

MAYOR LANE HAS OTHERS ON LIST

Technicalities Give Excuse to Create Vacancies for Aspirants.

MRS. EVANS IS INSPECTOR

Dr. Giesy Draws Long Term in Health Board, but Members Fall to Agree on Selection for City Physician.

RECAPITULATION OF MAYOR LANE'S "DRIVE" IN HIS ROUND-UP OF POLITICAL JOBS YESTERDAY.

- 1. Colonel Milton W. Wetler, for many years the efficient secretary of the Fire Department and a Union soldier with an enviable record for bravery.
2. Thomas E. Hulme, Plumbing Inspector.
3. Harry Woodhouse, Deputy Plumbing Inspector.
4. Dr. H. R. Bierdorf, Health Officer.
5. William Beutelspacher, Deputy Health Officer.
6. Dr. J. C. Zan, City Physician.
7. Dr. Sam Hecum, Assistant City Physician.

As predicted by The Oregonian when it made the exclusive announcement the other day that the City Board of Health had been summarily ousted from office, Mayor Lane is on the warpath for other victims, and is even now seeking whom he may remove in about every department of the municipality.
It was expected that those directly or indirectly connected with the Health Board would suffer decapitation without much ceremony, and this anticipation was realized to its fullest degree in the course of yesterday's head-hunt.
At the meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission yesterday, Colonel Milton W. Wetler, for years attached to the Fire Department in the capacity of secretary, was suspended for the alleged reason that he had not been employed for six consecutive years at one occupation prior to the adoption of the charter, and the mandate went forth that an examination should at once be held for eligibles to take his place, which means practically that he has been dismissed, and although it is admitted that he worked in the Auditor's office from February, 1887, until March, 1891, and that he has been connected with the Fire Department in his present capacity since July 1, 1898, all that record counts for nothing when somebody wants his job and is strong enough to add up the technicalities of the case.
The status of his employment has been discussed upon by several Civil Service Commissioners heretofore, and upon this fact the hope is based that whatever probation principles attach to the situation are sufficient to place him beyond the jurisdiction of the civil service rules.

Behanding of Health Board.

Soon after the new Board of Health was sworn in, it got busy also, with the result that after a star-chamber session the Mayor's private officer, Dr. H. R. Bierdorf was unceremoniously removed from his office, and Dr. Ray Matson appointed in his place. Dr. Giesy's information relative to the appointment of the different officials to the subordinate positions within the gift of the board, and was told by the Mayor that they had full power to make appointments. The Mayor also rectified the fact Bierdorf's suspension by the Council because of inattention to the duties of the office, and as a proper solution of the matter thought they ought to elect one else in his place.
'It might be a good idea,' said Mayor Lane, 'to start in with a clean slate, and without speaking disparagingly of anybody, I think they ought to go to the management of affairs is up to you, and you will be held responsible for results. Here are a number of applications for City Physician, including Drs. Crow, Wells, Sr., Hawthorne, Marsh, which was partially withdrawn by Fessler. There are a lot more names down at my office, and in fact have been so flooded with applications that I have been unable to get an strung out properly.'

Mayor Favored Clean Sweep.

There was some talk of jelly on this point, but the Mayor objected, saying it would result in loading him up with the task of appeasing the hordes who would be after him for places, and was in favor of doing the thing up while the coast was clear. The board thereupon went into executive session, and when they emerged the announcement was made that action should be deferred upon everything excepting Health Officer, it being evident that the caucus could not agree on a City Physician, and that some- one popular with the rest of them

was particularly distasteful to Dr. Giesy.
In the draw for terms as provided by the charter, Dr. A. J. Giesy secured the six-year term; Dr. Esther C. Poehl got the two-year term, while Dr. George P. Wilson drew the booby prize of one year.
Mrs. Evans Market Inspector.
Mrs. Sarah A. Evans, a local newspaper writer, was chosen to succeed Miss Lillian Tingle as market inspector. The new appointee is expected to devote her entire time and attention to the duties of the office, irrespective of any other employment. One member of the new Board of Health was heard to venture the opinion yesterday that whoever was selected for the place would be closely watched with the idea that no other occupation should be engaged in.
Dr. Marie D. Egan, who had the strongest endorsement of any applicant, withdrew her application in a terse letter to Mayor Lane, in which she stated that she did not care to serve under his administration since the injustice done the recently deposed Board of Health, by the manner of its dismissal, claiming that his letter to it would be considered an imputation on the honesty of the members and a covert accusation of graft by one not acquainted with the high standing of Drs. Cardwell, Jones and Bell. The fact that the inspectors' entire time is demanded was an additional reason given by Dr. Egan for her withdrawal, as she considered the salary wholly inadequate.

