

**PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL**

Portland, Ore., May 31, 1907.  
Portland Federated Trades Council met this date in regular session, President McKenzie in the chair. Walter Walls; Photo Engravers' Union, M. Olney.

Communications.—From Brother Durett, Secy-Treas, International Shiprights and Caulkers of America, pointing out the fact that Local No. 12, of S. & C. of A., Portland, has withdrawn from their International, was read and filed.

Minutes of last meeting of Building Alliance were read and placed on file.

Bills.—Secretary's salary for May, \$20. Postage, \$2.25; Statistical Secretary's salary for May, \$5. Multnomah Printing Co., printing 5 thousand cards, \$23, were ordered paid.

Unfinished Business.—The resolution offered at last meeting proposing change in constitution was read and on motion to adopt, was lost by a large majority of the delegates present.

New Business.—On motion, the matter of the Cooks & Waiters vs. the Winner restaurant was placed in the hands of a special committee of three.

On motion a committee of six was appointed to take up the matter of Labor Day celebration in conjunction with a like committee from the Building Trades Alliance.

Brother Conboy, general agent of the American Flint Glass Workers' Union, of Pittsburg, Pa., was introduced and addressed the meeting regarding the fight of his Union against the Macbeth-Evans Co., a trust having headquarters in Pittsburg. Brother Conboy is a forceful speaker thoroughly versed in the philosophy of Unionism and his address was listened to with close attention. It is hoped every Union man will take the time to read the circulars passed out by brother Conboy.

The following resolution was introduced.—Resolved: That all ex-members of this body that have been members herein for at least six months, and who are members in good standing in their respective organizations, shall be considered the same as fraternal delegates; shall have a seat and voice but no vote in this Council.

After some discussion the motion to adopt the resolution being put to vote was lost.

On motion the secretary was instructed to advise Rev. J. H. Black and Rabbi Wise that this Council extends to them a cordial invitation to a seat in the proceedings of this body.

Reports of Organizations.—Brother Drew reported the Moulders' situation in Portland unchanged in any way since last week. Rev. Brother Sharpe, from the ministerial Association, made a nice address on the rights of the common people against the greed of unreasonable corporations.

A number of the delegates present spoke strongly in support of Brother Fred C. King's candidacy for councilman from the Fourth ward.

Disbursements.—\$50.25. There being no further business meeting adjourned for one week. P. McDONALD, Secy.

**DON'T FORGET M. J. DRISCOLL ON ELECTION DAY.**

M. J. Driscoll is candidate on the republican ticket for Councilman-at-large. He was vigorously supported in the primary election by the members of organized labor and through their efforts was nominated. Let the same good work be done on election day, and through our support boost him into the council where he will certainly serve the interests of the workingman as fairly as those of the employing class.

**VOTE NO.**

No elector, having the interests of the general public at heart, will vote for either of the amendments

on the official ballot, "Improvement of Streets by District," or "Remonstrances of Four-fifths to defeat Street Improvement." These amendments to the city charter are undoubtedly inspired by the people who are specially interested in the business of street improvement, and the power given the city council in this respect is an unwise step in our city governmental affairs.

The number for the negative vote on the first is 111, that of the latter, 113. These are numbers before which to make your X.

**FOURTH WARD VOTERS.**

All good citizens that want a man who will be faithful and conscientious in discharging the duties of councilman in the interests of the whole people and who has been a property owner and taxpayer for 14 years, will vote for

**FRED C. KING**

Independent Candidate for Councilman.

Voters Be Careful.

Neither Baker nor Ryan paid any taxes last year, they have nothing to lose, and the man who spends ten times the amount of the salary from the position he seeks, must have hope of something to gain. You therefore, consider a man who has been a resident of this city for 18 years, having been employed for 3 years at Inman-Poulsen's mill, then 10 years as an apprentice and boilermaker at the S. P. shops and since 1904 been engaged in the real estate and insurance business, he having been on the tax roll for 14 years, and will work faithfully and conscientiously for a greater and better Portland. Vote for Fred C. King, Independent Candidate for Councilman, Fourth Ward.

