

Council Chamber, Alliance O. Sept-23-1895

Council met in regular session with President Kay in the chair and the following members present Buck Bush Love Melaney Deput Trait J. Y. Williams absent Conyer. Lombough J. R. Williams Wilson. Minutes of preceding meeting read, corrected and approved

Alley crossing F. J. Guskill asking Council to have an alley crossing constructed on South Union Avenue near his property. was on motion of J. Y. Williams referred to the Street Committee.

Petition to improve South Webb street

A Petition to improve a portion of South Webb Avenue was presented being as follows: To the honorable Council of the City of Alliance Ohio: We, the undersigned owners of the property abutting on that portion of Webb Street hereinafter mentioned, do hereby request your body to take immediate steps to have Webb Street in this City from Ash street south to the first alley running parallel with Ash street being a distance of one hundred feet, graded paved and improved similar to the improvement now being made on Ash Street and we hereby waive any and all legal steps, resolutions, Ordinances and irregularities in said improvement, and agree to pay the full cost of said improvement and agree that the cost of said improvement shall be a lien upon our property, and assessed and certified to the auditor of this County for collection as fully and effectually as though each and every step had been taken as is provided by law in improvements We also waive the law limiting the assessment on our property to twenty five per cent of its assessed Valuation and waive all notice of the passage of the resolution declaring it necessary to improve

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Web

as is provided by section 2304, Revised Statute of Ohio. Should the Council see fit to pass the same" signed Jor Klingler, August Grewe Catharine Klingler, Bush, moved that the petition be received and placed on file seconded by Trail and carried

The resolution to improve, in Resolution to accordance with the foregoing petition which was improve South tabled at last meeting, was on motion of Bush Webb street seconded by Trail taken from the table and read as follows: "Be it resolved by the Council of the city of Alliance Ohio that it is hereby declared necessary to improve south Webb Avenue from Ash street south to to the south line of the first alley south of and running parallel with Ash street by grading to the established grade paving with paving block, setting curbs and gutters and constructing the necessary culverts and drains, in the same manner as is shown by the plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office for the improvement of Ash street.

The Cost and expense of said improvement shall be assessed per foot front upon the lots and lands abutting thereon. Said assessments shall be payable in five annual installments and bonds shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of such assessments and the Clerk is hereby directed to cause this resolution to be published for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper, published and of general circulation in the Corporation, and Thomas P. Jones, Marshal, is hereby appointed to serve notice of the passage of this resolution upon the owners of ^{the} property abutting on said improvement, who are residents of Stark County"

Bush moved the adoption of the resolution, seconded by Trail. The yeas and nays were called resulting Yeas Buck Bush, Love Melaney Sept Trail J. J. Williams Kay, Yeas 5 nays none and the resolution was declared adopted.

A Petition signed by the property owners on the north side of Ash Street asking that the specifications be so changed

Petition to
Change curb on
Ash Street

as to allow four inch ^{Warren stone} curbing to be used on the north side of said street instead of 6 inch sand stone. was presented and on motion of Bush seconded by Melaney the same was received and ordered placed on file.

Water on
Broadway

Bush reported that certain parties living on the east side of Mahoning Avenue near its intersection with Broadway were stopping up the natural water courses that carry the water from ~~the~~ Broadway and throwing the water back on the street. and on motion of Love seconded by J. G. Williams the matter was referred to the Engineer, Street Committee and solicitor with power to act.

Alley crossing

of an alley crossing on Grant Street and the same was referred to the Street Committee

work on
Warehouse at

Melaney reported that some work was necessary on Warehouse street near Mr Jno Sharer's property and the Street Commissioner was instructed to do the said work under the instructions and to the approval of the Street Committee.

report of
Committee on
College street

The Committee on the Colleges Street improvement submitted the following report: "The undersigned Citizens Committee on the College Street improvement, beg to report that the Contractors have completed the graveling of the Street according to the specifications and to our approval and we recommend that the same be accepted and paid for." signed C. C. Mummert, W. C. Judd, Geo. R. Gyger.

Love moved the report be received and placed on file seconded by Sefton and Carried

Sever
Connections
in alley

Bush reported that the improvement of the alley running from the public square to Linden Avenue was about to be ^{Commenced} ~~improved~~ and that to avoid the tearing up of the

improvement hereafter to make connections with the sanitary sewer. said connections should be made at this time. and owing to the injunction now in force restraining the city from using said sewer, moved that the engineer give permits to the property owners to connect with the sewer and lay pipes only to the lot lines, but no farther, seconded by Trail and carried

Throw out sidewalk
 Bush moved that the sidewalk committee be instructed to have the sidewalk at Mr Butters property at the corner of Webb and Patterson Streets thrown out, seconded by Trail and carried.

to locate sidewalks
 On motion of Bush the sidewalk committee and solicitor were instructed to prepare an Ordinance regulating the location of sidewalks

to regulate tearing up streets
 Trail moved that the Street Committee and Solicitor be instructed to prepare an ordinance to regulate the digging up of streets for water mains sewers, drains &c seconded by McLaney and carried.

market temporary loan
 The Clerk reported that certain money would soon be required to pay for the Colley street graveling. The paving of the Alley now being improved, and the proposed improvement of Webb Street for which bonds would have to be issued, but that it was difficult to ascertain just how much would be needed as certain property owners desired to pay their portion of the improvement in cash. and Love moved that the clerk be authorized to secure a temporary loan of the amount required to complete the said improvements after which bonds should be issued to cancel same seconded by Trail and carried

lease of ground under bridge
 The solicitor presented a lease for the ground owned by the city and lying under the main street bridge on the south side of Main Street

- " in accordance with instructions given at the preceding meeting between the City and M. D. Meloney whose bid had been accepted and
- " Love moved that the same be approved and the Mayor be instructed to sign the same on behalf of the city, seconded by Trail and carried.

Motion to
make Grade for
Alleys

Bush moved that the grade Committee be instructed to prepare grade Ordinances for the first Alley west of and parallel with Arch street from Market Street to Broadway and the first alley south of and parallel with Market Street from Market Street to Mechanic, seconded by Trail and lost.

To Pave
approaches to
Bridges

The Street Committee submitted the following: We the Street Committee would recommend that the bridge Committee be instructed to pave that portion of the bridge approaches filled with earth, signed C. H. Bush F. J. Meloney. Bush moved the adoption of the report seconded by Sefert. Love moved to lay the report on the table for one week seconded by Buck and Carried.

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Buck moved that the above be referred to the bridge Committee and engineer investigate and report an estimate of the cost, seconded by Trail and Carried.

Bill of R R
Co for Sewer

A bill in favor of the Parma R R Co for \$235⁰⁰ for one half of the cost of Storm water Sewer along the C & P track near the east end of Ash street was presented and Love moved the same be approved seconded by Buck and Carried.

and Council adjourned

Thomas Casselman
Clerk

Wm. Y. May
Pres of Council