

# RAILROAD TAKES ITS FRANCHISE

### FILES ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS—CLAIM GOES TO ATTORNEY—REBATES

## MILL PROPERTY BELONGS TO CITY

### Stipp Says it is Part of Highway Through Town—Cost Estimate Filed For Improvement—Plat is Lost

Dated January 22, the Clackamas Southern's acceptance of the franchise on Water street sometime ago by the city council was received Wednesday night and placed on file.

The county notified the city that delinquent taxes would have to be paid upon lots one to eight in block 89, 90, 91, the site for the reservoir or forclosure would ensue. Referred to the water board.

### Claim Refused.

The claim of the Oregon Engineering & Construction company for \$2,007.66 for services rendered to the city was referred to the attorney. The claim arises over the classification of work and was formerly not allowed.

T. Harris asked the city to sell him two lots on the northeast corner of Jackson and Sixth streets for \$50, the street and tax assessments.

### Saloon Rebates.

Rebates for \$250 on the saloon license of William Trudell and \$150 on the pool hall license of Hunsaker & Taylor were granted. Trudell's license ran until April 1, 1914.

Property owners on Fifteenth and Madison asked for the establishing of a street grade and the opening of the street for improvement for several blocks but the matter was postponed as it is now planned to ask for an extension of this district by another petition.

### Street Improvement.

C. S. Noble, city engineer, filed with the council and the city recorder his estimates for the improvement work to be done on John Adams street from Third to Twelfth streets. The question of hard surface or oil-bound macadam will be determined later. W. A. White, Fred McCausland, and James Swafford were appointed a committee of appraisers to determine the value of the property along the proposed improvement district.

Livy Stipp made a report to the council in which he held that the property now held by the Hawley mill belongs to the city as a public highway and that the city may exercise control and jurisdiction over it as public land. The report was referred to a committee composed of Toose, Myers, Metzner, and the city attorney.

### Reports Received.

The police committee reported that the conditions in the bakery at Seventh and John Adams were relieved and that the property owner had agreed to clean the place and remove the debris caused by the recent fire.

Reports from the heads of the various city departments were received and filed.

Councilman Templeton reported that the street committee had sold the barn and other buildings on the Cross property that had recently been purchased by the city. The committee sold the barn for five dollars, the new owner removing it from the lots.

### Crossing Progresses.

Work is progressing on the new overhead crossing near the mills, according to the report of the street committee.

The same committee reported that it had investigated the Slinger Hill creek difficulties and believes that the waters could be taken off through a thirty-inch pipe so that they would not interfere with the improvement work now going on upon Seventh street. The city will advertise for bids for the pipe.

### Companies Change Poles.

Poles at places that reduce the value of adjoining property have been reported to the council. The street committee declared that the Home company showed its willingness to remove the objectionable ones but the Pacific Telegraph & Telephone company had been doped in its objections. Work has been started, however, by the latter company and both will probably now comply with the city's request.

City Attorney Schuebel has discovered that a plat of sewer district number 10 has mysteriously disappeared, thought there is one on file made in 1913, one year after the resolution was passed. He said that such a plat was not good in the courts and that until he had found the original one made at the time he would not be able to work out several problems at present themselves in extension of the sewers on the hill.

# THROGS CROWD TO SEE FANCY HOGS

The demonstration train of the Southern Pacific which is operated in conjunction with the Oregon Agricultural college, visited two Clackamas county towns, Canby and Molalla, today and at both places was welcomed by large crowds.

Molalla, Ore., Feb. 4.—(Special)—Close to 1500 persons, a larger number, according to the authorities on the train, than had ever visited the demonstration train in its three years' history in Oregon, greeted the hog and dairy special when it rolled in the local yards.

Schools were closed, that the pupils might attend, stores shut their doors, and farmers streamed in town all day to welcome the special. The yards were crowded full of people and both sides of Molalla avenue and Main street were lined with farmer's rigs.

