

PICARELLI'S MANY BUILDINGS

Eleven Property-Owners and Contractors Arrested for Breaking Laws.

OTHER CASES MAY FOLLOW

Inspector's Office Becomes Very Active in Finding Defects in the Dwellings Recently Erected Throughout the City.

Eleven property owners and building contractors are to be arrested at once for minor infractions of the new city building ordinance. Evidence has been collected by the Building Inspector's office, showing defects in many small buildings throughout the city...

William Beckel, the first defendant named, is accused of having erected a wooden joist at less distance than one and a half inches from a chimney. This breach of the new building ordinance was effected at Beckel's house at 974 East Twentieth street.

R. G. Gidner, at 906 East Tenth street, is alleged to have built a "smoke flue of brick less than eight by eight inches, inside diameter."

J. D. Frederickson, at 1104 East Twenty-second street North, and A. H. Randall, at Ainsworth and Sixteenth streets, are alleged to have built houses without permits.

There is no permanent means of exit to the roof from the inside of J. T. Brown's house at 122 East Elvovue street. Hence the warrant for his arrest. M. D. Follett is accused of maintaining a stovepipe as a smoke flue, while it is actually a chimney.

Constructing a chimney and flue of brick 7 1/2 by 7 1/2 with more than one brick in the similar chimney charged against T. Allen at East Nineteenth and Howe streets. The Portland Railway Light & Power Company also appears as an offender, being accused of having set up a permit for altering and repairing a frame shed in the Albina yards.

W. R. Griffith, the contractor who erected a shed from the city for a five-story frame apartment house and received notice after the building was constructed that it was not according to the requirements of law, has abandoned fighting the case against him.

Expectorating on sidewalks is another offense now going to get a large number of people into trouble unless they abandon the loathsome practice. Orders have been issued by the City Attorney's office for more rigid enforcement of that ordinance.

Another law that is to be enforced hereafter also relates to the condition of the sidewalks and gutters. Hereafter persons detected in the act of sweeping dust and dirt across the sidewalk will be picked up, provided the police follow orders. Two initial offenders in the city of Multnomah County were in the hands of Sheriff Stevens, but the woman has not been found.

That there may be no delay in taking the cases of the state against the Title Bank officials before the circuit court, County Clerk Fields was very busy yesterday in making copies of all the papers that have been filed in the cases. These duplicates will be retained in the Multnomah County Courthouse and the originals will be sent to Salem.

There are four cases against each one of the three bank officials, J. Thorburn Ross, T. Burkhardt and John E. Atchison. Mr. Fields said last night that when he had made duplicates of all the papers so far filed in these cases he would have about 200 closely written pages. He will have the work finished today.

Because the County Clerk was so busy with the papers in the bank cases yesterday, Harrison Allen, counsel for the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company, secured 10 days' time in which to file a transcript of the findings of the Circuit Court in the suits of the state versus the telephone company. This is the suit involving the initiative and referendum, which is to be taken to the Supreme Court.

Court's Order Not Obeyed. Notice has been failed to comply with an order of the County Court that be paid Mrs. Ella Ball \$1000, George W. Prosser is to be cited to appear and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court.

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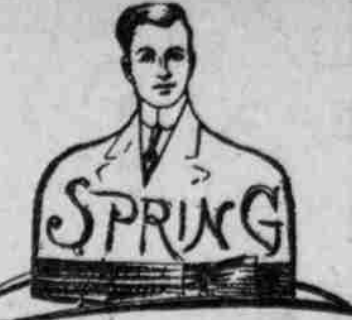
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ACCEPTS SEATTLE FRANCHISE Works to Begin on Northern End of Harriman Road.

Directors of the Oregon & Washington railroad, the projected Union Pacific extension to Puget Sound, met in the Harriman directors' room in the Wells-Fargo building yesterday morning and formally accepted the franchise granted by the Seattle Council, giving the road rights to erect terminals, both freight and passenger, within that city, several miles of main line and the privilege of constructing a tunnel there. It is understood that work will be begun on the Seattle end of the line within a few weeks.

Directors present at yesterday's meeting were W. W. Cotton, H. F. Connor, H. Blandford, W. A. Robbins and W. R. Litzberger, all of Portland, and J. D. Farrell of Seattle, general manager. He was unable to attend the meeting.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS C. H. Pickett to Chase, lots 10, 11, 12, block 2, 1st Addition to Union Land Co. to Clinton A. Am... 100

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The above is an editorial utterance of the Portland Journal, under date of February 19, 1908. Remember, it is not an extract from its yellow news columns, but a well-calculated, thoroughly-considered expression of its managing editor.

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