

SLAPS THE MAYOR

Council Passes Box Law Over His Veto.

FOR PLUMBING INSPECTOR

By Strict Party Vote, City's Legislative Body Decides to Keep the Incumbent in Office, Despite Lane.

The Mayor passed a bad day with the City Council yesterday, receiving a severe jolt at the outset by having his veto of the box ordinance overturned to the tune of 12 to 3, and another hard slap later on in the shape of the passage of the ordinance continuing the Plumbing Inspector and his assistant in office. The latter measure went through by strict party vote of 14 to 1, and indicates in eloquent terms just how the Council feels about certain things. It is conceded that the passage of the box ordinance over the Mayor's veto was done more for the purpose of teaching him a lesson than anything else, as Masters and Bennett each subsequently introduced new ordinance equally as stringent as any that have been in existence, so far as restrictions on the liquor traffic in boxes is concerned. In fact, it was announced at the start that the idea was to pass the ordinance over the veto and repeal it afterward, adopting in its place one even more severe in general features.

Consideration of Ordinance.

Consideration of the box ordinance was the first in order, and in view of the presumed importance of the matter, fully three-score or more members of the Municipal Association were on hand to lend moral support to the proceedings. The liquor interests were apparently unrepresented. Consideration among those present upon behalf of the movement to sustain Mayor Lane in his veto of the ordinance were John Bain, Miller Murdoch, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A.; C. W. Nottingham, H. H. Albee, F. A. Fowler, W. H. Martell, A. S. Pattullo and others. In addition, about a dozen or more ladies graced the assemblage with their presence, both the lower floor and the galleries of the chambers being particularly well-filled with an expectant throng, some of whom were unable to restrain their feelings at various stages of the proceedings, more especially while Councilman Vaughn was making an eloquent appeal in favor of upholding the Mayor.

After Deputy Auditor Grutze had read the Mayor's reasons for returning the ordinance to the Council without his signature, the matter was presented to the body in the shape of a question whether to pass it over his head, and upon this point Councilman Vaughn arose and undertook to explain his contemplated vote.

Sharkey Raises Point of Order.

Sharkey immediately called him to order, claiming that the question was not debatable. Vaughn was going ahead anyway, when Masters insisted upon a ruling on Sharkey's point of order. The Mayor was undecided, and asked for light, saying he could find no rule prohibiting debate, and appealed to the Deputy Auditor for information. After a vain search all around, the Mayor said that inasmuch as he could find no such rule he would permit remarks from the Councilmen, provided they were not too long. Vaughn then continued in deliberate fashion to explain ostensibly his reasons for upholding the Mayor, but in reality to put in a good word in behalf of the moral sentiment of the community. One of the opposition Councilmen afterward remarked, he "said one word for the Mayor, and made a whole Fourth of July speech against the boxes." He was frequently interrupted by applause, while on the other hand members of the Municipal Association did not seem to take kindly to the explanations of Councilman Wills, Bennett, Sharkey, Bushlight and Gray, venting their difference of opinion by occasional interruptions, to such an extent that the latter member took occasion to score the Municipal Association in round terms, denying anything of the kind that it represented any considerable portion of the moral sentiment of the community, and that the people were averse to being represented by any class that would deal in vituperation and misrepresentation.

Accuses Municipal Association.

Councilman Gray became visibly aroused at this stage, and accused the Municipal Association with having public anticipation reports to the effect that he intended to vote in favor of repealing the old box ordinance. This he denounced as a falsehood, and denied also that the box ordinance was an issue in the campaign. Councilman Masters, in explanation of his vote, gave his reasons for sustaining the Mayor, and finished by calling upon ex-Councilman Albee, who was present on the floor, and made the reputation of liquor could be sold in those kind of boxes having a floor space of not more than 160 square feet.

Says It Was a Joker.

One of the Councilmen, in explaining his vote, had said that W. W. Cotton, who was mainly instrumental in drawing up the ordinance after the conference in question, had put in a joker in such a way that it amounted practically to a nullification of all claims of the saloon interests, and Mr. Albee concluded by contending that the present ordinance, in its amended form, would pull this joker out, and he hoped it would not prevail, because it placed the saloon-box traffic in a worse position than it has ever been in Portland. He closed with an appeal to the Council to sustain the Mayor's veto.

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Our entire stock of Embroideries on sale at greatly reduced prices. All grades, all widths, all styles. Hundreds of embroidery bargains await the shrewd buyer.

The Meier & Frank Store's 818th Friday Surprise Sale



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100 dozen women's tan Hosiery, plain and lace lises, allover lace and lace boot effects; also embroidered boots, all sizes. Every pair our standard 37c value. Your choice at the low price of pair..... 37c

Women's white lisle allover lace and lace boot Hosiery; Exceptional values at pair 25c, 25c and 30c

Misses' black ribbed Hose, all white foot, all sizes. Best 35c value, 18c

Great special values in boys' and girls' Hosiery. All styles and grades at low prices.

