

MAYOR TO EXPLAIN

Citizens to Discuss Question of Public Docks.

VETO WILL GIVE REASONS

Bonds Should Not Be Sold Until Definite Plan Has Been Outlined.

Completed Project Will Involve Many Millions.

Mayor Simon will hold a conference this afternoon with a joint committee of the Chamber of Commerce and the Taxpayers' League on the question of public docks. While the Mayor has announced already that he will accept the ordinance which was passed by the City Council Wednesday, he has granted the committee the privilege of presenting their side of the case.

Mayor Simon never has expressed himself on the subject of public docks, but it is believed that the City Council proceeded according to some definite plan, and chose carefully into the project in a business-like manner by trying to sell the bonds, he would have at least acquired. However, without making any effort at all to arrange for a site for a public dock, the Mayor has no definite plan outlined, the Council, led by Chairman Driscoll, of the committee on commerce, landings and wharves, passed the ordinance for selling the bonds.

Plan Should Precede Bonds.

Mayor Simon's veto, when it is issued, will go into the details of this question fully, and he will state his several objections to the ordinance, but that the public will have full knowledge of his attitude. He unquestionably will charge that the Councilmen who passed this measure did so without having any definite plan for acquiring the site for a dock, and to this procedure he will make strong objections.

Whole Project Costly.

Another strong objection the Mayor has to the procedure is that, if there is to be a system of public docks in Portland, there should be an issue of bonds, not less than \$5,000,000. This, he declares, will merely start the project, which, when completed, will probably cost the people anywhere from \$10,000,000 to \$20,000,000, to say nothing about maintenance and operating expenses.

With such a stupendous project as this looming up, Mayor Simon is naturally cautious, having been elected on a platform that promised a thorough businesslike administration. In his determination, as stated by himself, to keep down the public debt and to reduce taxation as much as possible, and not to lay further burdens upon the people.

COOS IS FOR ASSEMBLY

Republican County Committee Votes Unanimously on Question.

Coos County is the latest to announce unanimous decision of the County Republican Central Committee for an assembly. According to information received at the Republican headquarters in the Cornelius Hotel yesterday from C. A. Sellbrede, state committeeman for that county, there was not one dissenting voice at the committee meeting.

The precinct primaries for the selection of delegates to the assembly will be held on the afternoon of May 27. The assembly will be held June 3 at Coquille.

Sentiment Here in Favor of an Assembly is Strong.

"The sentiment here in favor of an assembly is strong," wrote Mr. Sellbrede to Charles E. Lockwood, in charge of headquarters here, "the four years of trial given the primary has shown the general unanimity for an assembly."

Other Oregon counties are rapidly taking similar action.

The opinion of holding an assembly was unanimous in Baker County. Secretary Lockwood yesterday expressed the opinion that every county in the state of any consequence will take similar action.

Y. M. C. A. JOINS REVIVAL

Usual Men's Meeting to Be Transferred to Big Tabernacle.

The usual men's meeting in the auditorium of the Young Men's Christian Association will be transferred next Sunday to the big tabernacle on Hawthorne avenue and East Twelfth street. Arrangements have been made by Y. M. C. A. for the revival meetings now in progress in a big mass meeting for men at 3 o'clock. The tabernacle will be thrown open at 7:45 o'clock. Boys under 12 years old will not be admitted.

Rev. H. S. Hart, the evangelist, on this occasion will be the speaker, an address on the subject, "Hot Shot." This is reported to be his strongest lecture and the one that has attracted greatest attention in cities where he has spoken previously. A. S. Magagnoli will sing "Memories of Mother" and there will be music by a male quartet. It is expected that the tabernacle will be crowded.

