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TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1911.  
**FRANCHISE DISCUSSED.**  
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at last evening's meeting of the city council there appears to be but one objectionable feature embodied in the ordinance—that of price. Some of the councilmen seemed to think that Roseburg should secure gas at a price similar to that charged Eugene immediately upon completion of the plant, while others were of the opinion that the price asked by the company should be reduced at the expiration of a specified time—say 5 or 10 years. Relying upon the statements of Mr. Boardman, however, it does not seem probable that the company will meet the council in this behalf—contending that the excessive freight rates in this section, make it incumbent to charge the rate asked in the franchise.

**Work More Hours.**  
Alleging that he would be unable to conduct the affairs of his office in a manner satisfactory to the city, unless he was allowed to work additional hours, City Engineer M. B. Germond, presented a petition to the council last evening in which he asked that he be authorized to labor 10 hours in the future instead of 8 as at present. In accordance with levying additional working hours, he asked that his compensation be increased from \$125 to \$150 per month. The increase in hours will also effect his assistant, Mr. Frear, whose salary will be increased from \$60 to \$75 per month. Mr. Germond explained that there would be at least 65 blocks of pavement laid in Roseburg during the summer, say nothing of the seven miles of sewers which would require considerable time and attention. "Unless we are allowed to work more hours," said Mr. Germond, "it will be almost impossible for us to accomplish our work satisfactorily."  
Upon motion of Councilman

**TO ENFORCE CURFEW.**

Upon request of the Roseburg school board, the city council last evening instructed the marshal to rigidly enforce the so-called curfew ordinance, which provides that children under the age of 16 years shall refrain from frequenting the streets later than eight o'clock in the evening during the winter months, and later than nine o'clock during the summer months. Marshal Huffman says that he will act in accordance with the instructions of the council, and will arrest every child who violates the ordinance.

Josephson the request of the city engineer was granted, and his salary raised accordingly.

**Minor Matters.**  
Upon recommendation of the city engineer, Winnie Gaddis, a local plumber, was allowed a warrant in the sum of \$872.55 for work completed on the North Roseburg sewer system during the month of March.

A bill submitted by Attorneys C. Show & Rice in the sum of \$105, for legal services performed in the case of the City of Roseburg vs. John Hunter, was referred to the health and police committee for investigation.

The bill submitted by L. T. Thompson, who alleged that he had been damaged by the city in the sum of \$40, was rejected.

Following the complaint filed by the Southern Pacific Company, which corporation objected to emptying the so-called South Roseburg sewer into the Umpqua river at a point near their watering station, the city engineer reported last evening that he had modified the plans and specifications as to remedy the contemplated nuisance. According to the late plans submitted by the engineer the outlet pipe will be extended into the channel of the river, thus guarding against any inconvenience to the Southern Pacific Company. The engineer estimates the cost of the sewer system complete at approximately \$415,929, \$1,000 of which will be expended in extending the outlet into the river so as to meet approval at the hands of the railroad company. According to Mr. McNeill, the Southern Pacific Company is satisfied with the present plans, and will offer no protest.

The ways and means committee reported that they had investigated the proposition of erecting a vault



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at city hall, and had been appraised that the same could be erected for about \$400. Accordingly, the city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and specifications, and upon presenting the same, bids will be solicited.

Resolutions authorizing the paving of Kane street, from Lane to Douglas streets, were adopted. The estimated cost is \$19,599.19.

Upon recommendation of the committee on electric lights, a light was ordered installed at the corner of Park and Prospect streets, in North Roseburg.

Mayor Haynes said that his attention had been called to the necessity of adequate fire escapes on all public buildings, and consequently asked the council to take some action in the matter. Councilman McNeill said that he understood that there was at present a state law governing the maintenance of fire escapes, and in this he was supported by City Attorney Neuner. Accordingly, the matter was passed up to the state officers for consideration.

Mr. Wetzel, representing an Eastern paving concern, was present at last evening's meeting, and asked for information relative to the contemplated procedure of the council in awarding future contracts for paving in the city.

Mayor Haynes said that most of the petitioners had expressed the kind of surface desired, and for that reason it has been unnecessary to advertise for tentative bids. Mr. Wetzel explained that he represented a firm which manufactured a high grade of pavement, and that he would delight in submitting a bid in the event the city desired to solicit tentative bids. Inasmuch as there are petitions on file asking for about forty blocks of hard surface pavement (exact material eliminated), Councilman Josephson advanced a motion asking for tentative bids. The motion carried, and it is more than probable that Mr. Wetzel will submit a bid on the work.