Canby, Ore., Feb. 4.—(Special)—When the Southern Pacific and Oregon Agricultural college demonstration train arrived in the local yards 330 persons were present to welcome the special which consisted of 10 cars. Every person in Canby who could possibly attend the gathering was present and there were many farmers here.

The spring crop of gubernatorial candidates will be embarrassingly large.

# DOCTORS ARE TOO EASY, HE SAYS

### TEMPLETON WOULD HAVE THE POLICE INVESTIGATE ALL CLAIMS FOR BOOZE

## DRASTIC ORDINANCE IS INTRODUCED

### Schuebel Proposes to Take Steps to Make City Dry as a Bone and Prevent Importation From Outside Where Possible

Charges that some of the prominent physicians of the city have been promiscuously dealing out prescriptions to men who did not need the liquor for medical purposes; threats that if these doctors were caught, they would serve time in the city jail; and the introduction of an ordinance authorizing the police to search every man who alights from a car or train whom they believe is carrying liquor on his person were the features of the council meeting Wednesday night.

### Councilman Templeton declared that he believed an ordinance preventing the sale of liquor until after the chief of police had investigated the applicant would have a more wholesome effect in cutting down the supply than one allowing search and seizure on the part of the officers.

### Is Too Easy.

He declared that some of the physicians were granting prescriptions to applicants who did not need the stimulant for medical purposes and thought that it was very difficult matter to get the authorization for the sale of intoxicating liquors from some of the physicians.

"If I catch any of these doctors violating the law, believe me, they will have hard sledding," declared City Attorney Schuebel, at the meeting. "We shall camp on the trail of the physicians who are sending out illegal prescriptions and shall find out whether the men to whom they were issued needed the stimulants for medical purposes. If any of the doctors in this city are breaking the law, they will have a chance to serve their time in the city jail."

### Only Sealed Packages.

Mr. Schuebel introduced an ordinance that he had prepared prohibiting the importation of liquor into the city except in sealed packages, allowing the officers the right to search every person who alights from a car or train and to seize any liquor that may be in his possession, and providing a heavy penalty for the violation of its provisions.

The ordinance prescribes a fine of from \$25 to \$300 and from ten to 90 days in the city jail or both for the violation of the terms of the measure. It also requires every package to contain the name of the purchaser, the name of the shipper, the addresses of both, all printed or written in large type where it may be easily read.

### Destroy Booze.

The city recorder is required, by the proposed ordinance, to destroy all of the confiscated booze found in the illegal possession of persons returning from the metropolis. Under the measure, liquor may be brought into the city only in sealed packages and from object is to prevent persons from bringing in bottles in their pockets or suit cases after a visit to Portland or other wet territory.

Passed to its second reading, the ordinance was ordered published and appears on page two of the Morning Enterprise.

# DEDMAN CANDIDATE FOR SECOND TERM

E. P. Dedman, Recorder of Conveyances of Clackamas County, has announced his candidacy for a second term. During Mr. Dedman's incumbency of the office he has made an enviable record for efficiency and it is probable that he will have no opposition for reelection, either in the primary or in the general election. Mr. Dedman is a resident of Clackamas Station.

### Feel Miserable?

Out of sorts, depressed, pain in the back—Electric Bitters renews your health and strength. A guaranteed Liver and Kidney remedy. Money back if not satisfied. It completely cured Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Iowa, who suffered from violent liver trouble for eight months. After four doctors gave him up, he took Electric Bitters and is now a well man. Get a bottle today; it will do the same for you. Keep in the house for all liver and kidney complaints. Perfectly safe and dependable. Its results will surprise you. 50c and \$1.00.

### H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

### FATHER VINDICATES SON

Oregon City Man Explains Suit Inspired by Meddlers.

S. Price, who filed suit Thursday against his son, H. L. Price, for the recovery of papers executed by him transferring half interest in the mercantile firm of Price Brothers, in Oregon City, to the son, yesterday had the suit withdrawn and issued an affidavit declaring his confidence in the son.