The regular boys' meeting will be held at the Y. M. C. A. and will be addressed by E. G. Mitchell and moving pictures will be shown.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. A. Morris, of Newberg, is at the Lenox. John Fox, of Astoria, is staying at the Lenox. Dr. J. A. Fulton, of Astoria, is at the Lenox. J. W. Howard, of Prineville, is a guest at the Lenox. C. G. Cornelius, of Cascade Locks, is at the Imperial. H. G. Butler, of Marshfield, is at the New Perkins. Rev. J. Neilson Barry, of Baker City, is at the Ramapo. Mr. and Mrs. C. Bates, of Camby, are guests of the New Perkins. L. W. and L. G. Brown, merchants of Eugene, are at the Oregon. H. T. B. Wilson, a merchant of Medford, is at the New Perkins. Turner Oliver and Mrs. Oliver, of La Grande, are at the Imperial. Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Lorenzi, of Spokane, who have been looking over the Coast for

POSSIBLE LOCATION AND NEW HOME, ARE AT THE LENOX.

W. M. Sylvester and Mrs. F. E. Sylvester are guests of the Seward. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McCoy, of The Dalles, are at the Portland. Dan J. Moore, proprietor of the Moore Hotel at Seaside, is at the Portland. William T. Darch, a business man of Goldendale, Wash., is at the Seward. C. W. Ramsey, a merchant of Goldendale, Wash., is stopping at the Cornelius. Mrs. W. H. Berden and daughter, of Cleveland, Ohio, are guests of the Cornelius.

State Senator C. J. Smith, of Pendleton, is at the Imperial. He is a witness in the Scriber trial.

Dr. S. W. McClure, Government Livestock Inspector, of Pendleton, is a guest at the Oregon.

Mrs. Peter McCracken and Mrs. Nora B. Baker, of White Salmon, Wash., are at the Nortonia.

Fred K. Dyer, who has been a guest at the Nortonia for some time, returned to his home last night. Mr. Dyer's family has taken apartments in the Woodlawn.

J. S. Clark and family, of Des Moines, Ia., are stopping at the Ramapo, on their home after a tour of the Pacific Coast.

CHICAGO, May 12. (Special.)

Portland people registered at hotels today are: At the Congress, Leon Hirsch; at the Grand Northern, H. B. E. S. Packard.

ACTS WILL GROW FIELD

SOCIETY CIRCUS PROBLEM IS BUSYING CLUB MEMBERS.

Plans Are Being Made to Seat Eight Thousand Persons on Multinomial Grounds.

The Multinomial Field ground plan for the Society Circus during the Rose Festival, which will be held on the field, is being worked out by the club members. The field is being divided into sections for the circus, and the club members are busy planning for the seating of eight thousand persons on the grounds. The club members are also planning for the seating of eight thousand persons on the grounds.

The problem will likely be worked out by seating a wall and a set of bleachers north and south of the middle of the field and constructing the rings, platform and general inside stunts in the space thus enclosed by bleachers on three sides, and the grandstand. Seats will in this way be afforded for 8000 spectators, including the capacity of the present grandstands on the east half of the field, to which admission will be free to the public, the numerous outside features, of the performances, including the stunts, will be located together with the track down which Manning's biplane will go to make its ascents.

The Society Circus Association, composed of M. A. C. and Portland Hunt Club officials, incorporated, is working in conjunction with the Rose Festival, the two events being closely connected. The circus will be held on the Society Circus grounds, which will be under Rose Festival auspices, and the Eastern Oregon Indians will be brought down by the organizations together. The Hunt Club and Multinomial also figure in the parade, and the Rose Festival officials are taking steps to help out the parade and the Rose Festival officials are taking steps to help out the parade.

In the M. A. C. gymnasium, a net has been stretched, extending clear across the floor, and tumbler and aerial artists are working night and day, enlarging and perfecting the acts they gave at the April Spring carnival, with an increased squad.

ROSE THIEVES ARE ACTIVE

Complaint That Boys, Girls and Adults Rob Bushes.

PORTLAND, May 12.—(To the Editor.)—They may not be among the most noteworthy of the deeds of cleverness and roguishness. The advent of the rose, that royal flower of which Portland is justly proud, and which is making Portland as the Rose City famous throughout the world, has led to a foreign country, the pillaging of the bushes. The chief offenders are schoolboys and girls, the latter predominating in boldness. They are being caught by the police, and the police are being called upon to keep them from the bushes. The police are being called upon to keep them from the bushes.

