



POOLROOM ORDINANCE PASSED BY COUNCIL

Authority For Revocation Licenses Granted to City Fathers

LUNCHESES VOTED OUT

Councilmen Adopt Ordinance Section Which Permits Keeping Open On Sundays.

At the special council meeting on Friday night the matter of poolroom regulation was threshed over to a rare-well.

As directed the city attorney had prepared an ordinance in which he called attention to the fact that it had been drawn after investigation of other ordinances including that used by Portland and that with minor exceptions it is the same as the ordinance under which this city has been working (?) for several years.

ORDINANCE NO.—

An ordinance defining what shall constitute pool and billiard rooms in Oregon City, providing for the licensing and regulation thereof, providing penalties for violation thereof, repealing Ordinance No. 518 of Oregon City passed May 29, 1911, and approved May 31, 1911, and ordinance No. 810 of Oregon City passed August 1, 1917, and approved August 2, 1917, and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances of Oregon City in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency.

Oregon City does ordain as follows: Section 1. A pool or billiard room shall be taken to mean any place where one or more pool or billiard tables are maintained, whether or not a charge is made for the use of said table or tables, except private clubs and homes, where the general public is not permitted the use of the tables.

Section 2. Every person desiring to carry on a pool or billiard room in Oregon City, shall first obtain a license therefor in the manner following, to-wit: Application for such license, shall be made, by petition to the City Council, and such petition shall be signed by the applicant or applicants, and shall state the particular place where such "room" is to be located, and the time for which such license is to be desired. Notice shall also be given by the party or parties desiring such license, by publishing the same for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in Oregon City, and such notice shall state the place where such "room" is to be located, and the time when such application shall be made to the Council, and the same shall also be filed with the City Recorder. Before such application for license shall be granted, and license ordered issued, it shall receive the approval, by vote, of the majority of the members of the City Council.

Section 3. The registered voters of the ward in which such pool or billiard room is proposed in the petition and notice above mentioned, may file at any time prior to the time for the hearing of such petitions, a remonstrance with the Recorder, against the granting of the same. And, if upon the hearing of such petition and remonstrance, the Council find that a majority of the registered voters of such ward have remonstrated against the granting of such license, then the same shall be denied. Provided, that the Council shall have the right to refuse to grant a license to any person whenever it shall appear to the Council that it will be for the best interest to refuse to grant such license to such applicant. And when a license has been refused by the Council, for either of the reasons above, no further applications for a license from such ward or from such applicant for a pool or billiard room may be taken up and considered again, until the expiration of a period of three months from the time of the hearing last referred to.

Section 4. When the petition for a license under this ordinance has been granted, and the fee for the same has been paid to the City Treasurer and his receipt therefor filed with the City Recorder, the Recorder shall issue a license to the petitioner or petitioners, provided that such applicants, shall at the same time file with said Recorder a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$500.00 approved by the Mayor and Recorder, and conditioned that the holder of such license will faithfully comply with all of the conditions of this ordinance, in the conduct of such pool or billiard room.

Section 5. Every pool or billiard room in Oregon City, shall be located upon the ground floor, and the front wall of such room shall be so constructed, the entire width thereof, that a clear unobstructed view may be had from the street of every part of the interior of such room by persons passing along the same upon the sidewalk. Such front shall be made of transparent glass to within not less than four feet of the level of the sidewalk along the front of such room. There shall be no screens, partitions or other obstructions in such room, whatever, and no doors or entrance into any other room or rooms therefrom (except toilet). The fee for a license under this ordinance shall be \$10.00 per quarter, and the further sum of \$2.50 per quarter for

RUSSIA IS GAINING WORLD PROMINENCE

Recognition By The World Powers In Sight; Her Program Is Peace and Progress.

It is reported by reliable authority that the soviet government of Russia is in sight of its greatest diplomatic victory—and this victory is recognition by the world powers in conference at Cannes, where she is taking an important part, though not officially represented.

She is expected to take part in the economic conference scheduled to meet at Genoa, Italy, in March, having been invited by the supreme council of Europe.

The government of Russia is stronger today than at any other time since its creation and her envoys are cordially received at various European capitals and plans for close diplomatic relationship are being laid for the time when her recognition shall become general. Lloyd George is author of the proposal that the soviet government shall send representatives to Genoa.

