LET CONTRACT FOR STREETS

Council Matters

the contracts for planking Eighth been awarded for the improvement. Terrace and Tenth street in Perham Park and Perham & Gidley were sion to improve the alley leading awarded the contract for grading from Tenth street to the rear of his the streets. The total cost of the property on Central avenue, so that Eighth street work there will be he could build a garage. That is, about \$10,000 and of the Tenth his permit was conditioned on his street work about \$26,000. The securing the consent of the abutting

Besides Johnson & Larson, Hagquist & Bjorquist, McLain & Mc- Engineer. Lain and Perham & Gidley bid on the planking. Johnson & Larson were considerably under Hagquist & Bjorquist and away under McLain & kicked on a bill for the fire depart-McLain and Perham & Gidley. Mc- ment service in extinguishing the

bld 39 cents on Eighth Terrace and the city limits and they said that 40 cents on Tenth street. Perham the city should not have to pay for & Gidley bid 31 cents on Tenth street it. They said that if Eunker Hill and 27 cents per yard on Eighth wanted fire and police protection

Repair Broadway

The Council last evening decided to repair an additional block of the effort will be made to have whoever planking on North Broadway, mak- sent in the request for aid pay the ing the repairs include the block money back to the city, between Birch and Cedar. The property owners will have to pay for it. Change Sidewalk

from the Reynolds Development Co., instead or plank walks were ordered Coos Bay Ice and Cold Storage Co., rebated the amount they were as-Port of Coos Bay, E. A. Anderson, Standard Oil Co., and Bennett Trust Company, to have the sidewalk on the east side of North Front street placed out even with the curb instead of alongside the property line. Must Move Pole

In order to do this, the Coos Bay to move a pole in its cable line, City reservoir sites, Engineer Buckingham stated that it would cost about \$50 to do this and that the city or property owners would have to pay for it.

Councilman Copple said that the pole would have to be moved and the company would have to stand the expense. He said that the company was utilizing the street on a franchise and would have to do the same as the other companies do when a street is improved, make their poles and pipes conform,

City Recorder Butler was instructed to notify the company to move the pole to conform with the new plan and also to notify the other public utilities to get their mains and lines on South Broadway ready for the hard surface paving there.

Fourth of July Money

asking that their salaries be paid last night instead of next Monday the health committee was having Curtis avenue between Broadway and that the council hire a number of men night so that they would have money for the Fourth of July celebration around the recent fills. was granted. Some of the Councilthe payment, as then they would not have it all spent.

Given More Time,

Peart Brothers were given a fifteen-day extension in time for completing the curbing on North Broad. point such additional police officers the ground was so soft that they July celebration. The celebration street fifty-three feet wide, Mrs. were being delayed by the fill. City committee is to pay for a number of Engineer Buckingham stated that in them

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some places they had to dig out six or seven feet of the old soft muck and fill it again in order to make

It was stated that enough curb has been put in to enable the Warren Company to go ahead with their paving work.

J. D. Jones objected to having Johnson & Larson and Perham Tenth street planked up to his property on the Ferndale Hill, saying it would cost \$1000 and would not do them any good. However, his pro-Johnson & Larson were awarded test was too late, as the contract had

Dr. W. A. Toye was given permistwo firms were the lowest bidders. property owners and doing the work under the supervision of the City

Councilman Copple and others Lain & McLain tied on the sidewalk, fire in the sawdust fill at Bunker On the grading, Moon & Barclay Hill last week. The fire was outside they should petition to be consolidate with Marshfield.

Finally the bill was paid and an

t e Given Rebate.

Propert, owners on the west side of Fourts, street between Hall and The Council granted a petition Golden, wio put in concrete walks sessed for plank walks.

Change Water Mains.

A resolution approving the proposed change in the route of the new water mains of the Coos Bay Water Company was adopted.

The council, however, refused to agrees to an extension of time or Home Telephone Company will have to agree to the proposed change in

Amend Ordinance.

An amendment to the plumbing ordinance reducing the inspection fee on hotels and other buildings where there are a large number of fixtures was adopted. The change was made at the request of F. E. Conway and reduces his plumbing inspection bill from about \$55 to \$34.75.

light near his building in North Marshfield was referred to the light

City Engineer Buckingham was instructed to see what could be done about improving the sewerage for the residences on South Broadway. If his plan for disposing of the sewage does not succeed, a new sewer system or cesspools will have to be put in.

