

PAINTERS HERE IS HIGHEST

F. W. Chausse's Table Shows Portland's Minimum Average Is Far Ahead.

12 CITIES EAST EXCELLED

General Low-Rate Scale in This City 34 Per Cent More Than Others. Employers Ready to Confer Again.

Having not been advised by the Typographical Union of its request for a conference to consider further the demand of linotype operators for increased wages, the employers have taken no steps toward providing for such a conference. The employers, however, have held a meeting, but according to F. W. Chausse, president of the Printers' Board of Trade, while the members of the organization are ready to take up and consider any subject of importance between them and their employees, they do not apprehend that anything can be presented by the union which will alter their decision that no raise in wages can be allowed under present conditions.

Table comparing printing rates in various cities. Columns include City, Hand, Machine, and Average. Cities listed include Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Salt Lake, Denver, etc.

The table shows that Portland is paying a general average minimum wage scale of 34 per cent over the cities of the East at the present time. Of course it will be understood that a minimum union scale means that the members of the union are paid less in Portland than in other cities.

Will Portland purchasers of printing pay this difference in the cost of their printing? They are now doing so, or about the same, and this is not doing so, because they want to keep Portland money circulating in Portland. But, will they stand for 30 per cent above the price of their printing? That is what the present demand of the union means. The employing printers of Portland have come to the conclusion that if the printing of this city is to remain here it must be produced at a reasonable price. As labor constitutes about 60 per cent of the cost of the production of printed matter, it is the most important item. Therefore, it should be plain that the stand now taken by the job printers is one of necessity.

When a bartender throws an intoxicated patron out of his saloon he is in duty bound to assist the police in taking charge of the case, thinks Patrolman Cameron. Judge Taswell agreed with the officer and enforced his opinion with a fine of \$20 assessed yesterday morning against Frank Duffey, bartender at the saloon of "Colonel" Harvey, Fifth and Burnside streets.

BARTENDER FINED, ALSO COURT HOLDS EJECTION OF DRUNKEN MAN IS NOT WHOLE DUTY.

Portland will get some free advertising out of the fact that its Young Men's Christian Association has just received from the International committee in New York the largest installment of examination papers ever issued to a single association. The papers are for the regular term-end examinations in the educational department, uniform sets of questions being sent out to all the associations in the country.

EXCURSION

To Gateway, April 12, 1911. Gateway is the new town on the Deschutes Railway in Crook County. Gateway will be the trading point and shipping center for a very large and productive country. Train will leave Union Station (O-W, R. & N.) at 7:30 A. M. Wednesday, April 12. For particulars, GEORGE NORTHROP, 41 Spalding Bldg., City.

Gohl Expects to Be Kept

MONTESANO, Wash., April 6.—(Special)—For the purpose of keeping the exhibits used in the trial of William Gohl, who was convicted of murder last May and sentenced to life imprisonment, Sheriff Payette is having a case made in which to place the guns, anchors, etc. The exhibit will be placed in the new Courthouse.

Mill Buys Bristol Timber.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., April 6.—(Special)—The Swan-Hamann Mill Company has purchased at public auction the timber on the east half of school section 16 near the Bristol Postoffice for \$6000. This company operates a mill with logging road, and three miles of flume down which it sends three cars of timber daily to the North Bank Road.

LOMBARD READY; RUSHLIGHT BALKS

Werlein's Challenge to Debate Accepted by Only One in Mayoralty Race.

TREASURER IS ANSWERED

Prospective Candidate, Who Agrees to Discuss City Problems, Declares Public Argument is Voters' Right.

Voters of the city need not expect an opportunity to hear municipal questions discussed publicly by the three Republican candidates for Mayor. While Gay Lombard notified City Treasurer Werlein yesterday that he would participate gladly in Mr. Werlein's proposed three-handed debate, Councilman Rushlight has thus far evaded the challenge. It is understood Mr. Rushlight's friends have advised him against taking part in any public discussion of the issues in the campaign.

BIG CIGAR IS MEMENTO

COLONEL PASSES GIFT ALONG TO POLICEMAN.

Bartender Restrained With Difficulty From Presenting Huge Mint Julep to Visitor.

