

Sept. 6, 1932

The regular meeting of the Council was held on Tuesday, Sept. 6, 1932, the first Monday being a holiday.

On roll call there were present: Mayor Dedman, Attorney Wait, Chief of Police Lent, Recorder H. B. Evans, and Councilmen Bates, Dimick, Meeks, Porter and Thompson. Absent-Graham, Koehler and Patch.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communications.

From the State Ind. Accident Commission, relative to the fire department and advising that our one paid fireman would be compensated in case of injury sustained while attending a fire within a five-mile radius of the city limits of Canby, but owing to the fact that we do not maintain a volunteer department, it would be impossible for the Commission to compensate anyone who might attend and assist at fires occurring in the community.

A petition signed by various citizens living near the County Fair grounds was read by the Recorder. This was in the form of a remonstrance against the landing of planes in cultivated fields, thereby raising much dust and dirt, and being a public nuisance.

As the planes invariably make use of private property, the Council instructed the Recorder to communicate with the petitioners, suggesting that property owners do not rent their land for such purposes.

The following claims against the city were then presented:

General Fund.

Canby Hdw. & Impl. Co.	\$ 1.85
Chas. N. Wait	3.50
Howard-Cooper Corp.	.93
Fred Larson	10.00
Aug. Rothenberg	75.00
Louis Lent	17.38
City of Portland	20.00
State Ind. Acc. Com.	3.62

	\$ 132.28

Light Fund.

Fobes Supply Co.	\$ 26.82
Molalla Electric Co.	448.40
Elect. App. & Const. Co.	4.90
Gordon Fredrikson	9.35
Louis Lent	115.74
Canby Hdw. & Impl. Co.	246.66
State Ind. Acc. Com.	3.03
Coll. of Int. Rev.	18.44

	\$ 873.39

Water Fund.

Canby Hdw. & Impl. Co.	13.67
Frank Kendall	10.00
C.E. Bowman	3.60
Horace Patch	3.20
Louis Lent	78.90
Gt. Western E C Co	5.50
R.W. Atwood	5.00
State Ind. Acc. Com.	1.45

	\$ 121.32

Road Fund.

Frank Kendall	\$ 3.75
Lester Hess	1.85
State Ind. Acc. Com.	.14

	\$ 5.74

On motion, seconded and carried, the above claims were allowed.
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Reports.

Supt. Lent reported test of water O.K. Also two bad leaks in main, which had been repaired. Also that two transformers for use of Fair Grounds had been rented.

Fire Chief reported having purchased carboy of acid for truck.

Street Commissioner Dimick reported having ordered two cars of oil for streets.

Whereupon, it being time to appoint a Budget Committee for the purpose of preparing a budget for the coming year, on motion, seconded and carried, the following citizens were named:

A.H. Knight, J.R. Vinyard, Ed. Krueger, A. S. Markee, R.C. Smith, Wilmer Sandsness, G. W. White and W.H. Bair.

Whereupon the Recorder was instructed to write Mr. Blazer requesting him to attend the October meeting of the Council.

Whereupon on motion, the following Resolution was introduced, and being seconded and carried, declared adopted:

RESOLUTION.

RESOLVED by the City Council of Canby, Oregon, at its regular session on the evening of Sept. 6, 1932.

WHEREAS, the City Council of Canby has made careful inquiry into the facts surrounding the death by accident, at Canby, of Erle Bowsby, regular nightwatchman of Canby, on the night of March 24, 1932, when struck by a Southern Pacific Railway train, while he was in the act of crossing the said Southern Pacific Railway track near the depot in Canby;

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the City Council of Canby, that the said Erle Bowsby at the time said accident occurred was acting in the full discharge of his duty as nightwatchman, and as said duties had been and were expected to be performed by said Erle Bowsby to the regulations and satisfaction of the City Council of Canby; and,

WHEREAS, the claim of Harriet Bowsby, widow of the said Erle Bowsby has been denied and refused by the State Ind. Accident Commission, and believing the action of the said Commission to be wrong in the matter, we ask that said Commission give the claimant Harriet Bowsby, a re-hearing in the matter, and we hereby instruct the City Attorney of Canby to furnish Mrs. Bowsby, such assistance as may be necessary to obtain a re-hearing of the matter and to assist her in securing the compensation which we believe she is entitled to under the circumstances in this case, and the Workman's Compensation Law of the State of Oregon.

There being no other business, the Council then adjourned.

Approved-Octo. 3-1932

H. A. Dedman
Mayor.

H. B. Evans
City Recorder

Regular Meeting.
Octo. 3-1932

The regular monthly meeting of the Council was held on Monday, Octo. 3, 1932 at 8 o'clock P.M.

On roll call there were present: Mayor Dedman, Attorney Wait, Chief of Police Lent, Recorder H.B. Evans and Councilmen Bates, Dimick, Graham, Meeks, Patch, Porter and Thompson. Councilman Koehler reported later.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communications.

The Recorder read communications from J. L. Franzen, Secretary of the League of Oregon Cities, and from Philip A. Parsons, Director of Bureau of Social Research, University of Oregon, announcing a meeting of the League at Eugene on October 13 and 14, and expressing the wish that Canby be represented. No action, except that the Mayor stated that it would be a good thing if some one could attend.

Whereupon, Mr. Eugene Blazer being present, Mayor Dedman asked him to address the Council regarding his intentions with respect to the open ditches left by the Canby Rivers Irrigation Company.

Mr. Blazer stated that it was the intention to install pipes as soon as wet weather came on, and it could be done without too much nuisance.

Reports.

Supt. Lent reported having connected up two new water customers. Also that he expected to clean the tank on Thursday night, Octo. 6, and that water would be shut off from about eight to twelve, and that all water pipe lines would be flushed thoroughly.

In connection with this, a Mr. Santo being present, stated that the water tank needed scraping and painting, which would help eliminate offensive odors, and offered to do the job for 350.00.

Mr. Lent suggested that members of the Council visit the works on Thursday night, while tank was empty.