

WHO GETS WHAT?

Councilman Says Fantan Gamblers Pay.

AN INQUIRY IS ORDERED

Chief of Police to Investigate 34 Games.

COUNCIL HEARS THE CHARGES

Louis Zimmerman Declares He Has Reliable Information Chinese Are Paying for Privilege of Gambling Unmolested.



PHONE MEN COMING

Los Angeles Company Again After Franchise.

TELEGRAMS SENT TO COUNCIL

Ordinance is Introduced to Repeal Franchise of Pacific States Company and Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

WHAT THE COUNCIL DID YESTERDAY.

TELEPHONES—Received offer from Los Angeles company to build system here. TANNER-CREEK SEWER—Authorized the hiring of experts to investigate the alleged faulty construction. WOOD BLOCKS—Action postponed acceptance of Salmon-street pavement. COAR MACHINES—Repealed prohibitory ordinance.

After telegrams from the Empire Construction Company, of Los Angeles, offering to begin work upon a telephone plant here at once, had been read to the Council yesterday afternoon, Mr. Flegel introduced an ordinance to repeal the franchise of the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company.

The telegrams were delivered to Mayor Williams and to Mr. Zimmerman while the Council was in session. The message to the Mayor simply stated that the company would put in a first-class telephone system in Portland, starting at once. The idea of Chief Hunt investigating a gambling-house so amused Mr. Flegel that he chuckled heartily as he seconded Mr. Zimmerman's motion, which was passed.

The admission of the Chinaman caught unawares yesterday is not the only thing which the Councilmen have heard of the system of graft alleged to prevail in Chinatown.

Within the last few days another report started that the game was not paying. There is little doubt that 24 games have been running. Apparently some one was receiving \$30 a week.

ORDERED TO CLOSE BY SHERIFF

Sheriff Word visited Chinatown yesterday morning. "I told the bosses that every game must be closed or that I would take off every iron door found closed and lock them in the County Jail," said he last evening. "Yes, the games were running then. I sent three deputies around this evening, but no games were running then," he said.

JAIL BARS WERE SOFT.

Five Prisoners Escape From County Prison, One Suspect Arrested.

Five prisoners, John Smith, Frank Hogan, James Turner, Michael Foley and Frank Matthews, employed on the rock pile, escaped from corridor No. 2 in the County Jail Tuesday night by sawing their way out.

A man answering the description of Matthews was arrested at Woodburn, Or., at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Chief Deputy Sheriff Morden left last evening to identify the suspect.

The prisoners were all confined together in one cell, and got out by sawing through a crossbar. After it was cut through they lowered a set of perpendicular bars which locked the door. Once outside in the main corridor, they cut through two sets of window bars and afterward sawed the lock of a door which leads to Fifth street.

The men made their escape after 9 o'clock, when all the prisoners in this corridor were locked in their cells. Corridor No. 2 is in the old part of the jail, and is not used except for the incarceration of persons serving time for minor offenses. It is too easy to escape from. The bars in the windows and those fastening the doors are soft, and can be cut through almost as easy as a piece of wood.

The men employed on the rockpile have every opportunity to procure saws when they are out at work. Friends during the night can conceal saws for them among the rocks wherever they work.

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FEW SALMON EGGS

Hatcheries Are Far Short of Expected Supply.

ONTARIO TURNS OUT POORLY

Master Fish Warden Thinks Present Close Season is Inadequate and Advocates Enforcement of Close Sunday.

BARBERS SAY THEY ARE CLEAN

Members of State Board Resent Dr. Bierdorsf's Ordinance.

The Board of Barber Examiners sat around yesterday saying unkind things about Dr. Bierdorsf, City Health Officer, who had introduced yesterday in the Council an ordinance compelling barbers to clean up their shops and tidy themselves neatly and do away with the barber's itch.

"He'd better clean up his office and leave us do our work," said Treasurer Frank Rogers. "Why is he interfering? Is he trying to provide a fat office for some one? It's our business to look after the sanitation of shops and we do it. Barbers know enough to keep their shops clean or they would not hold their patronage."

