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## BURNS REPUDIATED BY CITY COUNCIL

POPE ONLY MAN TO VOTE FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT

MAYOR AND TOOZE HAVE COLLOQUY  
Dimick Tells Councilmen That They Act "Like Children" And Are "Brownell Strikers"

The opposition City Council to Mayor G. B. Dimick of eight days to one day, refused to confirm the appointment by the Mayor of Charles E. Burns as Chief of Police at the meeting of the Council held Wednesday night, Councilman Pope being the only member casting a favorable vote for the appointee.

The Mayor then named W. A. Long as Chief of Police but was only answered by silence from the councilmen. Mayor Dimick then withdrew the appointment. Councilman Tooze urged that the matter of a Chief of Police be settled and recommended that the matter be referred to the people at a called election. He regretted that there was "the same old wind-up" at each meeting.

"Then why do you not do your duty?" asked the Mayor.

"I believe that I am acting as the people wish me to in this matter. I move that an election be held. The money to defray the expenses has been raised and there will be no cost to the city. This matter comes under Statement No. 1."

"It is most regrettable that you act so like children," said the Mayor. "I am doing my best and following strictly by the letter of the Charter in endeavoring to give the city a business administration. I do not like to be fooled with by a lot of Brownell strikers."

"Who do you refer to as Brownell strikers," asked Councilman Burke. "A few of the Mayor's cronies against the Mayor" was the response of Mayor Dimick.

Councilman Holman was heard to remark that he was ready to vote all night if it became necessary. "The same old wind-up" occurred and the Chief of Police was just what was wanted in the beginning. The lateness of the hour prevented further discussion of the question. Mayor Dimick announced that after Wednesday night Officer Cooke would not be retained.

When the matter of the issuing of a warrant for the Mayor was held, the services of Charles E. Burns as Chief of Police, appointed by Mayor Dimick, the "solid eight" consisting of Councilmen Burke, Albright, Holman, Tooze, Beard, Hall, Meyer, and Roake voted "No," and Councilman Pope cast the minority vote in favor. Councilman Beard made the motion that the warrant be drawn and Councilman Hall seconded.

The first reading of an ordinance appropriating \$100 for the payment of E. L. Shaw as Chief of Police for the month of January was made and the ordinance was ordered published. While Shaw was dismissed by Mayor Dimick, when he assumed the mayoralty chair, the Council has taken the matter into its own hands in the matter of the payment of a salary which it is claimed by the Mayor is not due him. Councilman Beard made the motion that the ordinance pass its first reading, seconded by Councilman Meyer. Mayor Dimick remarked that "he could not see why an ordinance had to be passed if the matter were a legal transaction."

A bill rendered by Stewart & Grant for \$475 for work on the house of Mountain View Hose Company No. 4 was scored heavily as the work done, it is claimed, was far below that demanded by the specifications. Members of the company spoke against the payment of the bill until the work shall have been done properly. The matter was referred to the City Engineer and City Attorney with power to employ a first class mechanic and view the work to determine its quality.

A bill rendered by F. L. Trullinger who for a time "refused to be fired" from the street cleaning department claiming \$94 due him, was laid on the table. With the bill Trullinger

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## MANY STORES AND HOMES PLANNED

CHARLES ELY BUILDING HANDSOME BUNGALOW ON EIGHTH STREET

A. H. LONGLEY ERECTING RESIDENCE  
George Simmons Lets Contract For Picture Theatre At Corner Of Eighth And Main Streets

The construction of the Charles Ely bungalow on Eighth and VanBuren Streets is being pushed by the contractor, Frederick Hoffman. The lot upon which the house is being built is high and commands an excellent view. There will be eight rooms, the living room and the dining room to be connected by an archway with pillars. The veranda is also of bungalow style and extends the full width of the house, being 17x14 feet. The residence will be ready for occupancy about April 1.