THOS. E. HULME IS REMOVED

Civil Service Arranges to Examine Eligibles as Successor.
At its meeting yesterday the Municipal Civil Service Commission adopted a resolution to arrange an examination for plumbing inspectors, as well as his deputy, should come under civil service rules, and proceeded to instruct Secretary McPherson to arrange an examination for eligibles accordingly. Thomas E. Hulme, the incumbent, together with his deputy, will resist the efforts of the commission to elect him.

Garbage Privileges Asked.

Consideration of the ordinance introduced into the City Council at its last meeting proposing to give the Northwestern Civic Improvement Company the garbage privileges of this city for a term of 25 years, resulted in the health and police committee of the council continuing the matter until next Monday afternoon.

At the Theaters

What the Press Agents Say.

TWO PERFORMANCES TODAY

Koib and Dill Both Afternoon and Night at Marquam Theater.
There will be two performances at the Marquam Grand Theater, on Morrison street, between Sixth and Seventh, today, one 2 matinee at 2:30 o'clock, the other in the evening at 8:30. The attraction will be the clever comedians, Koib and Dill, and their excellent company of 48 people, in the funny musical comedy-burlesque, 'The Skindicate' and 'The Kindergarten.' Both of these laughable plays are given as one performance and are filled with comical situations and funny sayings, which, together with the catchy music and pretty girls, make an entertainment that has been crowding the Marquam for the past seven weeks. Seats are now selling. Buy them early and avoid the rush at the box office.

CHEAP RATES EAST.

The Canadian Pacific has announced a special rate of \$7.50 to Buffalo and return, account Foresters of America convention. Tickets on sale August 14 and 15, good for stopovers with final limit of 30 days. For full particulars call on or address P. R. Johnson, F. & P. A., Canadian Pacific, 142 Third street, Portland, Or.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

If Baby Is Cutting Teeth.

Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the inflamed gums, always kills pain, cures wind colic and diarrhoea.

MUSIC IN RESORTS

Orchestras Play With No Fear of Being Molested.
CONSIDER ACTION A TEST

Jury Acquits August Erickson of Any Offense in Action Brought to Exclude Women From North-End Halls.

MUSIC HEARD IN RESORTS.
Last night orchestras were playing in places where liquor is sold with no fear of further arrests under the law for which August Erickson was tried by a jury in Municipal Judge Cameron's court, yesterday, and acquitted by a jury. The trial was regarded by proprietors of resorts as in the nature of a test case.
Orchestras have played in the grill room of the Hotel Portland and at The Tavern without interruption, but it was the expectation that if similar violations were secured by the prosecution in the Erickson case, the others would discharge their musicians. But the jury decided that orchestral music does not constitute a concert.

August Erickson is not guilty of conducting a concert in his establishment on Burnside street, according to the verdict of a jury, composed of H. W. Manning, J. G. Mack, Walter H. Holt and R. Schmalz, returned after brief deliberation in the Municipal Court yesterday at noon.

Deputy City Attorney Fitzgerald at first refused to try the case when he surveyed the personnel of the jury, declaring he could not hope for a conviction. He at first thought to remove the case without trial, but upon second thought, decided to do his best.
Close questioning by Mr. Fitzgerald resulted in eliminating Phil Metzchan and W. H. Grindstaff, both of whom frankly admitted they did not believe in any law such as that for violation of which Erickson was to be tried. Attorneys Long and Sweek, for the defense, agreed with Mr. Fitzgerald to try the case with the four men remaining unchallenged, and the testimony of Policeman Galbraith and Wade was taken for the city, and that of Manager H. D. Fritz, of Erickson's saloon and concert hall, for the defense.
The policeman sworn that Erickson employs a number of women, who give nightly concerts on a stage in the barroom; that there were various kinds of instruments used in the playing; that men sat and listened, and that the music furnished by the women was the same now as it had been for a long time prior to the passage by the City Council of the anti-concert law. They testified that on all sides of the saloon signs are hanging, calling attention to the fact that within is a concert hall.
Manager Fritz, who has been in charge for ten months, testified that he had formerly run a concert in the place, but with the notification from the Chief of Police, he cut out the concert. He admitted, upon cross-examination, that all he cut out was some singing and dancing.
The music, he said, he did not consider against the orders of the police, and he continued it.
In arguing the case, Mr. Fitzgerald told the jury that the law made the music a personal liberty and public enjoyment; was not intended to work hardship; that other places have concert halls; that Erickson's is a concert, and finally, that Erickson's music is not a concert.
Attempts were made by the defense to bring other resorts into the case, but to this line of action Mr. Fitzgerald interposed strenuous objection, being upheld by Judge Cameron.
Chief of Police Grizmancher was unable to state, after the acquittal of Erickson, just what action will now be taken by the department in regard to further arrests for violations of this ordinance. Several establishments, such as The Tavern and Hotel Portland, have been notified by the police to cease giving concerts in their barrooms, and it is believed that in deciding the case the jury had in mind the fact that had they found Erickson guilty, musical concerts would be eliminated from all other places.
Erickson's music will continue unabated, and the orchestras in other resorts are running, as usual.

