

Council Chamber Alliance Ohio July 17. 1893

Council met in regular session with President Wilson presiding and the following members present. Buck Bush Cowan Davidson Gable Harris Love Williams Defert. Absent Conger and Crumbaugh. Minutes of meetings of July 3" and 10" read and approved.

Motion to put in new crossing lost

Davidson of The Street Committee reported the work of grading Noble Street progressing. and also reported a bad crossing at the intersection of Patterson and Freedom Street on the north side of Patterson Street and moved that a new crossing be put in at that point seconded by Defert. The yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Davidson Defert Wilson. Nays Bush Cowan Gable Harris Love Williams. yeas 3 nays 6 and the motion was declared lost

Repair catch basin on Seneca Street

Davidson reported a catch basin being out of repair on Seneca Street near the Ewing property and the same was referred to the Sewer Committee.

Gutter on Linden referred

Bush reported that the gutter on the west side of Linden Avenue at the intersection of Columbia Street did not carry away the surface water and allowed the same to run over the sidewalk. and the same was referred to the Engineer

Report of Judiciary Com fire limit

The Judiciary Committee to whom had been referred the matter of preparing an Ordinance to Establish a fire limit reported that under the statutes Council had no authority in such cases unless upon petition of two thirds of the property in any square.

wooden awnings

The following resolution was offered: Resolved that it is the sense of this Council that the several wooden awnings now extending across the sidewalks in front of business houses on some of the Streets and alleys

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of the City and also canvas awnings supported on wooden frames and wooden posts placed at or near the curb stones are obstructions of the Streets and alleys within the meaning of the Statutes and the ordinances now in force in this City against the obstruction of Streets and alleys and the erection therein of buildings and Structures dangerous to the public and to property and that their continuance is liable in case of accident to involve the City in damages.

Resolved, Therefore that the City Marshal be instructed to serve notice in writing upon all persons using or maintaining such awnings to remove the same within five days from the date of notice and that on failure to do so that the Marshal be and he is hereby instructed to remove such awnings and to place the materials where the public cannot be injured thereby and that the expense of such removal be collected from those owning or maintaining such awnings in an action to be brought by the City Solicitor."

Harris moved the adoption of the same seconded by Bush The yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Buck Bush Brown Gable Harris Deftt Williams Wilson Ays Davidson Love. Yeas 8 nays 2 and the resolution was declared adopted.

Bush read a communication from parties in Cincinnati relative to purchasing the fire engine owned by the city and on motion of Love seconded by Buck yeas 10 nays 0 the same was referred to the fire Committee with power to sell.

On motion of Love it was agreed that when Council adjourns it be to meet Monday July 24.

It being reported that there existed a dangerous place in the Street on Linden Avenue at or near the corner of Cambridge Street on motion of Bush the Clerk was instructed to notify the Street Commissioner to repair the same

No further business Council adjourned

Thomas Casselman  
Clerk

Thomas Wilson  
Pres

Repair  
Linden ave