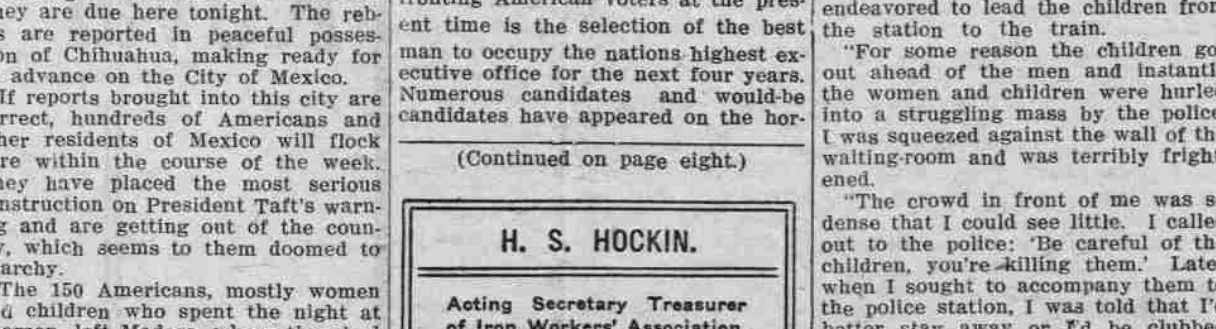
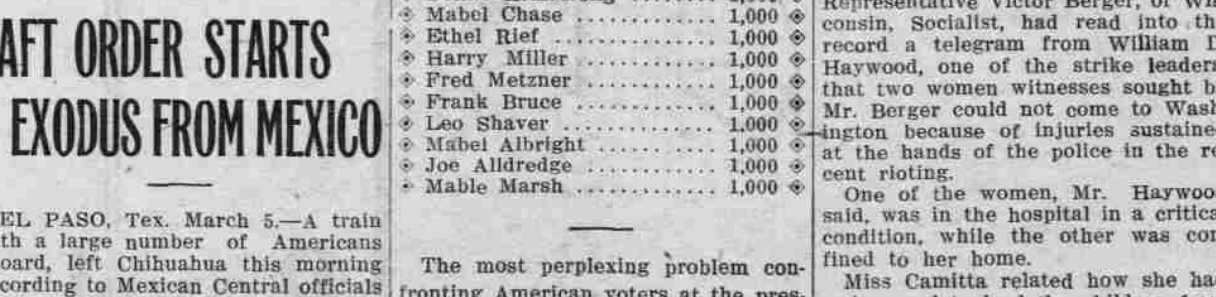
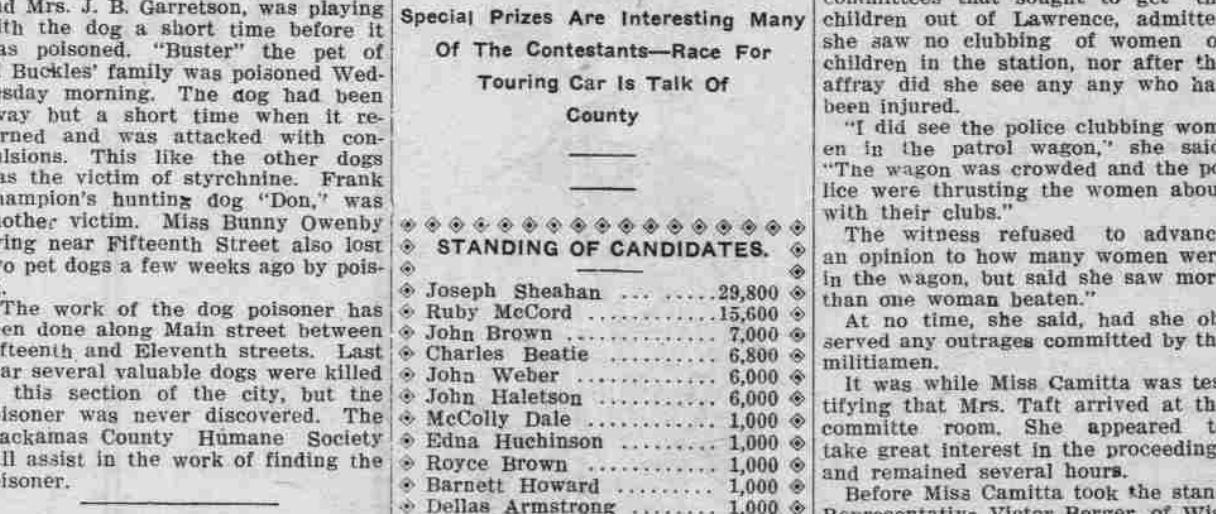
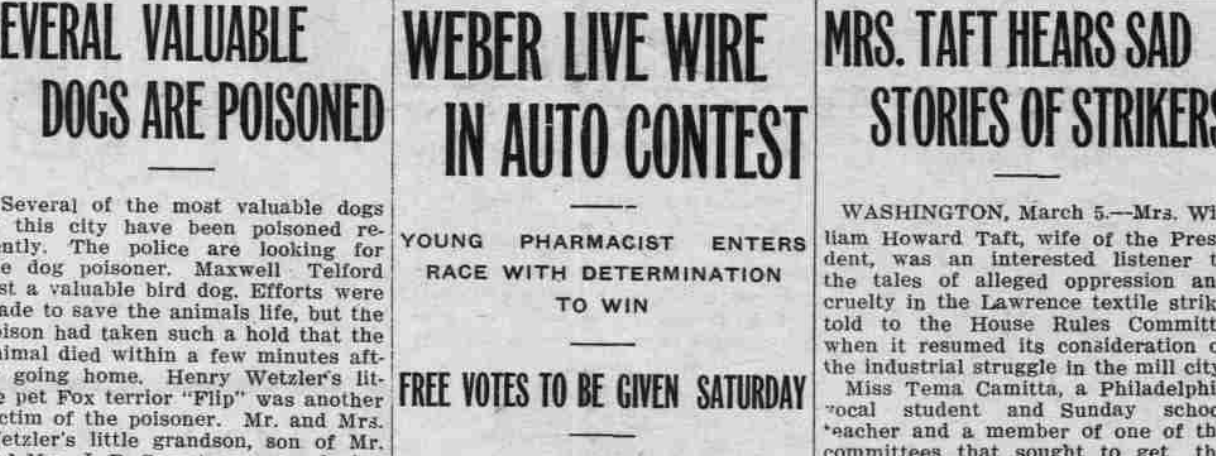
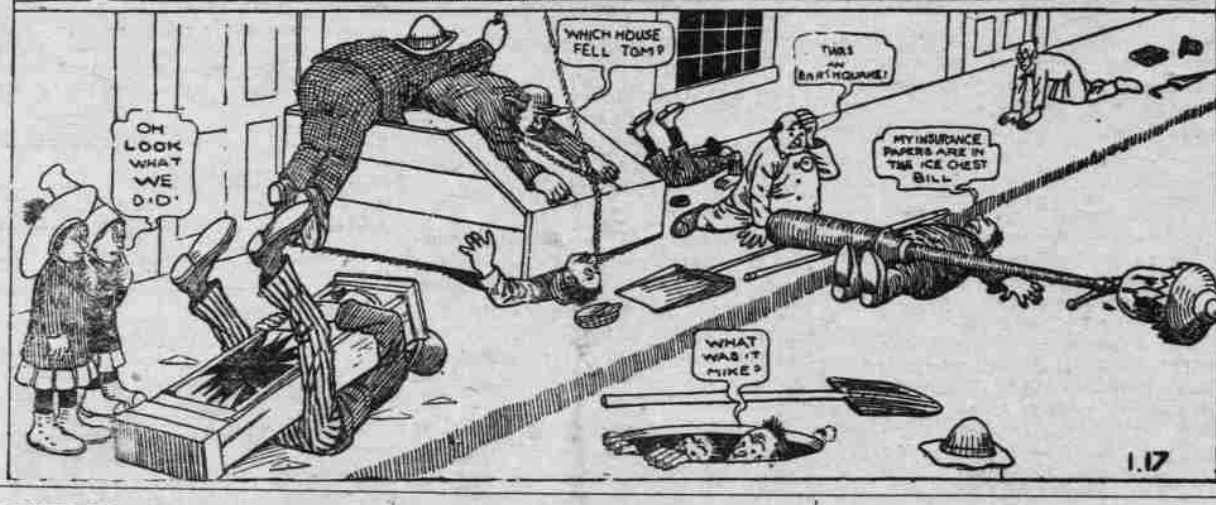
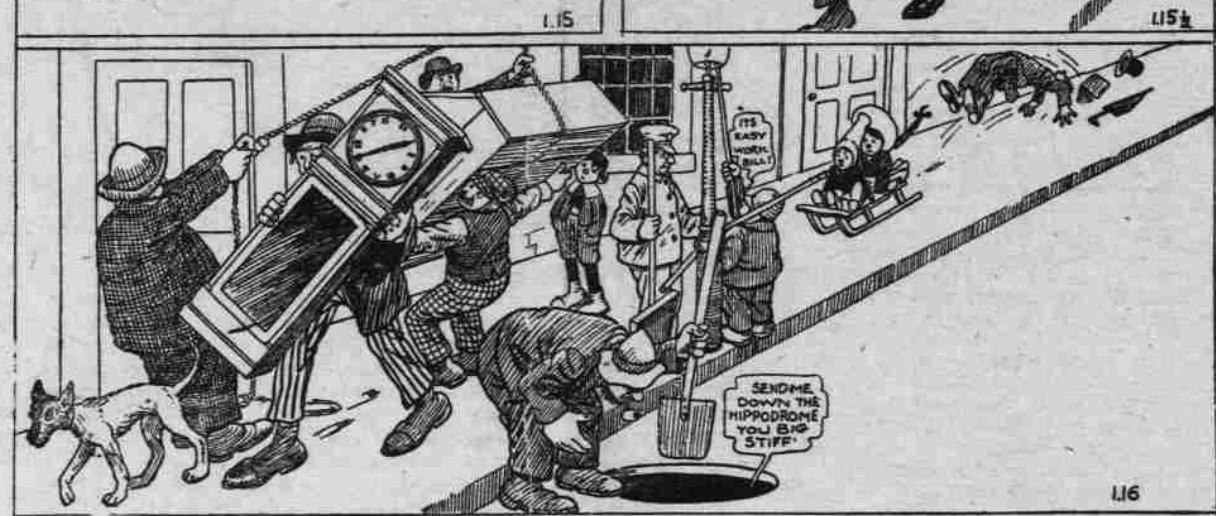
A. H. Longley, a contractor and builder, who recently arrived in this city with his wife and daughter, is building on Jackson Street between Fourteenth and Fifteenth Streets. The interior will be different from any in this city, and was designed by Mr. Longley, who has been in the contracting business for the past eighteen years, having come to this city from Monterey County, Cal., where he built many bungalows. The veranda fronting Jackson Street is of a most artistic design with wide eaves. The porch extends along the front of the house. The living room, which is separated from the dining room by a beautiful archway, opens upon the veranda. The living room is 12x12-1/2 feet, the dining room being of the same dimensions. On each side of the archway in the dining room are built-in book cases. The kitchen is 10x12 feet. The bath will adjoin the sleeping apartments. There are three bedrooms, all of which are large. The woodwork of the living and dining rooms will be finished in dark coloring oak, while the kitchen will be in the natural color of the wood.

