

EAST SIDERS WANT BRIDGE AS VOTED

Improvement Club Opposes Change of Proposed Type of Broadway Span.

"GO SLOW," MAYOR'S PLAN

Captain North Declares Subject Was Considered Fully Before Election. Simon Says He Will Investigate—To Save His Aim.

Announcement in The Oregonian yesterday of possible changes in the type of bridge projected for Broadway and Hoyt streets across the Willamette River created nothing short of a sensation throughout Portland, especially in the northeast portion of the city, the section most vitally concerned. From all parts of the city messages were received by Mayor Simon, City Engineer Morris and others, inquiring as to the probable outcome. All questioners were informed by the Mayor that he will carry out the wishes of the voters, expressed at the polls last June, and that he will construct the Broadway span, but that he proposes to "go slow" and that, if he can build one for \$1,000,000 and thereby save an equal sum, he will do so.

No changes in the projected type, however, will be tolerated for a moment by the Northeast Side Improvement Association, according to Vice-President North. He announced yesterday afternoon that he will call a special meeting of that organization next week to take some action looking toward the speedy construction of identically the same kind of span ordered at the polls last June, irrespective of the opinion of City Engineer Morris or anyone else that one equally as good can be built for half the amount of money.

"There is no use in talking about another type of bridge," declared Captain North. "It will not do, we went into the subject fully before submitting it to the people, and we know all about the ins and outs of the proposition. We have simply got to have that high bridge, and we want it quick. The impression is abroad in Northeast Portland that it is the intention of some people to deliberately along with the O. R. & N. finish its new steel bridge, and that we will then forget the high bridge. Now, this is not going to hold, for we will keep on until we get what the people authorized at the election.

"It has been argued," continued Captain North, "that a bridge of the lift-draw type, on the same level as the other bridges, will suffice, and be as good as the high bridge for less money. Why, it would cost more than \$1,000,000 for approaches alone, if our original plan is changed and the other kind built. Besides, it would land people into the Terminal yards, and there would be a lot of people killed. I tell you, the people want what they voted for, and right away. As for the O. R. & N. bridge, when that is completed, the East Side will be so large that the increased facilities will not be noticed.

"So far as I am concerned," said Mayor Simon, "there is nothing to say beyond that published in The Oregonian this morning. If that bridge can be built for \$1,000,000, I will build it for \$1,000,000, and keep the other half of the fund in the treasury. As to a different type of span, I will have that investigated. I never have intended to delay the construction of the bridge, but I will use business judgment in this, as in all other public business, and if there is any chance to save some money, I will do it. The people need not be alarmed about the matter, for it will receive due attention and will be put forward as fast as is consistent with good business methods."

GIRL BLOCKS A SUICIDE

Osie Connor, 15, Wrests Pistol From Uncle and Poison Drops.

The story of a heroic young girl's struggle with her uncle, who was trying to kill himself with a bottle of carbolic acid or shooting himself with a revolver, was brought out in the police court yesterday. The case of Frank McCormick, aged 25 years, who lives with his sister Mrs. Elzer Connor at 64 East Fifty-fourth street, arrested by Patrolman Sorenson on a charge of disorderly conduct preferred by neighbors, showed the girl's heroism.

Osie Connor, the 15-year-old daughter, and her uncle were alone in the house Wednesday night. She was aroused by someone walking about in the dining room and upon investigation found her uncle standing with a revolver in one hand, a bottle of poison in the other, muttering to himself incoherently. She reached for the pistol and in doing so knocked the drug to the floor. The struggle for possession of the revolver lasted for more than an hour, until the patrolman, called by neighbors, arrived. McCormick was given a 10-day sentence on the rockpile. He had apparently entirely recovered from his mental derangement which prompted him to attempt suicide.

WARRANT IS FOR DEAD MAN

"Dig Him Up," Is Order of Captain Who Believed Him Alive.

"We have been trying to find this fellow for several days. Go out and see if you can dig him up."

These were the instructions of Captain of Police Bailey yesterday morning when he sent Patrolman Ackerman with a warrant for the arrest of W. C. Noon, accused of violating the grass ordinance. Mr. Noon's property is shown by the Multnomah County records to be at the northeast corner of Thurman and Fairbanks streets. The charge was preferred by Mounted Patrolman Hansen. "I'll get him if he is alive," replied Ackerman, as he took the warrant. The patrolman rang the bell at 23 North First street and the door was opened by a kindly-faced man, who inquired his wants.

"I have a warrant here for the arrest of W. C. Noon. Are you the man?" said Ackerman.

"Hardly," remarked the man, dryly. "Mr. Noon has been dead five years."

LAST TRIP STEAMER POTTER

The O. R. & N. steamer T. J. Potter, from North Beach, will make her last trip leaving Megler, 2:00 o'clock P. M. Monday, September 6, Labor Day.

Harris Trunk Co. for trunks and bags. Rosenthal's shoe sale ends Saturday.



MEN AT WORK ON WATER MAIN ON EVERETT STREET UNDERTAKEN BY CITY HEAD HIMSELF.
As a contractor, Mayor Simon is teaching competitors how to lay a water main quickly. As will be seen in the accompanying photograph, he has a large force of men at work in Everett street installing an eight-inch main from Twentieth street to Cornell road. This is the job the Mayor tackled when certain contractors bid exorbitantly, the Water Board having authorized him to submit a proposal if he deemed it wise that was due to him. As we all know, his was a short life and taking into consideration all that he accomplished, more notice should have been taken of his great deeds.

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HIGHER BOND ASKED

Court Takes Steps to Protect County in Poorfarm Suit.

DEFENDANTS FILE ANSWER

General Denial Entered to Statements in Complaint of Frank Bollam—Spanton and Associates Ask Dismissal of Suit.

The County Court will today to Presiding Circuit Judge Bronaugh apply for an order compelling Frank Bollam to give an increased bond to insure the county against damage on account of the delay occasioned by the suit over the County poorfarm. Bollam's bond is now \$1000. The defendants in the suit, represented by Attorneys M. L. Pipes, R. C. Nelson, filed their answer yesterday, in which they deny any attempt to prevent competitive bidding for the farm. As evidence of their contention they call attention to the fact that B. M. Lombard put in a bid for \$14,400.

HEYMANS PLEADS NOT GUILTY

"Dr." Ernest G. Heymans, charged with forging the death certificate of Golda W. Rowland, pleaded not guilty before Presiding Circuit Judge Bronaugh yesterday morning, and his case was set for trial October 12. Attorney John A. Jeffrey, appearing for Heymans, has filed a demurrer to the indictment which was submitted to the court without argument and overruled. Mrs. Heymans was with her husband in court.

FAMILY OUT; HOME BURNS

Home of R. B. Palmer Near Laurelwood Is Destroyed.

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