STEAMSHIP AKER HAS PART CARGO

Norwegian Vessel Clears for Japanese Port by Way of Puget Sound.

FOURTH APRIL CLEARANCE

Vessel Will Finish Out at Tacoma. Takes 68,666 Bushles of Wheat From Portland—Lumber Ships Are Nearing Completion.

The Norwegian steamship Aker cleared for Yokohama yesterday with 68,666 bushels of wheat. The steamer will proceed to Everett and there will take on the remainder of the cargo for the Japanese port. The Aker left down yesterday and will proceed at once to sea. She is a craft of 1800 net tons burden.

The Aker is the fourth grain ship to clear foreign since the first of the month. She brings the export figures up to 881,213 bushels, the value of which amounts to $843,796. This makes a splendid start for the month and April will be counted as one of the big months of the cereal year. Exports for April, 1907, amounted to 628,23 bushels of wheat for the entire month. The first three days of the present month are considerably in excess of one-half of this amount.

Several lumber carriers will clear during the month and there is a considerable amount of grain tonnage in the river which should receive full cargoes by the last of the month. There will be at least 12 full cargoes of wheat and one or two of flour in addition to the lumber vessels.

SENATOR TAKES BIG CARGO

San Francisco Packet Carries Record Load From Portland.

The steamship Senator sailed for San Francisco yesterday afternoon with the largest cargo of freight that craft has carried from Portland. When the vessel pulled out from Ainsworth dock she was drawing 19.3 aft and 18.6 forward. She had a little more than 2000 measured tons on board. By weight this amounted to 1400 tons. The Senator also carried 197 passengers.

The next trip south from Portland the Senator will inaugurate the Summer sailing schedule and will leave from Portland at 9 o'clock in the morning. This will be on the 18th. The week following the Rose City will go on the same schedule and will continue until Fall.

The Senator is a Pacific Coast Steamship Company vessel and the charter to the San Francisco & Portland Steamship Company will expire May 15 at which time the craft was expected to go on the Nome run. Developments of the past few days, however, give rise to the belief in steamship circles that the Senator will remain on the San Francisco-Portland run for another year. It is known that Manager Schwerin has been negotiating with the Pacific Coast people for the vessel and it is understood that satisfactory terms have been made.

VESSELS ATHWART CHANNEL

Craft at Anchor Swings With Wind and Menace Navigation.

Masters of river steamers and pilots were put to considerable annoyance yesterday by the vessels at anchor in the harbor swinging athwart the channel. Not a single craft had out a stern anchor and the fresh south wind set them all across the channel and navigation was difficult as well as dangerous.

Harbormaster Speier had his hands full and by 4 o'clock in the afternoon had the channel cleared and all the craft put in safe positions. Of late the tugboat masters and pilots have been a trifle negligent in instructing masters of foreign vessels that it is necessary to place stern anchors when in the stream above the upper end of Swan Island. The harbor rules state specifically that both forward and stern anchors must be dropped and the vessel must be parallel with the harbor lines.

Tacoma Marine Notes.

TACOMA, April 3.—The British bark London Hill arrived in tow of the tug Lorne this evening to load wheat for the United Kingdom. The vessel has been discharging on the British Columbia side. She was fixed for some time prior to her arrival from Great Britain.

When the British bark Lucipara arrived at Cork on March 29, she completed four successive smart passages. Twice she has made a run of 120 days out from Europe to San Pedro and last year from Tacoma to the United Kingdom she made the record run of 109 days. The passage just completed was only 122 days.

The steamer Buckman returned today from Quartermaster Harbor, where she was cleaned and painted and began to load outward freight for San Francisco, including a large shipment of marble. The steamer proceeded to Seattle during the night to finish.

Sue H. Elmore Misses Schedule.

Efforts of the steamship Sue H. Elmore to maintain a weekly schedule between Portland and points on Tillamook Bay have met with poor success. When the craft first came to Portalnd it was announced that she would sail from this city every Tuesday. The first trip of the craft resulted in the loss of seven days and the second in the loss of four days. The Elmore was scheduled to sail from Portland Tuesday. She is now in port, having arrived Thursday, and will leave out tonight.

George R. Vosburg in Commission.

The tug George R. Vosburg, belonging to the Wheeler Lumber Company, of Nehalem, which has been tied up at the Shaver dolphins for the past three months, will be placed in commission today and will leave for Nehalem with a full load of merchandise. During the Summer months she will be engaged as a bar tug at the Nehalem and will tow lumber craft in and out.

