

COUNCIL HOLDS SHORT SESSION

Regular Reports Made and Bills for Month of April Are Allowed.

BOOKS NEED AUDITING

Treasurer Thomas Requests That Council See That Books Receive Attention From Auditor.

The city council held a very short business session last night, dispensing with the regular routine of business and passing upon the bills of the month. All the councilmen with the exception of one were present.

W. F. Thomas presented a request to the council to take some action in regard to the auditing of the city books. He stated that this had not been done for over three years and it would soon become necessary. Mayor Rice referred the matter to the committee on current expense and asked that an auditor be employed at once to start the work.

The treasurer also announced that he has called in a series of bonds, which if presented, will total a sum exceeding the amount now set aside for their payment in the budget. After a short discussion the council left the matter to Mr. Thomas for shifting money from another fund to meet this exigency.

The regular reports of the standing committees were heard and approved.

The matter of removing two large trees in the Laurewood addition which interfere with the present paving plans was brought up and caused some discussion. City Engineer Epstein explained that one of the trees is almost in the center of the street paving which is planned and the other nearer the curb line. The mayor called on J. V. Casey to explain the location of the trees. He stated that the trees were very beautiful and that the property owners would probably object to their removal. It was argued by some of the councilmen that the tree in the middle of the street would be a menace to the public and that the city could not be responsible for it.

No agreement was reached in the matter until it was decided that the councilmen should meet today and make the trip to the addition in a body and get first-hand information on the proposition.

Several ordinances were placed on second and third reading which called for additional paving.

Following are the bills allowed for the month of April:

General Fund	
Geo. W. Culver, supplies	\$ 4.80
George Grimm, assigned claim	10.00
Wharton Bros. broom	1.50
Cherchill Hardware Co., paint	25.35
Roseburg News-Review printing	44.00
Doherty Bros. service	19.50
American Legion, prizes	7.50
Chas. E. Rusho, hauling	40.00
H. F. Ekmeier, loan	1.10
George Dietrich, special police	4.17
R. L. Whipple, assigned claim for postage	.43
John E. Runyan, services and material	94.13
C. A. Ott, election judge	3.00
Standard Oil Company, asphalt	761.74
P. F. Critcher, loan	2.50
Rensselaer Vale company, by draft	60.50
W. P. Carter, repairing hose on sprinkler	1.50
W. O. Montgomery, sharpening lawnmower	1.00
Scott Brothers, services	6.45
Service Garage, gasoline	2.00
Roseburg Book Store, supplies	6.20
C. O. P. Co., services for April	\$60.82
J. W. Draper, labor	49.60
Bushong & Co., printing bonds	124.50
Chas. B. Wade, services	5.00
W. S. Powell, services	4.00
Improvement Fund	
Laurewood sewer No. 2	
Morris Bowker, surveying (Pay to H. L. Epstein)	14.00
H. L. Epstein, surveying	8.00
Chas. Crocker, surveying	36.00
Pace Lumber company, lumber and stakes	4.00
Roseburg News-Review, notice of intention	3.33



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NEW YORK PREPARES TO WELCOME WOMEN AT JUNE CONVENTION

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, May 6.—Women, who will be more numerous and more powerful at this year's National Democratic Convention than any previous convocation of the party, have set out to show their influence in a few things about convention conduct.

The authority for this statement is Miss Elisabeth Marbury, committee woman from New York State, member of the Democratic national executive committee, and recognized leader of her sex in councils of the party.

Among other things, Miss Marbury says "men have had political conventions all their own way for a long time. They have been taught to take the responsibility more seriously than men; feminine delegates to the Madison Square Garden proceedings are going to get something more out of the experience than the novelty of voting for a residential nominee; and they are going to be shown that New York is something besides a glorified jazz band of bustle and show."

It is only 56 years since, at the national convention held in this city—1868—Susan B. Anthony had the temerity to appear before the rock-coated, silk-batted delegates assembled to demand that a vote for women be plank in the Democratic party platform.

This year women have equal representation with men on the National Democratic committee, and party leaders, including the men, realize that fully a third of the delegates to the Madison Square Garden doings will be women.

One of the first actions of the sub-committee on convention arrangements, when it chose New York for the 1924 session, was to entrust Miss Marbury with the responsibility of "contributing to the comfort, convenience and entertainment of the women delegates, and instilling a spirit of harmony between them and the men representatives." Miss Marbury named a committee of nine to aid her, establishing a Women's Convention bureau at the Waldorf-Astoria headquarters for the party, and set out personally to carry out instructions.

