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STATE EXPOSITION TAX AMENDMENT WILL BE ON BALLOT

Portland Asks Permission To Raise Three Million Dollars For Fair

ARGUMENT OFFERED

Date Extended To 1927—Benefits To State Are Enumerated In Voters' Pamphlet

This measure was initiated by the Atlantic-Pacific Highway and Electric Exposition, whose managing committee is Franklin T. Griffith, president Portland Railway, Light & Power Company; George L. Baker, mayor; Emory Olmstead, A. H. Lea, J. F. Daly, Guy W. Talbot, all of Portland; William Hanley Burns, W. W. Harrah, Pendleton, and F. G. Deckerbach, Salem, Oregon.

This is one of the initiated measures to withstand the attack made on them and will go on the November ballot. The argument favoring and contained in the Voters' Pamphlet, is here reproduced. No negative argument appears in the pamphlet. The official ballot numbers are: Yes, 308; No, 309. The purpose of this act is to authorize the city of Portland to raise \$3,000,000 by levying a special tax in the city of Portland of \$1,000,000 each year for three years, beginning not later than 1924 to pay the expenses of holding an exposition in the year 1925 to advertise the resources, products, commerce, industries and general advantages of the state of Oregon and the city of Portland. The expenditure of the money raised is to be under the supervision of a commission representing the public.

The exposition tax is applicable to Portland only and in no way taxes any other city or county in the state. Consent of the voters of the state is necessary to enable Portland to tax itself for this purpose. The tax can be collected only as provided and can be used for no other purpose and the amount of said tax cannot be increased. The exposition is contingent upon this tax.

- Among the advantages to be derived are:
- Make known the possibilities of hydro-electric development;
- Capitalize Oregon scenic advantages;
- Bring into full use the highways of the state;
- Direct the tide of tourist travel westward;
- Bring millions of dollars in free publicity to the state;
- Advance Oregon's growth by increased population;
- Reclaim the arid lands of Oregon by irrigation;
- Bring millions of dollars in new wealth for investment;
- Stimulate building program throughout state;
- Open more foreign and domestic markets for the products of the farm and field;
- Immortalize the history of the Oregon country.

It is claimed by the opposition that the taxpayers should not finance the fair; that the state will be obliged, thru pride, to furnish money for a state building, for an exhibit of the state's resources, etc.; that the present is an unfavorable time for such an expenditure, owing to present world unrest. And in response to the latter sentiment the managers have postponed the event to 1927.

The money, if voted now, will not be made available earlier than is needed. The vote, if favorable, simply authorizes Portland to raise the desired amount.

Mill Is Damaged
An explosion which caused considerable damage occurred at the William Moehne sawmill at Hoff, last Friday. Although there were several employees near the scene of the explosion, none were injured.

The explosion was caused by the loosening of a flywheel bolt, which resulted in the flywheel leaving its fastening. The flywheel severed several of the steam pipes and damaged other parts of the mill machinery.

The damage done will necessitate the purchase of a new engine and various repairs, and it will be about a week before the mill will be able to resume operations.

Auto Thieves Speed On
All trace of the automobile stolen from E. N. Bellus when he was held up by thugs near Pulp Siding, Wednesday, has been lost by the officials, although police throughout the state were notified of the theft.

Bellus and Bert Hall, his employer, have returned from a fruitless chase after the thieves. They followed the bandits along the highway as far as Roseburg and at Albany they were only 39 minutes behind the men, who had been seen, but not stopped. At Roseburg the local men lost track of the thieves and turned back.

OREGON CITY IS BOOSTED HIGH BY ADVERTISING

That Oregon City is rapidly becoming one of the nation's most favored cities, large or small, on account of national advertising, is a fact little recognized or known. But this is, nevertheless a fact with capital F.

In this week's issue of the Saturday Evening Post appears a double center special advertisement in colors, marvelous in suggestion and attractiveness, of the Oregon City Woolen Mills products. This display adv. is unequalled in quality and spread in not only the United States but all over the world, as it occupies the center spread of America's largest circulating medium and will be seen and read by more than 10,000,000 people.

Another similar spread will appear in the Post in six weeks, on December 2. Single page spreads are regular tri-weekly features between the center spreads and continuing thru-out the fall season.

Here's to the Oregon City Mfg. Company for its progressive business spirit and its civic boost.

