Body Will Decide on Submitting Measures to Vote of People in June.

#### **BELDING GOES ON WARPATH**

Vehemently Against Commission Form and Would Try to Keep People From Expressing Their Opinions.

The City Council will meet this morning at 5:30 o'clock to take up consideration of petitions for submission of various measures to the electors at the general election in June, chief of which are the commission form of city government, reported by the charter committee of 15 taxpayers, and amendments to the present charter by a committee of seven. That there will be opposition to the commission plan, is said to be certain, Councilman Beiding being strongly opposed to the proposition. It is said he will make every affort to keep the proposed charter from the people by attempting to gain sufficient strength in the Council to defeat the resolution submitting it. This, it is virtually certain, he cannot do, as the majority of the Councilmen while feat the resolution submitting it. This, it is virtually certain, he cannot do, as the majority of the Councilmen, while not personally in favor of the innovation, are satisfied they have no right to refuse people opportunity to say whether

the people opportunity to say whether they want it.

The charter committee of seven, named by the Council some time, ago to compile less drastic amendments to the present charter, than the proposed commission plan of government, completed its work last night and will have its report ready for the Council today, it was announced yesterday. This is the last Council session before the time limit for submitting charter amendments, and everything, including the charter amendments proposed by the committee of seven, must be in for consideration at today's meeting.

#### Consternation in Council.

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When the charter commission of 15 reported its proposed charter, there was consternation in the Council, for the recommendations, if put into effect, would abolish all of the city boards and cut the number of Councilmen from 15 to six. It is said and generally believed that some of the members of the Council, at least some of those more strongly opposed to submitting this proposed charter to the people, fear it may be carried and they will be out of a Councilmante job. They all deny this, however, saying the only grounds upon which they are opposing it are that it is too radical and not practical, and that it would be a bad thing for the city, if ever put into operation. They regard it, they state, as largely theoretical, and declare it will never work out in practical business life. Councilman Belding is the most bitter enemy of the proposed commission plan, and he has denounced it in very strong language, even going so far as to declare it was purposely calculated, in his opinion, to "job" the people, and to enable a few men to build up a signant political machine, for all manner of sinsier purposes. He says he does not believe in it, and does not believe it would be consistent to vote to submit "such a rollen thing" to the people. Councilman Cottel is also bitterly opposed to it.

rollen thing" to the people. Council-man Cottel is also bitterly opposed to it, but it is probable he will vote to let the people decide if they want the commilesion plan. Others who are fighting it are Councilmen Heppner, Dunning and Concarmon. It is believed the other mem-hers will vote to send it to the electors for a decision, but it is doubtful if any member of the Council will lend personal support to the council will lend personal

## Committee of Seven Named.

Aside from the two charter propositions, there are a number of other petitions that will come before the Council today for submission to the people. The excise board, proposed by Francis I. McKenna, to take charge of the liquor business in Fortland, is one of these, the petition being filed yesterday afternoon. A hoard of five, named by the Mayor, according to this is to take the management and regulation of saloons out of the hands of the City Council, where it now rests. Restrictions as to the conduct of liquorshops is also included in this measure.

Amendments to the charter, calling for bond issues for a municipal lighting plant and garbage crematory will also come before the Council today, and it is regarded as probable that the session this merning will be a memorable one.

Be contracted for within the next 30 days.

Resigns Federal Job.

MARSHFIELD, Or., April 5.—(Special.)

L. A. L. jequist has resigned as United States Land Commissioner at this place. His action was made necessary because the moved from Marshfield to Coquille, the county seat, where he has his office as Assistant District Attorney. J. M. Upton and Judge C. A. Schibred are said to be candidates for the appointment.

Reform School for Ten Boys.

KALAMA, Wash., April 5.—(Special.)

—Ten boys were sentenced to the Reform School today by Judge W. W. McCredie. The boys were agrested.

## GARBAGE RETURNS POWER

Seattle Incinerator Operates Dynamo and City Sells Electricity.

SEATTLE, Wash, April 5.—(Special.)—
Not content to let Seattle's garbage incinerator perform the work for which it
was planned, the city engineers have
harnessed the steam that arises from the
burning garbage and with this are generating enough electricity to light the
incinerator plant, operate the city asphait plant located on an adjoining lot.
run a 1,000,000-gallen-a-day pump and
still have power to spare. Arrangements
are now being made to furnish light and
power to several small manufacturing

power to several small manufacturing plants in that vicinity. One 250-horsepower dynamo has already been installed and there is sufficient steam to operate another. This power is generated without cost to the city, as the engineer who looks after the gar-bage-burning also looks after the dy-

## OREGON'S REPORT IS SLIM

Has Little to Offer on Forest Preservation at Spokane Meeting.