**SHRADER IS ACTIVE.**

W. G. Carlisle of the Carpenters' union received a long letter from the coast a few days ago, which gives the following interesting news concerning the good work being done by General Organizer J. W. Shrader:

"J. W. Shrader, general organizer for the United Brotherhood of Carpenters for Oregon, Washington and Idaho, after organizing many unions in this district and on the coast and of late of Seattle Millmen's union, which he got in such fine shape, has, through his friends, been urged to go to Tacoma where he is now business agent for Carpenters' Union No. 470. What little time he has had he has been hitting the Citizens' Alliance hard. The Building Trades Assembly of Tacoma had hit bedrock hard, but with hard work he has, with others, made progress and taken work away from the open shops so that 90 per cent of work is done in fair shops. Three of the painting firms have broken away from the Building Exchange and destroyed the agreement. Four of the carpenter contractors have resigned. The plasters have voted to reaffiliate with the assembly and this will bring back the building laborers. Tacoma must break away from the open shop if she ever expects to have anything good like Seattle.

"The millmen's local of Seattle now numbers about 200 members and expects to soon establish a nine-hour day."—Spokane Labor World.

**EQUITY EXCHANGES.**

The union farmers and the labor union men of Scranton, Pa., recently got together and formed an Equity Producers' and Consumers' Exchange.

This is only one of a string of Exchanges that the American Society of Equity and the trades unionists are striving to establish in various parts of the country.

That the people are taking kindly to these Exchanges is shown by the following from the Tribune of May 9, published at Scranton.

"Yesterday an important move was made by the Exchange in the rental of two stores on the four hundred block on Penn avenue. At the same time an option was secured to purchase the entire block when a

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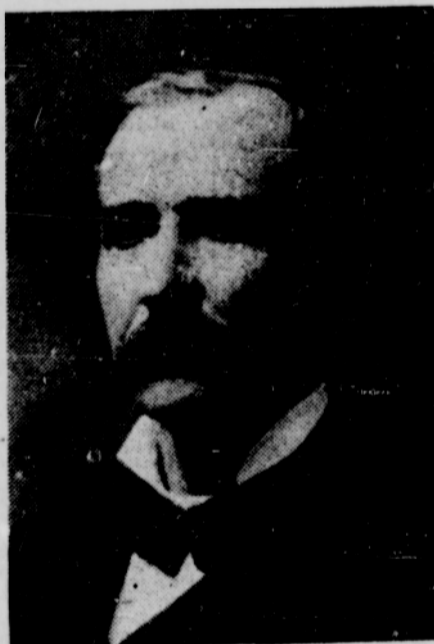


**Independent and Labor Candidate for Councilman Fourth Ward**

**Strict Observance of Law and Honesty in Municipal Legislation**

**FELLOW CITIZENS: VOTE FOR KING, THE FRIEND OF THE WAGE-WORKER, AND THE CHAMPION OF PROGRESS, LAW AND DECENCY IN OUR CITY GOVERNMENT**

In favor City Boiler Inspector



**L. M. DAVIS**  
No. 39 Independent Candidate for **COUNCILMAN AT LARGE**

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Stands for Free Employment Bureau.  
Opposes Perpetual Franchises, and will work for a Greater Portland.  
Just treatment of the Working Class.

certain lease expire a year hence. It is expected that the Exchange or market place will be opened in June. The owners of the property that will be eventually purchased are B. Moses, Joseph O'Brien and John J. Fahey.

"It is said that the new Exchange is meeting with encouraging success. The amount of stock first issued was for \$25,000, which has been more than subscribed for. Thus encouraged at the outset, the Exchange intends to issue another block of stock for a similar amount. Half of the stock already issued was set

aside for the laboring people of this city, and half for the farmers. In each case there was a demand for more than the allotment. The promoters say that orders for the supply of several thousand quarts of milk to be delivered daily have already been received. The Exchange will conduct its business on a cash basis.

"The object of the society or organization is to sell directly to the consumer such articles as garden and farm produce, eggs, milk, butter and so on."

**Defeat labor's enemies.**

**"Fighting the Beef Trust"**

Upton Sinclair has dedicated the "Jungle" to the "Working Men of America."

Smith has dedicated this small space to the "Working Men of Portland."

We hope you realize that the Beef Trust is your arch-enemy, and is trying to catch you by asking you to patronize their markets.

Smith wants you to buy his Soup Meat at 2c per pound, and his Fancy Porterhouse Steaks at 12 1/2c and 15c. Our Round Steaks are 10c a pound. Our Shoulder Steaks and Choice Pot Roasts 8c per pound. We are selling tons of Beef for Boiling and Stewing, and Corned Beef, at 5c per pound.

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**A. L. BARBUR**

**Republican Nominee for City Auditor**