

for the control of the electric light and power supply for Grants Pass, terminated lats Saturday when Dr. C. R. Ray, manager of the Condor Water Power Company, bought for his company the electric plant and street lighting franchise belonging to the Grants Pars New Water, Light & Power Company. The price paid was not made public but was probably

The Grants Pass company retain their The Courier's subscription books and mail numping and ice plants and their franchise for supplying the city with ing list are open at all times to advertisers, water. R. W. Clarke will continue to who may desire verification that this paper has act as manager for the company with a larger circulation, both in Grants Pass and in his office, as heretofore, on West E Josephine County than any other newspaper street. Carl Gentner, who has heretofore been city electrician and super intendent of the light, pump and ice The county court at its session this

week made the Rogue River Courier the company and will have charge of is now installing a new pump that will have a capacity of 1,500,000 gal lons of water each 24 hours. With the HAS LIVELY MEETING old pump now in, the company will be able to pump to the reservoir over 2,500,000 gallons of water each 2 hours. Extensive betterments to the Cuts Engineer's and Attorney's distributing system is planned for this year, it being the purpose of the com pany to give Grants Pass a water service equal to the best had by any city

Council met Thursday evening with all present.

Peter Gravelin, elected councilman Smith, who declined re-election, was sworn in and took his sent.

Salary Down- Fffort to Raise

Saloon License to \$1000

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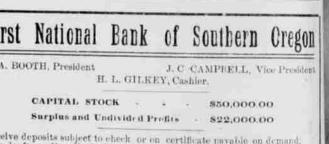
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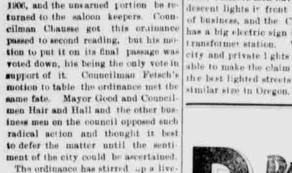
The matter of support to judigent city poor be turned over to Josephine office on E street. C. L. Clevenger, county to care lor.

ing of the council.

blocks on G street from Fifth to Third of an accident. streets, and all the depot grounds be tween Third and Seventh streets.

urer approved.





ly discussion about town the saloon men taking it as a prohibition meas nre, or that it is in the interest of a few saloon men able to pay \$1000, and of lessening the number of saloons to the advantage of the drug store "blind pigs." Many of the conservative business men of the city hold that the saloons might stand a small raise to their licenses, provided that the drug stores selling liquor be made to alco pay a license. The prohibitionists look upon the new license ordinanc as a long step toward closing out the saloons in Grants Pass. The ordinance will be up for further consideration at the next conneil meeting on Jan. 18

COMING EVENTS

Jan. 8, Monday-"Jerry from Kerry" at the Opera House

Jan. S. Monday-Circuit court for Josephine county convenes.

Jan, 13-Saturday, "A Jolly Ameri-can Tramp" at the Opera Lionse.

Jan. 17.—Wednesady, Chicks n pie sup-per at the W. C. W. hall by the la-dies of the Christian church.

February 14, Wednesday-Teachers examination for Josephine county begins at Grants Pass April 20, Friday-Oregon primary elec

ions for all parties. June 4, Monday - Oregon state and

county elections

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