

Council Chamber, Oregon City, Oregon,

February 6th, 1918.

The City Council of Oregon City, Oregon, met in regular session on the above date at 7 o'clock, p.m.

Roll call showed the following officers present:

John W. Loder, Recorder,  
C. A. Miller, City Engineer,  
C. C. Babcock, Street Superintendent.  
M. D. Phillips, City Treasurer.  
W. H. Cooke, Chief of Police.

Councilmen:

Isom C. Bridges,  
A. B. Buckles,  
George V. Ely,  
F. A. Metzner,  
E. L. Moore,  
H. M. Templeton.  
J. J. Tobin,

Absent:

C. W. Freidrich,  
E. D. Van Auken.  
E. C. Hackett, Mayor,  
George L. Story, City Attorney.

In the absence of the Mayor, Mr. F. A. Metzner, president of the Council presided.

The minutes of the meetings of the city council held on the 21st day of January, 1918, were read and approved.

The bids of Wm. Knoop and of C. W. Heskett for care and cleaning of the improved streets were referred to the committee on streets and public property with power to act.

The bid, accompanied by a check of \$25.00 payable to the City Treasurer, for the City's property at the southwest corner of 11th St at Madison Street was referred to the Finance Committee.

The request of Jos. Meindl for expenses for the excavation of his retaining wall along his property on 11th Street was referred to the committee on streets and public property with instructions to report back to the council at its next meeting.

The petition of Chase and Linton for permission to use a part of 14th and Water Streets, beginning at the top of the bank at the West end and extending to low water line referred to the committee on Streets and public Property.

Petition of McFarland Company for permission to install a  
Gas Station

Gas Station on Main Street at the Miller-Parker old stand was granted provided that the same be installed under the supervision of the Street Committee and the City Engineer.

The request of the Portland Railway, Light and Power Company for permission to cross Main Street with power wires was referred to the City Attorney.

Request of the City Treasurer to call Warrants No. 65 and 68 on the Sewer District No. 10 Fund was granted and on motion and roll call the vote resulted as follows:

Ayes: Buckles, Bridges, Ely, Metzner, Moore, Templeton and Tobin. (7)  
 Noes: None.  
 Absent: Freidrich and Van Auken (2)

The petition of D.E. Frost and Committee for an extension of the permission to rent the Elevator Advertising Space on the same terms as last year was granted provided if money received not used for the purposes stated the same would be refunded to the City.

The petition of Wm. M. Stone in regard to the incapacity of the Catch Basin at the corner of Twelfth and Taylor Streets and the matter was referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

The report of the City Recorder for the month of January, 1918, was read and ordered placed on file.

The report of the chief of Police for the Month of January, 1918, was read and ordered placed on file.

The report of the City Treasurer for the quarter ending, January 1-1918, was read and ordered placed on file.

The report of the Board of Water Commissioners for the half year ending January 1-1918 was read and ordered placed on file.

Reports of the City officials relative to property belonging to the City of Oregon City, also report of Dr. Norris, City Health officer were ordered accepted and spread upon the minutes of the council for future reference:

List of Supplies, Furniture, Material and Tools in Engineers' Office. January 31st, 1918, in accordance with Ordinance No. 813.

One Leopold and Voelpol Transit and Tripod,	200.00
Onw " " Level,	100.00
One Level Rod,	6.00
Two Transit rods, (one steel ( one Wood)	3.00
One hundred foot steel tape	1.00
5 Castsings for monuments at St Intersections	10.00
1 T Square	1.50
1 3 Foot Steel straight edge	5.00
4 Letter Files	6.00
1 4 Foot Wood straight edge	3.00
1 2 Foot Wood Straight edge	1.00
1 Blue Print frame	
1 Swivel Desk Chair	3.00
1 Oak Roller Top desk,	15.00
1 Waste Basket,	.50
1 Oak Filing Cabinet,	15.00
1 Cabinet for drawings	15.00
One Book case with open shelves,	3.00
2 Drawing Boards	10.00
2 Tables with drawers and pigeon holes	20.00

One Book Case with doors	7.00	
Stationary:		
30 Yards Detail Drawing paper	2.00	
50 Yards Crosssection paper	5.00	
25 Yards Tracing profile paper	2.50	
4 Large loose leaf covers for town maps	12.00	
1 Box Wood scale	1.50	
2 Oil Heaters for elevator	5.00	\$ 439.00

List of Supplies, furniture and fixtures in Recorder's office,  
January 31st, 1918, in accordance with Ordinance No. 813.

