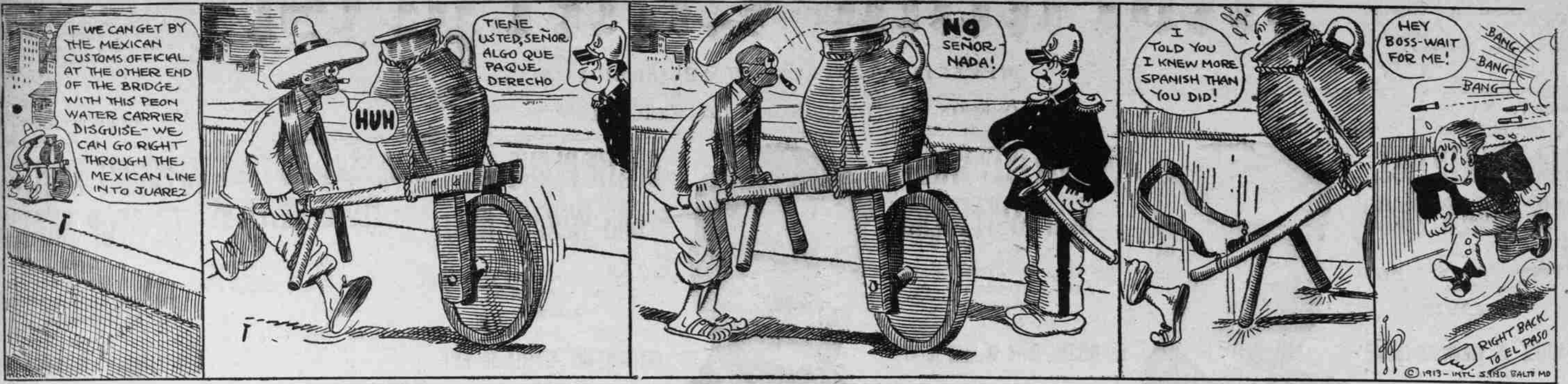


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CITY OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER

March 28 in American History.

1846 General Zachary Taylor advanced the United States army to the Rio Grande and was attacked by Mexicans. 1862 Congress appropriated \$13,000,000 for the construction of iron-clad gunboats. 1910-David Josiah Brewer, associate justice of United States supreme court, died; born 1837.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS. (From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:19, rises 5:52. Evening stars: Mercury, Venus, Saturn. Morning stars: Jupiter, Mars.

PROTECTING THE SMALL BORROWERS

By a unanimous vote the Missouri Senate has passed what is commonly called the loan shark bill and the measure is now under consideration in the House. Its object is to prevent the robbery by usurious methods, of the most necessitous class of borrowers, who, having nothing for security, are compelled to consent to any terms that will yield them a little ready money for food and shelter. It is estimated that in a city like St. Louis this suffering and hitherto defenseless class borrow about \$2,000,000 a year, for the use of which more than \$4,000,000 is extorted from them in the course of twelve months. Existing laws against usury are evaded. The victim must have a little money at once, and has neither the knowledge nor resources to contend for legal rates. His protection rests with an effective system; and one, after careful study, seems to be provided in the bill just approved, without a dissenting vote, in the State Senate. This bill forbids any one to engage in the business and charge more than 8 per cent per annum without being licensed by the city where it is located. The city issuing the license is given full authority to regulate and control. A person holding a license from the city, and also giving bond, would be permitted to charge 2 per cent a month interest and a dollar and a half service and expense charge, but is forbidden to make a loan exceeding \$300. The bill pending at Jefferson City is in line with the recommendations of the National Federation of Remedial Loan Institutions, and with laws passed in New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Jersey and other states. The main point is that such a law is a real, practical regulation and not a statute with loopholes for usurers. The rigid license system, with city supervision, will end the methods by which loan sharks manage to charge what they please.

KILLING OFF HOUSEHOLD PESTS

The United States Department of Agriculture has published a bulletin dealing with the destruction of pests to the household. An infallible means of ridding houses of flies, cockroaches, rats, mice, fleas, clothes moths and other vermin is claimed. The medium of effecting this is by means of hydrocyanic acid gas, and the credit of the discovery is due Dr. L. O. Howard and C. H. Popenoe of the department. Flies, rats and mice are prolific disease breeders, being among the most persistent of germ carriers and distributors. Rats, mice, clothes moths and other vermin annually cause damage which can only be reckoned in the hundreds of millions of dollars. The department has issued a pamphlet upon the subject, which should be in the hands of every householder, for if a test shows that the gas, which is said to be cheap and easy to handle, accomplishes what the department says it does, one of the serious problems of sanitation will have been solved.