This new soviet government shows the spirit of progressive honesty and high ideals as the masses of recognition at the conference in accepting:

(1) De jure recognition of the soviet by the allies.

(2) The Moscow government will assume the debts of previous governments.

(3) Citizens of other countries who have lost their wealth through the Russian revolution, shall receive indemnity.

(4) She will guarantee the rights of private property. And as there is no limit to her resources, so she should develop into a marvel of national progress and power when her policy is well settled and her recognition by other nations is complete.

J. Wymore Injured

A passing automobile driven by a man from Silverton, and who claimed he could not see him; struck and threw J. Wymore several feet, breaking his ankle, cutting and bruising him severely. Wymore was on his way home from work when the accident occurred. He is now resting comfortably at his home.

each and every billiard, or pool table operated therein.

Section 6. It shall be unlawful for the proprietor of any pool or billiard room in Oregon City, his agent or employee, to permit any form of gambling therein, or any games with cards or dice or other contrivance, whatever, or to permit the sale or distribution of any intoxicating liquor therein, or to permit any person under the influence of intoxicating liquor, in such room, or to keep or permit to be kept open any such pool or billiard room later than eleven o'clock P. M. of every day or to open the same earlier than seven o'clock A. M. of every day. Except on days previous to the first day of the week, election days and holidays when such places may keep open till midnight.

Section 7. It shall be unlawful for the proprietor of any pool or billiard room in Oregon City, his agent or employee to permit any minor to enter or loiter in or about such room, or to engage in or play any game of pool or billiard therein or any other game of chance either for amusement or otherwise.

Section 8. It shall be unlawful for any minor to go into or be or remain in or about any pool or billiard room.

Section 9. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons obtaining a license under this ordinance to suffer or permit the placing of any lewd pictures upon the walls of such rooms, or the display therein of any freaks, or nude statues or to have in such room anything except pool and billiard tables, and the necessary chairs for the convenience of the patrons of the same, except cigars, tobacco, soft drinks, candy and ice cream.

Section 10. The Council may revoke the license of any pool or billiard room and return the unearned portion of said license, and no new license shall thereafter be issued to the same person or for the same location, without its approval expressed by resolution. And no license under this ordinance shall be transferable to another, without the consent of the City Council.

Section 11. Ordinance No. 518 of Oregon City passed May 29, 1911, and approved May 31, 1911, and ordinance No. 810 of Oregon City passed August 1, 1917, and approved August 2, 1917, and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances of Oregon City in conflict herewith, be and they are hereby repealed, and any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, before the Mayor and Recorder, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding One Hundred Dollars, or by imprisonment for any term, not exceeding Fifty days or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Read first time at a special meeting of the city council held on January 13, 1921, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., and ordered published to come up for second reading and passage at a Regular meeting of the city council to be held on the 1st day of February, 1921 at 7:00 o'clock P. M.

C. W. KELLY, Recorder.

ASSOCIATION FORMED TO FIGHT NARCOTICS

Mayor Baker Heads Organized Effort to Stamp Out Drug Traffic

GOVERNOR WILL AID

Narcotic Evil the Greatest Social and Economic Menace to Present Time.

At a conference held in Portland last week, there was formed "The Narcotics Control Association of Oregon."

There were gathered together at this conference men and women representing every official calling, in the city and state. Among them were Governor Ben W. Olcott; Mayor George L. Baker, Dr. F. D. Striker, secretary of Oregon State Board of Health; L. H. Compton, warden of the state penitentiary; Dr. Wilson D. McNary, head of the Eastern Oregon State hospital; Dr. George Parris, Portland health officer; Dr. Lee Steiner, president of the state board of health; United States' attorney, Lester Humphreys; Federal Agent McCarthy; police officers and prominent social workers from over the state. All present showed the deepest concern over the gravity of the narcotics evil at this time.

The association is in response to the rapid growth of the drug habit which has reached a stage in Portland and throughout the state that is appalling. It is estimated that more than 25000 of Portland's population are slaves to this habit. That vendors are at work in every section of the state obtaining recruits for the damnable trade. And the traffic is being carried on among the youth of both sexes even pupils in the upper grades and high schools being among the victims.

And once this habit has fastened upon the boy or girl, man or woman, the utter abandonment of body, mind and soul is complete. The victims with awful craving of shattered nerves and disordered brain sink to the lowest depths of degradation and despair. Their tortures drive them to lie, rob, steal and beg all to obtain the drug which dulls temporarily their craving, wrecks their physical and moral life, increases their lawlessness and brings death—meritful and usually welcome from their cure.