The store building owned by V. Harris, the grocer, on Fourteenth and Main Streets is being thoroughly renovated by White & Woodward. The second floor will be finished in dark coloring and will no doubt be the most modern and attractive apartments in the city. The main entrance will be on the north side of the building, and a wide flight of stairs will lead to a hallway on the second floor, the rooms of each apartment opening into this. The hall is in the form of "T" and widens toward the front of the building, which overlooks Main Street. Each apartment will have six rooms including living room, 12x14 feet; dining room, 12x12; kitchen, sleeping apartments, bath, pantry, each being 6x8 feet. The kitchen will be of a modern design having all the latest improvements and each having woodfloors, so as the wood may be brought from the basement, which will be used as a woodshed, and store room, this to have a cement floor. A handsome colonnade archway will divide the living room from the dining room. The interior will be finished in Mission. The six rooms of each flat will have triple windows, while the windows of the other rooms will be double, making the rooms well ventilated. The bath room of each apartment will be finished in the white tiling, and the woodwork painted in corresponding color. The rooms will be plastered and will have double floors. The lower floor of this building will be used as two store rooms, each having large plate glass windows fronting same and also on side. The work on this building will be pushed along as rapidly as possible, and it will probably be ready for occupancy the later part of March or the middle of April.

White Brothers will have charge of the building of Farr Brothers' building, which will be erected on the lot purchased by Farr Brother about a year ago and which is located on Seventh and Monroe Streets. The work of construction will commence this week. The building will be two story and will have a concrete basement. The basement will be used as open work room, packing room, while the first floor will be used as a meat market by Farr Brothers, and the second