Smyrna Situation Grows More Grave Day By Day

Cablegrams picture suffering inescapable—President Harding Plans For Relief
"The gravity of the Smyrna refugee situation becomes more evident every day," according to a statement just issued by J. J. Handsaker, state director, Near East Relief. "The number involved is now said to have reached 700,000 with the fear that it will reach a million in the near future. Most of these people were comfortably housed and engaged in productive industry less than a month ago. Now they are stripped of everything and are strangers on inhospitable shores.

"The island of Mitylene is a fair example of a number of islands in the Aegean Sea. One hundred thousand refugees are scattered over the islands in small villages and farms, while 50,000 are in the city of Mitylene. Refugees are still arriving daily. A recent cable says, 'Many of our refugees are still suffering from beatings on back and legs by Turkish soldiers. We have just completed inspections of outlying camps where the most noticeable feature is the fact that the only men refugees are very old and helpless. We rarely see an able-bodied man or a good-looking girl.'

"Other cablegrams tell of the terrifying plight of the refugees in other places.

"At a recent conference at the White House, President Harding appointed Will Hayes chairman and Archie Roosevelt executive secretary of a joint emergency committee, composed of representatives of the Near East Relief, The American Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Federal Council of Churches, Knights of Columbus, The American Relief Administration, and the Jewish Relief. At a meeting of this committee in New York on the 16th inst., it was found that at least \$15,000,000 would be needed and plans are rapidly being formulated for a nation-wide appeal. Meanwhile six shipments of food have been dispatched by the Near East Relief and a number of relief workers have been assigned to relieve the Smyrna suffering as far as possible."

Contributions should be sent to the Near East Relief, 613 Stock Building, Portland, where their shipment to their destination will be arranged by the state director of Near East Relief, J. J. Handsaker.

Former Dover Woman Hurt
Mrs. Susan Kitzmiller, who is well known in Sandy and vicinity, having formerly lived at Dover, but residing near Gresham for several years, sustained painful injuries about two weeks ago. They were moving a chicken house, when a heavy bar fell, striking her on the head and rendering her unconscious for three hours. Her skull was fractured and it was necessary to take several stitches in the scalp. Last Friday she developed a severe case of pleurisy and at this date is no better. Mrs. Walter Kitzmiller came up from Rainier, Ore., to care for her. Her babies are with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe De Shazer, at Dover.

Six Take Impromptu Baths
James Mooney, an automobile which he was driving, and five boys of Woodburn, took an impromptu bath in the Clackamas river, at Gladstone, last Saturday night. Mooney was slightly bruised. The machine which Mooney failed to manipulate along the proper roadway, plunged twenty or more feet over the bank into the river.

All climbed out of the water unaided, but were picked up by an officer, brought to the "Hotel May," dried out and went on their way homeward Sabbath morn.

Frost Runs As Independent
The name of D. E. (Jack) Frost will appear on the November ballot as an independent candidate for the office of constable.

RECALL PETITIONS HAVE BEEN FILED WITH COUNTY CLERK

Lively Campaign Covering Entire County Is In Prospect

MANAGER EMPLOYED

Number Of Names Twenty-Two Hundred—Checking Will Be Rushed For November Ballot

With a manager employed to direct the gathering in of the petitions and to further the campaign against the County Judge, the petitions have been assembled and are in the hands of the County Clerk for final checking.

The number of signatures obtained is approximately 2,200, which, with the anticipated shrinkage, owing to the non-registration of some of the signers, is expected to leave the required number, 1,884, to insure the recall a place on the November ballot.

The recall election is a special election, but by placing it at the same time the expense of the special is absorbed by the general. The last day for filing, though the law is not clear on the matter, will necessarily be not later than tomorrow, Friday, in order to give time for the checking in time to post notices and place on the ballot.

Those who have circulated the petitions are: L. A. Rall Dr. O. A. Welsh, Francis Welsh, W. F. Harris, George H. Brown, Fred L. Proctor, A. C. Thomas, Grover C. Pomeroy, C. V. Green, G. J. Eberle, P. L. Turner, Chas. Sharke, Ila Nealeigh, C. E. Swift, Mario Botono, H. H. Udel, Claude Howard, Booth Burton, Frank Oldenstadt, W. R. Edmiston, Harvey Gibson, W. H. Jaynes, F. M. Morgan, Ernest Jones, Dan Williams, Howard Belton, William Harvey and Miles Wade.

