

MONDAY, MARCH 20th, 1916.

Council met in regular session with President Barnard in the chair.

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. Present 7, Absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

The following communication was submitted to Council:

March 20, 1916.

Mr. J. H. McConnell, Director of Public Service,
Alliance, Ohio.

Dear Sir: - As per your request, I have estimated our needs for street repair for the summer and have arrived at the following figures:

Estimated
amount
needed for
street
repair.

\$3800.00 for labor
\$1200.00 for material

\$5000.00 Total

Very respectfully submitted,

WADE W. SHIDLER,
City Engineer.

Referred to the Finance Committee.

Communica-
tion from
Ballard in
reply to
City
Solicitors
letter.

A communication from Engineer F. W. Ballard, in answer to a letter from the City Solicitor, stated that his firm would be glad to help in locating lamps and giving orders to the electric company. He stated that his bid of \$2500.00 for representing the city before the State Utilities in the light rate fight, did not include such engineering work as suggested, that of re-planning the city lighting system.

The communication was ordered placed on file.

Report of
Finance Com.
2104-A
unfavorable.

The Finance Committee submitted their report on Ordinance No. 2104-A as unfavorable to the passage of said Ordinance.

Chas. F. Merts,
J. W. Penick,
L. E. Grubb.

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

Report of
Finance Com.
Ord.2105.

passage.

The Finance Committee submitted Ordinance No. 2105 and recommended its

Chas. F. Merts,
J. W. Penick,
L. E. Grubb.

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

Report of
Assessment
Comm. on
Communica-
tion of
Rosa
Zeigler.

The Committee on Assessments to whom was referred the communication of Rosa Zeigler, relating to the Fifth Street improvement, submitted the following report:

Regarding the communication of February 25th, from Rosa Zeigler of 703 Patterson Street, after careful investigation, we the Committee on Assessments, see no reason why she should not pay the full assessment.

W. H. Cox,
J. H. Binkley,
Chas. Merts.

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

Report of
Comm. on
Sts. & Alleys,
regarding
protest
against
Fifth St.
Improvement.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom was referred the petition of citizens residing on Fifth Street, protesting against the Fifth Street improvement at this time, submitted the following report:

We, your Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom was referred the protest on Fifth Street, thinking that the improvement is a public necessity, therefore recommend that the city complete the improvement.

L. E. Grubb,
J. H. Binkley,
John Stanley.

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

Report of
Comm. on
Grades,
Ord.2106.

The Committee on Grades, to whom was referred Ordinance No. 2106, submitted their report recommending its passage.

John Stanley,
J. H. Binkley,
W. H. Cox.

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1916, (Continued).

Resolution No. 2070.

Res.2070,
Passed.

Mr. Grubb: - Declaring it necessary to improve Eleventh Street, between Linden Avenue and Freedom Avenue, by grading, draining, curbing and paving with brick block; was read the third time.

The question being on the passage of the Resolution, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the Resolution was passed.

Resolution No. 2103.

Res.2103,
Passed.

Mr. Merts: -To issue a certificate of indebtedness of the City of Alliance, Ohio, in the sum of \$2500.00, to secure the services of F. W. Ballard and Company of Cleveland, Ohio, to assist the city in the appeal of the Alliance Gas & Power Company before the Public Utilities Commission: was read the second time.

Binkley moved, seconded by Merts, that the statutory rule requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and Resolution No. 2103 be read the third time. The question being on the suspension of the rule, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the rule was suspended and the Resolution read the third time.

The question being on the passage of the Resolution, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the Resolution was passed.

Ordinance No. 2104.

Ord.2104,
Passed.

Mr. Merts: - An ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the regular semi-annual appropriation ordinance; was read the second time.

Grubb moved, seconded by Binkley, that the statutory rule requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and Ordinance No. 2104 be read the third time. The question being on the suspension of the rule, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the rule was suspended and the Ordinance read the third time.

The question being on the passage of the Ordinance, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the Ordinance was passed.

Ordinance No. 2105.

Ord.2105,
Passed.

Mr. Binkley: - An ordinance authorizing and directing the City Solicitor of the City of Alliance, Ohio, to enter into a contract with F. W. Ballard & Company, Cleveland, Ohio; was read the second time.

CERTIFICATE.

