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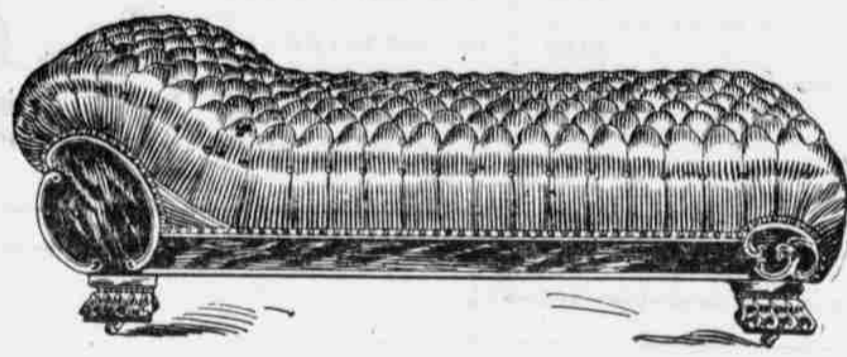
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WOULD RUSH STREET WORK

Mayor Straw Sends Special Message to City Council Urging Early Action.

In a special message to the city council last evening, Mayor Straw urged that body to immediately begin preliminary work for the improvement of a score or more streets in Marshfield. He said that the preliminary work should be done during the winter so that the contracts could be let and the work begun just as soon as the weather will permit next spring. He said that the preliminary work in such matters drags out and if not done during the winter, it would make it difficult to do it in time next spring to permit the awarding of the contracts and the completion of the work during good weather.

Councilman Lockhart moved that the mayor's message be placed on file and steps be taken to comply with it. Councilman Savage said that he wished to know more about the streets that it is proposed to improve next year before voting for it. He said that it should be ascertained if the proposed improvements are feasible at this time before any expense is incurred in preliminary work. Finally, it was placed on file with the understanding that it will be investigated soon and complied with so far as feasible.

Contracts Are Let.

The contract for filling Broadway North from Washington, was awarded to Walter Lyon, secretary of the Dredge Committee, for ten cents per yard. It amounts to \$3,175.

The contract for planking, bulk-heading, etc., the same street was awarded to J. E. Holm for \$6,249.46.

The contract for planking Broadway between 'C' street and Queen avenue was awarded to Masters & McLain. An elevated roadway will have to be built the entire distance and then it will be filled with dredgings.

Other Routine Business.

The resignation of City Attorney Farrin was read and laid on the

table. Councilman Sacchi said that he disliked to see Mr. Farrin resign now as he is familiar with city work and can be of great assistance to the council. Mr. Farrin said that he could not afford to retain the position, the reimbursement of \$600 per year not being sufficient.

The expense of the Baines and Washington street sewers was equalized. The sewer will cost \$3,875.15, making an assessment of about \$22.50 for each lot assessed. George Baines and others wanted the sewer laid on one side of the street so that it would not be necessary to dig up the macadam roadway in the center of the street. The council didn't think this was right and refused to grant the petition but they promised to see that the street is put in as good condition as it is at present.

Carlson and Bachman were ordered paid \$850 on their 'C' street contract.

A warrant was ordered issued for the collection of the assessments for the filling of Front street north of the city hall.

A deficit assessment of \$445 will be levied on Cedar street to pay Masters & McLain the balance on their contract which was completed some time ago.

O. J. Signalness was ordered paid \$500 on his Prospect avenue contract.

It was decided that North Cedar street should not be cut to grade this fall owing to the necessity of allowing the large fills to settle. Contractor Condron was ordered paid the balance due him with the understanding that he will give bond for the completion of the work in the spring. The elevated approaches to the new street will be built at once so that the thoroughfare can be used this winter.

Messrs. Larson and Norton entered protest against paying their assessments on 'C' street because the street had not been filled in front of their lots. It was claimed that they had not been assessed for filling and consequently it is not coming to them. The street was ordered accepted.

Chestnut street was ordered accepted.

For the Washington avenue sidewalk between Burnett and Graham streets, an assessment of \$275 was levied on the abutting property.

For the Graham street sidewalk beyond California avenue, an assess-

ment of \$165.35 was levied on the abutting property.

The grades of many streets, especially in Clement Plat, were ordered re-established.

'A' street from Fourth to Seventh, Third from Front to Myrtle and Chestnut streets were ordered improved.

The old question of the claim of Joseph Lapp to certain property that is being used in opening Cedar street between Third and Front streets was brought up for discussion but no action was taken, Councilman Lockhart desiring two weeks time to investigate it.

D. W. Small's claim for \$25 for work done on Front street a year or so ago was brought up but Councilman Lockhart said that he had not had time to investigate it.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the common council of the city of Marshfield, Coos county, Oregon, up to half past seven o'clock in the afternoon of the 22d day of December, 1908, for the improvement with sidewalk of the following streets, to-wit:

1. That portion of the west side of Graham street from a point 10 feet south of the north line of California avenue to the south line of lot 25 of block 52, in Railroad addition to Marshfield, Oregon.

2. That portion of the north side of Washington avenue from a point 19 feet west of the east line of Burnett street to the east line of Graham street, in Railroad addition to Marshfield, Oregon.

Said improvements to be made according to the plans and specifications thereof on file in the office of the city recorder and there open to the inspection of all persons interested therein.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1908.

J. M. UPTON,

Recorder of said city of Marshfield.

"Uncle Josh" FRIDAY, December 11 at MASONIC Opera House.

NORTH BEND NEWS

B. F. Ross of Ross Inlet, who has been very ill, is now improving.

Mrs. F. Rogers, who has been visiting friends here the past few days, left for her home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Hodson of South Coos River, spent Sunday with friends on Ross' Inlet.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mastadon of Shore Acres, spent a couple of days here the first of the week.

Anna Clinkenbeard of Daniels Creek, who has been seriously ill for some months of diphtheria, is still quite weak but is improving.

Edgar Simpson, who spent the past two weeks at his home in San Francisco, returned yesterday on the Redondo.

ELECTION IN EASTSIDE.

Three Councilmen Elected and New Charter Adopted.

At yesterday's election, Eastside adopted the new charter by a vote of forty to three. A total of 52 votes were cast. Three councilmen were elected, the following being the vote on the six candidates:

S. S. Ackles	37
E. A. Stonecypher	30
Wm. Lambert	28
Arthur Vineyard	18
A. DeMose	18
John Bloom	17

Mesdemoiselles LeMas and Lizette, direct from Patee, will appear at the Opera House FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11th, after act 2.

Steamer BREAKWATER sails from Coos Bay for Portland SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, at 12, NOON.

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