If there are a sufficient number of names to put the measure on the ballot, there will be staged one of the liveliest contests waged in Clackamas county for many years, it is expected.

LOCAL W. & T. U. HOLDS INTERESTING MEETING

The well attended business meeting of the local Woman's Christian Temperance Union, held in the rest room on Tuesday, October 17, was interesting and instructive. After devotional and reading of the minutes of last meeting, a new president, Mrs. E. M. Scouton, was elected, Mrs. Rintoul, former president, having resigned. Reports from the state convention held at McMinnville, October 11 to 13, inclusive, were then given by the local delegates, who were: Mrs. Ella Shandy, Mrs. Frances Rintoul, Mrs. Frank Welsh, Mrs. Alice Lennon, Mrs. McCord (of Jennings Lodge), Mrs. E. M. Scouton, Mrs. E. B. Andrews. Mrs. Welsh, treasurer, reported \$35 taken from the treasury of the Oregon City Union to aid the children's farm home. The delegates also pledged \$80 toward this work for the coming year. Eighteen delegates from Clackamas county were in attendance at the convention.

The budget system was thoroughly discussed at the convention and will be adopted at the next convention, to be held at The Dalles. Members will be educated along the lines of the system, which is similar to that used in the churches, during the year, so that it will be thoroughly understood. Each Union is to pledge \$2 per member to be raised by the Union in whatever way it sees fit, said amount not to come necessarily from the pocket of each member.

Plans for raising money, discussed at Tuesday's meeting, will be made public as soon as completed. One of the big features planned is an entertainment with Judge Evans, of Portland, as speaker of the evening, and other attractive numbers will be given to aid the temperance cause and the children's farm home. Judge Evans was one of the principal speakers at the convention.

Officers for the ensuing year are as follows: Mrs. E. M. Scouton, president; Mrs. Bell Aldredge, vice-president; Mrs. Ada Stevens, secretary; Mrs. Frances Welsh, treasurer.

CONGRESSMAN HAWLEY WILL SPEAK IN CITY

W. C. Hawley, congressman from this district and candidate to succeed himself, will address the voters of Clackamas county at the Star theatre, next Thursday evening. Mr. Hawley is an excellent speaker and should be greeted by a large crowd.

A number of other campaign meetings are being arranged over the county by the Republican Central Committee and will be announced very soon.

A children's program, under the direction of Mrs. Laidlow of Gladstone and Mrs. John Crawford of Oregon City, will be given at the Pythian Sisters' meeting on Friday night, at Willamette hall.

Opie Read



The man who edited, published and wrote the *Arkansas Traveler* for a number of years established himself as a humorist. But his aspirations being to edify and make people think, as well as to amuse them, he turned to novelistic effort. The result has been a large number of typically American tales, mostly about the South, which, for plots, character drawing, narrative powers and other qualities, have caused him to be compared favorably with the leading fiction writers of the world.

Mr. Read was born in Tennessee, but has lived for a number of years in Chicago. Formerly he wrote so many stories—and amazingly good ones, too—that people all over the country began to complain of less sleep through trying to keep up with them. He is about 70 years of age, but in vigor fully a quarter of a century younger. Having become one of the most popular platform speakers, his time is almost entirely filled with Chautauques, Lyceum and other lecture engagements, but he still manages to turn out a novel now and then. We have been fortunate enough to secure "Periwinkle House," his latest delightful tale of the old Southland, to be run as a serial in this paper.

Compulsory School Bill Is The Subject Of Debate

C. Schuebel And J. E. Hedges Enliven Occasion—Tax Measure Discussed By Others

At the Commercial Club room, in the presence of a large and attentive audience, political questions held away during a three hour discussion.

For the Compulsory Education Bill, C. Schuebel claimed the advantage of the development of a more united citizenship than is now possible with the rising generation taught the various creeds and biases in the more than one hundred and fifty different private schools. Mr. Schuebel gave full credit to the work of the church and declared the bill aimed at educational improvement and not at creed or sectarianism. He reviewed the history of education, showing that the public school is the surest means of developing pure democracy.

