EXPOSITION SITE BEST FOR BIG HALL

Mayor and Jury on Auditorium Location Pick Nineteenth and Washington.

MORE BONDS REQUIRED

Rushlight Advocates Building of Structure That Will Meet Needs of Portland 25 Years From Now — Report Filed.

Because of the situation and arrangement of the streets at the old Exposition building site at Nineteenth and Washington streets, that site is favored by Mayor Rushlight and members of the Auditorium architectural competition jury for the Auditorium. The jury yesterday announced its opinion of the proposed sites and Mayor Rushlight made public his views, all favoring the Exposition site.

Mayor Rushlight declared that he favors the issuance of more bonds to build the Auditorium with Portland of 25 years from now in view as well as Portland of today.

"My policy," said Mayor Rushlight, "is that public funds should be spent judiciously in every case. The Auditorium should be on grounds large enough for a first-class building, sufficient to accommodate the citizens not of today alone, but of 25 years from now. It should be situated geographically in such a part of the city as will be in the natural trend of traffic and provided with proper streetcar accommodations, large streets for conveyances and for the accommodation of 10,000 or 12,000 persons coming from or going to the building, all without congestion.

More Bonds Advocated.

"Personally I favor going to the people and requesting the issuance of more bonds of sufficient amount to acquire the necessary site, so that the $600,000 appropriated for the building will not be expended for an Auditorium which will be inadequate in a few years. It is a question which should be given careful consideration by the Auditorium commission. It is much better to take a little time in selecting the location and then construct a building which will meet the needs. Spending the money judicially in this case means looking to the future.

"I believe that if it came to a vote the people would recommend a building of good size and in a location naturally fitted to the Portland of the future.

"Personally, of all the sites submitted for consideration I think the old Exposition building site is the best adapted to the purposes. Having access to the various streets, including Burnside, Washington, Morrison, Chapman and the others, there would be no congestion of traffic during big gatherings even if conveyances were permitted to stand at the intersections. To have this site the city may have to add $200,000 or $300,000 expense to the building fund, but it seems to me to be a wise investment.

"As to the Park block site, I think this should be reserved for a public market.

Bennet Plan in View.

The Auditorium jury reported on the Exposition building site as the most favorable for several reasons, among which is the fact that it is in accord with a general plan for a uniform group of buildings, as arranged in the Bennett plan for a "City Beautiful." The jury report is:

PORTLAND, Or., October 31.—(To the Public Auditorium Commission of the City of Portland, Or.:)—Gentlemen: Your jury that reported to you upon the merits of the architectural competition for the proposed public auditorium has, in accordance with your request, examined into the merits of the several proposed sites that have been under consideration as the location for this building. Three of these sites are each in themselves possessed of characteristics which command attention.

Market Block.

First—This being public property, the city being disposed to set same aside for auditorium purposes, it apparently has the merit of availability upon economical grounds. It being but 200 feet square, it is not sufficient in area and it would be necessary to vacate Market street between Second and Third streets and would require the purchase of at least 50 feet in depth of the property fronting on the south side of Market street. Even with the additional land thus acquired, your proposed building would cover its entire area, leaving nothing but the actual street space surrounding a building to which it is expected that upon occasion as many as 15,000 people will be attracted. Such a building as you propose should first of all be so situated that it could not only be enlarged but be at the same time surrounded by open space of a greater width than the adjacent streets. Finally, with regard to this location, we direct your attention to the fact that your proposed building, monumental in character as it may easily be, would practically be lost to you as forming one of any group of public buildings to which the people of Portland might point with pride.

Park Blocks.

The suggested purchase of an additional block of land adjoining the Park blocks between the new County Courthouse and the City Hall, the converting of same into additional park space, placing the auditorium in the center of this combined area, thus converting your present park covering two blocks into two disconnected parks of one block each, cannot commend itself. That you would thus have by this method three public buildings, to-wit: The Courthouse, City Hall and Auditorium, facing upon these two small parks in a disorderly, inharmonious arrangement under a vain delusion that this would give you a civic center, or a group of buildings commensurate with such an ideal, would not justify this location.

Exposition Site.

The property lying between Washington street and the extension of Morrison street, forming an irregular triangle, has been examined by us and would be of sufficient area for the purpose desired and leave additional space besides, with streets surrounding the four sides of the whole. This site would, in point of accessibility, be within easier reach from all parts of your city than either of the others under discussion.

Economy.

The claim that the Market block should be most favorably considered, for the reason that it is already owned by the city, ought not to be seriously considered. The more property purchased by the city at the present time, the better off the city will be at any future time. This point ought not to require serious argument to demonstrate its truth.

Civic Center.

Portland has a unique opportunity to create a civic center and should not fail to take full advantage of same. An exhaustive study of the problem would result in a dignified group plan of a civic center, composed of the following public buildings now contemplated or of almost immediate future necessity, viz: The completed County Courthouse building, the new Postoffice, a new City Hall, the new Public Library building, and eventually a museum of fine arts. It cannot be doubted but that shortly all these buildings will be under course of construction, and their final completion a public necessity within 10 years. It will not cost the City of Portland any more to have these buildings so designed and so located that they will form a harmonious group than if same are scattered at various locations in a disconnected manner.