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Man Accused of White Slave Traffic Held Under \$5000.

COURT USES HARSH WORDS

Judge Bennett Declares if Jury Fails to Convict Suspect There Will Be Miscarriage of Justice.

Weingarden Witness.

"Low as this woman is, I believe she is right when she says Henry Harris is beneath her feet and I will hold him to the grand jury under bond of \$5000," said Judge Bennett yesterday in closing the case of a man accused of keeping a disorderly house. "It is only when these people fall out that the city gets a square deal," continued the Judge. "This is one of the vilest cases I ever handled and I believe that if a jury of 12 men fails to convict the defendant there will be a miscarriage of justice."

The prosecution of Harris arises out of that of Sam Weingarden, now before the Circuit Court on appeal from a sentence of \$200 and 90 days in jail on a charge of "white slave" dealing. Weingarden blames Harris for his trouble and is after revenge. The charge is that Harris has in past time conducted no less than three or four disorderly houses, and has received a large proportion of the earnings of the women.

Weingarden Takes Stand.

Weingarden himself was the first witness for the prosecution. He testified that Harris had four houses, in one of which his wife was kept. He specified 202 Main street and 202 1/2 Clay street as two of the places. He said that Harris had attempted to blackmail him in the sum of \$1000 as a penalty of being run out of town. Weingarden testified that he himself owned a respectable and innocent business man.

Rosie Babichque testified that she had "worked" for Harris, paying him \$2 a day for a room. Last month one of his houses was closed up and she continued to reside there and rented it, and she demanded \$200 from her for his lease and threatened to have some one kill her if she did not leave town.

Marguerite Leroy was called for when she took the stand and it was plain that she had a well-developed grudge against Harris. She had a torrent of words to get rid of and all the officials of the court could not stop her until she ran down. She said she had conducted a rooming-house on Fourth street and that Harris had come to get her out of it because, he said, he could put six women in it, because he was paying for "protection."

"Protection" Not Paid.

The woman said that she had never paid any "protection" and did not believe that Harris did either. Some of the intimate details that she gave the court concerning Harris were so startling and almost incredible, "Bad as I am," she said, "he is the dirt beneath my feet."

EAGLES TO HONOR HERING

Many Aeries Will Join in Welcoming Grand President.

Frank E. Hering, of South Bend, Ind., grand worthy president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, will visit the Portland area on his way to the Pacific Coast State in the interest of the order. He will arrive in Portland tomorrow night from Spokane over the North Bank Railroad. Portland Aerie No. 4 is making elaborate preparations for his stay. Aeries from Vancouver, Wash.; Oregon City, Astoria, Clatskanie and Eugene will be invited to participate in the festivities.

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will receive Mr. Hering at the depot and present him to the committee on Seattle. Appropriate addresses will be made by the president and J. B. Coffey, vice-president of the home aerie, after which he will be conducted to the Hotel Portland. From there he will be taken to Eagles Hall. The committee has arranged an elaborate programme and engaged prominent musicians for the occasion. The main feature will be the address by Hering to the members of the order. Mr. Hering will leave Portland Sunday for San Francisco.

CORNERSTONE TO BE LAID

Vancouver Congregationalists to Celebrate Progress on Structure.

VANCOUVER, Wash., May 12.—(Special.)—The cornerstone of the First Congregational Church of Vancouver will be laid Sunday by Rev. W. W. Scudder, state superintendent of home churches of Seattle. Appropriate ceremonies are being arranged by Rev. A. W. Bond, who will preside. Mayor J. P. Kiggins will deliver a short talk and Dr. J. H. Tardacov, pastor of the Hassalo Congregational Church of Portland, will speak. Dr. Samuel Green, state superintendent of the Congregational Sunday schools of Washington, is on the programme for an address.

NEIGHBORHOOD ROW AILED

Women Vie in Quality of Epithets Credited to Each Other.