Will Organize Oregon Chapter.

An Oregon Chapter of the P. E. O. Sisterhood will be organized at the home of Mrs. John E. Aitchison, 822 W. Washington street, this morning by Mrs. Harriet L. Eshelman, of Tacoma, who has come to Portland for that purpose.
The P. E. O. is the largest independent secret organization composed of women and not auxiliary to any other order in the United States, and this is the first chapter to be organized in this state, although there are residents here who are members. The order originated as a college society at Mount Pleasant, Ia., 30 years ago, and is considered growing. The meeting is called for 11 o'clock.

PERSONAL MENTION.

B. Ryan's family, of Woodlawn, are taking an outing at Collins Springs, on the Columbia River.
Prof. John Teuscher, Jr., and wife, left yesterday for Seaside, where they will remain for several weeks.
Mrs. M. Kay and niece, Miss Vine, of Alton, Ill., are visiting friends in Portland and seeing the Exposition.
Mrs. S. W. Hampton and two sons, of Tacoma, are visiting the Fair this week. They were formerly residents of East Portland.
Mrs. Francis J. Wells, corresponding secretary of Portland's Federation of Women's Clubs, has been very sick with pneumonia, but is improving.
Archbishop Chapelle was the second head of the diocese to succumb to yellow fever. Bishop Nekeare, the fourth bishop, died of that disease here in 1833.
O. L. Dickson, chief clerk to the superintendent of transportation of the Burlington, at Chicago, is visiting the Exposition. He leaves for his home this morning.

DR. HOPE'S APPEAL

He Asked a Hearing From Bishop Morris.
SEQUEL TO LLOYD TROUBLE

Bishop Finds That He and the Other Protestors Acted Within the Laws of Church and Hearing Is Unnecessary.

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Bishop Morris' Statement.

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Sitka and Return \$60.
Steamer Cottage City, August 12, 24, Skagway, Sitka and return, Steamer City of Seattle, August 16-25, Skagway. Last excursions of the season. Pacific Coast Steamship Company, 249 Washington street. Phone Main 223.

Veteran Firemen Coming.

Word was received at the general passenger office of the Southern Pacific railroad yesterday, that the excursion of the Veteran Volunteer Firemen of San Francisco will leave that city August 16 for Portland.
This is one of the oldest organizations on the Pacific Coast. The veterans, who in the days before San Francisco had a paid fire department, turned out to fight fires, have maintained their organization throughout the years that have passed, bringing with them improvements in fire apparatus, and whenever they turn out they are the pride of the Golden Gate City. They will come to Portland in a special train of four standard sleeping-cars, a baggage-car and a diner.

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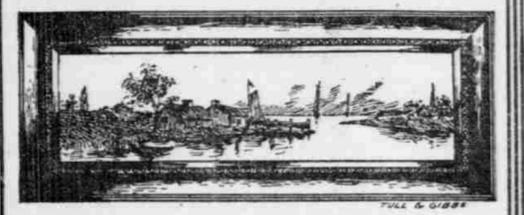
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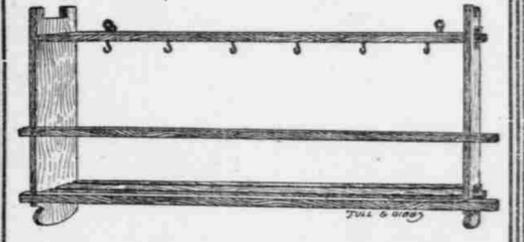
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PORTLAND'S NEW CITY BOARD OF HEALTH



READING FROM LEFT TO RIGHT—MAYOR LANE, MISS FLORENCE WATKINS, DEPUTY AUDITOR; W. S. LOTON, DEPUTY AUDITOR; DR. GEORGE F. WILSON, DR. ESTHER C. POHL, DR. A. J. GIESY.

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