

LANE'S MESSAGE  
DEFEND THE COUNCIL

Mayor Calls Attention to Increasing Duties and Responsibilities.

WARNS AGAINST GRAFTERS

Does Not Outline Policy but Declares That He Has "No Enemies to Punish or Friends to Reward."

LUMBERMEN ARE PLEASED

Market Is Good and Prices for All Goods High.

Despite the closing now and then of an Oregon sawmill depending solely on the California market, the lumber trade continues good and lumber manufacturers seem pleased with the outlook.

Mayor Lane submitted his second biennial message to the reorganized City Council at its first meeting yesterday afternoon.

Auditor Barber attended the meeting yesterday and personally attended to the routine business. He had a good initiation, as a clerk of that body, the session lasting three hours.

Test of the Message.

To the honorable City Council: At the beginning of the session, the administration of city affairs I deem it not improper to call attention in a general way to certain conditions which present themselves for consideration.

As I understand the premises we occupy, our respective positions of public health and safety, and the welfare of the people, to whom and to none other do we owe any duty of any nature whatsoever.

The affairs of the city are large and increasing at a rapid rate and the duties and cares of our positions are onerous and call for much time and careful attention, yet we entered into our positions with full knowledge that such conditions existed, and there will be no reasonable or just excuse for the placing of private interests before those of the public.

People Demand True Service.

The day in which the servants of the people can play "ducks and drakes" with the people's interests or pay off personal or political debts or other considerations at the expense of the people has gone by, let us hope never to return.

RETITION FOR NEW LINE

Portland Heights Residents Want Cars on Twentieth Street.

Petitions addressed to the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company are being signed by property owners to have a road built from Twentieth street to the hillside and permit the construction of roadways according to the plan of the Council.

FELIX ADLER IN PORTLAND

Distinguished Author and Educator Visiting Pacific Coast.

Dr. Felix Adler, of New York, known the world over as a writer and lecturer on ethics and professor of political and social ethics in Columbia University, was at the Portland yesterday accompanied by Mrs. Adler.

BOND ISSUES GO INTO EFFECT

Legality Will, However, Be Tested in the Courts.

The various bond issues, charter amendments and ordinances voted at the June election, went into effect yesterday in accordance with the proclamation of Mayor Lane.

A WONDERFUL TONIC

Horford's Acid Phosphate, Cooling, refreshing and invigorating. Dispels that dragged out feeling during Summer.

LAWTON WILL COME

Steamer to Be Placed on Run Out of Portland.

ALTERATIONS TO BE MADE

Cabin Plans Will Be Taken From the Columbia—Oil Burners to Be Installed—The Vessel Was Formerly a Transport.

Contracts have been let for the remodeling of the steamship Lawton, recently purchased from the Government by R. P. Scherwin.

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BRIGGS IS MISSING

Police Chief Says Book Agent Embezzled \$4000.

SAID TO BE A FUGITIVE

Reward of \$100 Offered for His Arrest and Detention—Fast Living Said to Have Caused Downfall.

That Fred A. Briggs, a book agent well-known in Portland, is short in his accounts \$4000 is the startling declaration made by Chief of Police Gritzmacher, in a circular letter posted at police headquarters yesterday morning.