CLARKS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wettlaufer were in town on Monday. Born to the wife of Albert Larkins a daughter, on the 23rd of March. Mr. and Mrs. Wolfson were in Port-

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land last week on business. Mr. Buche hauled a load of oats from Highland last week. Miss Elizabeth Marshall stepped on a nail but is getting along alright. Mr. Hayner had an auction sale last week. Miss Edna Elmer has been on the sick list. Ed and Lawrence Grace were in town last Saturday. Miss Bernice Schute has gone home after a visit with W. Marshall and family. Fred Marshall purchased Mr. Hayner's hack.

Petition to Council for 7th Street Improvement.

Oregon City, Or., March 19, 1913. To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Oregon City, Oregon: Gentlemen:—We the undersigned petitioners representing the property owners on Seventh Street, do most respectfully petition your honorable body to have Seventh Street repaired with crushed rock in the most economical manner possible, as we are of the opinion that the re-improvement proposed by the City Engineer is excessive in cost and an unnecessary burden on the property owners. The property owners are willing to replace sidewalks and curbs with cement as fast as the same are needed, and we believe that all the property owners from Center Street to J. Q. Adams will at least replace wooden curbs with cement before the repairs are made. We believe that some improvement other than wood or cement cross walks be laid and suggest that it may be practical to lay a strip of asphalt or hard surface flush with the street. We further recommend that the work be done by the superintendent of streets, if a satisfactory contract cannot be entered into with some responsible contractors. The cost of said repairs to be assessed pro rata to the property on said street, the city to pay 1-3 if allowable. The proposal to improve from the east line of High Street to Center street is in our judgment unnecessary and would greatly damage and make unsightly the abutting property. We recommend the improvement of the North thirty feet of that part of the street to connect with the grade of the Singer Hill road, which would answer all requirements. Trusting that your honorable body will act in co-operation with the property owners in this matter, we submit the same for your favorable consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

- J. H. WATTELY, MRS. S. A. MATTLEY, GEO. REDDAWAY, T. L. CHARMAN, MRS. S. C. MILLER, M. G. CHRISTENSEN, MRS. F. MCCAUSLAND, MRS. M. M. CROSS, MRS. ANN JONES, MRS. SARAH SEARS, MRS. ELIZABETH SHIVELY, MRS. MATILDA CHARMAN, MRS. JESSIE COOKE, A. B. LINN, W. L. LITTLE, WM. ESTES, M. AMRINE, I. MILLER, W. C. GREEN, MRS. BEATRICE ALLDRIDGE, MR. AND MRS. HENRY SCHOENBORN, PARR BROS, JACK & ALBRIGHT, F. M. BLUHM, MRS. D. P. THOMPSON, by Henry Meldrum, agent. PETER SUMMERS, H. C. STEVENS, J. B. FAIRCLOUGH, CHAS. H. CAUFIELD, F. D. SIMMONS, C. G. MILLER.

DOG ORDINANCE TO BE RIGIDLY ENFORCED

The city council has instructed Chief of Police Shaw to enforce to the letter the ordinance relating to dogs. The chief announced Thursday that all dogs allowed to go on the streets must not only have a collar but must have a city license attached to the collar. Licenses must be provided for all dogs four months of age or more. The committee representing the Woman's Club informed the council that it would be willing to abandon its plan to have dogs prevented from running at large unless under leash, if the city would promise to rigidly enforce the law.

METHODISTS TO HOLD GREAT PARLIAMENT

One of the most important movements ever inaugurated for the purpose of bringing Methodists of the Northwest into closer touch with the work of the Methodist Episcopal Church in her organized missionary, educational and benevolent enterprises is the series of parliaments opened Wednesday in Grants Pass. The next one will be held in Portland, beginning Sunday afternoon, with an address by Bishop Shepherd of Kansas City. "America and the Whole World for Christ" is the motto for all these gatherings.

Specialists from all parts of the world will be present to represent the claims of the various causes, and to point to the open door in all lands and renew the Macedonian cry from all the world. America's needs and opportunities and her relation to the evangelization of the world will not be overlooked, but particularly urged by those who will plead the cause of home missions in all its aspects.

Three of the General Superintendents of the church will be in attendance. Bishops F. J. McConnell, of Denver, Col., W. O. Shepherd, Kansas City, and Richard J. Cooke, Portland, have prominent places on the program and others will speak. It is seldom that such an array of talent is brought together. It is the best the church affords. Dr. T. B. Ford, pastor of the Methodist Church here, will attend the sessions Mondays and Tuesdays, and the First Methodist Episcopal Church is entitled to one delegate for every ten members. The Old Mother Church of Oregon City ought to be well represented in this great meeting of representative men from all parts of the world, says Dr. Ford. The pastor is anxious to have as many as possible attend. The Multino circuit will send five delegates, the pastor and four laymen. The church in Oregon City should have 25 delegates, the pastor says.

