REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING July 15, 1952

Meeting was called to order at 8:40 by Mayor Dimmick.
Councilmen present: Young, Smith, Lesmeister. Fox absent.
Others present: Attorney Hall, Engineer Echols, Judge Nelson, Chief Brown.

Minutes of regular meeting of July 1 was read. Approved as read.

Letters read: League of Oregon Cities in re REA Franchise
" " " Telephone Franchise
State Highway Department in re signs
R. V. Guerrettaz resignation

Bills read: Telephone Co. City 11.85

"Brown 14.24

Nook Cafe prisoner meals 7.80

Azalea Garage Siren installation and car storage 55.75

Ed & Mendy Diesel oil for grader 11.86

Young's 5¢ & 10¢ store 1.45

Davidsons office supplies 13.90

R. G. Sabin for prisoner Donald Warnock 9.95

League of Oregon Cities-service charge 61.00

After some discussion of bill for prisoner meals and request by councilmen that the prisoner meals bills be itemited, Motion was made by councilman Smith, seconded by councilman Young that bills be paid. Passed unanimously.

Mr. Brooks, representative of Coos-Curry Cooperative, was present and spoke about franchise taxes on cooperatives. He pointed out that the tax would have to be charged back to the city users as it would not be fair to other coop members outside the city to be required to help pay this city tax. Mr. Brooks also presented lighting contract for street lights and pointed out the advantages of the mercury-vapor lights.

MOTION by councilman Young, seconded by councilman Smith that the present seventeen street lights be changed over to mercury-vapor lights and that two new lights be installed, one at Pioneer Road and Azalea Park Road and one at Pacific and Hillside. Motion passed unanimously.

Councilman Smith presented the following Resolution and moved its adoption, seconded by Councilman Lesmeister:

C. W. Kruger was present and presented application for beer license. After discussion, council deferred the matter for two weeks or to the next regular council meeting.

Tommy Thompson was present to ask about amusement machines and if there is a machine that he can put in that minors can play. It will be further investigated.

Jim cobinson was present and notified the council that he had been approved by Liquor Control Commission for a Restaurant Class "B" license. He said the inspector had been here and had given him the understanding that he would get his license and as a result Jim had bought a great deal of equipment for the purpose. Mayor Dimmick informed him that the council had recommended to the Liquor Commission that only one license be granted here. The mayor also said that a representative would be down.

State Highway representative was present to offer any service he could render for the city. He said that Highway Department would paint stalls first time when parking meters were installed. He also said that the department would put in stop signs and speed signs also Service Club signs.

Attorney Hall read Ordinance No. 25 the second time by title.

Attorney Hall read Ordinance No. 24 the second time by title.

Attorney Hall read Ordinance No. 12A the second time by title.

Attorney Hall read Ordinance No. 23 the second time by title.

Councilman Young presented the following resolution and moved its adoption, seconded by councilman Smith:

RESOLUTION: Be it resolved, that Mayor RobertO. Dimmick and Recorder R. V. Guerrettaz should be and they are hereby authorized to execute a contract with the Park-O-Meter Co. for the purchase of 188 meters in accordance with the Park-O-Meter co. proposal.

Mayor Dimmick put motion to council for vote. After polling the council, the mayor teclared the motion passed unanimously.

Attorney Hall discussed the P. U. C. meeting to be held the 22nd of July and asked for a list of witnesses who could be called upon to appear before the hearing to give evidence of kind of service given by Elmer Bankus.

Councilman Smith thought that the streets should again be cleaned.

Mayor Dimmick presented plans and specifications of the addition to the fire hall for use as a city hall. Engineer Echols estimated that the cost would be approximately \$2600.00. The council decided to insert a notice in the local paper asking for bids on the addition.

Motion by councilman Young to adjourn. Mayor put motion and declared the meeting adjourned at 12:20 A. M.

Recorder Greatellas

Addition to minutes:

MOTION by councilman Lesmeister, seconded by councilman Smith that Class "A" Package Store license be approved for Chetco Store.
Motion passed unanimously.