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MANAGER HAS VIADUCT PLANS CHECKED OVER

RHEA LUPER AND ROSCOE NEAL
SAY O.-W. PLANS ARE
ADEQUATE.

CITY WILL SUE DELIN- QUENT PROPERTY OWNERS

Neal, in Portland, Saw Observer
Story that City Had No One to
Check Specifications and Went to
O.-W. Office for Blueprint—Luper
Checked on City's Request—City
Will Take Next Move in Case of
Objecting Second Street Property
Owners.

Slowly the Second street viaduct
matters are being cleared by the
city commission and it is thought the
construction will begin within a short
time. The railroad's plans have been
checked by City Engineer Roscoe Neal,
now in Portland, and by Rhea Luper,
engineer of the state water board.
Neal saw the Observer's story of last
Thursday that the city had no one to
check the plans and immediately went
to Chief Engineer Murray of the
O.-W. R. & N. company's office and
got a blueprint copy from Mr. Mur-
ray. Mr. Neal wrote City Manager
Currey that the plans were sufficient
for a safe viaduct. Mr. Luper ad-
vised Mr. Currey to the same effect.
The city attorney has been em-
powered to act in the case of the
property owners who have threatened
to obstruct the erection of the viaduct.
The city manager reported last night
that the city attorney had also been
instructed to begin suit from all per-
sons who have failed to pay improve-
ment assessments or who have failed
to apply for the privilege of ten
years' time in the payment.

The city manager's report follows:
La Grande, Ore., March 14.—(To
the Honorable Commission of the City
of La Grande)—Gentlemen: I, herein,
submit my report for the week
ending March 10, 1917, as follows:

The fire chief reports no fires for
the week. Installed three fire alarm
bells in homes of three volunteer fire-
men. Made four electrical inspec-
tions, and reports that no alarm boxes
have been molested since posting re-
ward notices. He issued labor certifi-
cates amounting to \$2.20 for placing
alarm bells.

The chief of police reports four ar-
rests for the week, and fines paid to
the amount of \$50.00. One prisoner
in jail; 14 meals served, seven sleep-
ing accommodations given. Two
lights reported out; one at Adams and
Elm on nights of the 6th and 7th. Of
the four arrests made, two were for
drunkenness, one disorderly conduct,
one assault and battery.

The water superintendent reports
an expense for the week of \$15.55 of
which \$5.10 covered sewer inspec-
tions, \$2.75 thawing pipe, and \$2.70
repair work and rigging sewer pump
and engine.

The street superintendent reports
an expense for the week of \$51.60,
covering principally the cleaning of
ice and snow from gutters. Used
two teams and grader for half day
clearing roads for use of fire truck.

The city recorder makes following
report:
Receipts—
Fines \$ 50.00
Sewer 3-5 instal. 595.84
Sewer 3-5 int. 11.92
Union Co. for work on Co.
road to cemeteries 8.57
Dog license 20.00

Disbursements—	\$487.35
None	
Issued Warrants—	
On park fund for exp. vouch- er No. 89	25.00
On imp. dist. int. fund for coup. 5 bond 741	1.16
On general fund, for salaries and labor	972.87
On water fund	333.30
On road fund	186.21
	\$1518.54

Issued licenses to the amount of
\$56.40, as per trans. recs. on file.
The city treasurer makes follow-
ing report:
Receipts—
Water rents \$ 944.75
Assessment interest 377.30
Assessment installments 519.32
Licenses 56.40
Elect. permits 1.00
Taxes (Co. Treas.) 1002.73

Disbursements—	\$2901.50
Park warrants	25.00
Imp. bond int.	757.27
Contingent warrants	1.50
Water warrants	265.30
Dist. 27 warrants	400.00
Dist. 27 int.	128.46
Imp. bonds, call	18,000.00

I have had the gasoline engine and
pump for use at the septic tank put
in order, and same will be put into
operation at the tank next Monday.
The farmers along the ditch have
given their consent for the city to
use same in cleaning the tank. The
water superintendent has begun
tracing out the sewer connections on
the tin sewer. The city attorney has
been ordered to begin suit to collect
from all persons who have failed to
pay up or

Respectfully submitted,
FRED B. CURREY,
General Manager.