"Many women who will come here delegates or convention visitors, will be seeing New York for the first time," Miss Marbury said. "As native New Yorkers, I believe there is more to this metropolis than its usual features."

"A great many women will come here who in their home towns, 'out the sticks,' as they say it, are proudly active in municipal affairs, welfare work, prison reforms, with betterment, public school administration, playgrounds, and even anti-improvements. We propose to give those women some ideas to take home with them."

"We will take them to see our schools, our settlement clubs, our churches, and children's clinics. They will get some ideas that will be of

use when they return home. "We believe Coney Island, 'the poor man's paradise,' is no joke; that when a workingman can take his wife away from the sweltering metropolis to such an amusement resort and such a beach at a cost of five cents for carfare, it is something worth studying and seeing."

"A new system of sightseeing tours, with qualified guides, is being arranged. For instance, we want to enable the women to visit the Metropolitan Museum of Art or the American Museum of Natural History intelligently, to gather the score or more of 'highlights' in each, and avoid the fatigue and scrambled impressions left by the usual sightseeing."

"There is a church committee: a Protestant woman, a Jewish, a Catholic and a Christian Scientist. To list the noted preachers and the churches where they may be heard. And, first of all, we will have a Bureau of Information and intelligent answers at the Waldorf-Astoria that will be an innovation."

In the mean time, Miss Marbury is preparing a Convention Cook Book to be published at convention time as a demonstration that women can be both politicians and housewives. The book will contain 55 photographs and 55 recipes, one of each from every state and territorial woman member of the National Democratic Committee. The recipes are to be "tried and true ones," telling how to make some tasty dish that is typical of a state or territory."

EIGHT MORE MEN FOR LOCAL COMPANY

The campaign to recruit Company D, the local national guard organization, to the full strength of 75 members as required by the war department brought the company up to the requirement, according to Alvin Knudsen, who is in command during the absence of Captain Marsters. The company has an enlistment of 76 men and 66 per cent of the guardsmen attended the regular drill last night.

It is desired to enlist eight more in order to make the maximum enrollment, as a number of members reside outside the city, and are unable to attend drills, thus keeping the percentage down.

The company is working hard on the range in order to prepare for the coming summer encampment. Practice will be held again tonight at 6:30, arrangements having been made for lunch to be served on the grounds.

HOTELMEN IN GERMANY GROW WISER AND THEIR PRICES COME DOWN

BERLIN, May 6.—German hotel men, now anxious to have foreign guests, looked with alarm at the recent severe fall of the French franc.

The reason for this lies in the fact that not only are foreigners attracted to Paris and the Riviera by the favorable rate of exchange, but Germans themselves are over-running Parisian and Riviera hostilities, to the detriment of the home tourist traffic.

Germans back from France report

DANCE RECITAL AT ANTLERS TONIGHT

An interesting program of dances, arranged as the twenty-two dances of the Nations will be presented to night at the Antlers theatre by the pupils of Miss Flo Adams of the Heintz Conservatory. The program will include Classic ballet, Interpretative and folk dancing, and will be characteristic of the following nations: American, including the Virginia Reel, Negro Jig, Indian Lovers, Narcissus, and Bubble Dance; Holland, Sweden, Scotland, England, Egypt, Russia, Italy, Spain, Japan, Greece, Norway, Ireland, France, China and Hawaii.

The conservatory orchestra and the Junior orchestra, directed by Mrs. A. J. Young, will play. Also the feature photograph, "St. Elmo" will be shown. There will be only one show beginning at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Lawrence Nichols and daughter who are residents of Days Creek were in the city for several hours yesterday afternoon shopping.

Mrs. Rudolph Koller, of San Francisco and Mrs. Ed Householder of Oakland, arrived here yesterday and will visit in the city during the summer. They are at the Householder home here. Mr. Koller will arrive later for a visit. He is well known and formerly conducted the Antlers theatre. He is now engaged in the manufacture of moving picture machines in San Francisco.

with something akin to amazement that they are well-treated in the French metropolis and the Riviera resorts. Furthermore, they report that compared to German prices the prices of France, Italy and England are moderate.

The result is that the German hotel and resort men are nearly in a panic. Their prices are exorbitant when compared with foreign prices and hitherto Germany has scarcely entertained guests in a manner which made them yearn to return.

The hotel men, however, are beginning to see the error of their ways, and are doing their utmost to woo foreign trade. Furthermore, there is no longer the systematic and vicious anti-foreigner campaign which existed at the height of the inflation period. As a result, the foreigner can now travel in safety and comfort, without insults and slurs, as a rule. Sometimes he still gets a bad deal from some supercilious nationalist, but all in all the spirit in Germany has undergone a change for the better with the introduction of a stable currency.