San Pedro Shipping Notes.

SAN PEDRO, Cal., April 3.—The schooner Bertie Minor, Captain Dahlgren, arrived this morning, six days from Coos Bay with 300,000 feet of lumber.

The schooner Ariel sailed today in ballast to reload for Grays Harbor.

The schooner Roslyn at South Bend has been chartered to load lumber for this port.

Eureka Sails for Coos Bay.

The steamship Eureka sailed last night for Coos Bay and Eureka on her first voyage out of Portland in the service of the North Pacific Steamship Company. She carried a quantity of freight and several passengers for Coos Bay. The Eureka will maintain a nine-day schedule between Portland and the California port.

Marine Notes.

The British bark Calluna left down yesterday morning.

The French bark Hoche sailed for the United Kingdom yesterday morning.

The steamship Alliance arrived up at a late hour last night with passengers and freight from Coos Bay ports.

Captain P. J. Werlich, inspector of the Thirteenth Lighthouse District, has returned from a tour of inspection of Puget Sound.

The American ship Berlin will sail for Alaska April 8. She will carry 125 Japanese who have been engaged as cannery workers.

Notice to Mariners.

The following affects the List of Lights, Buoys and Daymarks, Pacific Coast, 1908:

OREGON.

Nehalem River, entrance, pages 47 and 53—Nehalem River buoy, a PS second-class can, marked "N" in black, is reported about three-fourths of a mile northerly of its position and close to the breakers. It will be replaced as soon as practicable.

Columbia River entrance, page 56—South Channel bell buoy, PS, marked "S.C" in black, reported missing March 28, will be replaced as soon as practicable.

WASHINGTON.

Grays Harbor, page 81—Westport Spit buoy, 2, a second-class spar reported missing March 27, will be replaced as soon as practicable.

Juan de Fuca Strait, pages 84 and 85—New Dungeness Sand Spit buoy, 2, a first-class nun, heretofore reported missing, was replaced March 21.

Point Partridge bell buoy, 2, found not sounding, April 1, was repaired the same day.

Eagle Harbor, page 86—Eagle Harbor Sand Spit buoy, 2, a black second-class can, reported missing March 27, will be replaced as soon as practicable.

ALASKA.

Windham Bay, page 107—Windham Bay Narrows Ledge buoy, 1, a third-class can, reported adrift March 17, will be replaced as soon as practicable.

By order of the Lighthouse Board.

P. J. WERLICH,
Commander, U. S. N., Inspector.

STEAMER INTELLIGENCE.

Due to Arrive.

Name.	From.	Date.
Sue H. Elmore	Tillamook	In port
Alliance	Coos Bay	In port
Breakwater	Coos Bay	April 5
Ross City	San Francisco	April 7
Roanoke	Los Angeles	April 7
Johan Poulsen	San Francisco	April 10
R. D. Inman	San Francisco	April 10
Rose City	San Francisco	April 12
Senator	San Francisco	April 14
Geo. W. Elder	San Pedro	April 14
Arabia	Hongkong	April 20
Nicomedia	Hongkong	April 27
Alesia	Hongkong	May 25
Numantia	Hongkong	June 10

Scheduled to Depart.

Name.	For.	Date.
Alliance	Coos Bay	April 5
Sue H. Elmore	Tillamook	April 6
Breakwater	Coos Bay	April 8
Roanoke	Los Angeles	April 9
Rose City	San Francisco	April 10
Johan Poulsen	San Francisco	April 13
R. D. Inman	San Francisco	April 13
F. S. Loop	San Francisco	April 15
Geo. W. Elder	San Pedro	April 15
Senator	San Francisco	April 18
Arabia	Hongkong	April 27
Nicomedia	Hongkong	May 5
Alesia	Hongkong	June 1
Numantia	Hongkong	June 29

Entered Friday.

Maverick, American steamship (Daniels), with fuel oil, from San Francisco.

Sue H. Elmore, Am. steamship (Shrader), with general cargo, from Tillamook.

Wellesley, Am. steamship (Lindquist), with ballast, from San Francisco.

Minerva, Nor. steamship (Mathiesen), with ballast, from LaBoca.

Eureka, Am. steamship (Noren), with general cargo, from Eureka and Coos Bay.

Cleared Friday.

Maverick, American steamship (Daniels), with ballast, for San Francisco.

Minerva, Nor. steamship (Mathiesen), with ballast, for Eureka.

