

COUNCIL HEARS READ CHARTER AMENDMENT

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Charter Amendment Read.

City Recorder Clay M. Stearns read an amendment to the city charter which he suggested that the council submit to the voters for their approval at the special election which is to be held on June 3.

Under the provisions of this amendment the City will be given power to proceed to foreclose title to property within the city for delinquent taxes for local improvements, in the same manner in which mortgages are foreclosed.

At the present time the city has outstanding several thousands of dollars in such assessments which to keep the city's credit good have been paid from funds raised by taxation on the city as a whole. Practically all the delinquents are non-residents who have purchased property here for speculative purposes and who have taken advantage of the deficient provisions of the charter to escape payment and have ignored repeated efforts of the officials to collect the sums due the city.

Make Undesirables Move.

The council discussed at length the policing of the city. Several of the members expressed the belief that of late the city had been plagued with undesirable men and women openly violating the laws. Drastic action was urged by the police committee which recommended that changes be made in the police department, and recommended the appointment of Harry Farmer, former marshal, to

the position. No motion to this effect was made but Mayor Jones suggested that the Council consider its action of removing the present incumbents until further investigation. Incidents of alleged violations of various laws were cited as showing the general condition in certain sections of the city.

In this problem the council recognized the difficulties of enforcing the laws strictly but was apparently agreed that the effort should be made

STOCK INSURANCE IS POSSIBLE HERE NOW

W. L. Turner Announces New Line of Business For This Section— Many Men Protecting Their Herds.

W. L. Turner this week announced a new line of insurance for this section of Oregon, which is that of writing insurance on live stock.

"For some time," said Mr. Turner, "I have been endeavoring to get a company that would write insurance on this class of property, and have at last succeeded. The policies will cover not only individual animals, but whole herds, and give the stockman protection against loss just as the rancher with a growing crop is protected or a business man with a stock of goods on hand. Already there has been evidenced a desire for this insurance showing that it was needed in this territory.

Mrs. Paul Cayou and daughter Miss Marvel of Nampa were in the city over Sunday visiting friends.

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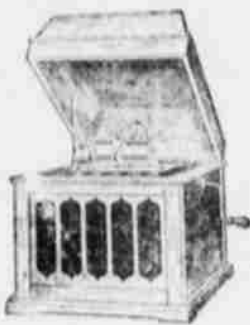
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Advertisement for 'DORTLAND SEEDS' featuring various seed varieties like 'Earliest of All and Pride of Multnomah' and 'Oregon Yellow Dent Corn'. Includes contact information for 'Lee's Foods and Remedies'.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Mrs. Lucy Fox was absent from her classes Monday afternoon because of illness. Miss Ethel Brown substituted for her.

Tuesday morning the student body of the high school approved inter-class track-meet and baseball as two leading Spring sports.

Last Friday night the boys basketball teams of the grades and high school played the basket-ball teams of Vale, at Vale. Both of the Vale teams were victorious, the grade score being 19 to 2, and the high school score 22 to 11.

Next Friday afternoon the Parent-Teachers Association will meet in the high school auditorium at 2:45. The topic of the afternoon will be "Improvement of School Grounds."

The high school gymnasium girls are planning to make indoor baseball and play ground baseball part

of their gym work this spring.

The Senior class are busy trying to decide on a suitable play to be given by them some time in the near future.

Francis Reider of John Day is a new member of the Freshman class.

HOSPITAL NOTES

L. C. Houk is in the hospital suffering from a broken jaw.

Mrs. L. G. Olsen underwent a very serious operation last Friday morning. Her many friends will be glad to know that she is improving.

Michael O'Brien of Nyssa, age 75 years, died Sunday at noon.

Miss Frances Hagar, who is recovering from an operation, spent the week end in Boise.

J. E. Wells is quite ill at the hospital. Mrs. E. M. Estes of Westfall un-

derwent an operation last Sunday morning.

Master Harry Cowing of Burns is suffering from stomach trouble.

Archie Poulos is quite ill at the hospital.

SUMMONS

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this summons, exclusive of the date of the first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as shown above, together with the costs and disbursements herein, and accruing interest and costs, and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the liens of said taxes, interest, penalty, costs and disbursements against the several tracts of land above described. Date of First Publication, March 13, 1919.

All processes and papers in this proceeding may be served upon R. W. Swagler at his office and postoffice address at Ontario, Oregon.

H. LEE NOE, Sheriff. R. W. SWAGLER, District Attorney.

Tire Sale! USED TIRES

SALE STARTS SATURDAY the 22nd.

- List of tire sizes and prices: No. Size, 11-30x3, 14-30x3 1/2, 11-32x3 1/2, 3-31x4, 6-32x4, 2-33x4, 8-34x4, 1-34x4 1/2, 4-35x4 1/2.

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