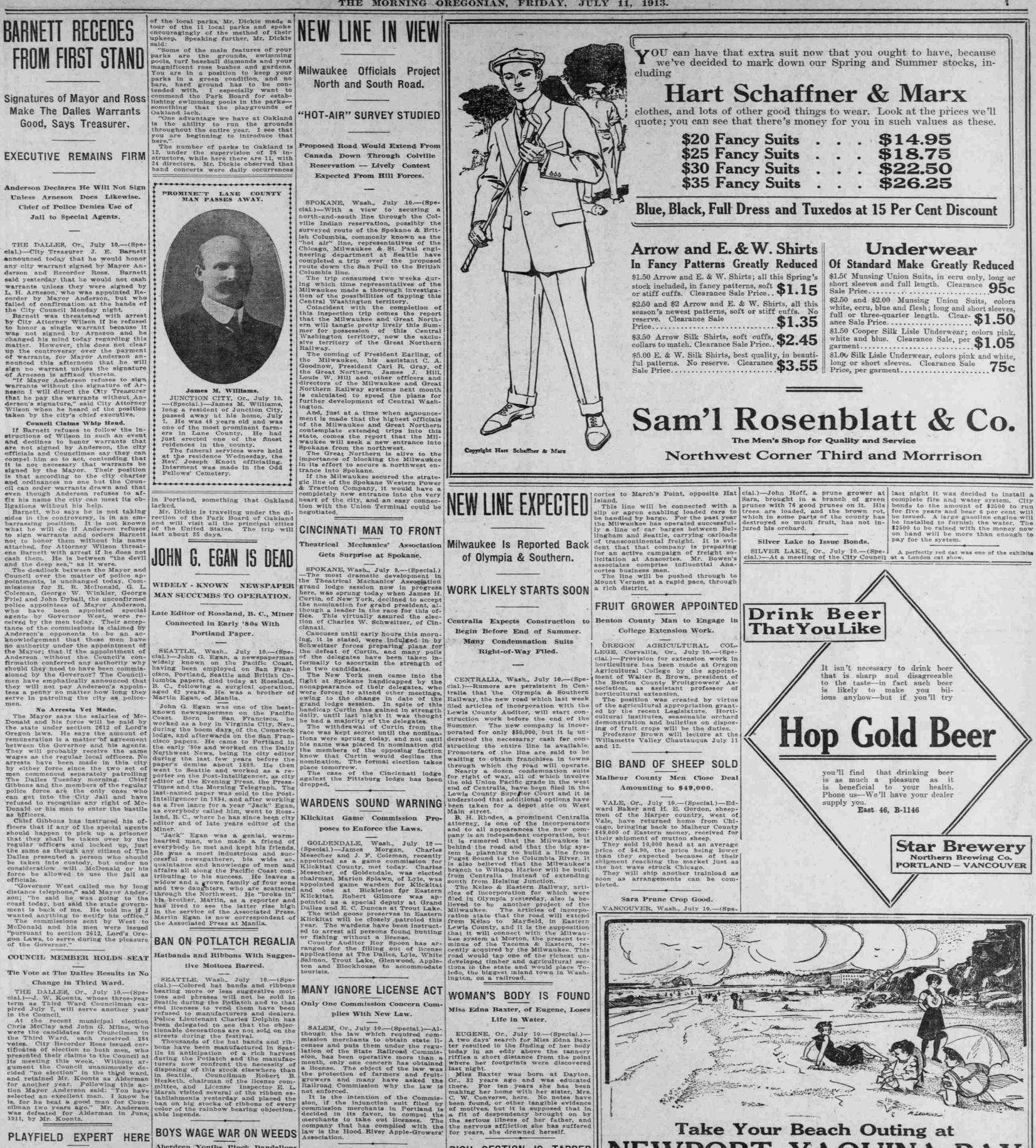
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Anderson Declares He Will Not Sign Unless Arneson Docs Likewise. Chief of Police Denies Use of Jail to Special Agents. THE DALLES, Or., July 10 .- (Speelal.)-Clty Treasurer J. E. Barnett announced today that he would honor any city warrant signed by Mayor Anderson and Recorder Ross. Barnett said yesterday that he would not cash warrants unless they were signed by

warrants unless they were signed by L. H. Arneson, who was appointed Re-corder by Mayor Anderson, but who failed of confirmation at the hands of the City Council Monday night. Barneit was threatened with arrest by City Attorney Wilson if he refused to honor a single warrant because it was not signed by Arneson and he changed his mind today regarding this matter. However, this does not clear up the controversy over the payment up the controversy over the payment of warrants, for Mayor Anderson an-nounced this afternoon that he will sign no warrant unless the signature of Arneson is affixed thereto. "If Mayor Anderson refuses to sign warrants without the signature of Ar-

that he pay the warrants without Anderson's signature," said City Attorney Wilson when he heard of the position taken by the city's chief executive.