PLANS FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL MEET MADE

Plans for the big State Sunday School Convention which will be held in this city April 24, 25, 26, are well advanced. The convention, which will be one of the biggest ever held in Oregon City, will probably be attended by at least 500 delegates from all parts of Western Oregon and many parts of Eastern Oregon. Each Sunday school of every church is urged to send at least one delegate to the convention. There will be a convention in Baker about the same time. Special features have been announced as follows: Organized class banquets, teacher training banquets, denominational conferences, Sunday School parade, girl's conference, great music, departmental and special conferences, expert leaders. Among the speakers in Oregon City will be Rev. R. N. Avison, of Salem; Professor F. E. Billington, of the Eugene Bible School; Mrs. L. A. Danenower, of Portland, and Rev. Miles B. Fisher, of San Francisco.

STAFFORD.

March, true to its nature, has been rather cold and stormy the past few days. We are glad to report that the sick are getting better, and with care will soon be well, we trust. All were shocked to read of the sudden death on Sunday in Portland of John Backle's little girl, who was hit by a motorcycle and her neck broken. The father as a boy lived with his father's family for a number of years in Stafford. His father was pastor of the German Baptist church at this place and owned the place where Mr. Pamperine now lives. The Ladies' Circle met with Mrs. Aerni last Thursday and celebrated in a small way her wedding anniversary by bringing gifts appropriate to the occasion. It was a complete surprise to her and although she had never married twice she said she never received so many wedding presents. One lady brought a wedding fruit cake. The two cemeteries have been buried over early before the flowers bloomed, making an improvement in the looks of the "City of the Dead." A baby girl, the first one, came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spancenberg on Friday last. Grace Tiedeman is still with Mrs. August Delker. We are glad to report that Grandma Tiedeman who fell and hurt her back so seriously is now able to stand and hopes are entertained for a speedy recovery. We are glad to say that quite a number remembered her with Easter cards. Monday night of this week registered the coldest of the month, it being 22 degrees above zero.

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LOGAN. We are thankful we live in Oregon, no blizzards here. The entertainment given by the Redland Band at the Grange hall was a success in every way. The music was good and plenty of it. Mr. Hampton, the aged father of Louis Hampton will be buried here Wednesday afternoon. His home was at Tillamook but had come to Portland for treatment and died. The lecture that was to be last Saturday was not held. The speaker, Dr. Pierce, of Portland, was not feeling well that day, so postponed it until later. The Lower Logan school will give an entertainment at the hall Saturday, the 28th. Somebody says there will be a wedding in the near future here. Ask WANTED:—A chance to show you

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NOTICES. Notice of Application for Liquor License. Notice is hereby given that I will at the next regular meeting of the City Council apply for a license to sell liquor at my place of business 417 Main Street for a period of three months. E. A. BRADY.

Notice of Application for Liquor License. Notice is hereby given that we will at the next regular meeting of the City Council apply for a license to sell liquor at our place of business 5th and Main Streets for a period of three months. HUNSAKER & TAYLOR.

Notice of Application for Liquor License. Notice is hereby given, that I will at the next regular meeting of the City Council apply for a license to

sell liquor at my place of business 520 Main Street for a period of three months. FRANK UDERMAN.

Notice of Application for Pool Hall License. Notice is hereby given, that I will at the next regular meeting of the City Council apply for a license to run and regulate a pool room at my place of business in Mountain View for a period of three months. F. F. CURRAN.

Summons. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County. Della Ross, Plaintiff, vs. Allen G. Ross, Defendant. To Allen G. Ross, Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 28th day of April 1913, and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint on or before said date which is six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint, to-wit: for a decree of divorce on the grounds of desertion. This summons is served upon you by publication once a week for six consecutive weeks in the Morning Enterprise, by order of the Honorable R. B. Beatie, County Judge in the absence of J. U. Campbell, judge of the above entitled court made and entered in said suit on the 13th day of March 1913. Date of first publication March 14th, 1913. Date of last publication April 18th, 1913. JAY H. UPTON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Summons. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas, Dept. No. Melvina Matney, Plaintiff, vs. James Matney, Defendant. To James Matney, Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action on or before the 25th day of April, 1913, and if you fail to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take a decree annulling, setting aside and holding for naught the marriage relation now existing between you and the defendant and giving the care and custody of their minor child Manilla Matney to the plaintiff. Service of this summons is made upon you by publication in pursuance of an Order of the Honorable R. B. Beatie, County Judge of Clackamas County, Oregon, the Circuit Judge being absent from said county and state, said Order was made on the 13th day of March, 1913, directing such publication in the Morning Enterprise, once a week for six consecutive weeks, the first publication being on the 14th day of March, 1913, and the last being on the 25th day of April, 1913. HICKS & BROWNELL, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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