

DR. LANE TAKES OATH OF OFFICE

Incoming and Outgoing Mayors Exchange Civilities at City Hall.

CHANGE EFFECTIVE TODAY

New Chief Executive of Portland Will Do His First Work by Signing the Salary Roll for Month of June.

Mayor Lane strolled through the City Hall yesterday afternoon, called on Auditor Devin, took the oath of office, paid a 15-minute visit to Mayor Williams and then walked briskly down town, after having spent half an hour within the marble walls accompanying the new Mayor at the swearing-in function, came Richard W. Montague, who was chairman of the Democratic campaign committee in the last election, and is credited with being one of Dr. Lane's nearest confidants.

The afternoon was waning toward 4 o'clock when Dr. Lane hove in sight at the City Hall and advanced into Auditor Devin's office. At the deputies and clerks set their eyes on his direction and pricked up their ears; they had been expecting to see the new Mayor in those environs for many days.

Takes Oath of Office.

"Do you solemnly swear," began the Auditor, whereat the new Mayor rose from his chair and lifted up his right hand, "that you will support the Constitution of the United States and of the State of Oregon, and that you will, to the best of your ability, faithfully perform the duties of the office of Mayor of the City of Portland during your continuance therein, so help you God?"

Dr. Lane's response was made in a firm tone and with a decisive gesture of his right hand, whereupon he sat down at the Auditor's desk and signed the oath that "to be laid away in the city's archives." The solemn ceremony proceeded. The Mayor remarked jocularly to Mr. Devin:

"I will have anything to do tomorrow, Tom, that will keep me from going out of town."

"If you go out of town the first day you are Mayor," replied Mr. Devin in the same vein, "your cake will be dough during the next two years."

Therefore the new Mayor announced that he would not go out of town today but would sit himself down in the Mayor's seat.

Dr. Lane started next toward Treasurer Werlein's office, but stopped out in the hall to confer with R. W. Montague. The interview finished, he clambered up the winding, dizzy stairs leading to the Mayor's office, to call on the outgoing executive. He had not called on Judge Williams since the election, and the latter had been expecting to see him enter several days.

Calls on Outgoing Mayor.

The outgoing Mayor was bending over the drawers of his desk, cleaning them of papers accumulated during the last three years, and did not see the visitor come in. On the floor was a large pile of papers that had been cast out of the desk. So busy was Mayor Williams that he might have been rummaging through those papers even yet, had not somebody remarked:

"Dr. Lane has called to see you."

"At once the outgoing Mayor saw the incoming Mayor and greeted him cordially. "Glad to see you," he exclaimed heartily. "Come in, glad to see you."

"Thank you kindly," responded Dr. Lane, and the two shook hands and sat down for a chat.

"Have a cigar," suggested the outgoing Mayor, pulling forth a box of smokers, but the incoming Mayor already had had one in his mouth, and therefore declined.

Then the two entered into a chat lasting 15 minutes, and when it ended Dr. Lane had been informed that the Mayor's office would be open for him bright and early this morning, and that among his first duties will be that of signing salary orders for the month just finished.

Ex-Mayor Williams will not go to the City Hall this morning, but to his law office. Nor will he take a vacation after his three years of service as Mayor.

"I never took a vacation in my life," said he, "therefore I shall take one now." No, I shall keep at work the same as ever."

City Officers Before Municipal Judge Hogue

Municipal Judge Hogue completed his term of office yesterday, and this morning Judge George J. Cameron will take charge. The new court was present for a short time yesterday, but he did not occupy the bench with Judge Hogue.

Judge Hogue cleared up his docket, with the exception of a few unimportant cases, which were continued. There were 28 cases, city and state, and all but three were cleared off the sheet.

The last cases decided by Judge Hogue were those against the proprietors of the Pacific States Packing Company.

Fines were assessed to the sum of \$306 during the last session, and jail sentences meted out to several. Others were dismissed.

Nasser Khan was decided that he will leave the city, and a charge of threatening to kill Abdul Raymond was dismissed by Judge Hogue yesterday.