So dreadful were the epithets that Miss Marie Glaninni said Mrs. Jane Donovan had applied for her, that the police had to be called to separate them to Judge Bennett with many blushes. That Miss Glaninni was a fair and pretty Italian, who herself was the assertion set up in extenuation by Mrs. Donovan. It was a neighborhood row, having its inception near the head of Sixth street, and a large number of the residents of the vicinity were in court to lend a willing ear to the proceedings. The Mayor can clean up the town in order if he desires. It therefore, behooves him to look to his police force and see if he is manifesting signs of serious incompetence.

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Several years with that element in one of the New York churches whose application of Christian Science was so doubtful as to result a few months ago in their dismissal from the Christian Science Church. Miss Stephens had endeavored to get away from this element, and had recognized that such practice in which they were indulging was a serious danger to her health. She apparently had not been sure enough of her ground to remain in the association, evidently valuing friendship and the methods of its members, and points the way of protection against it. She does not believe that the element in the church is so small as she has exposed the fact that certain persons do believe in the Christian Science, and she has taught her students how to guard against this element by holding steadfast to the spiritual teachings of the Bible, and not to be misled by the teachings of the element.

HOWARD C. VAN METTER, Committee on Publication for Oregon.

SEATTLEITE WON'T TELL

WITNESS GIVES EVASIVE ANSWER TO CENSUS QUERY.

Question of Sound City's Population Arises in Court, but Banker's Reply Causes Merriment.

Another futile attempt to secure inside information as to the population of Seattle was recorded yesterday in the United States Court. Attorney C. W. Fulton endeavored to extract the data on cross-examination of Bank Teller J. C. Norman, representing the banking house of Dexter Horton & Co., at the trial of J. W. Scriber.

Norman gave an exhibition of what is known as "Seattle spirit" in submitting a reply. "You realize, Mr. Norman, that you are under oath," inquired the attorney. "Yes, sir," responded the witness, on the objection of United States Attorney McCourt.

You are an old resident of Seattle and have been in position to secure inside information as to its resources," said Mr. Fulton. "I am," more confidently responded Mr. Norman.

"Well, then, young man, what is the population of Seattle?" inquired Mr. Fulton. The incident occurred at a time when interest in the Scriber trial disclosures was intense because of the adjudication of the manner in which Scriber had handled accounts, many of his old neighbors being in attendance to ascertain the true method by which their names had been used to bolster the credit of the Farmers & Traders National Bank.

Despite the dignity of the place, a shout went up from the audience, and even Judge Bean was compelled to join the laugh.

When quiet was restored Mr. Norman assured Mr. Fulton that the number of inhabitants in Seattle would fully equal the number in Portland.

The officer had seen yesterday required to approve applications for extension of time to complete the enumeration in a number of outside counties, Baker, Malheur, Crook and Wasco counties being among the late ones. In all of the districts affected, the request is based on the size of the districts which a single canvasser is compelled to cover on foot. Lewis F. Holliday, enumerator at Bend, Or., reported that his territory comprised 351 square miles of ground and that only two postoffices were available for mailing reports. In 43 square miles of the district there is no postal service.

Esra Meeker and his ox-team, engaged in retraversing the Oregon trail from The Dalles to the Missouri River, yesterday encountered a few days ago by Harry Cook, an enumerator for Union County. Mr. Meeker refused to allow the census man to list him in Oregon. "I know that I have been counted in Seattle," said Mr. Meeker.

AUTO KNOCKS DOWN CHILD

E. E. Merges Placed Under Arrest; Out on \$20 Bail.

E. E. Merges, a capitalist, driving his automobile, struck a boy at the corner of Third and Washington streets yesterday afternoon, knocking him to the street but not seriously injuring him.

In swinging out to avoid running over the boy, Merges crossed to the left side of the street and was arrested by Officer Thorp of the traffic squad. Merges was indignant at his arrest, declaring that the officer had seen no violation of the law and had given him no chance to explain. He was required, however, to put up \$20 bail and will appear in Municipal Court this morning. Three women were with him in the automobile at the time of his arrest.

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