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GIGANTIC SEWER WORK IS OUTLINED

COUNCIL HEARS EXPERT REPORT ON PROPOSED SEVENTH ST. DRAINAGE SYSTEM

236 ACRES INCLUDED FOR \$54,069

Robert Dieck Describes How Improvement May Best Be Installed, so Economy and Utility Will Result

A detailed report on the problem of draining property adjacent to Seventh street, and the territory beyond lying at the top of the hill, through a trunk sewer system, was made to the council Wednesday night by Robert G. Dieck, the consulting expert engaged by the city to prepare plans for this work. The district to be drained is officially known as sewer district No. 10, and extends from along the creek having its outfall in to Abernathy creek, McLoughlin avenue, the city limits, and the bounds of former districts already established. The total length of sewer required, from the river at Fourteenth street to Molalla avenue is approximately 8,500 feet.

The area to be drained approximates 236 acres, of which about 130 lie north of Division street and 38 acres to the south. In preparing plans, Mr. Dieck has assumed that trunk sewer construction will be carried back from an outlet in the river to Division street, with branches running beyond that point to care for several sub-districts. In order to expedite the improvement of Seventh street, Mr. Dieck has also included in plan the draining of that thoroughfare from Molalla avenue to High street.

In reviewing conditions, the report set forth the interesting information that a previous estimate by Mr. Montgomery appeared in the light of later investigations to be much too high, and that the Montgomery plan also failed to care for sufficient laterals. In preparing his scheme for the work, Mr. Dieck has outlined a sewer system that will be capable of caring for storm discharges of maximum rainfall for one and a half hours without strain or flooding—the maximum being figured as a fall of an inch and a half an hour, which is granting plenty of margin. This allowance has been made because of the steep grades in much of the territory, which largely add to the amount of surface water to be cared for in storms. The sewer, as planned, will be able to discharge into the river 170 cubic feet of fluid per second when working at its greatest capacity.

In his report Mr. Dieck said in part:

"There is no question that the main sewer must be constructed in the bed of the canyon from Fourteenth to John Adams street, but beyond that point several locations are possible. The shortest distance from this point is to an outfall at the foot of John Adams street into Abernathy creek. The city, however, would be forced to construct an intercepting sewer to divert the flow into running water, at a large cost. The outfall must therefore be on the Williams river, either directly at Fourteenth street, diagonally across private land to an outfall at Fifteenth street, or along John Adams street to Fifteenth street, and then directly to the river."

In discussing this problem, Mr. Dieck reviews the values of the different routes at great length, and concludes that the best location for an outfall would be at the foot of Fourteenth street, and estimates have been prepared with such an end in view. The outlet is designed to be submerged at all times, both for sanitary reasons and for appearances. The details of the upper sewer system are carefully worked out along several possible lines. The average cutting necessary for the sewer is declared to be eight feet, though on certain portions of Seventh street a ten-foot cut will be necessary. In the plans, glazed terra-cotta piping is provided for points in smaller sections where wear will occur from silt, and in the larger sewer it is planned to use a special facing of glazed blocks.

The total costs of the several possible plans are set forth in detail. The two plans most favored by the consulting engineer will call for an outlay of \$54,069 and \$35,983. The first will embrace an area of 236 acres, while the second will care for but 196 acres. The first will mean a property cost of about \$447 per acre, while the second, owing to peculiar construction necessary, will cost \$415 an acre. The engineer has left it with the council which scheme shall be adopted. Alternative plans are also submitted in detail.

To make use of the general plan, costing \$54,069 property owners will have to reach an agreement with the city in regard to certain details of the work, and the manner in which portions of other districts are to be connected up with the trunk sewer. It is thought that such plans can be made satisfactorily. The estimates submitted are 35 per cent above what may be expected in actual cost of the work, so as to allow for contingencies. (Continued on Page 3.)

BOOSTER PROGRAM MUCH AMPLIFIED

MANY FEATURES ARE ADDED AT LAST MINUTE TO INCREASE ENTERTAINMENT

PARADE SCHEDULE IS INCREASED

Two Great Pageants Each Day Is Latest Plan—Desire of Managers to Give Visitors Best Time of Lives

General amplification of Booster Day features was determined upon by Commercial club committees Wednesday, with the result that practically the entire program of features and festivities has been changed. Because of this the celebration will be bigger better and busier this year than was even anticipated, and there will not be a dull moment during the two days of the week that will be devoted to the annual Stock Show and its allied merry-making.