Many hotels have made liberal price reductions. In the past few months, so that it now is possible in some places to stay a night or two without possessing the wealth of a Rockefeller.

As for such mundane things as food and drink, Germany now supplies high qualities in both. Delicacies such as have been unknown since the war are now coming in. In this category fall grapefruit, caviar, French and Belgian poultry and vegetables. Incidentally there is a veritable flood of French goods at the present time—perfumes, champagnes, silks and the like—all bought with substantial German marks and sent across the border with little or no duty.

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Morris Bowker, drafting	4.00
H. L. Epstein, estimate and engineering	8.00
Roseburg News-Review, notice of intention	10.50
Glenn Street:	
P. D. Wolford, surveying	4.00
Morris Bowker, surveying and drafting	8.00
H. L. Epstein, surveying and estimate	16.00
Roseburg News-Review, notice of intention	11.40
Chapman Street:	
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Morris Bowker, surveying and drafting	12.00
H. L. Epstein, surveying and drafting	24.00
Madrone Avenue, No. 2:	
Morris Bowker, surveying and drafting	14.00
P. D. Wolford, surveying	4.00
H. L. Epstein, surveying, platting and estimate	32.00

CONGRESS IS FACING UNFINISHED BUSINESS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Democratic leaders of the senate decided in a conference today that there is too much important legislation remaining undischarged to determine at this time whether an adjournment of congress before the national political conventions would be wise.

There has been a division of opinion among the democrats both in the senate and in the house as to whether adjournment should be permitted before the time of the republican convention at Cleveland. Republican leaders have indicated a desire to adjourn by June 1 and have informed the president that will be possible.

MASONS HOSTS TO KNIGHTS COLUMBUS

GREENWICH, Conn., May 6.—Members of the Knights of Columbus, Knights of the Masonic club here last night. The Knights, numbering about 500, marched from the Knights of Columbus to the Masonic club. Grand Knight Thomas Wignall declared himself pleased that the two bodies should meet "without a taint of religious feeling."

Among the other speakers was the Rev. Michael Ryan, of Meriden, a Catholic priest.

The speakers generally stressed the growing cooperation between the Masons and the K. of C.

CRATER LAKE PARK LODGE CREW LEAVES

MEDFORD, May 6.—Superintendent C. G. Thomas left this morning for the Crater Lake park, with the first crew, composed entirely of park veterans: George Hitchcock, overseer, or Portland; David Silvers, foreman, of Grants Pass; Albert Backer, Jacksonville; George Swenson, and W. J. Meyers, of Medford, and Billy Van Camp, of San Jose, and of whom the men refer to "the best camp cook in the U. S."

The crew will go by way of Klamath Falls, where they will pick up necessary park equipment, and thence to Fort Klamath, from which place they will leave tomorrow with eight horses for the park.

This trip is a little earlier than usual, but the reason, as given by Superintendent Thomson, is to get out timber for summer construction while the snow is running, and also to get all telephones lines in operation as soon as possible. The park men expect to reconnoiter with Supervisor Rankin of the forest service in erecting rustic arches on the Medford and Klamath Falls roads at the boundaries into the national park and forest.

Called To South America—

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer, of Sutherlin, were in the city yesterday for a short time. These people are making preparation to go to the South American mission fields in the interests of the Seventh Day Adventist denomination. They will be located in Argentina, where there is a mission school, which is the hub of the Seventh Day Adventist educational work in South America.

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HAYHURST NOTES.

Hermann Miller and family attended church in Drain last Sunday. Miss Della Ohlson, who is teaching school at Curtin, is now driving from home to school in her car. Miss Violet Olson is also staying with her.

Mrs. Katherine Francis gave a pleasant little social dance to the young people last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bernard of Marshfield, visited the latter's sister here a few days ago. They were accompanied by Sam Holesapple, also of Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams went to Roseburg last Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Clifford Hannan, who spent several days here. Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton of this valley lost her home by fire a short time ago. Owing to the prompt assistance rendered by her many friends in Yoncalla and vicinity, as well as her neighbors here, lumber and material were on the ground almost before the ashes had cooled, and she is now installed in her new home. Many Yoncalla women also came to the rescue, bringing lunches for the men working on the house, as well as other necessary articles. As she cannot see every one to personally thank them, she has asked the writer to do so for her, through this column. X X

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