J. E. Hedges opposed the measure branding insincere the sponsors of the bill in their claim to its educational merit and declared it would produce religious prejudice and threaten the democracy of the country. He pointed out the best features of the private schools; called attention to the increased cost to the public if these schools were abolished and claimed the constitutional right of parents to educate their children in these schools.

The single tax bill was discussed by W. W. Woodbeck and Judge Dimick, with honors about even.

The flat rate income tax bill was handled by Levy Stipp, who explained its provisions, and by O. D. Eby, who believed it was initiated for the purpose of killing the Grange graduated income tax measure—the better plan—and advised that it be defeated.

8-Plus—Clackamas County Schoolmasters Form Organization

Last week, during the institute, thirty schoolmasters formed an organization called The Clackamas County Schoolmasters' League, elected officers and are ready for the year's work ahead.

The officers are: Robert Ginter, president; N. W. Bowland, vice-president; Edwin Woodworth, secretary.

The place for the first meeting is the West Linn Union High school. The date the 28th inst.

Will Debate School Bill

A debate of the compulsory school measure will occur between C. Schuebel, affirmative, and J. E. Hedges, negative, at the public library, Saturday night at 8 o'clock. The public are welcome. Messrs. Schuebel and Hedges debated this question at the Live Wire meeting on Tuesday evening.

CHURCHES

First Congregational
Church school, 9:45 a. m. Classes for all ages. C. H. Dye, supt. Kindergarten in pastor's study during hour of morning worship. Morning worship, 10:00; sermon topical, "Rejecting the Essential"; special music by male quartet. Evening service, 8:30; a discussion of the question, "What is to be the Religion of the Future?" Paramount nature picture, "A Setting of Ages."

Noel Frost, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Frost, of Gladstone, recently returned from a trip to China. He has accepted a position with the Equitable Loan and Savings Association at Portland.

Try Joe Orman for your next suit. The finest woolsens and a perfect fit. 207 7th street.

CLACKAMAS COUNTY TEACHERS END 3-DAY MEETING HERE

Attendance Hundred Per Cent—Prominent Educators On Program

ENDORSE CHURCHILL

Resolutions Urge County School Nurse, Increase Official Salaries And Consolidation of Schools

Clackamas county teachers closed a successful three-day institute on Friday last. It was the annual meeting of teachers under the state institute plan, and was attended by all the teachers of the county. Many prominent educators from over the state took part in the program, including State Superintendent Churchill; President Oregon Normal School, J. S. Landers; E. D. Reasler, head of industrial education at O. A. C., and others. There were 326 who enrolled in the State Teachers' Association and nine in the National Educational Association.

Following the recommendations of the resolutions committee, composed of R. W. Kirk, R. G. White, Lelia Howe, Edgar Reams and Mrs. Florence Moore, the teachers passed many resolutions, comprising problems of far-reaching importance to the citizenship of the county. Among them they:

1. Endorsed the principles of the county unit plan of taxation and administration for schools.
2. Approved the policy of and urged the re-election of State Superintendent J. A. Churchill for another four-year term.
3. Favored consolidation of rural schools and the formation of union grade and high schools, and urged the legislative committee to change present laws to encourage the same.
4. Recommended the three day institute and compulsory reading circle work for all teachers in the state.
5. Approved employment of a county school nurse and urged that the county court provide for same in the annual budget.
6. Recommended that the salary of the county school superintendent be increased to at least \$2,400 per year, and that the county school supervisor's salary be increased in the same proportion.

Recommended also that the Clackamas county budget committee provide for funds for an automobile for the use of the county school superintendent.

Gratitude was expressed to all those persons and organizations contributing to the success of the meeting.

"Enforce Laws" Is Topic At Church
W. J. Herwig of the Oregon Anti-Saloon League, spoke to a large audience at the Congregational church on the vital aspects of the present liquor situation, last Sunday evening.

Mr. Herwig stated that it is very necessary that the fight for prohibition be continued for at least two years more. He urged all citizens interested in the enforcement of the law to back up the officers in their efforts to enforce the dry laws, and also asked for the support of a new bill, which will be brought before the next legislature, to provide for the punishment of all persons connected with the making and sale of intoxicating liquors, in a more drastic manner than is now possible.

A motion picture, showing the effects of alcohol, was also shown.

P. R. L. & P. PAY LAST HALF TAXES \$105,900

The largest taxpayer in Clackamas county is the Portland Railway, Light and Power Company. For the last half of its taxes it paid the neat sum of \$105,912.84 into the coffers of the county treasurer.

