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**COUNCIL WILL  
ACCEPT MORRIS  
BROTHERS' BID**

Bond Company Will Take Eugene's Water Bonds At Par

The city council met last evening in regular session and considered matters of more or less importance. The matter of the bid of Morris Bros. to take over the water bonds was summarized as follows: Morris Bros. agree to take over the bonds to the amount of \$100,000 at par, the city to pay for the printing of the bonds, which will not cost over \$200. The bond company will take \$60,000 of the bonds as soon as they can, the remainder, \$100,000, to be delivered in installments of not less than \$15,000. Morris Bros. agree to take the bonds at par.

The council unanimously agreed to the proposition. The Willamette Valley Company addressed a communication to the council requesting a committee from the council meet with representatives of the company to arrange the final details for the taking over of the water plant by the city. On motion it was ordered that the council meet in session Wednesday evening for the purpose set forth. The report of Chairman Gilbert, of the street committee, with recommendations for improvements, was accepted. Chairman Fisher, of the fire and water committee, submitted a report covering the condition of the reservoirs. The report of Street Commissioner Turner was embodied in the Fisher report and stated that new water pipe had been laid at an expense of \$112,332. Receipts of the city water service for the months of July, August, September and October showed a total of \$5883.05.

The committee on street lights recommended that lights be placed at the following street intersections: Sixth and Blair streets, Fifteenth and Willamette, Seventeenth and Villard avenue, Twelfth and Lincoln, Twelfth and Mill, Stewart avenue and Park street, College Hill; Fourteenth and Onyx avenue, Thirteenth and Hilyard, Fifteenth and Mill, Thirteenth and Columbia avenue, Twelfth and Oak, Ninth and Lawrence, Fourteenth and Alder. Mr. Fisher moved that the one light, that on Fourteenth and Alder, be installed and objected to the adoption of the recommendation on account of many of the lights being unnecessary.

Councilman Williams objected, as did also Mr. Fisher, on the grounds that the city was incurring too much indebtedness. On final vote the report was adopted and the lights ordered installed. A supplemental recommendation on street lighting was read as follows:

"We, your committee on street lighting, beg to report that it is necessary to make changes in order to perfect the system of lighting as adopted by the city, and would recommend that the light at the corner of West Seventh and Monroe streets be moved one block east to the corner of West Seventh and Madison streets. We would further recommend that the light now at the corner of Tenth and Lawrence streets be moved to the corner of Tenth and Lincoln streets and a new light installed at the corner of Tenth and Washington streets. In case the last change is made we further recommend that a new light be installed at the corner of Eleventh and Jefferson streets.

"We find that the above changes are necessary in order to make the system of lighting work out right in the end, according to the original plans. We further recommend that all lights be placed on not less than 50-foot poles, above ground.

Mr. Eaton addressed the council and urged that a third night watchman be added to the police force. Mr. Eaton spoke in behalf of the Commercial Club. Referred to the committee on police.

On recommendation of Councilman Gilbert a red signal light for police service was ordered placed in front of the Smeede hotel.

Councilman Berger, in behalf of the health committee, recommended that a city meat and milk inspector be appointed. On motion it was ordered that the health committee take up the matter with the county inspector, looking to a plan whereby proper inspection can be carried out.

Mark Fleming's petition for a railroad crossing to be placed at a designated point in Sladden's addition was referred to the street committee with power to act.

Application of property owners for a sewer between Monroe and Blair streets was ordered granted.

Prayer of petitioners for a sidewalk to be constructed on the north side of Eleventh street was referred to the street committee.

Petition for a sidewalk on the east side of Walnut avenue was ordered granted.

In the matter of opening up and extending Olive street and the assessments, etc., on motion referred to the judicial committee.

The session included reading of a number of street improvement ordinances, as follows:

Sixth street, from Blair west to the city limits; Seventh street, from Blair west to city limits; Fifth, from Olive to Willamette, all of which were passed.

Continuation of sewer from Thirteenth to Fifteenth street, as embodied in ordinance, was passed.