Khan and Raymond are mortal enemies because Raymond testified against Nasser Khan in a murder trial at Seattle, declaring that the accused man had told him he murdered Mr. All three years ago. Wednesday night Khan and two other East Indians lay in wait for Raymond at Sixteenth and Irving streets and attempted to murder him. He called a policeman, who saved his life. The assailants were fined in the Municipal Court Thursday, and in addition Khan was charged with threatening to kill.

This trouble has stirred the local East Indian colony as has nothing in recent years. It has occupied their entire attention for several days.

Great things were looked for when Detective Carpenter and Resing arrested E. H. Ankerson, charging him with larceny of \$10. It was thought that the defendant would at least be prosecuted on the charge, and it was also thought he might be prosecuted for scalping railroad tickets. Neither occurred, for the case was dismissed yesterday upon recom-

mendation of Deputy District Attorney Hays.

It was stated that the evidence was not sufficient to convict, and it was thought that a trial would be only an expense to the city. He changed his mind and came back for his money. He got back his transportation to the East, but not his money, he alleged. It is said he has since secured it, however.

HOME MISSIONARY MEETING

Society of Methodist Church Holds Its Annual Conference.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Oregon Conference, held its 19th annual meeting in Taylor's Methodist Episcopal Church yesterday, Mrs. D. L. Rader, president, presiding. Most encouraging reports were made by the officers. Mrs. D. L. Rader, secretary, reported a large amount of assistance rendered to pastors and their families who are engaged in frontier work. The treasurer reported an increase of \$4715, an increase of \$100 over last year.

Mrs. J. M. Long, president of the East Portland district, presented a most encouraging report of the work done by the little folks. Mrs. Bushong-Booth, of Salem, secretary of children's work, also gave an interesting report of work done by the little folks. A map of the Oregon Conference, illustrating by a map the numerous homes and schools supported by this society.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. W. P. Drew, of Salem; first vice-president, Mrs. Harold Ober; second vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Winans, of Salem; third vice-president, Mrs. Billings, of Astoria; fourth vice-president, Mrs. W. M. Chesler, of Eugene; recording secretary, Mrs. J. D. Lee; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Osmon Royal; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Bennett.

Resolutions were passed endorsing the work and policy as pursued by the executive board during the past year.

Rev. T. Royal and wife, of Salem, who were active workers in the Oregon Conference for over half a century, were present. Though Rev. Mr. Royal is now 84 years of age, he still preaches often, and Mrs. Royal takes an active interest in all church and home mission work.

A WORD TO THE WISE BARGAINS.

A sale of the most sensational prices ever offered. Those who have been taking advantage of the great values which we offer on Saturday, from 8:30 A. M. to 10 P. M. will not be disappointed today. 24 white and cream silk waists, handsomely lace trimmed, guaranteed to wash as clean as linen, \$3 and \$3.50 values, today your choice for \$2.15, all sizes. \$2 black silk box coats, in taffeta and plain, \$6, \$6.45, \$7.50 and \$8.45, with heavy embroidered collars, exceptional values TODAY ONLY. Tailor-made suits, silk skirts in black and cream, Sunburst skirts in cream, white, blue, brown and black, \$12.50 value for \$8.45. We give you an opportunity today to buy the best corsets on earth for the money. Several cases will be placed on sale. A new line of silk pongee capes, elaborately trimmed, on sale today. French kid gloves. Half thousand pairs of worthy kid gloves are here for bargain buyers today, \$1.25 values for 85c.

LOOK FOR THE KITE.

The Tavern's Unique Sign Attracts the Attention of Everybody.

Flying high above the city, you will see on any clear day a gigantic kite carrying a great banner, on which is inscribed the name of Portland's boasted Tavern. The advertising device is as unique as the Tavern itself, which has no equals among the best of its kind on the Pacific Coast. It stands absolutely alone. Remember, it is open until 1 A. M. The fashionable place to dine or lunch. Grand concert every evening. Ladies annex at 200 Alder street. Main entrance opposite the Oregonian building.