The amount was paid in before the period of delinquency and is a big boost to county finances.

Howell Home Is Robbed

While W. B. Howell and family of 308 Jefferson street were absent, Sunday afternoon, their home was entered and many valuable articles were stolen. Among the things taken were a diamond wedding ring, four watches, the family silver and a quantity of clothing. No trace has yet been found of the thieves.

Dykstra Home Gladdened

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dykstra, well-known residents of Oregon City, R. E. D. No. 6, are rejoicing with them over the arrival of a fine baby boy, Charles S. Dykstra, Jr., born on Friday, October 13. Mother and son are doing nicely.

Suit Settled Out of Court

The suit of Thomas Burrows against Portland & Oregon City Railway did not come up for trial, having been settled out of court. Burrows sued for damages for right of way infringement upon his property.

L. O. O. F. WILL HOLD CEREMONIAL ON SUNDAY

Exercises Attendant Upon Laying Corner Stone Of New Temple—Fine Fraternal Feature

On Sunday at 2 p. m. the ceremonies attendant to the laying of the cornerstone of the new L. O. O. F. Temple at the corner of Seventh and Washington streets will be conducted by Oregon Lodge No. 3, L. O. O. F. of this city, assisted by Willamette Rebekah Lodge No. 2, and representatives from all of the Odd Fellow lodges of this county. The exercises will be conducted by Thomas F. Ryan, a member of Oregon Lodge, and a Past Grand Master of the State Grand Lodge. Assisting him will be P. G. P. Sol S. Walker, acting grand treasurer; Irving T. Rau, acting grand secretary; Rev. Henry Speiss, acting grand chaplain, and the regular corps of officers of the local lodge.

The program will be the meeting of the members at the Odd Fellows' hall on Main street at 1:30 p. m., marching from there in a body to the new building, where at 2:00 p. m. the ceremonies will take place. The oration on the part of the subordinate lodge will be given by Rev. Henry Speiss, a member of Oregon Lodge, No. 3, and on the part of Rebekah branch by Mrs. Lizzie C. Howell, a member of Willamette Rebekah Lodge, No. 2, and a past president of the state Rebekah assembly.

The music and singing will be in charge of the Rebekahs. It is anticipated that there will be a large number in attendance upon this occasion, it being the third hall that has been built by this lodge since its organization nearly seventy years ago. The ceremonies are public.

Judge Doubles Sentence

Receiving more than double the sentence given in the justice's court, from which he appealed, Elmer Elliott, convicted in the circuit court of stealing wood for commercial use, was, on Friday, sentenced by Judge Campbell to pay \$100 fine and serve a year in the county jail.

The jail sentence was suspended temporarily, contingent upon the payment of the fine, and Elliott was paroled and instructed to report personally to the Judge at stated intervals throughout the parole period.

MANAGER SHELLY NOW IN FULL COMMAND

Percy T. Shelley of Sandy is authority for the statements that he was elected, on Tuesday, by unanimous vote, as manager of the recall campaign, and that the first of his official acts was to place in the hands of the county clerk about 1,700 names. "Names are coming in by the hundreds every day. A big margin is expected," states Manager Shelly.

Articles Are Omitted

Unable to complete the unusually large amount of typesetting required in this issue, two articles favoring the recall, four lists of county correspondence and other matters also, are omitted from this issue.

The recall articles are by Percy Shelley and H. S. Gibson. These articles will be published in next week's issue.—Editor.

Captured Two Pints

Late Saturday night two Portlanders ran amuck night officers Titus and Hemmingway and were gathered in, along with two pints of combination booze and moonshine. They deposited \$5 each for their appearance in court. The five is here but the appearance is non est.

Marmot Man Painfully Hurt

Last Friday, while working on the Beechell flume, on the Sandy river, Henry Aschoff lost his balance and fell about eighteen feet to the ground, but fortunately struck the branches of some tree, which served to break his fall. He was bruised severely and is still confined to his bed.

Commissioner's Wife Ill

Mrs. W. A. Proctor, wife of County Commissioner Proctor, suffered an acute attack of toxic poisoning, Sunday. She was unconscious for several hours, but is reported as resting well now.