Those present at the conference declared this evil to be the most terrible menace in the world today; that it is more dangerous to the country than war itself and that action to stamp out the traffic is more necessary than the conference on disarmament.

Indicating the great hold the traffic has on the nations of the world and the necessity of cooperation in dealing with the evil, Governor Olcott will call a meeting of Pacific Coast governors where there will be efforts made to get into motion an international conference to devise means for crushing this evil. And it is hoped to amend the immigration statutes so that foreigners who engage in this traffic may be deported.

The expression of the conference was to the effect that there is little hope of cure, but that there should be treatment provided for addicts and that "drug" vendors should be punished with unusual severity.

Portland city council, at a meeting following this conference, adopted a memorial to the president, senate and house of representatives of the United States urging the calling of a conference of the powers of the world for a conference; and if this were impractical, then a conference including Great Britain, Canada and Mexico for the purpose of controlling the manufacture, exportation and importation, and the smuggling of narcotics from one country into another.

The officers of the association are: Mayor George L. Baker, president; Dr. F. D. Striker, state health officer, secretary.

No effort is to be made to be sacrificed in this effort to eradicate the nation's greatest curse.

The Little Minister at Liberty
The "Little Minister," Sir James M. Barrie's famous novel has been reproduced by two different film companies, Vitagraph and Paramount. Critics say however that the Vitagraph version now running at the Liberty is by far the best.

The plot is laid in Scotland and depicts a young minister falling in love with a supposed gypsy girl, who is in reality a cultured and refined lady. The play has been very popular where shown.

Local Buying Market
Wheat—\$1.00 per bu.
Oats—feed, \$26.00 per ton; milling, \$34.00 per ton.
Hay—Clover, \$12.00 per ton; Oat \$14.00 per ton.
Straw—\$8.00 per ton.
Beef, liveweight—Steers \$5 to \$6.50 per 100 lbs.
Hogs, dressed—\$9 to \$12.00 per 100 lbs.
Chickens, liveweight—Light 15c to 18c per lb.
Heavy—18c to 22c per lb.
Sheep, liveweight—\$3 to \$5 per 100 lbs.
Eggs—28c to 30c per doz.
Potatoes—\$1.35 per lbs.

COUNTY JERSEY CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Resolution Favoring County Club Leader Passed at Meet on Saturday.

The Jersey Cattle club of Clackamas county held a fine meeting on Saturday at the Community club rooms in Oregon City. Discussion centered primarily upon the subject of club leader for the county this year. The work of the leader and the accomplishments of such work and its value to the county during the past year were reviewed and a resolution passed urging the county court to retain the services of the club leader, although the estimate for this office was voted out of the budget at the recent budget meeting. This is the resolution:

That whereas Clackamas county has had in the past a club leader working among the school children of said county, teaching and directing the school children to become producers in the agricultural districts and cause said school children to become interested in agriculture and livestock growing, for the purpose of keeping the boys and girls on the farms, and Whereas during said time, great accomplishments have been made among said school children in carrying on this important work, and Whereas Mrs. Purcell, during the past two years, has been very successful in said work, and the exhibits at the county fair, state fair and international livestock exposition speak louder than words, and Whereas during the last budget meeting held in Clackamas county, the club leader's work in said county was disapproved, and which disapproval was only a recommendation, and Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Clackamas County Jersey Cattle club in meeting assembled this 14th day of January, 1921, hereby records its disapproval of the action taken by said budget meeting and hereby recommends and urges the county court of Clackamas county, Oregon, to stand by its original budget and retain the services of said club leader, so that the school children of Clackamas county may still continue their agricultural and livestock work, which they have so successfully carried on in the past.

N. H. SMITH (Pres.)
MRS. A. MALAR (Sec.)

The officers elected for next year are:

President, N. H. Smith, Logan; vice-president, Albert Gribble, Aurora; secretary-treasurer, John Linehart, Woodburn, R. 3.

The next meeting is planned for March 18, at the Lazelle Farm. There are now over 80 members in the club with a live and progressive interest in the development of the cattle interests in this county with of course emphasis on the Jersey breed.