Eureka, Am. steamship (Noren), with general cargo, for Eureka and Coos Bay.

Aker, Nor. steamship (Wettergren), with 68,666 bushels of wheat, valued at $56,666, for Yokohama, via Puget Sound.

Arrivals and Departures.

PORTLAND, April 3.—Arrived—Steamship Alliance, from Coos Bay; steamship Eureka, from Eureka and Coos. Sailed—Norwegian steamship Aker, for Yokohama, via Puget Sound; steamship Eureka, for Eureka and Coos; British bark Calluna, for the United Kingdom; French bark Hoche, for the United Kingdom.

Astoria, April 3.—Condition of bar at 5 P. M., smooth; wind, west, 16 miles; weather, cloudy. Arrived down at 5 A. M. and sailed at 10:15 A. M.—Steamer Geo. Elder, for San Francisco. Arrived down at 8 last night, British ship Clan Buchanan. Arrived down at 12:30 P. M. and sailed at 2:25 P. M.—Steamer Strathblane, for Calcutta and way ports. Arrived at 1 and left up at 2:30 P. M.—Steamer Alliance, from Coos Bay.

Newcastle, April 3.—Arrived April 2—British steamer Mortlanke, from Portland.

Dover, April 3.—Passed—British steamer Craigvar, from Portland, for Antwerp.

Melbourne, April 3—Arrived—British steamer Cambrian King, from Portland.

San Francisco, April 3.—Arrived—Schooner Mayflower, from Siuslaw; steamer Mongolia, from Hongkong, etc. Sailed—Inverkip, for Philadelphia; bark Adderley, for Chemainus; steamer Umatilla, for Victoria; steamer Bandon, for Bandon; schooner A. B. Johnson, for Grays Harbor.

Newcastle, N. S. W., April 3.—Arrived, Mortlake, Portland, Or.

Melbourne, April 3.—Arrived previously, Cambrian King, Portland via Newcastle.

Tides at Astoria Saturday

High.	Low.
2:45 A. M....9.0 feet	9:30 A. M.....0.1 foot
3:22 P. M....7.6 feet	9:28 P. M.....2.4 feet

WILL FERRET OUT CRIME

Manning to Investigate the Death of Mrs. Addie Howes.

District Attorney Manning announced yesterday his determination to learn the identity of those responsible for the death of Mrs. Addie Howes, who died in a Salmon-street rooming-house of scepticemia, Wednesday night. He intends calling before him all parties who might have any knowledge of the affair, particularly the woman's associates at the Opera-house Laundry and young men with whom she had been associating.

The woman died from the effects of malpractice in a criminal operation. Whether the work was that of one of the many such practitioners now prospering in the city or of someone outside the medical profession, is a question Mr. Manning will seek to answer.

Chehalis County Pays Bounty.

MONTESANO, Wash., April 3.—(Special.)—The Auditor of Chehalis County paid, for the quarter ending March 31, bounty on 147 wildcats and three cougars. The bounty laws have been in effect since June 1, 1905, and since that time this office has paid bounty on 1083 wildcats, 12 cougars and ten coyotes.

Washington, D. C.—John Mitchell, ex-president of the United Mineworkers, has been offered, and has declined, a position as special commissioner to study and report on labor conditions in the canal zone. Mitchell says his health would not permit him to take the position which was tendered by the President.

THREE MORE DAYS

Registration of Voters Will Close With Monday.

TOTAL NOW PAST 28,000

County Clerk Expects It to Reach 30,000 and Declares It Could as Easily Be 35,000—Fields Urges Patriotic Citizens to Act.

Although the registrations went over the 28,000 mark last night, and will probably reach 30,000 before the books close, there are still a large number of voters who have not registered. Some estimates place this number as high as 10,000. Certain it is, however, that the total registration could easily be 35,000 before Tuesday night, when the books close, if all legitimate voters would go to the Courthouse and place their names on the books. County Clerk Fields has made every provision, employing an extra staff of clerks and keeping the office open until 9 o'clock every night.

"Only today, Monday and Tuesday remain in which voters may register," said Mr. Fields yesterday. "Voters who registered in 1906, but who have failed to do so this year cannot vote at the primaries unless before 5 o'clock Tuesday night they have signed the books. Every legitimate voter should be hustled into line to register, whether he votes or not, for a city's registration is often taken as a basis for its population.