UP THE COLUMBIA RIVER

To Cascade Locks and Return on Steamer "Bailey Gatzert" Sunday.

Visitors, don't miss this grand river trip. Ready and tempting. A delightful daylight trip on the Columbia River aboard the finest river steamer out of Portland, Bailey Gatzert, can accommodate 400 people in comfort. Nice Sunday dinner, round trip, \$1.00. Secure your tickets early. Steamer leaves Alder-street dock, 3 A. M., returns 8 P. M., Phone Main 94.

Censures Auto-Driver.

A jury empaneled by Coroner Finley yesterday listened to testimony of several witnesses and brought in a verdict censuring Chauffeur W. G. Davis, who was in charge of the automobile that collided with a buggy driven by Herbert Buckley, resulting in the death of Fred W. Allen. The jury also stated that Buckley was out of his rightful position in the road, otherwise the accident would not have happened.

Allen's funeral will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock from Finley's chapel.

Have Official Farewells.

At police headquarters last night practically all members of the department were present at 5 o'clock to listen to official farewells from Commissioners Beebe and Sichel and Chief Hunt. The three officers spoke briefly of their administration of the department, each asking the policemen to co-operate with the new Chief, appointed at midnight, and to be loyal to him. Applause greeted General Beebe when he "roasted" the department during the administration.

Young Actor Dies.

John Le Grand, aged 25, of Milwaukee, Wis., died at the Good Samaritan Hospital Thursday. His malady was typhoid pneumonia. The remains were shipped East for burial yesterday. Mr. Le Grand was a member of the chorus in the "Carnival of Venice." The company contributed floral pieces to accompany the casket East.

Harris Trunk Co. for trunks and bags.

Store Will Be Closed All Day Next Tuesday, July 4th—Shopping Must Be Done Today and Monday—Store Will Be Open Tonight Until 9:30

The Meier & Frank Store

Open Tonight Until 9:30

Bathing Suits, Caps and Shoes for Women, Misses and Children
Artistic Picture Framing to Your Order—New Mouldings—Lowest Prices—Second Floor

Economical Men Will Supply Their Fourth of July Furnishings Today

Men's Hot Weather Furnishings at saving prices today— Dress and Outing Apparel of every description—Styles and qualities that we know must interest every man having furnishing needs to supply—Store closed all day Tuesday— Open Tonight until 9:30

- Men's Japonet colored border Handkerchiefs; regular 15c values on sale today for, each..... 8c
- Entire new line of Men's narrow Leather Belts, all colors and sizes; exceptionally good value for, each..... 25c
- Men's Summer Underwear, blue and brown ribbed, form-fitting, fast color, all sizes in shirts and drawers; each..... 39c
- The new "Crown" Suspenders, best made, French lisle webs; splendidly reinforced; new patterns and colorings; regular 75c value on sale today at, pair..... 50c
- New line of Men's fine Neckwear, latest colorings in plain taffeta and novelty silks, 1 1/2, 2 1/2 and 3 inches wide; immense assortment quality and styles you would expect to pay 75c or \$1.00 for—your choice, each..... 50c

\$2 Golf Shirts \$1.69 Each \$1.50 Negligee Shirts \$1.29

- Men's high-grade Golf Shirts, of the finest quality mercerized madras and Oxford, with attached cuffs; all sizes; regular \$2.00 values \$1.69 for, each.....
- Big variety to select from.
- Immense new line of Monarch Golf Shirts, plain or pleated bosom, with or without attached cuffs; every new pattern and color— \$1.00.....
- Men's striped madras Negligee Shirts, soft collar attached; all the latest styles and colorings; also linen color; all sizes; best \$1.50 values for this sale..... \$1.29
- Men's \$1.50 Balbriggan Underwear..... \$1.15
- Men's genuine Panama Hats, best shapes; regular \$7.50 value..... \$5.50
- New line of Men's Straw Sailors.....