C. E. Spence Delegate To Washington Meet

Among the delegates chosen from the Pacific States to attend the agricultural conference at Washington is C. E. Spence, master of the Oregon State Grange.

The meeting is called by Henry C. Wallace, head of the department of agriculture at the nation's capital. Other delegates chosen by Mr. Wallace are Fred Bixby, cattleman, Long Beach, California; E. E. Gaville, editor Washington Farmers, Spokane, Wash.; James Jardine, director of the experiment station, Corvallis, Oregon.

Live Wires Listen To Relief Address

J. J. Handsaker, state director of the Near East Relief was the speaker at the meeting of the Live Wires in the Eastern countries torn by war and famine, in a most convincing way.

The Wires endorsed the Near East Relief and a committee, consisting of L. Adams, O. D. Eby and F. J. Toose, was appointed and instructed to circulate petitions urging the United States government to use its good offices toward influencing the great powers to put a stop to the existing wars, rapine and plunder which results in the present indescribable conditions of starvation and suffering in Armenia and other Christian countries.

These petitions will be in circulation within a few days. Every American citizen should sign and thus help in the glorious work of doing away with war and helping the distressed.

Near East Relief At Churches Sunday

Miss Reid engaged in rescue work in Armenia during two years past, will speak at the Baptist church in the morning of this next Sunday, at the Methodist church at the evening service and at the High school at 3:40 on Monday. J. J. Handsaker, director of Near East Relief for Oregon, will speak at the Congregational church in the evening and at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning.

Miss Reid will also speak on Near East conditions at the Gladstone school house on Monday evening. Moving pictures will be shown of conditions in the Near East at the same time.

FOR SALE—Ten horse power steam Russell traction engine, at Mulino, Oregon, for \$300 cash. Address J. F. Dix, Parkplace Lumber yard, or phone 723W. Oregon City. 1-19-22-2t. P. D.

UNCLE SAM INVITED TO CONFERENCE

The United States Will Be Entitled to Five Delegates

WILL PROBABLY ACCE

Purpose Is to Reach Agreement Upon Economic and Financial Matters of World.

Invitation has been received at the state department at Washington for the United States to participate in the economic conference which will convene at Genoa, Italy, March 8, this year.

This is the way this diplomatic invitation reads:

"By order of my government through the kindness of your excellency, I have the honor to convey to the government of the United States the following invitation from the Italian government:

"Pursuant to a resolution of the supreme council of the allied powers, I have the honor to forward to you a copy of the resolution adopted January 6, 1922, of allied governments assembled at Cannes.

"In accordance with that decision I have the honor to invite the government of the United States to take part in the economic and financial conference which will be convened at Genoa, on March 8, 1922.

"I beg you kindly to inform me of the names of your delegates and their staff. (Signed) "TORRETTA," "Minister of Foreign Affairs."

At this conference each of the small powers will be allowed two delegates while the United States and other great powers will be allowed a maximum of five delegates.

The purpose of this conference is to bring the nations of the world together for discussion of their financial and economic conditions and to suggest and plan for betterment. The need for such understanding and for stabilizing credits is of primary importance.

While no word has been given out from the state department, it is expected that this country will be represented as the problems now demanding solution in the countries of the Old World are closely interwoven with our own.

Yoders Celebrate Golden Wedding

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Yoder was celebrated Sunday and January 8, at their home at Yoder, Oregon. They were married 50 years ago in McLean county, Illinois and moved at once to Missouri, where they lived until 1888, when they moved to Clackamas county, Oregon, and have lived on the same place ever since.

They have seven children living, as follows: Mrs. Flora Bork, Mrs. J. W. Watson, Mrs. H. C. Rittenour, Maude Grant, J. B. and Elsie Yoder.

Besides the family those present at the celebration Sunday were: Mrs. Catherine Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson, all of Yoder; Mrs. I. L. Yoder of Metzger; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Schwartz of Redland; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Parker of Oregon City; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hyatt and daughter, Margaret; Miss Prudence Denny and W. J. Frye, all of Portland.

WILLIAM BERGSTROM ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

While blasting stumps on the farm of his father, Oscar Bergstrom, near Outlook, William Lloyd Bergstrom was instantly killed. He, with a neighbor was blasting stumps when he was struck on the head by a flying piece of stump. His companion was also struck down by a flying root.

The funeral of the deceased was held at the Clear Creek church yesterday (Wednesday) in charge of Holman & Pace, undertakers.