"Seattle waged a vigorous campaign to have voters sign up. She succeeded in registering 34,000. A spirit of loyalty to Portland's interest will lead every voter to fill out the registration card, sign the books and become a member of the body politic."

At 5 o'clock last night the registration stood as follows: Total, 27,987; Republicans, 21,861; Democrats, 4,694; miscellaneous, 1412. Up to 5 o'clock 446 voters had signed the books. Of this number 346 were Republicans, 71 Democrats and 29 miscellaneous.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

F. W. Toegler and wife to Harry L. Chase and wife, lot 2, block 7, Central Addition ..... $ 1,400
Security Abstract & Trust Co. to R. R. Howard, lot 15, block 102, Rose City Park 500
H. F. Reese to Miss L. S. Prakes, lot 3, block 190, city 15,000
R. A. and G. R. Matthews to J. O. Elrod, lots 17, 19, block 3, Richmond Addition 100
W. F. Friedner to The Apartment Building Co., east 40 feet of lots 15, 16, block 284, Couch Addition 3,000
River View Cemetery Association to William Williams, lot 56, section 101, said cemetery 100
J. W. F. McFall to Maggie Franks, lot 6, block 4, North Mount Tabor 200
L. M. Davis and wife to Eric Olson, lot 1, block 5, Central Albina 375
Guy Delano to Carrie M. Bryson, lot 3, block 7, Mount Tabor Villa Annex 225
Security Abstract & Trust Co. to R. O. Quesnella, lot 12, block 96, Rose City Park 500
Title Insurance & Investment Co. to H. E. Noble, lot 24, block 1, Albion Addition 1
E. L. Anderson and wife to C. S. Jenkins, 46x100 feet beginning at point 225 feet west of intersection of center line of Francis Ave and east line of Clinton Kelly donation land claim 500
R. L. Stevens to Equitable Savings & Loan Association, lots 6, 7, 16, 17, block 72, Sellwood 2,534
Title Guarantee & Trust Co. to Gilbert Goodhue, lot 12, block 12, St. John 250
W. H. Brown and wife to Rhoda E. Read, lots 6, 12, block 15, City View Park 2,000
E. L. Wonscott and wife to Columbia Trust Co., lots 12, 13, 14, 15, block 2, LaRene Park 2,000
E. M. Rasmussen and wife to Orvie D. Bloom and wife, lot 3, block 15, Dunn's Addition 2,500
Charles G. Strube and wife to D. D. Campbell, lot 9, block 5, Strube's Addition 250
Everett Rosell Spencer and wife to James M. Pugh, lots 7, 8, block 5, Germania 550
Michael F. Brady and wife to Louis E. Sauvie and K. K. Lyon, lot 14, block 31, Albina 2,100
Michael F. Brady and wife to Harmony Lodge, No. 108, I. O. O. F., lot 15, block 31, Albina 2,100
Benjamin L. Cain and wife to Mabel E. King, lot 3, block 45, Vernon 2,200
The Land Company of Oregon to Theresa Eveding and Margaretta V. Russell, lot 9, block 5, City View Park 425
C. C. Vaughn and wife to J. H. Sehram, lots 1, 2, block 21, Fairview 375
James L. Robinson and wife to Jennie G. Sheffield, lots 9, 12, block 6, Henry's Addition 10
Oregon Real Estate Co. to G. W. Stapleton, lots 5, 6, block 201, Holladay's Addition 3,100
A. C. Churchill & Co., Incorporated, to James M. Deque, west ½ of lot 15, Middlesex (to correct error) 1
C. S. Jennie and wife to Allie H. Steinneitz, 46x100 feet beginning at point 225 feet west of intersection of center line of Francis avenue and east line of Clinton Kelly donation land claim 1
A. G. Weber to A. J. Lighty, lot 8, block 1, Fifty View Addition 700
Richard Williams to Agnes Payne, 72 acre beginning at point in center line of Tabor avenue extended, 234.9 feet north of north line of Francis avenue 1
W. H. Newman to Henry Barman, lots 3, 4, block 5, Finland 600
Point View Real Estate Co. to Winnie McClellan, lots 15, 16, block 8, Point View 170
River View Cemetery Association to Elias Dalton, lot 113, section 101, said cemetery 100
Edward R. Mills and wife to E. Graybiel, 33 1-3x100 feet beginning at southeast corner of lot 10, block 7, Central Albina Addition 1
