

Council Chamber Lebanon, Oregon  
September 21, 1897.

Council called to order by Mayor L. Poley.

Present Councilmen Boyle, Peterson, Beuman and Morris.

Absent Councilmen Umphrey and Long.

Minutes of the previous meeting were then read and approved as read.

A report from the Committee on Streets and Public Property was then read and upon motion was adopted and ordered filed.

A report from Committee upon Electric Light Contract was then read to the Council and upon motion was adopted and ordered filed and City Attorney instructed to draft a contract in accordance with the report.

The Marshall then reported that he had notified Messrs. McCurdy and Jackson to build sidewalk and that both parties had expressed their willingness to do so.

Resignation of G. W. Rice as Recorder of the City of Lebanon was then presented to the Council by Mayor Poley. and upon motion made and carried was accepted and ordered placed on file.

A petition from A. Gottecke and others asking the Council to appoint W. M. Brown Recorder to fill out unexpired term of G. W. Rice was then filed and read.

Nominations were then declared in order to nominate candidates for the purpose of electing a Recorder.

W. M. Brown was then placed in nomination, there being no other nominations, the nominations were declared closed and Saml M. Garland and John Carroll were appointed tellers by the Mayor.

Ballot resulted in Brown receiving 4 votes two members absent, and W. M. Brown having

received a majority of all the members of the Council was declared duly appointed by the said Council.

W. M. Brown then appeared before the Council and took the required oath of office, it being administered by Mayor L. Foley.

Ordinance Bill No. — was then introduced and read the first time.

Moved and carried that the Ordinance be read the second time by title only.

So the Ordinance was read the second time by title only.

The question then being shall the Ordinance be read the third time now. the roll call resulted as follows, — Boyles yes — Peterson, No — Morris yes, — Beaman yes — Absent Umphrey and Long. The vote not being unanimous the Ordinance was not read the third time.

Bill of Frank Nickerson for 75¢ was then presented to the Council.

Moved and carried that the bill be allowed and a warrant ordered drawn on the Genl fund for the same.

Moved and carried that we do now adjourn.

W. M. Brown,  
Recorder of the City of Lebanon.