Patrolman Webster has a souvenir of the Roosevelt visit which he says he will keep and hand down to his descendants.

Table showing cigar prices. Columns include Brand, Price per 100, and Price per 500. Brands include Hand, Machine, and others.

It is a cigar, nearly a foot long, and priced at \$1.00. It is handed to the ex-President as he is leaving the banquet room Wednesday night. "My, my, I can never smoke that," he said. Webster, in attendance as a member of the Police Band, was standing nearby, and to him the Colonel turned, saying, "Smoke this and think of me."

Webster will keep the cigar. Many schemes were attempted by lime-light-seeking citizens to gain a little of the reflected glory of the occasion. One grower and his agent in his efforts to present the guest with a big mint julep, and it required equal persistence on the part of those around the visitor to keep him from doing so.

Aside from the duty of regulating the crowd and keeping a vigilant eye over the safety of the guest, there was absolutely no "police" end to the Roosevelt visit. Not an accident was reported in connection with the crowding of the streets; not an arrest was made growing out of the unusual assemblage.

PACE IS SET IN PORTLAND

Y. M. C. A. Receives Large Installment of Examination Papers.

When H. C. French, educational director, wrote to George B. Hodge, international secretary for the examination papers, Mr. Hodge replied by congratulating the Portland Y. M. C. A. on its growth and saying that no other association had ever called for so many examination papers at one time.

The Spring term of the Portland association has just opened and the registration has kept up beyond expectations. It is a considerable falling off at this season, but the enrollment promises to be almost as large as in the Winter term. Several new courses have been added to meet the demands.

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NEURALGIA OF THE STOMACH

A Kansas Woman Tells of the Knife-Like Pains She Suffered.

After Eight Years of Treatment Without Result the Patient Tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and Was Quickly Cured.

Neuralgia is irritation or inflammation of a nerve. When the nerves of the stomach are inflamed the term neuralgia of the stomach is used. The treatment is the same as for any other form of neuralgia and consists of a proper tonic, nourishing food and rest.

"For more than twenty years I suffered from neuralgia of the stomach which was frequently so bad that I was confined to my bed for days at a time. I had knife-like pains in my stomach and each year they grew worse and worse until finally the doctors, who had been treating me for over eight years, said they could do nothing to help me and gave me morphine to ease the pain."

"A friend then recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I began taking them. My case was a stubborn one and I took about four boxes before I could see that they were helping me. But with the fifth box results came rapidly and soon I was entirely cured. I have had no return of the trouble and am now in very good health, thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain the elements necessary to make new blood and, as the nerves get their nourishment from the blood, have been found invaluable in a wide range of diseases of the blood and nerves, such as anemia, rheumatism, after-effects of the grip and fevers, neuralgia, nervous debility, and even St. Vitus' dance and locomotor ataxia.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are for sale at all druggists, or will be mailed to any address, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Those who are interested in the treatment which cured Mrs. Thorpe can obtain further information by writing for the booklet, "Nervous Disorders," which we send free on request.

friendly administration of Mayor Lane by the Council committee on ways and means, of which Councilman Rushlight, Werlein's other opponent in the Mayoralty contest, was chairman.

The report of this committee not only entirely exonerated Werlein and his conduct of the treasury department of the city but recommended to the approval of the Council the system followed by Mr. Werlein and the character of the securities held by the Treasurer as surety for the city's funds.

APRIL 20 LAST DAY TO FILE

Candidates for Municipal Offices Barred After This Time.

The impression has gone out that candidates for any of the municipal offices have until April 21 to qualify by filing nominating petitions. City Attorney Grant said yesterday that all such petitions must be filed not later than Thursday, April 20.

The provisions of the city charter require that nominating petitions must be filed with the City Auditor 15 days "before" the date of the primary nominating election. This election this year falls on May 6 and 15 days before falls April 20 as the time when nominating petitions must be filed.