Bennett Plan.

The City of Portland at the instance of the Civic Improvement League is in possession of a comprehensive plan containing an exhaustive analysis of the problems involved in its development and growth. Upon this plan you will find that the logical conclusions reached by Mr. Bennett (whom we, your jury, believe to be a most highly-trained expert in city planning, no one else having, to our knowledge, specialized in this branch of our profession to the degree reached by him) located the Auditorium on the Exposition site.

We, therefore, unanimously recommend that your commission adopt the Exposition site as the location for your proposed building.

ELLIS F. LAWRENCE,
KIRTLAND CUTTER,
WILLIS POLK.

500 ARE SHOWN PLANT

UNION MEAT COMPANY IS EXCURSION HOST.

City Officials, Representatives of Grange and Improvement Clubs See Every Process.

Invited by C. C. Colt, general manager, more than 500 citizens of Portland, men and women, were entertained at the Union Meat Company's plant on Columbia Slough yesterday morning, under the auspices of the East Side Business Men's Club. Special electric cars were provided for the trip to the plant. Representatives from the Consumers' League, the Physicians' Association, the Patrons of Husbandry and all the improvement clubs, representing 20 different organizations, attended.

Among the special guests were Councilmen Baker and Wallace and City Auditor Barbur, representing the city; H. W. Smashall, J. J. Johnson, H. A. Darnell and Andrew Miller, of the Patrons of Husbandry; M. O. Collins, president of the United Improvement Clubs Association; Dan Kellaher, president of the East Side Business Men's Association; L. M. Lepper and C. C. Hall; C. H. Welch, Mount Tabor Improvement Club; H. G. Parsons, North Mount Tabor Club, and George H. Heckenyon, of Lower Albina Push Club.

There were no delays and the cars went right to the plant, through the district of Kenton, which has a population of 2500, that the excursionists might view some of the big factories recently completed. Passing over a trestle more than 9000 feet long the cars stopped at the exchange building of the Portland Union Stock Yards, where inspection of the plant started. Under the direction of men from the company groups of 25 were taken through all the departments of the plant from the stockyards, through the plant of the Union Meat Company, where the visitors were shown all the various processes from the time animals are killed to the time the carcasses are hung in the cooling-room. All operations were explained to show the preparation of food products for distribution in Portland, throughout the Northwest and for export. Methods of inspection of carcasses by the United States Government were also shown. Every department was visited, the inspection requiring about two hours.

A general reception was held at the company's restaurant after the inspection and there luncheon was served.

The luncheon menu comprised products of the plant, supplemented by a great variety of fruit.

SISTER WITH KIN IN JAIL

GIRL ENTERS BASTILE TO COMFORT RELATIVE.

Loss of Prisoner's Hat Reveals Heroism of Daughter of Wealthy Spokane Family.

One daughter in jail, another, only 16 years old, lodging with the prisoner for companionship while she makes every effort to liberate her sister, and two elderly and wealthy parents in Spokane, ignorant of the plight of their child, are the principal actors in a story of the County Jail which was brought to light yesterday through the kleptomaniac tendencies of Mae Jones, a woman of the underworld, frequently in the hands of the police.

When Mae Jones, who became notorious through her alleged theft of 12 diamond rings from Jacob Kutner, was released from the jail Monday, she wore a hat valued at $27, the property of Nora Walsch, another prisoner. Bertha Walsch, sister of the victim, filed complaint with the District Attorney, and incidentally brought attention to the fact of her own presence in the jail.

Nora Walsch, a divorcee, daughter of a wealthy hotel owner of Spokane, was arrested recently on a charge of stealing a plume. Although asserting that another girl took the decoration, she was convicted and sentenced to the County Jail. She wrote to her sister Bertha, saying that she was ill, and the sister, 16 years old, obtaining $150 from her parents, came to Portland. She found Nora in the County Jail, and commenced proceedings immediately to obtain a pardon. She has been to Salem and interviewed Governor West. While awaiting the outcome she has lodged at the County Jail.

Scarcely had the warrant been placed in the hands of the police for service, when a telephone message recalled it. Returning to the jail, the complainant ran upon Mae Jones, on her way to return the hat, which she said she had just borrowed until she could get one of her own. Twice before she had been in the hands of the police for stealing clothing, and her latest escape was handing out as tips to boys, diamond rings, part of the loot taken from Jacob Kutner, keeper of a North End resort.

VACCINATION NOT BLAMED

State Health Officer Says Child Died of Meningitis.

James Mandeville Brice, the six-year-old colored child of Newark, N. J., reported recently to have died of vaccination, died in reality of tubercular meningitis, according to information received by Dr. Calvin S. White, of the Oregon State Board of Health. When Dr. White saw the news report of the case he wrote to Dr. David Chandler, health commissioner of New Jersey.

Dr. Chandler replied that the boy died suddenly, and that before the physicians had made a test they had difficulty in determining the exact cause of death. The child was said to have had lockjaw, but a test of the spinal fluid revealed tubercular bacilli in large quantity.