**Bills Are Allowed.**

The following bills were submitted, and upon recommendation of the finance committee, allowed:

G. L. Prior, labor	\$12.82
North Side Grocery Co., feed	4.75
Martens Drug Co., supplies	11.99
Martens Drug Co., same	10.84
Umpqua Valley News, print	14.50
Page Inv. Co., lumber	8.40
C. H. Foster, medical serv.	2.00
Roseburg Transfer Co., hauling horse cart	2.50
Tru & Pilkington, horse shoeing	6.65
North Side Plating Mill, stakes	1.54
Pho. T. & T. Co. telephone	1.20
Geo. Neuner, Jr., legal serv.	46.00
J. E. Ross, special outfit	27.00
J. L. & S. A. Kendall lights	290.35
J. L. & S. A. Kendall, water	2.10
Polite Court, Jurors' fees	
City vs. Hunter	5.00
A. N. Orutt, salary	50.00
E. H. Burmann, salary	40.00
J. R. Lee, salary	15.00
A. N. Orutt, stamps & supply	1.50
Kendrick & Kline, feed	2.10
Fred Bowman, Umpqua beef house	75.00
J. A. Cunningham, hauling	
Bromen	2.50
J. H. Jupp, labor	66.00
E. C. Miller, labor	28.25
W. N. Reeves, labor	60.25
Tom Cunningham, labor	2.25
Joe Hoffman, salary	75.00
T. J. Williams, salary	70.00
Warren Beatty, salary	70.00
Doug. Aho, Co. blue prints	1.50
M. R. Germond, salary	120.00
F. Frear, surveying	54.00
G. Hagler, same	22.00
Floyd Cole, same	8.00
Leona M. Co. lumber	10.45
Consumer, Aho Co. appraising	6.00
Meyers Pubs. Co. printing	22.85
W. C. Gaddis, repair hydrant	22.52
W. C. Gaddis, waste news	0.25
Doug. Aho, Co. blue prints	1.40

**NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the undersigned until the 11th day of April, 1911, at 5 o'clock p. m. for unloading 325 cords of slab wood from the cars of the Southern Pacific Company, and delivering the said wood to the following places, to-wit:

- 150 cords to the Roseburg high school.
- 150 cords to the Lane school.
- 12 cords to the West Side school.
- 10 cords to the Riverside school.

The wood is to be cut at the respective places 8 feet high in clear with a 2-foot air space between them.

This wood will arrive at intervals between the above date and July 1, 1911.

By order of the board of directors.  
Dated at Roseburg, Oregon, this 29th day of March, 1911.

# Lest We Forget. Lest You Forget.

That this is April and that we have decided to do a strictly cash business from this time forth and for evermore. We make the following changes in prices as a starter--other good things to follow.

- Gasoline per Gallon, 25 Cents.
- Raw Linseed Oil per Gallon, \$1.35—Bring your Can.
- Boiled Linseed Oil per Gallon, \$1.40—Bring your Can.
- White Lead 9 Cents per Hundred, full Packages, 1-4 Cents per pound Advance on smaller Packages.
- Nails \$3.25 per Keg Case price, 4 Cents per Pound Retail for 3d and larger.

Now don't forget to drop in often and we will not forget to give you good service and advantages of the best buys we can make.

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**NOTICE TO FRUIT GROWERS.**

A meeting of the Umpqua Valley Fruit Union is called for next Saturday, April 8, at 2 p. m., when if the fruit growers of Douglas county want to do any business this year they must be present at this meeting, otherwise it will be too late to accomplish anything. Next Saturday's meeting will "tell the story." Be present if you wish the union to continue. The incorporation papers are here and action on them will be taken next Saturday.

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Per Sack	1.50
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Per Barrel	\$5.20
Roseburg Soft Wheat	\$1.30
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	\$1.40
Farina, 10 lb sack	\$1.50
Graham, 10 lb sack	1.20
Improved R. Oats, 10 lb	1.15
Blk R. Oats, per lb	1.05
Corn Meal, per 10 lbs	1.25
Cracked Hominy, 10 lbs	\$1.35
Farina Goods.	
Puffed Rice	\$1.11
Puffed Wheat	\$1.11
Quaker Oats	\$1.11
Cream of Wheat	\$1.17 1/2
5 lb Quaker Oats	\$1.25
Post Toasties	16 for 25c
Kellogg Corn Flakes	\$1.10
Quaker Corn Flakes	\$1.10
B. R. Corn	\$1.10
B. R. Tomatoes	\$1.10
B. R. Peas	\$1.10
B. R. Beans	\$1.10
Large Milk	\$1.10
Small Carrotine	\$1.05
B. R. Hominy	\$1.05
B. R. Pumpkin, 3 lb	\$1.15
B. R. Starch, 3 lb	\$1.15
Cove Oysters	\$1.10
Whole Glans	\$1.12 1/2
Mixed Glans	\$1.12 1/2
Our Own Syrup, per gal	\$1.00
Other Syrup, per gal	\$1.00

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