

CUB ASKS COUNCIL TO AFFORD RELIEF

Common-User on East First Street Is Wanted Before Anything Else.

FACILITIES DECLARED POOR

East Side Business Men Would Delay Action on Fourth-Street Franchise Until Their Requests Are Allowed.

FRANCHISE PETITIONS ARE WITH COMMITTEE

Proposed franchises for the Southern Pacific Company to lay a truck-truck street, enabling the company to double-track and electrify its West side system, were formally presented to the street committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon. They will be referred formally to the committee next Wednesday and will be heard by the committee February 22.

The street committee received a resolution from the Fulton Park Improvement Club, signed by W. A. Hansen, president, and R. L. Hepburn, secretary, asking the Council to insert five-cent fare clauses in the city-limit franchise and to name stopping places.

All proposed franchises for the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company will be considered by the committee at 10 o'clock Monday morning.

After hearing an appeal of business men of the Central East Side district, the street committee of the City Council yesterday referred to City Attorney Grant for an opinion, a proposed ordinance by Councilman Jones, and a common-user on the Southern Pacific Company's tracks on East First street and demanding adequate freight and passenger facilities.

Declaring that conditions as to the handling of freight are very bad and entirely inadequate and uncertain, Dan Kellaher, president of the East Side Business Men's Club, asked that that section of the city be given relief by means of the common-user clause, which the proposed ordinance contains. He was supported in his statements by C. A. Bigelow and other prominent business men having large interests in the district.

Club's Request Considered.

The proposed ordinance, which was introduced by Councilman Jones at the request of the East Side Business Men's Club, was read and the members made acquainted in a formal manner with its provisions. It calls for common-user on the tracks of the Harriman line on East First street, between Hawthorne avenue and East Burnside street, and for adequate freight and passenger facilities for the district on the Central East Side.

"Conditions as to freight service on the East Side are very bad and entirely inadequate," said Mr. Kellaher. "Years ago, when the present franchises were granted to the Harriman system, it was thought that there would never be such a big wholesale and retail center there, but times have changed very materially and we now stand in urgent need of relief. We therefore come before this Council, asking that you will render that relief, we believe that we have unlimited power and authority to do so, and have therefore asked you to do it by declaring common-user on all of the tracks on East Side."

but one of several ordinances of a similar nature that we will ask you to pass, amending Harriman franchises so that all common-user clauses are made applicable to all of the tracks of adequate facilities for doing a general freight and passenger business.

Remedy Is Wanted.

The Council, in granting to the Harriman road a track on East Third street some time ago, allowed a "joker" to slip through, and as a matter of fact, owing to the existence of that "joker," and because of the fact that the track crosses a private right of way for 200 feet, no common-user prevails at all. This is also one of the remedies for which we are entitled to relief. The president of the Public Docks Commission is with us in our efforts to secure relief along the line. As he has indicated here, for he wishes the entire waterfront to be opened to the commerce of the world and to have adequate freight facilities provided thereby.

"There is one thing to which the attention of the committee should be called," said C. A. Bigelow, "and that is the district under consideration is fourth largest in the United States in the shipment of implements and with proper facilities for handling freight will undoubtedly rise at once to third place. It is a subject that should receive your most serious consideration."

Reference Not Observed.

Councilman Baker, chairman of the committee on streets, suggested that the ordinance be referred to City Attorney Grant for an opinion as to the power of the Council to amend. Mr. Kellaher said that he and the members of his delegation would have no special objection to ask the committee as a favor to the business men of the East Side not to take action on any other franchises that may be presented until such time as one is decided.

"I think it is the disposition of this committee," replied Mr. Baker, "to give every one an opportunity to be heard, if that is something to which you all are of the opinion that you desire it, and we will refer the First-street ordinance to the City Attorney for an opinion."

Action Wanted Quickly.

The franchise to which Mr. Kellaher made reference is that of the Southern Pacific Company for double-tracking Fourth street. It will be presented to the Council next Wednesday at the regular meeting. The East Side business men have inaugurated their fight to secure common-user clauses on all tracks in the district at this time because they propose to forestall the granting of any additional rights to the Harriman interests on Fourth street unless the common-user are granted on the East Side.

Mr. Kellaher brought up the subject

PORTLAND BASEBALL MANAGER AND BRIDE, WHO WERE MARRIED AT VANCOUVER, WASH., THURSDAY NIGHT.



Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCredie

of alleged unfair freight rates. He said that the Harriman company is charging \$5 a car for switching freight to points on the East Side. Asked by Councilman Maguire why he did not appeal to the State Railroad Commission, he said that he had, and that the members had replied, saying they had no jurisdiction over freight in the city limits.

SLEUTH IS DENIED PAY

County Disallows Bills Presented by P. J. Maher.

On the ground that they had not authorized his employment, County Judge Cleason and County Commissioners Lightner and Hart yesterday disallowed bills aggregating \$80 presented for payment by P. J. Maher, ex-county detective. One was for \$25 for work done for Coroner Norden in January. The second was for five days' time passed by Maher in a trip to Spokane in cases against Sam Kranser. Deputy District Attorney Collier had approved this bill.

The bill of the Lenox Hotel for providing rooms for the Wilde jurors was out from \$120 to \$65 and a bill of \$6.45 for telephone calls from the hotel was disallowed. The County Court messaged that the jurors had only four rooms, but had been charged at the rate of \$1 a night each. The jurors' restaurant bill was cut from \$246.90 to \$201.50.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. Tobey, of Tacolt, is at the Perkins. Fred R. Waters, a Salem broker, is at the Carlton. L. A. Farrar, of San Francisco, is at the Bowers. R. C. Taylor, a Seattle business man, is at the Bowers. T. H. Tibbcock, U. S. N., is registered at the Cornwell. J. W. Brown, a Eugene lumberman, is at the Oregon. R. H. Cadden, a Silverton millman, is at the Oregon. A. N. Sallas, an attorney of Ontario, is at the Imperial. E. B. Waite, a capitalist of Sutherlin, is at the Imperial. Fred Katz, of San Francisco, is registered at the Bowers. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Oates, of Seaside, are at the Carlton.