In the affidavit he said he had entered into the suit, "being an old man and influenced by meddlers, who had no interest" either in him or his welfare.

"I make this statement," he said, "to give as much publication to the withdrawal of the suit as to its beginning and to vindicate my son from any imputation of dishonor and to show the world that I have full faith and confidence in my son's actions toward me and his dealing with me."

### WILL IS FILED

Margaret Finneaux filed the will of Thomas McEllen, deceased, in the probate court Thursday. The estate is valued at \$1250 and the petitioner will probably be appointed its administratrix.

# Guard Your Children Against Bowel Trouble

Many children at an early age become constipated, and frequently serious consequences result. Not being able to realize his own condition, a child's bowels should be constantly watched, and a gentle laxative given when necessary. Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets are especially well adapted to women and children. The Sisters of Christian Charity, 331 Charles St., Luzerne, Pa., who attend many cases of sickness say of them:

"Some time ago we began using Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets and find that we like them very much. Their action is gradual and we are grateful for having been made acquainted with them. We have had good results in every case and the Sisters are very much pleased."

The form and flavor of any medicine is very important, no matter who is to take it. The taste and appearance are especially important when children are concerned. All parents know how hard it is to give the average child "medicine," even though the taste is partially disguised. In using Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets, however, this difficulty is overcome. The shape of the tablets, their appearance and candy-like taste at once appeal to any child, with the result that they are taken without objection.

The rich chocolate flavor and absence of other taste, make Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets the ideal remedy for children.

If the first box fails to benefit, the price is returned. Ask your druggist. A box of 25 doses costs only 25 cents. Never sold in bulk.

MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

# Wants, For Sale etc.

Choice hop roots for sale, \$2.50 per thousand. A. McConell, Aurora, Route 2.

FOR SALE—Fresh cows, Hugh Jones R. F. D. No. 1.

# BOYS HELD ON TOBACCO CHARGE

### SMOKING WEED IN STAIRWAY GETS THEM BEFORE JUDGE TO TELL DONORS NAME

### ADVERTISING AGENT IS RESPONSIBLE

### Man Sent Here For Company, Hands Out Packages of Samples to Minors But 14 Years of Age—Investigation

Lloyd Fugill, Rennie Younger, Kenneth Joe and Charles Richardson were arrested, taken before Justice John N. Selvers, lectured, and released as one of the first tobacco cases that have been investigated by Chief Ed Shaw in his campaign against the sale of cigarettes.

Standing in the stairway of the old Charman building, the three boys as he came up the street. One of them dropped his cigarette and dashed away up the street but came back when the officer sent for him and went with the crowd to the office of the justice.

During the investigation, the chief and Justice Selvers made the discovery that an advertising man for a tobacco house had given the boys a supply of both chewing and smoking tobacco and that they had not made the purchase at any of the city stores, at least in this instance. The officers gained the name and address of the man and it is probable that he will be prosecuted under the state law.

All of the boys are but 14 years of age. The state law contains a penalty of from one to \$10 and two days in the county jail for each conviction on a charge of giving or selling the weed to minors and the chief proposes to prosecute the man who the boys said handed the packages to them a few days ago.

The law also makes these cases with in the jurisdiction with the circuit judge in matters of this kind.

# Pretty Dancers to Be Banished From Grills on March 1

PORTLAND, Feb. 4.—March 1 will see the end of all of the cabaret shows in the grills of Portland, according to Mayor Albee this morning. This order was to have taken effect some time ago, but owing to the fact that a number of the cabaret performers were under contract, the time limit was extended says the mayor.

After March 1 no performers of any kind will be allowed in any grill or restaurant in the city, but should the owners install orchestras, they will not be under the mayor's ban. In most of the cases contract held by performers expire before that date, so a little time is given to prepare for the change.

