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Buck Davidson Harris Wilson Aays Bush Conger Crubaugh Goble Looe Williams. Yeas 4 nays 6 and the motion was declared lost and on motion of Wilson the matter of securing the necessary signatures to the petition and waiver for the improvement of said Market Street so as to secure the city against having to pay for private property was referred to the Judiciary Committee to report at next meeting

Passage
of Street
R. franchise

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting the Alliance Street Railroad Company the right to extend its lines upon certain streets in the City of Alliance Ohio and prescribing the manner terms, and conditions upon which the same shall be done" was read second time and Wilson moved the rules be suspended and the ordinance be read third time seconded by Buck. The yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Buck Bush Conger Crubaugh Davidson Goble Harris Looe Williams Wilson. Yeas 10 nays 0. The rules were declared suspended the ordinance was read the third time and Wilson moved the final passage of the same seconded by Buck. The yeas and nays were called resulting

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 Harris Gabele Love Williams Wilson
 Yous 10 nays 0 and the ordinance was
 declared passed.

report cost
 of R.R.
 Printing

On motion of Bush the
 Judiciary Committee was instructed
 to ascertain and report to Council the
 expense incurred in providing the necessary
 legislation for the franchise provided for in
 the foregoing Ordinance.

Yant to
 remove lumber
 from street

Mr William Tanner addressed
 Council relative to his property being
 damaged by reason of a portion of Patterson
 street being occupied by Mr Geo Yant with
 lumber thereby causing the ditches along the
 street to become filled up and causing the
 water to run across the street and into
 his cellar. and on motion of Bush the
 Marshal was instructed to notify Mr
 Yant to remove all lumber and other
 obstructions from the street along his
 property and to keep the street clear and
 free from obstructions at that point.

On motion Council adjourned

Thomas Casselman