

RESERVES GET \$15 PER MONTH

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Mayor Straw said. The opening of a street from Front street to the Waterfront near the Nelson Iron Works was also referred to the street committee.

Mayor Straw said that Curtis avenue was getting in bad shape and the street committee was instructed to look it up.

North Front Street.

Councilman Ferguson brought up the old North Front street matter. He said he thought it should be opened to traffic. He said that if he was a property owner in that section he would sue the city for damages to his business. He said that temporary repairs should be made and the cost assessed to the property owners.

Mayor Straw, Councilman Coke and others said that Street Commissioner Lawhorne had informed them that it was unsafe and could not be temporarily repaired but that the improvement of it was being hastened as much as possible.

Councilman Albrecht said that unless it was opened, the M. P. Plant might be taken off the run.

Finally after more similar discussion, it was referred to the street committee to see if it could not be temporarily repaired.

Mr. Hagquist was permitted to drop out from the partnership with Matt Nelme to clean the streets and Mr. Nelme was given the contract alone.

A warrant for \$75 for the Marshfield public library was ordered drawn.

The alley in block 15 was ordered accepted and the contractor paid. The contractors of the Eleventh street improvement and the Market avenue storm sewers were ordered paid small amounts on them.

Annex Bunker Hill.

Councilman Powers reported that a number of Bunker Hill residents had asked him for Marshfield to take steps to annex that section. He said that about ninety per cent of the residents there favored it, so he was informed. He said they wanted to improve streets and do other work but non-resident property owners prevented them. Finally it was referred to the city attorney to look up and see what was necessary to be done.

A request from Mrs. F. A. Hazard for a small incandescent light to be placed in front of the Episcopal church was referred to the light committee of the city council.

Wants Message.

Councilman Albrecht wanted to know why Mayor Straw had not sent his annual message to the city council.

"What's the use?" inquired the mayor.

"Oh, we would like to get your ideas about city affairs," replied Mr. Albrecht.

"Well I can give you all kinds of ideas but I cannot furnish you the mechanism to carry them out," replied the mayor.

NELSON IS PRESENT.

Former Councilman Hears Effort to Take Away Light.

Councilman J. N. Nelson was an interested spectator at the Marshfield city council Tuesday night. He missed the previous meeting, the first one after his term expired, but was present Tuesday night. Only once did he volunteer a statement and that was when Councilman Albrecht tried to get the council to reconsider its decision to grant Nelson the arlight he had long sought and which was granted previously. Mr. Albrecht said it only benefited Mr. Nelson and Mr. McLain. Councilman Savage, the new chairman of the light committee, informed him it was too late as he had ordered the light put in. Previously, Mr. Albrecht wanted to know if Al. Smith didn't make the motion to grant the light but Mr. Powers said he did and Mr. Savage said he seconded it.

DEBATE STREET WORK.

Councilman Albrecht Angry Because of Market Avenue Delay.

Several times during the Tuesday night's council meeting Councilman Albrecht brought up the question of forcing street improvements. He declared that his property was an eyesore because Market avenue and the cross-streets were not filled. He

ANNUAL SUMMARY OF COOS BAY WEATHER FOR THE YEAR 1910

	Temperature			Rain fall.	Rainy days.	Clear days.	Part cloudy days.	Cloudy days.
	Highest	Lowest	Average					
Jan.	57	19	41.9	11.01	24	3	4	24
Feb.	60	26	44.1	9.49	22	5	0	23
Mar.	69	30	50.0	3.82	19	10	3	18
Apr.	74	32	50.3	3.34	17	7	5	18
May	82	38	54.9	1.16	13	12	5	14
Jun.	69	39	59.8	1.67	9	15	2	13
Jul.	73	43	57.8	.06	4	22	2	7
Aug.	87	49	56.8	.03	1	23	1	7
Sep.	79	38	55.7	.22	11	15	2	13
Oct.	79	32	54.6	4.40	15	15	2	14
Nov.	69	30	48.4	15.91	20	6	0	24
Dec.	63	27	46.7	6.52	26	3	3	25

Highest temperature during year 87, date August 24th.
Lowest temperature during the year 19, date January 3d.
Mean temperature for the year, 51.6.
Total rainfall for year 57.63 inches.
Number of rainy days 181, clear 136, part cloudy 29, cloudy 200.
Number of times thermometer fell below 32, 22.
Number of times thermometer rose above 75, 7.
Last killing frost in spring 32, April 14.
First killing frost in fall 32, November 13.

MRS. E. MINGUS,

Special Meteorological observer.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau. Special Observers Meteorological Record. Station, Marshfield; County of Coos; State of Oregon.

complained because the project to improve them had been turned down because the property owners objected for the alleged reason that it would cost thirty cents or forty-five cents per yard to fill it.

Councilman Powers said that he had voted to postpone the work and would do it again where all the property owners except one—J. W. Bennett—objected to the improvement.

Mr. Albrecht insisted the council should go ahead with improvement plans and specifications. He said he would not permit the dredge to fill around his property.

Councilman Coke said that he would not enter any compact with Mr. Albrecht or any one else to override all remonstrances.

Mr. Albrecht said he didn't mean that but that he meant the council should consider this phase of it before going to the expense of getting plans and specifications.

Mayor Straw said he had always favored street improvement and he could see now that every street improvement had paid for itself by making travel easier and transportation cheaper. He said he is proud Flanagan street where he had cast the deciding vote for the improvement, although it cost him personally \$350, and it wasn't much used.

He said he thought now was the time for the council to prepare a general plan for streets they proposed to improve the coming year and get the work started early in the spring.

However the controversy over the city engineer sidetracked it.

FORM NEW DIVISION.

