

# Southern Pacific Granted Spur Track Franchise by Council

The Medford city council last night granted the Southern Pacific railroad a franchise to build a second spur track on McAndrews rd. with the condition that it reimburse the city for any costs it might incur because of the new track.

By costs, the council indicated it means it is anticipating the possibility that the Public Utilities Commission might require warning signals be installed at the spur track, located between the SP's tracks and Timber Products company.

The resolution, as originally phrased, would have merely given SP the right to build the spur, but City Councilman Donald Hansen, Ward 2, moved that the condition be attached to the resolution so the city would not incur any costs because of the franchise.

Councilmen R. L. Van Sickle, Ward 3, and Al Bradford, Ward 2, opposed the condition because they felt it might serve to penalize Timber Products company for which the spur was mainly intended to benefit, and which, according to Van Sickle, had verbally agreed to help pay the cost of any signals that might have to be installed.

**Amend Resolution**  
Councilman Hansen further moved to amend the resolution by requiring that the spur track, (which will be the second at this location) be used only for unloading and loading and switching freight cars.

This amendment too, passed, but Bradford said of it, and the previous amendment: "Timber Products has need of the new spur track and it is essential that the city help them regardless of how we feel about Southern Pacific. I feel we should not put restrictions in the resolution which would prevent Timber Products from getting the cars that they need."

The resolution as amended passed the council unanimously.

City Manager Robert Duff noted that the ultimate authorization for the franchise would come from the PUC which also has the say on whether or not signals would be required there and if so, how the costs should be distributed among the interested parties, the city included.

**Other Council Action**  
In other action last night, the council deadlocked twice on votes concerning a request from Witham Parts and Equipment company, North Riverside ave., and Apple St., that it be allowed to have two extra-width driveways, both 45 feet wide, one on Riverside ave., and one on Apple St., to facilitate parking on the lot.

According to Duff's report, the company would use the driveways for the purpose of moving heavy trucks and equipment on and off the lot. If the request is granted, he said, it would cause the removal of three parking meters.

**Crater Student In State Band**  
Councilman Stanley Stark, Ward 4, said that a request for two 45-foot wide driveways for a lot only 55 feet long, seemed to conflict with the city's normal regulations, in addition to the fact that heavy equipment and trucks moving on and off the lot would merely add to the traffic problems already existing on Riverside ave. and Apple St.

Stark moved that the requests for both extra-width driveways be denied.  
Councilman Hansen moved to amend the motion by deleting that part of the motion which denied the Apple St. extra-width driveway, apparently feeling that this driveway would be all right.

A vote on the amendment ended up in a three - three deadlock, with Councilmen Stark, Jimmy Dunlevy, Ward 4, and Van Sickle voting against, it, and Councilmen

Robert Baccus, Ward 3, Bradford and Hansen voting in favor.

Councilmen Fred Robinson and Ed Hall were absent as was Mayor John Snider.  
City Attorney Joel Reeder pointed out that if a motion does not get an affirmative vote, it does not pass, so the main motion stood as originally worded, that is, both extra-width requests be denied.

**Deadlocked Again**  
The main motion was also deadlocked three-three, with the same line-up on the vote, causing the extra-width driveway requests to neither be approved nor denied.



**ADOPTION APPROVED**—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Combs hold their family in their arms at Old Bridge, N. J., after the child welfare board ruled they can adopt their gifted four-year-old state ward, Alice Marie (dark haired girl in center). The board bowed to public opinion and reversed its original stand to take the child away from the family because of her superior intellect. Other children are Gail, 1, and Sherri, right, 2, the Combs' own children. (UPI Telephoto)

## 4-H Club News

**Antelope 4-H Club**  
Donna Geren and Lola Ackerman made arrangements for the Antelope 4-H clothing and cooking club's display this week in recognition of national 4-H week.

Displayed in the window of the Town and Country shop at Eagle Point were a champion needle case, pin cushion, headscarf and stuffed toy made by Gloria Meyer; drawing apron, headscarf and potholder by Elaine Meyer, which had won a first place award; capri pants and blouse made by Charlotte Bush, which had won first place; a champion wool dress by JoAnna Malloroy; and a champion skirt and blouse by Judy Hill. All won ribbons at the 1959 Jackson county fair.

The club met recently at the home of Liz Flint. Plans were competed for the annual buffet supper March 17. Named to the serving committee were JoAnna Malloroy, Georgia Hubbard, Karen Jossy, Gloria Meyer and Florence Woolfolk.

Georgia, Diane Barton and Judy Hill were named to the game committee.  
Mrs. Don Anderson and Mrs. E. A. Malloroy gave a demonstration of pressing. Mrs. John Bohmert gave new assignments. The next meeting will be at the home of Lola Ackerman, when members of the Jacksonville club will be guests.

Paulette Anderson, Donna Geren, Lola Ackerman, Georgia Hubbard and Diane Barton will plan the luncheon and Judy Hill will plan games. Roll call will be on etiquette.  
The Antelope club has decided to have its own pre-fair this year. Members will participate in contests and demonstrations, and will invite other leaders to judge them.

Judy Hill will give a demonstration on "care of the hair" at the April 2 meeting.  
Judy Hill, Reporter

Councilman Hansen moved that the matter be deferred until the next meeting when an odd number of council members might be present. The vote on this motion passed by a four to two count with Councilmen Stark and Van Sickle opposed.