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Women's white cotton ribbed drop-stitch Vests, low neck and no sleeves; all sizes; best 35c value, for..... 19c

Women's black ribbed lace-trimmed umbrellas Drawers, all sizes; great special value for this sale, at..... 48c

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\$1.00 Corset Covers reduced to \$.69

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\$1.50, \$1.75 Corset Covers now \$1.18

\$2.00, 2.25 Corset Covers now \$1.42

\$2.50, 2.75 Corset Covers now \$1.79

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NIGHTGOWNS

Women's fine Gowns, made of Cambric, nainsooks and muslin, trimmed in fine Valenciennes laces, Torchon laces, Swiss and nainsook embroideries, blind and open-work effects; clusters of tucks and insertions, beadings and ribbons with low, round and square necks, high and V-shaped necks; yoke, bishop and empire styles; full width and lengths. Here are some great special values:

- 15c-50c Gowns..... \$.50
- 11.49 Nightgowns..... \$.76
- 11.25 Nightgowns..... \$.57
- 11.50-14. Gowns..... \$1.18
- 12.50-12.25 Gowns..... \$1.30
- 12.50-12.75 Gowns..... \$1.49
- 12.50-12.75 Gowns..... \$1.18
- 12.75-14.00 Gowns..... \$2.42
- 14.00-15.00 Gowns..... \$3.22
- 15.00-16.50 Gowns..... \$4.15

DRAWERS

Women's fine cambric, nainsook and muslin Drawers, Val lace trimmed, Torchon lace trimmed, fine Swiss, nainsook and cambric embroidery trimmed; blind and open-work effects, beadings, ribbons:

- 35c-40c Drawers, pair..... \$.22
- 50c-60c Drawers, pair..... \$.43
- 75c-85c Drawers, pair..... \$.57
- 11.50-14. Gowns..... \$1.18
- 11.50-12.00 Drawers, pair..... \$1.49
- 12.50-12.75 Drawers, pair..... \$1.50

Drawers worth up to \$7.50 pair on sale at very low prices.

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Women's White Petticoat Bargains

Women's fine White Skirts, cambric and lawn body, separate dust ruffle and fitted waistbands; full lengths and widths; made with wide flounces, trimmed in very fine Valenciennes laces, Torchon laces and fine embroideries; clusters of tucks, insertions and hemstitching; an immense variety for your choosing. Some of the big values. Mail orders promptly filled.

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 - \$1.50, \$1.75 White Petticoats on sale for \$1.21**
 - \$2.00, \$2.25 White Petticoats on sale for \$1.42**
 - \$2.50, \$2.75 White Petticoats on sale for \$1.89**
 - \$3.00, \$3.25 White Petticoats on sale for \$2.18**
 - \$3.50, \$3.75 White Petticoats on sale for \$2.33**
 - \$4.00, \$4.50 White Petticoats on sale for \$2.99**
 - \$5.50, \$6.00 White Petticoats on sale for \$3.59**
 - \$6.50, \$7.50 White Petticoats on sale for \$4.69**
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 - \$10 Petticoats \$6.98 \$12.50 Petticoats \$7.22**
- Values up to \$35.00 all at wonderfully low prices.

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Portland's leading cloak and suit store offers for tomorrow an unusual bargain in white lawn Shirtwaist Suits, 300 of them in this season's most attractive styles, an entire new lot that has never been shown before today—The waists are tucked in yoke effects and trimmed with Valenciennes lace and medallions, others are box-plaited and embroidery trimmed, skirts are kilt effect or clusters of tucks, finished at the head of hem with Val. lace, all sizes, 32 to 44; every suit in the lot great value at \$6; **\$2.65**

See Fifth-street window display—Choice tomorrow **\$2.65**



\$1.75 Shirtwaists at 98c Today

2000 more white lawn and dotted Swiss Shirtwaists for today, tomorrow, Saturday, remaining stock of well-known manufacturer; trimmed side pleats, French knots or wide insertion, button front or back, all sizes, every waist \$1.75 val., choice **98c**

All white Linen Suits at half regular prices

All organdy and mull White Dresses at half-price

All colored Shirtwaist Suits at half regular prices

All colored Wash Skirts at half regular prices

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Women's and children's official souvenir Handkerchiefs. Great value 15c (3 for 35c)..... 15c

Women's Swiss, smolder, box, hem-stitched and scalloped edge Handkerchiefs. Great assortment to select from. Regular 50c and 40c. for..... 25c

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Boys' 2-Piece Double-Breasted and Norfolk Suits; Summer styles, many of which are of desirable weight for Fall wear; the entire stock at greatly reduced prices.—2d Floor.

- \$3.50 values \$2.60—\$3.75 values \$2.80
- \$4.00 values 3.10—4.50 values 3.65
- \$5.00 values 3.95—6.00 values 4.85
- \$6.50 values 5.15—7.50 values 6.10
- \$8.50 values 6.95—10.00 values 7.95



WASH SUITS HALF PRICE

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Boys' 75c Laundered Blouses..... 59c

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at this low price, yard..... 9c

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- Indian Sachet Bags, of burnt leather, special, each..... 19c
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- 3-qt. Lipped Sauce Pans..... 25c
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- 4-qt. Lipped Preserving Kettles..... 27c
- 6-qt. Lipped Preserving Kettles..... 32c
- 5-qt. Covered Sauce Pans..... 32c
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