The opening gun in the bombardment of gala features will be fired at 10:30 a. m. Friday morning, when the big stock parade will start on its way through the business section of the city. Not only will the finest of Clackamas county farm animals be seen in this parade, but there will be floats and marching bodies decorated and built by local fraternal and trades organizations that will be as unique as anything ever seen here before. Prominent among these latter features will be detachments from the Loyal Order of Moose, the Macabees and the Bobbie Burns society, as well as a big turn out of the 'Oregon National Guard.'

Friday afternoon according to the revised plans, the school children's parade will be held. It had been originally scheduled for Saturday afternoon, but desiring to give the youngsters an uninterrupted holiday on Saturday, the parade has been brought forward. Over 1,000 children from Oregon City schools will be in line, and while on the march they will perform various evolutions. Except in numbers, it is expected that the children's pageant will surpass the famous "Rose-bud parade" held in Portland each year as a feature of the Rose festival. The youngsters will form in line immediately upon dismissal from school, and the parade will get under way promptly at two o'clock.

Following the parade there will be a workout between hose companies of the city. The difficult "New York test" of making a man couple an hose, playing, uncoupling and recoupling, playing again and returning to station will be put on, as well as the simpler water test. At the close of the firemen's contest there will probably be a water battle between the rival companies.

Friday night there will be general merry-making and carnival features on the streets, in which the greatest leniency will be allowed by the police, though no rough tactics will be permitted. Under the new schedule there will be a second livestock parade Saturday morning, with augmented features in the line of floats and specialties. Saturday afternoon will be held the decorated automobile parade, and in the later afternoon there will be a baseball game between Oregon City and Canby.

Saturday evening, the closing hours of the celebration will be observed by a monster Booster Day dance in Busch's hall, given by Jack Frost and Henry Edwards. This dance will be the most elaborate affair of its kind ever put on here, and arrangements are now being completed for an augmented orchestra to furnish music. Everyone is invited to the dance, and it is expected that the big pavilion overlooking the river will be crowded to its utmost capacity. Messrs. Frost and Edwards guarantee that the best of order will prevail at the dance, and entertainment of the classiest kind will be provided.

The big stock parade details for Friday morning have all been completed, under the skillful guidance of Grand Marshal A. L. Gattie and his aides, Messrs. Wm. Ruonich, H. W. Strelbig, B. Airson, C. C. Farr, W. S. Eddy, P. Klostra, M. C. Salisbury and C. S. Noble. The formation of the parade will be as follows:

American Flag and Military Escort.

Buglers

Grand Marshal and Aides

Carricoes

1st Carriage—Dr. Withcomb, Dr. Potter, Mayor Jones, B. T. McBain

2nd carriage—Judge Campbell, Judge Beatie, Senator Dimick, W. W. Sullivan

3rd carriage—George C. Brownell, J. E. Hedges, C. D. Latourrette, G. B. Dimick

4th carriage—Frank Meredith, L. Adams, T. L. Charan, J. T. Apperson, Geo. A. Harding

Oregon City Band

Detachment of National Guard

Horses, Pedigreed Stock

Fraternal Floats

Redland Band

Cattle and Hogs, prize stock

Business Floats

Miscellaneous Features

CRAZED MAN ATTACKS BROTHER IN FRENZY

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 23.—(Special)—John L. Doak, said to be an escaped inmate from an insane asylum, tonight seriously wounded his brother, L. F. Doak, a mining man, when he came upon him in a local hotel. The former's wife is at present in Oregon City, Oregon, visiting with friends, and the authorities are trying to get a touch with her.

THE OUTLET

DANCING IS ALL THE RAGE AGAIN

With over three and a half million votes to his credit, George Batdorf, of Willamette, retains his lead in the Huntley automobile contest, which closes next Thursday, May first. Frank Whitman the popular first man on R. F. D. No. 2, is second, and the King's Daughters have a tight grip on third place. From all appearances the race lies between these three candidates, and the battle is one in dead earnest among them. The friends of each are freely predicting that their favorite candidate will surely land the big Howard automobile, but the result is, of course, a matter of conjecture.