Grange Plans For Halloween

The Wilsonville Grange, No. 600, will give a Halloween social, October 31, at 8:00 p. m., in H. D. Adens new hall at Wilsonville. A program, cafeteria lunch and dance afterwards will be features. Come one, come all.

Mrs. M. L. Sevier of Viola has just returned from a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. William C. Higginbotham, at Stevenson, Wash.

LOST—Brown velvet handbag, containing glasses, keys, papers, chain, check and owner's card. Return to Banner-Courier office. Reward. 10-19-1922.

FOR SALE—A bargain. Good big potatoes, 75c a sack. I need the money; am going out of business.—John Tucker, R. F. D. No. 2, Box 4. About one mile east of Oregon City on the Abernethy road. 10-19-1922.

Joe Orman, 207 7th St., will take care of your cleaning, pressing and remodeling needs.

JITNEY ORDINANCE COMES UP BEFORE CITY COUNCIL AGAIN

City Fathers Ask For Statement Of Cost For Bluff Route Pacific Highway

BUILDING LAWS NIL

Fire Restriction Ordinance Discussed—Previous Acts Make Present Enforcement Difficult

The special session of the city council, held Saturday night, was marked by a tangle over the enforcement of the fire restrictions embodied in the building code provisions of the city charter.

A communication from City Engineer Stafford, concerning a number of buildings being repaired or constructed in the city in violation of the fire restrictions, was the cause of the discussion. J. A. Roake appeared before the council, requesting that he be allowed to construct an addition to his foundry building, which did not comply with the ordinance, stating that as the law had never been enforced and not knowing that the fire restrictions applied to his property, he had proceeded with the construction work. Several plans for the reduction of the fire hazard on his property were presented and the matter was referred to the fire and water committee and city attorney for consideration at the Monday night meeting.

According to Mr. Stafford, an attempt has been made during the past year to enforce the law and prohibit the erection of non-fireproof buildings within the restricted area. Former laxity has made the enforcement difficult now, he stated, but urged that the council aid in the enforcement.

It was brought out in the discussion that in many cases during recent years, where wooden buildings have been constructed or repaired, the council has granted permission to property owners to violate the fire restriction provisions of the charter. The entire matter will come up for reconsideration Monday night and the status of councilman authority in this regard will probably be threshed out.

A resolution, urging the State Highway Commission to make an accurate survey of the Bluff route for the South End road, in order to replace the approximate figures by an exact cost, was passed.

E. W. Dent, represented by William Hammond, submitted to the council a proposed franchise for the operation of the Portland-Salem stage line thru the city. The council expressed its desire of continuing the supreme court case involving the interurban franchise law and which is now pending, and the entire franchise proposition was referred to the Monday night special meeting.

Recall Meet At Oswego

A meeting of an even half-dozen recall sympathizers was held in Oswego on Tuesday night of this week, it is reported. Among those present was W. W. Williams of Portland.

Williams is the man whose bill for "expert" handwriting service in the Yoder case a few months ago, was cut by Judge Cross to ordinary witness fees. He now charges that the Judge did not give sufficient consideration to the evidence presented in his Williams' expert identifications of Abrahamson's handwriting, upon which there was, he claims, some degree of hope for conviction. Abrahamson was a youth under arrest and before the juvenile court in connection with the Yoder case.

School District Sells Bonds

School district No. 62 sold this week to R. D. Moore of Portland, \$50,000, 5% serial bonds for \$50,129.12, taking up that amount of notes bearing 6% interest and thereby saving 1/4 of 1% to the district.

The amount received from the bonds, together with the last half of the 1921 taxes, and the apportionment to be made from the county and state school funds on the second Monday in November, will put the district on a cash basis for the first time in several years.

Titus Hauls 'Em In

On Monday morning officer George Titus arrested R. C. McMurrain and A. C. Buckley, both of this city, for driving a car while embroiled with booze. Both plead guilty—McMurrain to being drunk and driving the car, and Buckley to being just plain drunk.

The city recorder fined McMurrain \$100 on the charge of driving the car while intoxicated and fifty bucks for being drunk. Buckley drew a \$25 fine for over-indulgence in booze. Buckley paid. His pal is at Hotel de May.

Rev. Pettibone In Hospital

Rev. Willis Pettibone, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, is in the Good Samaritan hospital, where he underwent an operation, on Friday. At this writing he is improving nicely.