# REGISTRATION WEAK

Registration at Jennings Lodge has shown a total of 82 names: 33 Republicans, 27 Democrats, 10 Progressives, six Prohibitionists, and three Socialists. About 25 women have registered out of this number.

# How Is Your Boiler?

It has been stated that a man's stomach is his boiler, his body is his engine and his mouth the fire box. Is your boiler (stomach) in good working order or is it so weak that it will not stand a full load and not able to supply the needed energy to your engine (body)? If you have any trouble with your stomach Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen and invigorate the stomach and enable it to do its work naturally. Many very remarkable cures of stomach trouble have been effected by them. For sale by all dealers.

# Horrible Blistches of Eczema.

Quickly cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. C. P. Caldwell, of New Orleans, La., states: "My doctor advised me to try Dr. Hobson's Eczema Salve. I used three boxes of Ointment and three cakes of Dr. Hobson's Derma Zema Soap. Today I have not a spot anywhere on my body and can say I am cured." It will do the same for you. Its soothing, healing, antiseptic action will rid you of all skin humors, blackheads, pimples, Eczema blotches, red unsightly sores, and leaves your skin clean and healthy. Get a box today. Guaranteed. All druggists, 50c, or by mail, Pfaffier Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis.

# OPINIONS DIFFER ON HIGHWAY LAWS

### WIDE DIVERGENCE EXISTS ON INTERPRETATION OF ROAD STATUTES

## MR. SCHUEBEL MAKES STATEMENT

### Belief is General That Contending Interests Must Reach Agreement Before Good Can be Accomplished

Interpretation of the road laws of the state of Oregon has resolved itself, at least so far as Clackamas county is concerned, into a wide difference of opinion, some of the county supervisors maintaining that only new permanent road work must be constructed under the contract system. Guy T. Hunt, supervisor of Road District No. 49, located in the Garfield section in eastern Clackamas county, is of the opinion that each district can expend its own funds, meaning the special tax money and the 50 per cent allotment of each district from the general road fund, as it chooses.

He argued the matter before a session attended by many of the supervisors, many of whom are at sea over the correct construction of the law. In the last analysis, it will be up to the county court to determine in what manner the road funds shall be expended.

H. E. Cross, chairman of the committee of six of the Live Wires of the Oregon City Commercial club, has agreed with Attorney General Crawford upon the interpretation of the road law relative to the contract system. The contention of this committee, which has four attorneys in its personnel, is that all work must be done by contract.

This assumption is contended by City Attorney C. Schuebel, who insists that there is nothing in the law that compels repair work to be done under contract or from plans and specifications.

It has been suggested that because of the wide difference of opinion that has manifested itself over the entire road question in Clackamas county that a conference be held at Oregon City between the county court, a representative from each of the commercial organizations of the various communities and a delegation to be selected by the county court from the most capable of the road supervisors. It is argued that such a conference might bring about an agreement between all those interested, for it has finally dawned upon nearly all sincere persons who favor an improvement in the past methods of constructing highways that little can be accomplished in this county this year unless some definite program is agreed upon and adopted, backed by public sentiment.

Mr. Schuebel made the following statement relative to his interpretation of the road laws:

"Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 142, provide as follows:

"Sec. 1. The county court of each county within the state of Oregon shall at its first regular session of each and every year determine the sum of money or moneys to be expended by each road district within the said county, and if the amount thereof shall be the sum of \$1,000 or over—for permanent road or highway construction—to be expended within said road district—the county court shall instruct the county surveyor or county roadmaster to prepare plans and specifications of the proposed improvement—with an estimate of the probable cost thereof."

"Sec. 2. The county court shall approve said plans and specifications—and instruct the county clerk to advertise for sealed bids. The object of the law is to provide a uniform system of building permanent roads that are to be constructed and to require that the construction of such permanent roads should be let by contract. This bill was prepared by the roads and highway committee and approved by the state grantee and the various farmers' organizations that had representatives at the legislature.