Councilman Wilson reported that crude oil put on the stagnant water Second street was brought up

G. W. Tribbey, F. E. Conway and men said it might be better to defer others petitioned to have a fire hyd- shows the street should be sixty rant installed at Sixth and Central to feet wide, but if it is improved afford them better fire protection. It was referred to the water commit- Through some mixup in the surveys.

way. Mr. Peart stated that some of as may be needed for the Fourth of

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Tom Madden's request for an arc CURTIS AVE. IS REAL PROBLEM

North Side

The question about the width of C. Chapman at the meeting of the City Council last evening. The plat that wide, it will be necessary for Mrs. Chapman to move her house. there will not be enough land there Mayor Allen was empowered to ap- to allow Mrs. Chapman to have a full sized lot and allow a street sixty

Mr. Douglas stated by making the Chapman's property would not be be of ample width. However, the Council wanted the matter investigated further to see whether will have or whether Mrs. Chapman and the other property owners on the north side of Curtis avenue will lose about seven feet of property.

City Attorney Goss said that if the old survey stakes could be found or their location established by evi dence, then the property would prob able have precedence over the street. Mrs. Chapman said that this could done, as the stakes were there when she built the house and S. B. Cathcart and others could prove it The City Enginer and City Attorney were instructed to look it up.

Plan for Ferry.
City Attorney Goss said that he had talked with Attorney Sherwood representing the Coos Bay, Roseburg & Eastern, that Mr. Sherwood had stated that he would recommend to the company to grant a right of way across their tracks for the Ferry Extension street. If it can be ar-ranged without condemnation proceedings, Mr. Goss thought it would

Mr. Goss said that Mr. Sherwood also informed him that he had recommended that the Southern Pacific withdraw its objection to the South Broadway paving. If this is done, the paving will be hastened.

TO END JUDGE CONTEST.

SALEM, Or., June 30 .- In a telegram sent to Justice C. L. McNary, Judge H. L. Benson stated that he had signed the stipulation agreed to by the former looking to the settlement of the contest for the Republican nomination for justice of the supreme court. According to the stipulation it was agreed between the two that the tally sheets for certain precincts in Multnomah county and three in Marion should be recanvassed in the preesnee of a fircuit judge. It is considered probable that this recanvass will determine the nomina-

Mixup in Old Surveys Will Nar- Proposal to Driftwood and Derow Street or Lots on | bris Removed Off Fill Referred to Port

Mayor Allen last evening suggested U. Douglas in behalf of Mrs. M. and put them to work clearing up the and that Manager R. E. Miller of pelled to put on spark arresters. the dredge Seattle had offered to fur- | City Attorney Goss said that the the fill look better.

> do this and it will be referred to damage. them. The largest amount of the Mr. Ferguson said that owing to driftwood has collected near R. A. the high insurance rate, many Front been clearing it off his property, to carry any insurance and hence the Someone suggested that there were anxlety. several hundred cords of good wood | Mr. Goss said that Supt. Miller and that someone might do it for the should be notified not to load the wood. Another suggestion was made engines so heavily that they had to to have city prisoners work out their be forced and thus throw off sparks. fines clearing up the debris.

Licenses to Saloons.

other six months last night. The down to the roundhouse one night rumor a few weeks ago that the pro- and looked down the smokestacks, his here were going to petition the and not being able to see any screens

es, the same as they did at Coquille, he was going to prose failed to materialize.

There were a number of minor de- that the screens were d fects in the applications and bonds, smokestacks, which City Attorney Goss pointed out. City Recorder Butler was requested to have them corrected today.

Saloon Is Sold.

council to change his license to the be something interest Coos Bay Liquor Company, stating one should miss. So that he was selling the P. K. saloon every minute to them. The petition was granted.

Sparks Bother Front Street.

Councilmen Ferguson said that a number had been complaining about Livery and Transfer (sparks from the Southern Pacific endebris, logs, etc., on top of the newly gines endangering buildings. He filled area. He said it looked bad said that the company should be com-

nish part of the men needed to make engines were supposed to be equipped that way. Anyway, he said that if The councilmen declared that it a spark from an engine caused a fire was the Port of Coos Bay's job to the company would have to pay the

Copple's place and Mr. Copple has street business men were not able

In this connection Mr. Goss recall-

ed a humorous incident about Jesse The licenses of the fifteen Marsh- Smith's experience when first apfield saloons were renewed for an pointed fire warden. Mr. Smith went council to refuse to renew the licens- to prevent sparks being thrown off,

was much surprised

L. O. O. M. N and their wives, sw mothers, are urgently be present at the lod George W. Childs petitioned the be present at the day evening. June 30

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