C. Mayer and wife to A. L. Harbur and H. L. Dale, block 14, Simons' Addition 2,150
Henry Winter and wife to John T. Buckner and wife, east 70 feet of south 100 feet of south ½ of lot 1, tract "F," Overton Park 1,500
E. O. Gardner to A. L. Swain and wife, lot 21, block 2, Center Add. 300
H. B. Nicholas and wife to Carrie Arnold, lots 9 and 10, block 8, Taborslide 250
B. L. Stevens, Sheriff, to John Kiernan, undivided 1-3 of N. ½, ¼ of Sec. 9, E. ½ of S. E. ¼ of Sec. 4, S. W. ¼ of S. E. ¼ of Sec. 4, lot 6, Sec. 4, T. 2 N., R. 1 W. 5,700
H. McN. Eddings and wife to J. R. Stuart and wife, lot 6, block 16, Holladay Park 5,200
S. Nells to H. C. Wade, 14 acres in Sec. 36, T. 1 N., R. 1 E. 1
Title Guarantee & Trust Co. to Lillian Snell, lots 17 and 18, block 2, McDougall's subdivision 700
Jackson Investment Co. to Frank A. Rowe, lots 53 and 54, block 1, Jackson Place 1,050
John Horn to Manetta I. Young, lots 27, 28, 29 and 30, block 8, Hawthorne Ave. Add. 5,800
W. E. Gilbert and wife to Guy J. Frink, lots 12 and 13, block 39, West Portland 1
Guy J. Frink and wife to Minnie Frink, lots 12 and 13, block 39, West Portland 1
Minnie Frink to Geo. McLaughlin, lots 12 and 13, block 39, West Portland 1
R. C. Prince et al. to Geo. Noakes, beginning at point in north line of Slavin County road at southwest corner of a tract conveyed by John A. Slavin and wife to Mary F. Prince 1
Jackson Investment Co. to Jas. C. Zan, lot 14, block 1, Jackson Place 450
Jackson Investment Co. to Jas. C. Zan, lot 13, block 1, Jackson Place 450
Wm. J. Patton et al. to Arlie Seaman and Lavella Marshall, lot 2, tract "H," Greenway 1,400
Investment Co. to Harry Van Rensselaer Kadderly, lot 4, block 32, Piedmont 600
River View Cemetery Association to Richard S. Knoll, lot 112, Sec. 16, said cemetery 150
Frank and Rose O'Neill to John B. Edgar, lot 11, block 6, Ravenswood
Frank and Rosa O'Neill to Warren B. Edgar, lot 12, block 6, Ravenswood 550
Fred H. Strong and wife to W. B. Gay, lots 7 and 10, block 15, Creston 700
W. B. Gay and wife to Onie Rocker, lots 7 and 10, block 15, Creston 1,000
Frank Kelly to Frank F. Kelly, lot 21, block 1, McDougall's subdivision; also lot 5, block 2, Grimes' Add. to St. John; also lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, block 1, Laurelwood 10
Robt. H. Ellis to John G. Swensson, lots 1, 2, 5 and 6, block 29, Patton's Second Add. (to divide all of Robt. H. Ellis and the heirs of Gustaf Swensson, deceased) 1
B. H. and Aurora Bowman to Geo. Tor Takshara, lots 10 and 11, block 5, Peninsular Add. No. 2 275
John A. Hilger and wife to M. Culbert Mace, lots 3 and 4, block 125, West Irvington 10
Elizabeth Ryan to Geo. M. Edwards and wife, lot 18, block 92, Irvington 1,000
Emma C. and Frank DeBrown to F. T. Borsen, lot 14, block "E," (does not recite Add.) 1,100
A. W. Lambert and wife to Egbert H. Henry, lots 25 and 26, block 2, Oakdale 1,100
W. F. Friedner to A. R. Fraser, north 25 feet of west 60 feet of lot 16 and south 10 feet of west 60 feet of lot 15, block 284, Couch Add. 2,000
Harvey L. Moreland and wife to The Hawthorne Estate, west ½ of lots 1 and 2, block 294, Hawthorne Park
Joe Hornik to D. C. Elliott, lots 11, 12 and 13, block 6, Arlets Park No. 2 350
South Portland Improvement Co. to Morris A. Davis, lots 2, 6, 7 and 8, block 9, Terwilliger Homestead 5,000
Wm. Mast to Olive C. Young et al., lots 32 and 34, block 16; lots 23 and 25, block 31; lots 2, 4, 10 and 12, block 50, Irvington Park Add.; also lots 14, 15 and 16, block 13, Willamette Add. 10
Fred H. Strong and wife to A. Cowperthwait and wife, lots 7 and 8, Creston 450

Total $85,950

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FIRE IN APARTMENT HOUSE

Flames at the Glendora Extinguished With Slight Damage.

