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WILL LOSE NO TIME. The large committee of citizens appointed by the seventh Ward Improvement League Thursday night to expedite action on the Brookline sewer will move at once.

CHURCH CHIEF CHANGES. Several changes are being recorded just now in the personnel of Portland church choirs.

ADDITIONAL FILES. The Pacific Bridge Company has nearly completed the fill on East Washington street between East Seventh and East Eighth streets.

DELAY ON GRAND AVENUE. The Haslin Paving Company has done nothing toward the improvement of Grand avenue between Belmont and East Clay streets for a month.

NEW PUSK CLUB. Rio Vista is the name of a new push club just organized on the Milwaukee road between Brooklyn and Gladstone.

GRAND JURY ADJOURNS. The grand jury adjourned yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock after returning to President Circuit Judge Bronaugh three indictments.

NEW PASTOR FROM ABILAND. Professor G. M. Mellinger, for many years teacher of mathematics in the state normal at Abilene, Texas, has accepted a call from the Woodlawn Christian church, Portland.

AMONG THE EVENTS planned in celebration of the Fourth, is that of the Waverly Golf Club, at its clubhouse and grounds, Saturday evening.

CRYSTAL LAKE PARK. Milwaukee, Sunday, July 4, grand celebration, ball games, concert, fireworks, grand ball in the evening.

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Eye Will Be Saved. The right eye of Floyd Brown, brother of Charles E. Brown, groceryman at 417 Grand avenue, which was fearfully lacerated by a blow by Andy Powell a few days ago, will be saved.

OFFICER COMES FOR SNOW. Sheriff Birdnal, of Colorado Springs, arrived in Portland last night to take into custody Victor Snow, alias 'Red' Granger, who was arrested here in the Hobart Curtis Hotel, where he was living with his wife.

SWEDISH PEOPLE TO CELEBRATE. The Swedish people will celebrate the national holiday at the Piedmont park near the hotel works, next Monday.

SUSPECT RELEASED. For the third time within the last week the police have been baffled in their search for the assassin of the young Sylvan girl on the Council Crest road June 25.

MULTIPLUM FALLS. A delightful place to spend the Fourth, the steamer Lone will take a boat excursion to the falls leaving the Washington-st. dock at 8 A. M.

CHILDREN UNDER 12 ADMITTED FREE. SUNDAY EXCURSION. To Cascade Locks on steamer Bayley Gatzert; \$1 round trip, leaves 9 A. M., returns 5:30 P. M.

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CHECK UP FORESTS

Federal Employees Take Stock on Timber Wealth.

CONSERVATION IS PURPOSE

Government Will Study How Better to Guard Resource—Douglas Fir Will Be Used Instead of Hemlock for Reforestation.

Men trained and experienced in the knowledge of timber are being employed by the Government intelligently to compute the wealth of the timber resources of the Pacific Northwest.

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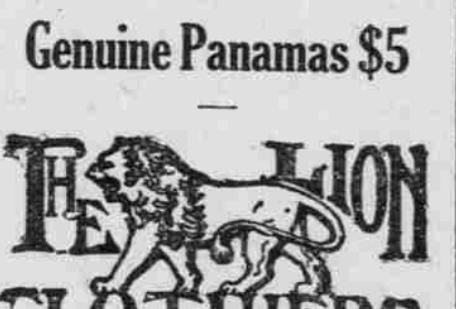
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Portland Railway Light & Power Company

BULLETIN No. 17

(Adapted From an Article by Frederick W. Colburn in "Public Service.")

Out of each nickel which the Portland Railway Company collected in 1926, nearly 2 cents went for labor; more than 14 of a cent was required for power; .54 of a cent took care of repairs and renewals, rolling stock and other equipment; interest on bonds took up 1.14 cents; rentals and purchase of real estate, etc., .15 of a cent; damages and legal expenses .16 of a cent; taxes to city and state .19 of a cent; .65 of a cent remained for extraordinary renewals, depreciation and dividends.

Aside from the regular charges against each nickel mentioned above, there was expended in 1926 \$30,500 for street improvements, as an indirect tax upon the earnings, from which no additional revenue was derived.

The average fare per passenger has dropped from 3.52 cents in 1925, to 2.77 cents in 1926, due to the increased use of the transfer privilege.

The upshot of any serious discussion of the crisis in street railway operation would be likely to be to the effect that it involves very largely upon the public, including, of course, the large class of stockholders, to determine what they wish to have happen.

The same loose thinking which makes many people conceive of the state as an entity separate from the individuals composing it, leads them to think of the corporation as a creature—perhaps as an octopus—which can in some way be injured or punished by being compelled to pay fines and special taxes; but in all such cases the traveling public indirectly pays the bill.

Some Portlanders may tell you that our street railway service might, in their opinion, be improved in certain particulars. A majority who have visited other cities will tell you that on the whole Portland has the best streetcar service of any city of like size in the United States, and the efforts of the management to improve still further the service should not be handicapped by useless, pernicious and often vindictive legislation.

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