Port Orford Citizens Join Oregon Naval Reserve Movement.

PORT ORFORD, Ore., Jan. 12.—In less than three hours time, over thirty signatures were obtained in Port Orford to a petition to organize Division No. 5, of the Oregon Naval Reserve, at this place. Several others also expressed a desire to join the Division as soon as it can be organized. In the same time, the citizens pledged over three hundred dollars to buy uniforms for the boys. Many of those desiring to join the Naval Militia here are practical seamen, being engaged in fishing from this port, and in hunting seals and sea-lions in the summer on the rocks of Orford reefs, and most of them are expert shots with a rifle.

Captain Shepherd, of the Oregon Naval Militia, has been requested to send Lieutenant Stone of Marshfield, or some one to Port Orford to organize the Division here, and it is expected to perfect the organization here and be ready to join the Portland and Marshfield Divisions for the summer cruise on the Boston. W. H. Meredith was instrumental in organizing the division here.

DRY IN CALIFORNIA.

J. E. Cooley has returned from California where he accompanied his brother, D. E. Cooley. The latter was not much improved when Mr. Cooley left. He says that it is the driest winter California has known in years, there being practically no snow or rain. The owners of irrigated ranches are now fearful lest there will not be a water supply for next season and many of them get the Coos Bay fever when Mr. Cooley told them about conditions here. He came in via the Myrtle Point road and reports it is in awful condition.

North Bend News

Born—January 10th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rood on South Coos River.

Miss Dorothy Watson of Coos City is now taking a business course in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Ekblad were the guests of Mr. and W. D. Simpson yesterday.

The Mizpah Bible class will hold a business meeting Friday evening at the church.

Rev. R. G. Summerlin, who has been ill at his home, is now very much improved.

Mrs. John Bjurbeck of North Bend, who has been ill the past week, is better.

There has twenty inches of snow fallen at Vaughn and McDonald's camp on Daniel's creek.

The Porter mill is closed today on account of it being slippery on the dock to handle the lumber.

Miss Grace Fulton, who has spent a few weeks on her homestead, has returned to her home in Bangor.

Mrs. George Witte and Mrs. Frank Rood are both sick with the grip at the Witte home on North Bend Heights.

Rev. J. Richard Olson of Marshfield conducted services at the Swedish Lutheran church here yesterday and last evening.

Wm. Scheffle, the head fler at the Smith mill, has resumed his work there. He has been sick for some time, but is now much better.

Mrs. L. Steckle and son, Martin, who have been spending a few months with relatives at Wolf Creek, are expected home the last of the week.

Rev. A. D. McLeod of Idaho, has been extended a call to the First Presbyterian church of North Bend and has accepted for an indefinite period. He has made many warm friends since coming here and it is hoped he will remain permanently.

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THREE INCHES OF SNOW HERE

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It. Well, that is a great country anyhow and with Home Rule the snows might be deeper. Home Rule has produced some results here, you see."

Charlie Hunter said: "Wait a minute. Just as soon as I get this man shaved, I'm going out rabbit hunting."

"Illinois was the best ever."

C. S. Dodge said: "You can talk about Coos Bay weather all you please, but once I saw a snow Four Feet Deep, Twenty Miles Wide, and Fifty Degrees below zero." "Wisconsin for mine."

William Miller said: "I've husked corn out of the shock when it was five times as cold as this. That was in 1893 back in Nebraska."

Al Powers said: "The taste of buckwheat naunts me still,

And pork and sauer kraut ever; I love the winter's blast and chill, Such friends, I cannot sever."

William Grimes said: "Just as soon as we get a little soft weather, I'm going over to Warwick's sugar camp and get some maple syrup," and then he added, "Oh! pshaw, I thought I was back in Ohio."

David Jones said: "I listened to the 'Call of Coos Bay,' I read the answer,—started on my way, You said the fields were green, Best weather ever seen, But this morn, there's nothing pretty but the Bay."

A. J. Mendel said: "Now back in Meadville they would call this just a little flurry. It makes me long, for a cutter ride though."

Otto Morrissey said: "If this old world were a snow ball And I had some place to stand, I'd hurl it through space, till it hit Mars in the face

And wiped war from the face of the land.

W. N. Ekblad said: "This is great! Reminds me of my boyhood days in Minnesota."

O. O. Lund said: "This is nothing. You should see the way it snows back in Wisconsin."

Dorsey Kreitzer said: "Gee! This is fine. I never felt better in my life than when I was shoveling snow off my sidewalk this morning."

COURT SEAT NEWS.

As Gleaned From The Coquille Herald.

Edna McDonald went over to Marshfield Saturday to visit Minnie Harkensee, returning Monday.

Pearl Watkins, who is teaching at Cunningham, spent the holidays at her home in Marshfield.

Mrs. Henry Johnson and children were in town Thursday and Friday from the lower river.

Judge and Mrs. E. D. Sperry made a business trip to Marshfield the first of the week.

Tom Mehl, formerly of this city but now living in Marshfield, was in town Saturday.

Kenneth Lawrence, from the Randolph mill, visited his parents in town New Year's.

H. E. Folsom, of Paw Paw, Mich., uncle of Bert Folsom, of this city, arrived Friday and expects to locate School Superintendent Bunch was in town last Friday and Saturday went out to the farm, having concluded his work of visiting schools for the year.

Claude Woodruff, a furniture dealer of Bandon, went up to Myrtle Point Saturday to spend New Year's and returned home Monday by the afternoon boat.

H. L. Stephens returned from Marshfield Thursday where he delivered a Shetland pony to a party for whom he bought it while in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Morrass, of Bandon, were in town a few days last week and visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Walker.

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