One typewriter Desk	12.00
One Underwood Typewriter,	102.80
One Burroughs Adding Machine	221.00
One safe, about	200.00
One large Desk,	10.00
One typewriter desk,	12.00
Six Chairs,	12.00
Six Folding chairs,	6.00
One filing cabinet,	20.00
One Hotchkiss Paper fastener,	1.00

Supplies, printed forms etc:		
600 Duplicate receipts bound in Books of 100 each with dup's.	4.50	
1500 General Fund Warrants with stubs, bound in books of 500 each	12.50	
200 Library Warrants same, only 100 to book	1.50	
200 Cemetery Warants, same	1.50	
500 Road warrants with stubs, same	3.75	
500 Licenses with stubs bound and 100 to a book	4.50	
4000 Requisition blanks in triplicate	38.50	
205 Copies of charter	287.00	
250 Duplicate deposit slips,	8.00	
150 Bancroft Applications	5.00	
500 Application for burial permits	4.00	
500 Burial Permits,	3.50	
500 1918 Letterheads,	4.80	
350 Large Envelopes,	3.00	
500 Small Envelopes,	3.50	
125 Election books,	10.00	
22 Complaints	1.00	
36 Copies of Ordinance No. 631	1.00	
20 Copies of Health ordinance in re spitting on streets and walks	.75	
250 Certificates of title, M.V. Park	5.00	
10 Certificates of First Addition	.25	
100 Second addition certificates	2.50	
150 Old cemetery certificates	3.75	
300 Delinquent Liens return to Treasurer	6.00	
400 Certificates of Del. Liens	7.50	
50 Exempt fire certificates	4.00	
1 Box of carbon paper, nearly full	3.50	
$\frac{1}{4}$ Box typewriter paper	.75	
120 Blanks in re procedure in St. Imp	2.50	
150 same for Sewers	3.00	
6 Manuscript envelopes,	.60	
2 Paper Clips,	.90	1033.65

Lists of Tools and City Property in the charge and keeping of the  
Street Superintendent.

Street sprinkler,  
One two horse streetsweeper  
One street sweeper filler,  
One 12-inch breaking plow.  
Two iron Wheel Barrows,  
One Hand truck,  
one small hose cart, One steel ribbon tape for sewer cleaning,  
150-  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch jointed sewer rods,  
70  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch sewer wire,  
One hose recoupling machine,  
Two rock rake,  
One garden rake,  
Three lawn mowers,  
Two hundred feet garden hose,

Two peevies,  
 Four square shovels,  
 Three round shovels,  
 Two Mattocks,  
 One sythe,  
 One brush hook,  
 One hand saw,  
 Two sewer augers,  
 One 50 foot steel tape  
 Three hoses,  
 Three lanterns  
 One pair plyers,  
 One weed puller,  
 One wrecking bar,  
 Six picks,  
 Five Drills,  
 Two crow bars,  
 One striking hammer,  
 Five stone hammers,  
 One axe,  
 One hand axe,  
 One cross-cut saw,  
 One hand hammer,  
 One carpenters hammer,  
 One extension brace,  
 Three bits,  
 One chisel,  
 Two spike mauls,  
 Four Jackscrews,  
 One pail,  
 Two Sprinklers,  
 One screw drivers,  
 One pair pinchers,  
 Three coal chisels,  
 One riveting hammer,  
 One oil cup,  
 One fine screen.

Report of the Fire apparatus and furniture owned by the  
 Fire Department of Oregon City, Oregon.

Hose Company No. 1.  
 One cart with 600 feet of 2nd class hose.  
 3 hydrant wrenches,  
 2 cut-off nozzles,  
 one axe,  
 2 coats,  
 18 helmets.

Chemical No. 1.

100 feet of 1½ inch hose,  
 2 lanterns,  
 One axe,  
 3 wrenches,  
 1 nozzle,

Hook and Ladder No. 1.

12 fire buckets,  
 2 axes,  
 2 pitch forks,  
 4 lanterns,  
 2 coats,  
 123 feet of ladders in good condition.