"There is nothing in the law that can fairly be construed to mean that for all repair work or that the many of any district shall be spent under the contract system, but the amount of money that may be apportioned to that district so long as the money is expended in repairing the present roads in the district. It is the duty of the county court under the law to determine how much permanent road will be constructed in the county during the year and if any district shall expend the sum of \$1,000 or more in the construction of permanent roads then such work must be done according to the plans and specifications and let by contract."

# Giant Lodges in County Jail For Beating His Wife

A giant in size and strength, John Symes, beat his frail little wife until her eyes were closed and body badly bruised after he returned from a spree at Milwaukie Wednesday, according to the testimony brought out in the justice court.

Complaint was made to the officers and Chief Ed Shaw went to the home, Seventh and Center streets, entered the house through the back way and finally succeeded in dislodging him and himself from a room where he had locked himself against intruders. When the man was arraigned before Justice John N. Selvers, he received a \$50 fine or 25 days in jail and was committed to the custody of Sheriff E. T. Mass.

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# FRUITGROWERS TALK GOOD ROADS BONDS

SANDY, Ore., Jan. 31.—That the only drawback to eastern Clackamas county was the poor condition of the roads and that the good road bond issue would carry in the country around Sandy were the two conclusions reached at the fruit-growers meeting held in Melnie's hall this afternoon.

Fruit-growers from the Dover, Cherryville, and Firwood districts were present at the gathering. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the problems which confront the orchardist but the topic of the meeting swung around until the good roads problem and the bond issue were the sole subjects. O. E. Freytag, county fruit inspector, explained the proposed bond and answered many questions from the farmers. His talk was followed by one from Edward Olds who explained the need of the need of the Pacific highway and its tributary lines.

The general feeling at the meeting was that the proposed bond issue would carry in the Sandy district. For years past the highways around Sandy have been almost impassable during the winter months and thick with dust in summer, but during the past year there has been a change of spirit on the part of the people of that part of the country and now they are among the strongest good road boosters. Almost every road district voted a special tax for good roads last fall and the city of Sandy alone raised \$1000 in cash with which to build a permanent highway.

Another meeting will be called within a short time at which the good road spirit will be still further fostered.

### Services at Logan.

Rev. E. A. Smith, who has been holding a very successful meeting at Hillsboro, will preach Sunday at Logan at 2 p. m. and at Evergreen at 3 p. m. His theme at Logan will be "At The Door," and at Evergreen it will be "Selling the Soul."

### Mrs. Wilhelmina Storm Dies.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Heng Storm, the mother of Mrs. N. H. Smith, of Logan, died at her daughter's home January 29th, and was buried Saturday at the Redland cemetery. Rev. E. A. Smith officiating. Mrs. Storm was 84 years and 5 months old. She was born in Germany but came to this country when very young. Her husband died five years ago.

### JENNINGS LODGE.

Wm. Gregan, whose home was destroyed by fire last August, will rebuild, work commencing in the early spring.

The new house of Wiley Trant is rapidly nearing completion. The Trant family are recent arrivals from the Middle West and three of their little daughters became enrolled in the Lodge school last week.

Mrs. H. H. Emmons was among the guests at a large party given at the Cleveland home at Gresham recently. The Cleveland entertainers forty of their old time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dill, of Eugene, are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dill.

David LaCure spent one day at Silverdale the forepart of the week.

Chas. Bontas spent Sunday with his uncle, Johnnie Jennings.

A. C. MacFarlane leaves on Monday for a business trip south and will be absent three weeks.

John Richards, of Oregon City, was a visitor at the home of Cal Morse on Sunday.

The two youngest children of Mr. and Mrs. David LaCure are ill with the scarlet fever. The family have been quarantined and as one member of the family has been attending school, the school has been fumigated. School will not reopen until Feb. 9th. Up to this date no other cases have been reported.