I, Chas. O. Silver, City Auditor, do hereby certify that the amount of \$2500.00 for the contract as provided for by Ordinance No. 2105, is in the Treasury to the credit of the Special Service Fund and not appropriated for any other purpose.

Chas. O. Silver,
City Auditor.

Grubb moved, seconded by Binkley, that the statutory rule requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and Ordinance No. 2105 be read the third time. The question being on the suspension of the rule, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the rule was suspended and the Ordinance read the third time.

The question being on the passage of the Ordinance, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the Ordinance was passed.

Ordinance No. 2106.

Ord.2106,
2nd time.

Mr. Stanley: - An ordinance to amend the grade on East Summit Street from Arch Avenue to Linden Avenue: was read the second time.

Ordinance No. 2104-A.

Ord.2104A.

Mr. Merts: - To authorize the payment of certain bills contracted for last year and not paid; was read the second time.

THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCES WERE INTRODUCED:

Ordinance No. 2108.

Ord.2108
1st time.

Mr. Grubb: - An ordinance to accept the replat of Max Geiger and Morris W. Geiger, replatting Lots Numbers 2172, 5173, 5174, 5720, 5175, 5176, 5177, and part of Out Lot 270, in the City of Alliance, Ohio; was read the first time.
Referred to the Platting Committee for immediate action.

MONDAY, MARCH 20th, 1916, (Concluded.)

Ordinance No. 2109.

Ord. 2109,
1st time.

Mr. Grubb:- An Ordinance to accept the replat of Max Geiger and Morris W. Geiger, replatting Lots Number 4998, 4999, 5000, in the City of Alliance, Ohio; was read the first time.
Referred to the Platting Committee, for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 2102.

Ord. 2102,
1st time.

Mr. Grubb: -An ordinance to levy special assessments for the improvement of South Mahoning Avenue, between old corporation line to State Street, by grading, draining, curbing and paving with brick block; was read the first time.
Referred to the Committee on Assessments.

Report of
Comm. on
Platting,
Ord. 2108,
2109.

By unanimous consent the Committee on Platting submitted their report recommending the passage of Ordinances No. 2108 and 2109.

L. E. Grubb,
John Stanley,
J. H. Binkley.

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

Ordinance No. 2108.

Ord. 2108,
Passed.

Binkley moved, seconded by Grubb, that the statutory rule requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and Ordinance No. 2108 be read the second and third time. The question being on the suspension of the rule, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the rule was suspended and the Ordinance read the second and third time.

The question being on the passage of the ordinance, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the Ordinance was passed.

Ordinance No. 2109.

Ord. 2109,
Passed.

Binkley moved, seconded by Grubb, that the statutory rule requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and Ordinance No. 2109 be read the second and third time. The question being on the suspension of the rule, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the rule was suspended and the Ordinance read the second and third time.

The question being on the passage of the ordinance, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted, Yeas 7, Nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were: Messrs. Binkley, Cox, Grubb, Merts, Miller, Penick, Stanley. So the Ordinance was passed.

The following Ordinance was introduced:

Ordinance No. 2111.

Ord. 2111,
1st time.

Mr. Stanley:-An ordinance to establish a grade on the first alley west of Highland Avenue from South Street to Ramsey Court; was read the first time.
Referred to the grade Committee.

W.C.T.U.
to furnish
rest room.

Mayor Westover stated that the W.C.T.U. desired to furnish the Ladies Rest Room in the new City Hall building.
Merts moved, seconded by Binkley, that the offer of the W.C.T.U. be accepted.
The motion was agreed to.

Improve-
ments at
Pumping
Station.

Discussion arose as to the improvements at the Water Works Pumping Station.
On motion of Grubb, the matter was referred to the Water Committee and the Director of Public Service.

Protest
against
4th St.
Impr.

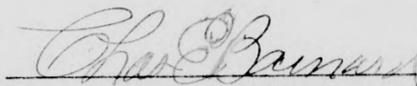
A communication from the property owners on Fourth Street asking for delaying of proposed street improvement, claiming that the assessments were unjust, was read.
Referred to the Assessment Committee.

On motion of Grubb, seconded by Binkley, Council adjourned.

ATTEST:



Clerk of Council.



Pres. of Council.