Larger Paper Next Week

Owing to "Eleventh Hour" developments in the "make up" of our paper, correspondence and other interesting matter from various communities has been omitted. We regret this occurrence deeply and will again next week put out a ten page issue, with still better display space and the better advantage of using all material submitted to us—Ed.

Circuit Court Actions

A damage suit has been filed by Blanche E. Blatchford against Roy J. Anderson and the Oregon Stage Co. for \$2051.25 and court costs.

This suit is the result of an accident which occurred last October when the Canby-Oregon City bus, driven by Joy J. Anderson, ran into an automobile in which Mrs. Blatchford was riding.

Suit for divorce was filed by Fred L. Pudy. Cruel and inhuman treatment given as cause of the suit. The couple were married at Perrysburg, Ohio, Aug. 11, 1896.

John C. Knapp has filed suit to settle the title on lot one in block nine of Oregon City against The Alden Fruit and Vegetable Preserving Co., of this city and all other persons claiming title to this property.

CHARTER REVISION PROPOSED BY MAYOR

Committee Is Appointed and Work Expected to Begin in the Near Future.

Mayor James Shannon followed up his proposition to revise the present city charter by appointing a committee for this purpose, at the council meeting on Friday last.

The committee who will experience the thrills and joys of this municipal feat are men who long to see the administration of this historic city progressive and effective. They have abundant opportunity to improve upon the present cumbersome document and to produce a charter far more perfect and workable. They are entitled to all the encouragement and good will within the gift of all good citizens without regard to politics, occupation, creed, personality, or present or past condition of servitude.

The committee consists of William Andresen, C. Schuebel, Linn Jones, M. I. Labourette, L. A. Henderson, I. C. Bridges, J. E. Jack and R. Petzold, O. D. Eby and L. Stipp will act in the capacity of advisors.

After the appointment of the committee, Attorney Eby declared that revision was very necessary; that it is now almost impossible to collect the license money, and that other phases of the city's business could be greatly improved under a new charter. To this Recorder Kelly "rez right up in meetin'" and informed "hizzoner" that the license collections of his office were O. K. whereupon the vity attorney with "due respect," declared to the Hon. Charles K. that such wasn't the case—but laid the difficulty at the door of said charter.

School Meeting At Barlow Tuesday

A school meeting will be held at Barlow on Tuesday evening the 24th instant for the purpose of electing a board member to succeed Henry Ziegler, who has removed from the district. Another subject for consideration is whether Barlow shall unite with Canby in the formation of a Union High school district.

Mardi Gras Will Visit Oregon City

At the Elks Home in this city the Elks' Mardi Gras Company will entertain on the evening of January 23. This is next Monday evening.

The performers are: Abbie Howard, soprano; Dorothy Ball, in character songs; Bob Manning, Scotch songs; Al Newman, pianist; Abe Braehen, violinist; Casey Jones, in jazz songs; Hilda Brosche, in songs; Dorothy Dean, soprano; Anna Childs, golden voice.

The entertainment will consist of not only music but will feature vaudeville strongly. There will be blanket booth, candy booths, silver booths and various other kinds of booths. A joyous time, a bushel of fun—come!

FARM BUREAU PLANS SERIES OF MEETINGS

The Clackamas County Farm Bureau has arranged for a series of six meetings covering the county during the last three days of January and the first three of February.

The schedule is: Beaver Creek, Monday, January 30; Boring, Tuesday, January 31; Molalla, Wednesday, February 1; Clackamas, Thursday, February 2; Canby, Friday, February 3; Oswego, Saturday, February 4.

All these meetings will begin at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and continue throughout the day. Basket lunches will be served at noon.

George S. Mansfield, president of the state organization and Colonel William B. Aird, secretary, will be present and take part in the discussions. Moving pictures—"The Rural Drama," "Spring Valley films"—by the American Farm Bureau will be shown at all the meetings.

This is a campaign for new members and among topics of discussion will be the accomplishments, purposes and plans of the bureau.

All farmers, farmers' organizations and others interested in farm problems and difficulties are urged to be present.

Real Estate Transfers

S. E. and Emma L. Wooster to H. L. and Olive L. McKenney, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 33, First Add. to Estacada.

August H. and Mae E. Rakel to HARRAS HERMAN LOTS 1, 2, D. Canemah.

John H. and Elizabeth Brotle to C. C. Johnson; lot four block one, Fir Grove.

