Not Proving Popular

In a community like Oregon, producing so much raw material and having such a wealth of undeveloped resources, the need of capital to employ labor is so great that crusades against investments are not proving popular.

May 27 Portland Central Labor Council resolved to circulate petitions to annul the franchise of the Portland Gas and Coke Company, and that powerful labor organization with the backing of front page headlines in the Portland News got busy.

Alleged reasons were given for invoking the direct legislation clause of the constitution to attack investments of about three and a half million dollars, but they were not sufficient to interest the public and voters refused to sign.

The whole matter of these franchises has been fought over in the legislature and there was never a showing made before any committee of the House or Senate that the terms of the franchise had not been kept to the letter.

Franchise-baiting and capital-crusading have been a favorite game in Oregon with a certain brand of politicians but the people in general are getting wise and do not fall for the petition circulator that has behind it mere spitework.

Central Labor Council of Portland soon discovered their movement was not popular in attacking a corporation against which the public had no grievance, and the initiative was among those failing from the start.

If anything results from this failure it will be a reaction against labor organizations that take up public affairs which is really not part of the legitimate business of trades unions.—Pacific Coast Manufacturer.

ORDINANCE NO. 613

An Ordinance Declaring the Cost of Improving Burr Street, from the North Side Line of Smith Avenue to the South Side Line of Banks Street in the City of St. Johns, Oregon, and Assessing the Property Benefited Thereby, Declaring Such Assessment and Directing the Entry of the Same in the Docket of City Liens.

The city of St. Johns does ordain as follows:

That the council has considered the proposed assessment for improving Burr street from the north side line of Smith avenue to the south side line of Banks street, in the city of St. Johns, Ore., and all objections made thereto, and hereby ascertains, determines and declares the whole cost of said improvement in manner provided by Ordinance No. 599 to be the sum of $3290.35, and that the special and peculiar benefits accruing to each lot or part thereof or parcel of land within the assessment district, by reason of said improvement and in just proportion to such benefits, are in the respective amounts set opposite the number or description of each lot or part thereof or parcel of land in the following annexed assessment roll, and said assessment roll, which is numbered 110, is hereby adopted and approved as the assessment for said improvement, and the recorder of the city of St. Johns is directed to enter a statement of the assessment hereby made in the docket of city liens, and cause notice thereof to be published as provided by charter, which assessment is as follows:

Addition	Lot	Block	Amt.
East St. Johns	1	P	$28.45
"	2		26.45
"	3		24.99
"	4		24.51
"	5		24.18
"	6		23.86
"	7		23.68
"	8		23.21
"	9		23.22
"	10		23.07
"	11		23.07
"	12		23.52
"	13		23.67
"	14		23.97
"	15		40.46
"	16		25.28
"	17		20.24
"	18		15.18
"	19	Q	12.77
"	20		17.03
"	21		21.27
"	22		34.04
"	23		21.27
"	24		21.27
"	25		21.27
"	26		21.27
"	27		21.27
"	28		23.22
"	29		23.22
" S. ½	30		11.84
" N. ½	30		11.84
"	31		23.86
"	32		24.18
"	33		24.50
"	34		24.99
"	35		26.45
"	36		26.45
"	19	B	26.57
"	20		26.57
"	21		24.97
"	22		24.58
"	23		24.19
"	24		23.91
"	25		23.65
"	26		23.25
"	27		22.86
"	28		21.27
"	29		21.27
"	30		21.27
"	31		21.27
"	32		21.27
"	33		11.49
"	34		15.32
"	35		19.16
"	36		30.63
"	1	C	30.63
"	2		19.16
"	3		15.32
"	4		11.49
"	5		21.27
"	6		21.27
"	7		21.27
"	8		21.27
"	9		21.27
"	10		22.86
" N. ½	11		11.63
" S. ½	11		11.63
"	12		23.65
"	13		23.91
"	14		24.19
"	15		24.58
"	16		24.97
"	17		26.57
"	18		26.57
"	1	3I	20.63
"	2	3I	21.27
"	3	3I	21.27
"	4	3I	21.27
"	5	3I	21.27
"	6	3I	21.27
"	7	3I	21.27
"	8	3I	21.27
"	9	3I	21.27
"	10	3I	23.15
"	11	3I	23.22
"	12	3I	23.69
"	13	3I	23.87
"	14	3I	24.18
"	15	3I	24.51
"	16	3I	24.99
"	17	3I	26.47
"	18	3I	26.48
"	1	4I	26.57
"	2	4I	26.57
"	3	4I	24.97
"	4	4I	24.58
"	5	4I	24.19
"	6	4I	23.91
"	7	4I	23.65
"	8	4I	23.25
"	9	4I	22.86
"	10	4I	21.27
"	11	4I	21.27
"	12	4I	21.27
"	13	4I	21.27
"	14	4I	21.27
" N. 40 ft.	15		{
" " " "	16	4I	34.04
" " " "	17		{
" " " "	18		{
" S. 50 ft.	15		{
" " " "	16	4I	42.56
" " " "	17		{
" " " "	18		{
Marengo	10	1	53.15
"	11	1	49.56
"	12	1	48.10
"	13	1	47.31
"	14	1	43.73
"	15	1	42.53
"	16	1	42.53
"	17	1	30.62
"	18	1	19.16
"	19	1	15.32
"	20	1	11.49
"	10	4	44.51
"	11	4	42.54
"	12	4	42.54
"	13	4	42.54
"	14	4	43.54
"	15	4	47.25
"	16	4	48.70
"	17	4	49.50
"	18	4	52.86
Total			$3290.35