W. Clayton Miller, a Spokane capitalist, is at the Portland. D. Currier, Jr., an orchardist of Hood River, is at the Portland. S. A. Graham, a Kelso lumberman, is registered at the Perkins. H. J. Nichols, a mining man of Baker, is at the Imperial. H. A. McPhail, a lumberman of Raymond, is at the Multnomah. Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Williams, of North Yakima, are at the Perkins. C. M. Mathews, of The Dalles, is registered at the Cornwell. Mrs. Edgar Wheeler, of Tacoma, is registered at the Portland.

E. H. Whiteside, a merchant of Salem, is registered at the Perkins. Deputy City Auditor Smith is confined to his home with the grippe. R. A. Preston is registered at the Cornwell from Washington, D. C. George Lindstrom, a merchant of Astoria, is registered at the Oregon. L. T. Brown, an insurance man of Eugene, is registered at the Imperial. Oliver O. Haga, a mining man of Boise, is registered at the Multnomah. H. Clay Levy, a merchant of Cascade Locks, is registered at the Multnomah. E. J. Retley, a timberman of Bay City, Mich., is registered at the Multnomah. John E. Savage, manager of the Archbold Hotel, of Seattle, is registered at the Carlton.

A. C. Dixon, manager of the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company at Eugene, is at the Imperial. J. H. Davis, manager of the Washington Annex at Seattle, is registered at the Portland. John B. Hart, T. F. Hopkins and William C. Keith, Seattle business men, are registered at the Oregon. C. H. Callender, president of the Callender Navigation Company, Astoria, is registered at the Multnomah. T. H. Kennedy, auditor of the Portland Gas Company, has returned here from a business trip in the East.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—The following from Oregon are registered at Chicago hotels: From Portland—Otis B. Sprague, at the Sherman; C. H. Mead, at the Congress; George W. Fosching, at the Majestic. From The Dalles—Charles T. Nagel, at the Brewster.

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BEAVER MANAGER WEDS IN SECRET

Mrs. Etta Reitz, ex-Pendleton woman, Is Bride of Walter McCredie at Vancouver.

FRIENDS ARE SURPRISED

Wife of Baseball Club Leader Is Daughter of Prominent Stockman of Umatilla—Pair Receive Congratulations.

Fulfilling rumors which have been flying thick and fast for nearly a fortnight, Walter McCredie, manager of the three champion Portland Coast League ball club, slipped clandestinely across the Columbia Thursday night and shook off fetters of bachelorhood in favor of Mrs. Etta Reitz, a beautiful widow.

Mrs. Reitz was formerly Miss Etta Horseman, daughter of a prominent stockman of Pendleton, Or. She has been living at the Russell apartments, on West Washington street, and it was here the romance began two years ago when Walter McCredie, Eugene Krapp and Jess Garrett, members of the Portland team, rented apartments in the same building.

Wedding at Uncle's Home.

The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. A. W. Bond, pastor of the First Congregational, Vancouver, at the home of the bridegroom's uncle, W. W. McCredie, the utmost secrecy was observed in every particular, the officiating clergyman and those present being cautioned not to let slip any announcements.

But the news of the wedding spread and early yesterday morning Mr. and Mrs. McCredie were literally bombarded with congratulatory messages at their new home at 169 Irving street.

The bridegroom will leave Portland March 3 for Santa Maria, Cal., to supervise the Spring training of his baseball players with the Athletics. The bride will remain here until the team returns to Portland, Mrs. McCredie will visit relatives at Pendleton.

Baseball Record Good.

The happy benedict is one of the best-known minor league baseball managers in the United States. He has won the Portland Beavers to three pennants and three second places in seven years. Previous to securing the Portland franchise he played with numerous teams in the East, for one season in the majors.

On one occasion last summer it was reported that McCredie was to marry Mrs. Whelan Stanley, a San Francisco widow, but McCredie has denied that there was at any time foundation for such a report.

By some odd coincidence Nick Williams, manager of the Portland Northwestern League team, stole a similar march on his friends about two months ago and was married after a romance lasting several years.

CHURCH QUITS SURVEY

CHRISTIAN DENOMINATION OBJECTS TO PLAN.

Disciples of Christ, Told Not to Enter New Territory, Withdraw From Oregon Body.

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C. F. Swander, secretary of the Oregon Christian Missionary Convention, and Rev. C. H. Hilton, a Forest Grove pastor, were the representatives from the Christian Church. The denomination started work in one of the small towns of Oregon, a minister of another denomination wrote to the survey committee, asking that the denomination withdraw and leave him in possession of the field, and the representatives of the church decided it would be best to resign from the committee.

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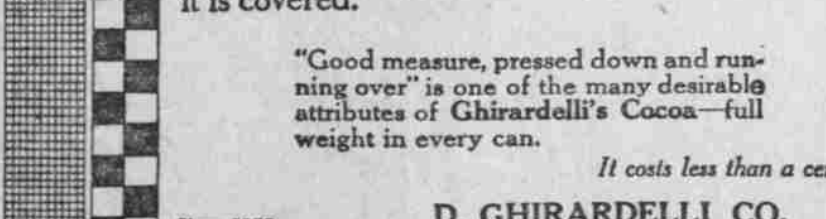
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