C. H. Warthen to A. J. Knightly; tract 22, Lawton Heights.

H. E. and Iva G. Sellwood to Robt. F. and Josephine Countryman; lot 22 block nine, Quincy Add. to Milwaukie.

Gilchrist Bros. to Savon Land Co. Tract 89 and 100 Savon Gardens.

Oregon City to Henry Larsen; Lots 5 and 6, Block 145, Oregon City.

Jacob Harless (Est. of by Adm.) to Otto Wilowski; Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 block J. V. Harless Add. to Molalla.

Dean and Joseph Tibbetts to Alvina Roth; Lot 13, block 26, Milwaukie Park.

CITY HALL SITE IS RESURRECTED

Injunction Against Use of Proposed Site Still Undecided

TRIAL CASE NOT SET

Early Decision On Case Is Desired In Order to Begin the Construction.

City Attorney O. D. Eby was urged by the council at its last meeting to use every possible means to obtain a decision on the city hall site case now pending in the circuit court.

It was suggested that the present is an unusually favorable time to begin the construction of the building since there are many men out of employment and the market has reached a point where bonds are selling at or near par, which in this case is 5 per cent.

When the engineers had laid off the outline of the ground for the city hall in the McLoughlin Park on Center street and the city was about to proceed, through Attorney Grant B. Dumfries, Mrs. David Caulfield and Mrs. J. W. Norris brought an injunction against the city to prevent it from going ahead with the construction on this site.

The next step in the procedure was an answer filed by City Attorney Eby and Christian Schuebel denying certain allegations of the complaint and with this denial Attorneys Eby and Schuebel for the city, set up further and separate answer. This answer in substance, was that other blocks in this same McLoughlin dedication, for instance, those containing the Eastham school building, the Carnegie library, and the McLoughlin home, had been used for similar purposes.

Judge Campbell of the circuit court, struck out this further and separate answer on the ground that it makes no difference in this case since even if similar uses of the dedications in the past were not considered wrong, this would not justify the location of the hall on the proposed site now.

The matter now stands thus: The case has not been set for trial and no final decision has been rendered but a final opinion, will, it is believed, be given soon.

This paper commends the council for its move to have this matter settled as soon as possible. If the proposed site is not available and cannot be made available, then why delay longer obtaining some other site and going ahead? The council should bring this matter, delayed and battered about for months and months, to a final showdown and that without further delay than forced by the court.

TO THE PUBLIC

I, while in the employment of the county in the enforcement of the prohibition law, was sitting in what is known as Thornton's Barber Shop at between two and three o'clock Wednesday afternoon of this week, when a man came in with a hand bag and set it down back of the shop door and then waited to have his little boy's hair cut. I being satisfied that there was booze in the bag, phoned to the sheriff who sent Long and Hughes to the shop. But when they were within a few yards of the shop the man left to shop and come up town.

Long followed him to a place of business on Main street where the man stopped. Long then stopped the chief of police on the street, told him of the circumstance and suggested to him that he, the chief, get a warrant and search the shop for booze. Then the chief obtained a warrant from Justice Noble to search the shop. This he did but found no booze there. He did then inform the proprietor that the man who gave the information about the bag was sitting in the shop when he the chief came in with the warrant. This man was myself.

Long then requested that his name be withheld from connection with the case. Why should he want his name withheld? Isn't he a deputy sheriff charged with law enforcement? Why didn't he go on with the case when it had been turned over to him and to nobody else? Let him answer. And, again, why did the chief give information which in common practice and in the interest of the law enforcement should not have been given?

Last night the sheriff himself was told by one of the law breakers that he, the law breaker himself, was buying and selling booze and that it was nobody's—business. Now why doesn't the sheriff's office stop his booze operations?

After the search I, myself, bought and drank moonshine whiskey and five others including a woman drank moonshine also in this shop. This I did in the interest of evidence.

I am clearly disgusted with trying to help enforce the law against booze under these conditions and QUIT RIGHT HERE. Oregon City will never be cleaned up under such conditions as these I have described.

ED SURFUS, Subscribed and sworn to before me O. D. EBY, Notary Public for Oregon. My commission expires July 14, 1924. (A true copy)

LOST—Package containing wearing apparel on walk about half way between Mills and Canemah Wed., about 4 o'clock. Finder please return to this office. 1t.