FEW APPLES SENT

Oregon Growers Slow in Entering Contest for Prize.

WASHINGTON MEN FIRST

With Idse Closed All Competitors but Two at Madison-Square Garden Are From Neighboring State—Awards Big.

Oregon applegrowers apparently have been derelict in entering the competition for the cash prize of $500, offered by President Elliott, of the Northern Pacific, for the best display of 25 boxes of apples, any variety, exhibited at the American Land & Irrigation Exposition at Madison-Square Garden, New York, November 3-12 inclusive. At any rate, entries have been closed and the list of 19 competitors consists entirely of Washington orchardists with but two exceptions. They are as follows:

Beasley & Dingee, North Yakima, John H. Estes, Toppenish, H. M. Gilbert, North Yakima, Robert Johnson, North Yakima, Elmer B. Johnson, Prosser, Ulrich C. Johnson, Toppenish, J. D. Laughlin, Toppenish, Harry Maxted, owner and Frank L. Howting, manager, North Yakima, C. H. Pearl, Prosser, Ella D. Rowland, Toppenish, C. C. Greageson, Prosser, Yakima-Euclid Fruit Company, Prosser, Ernest C. Hill, Selah, John Scoon, Sunnyside, Olson Fruit Company, Toppenish, C. Tichacek, Moses Lake, Laughlin McLean, Spokane, all of Washington; H. A. Brigg, Victor, and S. W. A. Wilson, Paradise, Montana.

At this same exposition, President Elliott, of the Northern Pacific, and other individuals will give away several orchard and farming tracts by popular allotment. Among these tracts is 160 acres in Dawson County, Montana, 18 miles northwest of Terry, on the Northern Pacific Railway. This land is gently rolling and is adapted to dry farming. Among the other allotments of land are farms, orchards and irrigated tracts in several of the Western states. Among these are ten acres of irrigated land near Roswell, New Mexico, given by the Western Irrigated Land & Orchard Company, of New York City, and a five-acre pecan orchard at Tallahassee, Fla., donated by President Stillwell, of the Florida Pecan Endowment Company.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE MADE

Portland-Tillamook Service Will Begin Not Later Than Monday.

Announcement was made yesterday by E. E. Lytle, president of the Pacific Railway & Navigation Company, that his company expected not later than next Monday to inaugurate a regular freight and passenger service between this city and Tillamook. Promise of a big freight and passenger business from the beginning of this prospective service has moved the company to abandon its original plan of operating a mixed train. A regular passenger service of three coaches in addition to necessary freight trains will be operated from the beginning.

Under the schedule, as it has been arranged, the morning passenger train out of Portland will leave over the Southern Pacific at 7:20 A. M., connecting with the Lytle road to Hillsboro, leaving that point at 8:50 A. M. This train will arrive at Tillamook at 2:25 P. M. The morning train from Tillamook will leave Tillamook at 7:55 A. M., arrive at Hillsboro at 1:25 P. M. and reach Portland at 4:40 P. M.

CALVIN BEGINS HIS DUTIES

Vice President of Southern Pacific Will Direct Operating Department.

Direction of the operating department of the Southern Pacific will today be assumed by E. E. Calvin, vice-president of that railroad system. L. R. Fields, superintendent of the Southern Pacific for the Oregon division as it formerly was operated, it is understood, will be retained as superintendent of the system under the reorganization of the Harriman lines in this territory.

Officials of the operating and traffic departments of the Southern Pacific, as it will be operated and conducted following its segregation from the Union Pacific organization, have not been officially announced, so far as could be learned at the local Harriman offices yesterday. As to the personnel of this official staff there is more or less speculation but the final determination of who will be who rests with President Sproule, of the Southern Pacific, from whom an official announcement from San Francisco is expected hourly.

FOUR DENY LIQUOR SALES

Indian Too Drunk to Appear, Attorney Enters Plea.

Four men were to have appeared before the United States District Court yesterday to plead to indictments in connection with selling liquor to Indians. Foster Lane, an Indian, charged with perjury, was in the Federal building at the required time, but was too drunk to appear in court, and a plea of not guilty was entered by his attorney. William White pleaded not guilty to a similar charge, as did Henry Johnson and Loyal Chandler, charged with selling liquor to Indians on the Siletz reservation. They will be tried in the November term of court.

"Razzle Dazzle" Johnson, whose given name has not been learned, was indicted by the Federal grand jury for selling liquor to a Klamath Indian at Lakeview. At the same time a not true bill was returned against Albert Martin on a charge of having sold liquor on the Siletz reservation. Two other indictments were also returned in similar cases.

This grand jury is engaged in investigating alleged census frauds, under direction of special prosecutors, and is not expected to make another report until the last of this week.

Husband Allowed Day's Grace.

Alex Haberman must pay $40 to his wife, Mary Haberman, from whom he is seeking a divorce, by tonight or go to jail for contempt of court. Judge Gatens so ruled yesterday morning. The divorce action was begun early last Spring but has not come to trial because of Haberman's failure to pay Mrs. Haberman $20 a month during the pendency of the action as ordered by Judge Gantenbein. Haberman was cited for contempt of court for the second time yesterday.

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