Fire in the roof of the Glendora apartment-house, at Nineteenth and Couch streets, caused much excitement among such occupants of the place as chanced to be in the building, shortly after 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Defective wiring set fire to the roof and a dozen people at once set about dragging their effects outdoors. The grounds shortly bore a moving-day appearance.

The Fire Department did quick and effective work and doubtless saved a serious blaze. The fire had a good start when the department got its apparatus on the scene but several well-directed streams of water and chemicals made short work of the flames. Several hundred dollars will cover the damage to the roof and minor damage was done to furnishings on the upper floors by water.

The fire was difficult to handle on account of the deep slant of the roof. The firemen in tearing away the shingles to search out the burning places had to work in precarious places but with a dozen men on the roof no one was hurt.

SAVES GIRL FROM BURNING

G. C. Lemcke Rescues Servant Whose Dress Catches Fire.

Through the prompt action of George C. Lemcke, at his home, 403 Hancock street, Thursday night, Miss Lena Werrina, a maid, was probably saved from death by burning. While Miss Werrina was bending over a stove the light fabric of her sleeve caught fire and the flames were spreading over her dress when she called for assistance.

Mr. Lemcke, who was upstairs, quickly reached the young woman and managed to tear away the burning clothing, burning his hands quite badly. Miss Werrina's arms were severely burned and there were some slight burns on her body. Dr. Marie D. Equi dressed her injuries and those of Mr. Lemcke.

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DEFY MAYOR LANE

Councilmen Will Ignore Summons to Testify.

IN HEARING ON FRANCHISES

Members Subpenaed to Appear This Morning Declare It Is Political Move and Made Without Due Authority.

When Mayor Lane's special committee for the investigation of franchises meets at the City Hall at 9:30 o'clock this morning to resume the examination of witnesses on the affairs of the Home Telephone Company and the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, it is practically certain there will be no witnesses present. Mayor Lane has served subpenas upon Councilmen Annand, Bennett, Cellars, Dunning and Driscoll, but it was said last night that those officials had decided to ignore the summons. Upon making an investigation, it is said, they ascertained that the Mayor has no power to subpena any one and compel attendance. They furthermore aver that the whole investigation was begun for political purposes and revenge, and they declare they do not propose to be whipped into giving testimony.

This is a continuation of the fight that has raged in the Council between Mayor Lane and his five political friends and the "solid ten," his enemies. It is a fight to the finish, as has been announced by the majority faction. The latter beheaded a special committee on franchises, two weeks ago, but Mayor Lane immediately reappointed another committee, which he was said to be empowered to do by the charter. This committee consists of Councilmen Kellaher, Rushlight and Vaughn.

At the last meeting of the City Council, Mr. Cellars demanded to know what authority Mayor Lane had for naming the special committee. The Mayor replied that the charter gave him the power. Mr. Cellars then said that it might be possible for the Mayor to appoint a committee of citizens to assist him in an investigation, but he said it was a certainty that the Mayor could not appoint a Council committee of any kind without authorization from the Council. Mayor Lane said he was not so certain of this, and declared his intention of making the committee a regular one from the Council, if it were possible under the law.

That ended the matter for that session, and the committee met several days later, taking up the franchise of the Portland Hydraulic Elevator Company. The investigating trio then voted to recommend to Mayor Lane that the franchise be revoked. It will be interesting to see what is done with this matter when Mayor Lane sends in his communication, embodying the report of his own special committee. Coming from the Mayor, it is said, the Council must consider it. That it will be referred to some regular committee of the Council, or that it will be ordered filed, is the general belief. Filing would be equivalent to killing the report so far as the Council is concerned. In that event, it will be the Mayor's turn to do something, and it is supposed he will send a series of letters to the people, setting out in full detail what has happened, and why.

Another interesting subject for conjecture is as to what Mayor Lane will do in case the Councilmen whom he has summoned ignore the subpena by failing to appear this morning. It may be that he will explain this case in a letter to the people.

London—Depression in the money market has made it impossible for the Government to borrow to continue purchases under the Irish Land Purchase Act of 1903. The Nationalists are deeply concerned. Individual loans will probably be asked.

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