The two companies have the following furniture:

3 library tables,  
 1 roller desk  
 36 leather bottomed chairs,  
 1 stove  
 10 cuspidores,  
 40 yards brussels carpet

Cataract Hose Co. No. 2

1 cart with 600 feet of good hose.  
 2 cut off nozzles,  
 2 hydrant wrenches,  
 1 axe,  
 2 coats

21 arm chairs,  
 1 Library Table  
 4 common tables,  
 35 Yards Brussels carpet,  
 1 Stove,  
 24 yards Linoleum,

Hose Company No. 3.

1 hose cart with 100 feet of good hose,  
 One cut-off nozzle,  
 4 hydrants, wrenches,  
 1 axe,  
 2 coats

This company has an old hook and ladder that has been condemned with  
 5-20 foot ladders, and 4 fire buckets.

24 leather bottomed chairs,  
 1 library table,  
 1 roller desk,  
 2 stands,  
 1 office chair,  
 1 stove.

Hose Company No. 4.

1 chemical engine,  
 100 feet of 1½ inch hose,  
 2 hydrant wrenches,  
 2 axes,  
 1 monkey wrench,  
 2 lanterns,  
 1 hose cart with 600 feet of fair hose  
 2 - 24 inch nozzles,  
 1 hydrant wrench,  
 28 galvanized fire buckets,  
 24 arm chairs,  
 2 Library Tables,  
 1 roller desk,  
 1 writing desk,  
 1 stove,  
 30 yards linoleum,

Hose Company No. 5.

One hose cart with 600 feet of fair hose,  
One cut-off nozzle,  
1 -24 inch nozzle,  
2 wrenches,  
45 common chairs,  
1 library table,  
1 stove,

Head of Seventh Street fire house.

One hose cart with 350 feet of hose, (fair)  
1 - 24 inch nozzle,  
3 wrenches/

Cart at Fifth Street, located at Williams Bros Barn.

One cart with 300 feet of poor hose,  
1 -24 inch nozzle.  
One axe,  
two wrenches.

Plank Road Fire House:

One small cart with 250 feet of very poor hose,  
One 24 inch nozzle,  
one hydrant wrench,

Kansas City Fire House.

One cart with 350 feet of very poor hose (rubber hose)  
One 24 inch nozzle,  
Two hydrant wrenches,

Other supplies on hand.

2 Electric heaters  
450 feet of good hose in drying tower,  
7 gallons of acid,  
40 pounds of soda,  
1 hose jacket,

Total amount of hose 4600 feet. of which amount 3450 feet is good hose, the balance of 1150 feet being very poor and would not stand test

Oregon City, Oregon, Jan. 10 1918.

To: the Hon. Mayor and City Council,  
of Oregon City, Oregon.

Gentlemen:-

I herewith submit to you, my report of the Health conditions of the city for the quarter ending Jan. 1-1918.

The health and sanitary conditions of the city may be stated as up to average for the season of the year.

Contagious diseases have been few in number and mild in type the following is the detail:

October,	Scarlatina	1		
November	"	3,		
November	Infantile Paralysis	1,		
December	Measles,	<u>1</u>	Total	6

Births:

October births	Males 9,	females	4
November "	Males 5,	females,	4
December "	Males <u>6,</u>	females,	<u>3</u>
Total	20,	Total	11.

## Deaths:

October	Males 4,	females	none.
November	Males 2,	females	3.
December	Males none	females	3.

Total 12 deaths.

## Nuisances:

Cases of alledged nuisances, broken sewers, and no connections with sewers investigated during quarantine 4.

One case of tuberculosis under sanitary supervision.

During the quarter I have made five fumigations; four of infected houses, and one to discharge a patient whsse period of quanantine had elapsed.

Having the hearty co-operation of the families and there being no strenuous work involved, I made the fumigations myself without cost tothe City for labor.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) E.J.W. Norris, M.D.

Health officer.

Treasurer Philips appeared in person stating Bancroft Delinquents amounting to \$40,000.00 principal and interest were outstanding and n motion it was voted that the City Attorney beafurnished all particulars by the Treasurer, so that he can take thenecessary legalsteps to force these collections.