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## THE OUTLET PERPETRATED BY WALT McDUGALL



### SEVERAL VALUABLE DOGS ARE POISONED

Several of the most valuable dogs of this city have been poisoned recently. The police are looking for the dog poisoner. Maxwell Telford lost a valuable bird dog. Efforts were made to save the animal's life, but the poison had taken such a hold that the animal died within a few minutes after going home. Henry Wetzler's little pet Fox terrier "Flip" was another victim of the poisoner. Mr. and Mrs. Wetzler's little grandson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Garretson, was playing with the dog a short time before it was poisoned. "Buster" the pet of Al Buckles' family was poisoned Wednesday morning. The dog had been away but a short time when it returned and was attacked with convulsions. This like the other dogs was the victim of strychnine. Frank Champlin's hunting dog "Don," was another victim. Miss Bunny Owenby living near Fifteenth Street also lost two pet dogs a few weeks ago by poisoning.

### WEBER LIVE WIRE IN AUTO CONTEST

YOUNG PHARMACIST ENTERS RACE WITH DETERMINATION TO WIN  
FREE VOTES TO BE GIVEN SATURDAY

Special Prizes Are Interesting Many Of The Contestants—Race For Touring Car Is Talk Of County

Joseph Sheahan	29,800
Ruby McCord	15,500
John Brown	7,000
Charles Beattie	6,500
John Weber	6,000
John Haleston	6,000
McColly Dale	1,000
Edna Hutchinson	1,000
Royce Brown	1,000
Barnett Howard	1,000
Dallas Armstrong	1,000
Mabel Chase	1,000
Ethel Rief	1,000
Harry Miller	1,000
Fred Metzner	1,000
Frank Bruce	1,000
Leo Shaver	1,000
Mabel Albright	1,000
Joe Alldredge	1,000
Mable Marsh	1,000

### Taft Order Starts Exodus From Mexico

EL PASO, Tex. March 5.—A train with a large number of Americans aboard, left Chihuahua this morning according to Mexican Central officials. They are due here tonight. The rats are reported in peaceful possession of Chihuahua, making ready for an advance on the City of Mexico.

If reports brought into this city are correct, hundreds of Americans and other residents of Mexico will flock here within the course of the week. They have placed the most serious construction on President Taft's warning and are getting out of the country, which seems to them doomed to anarchy.

The 150 Americans, mostly women and children who spent the night at Pearson, left Madera, where they had resided, with haste. It was the noon meal hour, and in order to catch the train the meals were abandoned when the President's proclamation was read.

When Rev. Father C. M. Pinto, an American citizen, was held up in his mission church at Juarez, Sunday, and before he was rescued by Mayor Kelly of El Paso, he promised, under duress, to send a check for \$100 to General Rojas. The check was mailed today, as the priest insisted on keeping his word, but not before the check had been photographed and the picture sent to Washington.

### SWEATERS ARRIVE FOR HEROES OF GRIDIRON

The sweaters for the Oregon City football team arrived on Wednesday morning at the store of C. G. Miller. The sweaters are attractive, being of white and yellow with large lettering. The Oregon City football team won every game played by it last season.

