30th YEAR.

OREGON CITY, OREGON, FRIDAY, NOV. 22, 1912.

## MAYOR DIMICK OUT FOR COVERNOR

WILL ENTER RACE FOR 1914 REPUBLICAN NOMINATION.

critics, and it will now proceed to week.

do a little defending on its own

do a little defending on its own account.

Mr. Tooze should remember that it was not this paper nor the public that made charges against the council and its records, but it was the mayor himself, and that it was made in an open meeting and through the newspapers. And Mr. Tooze as openly declared that he would introduce a resolution in the council calling for a statement of the condition of the city, and that he would make it his business to see if the charges were iness to see if the charges were

WILL MAKE STATE CANVASS
And now it would rather seem that it was the duty of Mr. Tooze or the council to make as public that investigation as the charges were made—and the people will not feel at all satisfied until it is done.

THE USUAL ADVICE.

THE USUAL ADVICE.

Go on the Majority Band Wagon when once he has made up his down the help it may be to his he was to was a man a down the way of the strict has a secondary objects in view. And the will be in the campaign all over the has a secondary objects in view. And he will be in the campaign all over the has a secondary objects in view. And he will be in the campaign all over the has a secondary objects in view. And he will be in the campaign all over the has a secondary objects in view. And the will be in the campaign all over the has always been an active worker for the highest has always been an active worker for the highest has always been an active worker for the highest has always been an active worker for the highest has always been an active worker for the highest has always been an active worker for the highest has always been an active worker for the highest has always been an active worker for the highest has always been an active worker for the highest, office high the result, he has always been an active worker for the highest has always been an active worker for the highest, office high the result, he has always been an active worker for the highest, office high the result has always been an active worker for the highest, office high the result has always been an active worker for the highest, office high the planks will be a vigorous ward has always been an active worker for the highest, office high the planks will be a vigorous ward has always been an active worker for the highest, office high the planks will be a vigorous ward highest high the planks will be a vigorous ward high the pla

The Best Light

At the Lowest Cost

ELECTRIC LIGHT is the most suitable for homes, offices, shops and other places aceding light. Electricity can be used in any quantity, large or small, thereby furnishing any required amount of light. Furthermore, electric !amps car be located in any place, thus affording any desired distribution of light.

No other lamps possess these qualifications, therefore it is not surprising that electric lamps are rapidly

replacing all others in modern establishments.

Portland Railway, Light &

Power Company

MAIN OFFICE SEVENTH & ALDER

PORTLAND

Phones Main 6688 and A. 6131

SOME THINGS FOR YOU VOTERS TO THINK ABOUT.

THIS WILL BE LAST CHANCE

Before the Live Wires Tuesday Council man Tooze defended the council against the criticism of newspapers and others because of not making public the findings of the expert who was employed and paid to make an investigation of the financial condition of the city. The Courier was one of the The Courier was one of the council will now proceed to the financial condition of the city. The Courier was one of the council will now proceed to the financial condition of the city. The Courier was one of the council not condition of the city. The Courier was one of the council will now proceed to the council against the criticism of many lots for the growth of Gladstone told the Courier that Oregon City did more of the growth of Gladstone when the cathedral at Portland Saturation of the cathedral at Portland

would always have to climp stair-ways, like the cliff dwellers, to

their homes.

And then there is the natter of future policy. This city is bound to continue its growth because it has something behind it to make it grow, and it is bound to be one of the big cities of Oregon.

And as it grows and some of the big projects now under way are put through, then will the hill section have to fight for its own, for it is certain that a big effort is going to be made to build up the west side.

And we might just as well say

west side.

And we might just as well say it as to think it, if the west side should be laid out into a handsome residence section, as it will

OBSERVATIONS.

The Brotherhood Banquet Form an Observer's Viewpoint.

The Precibe-book Banquet Form

an Observer's Viewpoint.

The Congregational Brotherhow data alone eligibal quality of the control of the co The Congregational Brother-

William Miller, 55 years of age, a native of Germany who came to Oregon City last summer, was severely injured in an accident in the packing room of the woolen mills Thursday morning. He was taken to the Oregon City hospital where his arm was amputated just below the elbow. Mr. Miller lives with his relative Mrs. Ned Rakel of Canemah.

A page ad at the last hour has owded out several articles.

BUT THE PACIFIC CO. DID NOT GRANT THE REDUCTION.

PUBLIC SERVICE BILL DID IT

But now it appears that you voters fixed the rates on telephones, telegraphs, electric lights water rents, etc., with your own little pencil marks. And it is said the Pacific Telephone Co. has

succeeded in stirring up enough public sentiment that the city council look hold of it and went to investigating.

A committee was appointed to look into the mater and it recommended that the old rates be esstablished. But they were not. And later on it was reported that another committee had been appointed to investigate. Just how long this would have continued is a guess, but on election day there was a change—and the city council for its stand for a shipping yard in connection

than the amount of his assessment to pay for the elevator.

If you will ever stop to think it your to determine as for the men. Talk it over with your husbands and if you will look into it you will find that the most of these residences are rented property, that the residents do not own their homes.

