

Ordinance to assess  
tax for sidewalk

An ordinance to assess a special tax on lot no 2468 in second ward to pay for the construction of a sidewalk in front of said lot was read and Buck moved the same be placed on its passage seconded by Davidson the yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Buck Bush Cowan Lowan Davidson Gabele Harris Love Defert Williams Wilson Yeas 12 nays 0 and the ordinance was declared passed  
On Motion Council adjourned.

Thomas Casselmann  
Clerk

Thomas Wilson  
Pres

Council Chamber Alliance Ohio Nov 20, 1893

Council met in regular session with President Wilson in the Chair and the following members present. Buck Bush Cowan Lowan Davidson Gabele Harris Love Williams Wilson. Absent Cowan Cornburgh Defert

On Motion of Love the reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Petition for Light

A petition from residents asking for a light to be placed at the corner of Summit and Mechanic Street was presented and referred to the Light Committee.

Reading of bills  
and passage of  
claims ordinance

A number of bills against the city having been approved by the finance committee were read and Love moved the same be allowed and an ordinance be prepared providing for their payment seconded by Buck and carried. The Ordinance being prepared was read and Love moved the passage of the same seconded by Buck the yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Buck, Cowan, Davidson,

Gabele, Harris, Love, Williams and Wilson  
<sup>years 8</sup>  
 and says none and the ordinance  
 was declared passed.

The Clerk reported that  
 Arch Street improvement bonds #625 and  
 626 amounting to \$1000 each were past  
 due and would have to be refunded  
 and offered the following resolution.

"Be it resolved by the Council of the  
 City of Alliance Ohio that the time of  
 payment of the Arch Street improvement  
 bonds numbered 625 and 626 for the  
 sum of One Thousand dollars each  
 issued Oct 10, 1888 and due in five  
 years from the date thereof be extended  
 to January 2<sup>nd</sup> 1894.

That the interest be paid during such  
 extension shall be at the rate of 6% per  
 annum. That the reason for extending  
 the payment of said bonds is the lack  
 of funds in the City treasury to pay  
 them at the present time.

That the said City can pay them at the  
 expiration of said extension and that  
 said bonds with interest will be paid  
 at the office of the City Treasurer."

Harris moved the adoption of the resolution  
 seconded by Buck and carried yeas  
 Buck, Bush, Cowan, Davidson, Gabele, Harris  
 Love, Williams, Wilson yeas 9 and nays  
 none.

An Ordinance authorizing the  
 issue of bonds in the sum of \$5000 for the  
 purpose of extending the time of payment  
 of so much of the city's indebtedness now  
 due and soon to become due as the city  
 from its limits of taxation is unable to pay  
 at maturity, was read <sup>first</sup> time and Love  
 moved the rules be suspended and the  
 ordinance be read second time by title  
 seconded by Harris. The yeas and nays were

Resolution to extend  
 time of payment  
 of bonds

Passage of Ordinance  
 to issue bonds

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called resulting yeas Buck Bush Cowan Davidson Gabele Harris Love Williams Wilson yeas 9 and nays none.

The rules were declared suspended. The ordinance was read second time by title and Buck moved the rules be again suspended and the ordinance be read third time seconded by Williams. They yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Buck Bush Cowan Davidson Gabele Harris Love Williams Wilson yeas 9 nays none. The rules were declared suspended the ordinance was read third time and Love moved the same be placed on its final passage seconded by Buck. They yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Buck Bush Cowan Davidson Gabele Harris Love Williams Wilson yeas 9 nays none and the ordinance was declared passed.

The Street Committee

submitted the following report.

To the Council of the City of Alliance.  
Gentlemen we the undersigned members of the Street Committee beg leave to report that the work of Grading Grant Street west of Arch and Hester Avenue and Second Street has been done in accordance with the specifications therefore and we are well satisfied with the same and recommend that the work be accepted signed C. C. Davidson J. W. Buck J. R. Williams.

On motion of Harris seconded by Harris the report was accepted.