"Who would enforce the ordinance? The police?" asked President J. C. Wells, sarcastically. "I don't know who this fellow Bierdorsf is, but he seems to be going a long way out of his head with his ordinance. We, the barbers, are such as we are by the state to look after all such matters, and we do so. You will find very few shops in Portland where all the regulations laid down in the ordinance are not followed by the barbers as a hearty measure of cleanliness. As to the spread of the itch, a man who has it can not be shaved in most shops, and if a barber discovers that he has a hairy customer something wrong with his face, he sterilizes his tools afterward. The barbers are clean enough. Dr. Bierdorsf had better advise some of his medical hardware, if he is looking for cleanliness."

"What itch there is about is caused by the customers themselves, who will not make complaint. We have never received a single complaint, and at times when we knew men had got the itch from a certain barber, we have gone out of the road to ask them to file a complaint so that we could give the barber a hearing and revoke his license if necessary, but they would never do it."

DEATH OF HONORED MASON.

Funeral of John Dukehart Will Be Held Today.

Under the direction of Oregon Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templar, of which organization he retained an esteemed membership, the funeral services of John Dukehart, who died from hemorrhage of the brain last Tuesday, will be held this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from his late home, 454 Yamhill street, Mr. Dukehart was born at Baltimore, Md., was nearly 52 years old, and his family was one of considerable influence in Maryland years ago.

In September, 1890, Mr. Dukehart arrived in the city, and had since resided here. He opened a crockery store at Third and Yamhill streets, and subsequently became salesman for Pral, Heggie & Co., which position he retained until illness struck him down. Mr. Dukehart is survived by his widow and four children, who all live in this city, with the exception of one of his sons, who is absent in Germany, adopting music.

A well-known member of the Masonic fraternity, Mr. Dukehart had a large circle of friends who are grieved to hear that he has passed away. "John Dukehart was one of the few men I have known who never lost his temper," said a Masonic friend last night. "His life was like one of sunshine, he was so genial and happy. In the many conversations I had with him, John Dukehart never in my presence spoke one ill word of any human being."

TO SEE THE NORTHWEST.

Northern Pacific Agents Start West Tonight, Headed by Cleland.

A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific, received word yesterday that the party of railroad officials which will visit the Northwest under the leadership of A. M. Cleland, general passenger agent at St. Paul, would leave that place this evening on the road West.

The complete itinerary of the party has not as yet been determined, but it is expected to reach Portland on or near November 15. The party will remain in Portland for at least a day, and perhaps longer.

Mr. Charlton, to whom is due the credit for the appointment by Governor Chamberlain of the 300 immigration agents of the Northern Pacific as special commissioners for the Lewis and Clark Fair, as well as much of the interest taken in the Northwest by the company, will meet the excursionists at Spokane and accompany them to Portland. He will have the general supervision of the trip in his territory and will see to it that the travelers see all that is to be seen of Portland and the country adjacent.

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TO PAY OUT FUNDS

W. F. Matthews Appointed Special Disbursing Agent.

NAMED BY SECRETARY SHAW

Government Appropriation of \$475,000 for Lewis and Clark Buildings to Be Deposited in Portland and Disbursed by Him.

United States Marshal W. F. Matthews has got a new title. Disbursing Agent to the Treasury Department for the Funds for Government Buildings at the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

His bond for \$50,000 will be made out and forwarded to Washington, D. C., today.

The official notification about the new position arrived yesterday from Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, and came as a surprise to many Portland people.

About the most surprised man was Mr. Matthews himself, as neither he nor any of his friends had asked that he be given the appointment. It was thought up yesterday that the funds would be disbursed direct from Washington, D. C., and that checks would be made out here by a special agent sent from the East.

This is the course, it is stated, that is now being pursued at the St. Louis Exposition, and complaints are many and loud.

The appointment of United States Marshal Matthews as disbursing agent for the \$475,000 Government money at the 1904 Exposition means that the first office of the \$475,000 will go to the contractors engaged in erecting the Government buildings, and the balance for material and salaries. Mr. Matthews will, of course, act as Training Agent, in addition to his duties as special disbursing agent.

Portland builders and contractors express gratification at Mr. Matthews' appointment.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

If Baby Is Cutting Teeth. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething, soothes and allays all pain, cures wind colic and diarrhoea.

Everybody going to the World's Fair should take the Denver & Rio Grande, the "Scenic Line of the World," either going or coming. See the "Scenic Line of the World" in the Grand, the Royal Gorge and Pike's Peak—God's art gallery of Nature.

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