A resident of Gladstope told the has established and which are in force at the time for any service in connection therewith or performed by it within the State, or for any service in connection therewith or performed by any p blic utility controlled or operated by it. The rates, tolls and charges shown on such schedules shall not exceed the rates, tolls and charges in force January, 1, 1911."

OF INTEREST TO VOTERS.

Recorder Stipp Gives Some Facts and Figures on City Matters.

To the Editor:

The following matters relate to the proposed amendment of the city charter providing for refuncting a part of the debt of Oregon City:

Warrants and interest cs-timated Aug. 1,-12, \$61,868.68

Men Talked of Tuesday.

At the Live Wire session Tuesday the statement of Mr. Hackett in a newspaper letter that Oregon City was carrying a debt of \$250.000 was challenged by some of the members, they claiming that the statement was misleading to the public, inasmuch as this sum included the water works plant and street improvements under the Bancroft act, have a value to the amount of the indebtedness and

should not be considered as a li-

ability.

Mr. Tooze took up the matter of the city having an expert to examine the accounts of the city. He said he was one of the councilmen that asked for the examination, that same was made, and that a motion was passed by the council to have same filed with the city recorder, which had been done, and that he thought the council had done its part in this matter; that the report was on file in the recorder's office, and that he considered the criticism the council had received was unjust.

sidered the criticism the council had received was unjust.

B. T. McBain made a short talk in favor of carrying the vote at the coming election for the public elevator. He said the hill section was handicapped in its growth by the stairwaays, and that with an elevator this section would grow. He urged the Live Wire members to vote and work for it.

Mr. Tooze spoke of the big street improvement work that had beed done and was now under way

was a change—and the city council need not investigate any longer.

Here's what you made a law November 5;

Here's hat you made a law hovember 5;

Here's hat you made a law hovember 5;

facilities.
Dr. Pickins took up the matter of better lighting for the suspen-sion bridge, and the matter will be taken up with the electric com-

OF INTEREST TO VOTERS.

terest charge materially and it is sincerely hoped that the people will pass this amendment.

Hot meals, Monday and Tuesday at McLoughlin hall, 25c., noon and evening, St. John'r sewing so-elety, Program will be rendered..

No. 28

DEDICATION OF OREGON CITY ELKS' BEAUTIFUL HOME.

HUNDREDS MAR CHIN PARADE

Mayor Grant B. Dimick of this ignorement work that has a report was made and filed with the recorder isn't saying much. What the people now want to know, now had council members started it.

Mayor Grant B. Dimick of this ignore manifold in the people of Oregon.

Mayor Grant B. Dimick of the Republican normination for governor of Oregon.

Mayor Grant B. Dimick of the less charges were or more pass on the matter of the people of Oregon will be some candidate for the people of Oregon. The people of Oregon will be some candidate before the principal form of the people of Oregon will be some candidate before the principal form of the people of Oregon will be some candidate before the principal form of the people of Oregon will be some candidate before the principal form of the people of Oregon will be some candidate before the principal or publicity be given the matter new above that the one matter of the people of Oregon will tell you that the recent vote as before the investigation was a public elevator for the bluffs when the feel at all satisfied until it is most expendence of the people of Oregon will be some to compare the bluff of the people of Oregon will be people to give and matter new as on the lill you that the recent vote as the people of Oregon will tell you that the recent vote as the people of the people of Oregon will tell you that the recent vote as the people of the

But now it appears that you able, brought under taxation and phones, telegraphs, electric lights water rents, etc., with your own little pencil marks. And it is said the Pacific Telephone Co. has found it out.

For some time there has been considerable kicking and discussion over the raise and discrimination of the Pacific Telephone Co's rates in this city, and you will perhaps remember the Courier took a hand in the game, and succeeded in stirring up enough public sentiment that the city council took hold of it and went to investigating.

Every lodge in the state was represented, and if the visitors did not have a good time while in this city, it was no fault of the local organization.

The laying of the corner stone of the structure took place at two o'clock by the Grand Lodge officers on, Water, John Adams and Eightenth streets, or parts of them, and that he believed that it would be an investment for the city to take these up as they could and improve them. He pointed with visitors who were given a most cordial welcome by the reception committee, composed of Mr. and Mrs. Heury O'Malley, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Risley, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ospand Mrs. and Mrs. most cordial welcome by the reception committee, composed of Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Malley, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Randall, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Risley, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Osmund, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Humphreys, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Noble, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Logus, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Daulton, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Tobin, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Latourette, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. McBain, Mr. and Mrs. William Sheahan, and Mr. and Mrs. William Sheahan, and Mr. and Mrs. Villiam Sheahan, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hedges.

From 5:30 on until the close of the grand ball at Busch's hall, a banquet was served in the armory which had been attractively decorated with ferns, which were ar-ranged in large clusters along the ranged in large clusters along the wall, and American flags. Never before in the history of Oregon City, was a more appetizing or a larger banquet served than on this occasion, and J. J. Tobin and G. C. Fields are deserving of much credit for the way the big

east was handled. At 8 o'clock the dedication ceremonies took place in the beautiful lodge room, which was filled to its capacity. 'An elegant musical program was given, along with the beautiful ritualistic service of the Elks. Past Exalted Ruler

Burmeister & Andresen

Oregon City Jewelers Suspension Bridge Corner