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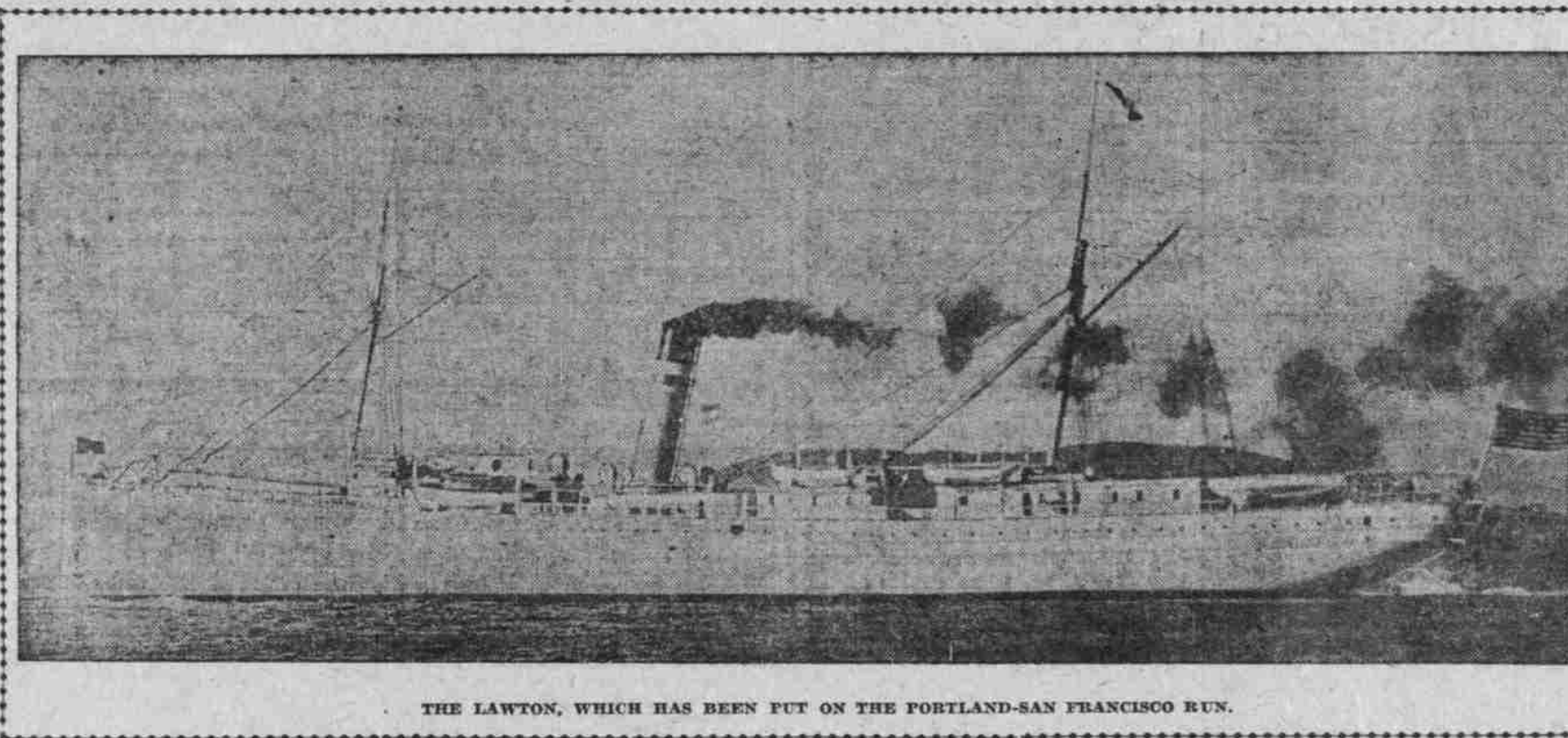
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THE LAWTON, WHICH HAS BEEN PUT ON THE PORTLAND-SAN FRANCISCO RUN.

charging cement at Portland for Kerr, Gifford & Co.

The steamer Alliance, with a full load of passengers and a full cargo of freight, sailed for Coos Bay last night.

Arrivals and Departures.

PORTLAND, July 3.—Sailed—Steamship Alliance for Coos Bay, Norwegian steamship Finn, for Tacoma; German ship Talia, for Sydney, from Knappaon.

Entered Wednesday.

Cleared Wednesday.

bezelement of \$1300 of the publishing company's funds, but not until Chief Gritzmacher filed his circular letter yesterday morning did it become known that further and larger thefts were charged against him.

The complaint against Briggs was filed by Thomas J. Weston, a local attorney for the publishing house. Briggs is accused in one count of embezzling at least two payments of \$500 each from J. Weston & Co., a \$2000 purchase of books from that firm, and that he did the same thing in other cases, is now charged.

Chief Gritzmacher's circular describes Briggs as follows:

GO TO BAPTIST MEETING

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Rapid Progress Made on Board of Trade Building.

Satisfactory progress is being made on the new Board of Trade building at the corner of Oak and Fourth streets, and it is now thought that the building will be ready for occupancy by next March.

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HOTEL OREGON CORNER SEVENTH AND STARK STREETS. Portland's New and Modern Hotel. Rates \$1 per Day and Up. EUROPEAN PLAN. Free Bus. WRIGHT-DICKINSON HOTEL CO., Props.

HOTEL PERKINS Fifth and Washington Streets, PORTLAND, OREGON. EUROPEAN PLAN. Rooms \$0.50 to \$1.50. Hotel Lenox Third and Main Sts. Portland's Newest and Most Modern Hotel.

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PACIFIC COAST WEATHER. STATIONS: Baker City, Boise, Boreas, Burns, Coquille, Eugene, Gresham, Medford, Myrtle Beach, Newport, Portland, Red Bluff, Roseburg, Seaside, Tillamook, Tualatin, Warrenton, Westport, Yreka.

WEATHER FORECASTS. Portland and vicinity—Showers followed by fair and warmer weather; westerly winds.

CLASSIFIED AD. RATES. (FOR CASE ADVERTISING.) Following rates will be given only when advertising is ordered to run consecutive days, Daily and Sunday issues.

BAY CITY (ON TILLAMOOK BAY) Is the center of a rich tributary country that will develop some of the most comfortable fortunes within the next few years.

30,000,000,000 Feet of Timber standing on the hills back of Bay City. Here is sufficient employment for thousands of men for a hundred years.

BOARD OF TRADE, BAY CITY, OREGON. BAY CITY LAND CO. 819 Lumber Exchange, PORTLAND, OREGON. 170 Commercial Street, SALEM, OREGON.