

ELECTRIC GRANT IS HELD UP 2 WEEKS

Technical Error Discovered in Valuation Provisions and Action Is Delayed.

MAYOR EXPLAINS VETOES

Opposition Develops to Investigation of Councilman Joy, but Measure Carries — Improvement Bids Are Opened.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Mayor's veto of liquor license of E. J. Hanbury in Yeon building bar upheld. Resolution adopted authorizing City Attorney to investigate reported telephone monopoly.

Discovery of an Irregularity in the proposed franchise of the Northwest Electric Company caused the City Council at its regular semi-monthly meeting yesterday to delay bringing the franchise up for final action for another two weeks.

The irregularity was found in the valuation provisions of the proposed grant, as it appeared that the new company would be permitted to sell electricity to another company without paying the city 3 per cent of its gross earnings.

Telephone Monopoly Feared. City Attorney Grant was authorized by a resolution, which carried unanimously, to investigate the alleged monopoly.

Mayor's Veto Upheld. The ordinance revoking the liquor license of E. J. Hanbury, the resolution providing for the submission to the people of the special election in November of an initiative measure revoking the franchise of the Southern Pacific on East First street, and the resolution providing for an initiative measure calling for the increase in the salary of City Councilmen from \$25 to \$150 a month.

Mayor Defends Veto. On the Hanbury liquor license revocation ordinance the Mayor based his veto on the fact that Mr. Hanbury has been adjudged a bankrupt and the liquor license is a privilege which is a matter of public policy.

Advertising Is Ordered. Councilman Clyde declares this is establishing a dangerous precedent by granting a franchise to a company part of a general franchise without the regulation feature, which some members of the council had objected to during the franchise fight of last Fall and Winter.

Improvement Bids Opened. Bids were opened for the improvement of the following streets: Nehalem avenue, from East Nineteenth street to East Tenth street.

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MRS. NORTHPUP WINS

Defeat of Miss Fording Surprises Tennis Followers.

BREWER ROUTS STEWART

Irvington Courts in Fine Shape for Tourney—Semi-Finals to Be Played Tomorrow and Finals on Saturday.

OREGON CITY MAN DIES FROM PARALYTIC STROKE AT AGE OF 90 YEARS

The Late Edwin Richards. OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 12. (Special).—Edwin Richards died this morning from a stroke of paralysis, the third in 18 months.

Perfect weather, lightning fast courts and a number of strenuous matches scheduled for the afternoon brought out a large gallery to Irvington Club courts to witness play in the Fall tennis tourney, which is gradually simmering down to the raquet elite of Portland.

While Brewer won over Stewart in the open handicap singles, annexing the "crowd" he was really due for defeat by default, arriving at the courts over an hour behind scheduled time.

Men's singles (open handicap)—Von Wiedner beat Kugler, 6-2, 6-1, 6-0. Maxman beat Hohmann, 6-2, 6-1, 6-0. Brewer beat Stewart, 6-3, 6-0; Gill beat Wilkins, 6-0, 6-0.

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UNCLE H. WINS AT LA GRANDE

Finishes in Fair Races Exciting. Rider in Relay Injured.

LA GRANDE, Or., Sept. 11.—(Special).—By winning two firsts, one seventh, a third and a fourth, Uncle H., a bay stallion owned by Hugo Schmidt, of Spokane, won for state fair an \$300 purse here this afternoon against 19 other contestants.

The fifth heat went like the rest of them, won by Uncle H. from first to last. The race was a tangle of horns and hooves and the race was a tangle of horns and hooves.

Three-eighths mile run—Main first, Brady second, Hero third. Three-fourths mile running race—Laramie first, Fortland second, Jerusha third, Brush up fourth, Molly Coo fifth.

Fred Spain, a brother of the famous buckaroo, fell from first to second in the relay race. An event marked with serious injury to one rider, and ill-luck of some sort to all up for advertising.

ORANGE OUTLOOK IS BRIGHT Oregon Agricultural College Has Fine Roster of Athletes.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Sept. 11.—(Special).—With an interesting basketball trip in prospect, with some 13 members of last year's football squad returning to college next week, with but one man missing from last year's basketball championship team, and practically all of the track and baseball veterans back in school, the athletic outlook at Oregon Agricultural College for the coming year seems bright enough.

Advance information on football prospects is not to be had until Coach Sam Dolan and Captain Otto Stilton will have a wealth of new material to aid in the construction of their gridiron machine. The new men include Carr and Dunn, stars of the agricultural college's 1907 championship team; E. H. Hauser, brother of Pete Hauser, the famous Corvallis center, besides a number of high school gridiron men from Oregon and neighboring states.

A surprisingly large amount of new basketball material is promised for use in the makeup of the 1912 team. Three of last season's champions have been lost through graduation and battle royal is anticipated between the candidates for their positions.

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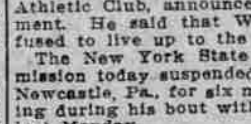


Table with 3 columns: Sale Dresses, Sale of Suits, Sale of Coats. Items include Fall Dresses, Suits, and Coats with prices.

FINE GOWNS UP TO \$300 AT HALF PRICE. SUITS FROM \$45.00 to \$90.00 ONE-THIRD OFF. FINE COATS, \$30.00 to \$75.00 ONE-THIRD OFF.

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Sporting Sparks

HANK O'DAY, manager of the Cincinnati Reds, who is showing signs of life again, doesn't seem to worry about a job for 1913, even if he loses out to the contract.

That Judge W. M. Kavanaugh, president of the Southern League, will succeed President Lynch as boss of the National circuit, is the report going out in the East.

Harry Wolfson, former manager of the Cubs and now boss of the New York Americans, picks Boston to defeat the New York Giants in the world's championship struggle.

Yale coaches are highly pleased with the new football rules. Head Coach Arthur Howe says: "The new rules are aimed at a more even balance between the offense and the defense."

How to Be Beautiful

"Parlors" in Women's Realm. A perspiring, shiny face is not beautiful. Powder only smears and makes it worse. Apply in the morning a lotion made by dissolving a package of mayonaisse in a half-pint of water.

Thin and straggly eyebrows will appear thick, even darker-colored if protein is applied daily with the finger tips. Eyelashes, too, will become lovely and long if pyroxin is gently massaged into the roots.

No woman need suffer humiliation from superfluous hairs on face or forehead. Just cover the hairs with a paste made of plain talcum and water, leave on for a few minutes, remove, wash the surface, and the hairs will be gone. This treatment is sure, safe and speedy.—Adv.

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