**ANOTHER COLD  
STORAGE PLANT  
FOR EUGENE**

Last week Mr. McMurphy gave out the information that he had completed arrangements for the installation of a cold storage and refrigerating plant and now comes the information that F. N. Carter, of Medford, who has been here several times within the past few months, will put in another like institution. Last evening Mr. Carter closed a deal with F. L. Chambers for a lot lying east of the cannery switch, 180x180 feet in dimensions, on which he proposes to build a cold storage plant. A deal was also closed with Midgley & Chambers for 40-horse-power from the mill race. Plans are being drawn and the contract for the lumber and construction of the building has been let and the building will be rushed to completion as soon as possible.

It is proposed to construct a 20-ton refrigerating plant, equivalent to 10 tons of ice per day.

**PLAYS AND PLAYERS.**

John Drew has announced his intention of returning to Shakespearean comedy within the next two years.

A comedy called "The Marriage of the Star" by Alexander Bisson, author of "The Masked Ball" and other plays, will soon be produced in this country.

Gertrude Quinan has made a favorable vaudeville debut in Boston in a sketch entitled "Zaza's Hit," by Edith Ellis Baker.

George H. Brennan, the theatrical manager, has written a book entitled "Bill Truettel, a Story of Theatrical Life," which is soon to be published.

Arnold Daly and his company of "Vaudevillians" made quite a hit in the playlet by Mark Twain, entitled "Becoming An Editor," in a New York theatre recently.

Frederick Paulding's play, "The Great Question," recently given its first production at the Majestic theatre, New York, proved a well-written and clever play, but too depressing and gloomy to become popular.

Charles Frohman has accepted a new play by Clyde Fitch, entitled "The Happy Marriage," which will be produced in New York with Doris Keane and in London with Mary Moore in the leading part.

"Dante," a play by Mrs. Helen Durant Rose, an American woman, was successfully produced in Verona a short time ago by Emmette Novelli, who appeared in the principal role. Special music was written for the play by Mascagni.

Lee Nohlmair, a young actor who has been playing a German dialect role in "A Girl at the Helm," this season, is to appear next August in a new play that will give him an opportunity to show his talent in a quaint German character.

"The Revelation," the first in the "cycle" written by Rev. Henry Knott, rector of All Saints Episcopal church of Ravenswood, Ill., will be produced in Elgin, Ill., on November 21, for the first time. Miss Mary Shaw will play the leading female role.

Mike Donlin, the former captain and heavy hitter of the Giants, supported by his wife, Miss Mabel Hite, and company, is in vaudeville now and has made a great hit upon his first appearance in Vincent Bryan's one-act musical comedy skit, "Stealing Home."

Henry Miller, now playing in "The Big Divide," and considered one of the most popular matinee idols, has accepted for early production this season a new modern comedy from the pen of Mrs. Rida Johnson Young, author of "Brown of Harvard." Rehearsals are soon to begin.

The Schuberts are extremely busy just now preparing for the production in the near future of several new plays, which have been accepted by them. Among them are "Havana," "The Blue House," "The Goddess of Reason," "The Vampire" and "The Paradise of Mahomet." The rehearsals have already begun.

Mary Mannerling has opened her season in a new play by Edwin Tilton entitled "The Struggle," which tells the story of a woman who endeavors to blot out her past. The play, which contains many strongly dramatic scenes, is said to be well written and the critics give it considerable praise. The play is soon to be brought to New York for the final test, and if successful, will be retained on the boards for the rest of the season.

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Washington, D. C., Nov. 10.—For the fourth time an Episcopal diocese convention met in Trinity church today to elect a Bishop of Washington to succeed the late Bishop Satterlee. Among those discussed for the honor are Rt. Rev. Sheldon M. Griswold, Bishop of Salinas, Kas.; Rev. Dr.

Floyd Tompkins, rector of Holy Trinity church, Philadelphia; Rev. C. L. Slattery, of Springfield, Mass. Rev. Frank DuMoulin, dean of the Cathedral at Cleveland, Ohio, and Rev. Dr. Lubeck, of New York City.

The three recent denunciations of outside men elected to the bishopric has increased the talk of electing a local rector to the episcopate.

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