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STATEWIDE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION OPENS TODAY

SPEAKERS OF NOTE WHO WILL ADDRESS MEETING

A. A. MORSE

MRS. L. A. DANENHAUER

MRS. S. W. ARMSBY

EVERYTHING NOW READY TO GREET DELEGATES TO RELIGIOUS GATHERING

Sessions of the annual State Sunday School convention open in Oregon City Thursday, and over 600 delegates from all parts of Oregon are expected to be on hand. Practically all the morning will be taken up with the registration of those attending the convention, and the reception committee has made special preparations for the expeditious completion of this work. Registration headquarters will be in the Baptist church, and delegates will be sent from there to the rooms reserved for them, and given tickets and credentials for all features of the gathering.

The first general session of delegates will be held in the afternoon, after which department work will be organized. In the evening the delegates will be officially welcomed to Oregon City by Mayor Jones and by representatives of local churches. Special music will be provided at the evening session, and everything will be done to impress upon those in attendance that Oregon City appreciates the honor of being chosen as the meeting place of the convention this year.

The complete program for the opening day of the big convention follows:

10:30 Registration of delegates. Assignment by entertainment committee. Local committees and Fred L. Kelley in charge.

Opening Session, Thursday, April 24, 1:30 Opening song service, led by Harold F. Humbert, Eugene Bible University. Convocation prayer, Rev. W. T. Milliken, Oregon City.

Three Days of Gatherings to be Replete With Features Which Are Expected to Bring On Much Helpful Debate

2:00 Annual address of State President, Dr. J. D. Spingston.

2:30 The year and its work. Annual report session.

1. Elementary, Miss Olive Clark, Lents.

2. Secondary division, Mrs. S. W. Ormsby, Portland.

3. Adult classes, L. S. Hopfield, McMinnville.

4. Teacher training, Mrs. H. N. Smith, Portland.

5. Home and house visitation, John G. Minton, Albany.

6. Temperance and Good Citizenship, Rev. R. E. Close, LaGrande.

Special music, solo—3:00 Address, "A Plea for Religious Education," Rev. Miles B. Fisher, San Francisco, Cal.

3:30 Address, "The Great Superlatives," Wm. A. Brown, Chicago.

Department institutes, 4:10-5:25.

A—Elementary, in Presbyterian church, Mrs. L. A. Danenhauer, presiding:

1. Cradle roll work, Mrs. J. W. Wilkins, Arleta.

2. The beginners' class, Miss Olive Clark, Lents.

3. The primary program, Mrs. C. D. Minton, Portland.

4. Junior work, Mrs. G. S. Dean, Portland.

B—"Teen age, in Methodist church, Mrs. S. W. Ormsby, presiding:

1. Intermediate characteristics, Miles B. Fisher.

2. Senior characteristics, Prof. F. E. Billington, Eugene.

3. Why organize these classes? Fred L. Kelley, Portland.

C—Adult, and home department, J. G. Minton, presiding:

1. What some adult classes have done, Wm. A. Brown, Chicago.

2. What an average class can do, L. S. Hopfield, McMinnville.

3. What the home department does, Dr. J. V. Milligan, Portland.

4. Will it work in any school? Rev. Peter Conklin, Lents.

5. How these department may work together, Prof. F. E. Billington.

6:15 Organized class banquet (adult and teen age). Plates 50

RIVALRY ARE NEAR IN AUTO CONTEST

THREE LEADERS SEPARATED BY RELATIVELY FEW VOTES AS END APPROACHES

FINAL WEEKS MAY BRING CHANGE

One Candidate Would Use Huge Howard Car as Truck, Another Would Find it Aid in Delivering Rural Mail

SIX LEADING CANDIDATES

No. 34	3,551,045
No. 2	3,099,765
No. 32	1,684,819
No. 23	1,647,819
No. 8	1,105,916
No. 21	1,063,465

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PRISONERS BREAK FROM COUNTY JAIL