The condition of the sidewalk on the Fifth Street Plank Road was referred to the street superintendent and the city engineer with power to act.

The initiative petition relativeto appeal to the Circuit Court from theRecorder's Court was read and ordered placed on file.

The following ordinanceentitled "Ordinance No. \_\_ An Ordinance regulating Junk and Second Hand Dealers" was read first time and ordered published and to come up for second reading and final passage at a special meeting of the city council to be held on the 18 th day of February, 1918, at 7:30 p.m.

The following ordinance entitled "Ordinance No. \_\_ An Ordinance to amend subdivision 2, of section 2m and to amend section 3, and to amend subdivision 5 of section 2, ( as amended bysection 1 of Ordinance No. 613, of Oregon City, being an ordinance to zmend subdivision 5, of Section 2, of Ordinance 229, " of Ordinance No.229 of Oregon City, being an ordinance regulating the Oregon City Fire Department, approved December 9, 1898" was read first time and ordered published and to come up for secobd reading and final passage at a special meeting of the

City Council of Oregon City to be held on the 18th day of February, 1918 at 7:30 o'clock, p.m.

The following ordinance entitled "Ordinance No. \_\_\_ An Ordinance making it unlawful to disturb the peace and quiet of any person or neighborhood in Oregon City, by certain conduct, prescribing the penalty therefor and declaring an emergency" was read first time and ordered published and to come up for second reading and final passage at a special meeting of the city council to be held on the 18th day of February, 1918, at 7:30 o'clock, p.m.

The following ordinance entitled "Ordinance No. \_\_\_ An Ordinance making it unlawful to carry or display certain signs, banners, posters, placards, in or upon any public street, alley, bridge, or way in Oregon City, and providing a penalty in connection therewith and declaring an emergency" was read first time and ordered published and to come up for second reading and final passage at a special meeting of the said city council to be held on the 18th day of February, 1918, at 7:30 o'clock, p.m.

On motion and roll call the following report of the Finance Committee was adopted, the roll call thereon resulted as follows:

Ayes: Bridges, Ely, Metzner, Moore, Templeton, and Tobin. (7)

Noes: None (0)

Absent: Buckles, Freidrich and Van Auken (2)

Oregon City, Oregon, February 6th,  
1918.

To the Hon. Mayor and City Council  
of Oregon City, Oregon.  
Gentlemen:-

We, your finance committee, having examined the following claims against the city, and finding them correct in the amounts herein stated recommend that the same be ordered paid, by warrants drawn on the respective funds in payment thereof.

#### General.

Health & Police.		
W.H.Cooke,	Chief of police	90.00
F.C.Burke,	night officer,	85.00
Ed Surfus,	same	85.00
J.W.Norris,	Health officer,	40.00
Mary Hanlon,	Special police,	15.00
Harry Kellogg,	Care toilet,	10.00
G.Englebrecht,	Rent of dump	30.00
Miller- Parker,	Supplies,	.85
E.A.Hackett,	Wood for council chamber	7.00
Pac.Tel. & Tel.Co.,	Phones,	2.50
Jones Drug Co.,	Supplies	23.47
Blake McFall,	Toilet paper holders	10.50
Charles Catta,	Meals for jail	9.00
		408.02