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Chinese Returns To Portland.

Lee Pot Lim, the young Chinaman
who arrived in the city yesterday "to
loaf" until he was to take up his job
in a cannery, agreed to the sugges-
tion of Cochran and Eberhard, attor-
neys for himself and Quon San, that
he return to Portland. He left last
midnight.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that under
and by virtue of the provisions of
Chapter 317 of the General Laws of
Oregon for 1913, I will on Wednes-
day, the 21st day of March, 1917, at
10 o'clock a. m. sell at public auction
to the highest bidder for cash, on the
corner of Depot Street and Washing-
ton Avenue in La Grande, Oregon, the
property hereinafter described which
was brought into my hotel—the Som-
mer House of La Grande, Oregon,—
and which belonged to or was under
the control of J. B. Hudson, J. U.
McDonald and R. W. Michael, who
were guests and boarders, of said
hotel, to satisfy my lien as inn keeper
for the proper charges due me from
said parties for accommodation, board
and lodging as such guests, and for
other extras furnished to said parties
at their request, and for money paid
for and advanced to said parties—said
money so advanced being less than
\$200—and the total of my said claim
against all of said parties amounting
to \$567.60, and all of said property
having been brought into my hotel,
known as the Sommer Hotel, in La
Grande, Oregon, and more than 60
days having elapsed since the last
items of said food lodging and ad-
vancements were made. Said property
so belonging to or under the control
of said parties and to be sold in pay-
ment of my said lien as inn keeper
is as follows, to-wit:

- 1 Vulcan four burner range.
- 1 Small hot plate.
- 3 Light fixtures (mantles).
- 1 Large instantaneous auto thermal
water heater No. 8 A.
- 1 Water tank.
- 1 No. 25 Ridd water heater.
- 1 Large Edison 8 burner range.
- 1 1-2 H. P. Dynamo motor, speed
1400 revolutions per minute, amp. 6,
volts 230, No. 2616, size 1 c.m.
- 1 81-B hot plate, and large board of
electric light globes.
- 1 Type T. F. M. & Co. gas engine,
Rev. 400, 2 H. P.
- 1 Large tin tank 10x12.
- 1 Wooden container for same.
- 1 Iron retort encased in brick.
- 1 Feeding tank with large valve at
top of retort.
- 1 Small condensing tank with inside
tank.
- Some 3-4 inch pipe, 1 inch pipe and
2 inch pipe, stop cocks, fittings, etc.
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GEORGE E. GOOD,
Proprietor of Sommer Hotel.
8-10-16



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The first settlers of this valley did not appreciate the
value of that large fertile tract we now call the Sandridge.
It was the very last land in the valley to be occupied.

A few years from now not a few of those who read these
lines will state: "I did not know that Palmer valley would
ever be the prosperous country it is."

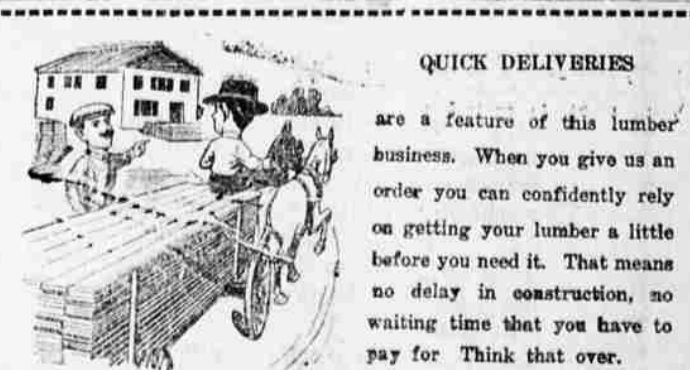
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