Men's \$25.00 Suits \$19.85 Belt Sale

- Men's \$25.00 Suits, all our finest Summer apparel in fancy worsteds, fancy chevriots, fancy unfinished worsteds, beautifully tailored throughout; the handsomest garments made by the leading wholesale tailors of America. Suits you are asked to pay \$30.00 and \$35.00 for at the exclusive clothing stores, your choice \$19.85 today at.....
- Men's \$15.00 Outing Suits, in fancy homespun, fancy chevriots and tweeds; all sizes; big variety; today at the extraordinarily low price of..... \$12.85
- Men's \$1.50 fancy Washable Vests in many styles today at the very low price of..... \$1.29
- Headquarters for Waiters' Supplies, Aprons, Coats, Ties, Shirts, etc. Second Floor.
- Women's Washable Belts, in white pique and duck, some with colored embroidery; all sizes, grand value..... 14c
- Women's fancy madras Belts, in a variety of colors and designs; all sizes; regular 35c and 50c values, on sale at..... 18c
- Big variety of new Silk Belts, extra good value at..... 50c
- Patent Leather Belts, curved, nickel and gilt buckles; very latest designs; spec. val. 50c
- Lewis and Clark Exposition Leather Novelties in great assortment at prices ranging from 25c up to \$5.00.

Knit Underwear Drug Sundry Specials Today

- Women's Fine Ribbed Gauze Lisle Union Suits, in high neck and long sleeves; ankle length; also quarter sleeve and ankle length; low neck, sleeveless, all sizes; regular \$1.25 values..... 98c
- Women's Silk Vests; Swiss ribbed, low neck, sleeveless; white, cream, pink, black; all sizes; \$1.25 values..... 98c
- Fairy Soap—"It Floats"—Great value at, dozen cakes..... 35c
- Bernado Castile Soap; 2-lb. bars; grand value, dozen cakes..... 16c
- London Transparent Glycerine Soap; special at..... 4c
- Odds and ends of fine Toilet Soaps; all odds; 15c values..... 9c
- Wild Violet Toilet Soap; 3 cakes in a box; per box..... 9c
- Cuticura Soap; 1000 cakes today at, per cake..... 16c
- Bathasweet—a luxury for the bath; 25c value..... 16c
- Bathasweet Rice Powder—Perfect baby powder, can..... 16c
- Large Okayed Toilet Paper, 6c roll; Krecht paper, 4c roll.
- Special prices on Toilet Papers to hotels and boarding-houses.

Hammocks, Lawn Chairs, Swings, Trunks, Bags, Croquet Sets, Etc., on the Third Floor

"American Boy" Free for One Year

- With every purchase to the extent of \$5.00 or over at regular prices in our Boys' Clothing department we give one year's subscription to the biggest and brightest of all boys' magazines, The American Boy.
- Boys' Washable Knee Pants, plain blue and blue and brown striped duck, all ages; great value today at..... 19c
- Boys' all-wool Eton Sailor Suits in neat gray and brown mixtures; ages 3 to 12 years; reg. \$6.50 val. \$4.95
- Boys' 2-piece Suits, in brown and gray plaids and mixtures—ages 8 to 15 years; reg. \$3.00 suit for..... \$1.98
- Boys' all-wool Russian Blouse Suits, in blue, brown and red serge; also neat gray mixtures; 2 1/2 to 5 years; \$7.00 to \$8.00 values..... \$5.95

Great Millinery Clearance Sale

Women's, Misses', Children's Summer Millinery at remarkably low prices during the Great Clearance Sale now in progress— New, stylish headgear of every description priced at a point where no economical woman having millinery needs can afford to pass by—Sale continues today and Monday—2d Floor