SPOKANE. Wash., April 5.—(Special.)

The first regular meeting of the Pacific Northwest Forest Protection and Conservation Association since its organization last January opened its session today. The association is formed for the purpose of organized effort in the protection of forests from fire and for the reforestation and conservation of the forest resources of the Northwestern States.

Max Conig Sentenced.

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KALAMA Point Sentenced.

Court today to the charge of stealing \$240 from the residence where he was boarding at Oak Point. Wash. two weeks ago, and was sentenced to an indeterminate term of from one to 14 years in the State Penitentiary at Walla Walla. SPOKANE, Wash., April 5 -- (Special.)

The session today was taken up in hearing reports of State Representatives as to favorable legislation secured since the meeting in January. Frank J. Da-the meeting in January.

vice represented Idaho, F. A. Selcox Montana, Russell Hawkins and F. R. Mulkey Oregon, D. P. Simmons, Jr., Washington

Mr. Simmons announced that the Washington appropriation for fire fighting had been increased from \$5,000 to \$45,700. Washington almost taking the lead in favorable legislation. Oregon had little to offer and Montana reported to the state with a second control of the second contr a new forest law in the state, with a

George M. Cornwall, publisher of the Timberman, at Portland, is auting sec-retary, in the absence of Frank H. Lamb, of Hoquiam, who was unable to be pres-

#### WILL NOT TALK OF JOSHUA

Rose Karasek Says She Will Fine Friends Who Speak His Name.

TACOMA, Wash., April 5.—(Special.)
—Gathered around the living-room of the Karasek home lest evening, when intimate friends and relatives begged her to tell of her experiences while visiting the colony of the "radio-active philosopher," Joshua Klein, in the Swiss Alps, Rose Karasek refused to talk of the matter and declared she would fine the first person mentioning the name in her presence, the amounts ranging from a box of candy to a pair of gloves.

"I am so tired of it all," she exclaimed, "that if you love me as you say, you will forbear mentioning his name in my presence again. Talk to me about music, or anything, but leave his name out of your conversation. I think the safest way is to impose a fine of anything from a box of candy to a pair of gloves.

## TACOMA GRAND JURY SITS

of anything from a box of candy to a pair of gloves, and then you won't for-

Charge of Graft in City Government to Be Taken Up.

TACOMA. Wash., April 5.—(Special.)
—The grand jury called to investigate charges against city officials in connection with the restricted district completed its organization today by electing ex-Councilman Salmson as foreman. Judge Easterday read a brief charge, in which he enjoined the jurors to inquire diligently into and make true presentment of all matters coming to their knowledge. They were admonished not to allow their actions to be governed by fear, favor, malice or the hope of to allow their actions to be governed by fear, favor, malice or the hope of

The only witnesses called today were.
Councilman R. W. Jamieson, who filed charges in the Council, and ex-Prosecuting Attorney H. G. Rowland. It is understood the latter was asked relative to his efforts to ascertain the ownership of the Globe Hotel.

#### HOPMEN WANT MORE DUTY

Clamor for Tariff of 24 Cents Per Pound, Twice Present Duty.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 5.—(Special.)—
Acting in harmony with hopgrowers and
dealers in Oregon and Califorina, growers and dealers in this state are asking
for an advance of 12 cents to the present duty on hops. The committee on
commerce and navigation of the Seattle
Commercial Club has prepared a resolution asking for an increase in the duty.

The present duty on foreign hops of 12
cents a pound, equivalent to 35 per cent cents a pound, equivalent to 35 per cent ad valorem, has not protected the Ameri-can industry, while it is claimed that a duity of 24 cents will be protective but not prohibitive.

#### Fruit for Advertising Purposes

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., April 5.—
(Special.)—The Yakima Commercial
Club has adopted an effective method
of advertising. It is sending out specially-made and packed boxes of apples to all the main stations of the
Northern Pacific road, these apples to
be placed on exhibition in the depots
and the leading stores of the cities
where they are sent. Already boxes
have been sent to Tacoma, Seattle, Evcrett, Beilingham and Portland, and
next week consignments will be sent
to the leading stations as far east as
St. Paul and Minneapolis. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., April 5 .-

## Prison Meets Cut in Sacks

the proposed commission plan, Councilman Annand, when the committee of 15 reported its work, moved that a committee of seven men be named to revise the present charter and to submit proposed amendments in time to send them slong with the other proposition, so that the voters may choose between the two. The committee was thereupon named by the Council, and has just completed its labors.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 5.—
(Special.)—In order to meet the fight made by the grain bag trust, the Board of Control, in session at the penitentiary today, lowered the price of grain bags made at the prison from \$6.20 a hundred to \$6. All who have filed applications will get the benefit of the reduction. It is expected that the entire output will be contracted for within the next 30 days.

