Regular Monthly Meeting August 3-1931

The regular monthly meeting of the Council was held on Monday, August 3, 1931 at the usual hour. 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. Absent, Koehler.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Recorder read a communication from the County Tax Collector calling attention to unpaid taxes for the years 1923-4-5 on the N $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lots 10 to 12, Block 6. Matter referred to City Attorney for adjustment.

Whereupon a request for lower water rates was made by Mr. Gabriel , Principal of Union

High School, Mr. Gabriel with several of the Directors being present.

After some discussion, on motion of Bates seconded by Graham and carried, it was voted to allow the following water rates for the School during the months of July, August and September.

\$ 6.00 Minimum 1.00 per hundred First 600 cu. feet Next 500 " " .40 " " ·06 " All in excess

On motion, seconded and carried, it was also voted to grant School District # 86 the following rates during the same months:

> \$ 4.00 Minimum First 400 cu ft. 1.00 per hundred .40 " " Next 500 " " ·06 " All in excess

> > Motor France

The following claims against the City were then presented, and on motion, seconded and carried were allowed: Yeas 7-nays 0 .

General Fund		Water Fund	
R. W. Atwood C. E. Bowman E. Bowlsby Fred Larson Louis Lent	\$ 2.00 3.40 25.00 10.00 19.75	Louis Lent Great Western E-C Co. R.W.Atwood Fairbanks, Morse & Co. State Ind. Acc. Com.	\$ 77.47 5.50 3.00 110.49 1.31
Howard-Cooper Corp . G. W. White Motor Car Co. H. B. Evans Lents Garage	11.22 22.16 1.00 3.61	Light Fund	\$ 197.77
Crane Co. C. N. Wait J. D. Morris State Ind. Acc. Com.	21.45 2.50 47.00 1.75	Molalla Electric Co. Louis Lent Fobes Supply Co. General Electric Co. Hurst Truck Lines	\$ 451.82 116.90 1.71 .90 1.33 3.31
Road Fund		State Ind. Acc. Com.	\$ 575.97
J. Hess W. Sandsness	\$ 1.80 10.15	Bond Ret. Fund #	4
	\$ 11.95	Canby State Bank	\$ 515.00

Reports.

Mr. Lent reported that the rumor that the city water was bad was absolutely unfounded and that recent tests had been satisfactory.

That the new meter to be installed by the Molalla Electric Co. had not yet arrived, and that Mr. Kurtichanoff had advised that he wished to be present when it was installed.

Also that the Molalla Electric Co. had nearly completed building its lines around the City. Mr. Lent also advised the purchase of an ammeter and volt meter, and on motion of Graham, seconded by Bates and carried it was voted to purchase same.

Mr. Larson reported having made a general inspection of the City for fire hazards, with the result that much cleaning up had been done. Some dangerous conditions left however, which should be cared for. He also bro't up the matter of organizing a volunteer fire department, and asked the opinion of the Council. Mayor Dedman stated that he thought it would be an excellent move. Others of the same opinion.

Whereupon, Mr. Wait reported having received necessary deeds to Lots 7 and 8 -Block 1

taken over by the city, at a cost of \$50.00 which was ordered paid to J.D.Morris.

Mr. Lent asked for two weeks vacation to commence August 12, which was allowed, the

City to pay substitute as formerly.

Adjourned,

Approved-Sept. 8-1931

/fa, Vadenau

Mayor