

Alliance Ohio May 2^d 1898.

The Alliance City Council met in regular session with President Morgan in the chair and the following members present Conger, Gilson, Gable, King, Katzenstein, Love, Miller, Scott, Williams, Wilson, Zimmerman.

Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved.

President Morgan presented the following list of names to serve as the standing committees of the City Council for the ensuing year.

Finance.

G. G. King, A. B. Love, W. M. Scott,

Streets and Alleys.

W. M. Scott, O. C. Conger, F. J. Miller,

Bridge & Permanent Improvement.

A. B. Love, F. J. Miller, J. R. Williams.

Sewerage.

P. A. Gable, O. C. Conger, Thomas Wilson.

Water.

O. C. Conger, P. A. Gable, F. J. Miller.

Fire.

W. W. Gilson, J. R. Williams, P. A. Gable.

Sidewalk.

S. Katzenstein, J. F. Zimmerman, Thomas Wilson.

Judiciary.

Thomas Wilson, W. W. Gilson, G. G. King.

Public Lights.

J. R. Williams, F. J. Miller, W. M. Scott.

Police.

W. M. Scott, G. G. King, A. B. Love.

Grades.

J. F. Zimmerman, W. W. Gilson, S. Katzenstein.

Buildings & Grounds.

Thomas Wilson, W. W. Gilson, P. A. Gabel.

Printing.

F. J. Miller, O. C. Conger, J. F. Zimmerman.

Cemetery.

G. G. King, J. R. Williams, W. M. Scott.

Platting.

A. B. Love, S. Katzenstein, J. F. Zimmerman.

Mayor's Report.

Mayor Dressler's report for the month of April was read showing fines and licenses collected to the amount of \$29⁰⁰ and on motion of Scott seconded by Williams the report was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Council adjourns to Clerk's Office.

On motion of Scott seconded by Conger Council adjourned to the Clerk's office to nominate a candidate for City Civil Engineer, members of the Board of Equalization and Board of Health.

City Civil Engineer elected.

After returning to the Council Chamber on motion of Scott seconded by Conger the rules were suspended and O. W. Fouts was elected City Civil Engineer for a term of two years, by acclamation.

Members of Equalization Board elected.

On motion of Conger seconded by King W. B. Packard was elected as a member of the Board of Equalization from the first ward.

On motion of Wilson seconded by King Geo Scott was elected as a member of the Board of Equalization from the sixth ward.

Members of Board of Health elected.

On motion of King seconded by Zimmerman L. W. Ballard was elected to serve as a member of the Board of Health from the fifth ward.

On motion of Wilson seconded by Scott B. F. Gannoy was elected to serve as a member of the Board of Health from the sixth ward.

Engineer and Solicitor's Report.

To the Honorable City Council: Your committee, to whom was referred the petition of property owners for the improvement

of East Broadway street by to report favorably upon said petition and recommend its adoption by the Council and submit herewith plans, specifications etc for said improvement and a form of resolution to be passed according to law.

Signed, O. W. Fouts, City Civil Engineer.
D. E. Rogers, City Solicitor.

Scott moved that the above report be adopted seconded by Conger and carried.

Resolution to improve Broadway.

A. Resolution to improve Broadway street from the East line of South Arch Avenue to the west line of South Webb Avenue in the City of Alliance, Ohio, was read as follows:

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Alliance, Ohio, that it is hereby declared necessary to improve East Broadway street from the east line of South Arch Avenue to the west line of South Webb Avenue by grading the same to the established grade, paving the roadway with bricks to a width of not less than thirty nine feet, setting curbs and gutters and constructing the necessary culverts, drains and retaining walls etc, etc, in accordance with the plans profiles and specifications on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer; the cost and expense of said improvement shall be paid by an assessment assessed per front foot upon the lands and lots abutting upon said improvement; said assessment 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 weeks in a newspaper published and of general circulation in the corporation and the City Marshal is hereby appointed to serve notice of the passage of this resolution upon the owners of property abutting upon said improvement who are residents of Stark County, Ohio.

For moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted seconded by Scott the yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Conger, Gilson, Gabel, King, Katzenstein, Loo, Miller, Scott, Williams, Wilson, Zimmerman, Morgan yeas 12 nays none and the resolution was declared adopted.

Specifications on Broadway.

Engineer Fouts read his specifications for the

improvement of Broadway street and Scott moved that the specifications be accepted seconded by Miller the yeas and nays were called resulting yeas Conger, Gilson, Gable, Katzgruber, Lorr, Miller, Scott, Williams, Wilson, Zimmerman, Morgan yeas 11 nays none and the specifications was declared adopted.

Lorr moved that the dirt to be taken from the Broadway improvement be hauled to the Broadway and Oxford street fills seconded by Gilson and carried.

On motion of Conger seconded Scott the Engineer was instructed to set grade stake for sidewalk in front of Frank Bradshaws property on West Main st.

On motion of Miller seconded by Conger the Engineer was instructed to set grade stakes for sidewalk in front of James Dicks property on Noble street and John W. Beringtons property on north Liberty Avenue.

Scott moved that the matter of an attorney to look after the C. L. Ahins case in the Supreme Court be referred to the Judiciary Committee seconded by Conger and carried.

The following proposition was presented to the Council
To the Honorable Council of the City of Alliance:

Gentlemen:

We will line our track where needed with same ballast as now in use and at ordinance grade. the distance from crown of rail to top of tie to be six inches, the same as at present time, and cement spacer on out side of rail.

The City to take brick as they lay at \$11.50 per 1000, and to lay paving at same rate as to property owners. We to pay assessments as they become due.

Signed. W. J. Berry

Scott moved that the foregoing proposition be referred to the Judiciary Committee, City Solicitor and Civil Engineer seconded by Williams and carried.

The following resolution was presented and read.
Chamber of the City Council of Alliance, Ohio.

Resolution

Whereas American valor has again been proven in the decisive naval battle at Manila and
Whereas the people of Alliance are greatly interested in

Engineer to set grade stakes.

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Attorney in the Ahins case.

Proposition from W. J. Berry.

Resolution extending congratulations to Com Dewey.

the results of all military movements, Now therefore
be it Resolved that the City of Alliance by its
Council does hereby extend the congratulations of
her people to Com. Dewey for his prowess,
patriotism and heroism.

Congru moved that the foregoing Resolution be
adopted seconded by Scott the yeas and nays were
called resulting yeas Congru, Gilson, Gabel, Katzenstein,
Love, Miller, Scott, Williams, Wilson, Zimmerman, Morgan
yeas 11 nays none and the Resolution was declared adopted

Resolution to
construct cellar
drain.

A. Resolution to Construct a Cellar drain on the
south side of East Main st from Arch Car to the
C. & P. R.R. was read, and after a lengthy discussion
of the matter it was referred to the City Solicitor.

On motion of Scott seconded by Love Council
adjourned to meet Monday evening May 9th 1898 at
the usual hour.

J. H. McConnell
City Clerk.

W. H. Morgan
Pres't of
City Council.