Discussion Deemed Just. "The voters also have a right to hear what the several candidates for the Council have to say on all municipal questions now engaging the attention of the people. These candidates should come out with a plain statement of what they stand for and give the voters an idea of where they may be expected to be found if elected. Let them make a simple but positive declaration of their position. The use of the stereotyped phrase 'an efficient and economical business administration' is meaningless. Where is there a voter and taxpayer in the City of Portland who does not desire such an administration of our city government? Let these candidates define their position as to the corporation, the paving trusts, the garbage crematory, street vacations and other large and vital issues of so great importance to this city that the people are demanding to know. That is what they are entitled to know. It is only natural to conclude that the voters are weary with general election campaigns and for Council who are evading a discussion of these questions as well as defining their position in relation thereto."

POLITICAL MOVE IS SCENTED

Auditing of City Treasurer's Accounts Being Made.

Friends of City Treasurer Werlein scent a political motive in the unexpected investigation of the records and accounts of his office which was begun yesterday by Traveling Auditor McAllister, representing the surety bond company by which Mr. Werlein is bonded to the amount of \$100,000. This suspicion is based on the fact that the office was thoroughly examined and checked up by representatives of the same bonding companies not six weeks ago. At that time the office was found to be in good shape, with every cent of the city's money balancing in the accounts.

ATTACK CALLED UNWARRANTED

Werlein Points to Record in Reply to Lombard's Charge.

Other than to pronounce it an "unwarranted attack," City Treasurer Werlein yesterday declined to discuss the charge of Gay Lombard, rival candidate for the Republican Mayoralty nomination, that Werlein improperly used the funds of the city during the financial disturbance in the Fall of 1907.

In reply to that accusation, Mr. Werlein and his friends merely call attention to the report of a special investigation conducted during the un-

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Buy Portland Acreage

BUY NOW while prices are low—so low that you can make a profit if you sell again this year. Close-in acreage is cheaper today around Portland than in the environs of any other large city in the West.

IT WILL GROW in value as the city grows. We do not say that acres today will be lots tomorrow—only what you know; that Portland acreage is a safe and sound and a timely investment at its present prices, and that it is certain to yield a steady, firm and substantial increase. Portland can't grow without extending its limits. That means expansion—both inside and outside. Not everyone may share in the increase of realty values due to INSIDE growth; but ANYONE who works and saves may own Portland acreage.

A Beautiful Body of Land

WE are owners of a beautiful body of Portland acreage on the Powell Valley road, six miles east of the Morrison street bridge. It is platted into acre lots, is convenient to transportation, and has an abundance of pure sweet water for domestic uses and for irrigation. Our prices and terms cannot fail to interest any man who cares to own a foot of land. They are suited to the means of any man who earns a living wage or salary.

How Much of Mother Earth Do You Own?

DO YOU own Portland real estate? Do you own ANY part of mother Earth? Ask yourself. Some persons get the habit of going through life with nothing but chattels, and they seldom think of owning land. They pay rent month after month, year after year, with never an effort to become land proprietors themselves. If you are one of them, break that habit today. Come to our offices and let us talk the matter over. If you are interested, as we know you must be, we shall be more than glad to take you out and show the property. If you find it the delightful place we represent it, and you will, the price and terms will sell it to you. You will return to your work with a sense of satisfaction, with a stronger and nobler purpose, and life will mean more to you than it has meant before.

Get in While the Market Is Right

ELBERT HUBBARD said, "First be sure you are right, then do it NOW." That is wise advice for the man who is buying property. It applies singularly to acreage just outside the Portland city limits today. A comparison with the prices of acreage in the suburbs of any considerable city will convince you that Portland acreage is a RIGHT buy, and there's not the slightest question in the world that the time to act is NOW. Portland acreage is becoming more active every day, and any considerable delay means the loss of added profits you might make.

Your Taxes Will Be Low

BUY outside the city limits, near to transportation, where there is a plenty of good water, and the land will yield a good garden. Build on it and live on it, or rent it—become a landlord yourself. The rent will pay for it in time. Being just outside the city the taxes will be low. When the city growth absorbs it, your land will be worth several times its present price. It is not conceivable that it can ever be worth less than it is today.

Inside Acreage Wiped Out

AN article in The Oregonian of February 4, the present year, states: "An important feature of last year's activity in residence property was the virtual wiping out of unimproved acreage tracts within the city limits. Realty firms were particularly vigilant in seeking out these vacant tracts, plating them and placing the lots on the market." Get on the outer edge of these developments today. It will be your turn next. The ground floor is the ACRE. Get in.

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