Passed by the Council this 28th day of July, 1914.

Approved by the Mayor this 28th day of July, 1914.

A. W. VINCENT,
Mayor.

Attest: A. E. DUNSMORE,
Recorder of the City of St. Johns.

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Notice of Cost of Improvement

Notice is hereby given that the assessment for the improvement of Burr street from Smith avenue to Banks street the total cost of which is $3,290.35 was declared by Ordinance No. 613, entitled "An ordinance declaring the cost of improving Burr street from the north side line of Smith avenue to the south side line of Banks street, in the city of St. Johns, Oregon, and assessing the property benefited thereby, declaring such assessment and directing the entry of the same in the docket of city liens."

The cost of said improvement is levied upon all the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land within the boundaries of the district, as follows: Between Smith avenue and Banks street.

A statement of said assessment has been entered in the docket of city liens July 29, 1914, and said assessment is now due and payable at the office of the recorder of the city of St. Johns, Orgon, and will be delinquent and bear interest after August 8th, 1914, and if not paid on or before August 28, 1914, proceedings will be taken for the collection of the same by sale of property as provided by the city charter.

A. E. DUNSMORE,
City Recorder.

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Notice of Cost of Improvement

Notice is hereby given that the assessment for the improvement of Burr street, from Dawson street to Smith avenue, the total cost of which is $3,366.00, was declared by Ordinance No. 612, entitled "An ordinance declaring the cost of improving Burr street, from the northerly side line of Dawson street to the southerly side line of Smith avenue and assessing property benefited thereby, declaring such assessment and directing the entry of the same in the docket of city liens."

The cost of said improvement is levied upon all the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land within the boundaries of the district described as follows: Between Dawson street and Smith avenue.

A statement of such assessment has been entered in the docket of city liens July 29th, 1914, and said assessment is now due and payable at the office of the recorder of the city of St. Johns, Oregon, and will be delinquent and bear interest after August 8, 1914, and if not paid on or before August 28, 1914, proceedings will be taken for the collection of the same by sale of property as provided by the city charter.

A. E. DUNSMORE,
Recorder

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Found—Gold watch, between Lynn avenue and Jersey street. Owner may have same by applying to Arthur Anson.

Note the label on your paper.

NOTICE OF

Proposed Assessment

Notice is hereby given that apportionment of the cost of improving Kellogg street from the northerly line of St. Johns avenue to the southerly line of Bruce avenue, total cost of which is $1,484.12, has been apportioned and is on file in the office of the undersigned, subject to examination.

Assessment district extends back to the center of lots, blocks and tracts of land abutting on said street as provided by the city charter and resolutions.

Remonstrance against said apportionment may be made in writing and filed with the undersigned until 5 o'clock p. m. August 10, 1914.

A. E. DUNSMORE,
Recorder.

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