## ENGINEER SURVIVES ELECTRIC SHOCK

CHARLES J. PARKER IS FOUND UNCONSCIOUS IN BIG PLANT

IS RESCUED BY FELLOW WORKMEN  
10,000 Volts Are Thought To Have Passed Through Body—Physician Thinks He Will Recover

Charles J. Parker, chief engineer at electric station B, narrowly escaped being electrocuted Wednesday morning. He was found in an unconscious condition, and was taken to his home on a stretcher. Mr. Parker was attended by Dr. Mount, and was finally restored to consciousness, but his condition is still serious.

It was estimated that at least 10,000 volts passed through Mr. Parker's body. When found he had a generator grasped in his right hand and a live wire was wrapped around his head. John Roddy, M. Rauch and Frank Shipley, who are employed in the station, were attracted by the odor of burning flesh and dragged Mr. Parker from his perilous position. Dr. Mount was summoned immediately, and when he arrived the victim was thought to be dying. He soon rallied, sufficiently to be taken home and Dr. Mount thinks he will recover.

Mr. Parker is forty-five years of age and has been engineer of the electric plant for fifteen years.

### SIDEWALK VANDALS ARE BEING SOUGHT

The Mount Pleasant Civic Improvement Club met in the Mount Pleasant schoolhouse Tuesday evening, and discussed the throwing of debris on the streets and sidewalks. A committee was appointed to make a thorough investigation and try to find out who the vandals are. The sidewalk committee reported that lumber had been received and the work of constructing walks leading from Mount Pleasant to Mountain View along the Holmes road would be commenced immediately.

It was also planned to give a cash prize for the best essay on Mount Pleasant and the work that has been done by the club since its organization. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, A. C. Warner; vice-president, G. A. Bickel; secretary, T. G. Clark; treasurer, Mrs. Edward McLane.

A. C. Warner, T. Gilbert Clark, and G. A. Bickel composed the committee on the Holmes' road; and T. C. Thomas, J. M. Warnock and Charles Holmes on the Kellogg road.

### MRS. TAFT HEARS SAD STORIES OF STRIKERS

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Mrs. William Howard Taft, wife of the President, was an interested listener to the tales of alleged oppression and cruelty in the Lawrence textile strike told to the House Rules Committee when it resumed its consideration of the industrial struggle in the mill city.

Miss Taft Camitta, a Philadelphia "social student" and Sunday school teacher and a member of one of the committees that sought to get the children out of Lawrence, admitted she saw no clubbing of women or children in the station, nor after the affray did she see any one who had been injured.

"I did see the police clubbing women in the patrol wagon," she said. "The wagon was crowded and the police were thrusting the women about with their clubs."

The witness refused to advance an opinion to how many women were in the wagon, but said she saw more than one woman beaten.

At no time, she said, had she observed any outrages committed by the militiamen.

It was while Miss Camitta was testifying that Mrs. Taft arrived at the committee room. She appeared to take great interest in the proceedings and remained several hours.

Before Miss Camitta took the stand Representative Victor Berger, of Wisconsin, Socialist, had read into the record a telegram from William D. Hayward, one of the strike leaders, that two women witnesses sought by Mr. Berger could not come to Washington because of injuries sustained at the hands of the police in the recent rioting.

One of the women, Mr. Hayward said, was in the hospital in a critical condition, while the other was confined to her home.

Miss Camitta related how she had endeavored to lead the children from the station to the train.

"For some reason the children got out ahead of the men and instantly the women and children were hurled into a struggling mass by the police. I was squeezed against the wall of the waiting-room and was terribly frightened."

"The crowd in front of me was so dense that I could see little. I called out to the police: 'Be careful of the children, you're killing them.' Later when I sought to accompany them to the police station, I was told that I'd better stay away or I'd be clubbed too."

Miss Camitta told of detectives visiting the homes of parents of Lawrence children and threatening them if they sent their children away.

"In all cases where children were to be taken to Philadelphia," asked Chairman Henry, "did you have the parents' consent?"

"In every case," she said.