Davidson reported the necessity of some work being done on Front Street east of the Gas works by cutting a ditch across the street, stating that the property owners would do a portion of the work and moved that the same be done at a cost not to exceed \$10<sup>00</sup> seconded by

Report of Street  
Committee on the  
Grant Street and  
Hester Ave Grading

Work ordered done  
on Front Street

Williams and carried.  
 year Buck Bush Cowan Davidson  
 Gabele Harris Williams Wilson  
 may Love. year 8 may 1. Davidson  
 called up the matter of the sewer  
 and sidewalk on North Union Ave  
 at the R. R. Bridge and after some  
 discussion the same was laid on  
 the table to allow the committee  
 further time to report.

Sewer and Sidewalk  
 at North Union Ave  
 Bridge

It being reported  
 that in the Grading of Second Street  
 at the intersection of Hester Avenue  
 the street crossing was torn out  
 Davidson moved that the matter  
 be referred to the Street Committee with  
 power to have the crossing replaced  
 at a cost not to exceed \$5.00 seconded  
 by Williams and carried year 9 may  
 none.

Street crossing ordered  
 at Hester Avenue  
 and Second Street

Davidson moved that  
 there be a fence put up west of the  
 intersection of Hester Ave and Second  
 Street to prevent people from driving  
 into the run at that point seconded  
 by Williams and lost year Buck  
 Cowan Davidson Love Williams Wilson  
 may Bush Gabele Harris year 6 may 3

motion to erect  
 fence at Hester Ave  
 and second Street

Bush reported  
 a broken plank on the bridge near the  
 Water Works and the clerk was instructed  
 to notify the Street Commissioner to  
 have the same repaired.

To repair bridge at  
 Water Works

Bush offered the  
 following resolution. "Whereas the  
 owners of the land east of Morgan Street  
 and lying between Broad Street and  
 Grant Street have platted the same as  
 far east as the County line and deeded  
 an extension of Summit Street to the  
 County line and numerous permanent

Resolution to  
 pay damages to  
 open Summit  
 Street

East Summit Street  
crossing (Continued)

improvements have been made and a great many new houses have been built and whereas the question of securing a grade crossing over the C + P. R. R. has been determined in court in favor of the city provided the city pay the sum of \$150<sup>00</sup> Therefore be it resolved that it is the sense of this council that the city solicitor be instructed to make answer to the court to the effect that the damages assessed viz \$150<sup>00</sup> will be paid by the city. Bush moved the adoption of the resolution seconded by Williams.

Love reported that as the money would have to be paid by December 19<sup>th</sup> it would owing to the present condition of the finances be impossible to pay it at that time. Bush then moved the matter be laid on the table seconded by Williams and carried. On motion of Bush it was agreed that when council adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening Nov 27<sup>th</sup>.

Love reported that

Mr. Brinker proposed to open an alley through his property south of Oxford Street and east of Union Avenue, stating that an alley had formerly been laid out at that point but had been vacated by limitation and moved that the same be referred to the street committee seconded by Harris.

Mr. Brinker being present stated that if the city would do some work on the alley that it would reestablish the city's right to the same and if the work be done at once he would allow the alley to be opened otherwise would keep it as a private driveway. Bush moved to amend the motion to refer to the street committee by ordering the Street Commissioners to do one days work on

Relative to  
opening an alley  
near Mrs Brinkers  
on Oxford Street

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the alley seconded by Williams. The yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Buck Cowan Gabele Wilson nays Bush Davidson Harris Love Williams yeas 4 nays 5. The motion to amend was declared lost and the motion to refer was there passed.

Platting committee report on streets and alleys closed

Harris called attention to certain portions of the city being platted and the streets and alleys not being opened and the matter was referred to the platting committee to report within 30 days.

Clerk to notify County Commissioners to repair bridge

It being reported that the riprapping under the bridge at the intersection of North Walnut and Freedom streets was washed out the Clerk was instructed to notify the county commissioners of the same and have them view it.

Lights in City Hall referred to the Light Committee

Harris called attention to the unsatisfactory manner in which the City Hall is being lighted and the same was referred to the Light Committee.

Sewer Committee to procure more material for Rush Street Sewer

Love reported that it would be necessary to make some changes in the Rush Street Sewer which would require some additional material consisting of about 130 feet of pipe 2 24x24 y branches and 5 12x24 y branches and moved that the Sewer Committee be instructed to procure the necessary material and have such changes made seconded by Bush and carried yeas Buck Bush Cowan Davidson Gabele Harris Love Williams Wilson yeas 9 nays none.

No further business Council adjourned.  
Thomas Lammiman Clerk  
Thomas Wilson Past