TWO MEN, SERVING YEAR TERMS CUT THROUGH TWO FLOORS TO FREEDOM IN NIGHT

OTHERS IN CELLS FAIL TO FOLLOW

Charles Bennett and Harry Walters Execute Neat Getaway, Utilizing Knives and Saw Temporarily in Stove

Charles Bennett and Harry Walters, both inmates of the Clackamas county jail, escaped Tuesday evening, and have not been apprehended. The men, who were both serving year sentences, were confined in cells beneath the tax collecting office. According to other prisoners, who did not make their escape, the men took pocket knives and small pieces of iron, which they heated in a stove, and then proceeded to bore holes through the wooden ceiling, and also through the floor of the tax collector's office. The blade of the buck saw, which had been used in sawing wood, was taken from the framework of the office. The blade of a buck and a hole about 18 by 24 inches was sawed out through two thicknesses of flooring.

The two prisoners climbed out, and thence went through the office and out of a window into the open. No attempt was made to take guffs or other weapons, which were in the sheriff's office adjoining, and in easy reach of the men. Other prisoners made no attempt to escape.

The break was not discovered until Wednesday morning, when the janitor noticed the hole. Bennett was serving the fourth month of a year's sentence. He was convicted of stealing diamonds and other valuables from employees of the Clackamas Southern railroad. Wallace was serving a year's term, being convicted of contributing to the delinquency of a minor. At the time of his sentence he was given parole which he broke in Salem about a month ago.

Other prisoners in the jail say the break was made about nine o'clock, but the authorities discredit this story, as it is believed that at such an early hour the noise made in cutting through the floor would have been heard on the street by passersby. It is thought that the two men made their getaway when one of the night trains was at the depot, knowing that at such a time the night patrolmen would be at the station, and that they thus would have a clear field.

ACTION ON PAVING 7TH STREET WAITS

Aside from the consideration of plans for the Seventh street drainage system, Wednesday night's council session was a reasonably tame and quiet affair. There was none of the fireworks that have enlivened recent meetings, and even Councilman Tooze seemed to take less interest in the proceedings than usual. It is true that Mr. Tooze was on his feet about as much as usual, but most of the time he merely rose to ask questions that would shed further light upon matters under discussion. There was barely a quorum present, and this added somewhat to the serenity of the occasion, for the warring factions were without leaders.

Plans and specifications for the improvement with hard surface paving of Seventh street were submitted, but action on the matter was deferred until the sewer question was settled. There was also a display of paving bricks, and property owners and councilmen joined in a discussion of various forms of hard surface material.

Routine matters were taken up, and went mostly to committees. A final quietus was placed upon the saloon question that has lately disturbed the council by a report from City Attorney Wilson, who informed the lawmakers that the city could not grant special short-term licenses to three saloonmen recently denied licenses, and who added the information that if these men still retained their federal license they could sell liquors in quantities of not less than one gallon nor over four and seven-eighths gallons, provided the matter was not absorbed on the premises or resold later.

CARNIVAL STUNTS ARRIVE IN TOWN

The equipment of the Arnold Carnival company arrived in the city Wednesday morning from Portland, and the winter quarters of the outfit. Mr. Arnold stated that he did not bring much of the concern's equipment, because there are no suitable places near the business section of the city to accommodate the shows. Mr. Arnold has brought a merry-go-round, a Ferris wheel and the high dive. The Ferris wheel will be erected on Sixth street, the merry-go-round on Fifth street, and the high dive on Seventh street. Mr. Arnold has also provided a number of tents for the use of the committee. The tents will be used for housing the stock.

Captain Henry Kerns will make the high dive of 94 feet.

The Arnold company has exhibited in this city before and has given general satisfaction, every time it has appeared here.

BASKET SOCIAL

There will be a basket social given by the Ladies' Aid society at the Willamette church Thursday evening, April 24, at 7:30. A handsome quilt will be sold at auction and refreshments served to those who do not wish to buy baskets.

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80 acres, 25 acres in cultivation, 35 acres slashed, burned and in grass; 4-room house, good barn, fine creek and spring; 1/2 miles from Willhoit. With places good team, wagon, hack, all necessary farm implements, 4 head of cattle and cream separator—all for \$3,500; \$2,500 cash, balance in two years.

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To operate sewing machines in garment factory.

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