Bench Warrant.

KALAMA, Wash. April 5.—(Special.)
—Ten boys were sentenced to the Reform School today by Judge W. W. McCredie. The boys were arrested three weeks ago for looting boxcars, and when brought into court today they pleaded guilty to the charge and the court immediately imposed the sentence.

## Repairing Blanco Station.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., April 5 .- (Spe cial.)—A. W. Linn has established a new industry here in the manufacture of brick from concrete. The bricks are regula-tion size and are manufactured in exactly the same manner as concrete blocks for building purposes. It is claimed that two men can turn out \$000 bricks a day.

## Tabernacle Fund Over \$500.

ALBANY, Or., April 5—(Special.)—
More than \$50 was raised here today
to build a big temporary tabernacie for
a six weeks evangelistic service this
Summer. The bulk of this was in \$1
subscriptions, that being, the amount
solicited, though some gave more voluntarily.

Sam Cochran Loses Case by Decision in Circuit Court of Judge Morrow.

## MEDFORD CASE DIFFERENT

Court Holds Charter of Southern City Is Broader Than That of Portland Suburb and Council Had No Right to Issue Licenses.

Residents of St. John must hereafter slake their thirst with water, for Circuit Judge Morrow decided yesterday that the liquor licenses of the St. John City Council are invalid. The case was that in which Sam Cochran was charged with having sold liquor in the town after it was voted dry. He contended he had a right to run a saloon, because he had received a license from the Council, after the vote was takep.

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the vote was takep.

Because Judge Hanna nullified the local option law in Medford, it was thought by some that Judge Morrow would nullify it in St. John. But he decided the St. John city charter is not as broad as the legislative grant to the other city. The pith of the decision follows:

#### Text of Decision.

While it is true that the State Legislature of 1906 had the power to authorize a municipality to disregard any vote that night thereafter be taken on the local option questions of liquors in Multinoman County seems to me clearly to apply to what is known as the gailon law, which was originally enacted in 1895 and authorized the imposition of a \$400 license on any person selling liquors in any county outside of any incorporated town, but authorized the imposition of a \$400 license on any person selling liquors in any county outside of any incorporated town, but authorized the money.

At the time of the granting of the 1908 charter the territory of St. John was subject to this license, but the people of that district were not protected against it by the charter, and I think the change from the phraseology of the 1908 charter to that of the phraseology of the 1908 charter to that of the 1908 charter clearly manifests an intention of protecting the liquor dealers of St. John signings the gallon law. At that time the local option law had not passed, and it does not seem to me that the phraseology of the charter is broad enough to include subsequent general state laws in the exclusion.

Differs From Medford Case.

This case seems to me to be clearly distinguishable from that of Hall vs. Dunn. 97
Pac. Sil. in which the court construed the now celebrated Medford charter. The power granted to Medford was to regulate the disposition of liquor "hrespective of any general law of the state on the subject enacted by the Legislature or by the people at large."

It is claimed that the charter of 1963 was amended in 1905, while at the same session the gallon law was amended and that a comparison of the dutes when these two laws were respectively passed, indicates that the Legislature did not intend to protect the dealers of St. John against the gallon law, but my understanding is that laws speak from the date of their becoming effective and not from the date when they are passed by the law-making body. The amended charter went into effect at once under an emergency clause, while the amendment of the gallon law did not go into force until 90 days after the Legislature adjourned; so that if some provision was necessary to protect the dealers against time and place to use it; for the gallon law was in effect long before the Legislature of 1905 met, and it has been in effect ever since.

License Not Authorized. Differs From Medford Case.

License Not Authorized.

ity of Allison vs. Haiton, 48 Or. 370. I conclude, therefore, that the provision relied upon by Cochran does not authorize the city to permit the sale of fluours after the courty has been voted dry, and that this provision has been continuous since the granting of the 1805 charter.

Bench Warrant.