## COURT APPROPRIATES \$450 FOR FAIR EXHIBIT

The County Court, at a meeting Wednesday, decided to advertise for bids for furnishing a road map. There is no map of the roads of this county, and there has been a demand for one for years. A delegation of thirty citizens of Logan and Barton, headed by H. T. and Harvey Gibson, filed a petition with the court asking that a road be opened between Logan and Barton. The court appropriated \$450 to be used for obtaining an exhibit at the state fair. Only \$250 was appropriated for this purpose last year and the exhibit won second prize. It is believed that the Clackamas County exhibit will win first prize at the next fair.

Mayor. However, the Socialist stronghold rolled up majorities for Cotterill and elected him by 665 votes over Hiram C. Gill.

Although the Socialists elected none of their four candidates on the ticket, they polled a large vote, ranging from 16,882 for C. J. Jacobs, candidate for Councilman, to 24,241 for E. J. Brown, candidate for Corporation Counsel. Socialist vote last year was 4680.

## LIBRARY TO BE IN 7TH STREET PARK

PROMPT ACTION URGED BY McBAIN AT MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

MCLOUGHLIN SQUARE SITE OPPOSED  
Women Object To Building Being Located in That Block—Moffat Makes Fight

The new Library, the gift of Andrew Carnegie to the city embodying \$12,500, is assured and Wednesday night the City Council, on motion of Councilman Tooze, ordered an ordinance drawn for the establishment of a monument in the Seventh Street Park, such monument to be a Carnegie Library.

B. T. McBain, appearing for the Library Association, laid the matter before the Council and urged prompt action with the result that the first step toward an actual location for the Library has been made. J. E. Hedges, president of the association and John W. Loder were also present and expressed their approval of the site for the Library.

The committee on location, with Mr. McBain as spokesman has investigated every piece of city property and the committee is in favor of erecting the library in McLoughlin Park but objection has been made by certain women to this and as the only other suitable spot the Seventh Street site has been decided upon.

While Mr. McBain could give no reason for the objection made against the McLoughlin Park location he gracefully accepted the next best place although the sentiment was for the Seventh Street Park was too far removed from the central point.

J. W. Moffat, who was present, stated that he did not believe that there was such strong objection as Mr. McBain thought that if the question was put a vote of the people that it would carry by three to one in favor of the McLoughlin Park site. He added that he did not believe that the McLoughlin people had a right to monopolize the park in such a manner.

### OREGON CITY SOLDIER BOYS ARE PRAISED

The Oregon City Company of the Oregon National Guard, officially known as the Seventh Company Coast Artillery Corps, had its annual inspection on Tuesday night and was strongly commended by the examining officers.

Captain Heidy and the men of the company had everything spick and span, so much so that Captain Frances M. Hinkle, U. S. A., Coast Artillery, made a special point of the fact that the company equipment was among the best he had inspected.

Captain Hinkle, the examining officer, was accompanied by Major L. H. Knapp, Quartermaster of the Oregon National Guard. Out of a total establishment of sixty-five, there were forty-nine men and three officers on parade—a splendid showing seeing that quite a big percentage of the men are nightworkers in the mills, and in other occupations. Both officers commented on the handicap the company suffered in its present cramped quarters. Major Knapp commended it as totally unfit to house the valuable equipment the present military status of the company makes necessary, and which Uncle Sam is to install about May 1.

The company made a very good showing in the infantry drill, and presented an appearance that particularly pleased the examining officer. Unfortunately the new artillery uniforms have not arrived, but Captain Heidy has been assured that they will be here in less than two weeks. Captain Hinkle after a most thorough inspection, gave an unqualified endorsement of material and congratulated the officers on the esprit de corps that permeated the company.

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Acting Secretary Treasurer of Iron Workers' Association.

### SOCIALISTS ELECT COTTERILL MAYOR

SEATTLE, Wash. March 6.—That Socialist votes elected George F. Cotterill Mayor of Seattle is shown by a study of the returns.

The Socialist candidate for Mayor was eliminated in the primaries and leaves of the party exhorted their followers to vote for no candidate for

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