- NEW POLO HATS \$2.98 TO \$5.98
- Special lots of jaunty Polo Turbans and Tommy Atkins Hats, this season's favorites in a variety of styles; newest effects; great special values on sale at..... \$5.98
- Another lot of high-grade Baby Bonnets, all new styles and just received; your choice during this sale..... 1/4 OFF
- Subbonnets for women, misses and children..... 15c
- \$20.00 PATTERN HATS \$8.98
- Magnificent new Pattern Hats, just received; not one that you have ever seen before. Tuscans, colored lace straw, trimmed with ostrich plumes, wings, owl heads and designers; a special purchase from a leading designer—values up to \$20 each; your choice..... \$8.98
- \$5.00 SHIRTWAIST HATS \$1.00
- Straw and chip shirtwaist Hats, all the newest and best tailored effects, in big variety; prettiest styles \$1.00
- Embroidered Sailors and Lingerie Hats—every desirable style in duck, pique and lawn, ready to trim and trimmed; wonderful values at the low price of..... \$1.98
- Women's fancy Straw Dress Hats, trimmed with lace, flowers, foliage and ribbon; regular \$2.50 values, for this sale, your choice..... \$1.25
- Women's black Dress Hats—Turbans and large shapes; regular \$5.00 values; for this sale..... \$2.98

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The Meier & Frank Store

Saturday Hosiery Bargains

30c Tan Hosiery, 3 Pairs for \$1.00

- Women's medium weight tan colored Hose, with double sole; suitable for outing wear; all sizes; best 50c values, on sale today at the low price of 3 pairs for..... \$1.00
- Women's medium and gauze weight cotton Hose; sizes 8 1/2 to 11; very best 50c value; for this sale at 3 pairs for..... \$1.00
- Women's black lace lisle Hose in all-over and lace boot patterns; big variety of styles; our regular 50c values; 3 pairs..... \$1.00
- Misses' fine brilliant Lisle Hose; a combination of beauty and service; sizes 6 to 9; values up to 80c a pair; 3 pairs for..... \$1.00
- Misses' fine gauge 1x1 rib cotton Hose, double knee and full-fashioned ankle, with white feet, 5 1/2 to 8 1/2; 35c values, for the extraordinarily low price of, pair..... 17c
- Misses black lisle Hose, with lace boot; sizes 6 to 9; best 50c values on sale for, pair..... 25c
- Misses' and Boys' Shawl-knit Hose; fine grade of tight-twisted yarn; triple knee, French foot; 6 to 9 1/2; 3 pairs in a box; for the very low price of, box..... \$1.00

Picnic Groceries--Basement

- 14-oz. jar Queen Olives..... 25c
- 1 can Ripe Olives..... 20c
- Durkee's Salad Dressing..... 10c
- Heinz' famous Pickles..... 25c
- 2 cans A. Roche's Sardines..... 25c
- 1 jar Libby Boiled Ham..... 30c
- Colum. Riv. Salmon, can..... 10c
- Heinz' India Relish, bottle..... 35c
- Uneda Biscuit, pkg..... 5c
- Horseshadish, bottle..... 10c
- Heinz' Prepared Mustard, bottle..... 15c
- Underwood's Devil Ham..... 15c
- 2 cans Mustard Sardines..... 25c
- 3 boneless Chicken, can..... 25c
- Crepe Paper Napkins, Table Sets, etc., at lowest prices.
- Ham or Veal Loaf, 2 cans..... 25c
- Jello Ice Cream Powder..... 25c
- 2 jars McLaren's Cheese..... 25c
- 3 cans Van Camp's Pork and Beans..... 25c
- 1 jar Libby Sliced Beef..... 25c
- 2 jars Libby Chipped Beef..... 25c
- 2 pkgs. Graham Crackers..... 25c
- 1 pkg. Cheese Sandwiches..... 25c
- Nabisco—all flavors..... 25c
- Social Teas, can..... 15c
- Hunt Club Wafers, pkg..... 10c
- Ripe Olives, can..... 20c-40c
- Heinz' Chow Chow, bottle..... 30c
- Nut Butter, can..... 25c
- Tin Spoons, Knives, Forks, Baskets, etc., in the basement.