Council Claims Whip Hand.

If Barnett refuses to follow the in structions of Wilson in such an event and declines to honor warrants that are not signed by Anderson, the city officials and Councilmen say they can compel him so to act, contending that it is not necessary that warrants be signed by the Mayor. Their position is that according to the city charter and ordinances no one but the Coun-cil can order warrants drawn and that even though Anderson refuses to affix his name the city can meet its ob-ligations without his help.

Barnett, who says he is not taking sides in the controversy, is in an em-barrassing position. It is not known what he will do if Anderson refuses not to honor them without his name

not to honor them without his name attached, for Attorney Wilson threat-ens Barnett with arrest if he does not cash them. He is between "the devil and the deep sea," as it were. The deadlock between the Mayor and Council over the matter of police ap-pointments, is unchanged today. Com-missions for R. R. McDonaid, G. L. Coleman, George W. Winkler, George Friel and John Dyball, the unconfirmed police appointees of Mayor Anderson. who have been appointed special agents by Governor West, were re-ceived by the men today. Their accep-tance of the commissions is claimed by Anderson's opponents to be an ac knowledgement that these men have no authority under the appointment of the Mayor; that if the appointment of Anderson without the Council's con-firmation conferred any authority why should they need to have been commis-

The Mayor says the salaries of all coast. Born in San Francisco, he worked as a boy in Virginia City, Nev., the state under section 2612 of Lord's during the boom days of the Comstock lodge, and afterwards on the San Francisco papers. He came to Portland in cisco papers. He came to Portland in

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Change in Third Ward.

THE DALLES, Or., July 10 .- (Speclal.)-J. W. Koontz, whose three-year term as Third Ward Councilman ex-pired July 7, will serve another year in the Council.

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were the candidates for Councilmen in the Third Ward, each received 21st votes. City Recorder Ross issued cer-tifficates of election to both men, who presented their claims to the Council at its meeting this week. Without ar gument the Council unanimously de-cided "no election" in the third ward, and retained Mr. Koontz as Alderman for another year. Following this ac-tion Mayor Anderson said: "You have selected an excellent man. I know he is, for he beat a good man for Coun-climan two years ago." Mr. Anderson was defeated for Alderman in June, 1911, by Mr. Koontz.

BOYS WAGE WAR ON WEEDS PLAYFIELD EXPERT HERE Aberdeen Youths Pluck Dandellons

"The people of Portland do not fully realize the great benefit they are doing in establishing these public play-grounds in the various parts of the city," said George E. Dickle, superin-tendent of the play-tion centers of the City of Oakland, last night. "I cannot help but com-pliment them for the stand they are Mr. Dickle arrived in Portland Wednesday and left last night, of the play-tender of the play and left last night, of the stand they are taking." Mr. Dickle arrived in Portland wednesday and left last night, of the stand they are to make the stand they are to make the stand they are taking." Mr. Dickle arrived in Portland to make the stand they are taking." Mr. Dickle arrived in Portland to make the stand they are taking." Mr. Dickle arrived in Portland to make the stand they are taking." Mr. Dickle arrived in Portland to make the stand they are the boys. Half a cent a pound is the price of the play-tor delivery of the are appund is the price of the play-the boys. Half a cent a pound is the price of the play-the boys. Half a cent a pound is the price of the play-the boys. Half a cent a pound is the price of the play-the boys. Half a cent a pound is the price of the play-the boys. Half a cent a pound is the price of the play-the boys. Half a cent a pound is the price of the play-the boys. Half a cent a pound is the price of the price of the play are the price of the play are the play-the boys. Half a cent a pound is the price of the play-the boys. clty," said George E. Dickle, superint tendent of the playgrounds and recrea-tion centers of the City of Oakland, last night. "I cannot help but com-iaking." Mr. Dickle arrived in Portiand wednesday and left last night for Ta-coma and Seattle, where he will study the park conditions. Under the direc-fron of Robert Krohn, superintendent

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