Joseph Kienlen, of the moral squad, indicted by the March grand jury with two other officers for making a raid on the Queile Hotel without a warrant, was arraigned before Presiding Judge Gantenbeln in the Circuit Court at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Deputy District Attorney Thad W. Vreeland read the indictment, after which Attorney John F. Logan, appearing for Kienlen, arose and asked that the court allow him a little time to look into the case before Kienlen is compelled to enter his pleas. Kienlen will plead at 2 P. M. Thursday. Although Circuit Judge Cleland ordered a bench warrant for Kienlen is sued when the indictment against him and his two fellow officers was receiver, it was not found necessary to tssue it, as the officer came to the Courthouse without a warrant. His ball was fixed at \$300. The specific charge against him is that he trespassed upon the enclosed premises of George I. Smith, who was occupying Room 35 at Smith, who was occupying Room 35 at Smith, who was occupying Room 35 at Smith. The raid was made February 21.

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MARSHFIELD, Or., April 5.—(Special.)

George Hanskam, U. S. N., and chief engineer at Mare island, passed through Coos Bay yesterday on his way to Cape Blanco. He was accompanied by five men who will assist him in making some repairs and improvements at the Blanco wireless station.

Making Concrete Bricks.

SOUTH REND Wash, April 5.—(Special.)

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J. A. Seeber, 70 years old, was sentenced by Judge Gantenbein yesterday afternoon to serve two years in the Propairs and improvements at the Blanco wireless station.

Making Concrete Bricks.

SOUTH REND Wash, April 5.—(Special.)

## APRIL GRAND JURY IS DRAWN

Seven Men Chosen to Investigate Crimes Against State.

Crimes Against State.

The seven members of the Multnomah County grand jury for April were drawn in Department No. 1 at the Courthouse yesterday morning. Presiding Judge Gantenbein then proceeded to instruct them as to their duties, telling them that they are to investigate all cases of criminality laid before them, and to return indictments in cases where the evidence is so strong as to make conviction probable. He also instructed the grand jury regarding the investigation of the condition of institutions, although he said that if the members are satisfied that an institution has been thoroughly investigated by a previous grand jury, and that there are no irregularities in its management, they may investigate its condition or not, as they see fit.

Of the 110 jurymen whose names were taken from the tax rolls, only 68 reported at the Courthouse yesterday morning for service. About six of these were excused for various reasons. Only 88 of the 110 talesmen se-



All the minor details as well as the major pointers are here' for boys' dress-our play is to cover the whole scale. Suits from \$5 to \$15. New shirts, neckwear. etc. Everything here and everything right.



lected, were found by the Sheriff's deputies, the others having changed their residence. Twenty more were excused by Judge Gantenbein before court convened yesterday, leaving only the 58 to report. Deducting from this number the six excused yesterday, and the seven grand jurymen, only 55 are left for the trial of cases this month. The members of the new grand jury are; W. W. Mall, foreman; John Marion, J. C. Jameson, Valentine Saub, C. C. Loucks, R. Treber and Percy Glese.

MANY-SIDED MAN IS ON TRIAL

George Morgan Accused of Statutory Offense by Girl.

George Morgan, actor, mouldmaker in a foundry, graduate of Columbia University, son of a wealthy New York broker, and what not, is on trial before a jury in Judge Gaten's department of the Circuit Court on a statutory charge involving a 17-year-old orphan girl. The couple went to a pleasure resort up the Willamette River last August, after which they took an automobile ride to the Twelve-mile House, returning later to the Calumet Hotel. The attorney for Morgan endeavored to show by the girl's testimony that she went willingly. Morgan denies the charge. The girl declared that Morgan confessed to her having served a penitenitary term for counterfeiting.

#### Street Improvement Opposed.

Contending that the re-assessment by the City Council for the improvement of Elise street in Albina, is not regular, seven property-owners have filed in the Circuit Court a petition for a writ of review, Besidas the members of the Council, the City Auditor and City Treasurer are named in the petition as defendants. The property-owners ask that the re-assessment be set aside, and that an assessment pre-viously made by City Auditor Barbur set aside, and that an assessment pre-viously made by City Auditor Barbur be allowed to stand. The petitioners are: Ella Stevens, John Stevens, Louis Wetther, Mathilda Wetther, Kattie T. Kingsley, John Kingsley and Clair A.

# SEEK BOYCOTT REMOVAL

JOHN DOUGLASS CO. APPEALS TO COURTS.