The council also elected to defer until the next meeting a request from Dr. Robert DeLorme that he be allowed to install an extra-width 60-foot driveway at his place of business at 1108 East Main st. to provide off-street parking.

Several council members expressed the opinion, along with Duff, that this proposed driveway might create a traffic and pedestrian hazard if vehicles were to back into parking spaces onto Main st. Dr. DeLorme said an exit to the parking lot so cars would exit via the alley to Vancouver ave., and not onto Main st.

**To Visit Site**  
It was voted that the council visit the site as a committee of the whole, to personally study the situation and act on it at their next meeting.

A third council deadlock came on a request from Harley E. Lowe, Ashland, that he be qualified to bid on city construction projects costing up to \$30,000.

Councilman Hansen said he doesn't think, and Stark agreed, that Lowe's assets appear to be worth \$30,000 and therefore Lowe would probably not be able to take out a performance bond for that amount. He moved to amend a motion that he be qualified, by substituting the amount of \$20,000 for \$30,000 in the main motion.

A vote on this amendment again saw the council divided three to three, with Bradford, Van Sickle and Baccus voting against it, causing the amendment to fail for lack of an affirmative vote.

The council voted five to one in favor, with Hansen opposing, on the main motion, that Lowe be qualified to bid on projects up to \$30,000.

**Resolution Passes**  
The council unanimously passed a resolution that the city request the federal government, through the University of Oregon, for federal urban planning assistance.

This request is a continuation of the federal-city cooperative plan for the development of a master plan for the city. This particular phase, which would cost \$17,000, the government and the city each paying half, would provide for the development of a major street plan, public buildings study, and central area study.

The council called for public hearings on a vacation of an alley between Highway 99 and Gore ave., as recommended by the planning commission, and a zone change from residential to commercial at 1827 North Riverside rd., also recommended by the planning commission.

The council held a public hearing on, and approved, the installation of a water main on East McAndrews rd., from Waverly ave. to a point 466 feet west of Springbrook rd. Bids on the project were also called.

Revised plans and specifications for a sanitary sewer in the South Riverside ave., Barnet rd. area, were approved.  
**Bids Rejected**  
All bids for the purchase of a back-hoe were rejected by

the council upon the recommendation of the public works department, which said it could purchase a back-hoe (trencher) attachment for one of its existing rigs at a large savings in cost.

Approval was also given to the sale of the Egan house, which was acquired by the city as part of the right of way for the 10th st. extension, to high bidder, J. H. Harmon who bid \$450.

Upon request of City Manager Duff, revised plans and specifications for improving Niantic st., from Edwards to Maple sts. was approved by the council so the city could proceed with the purchase of a 20-foot right of way from properties abutting on the west side of the street.

Wayne (Shady) Wakefield was unanimously endorsed by the council to serve out Aubrey Lopers unexpired term on the citizen's budget committee.

## Quotes From the News

By UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL  
New York—Swiss sculptor Jean Tinguely, after firemen put out his huge self-destrorying art machine at the Museum of Modern Art:  
"It was a success—marvelous, marvelous, marvelous."

Hollywood—Filmland lawyer Jerry Giesler, commenting on the work of his associates who defended Carole Tregoff in her murder trial:  
"I think the boys did quite well today to get bail for Tregoff on the standing of the jury which stood for a mistrial."

London—Peiping radio, on the prison sentences of a bishop and other Roman Catholics on charges of spying and counter-revolutionary activities:  
"Their collusion with the imperialists and treason against the motherland under the cloak of religion constituted serious crimes of high treason."

Washington—Lee Porter, Republican Southern director, in a memorandum to the South on Democratic National Chairman Paul M. Butler:  
"Butler . . . is pressing a drive to control the Democrat convention for a platform written by the radical Democrat Advisory council, with Eleanor Roosevelt contributing her biased views on civil rights."

## Lent Held in Commemoration of Days Jesus Spent in Wilderness

BY THE RT. REV. OLIVER J. HART  
Episcopal Bishop of Pennsylvania  
Written for UPI

The period of Lent is observed in commemoration of the forty days that Jesus spent in the wilderness thinking out the principles upon which He would found his kingdom.

Whatever you make of the three temptations which Jesus there experienced, certainly they mean this — that Jesus realized that men are tempted to be concerned with material things only.

**Much Unemployment**  
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**ASK PADEREWSKI STAMP**  
Washington—Sen. Alexander Wiley (R-Wis.) today urged the post office to issue a commemorative stamp honoring Ignace Paderewski-Poland's famous musical artist and statesman.

## EP Barber Snips as Stereo Records Play

Eagle Point—A barber shop to be opened here tomorrow morning by Tom Cornwall, owner of a shop in Medford for 10 years, will feature stereophonic music, television and haircuts.  
The home-style shop is located in Mrs. Net Boyer's home behind the pool hall on Main st.

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**CARRY PARROT FEVER**  
Memphis, Tenn.—Health officials reported today three out of four pigeons tested in Memphis were found to be infected with a disease commonly called "parrot fever." The officials said they were attempting to determine if the pigeons could pass the disease to humans.

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