Great Bargains, Men's Shoes

- Men's tan and patent leather Oxfords, French, Shiner & Urner's famous make—all sizes and widths; best \$5 values, today, pair..... \$3.95
- Men's tan and patent leather Oxfords, our regular \$3.50 and \$4 values; this season's best makes on sale today at \$2.95 the low price of, pr.....
- Boys' Shoe Spec'ls
- Boys satin calf lace Shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2—great special values at, pair..... \$1.52
- Sizes 1 to 2, pair..... \$1.42
- Little Gents' Vici and Tan Oxfords, 10 to 13 1/2; pair..... \$1.32
- Misses' and Children's patent leather and vici kid strap Slippers at special low prices; 5 to 8 for 88c pair; 9 to 11 for \$1.08 pair; 12 to 2, \$1.18 pair.
- Misses' and Children's Dongola Oxfords, patent tip and heavy sole; 5 to 8, 88c; 9 to 11, \$1.08 pair; 12 to 2, \$1.18 pair.

Women's \$3.50 Oxfords \$2.48 Pair

Four lines of Women's \$3.50 Oxfords in patent ock, vici kid, patent tip, chocolate Oxfords, all 1905 styles in all sizes and widths; standard \$3.50 Shoes on sale, pair..... \$2.48

Outing Goods at Special Prices

- \$1.50 Lawn or Hammock Chairs, today, each..... \$1.29
- Lawn or Hammock Chairs, with foot rest, \$1.75 value..... \$1.59
- 40c Camp Stools, 28c; 50c Camp Stools..... 39c
- Home Comfort Chairs, sold everywhere at \$6.00; each..... \$4.50
- Hammock Stands, best patent, \$6.00 value..... \$5.35
- Fiber Hand Bags for Lunches, miniature suit case, 35c size for 25c; 50c size for, each..... 35c
- Boys' Box Kites, 25c values, today, each..... 19c
- Boys' Keel Kites, regular 15c value, each..... 10c

Photo Depart'm't Music Depart'm't

Demonstration of "Cycko" developing paper today from 2 to 6 P. M. Third floor. Bring one of your best negatives and receive a print free. "Buster Brown" Cameras. \$1 "Buster Brown" Rubber stamps—25c sets, 19c; 50c sets, 39c. "Good Things" by Joe Klein—Paper 15c cloth, 25c per copy. Latest Platoon, always sold here at \$1.08 copy. All the popular books in stock today. Wagner's "Eurekiah," copy..... 75c

Today and this evening, in our music department, third floor. A programme of new selected popular music will be played. Come and hear the latest compositions rendered by excellent musicians. All the latest vocal and instrumental music sold at the lowest prices—Third Floor.

Children's Apparel Specials

- Children's Buster Brown Suits, made in French gingham and galathea, Buster Brown styles, with linen collar, red tie and black belt, all the best colors and combinations, ages 4 to 12 years; regular \$3 values for..... \$3.55
- Children's Dresses, made in champagne and green poplin; box plaited, Buster Brown style, trimmed with embroidered emblem on yoke and sleeve, white linen collar, red tie and black patent leather belt, ages 6 to 12 years; regular \$3.45 values at the very low price of..... \$3.45
- Little Girls' Coats, made in white serge, Russian style, handsomely trimmed with silk braid; also pongee coats made with large collar, venise lace trimmed and blue and red piping; ages 2 to 8 yrs.; \$5.50 values at this low price..... \$3.65
- Children's Reefers, made in light gray tweeds and homespun, also tan cover materials, Norfolk and Peter Thompson styles, very fine tailored garments; ages 6 to 12 years; \$10 and \$11.50 values at this very low price..... \$7.25
- Children's White Dresses, made in fine French pique, Russian style, trimmed with large circular collar, edged with insertion and embroidery ruffle—also white figured brillantines trimmed with white pique detachable collar, shield and belt; regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 values for..... \$5.65
- Children's Reefer Coats, made in blue and brown tweeds and tan cover, trimmed in silk braid and gilt buttons; plaited back with strap; also Peter Thompson styles with sailor collar; ages 4 to 12 years; \$8.50 and \$9 values..... \$5.85
- MISSES' WHITE LINEN SUITS
- Misses' white and tan Linen Suits, "Peter Thompson" styles—very stylish, well made throughout, ages 14, 16, 18 years; regular \$13 values for this sale at..... \$9.95