Head of Firm Had House Built by Nonunion Labor and Plumbers Declared War.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 5.-United San Francisco, April 5.—United States Commissioner Heacock, sitting as Master in Chancery, began taking testi-mony today in the matter of the petition of the John Douglass Company, of Cinchnati, for a permanent injunction re-straining Local No. 442, Journeymen Plumbers' Union, from boycotting the goods manufactured by the company. goods manufactured by the company.

According to the story unfolded before the Commissioner, the company has at all times been a union concern, complying with all union rules, but John Douglass, head of the company, let a contract for the erection of a dwelling in Cincinnati some months ago, and nonunion labor was employed on the work.

Douglass maintains that the contractor employed the men on his own responsibility, and over a protest entered by Douglass. The Plumbers' Union representative examined by the Commissioner admitted that a boycott had been declared against the company, and the resolution of the

the company, and the resolution union indorsing the boycott was read into the record.

## Woodland Sees Snow.

WOODLAND, Wash., April 5 .- (Spe cial.)—This vicinity was treated to a rare sight yesterday morning, when the hills to the north of the town were covered with a coat of snow. The weather has been cold and stormy for several days.

300 Teachers Attending. WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 5.— Special.)—With Governor Hay present

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# A PERSONAL STATEMENT ABOUT SUNSET BEACH

Two members of this firm, Lewis M. Head and H. W. Lemcke, personally visited the property named SUNSET BEACH, with the purpose of ascertaining, exactly, the truth regarding it. A careful investigation of the entire tract reveals the following features:

Admirable location, about six miles north of Fort Stevens.

A deep, fresh-water lake, Neacoxie, teeming with fish and alive with ducks. Water pure and cold. No marsh land of any description along its

Cullaby Lake, fresh water, a little east of the property, of the same character as Neacoxie.

Station of the A. & C. R. to be erected opposite the property.

Electric line, for which the bonds have all been sold, about to be built, with station on SUNSET BEACH.

Wide, sandy beach, 1000 feet at low tide, without a stone, hole or irregularity. Very little driftwood along the shore. All light and easily moved. Millions of clams. People for miles around state that SUNSET BEACH provides the best clam digging on Clatsop Beach. Crabs very numerous.

The Galena, a few minutes' walk to the south, the Peter Iredale, about the same distance north, and another wreck, nearly covered with sand, close by. Mountain scenery to the east is magnificent. Saddle Mountain very plain. Substantial bridge across Neacoxie Lake, with good wagon road from depot to beach.

Entire tract covered with a natural sod, growing grass almost to the wa-

Tillamook Head, Tillamook Light, Haystack Rock, North Beach and Canby Light all in plain view.

Site of old Indian camping ground, rich, even to this day, with valuable

Houses already being erected, and five more contracted for yesterday. Not a low place or swamp on the entire piece.

Millions of wild strawberry plants all over the property.

Over a thousand trees planted last year. Ships entering and leaving mouth of Columbia River in plain view; also government jetty.

Ideal beach for horseback riding and automobiling.

No undertow and no danger to bathers.

The most admirably located building sites on the Pacific Coast.

Most historical part of Clatsop Plains.

These two members of this firm were so well pleased with the property that it has been decided to raise the prices of lots immediately after this first week's period of low prices. This firm regrets that it has offered these lots at so low a price as \$225 per lot, believing full well that not a lot on the entire beach is worth so little. We will stick to our agreement with the people, however, refusing absolutely to sell a lot at these prices one week hence. The owners agree to build a board walk from the depot to the lake, a cement walk from the lake to the hotel on the beach, build a modern hotel at once, the plans for which are now in our office; pipe water to every lot and add such other improvements as will make SUNSET BEACH the best on the Pacific Coast in Oregon. The members of this firm will build their own Summer homes on this beach immediately.

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SWEET HEAD LEMCKE BUILDING

the joint Teachers' Institute of Walla Walla, Columbia and Benton countles opened this morning, attendance num-bering over 300. Many special features have been arranged for the entertain-ment of the guests and all members of

the institution are wearing badges which were donated by the Commercial Club.

Advance for Cotton-Workers. SALEM, Mass., April 5.-Nearly 2000

operatives of the Naumkeag Steam Cotton Company were notified today that their wages would be advanced about 5

There are 3000 islands in Lake Huron.



## A REVOLUTION IN BOTTLES THE DEMAND IS WORLD WIDE AND URGENT. WE ALONE CAN SUPPLY IT

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Come to our office and witness a demonstration of the bottle. We will be pleased to outline the policy upon which the business will be conducted.

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