Fire and Water Dept.			
George Snook,	Care alarm system	15.00	
Ed Lavier,	Fire chief,	10.00	
Pac.Tel. & Tel.Co.,	Phone for fire chief	2.00	
Col. Hook & Ladder,	Quarter installment	25.00	
Fountain Hose Co.,	same	25.00	
Cataract Hose Co.,	same	25.00	
Hose Company.No. 3	same	25.00	
Mt. View Hose Co.,	same	25.00	
Green Point Hose Co.,	same	25.00	
Miller- Parker,	supplies,	1.00	
Home Tel. Co.,	Fire signals,	6.00	
Jones Drug Co.,	supplies,	4.58	
E.A.Hackett,	Wood for Fountains	7.00	
Theo Miller,	Watching fire,	3.00	
Frank Koening,Jr.	same	3.00	201.58
Wngineering:			
C.A.M iller,	City Engineer,	50.00	
Mult. Lodge,	Rent for February,	11.25	
Pac.Tel. & Tel.Co.,	Phone	3.10	64.35
Recorder:			
Hohn W.Loder,	Recorder and filing fee	25.90	
C.A.Pratt,	Recorders clerk,	70.00	
Huntley Bros.	Supplies,	5.95	
Pac. Tel. & Tel.Co.,	Phone,	2.25	
Mult. Lodge,	Rent for February	11.25	115.35
Elevator.			
Jack Straight,	Operator,	60.00	
Charles Priebe,	Operator,	60.00	
Hames Mickelsen,	Extra man 6 days	16.50	
Chas.Christensen.	Calking,	2.75	
Lon Wickham,	Calking pipe $\frac{1}{2}$ day	1.38	
Miller-Parker,	Supplies,	.35	
Wilson & Cooke,	Oil	1.70	
McCarger-Bates <sup>o</sup> Lively	Insurance,	44.10	
Otis Elevator	Globes,	7.48	
Jones Drug Col,	Globes,	1.73	
P.R.L. & P.Co.,	Light and heat	33.45	
Electric Store,	Supplies,globes etc	4.86	234.30
Court Costs			
Swender Blue Print Co.,	Map	.45	
Melvin Dowell,	Witness Zadiner,	1.60	2.05
Arc Lights:			
P.R.L. & P.Co.,	Arcs for January		369.42
Lights:			
P.R.L. & P.Co.,	Incandescent lights		130.07
Printing:			
O.C.Enterprise,	notices and letterheads		15.65
City Attorney:			
George L.Story,	Attorneys fees	90.00	
W.M.Stone,	Municipal law books	30.00	
Huntley Bros.	Paper	6.00	126.00
Cemetery Fund:			
Frank Bullard,	Sexton etc	25.95	
Pac.Tel. & Tel.Co.,	Phone	1.75	
Jones Drug Co.,	Window Glass	6.00	33.70
Library:			
Bertha Adams	Librarian,	60.00	
K.Hutchinson,	Ass't Librarian,	25.00	
Home Tel.Co.,	Phone	1.25	
Pac.Tel. & Tel.Co.,	Phone,	2.15	
Jones Drug	Supplies	12.60	
Oregon Journal	paper	5.00	
Prester Bros	Sawing wood,	5.35	
W.W.Linton,	Wood	2.50	
Williams Bros	Delivery of books,	2.59	
J.K.Gill & Co.,	Books,	20.94	
P.R.L. & P.Co.,	Lights	6.40	143.78

## Road Fund:

C.C.Babcock,	Superintendent	90.00
WM. M. Knoop	Care of improved streets	115.00
Chris Eisele,	Street work,	45.37
Lon Wickham,	Street work,	36.43
Chas. Richardson,	Street work,	35.75
L.Knoop,	Street work,	35.75
Dewey Hair,	Street work,	35.75
Sam Forsythe,	Care of dump	8.25
L.Maddox,	Street work,	11.00
Jim Shelly,	Street work,	8.25
V.Harris,	Cement	1.70
Glenmorie Rock Co.,	Crushed rock,	166.60
Francis Welsh,	Lumber,	8.00
Jones Drug Co.,	Supplies,	4.65
C.J.Hood	Lumber,	58.05
Chris Hartmann,	Hauling	<u>.50661.05</u>

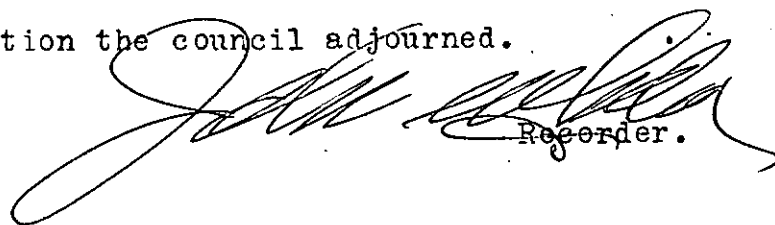
Respectfully submittee,

H.M.Templeton,  
J.J.Tobin,  
George V. Ely.

The application of Clem Dollar for Pool and Billiard Rooms on Main Street in the old Scramm Building was presented and it was voted that the council approved the same, there being no resonstrances against it filed.

The president of the Council announced that the meeting called for February 7th, 1918, was indefinitely postponed.

On motion the council adjourned.

  
Recorder.