The Symposium Club of Portland was most delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Ostrom on Tuesday evening of last week. The members coming out to a handsomely appointed dinner at 6:30, the tables being especially attractive with cut glass bowls of violets and magnolias. After the dinner the following Messers and Mesdames enjoyed 500: E. W. Rinz, Geo. Henderson, Harry Mutz, M. E. Beatty, R. O. Wood, J. W. Singletary, Harry Richmond, A. A. Hopson, Mrs. LeClair, Lorraine Ostrom and the host and hostess.

Fifteen matrons responded to the afternoon tea given by Mrs. Beas Bruechert at her home on Friday last when they were asked to spend a social afternoon, and to bring a current event. The affair was given for Mrs. Painton. A profitable afternoon was enjoyed. Mesdames Jacobs, MacFarlane, Jones, Ostrom, Robinson, Smith, Cook, Morse, Painton, McHargue, Wilcox, Russell Hart, Roberts and Bruechert gift giving some of the wonderful things that are being accomplished at the present time. Sandwiches and coffee were served.

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# Sick Women Made Well

### Reliable evidence is abundant that women are constantly being restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

The many testimonial letters that we are continually publishing in the newspapers—hundreds of them—are all genuine, true and unsolicited expressions of heartfelt gratitude for the freedom from suffering that has come to these women solely through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Money could not buy nor any kind of influence obtain such recommendations; you may depend upon it that any testimonial we publish is honest and true—if you have any doubt of this write to the women whose true names and addresses are always given, and learn for yourself.

### Read this one from Mrs. Waters:

CAMDEN, N.J.—"I was sick for two years with nervous spells, my kidneys were affected. I had a doctor all the time and used a galvanic battery, but nothing did me any good. I was not able to bed, but spent my time on a couch or in a sleeping chair, and as I became almost a skeleton. Finally my doctor went away for his health, and my husband heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got me some. In two months I got relief and now am like a new woman and am at my usual weight. I recommend your medicine to every one, and so does my husband."—Mrs. TRINA WATERS, 1135 Knight St., Camden, N.J.

### And this one from Mrs. Haddock:

UTICA, ORE.—"I was weak and nervous, not able to do my work and scarcely able to be on my feet. I had backache, headache, palpitation of the heart, trouble with my bowels, and inflammation. Since taking the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I am better than I have been for twenty years. I think it is a wonderful medicine and I have recommended it to others."—Mrs. MARY ANN HADDOCK, Utica, Oklahoma.

Now answer this question if you can. Why should a woman continue to suffer without first giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial? You know that it has saved many others—why should it fail in your case?

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs. It has restored so many suffering women to health.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



A very interesting meeting of the Civic Improvement club was held at the club rooms Saturday afternoon. Two afternoons of entertainment have been planned by the club, one a "Rally" day on the 14th of February, when each member will try to attend, accompanied by a new member. Refreshments will be served and a general good time is expected. Then on the 23rd of February there will be held a Martha Washington Tea, to which everybody is invited.

Bert H. Finch attended the Harvard Men's convention in Portland last week.

Homer Heriman is visiting in Estacada, from the Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed entertained the "500" club at their home Monday evening. A pleasant time is reported.

Mrs. W. A. Heilman visited friends in Portland Monday night.

A. E. Sparks, who is proprietor and manager of the moving picture theatre at this place, is making quite extensive repairs on the building. The stage is to have a new drop curtain and otherwise made more convenient.

Estacada is to have a presentation of the play, "The District School," some time in March, put on by all home talent.

There will be a doubleheader basket ball game at the Estacada pavilion Saturday night.

The second annual school fair will be held Feb. 12th. There are many premiums offered for the various contests in vegetable raising, stock raising, chickens and domestic exhibits.

The Civic Improvement club is considering the question of purchasing a building for its own use.

Garfield people are expecting a lecture on landscape gardening, by Prof. Fred A. the Agricultural college, next Saturday afternoon at the Country Club hall.