

EMPLOYEES' SALARY INCREASE HELD UP

Emergency Act Rejected for More Pay for Police, Fire, Health Departments.

\$7110 FOR 1914 - ASKED

Bigelow in Tilt With Mayor Says City Can't Afford It—His Vote Favors Favorable Action.

Because of objections of Commissioner Bigelow, an ordinance introduced in Council yesterday by Mayor Albee providing for increase in the salaries of many of the employees of the police, fire, health and public departments, failed to pass.

The Mayor proposed to have the measure passed with an emergency clause so as to take effect at once. Inasmuch as one member of the Council may prevent the passage of an ordinance with such an emergency, the objection of Commissioner Bigelow held the proposition up when every other member was in favor of its passage.

The arguments which ensued during consideration of the measure was another echo of the workings of the city's efficiency system, which is reported to have been a source of trouble and expense for the Council ever since it was put into effect, January 1.

The action of Commissioner Bigelow brought a brisk tilt between him and Mayor Albee. The Mayor contended that the stand of Mr. Bigelow was unreasonable and unjust.

MEAT IS SOLD AT MARKET Mutton and Pork Purchased Quickly at Albina Trading Place.

The first fresh meats were sold yesterday at the Albina public market on Knott street. Four sheep were brought from Troutdale by M. J. Manning and one fat hog weighing 230 pounds was brought from Clarke County, Wash., by A. C. Lacey.

ROSE BOOTH IS PLANNED Women's Auxiliary of North Portland Commercial Club Seeks Prize.

The Women's Auxiliary of the North Portland Commercial Club has arranged to compete for a prize at the Rose Festival, and will have a booth at the entrance of Taylor street. Miss Alice R. Nugent is chairman of the committee in charge of the booth.

GUNS MAY GO TO THE CITY Council Proposes to Retain Weapons of Criminals.

If the City Council passes an ordinance proposed by Mayor Albee providing for the confiscation of all firearms taken from burglars, holdup men and other persons, the city may have to establish an armory. The ordinance will be presented to the Council at its next meeting.

RIDGEFIELD CLASS GIVES PLAY. RIDGEFIELD, Wash., June 3.—(Special)—The Dramatic Society of the

Ridgefield High School presented the college play, "The Junior," at the Ridgefield High School assembly hall this evening. This is the second of a series of college plays. "The Sophomore" was presented last year. Tomorrow the last track meet of the season will be held between the Ridgefield High School and the graduates.

WELLS-FARGO EXPANDING All Baltimore & Ohio Lines Are Added to Its Lists.

The Wells-Fargo Express Company has succeeded the United States Express Company on all lines of the Baltimore & Ohio system, including the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton. The Portland office of Wells, Fargo & Co. will begin at once to handle traffic for points on those lines.

PORTLAND MAN GOES TO DULUTH Y. M. C. A.



S. W. Harris, assistant secretary of the Portland Young Men's Christian Association, has accepted a position as head of a similar department with the Duluth Y. M. C. A. He will leave for Duluth about June 15, and will organize the department along lines originated in Portland and which have been followed by the Chicago, San Francisco and other large associations.

creates are the Frisco & Rock Island in the West and the Lehigh Valley in the East.

LIND IS LOWEST BIDDER Tender for Rhine-Street Sewer is \$108,599.47.

William Lind, contractor, tendered the lowest bid to the Council yesterday for the construction of the proposed extension of the Rhine street trunk sewer on the East Side. His bid was \$108,599.47 as compared with \$117,266.48, the next lowest bid.

LAUNDRYMAN IS CONVICTED Driver Must Return Package Stolen to Protect Protested Bill.

Convicted of stealing a bundle of laundry from Patrolman Bewley yesterday, J. M. Vranston, a laundry driver, was given the alternative by Municipal Judge Stevenson of returning the laundry or paying a \$25 fine. He promised to return the laundry.

CITY ORDERS TWO AUTOS Motors Will Replace Horses for Street Cleaning Officials.

For use in the street-cleaning and sprinkling service, the City Commission yesterday authorized the purchase of two automobiles, one of five-passenger capacity and the other a two-passenger car. They will be purchased at once.

ROSE FESTIVAL OREGONIANS Six Issues, Including Postage, 20 Cents.

Mail to your friends in the East, The Oregonian during Rose Festival Week, beginning Tuesday, June 9, and ending with the GREAT SUNDAY EDITION, June 14. Complete and exhaustive reports with numerous high-class half-tone illustrations will be featured daily.

BUILDING NOW MAY GO 200 FEET HIGH

City Commission, by 3-to-2 Vote, Amends Present 160-Foot Code.

16 STORIES IS NEW LIMIT

Mayor and Commissioners Daily and Bigelow Decide Issue Raised by Meier & Frank Request for Special Permit.

By a vote of three to two the City Commission yesterday definitely decided to amend the city's building code so as to permit the erection of buildings 200 feet in height. This means that certain types of buildings can be made 16 stories high.

As the Meier & Frank desires to let contracts for its building at once, the commission brought the permit question to an issue. When the voting came, after a lengthy discussion, Mayor Albee and Commissioners Daily and Bigelow expressed a willingness to uphold the amendment.

It is said that an office building, with the usual high first story, can be erected under the new amendment to a height of 16 stories.

SUNDAY SCHOLAR "SKIPS" Mrs. M. A. Mitchell Reports That Son of 11 Is Missing.

That her son, Herbert, ran away from home last Sunday, instead of attending Sunday school, and has not returned yet, was the report of the police yesterday by Mrs. M. A. Mitchell, of Lucretia Court.

PERSONAL MENTION. J. F. Corbett, of La Grande, is at the Benson.

Cut Glass 1/4 Off Come to the third floor and see the special exhibition of Glass Cutting by factory expert.

All Sterling Silver Reduced Reg. 50c Picture Frames, 38c

Quadruple Plate Silverware 85c Lemon Dishes for only 65c

\$4.00 and \$5.00 Slippers at \$2.89 Very Latest Summer Styles

"Coffee Day" Thursday Our famous "OWK" Imperial Roast Coffee—Regular 40c quality on sale today at 29c

Rose Festival Bunting and Festooning, Main Fl.—Hammocks, Lawn Swings, Tents, Etc., 4th Fl. Ladies' Home Journal Patterns for July Are Now In—Get Your Free Copy of "Good Dressing"

Stamps With Charge Accts. Providing they are paid in full on or before the 10th of each month. No stamps given on amounts carried forward.

Olds, Wortman & King Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods Store Hours—9 A. M. to 6 P. M. Every Business Day—Saturday Included

Glass Cutting Exhibition Visit the 3d Fl. and see this wonderful exhibit of glass cutting, in charge of an expert direct from the factory.

June White Sale Now in Progress Every White Article Reduced Except Few Restricted Lines

Festival Sale Women's Gowns and Dresses

Exquisite Creations for Festival Ball and Other Occasions—Offering Most Pronounced Economies



- Department, Second Floor—Coming just before the festival season, when society folks are planning to entertain extensively, this sale of Gowns and Dancing Frocks affords an opportunity which Portland women will be prompt to take advantage of.

\$12.50 Waists at \$4.49 High or Low Neck Models

Department, Second Floor—Lovely styles for evening and street wear. Special group of high-grade waists from our regular stock.

\$18.50 Waists \$7.98 Beautifully Trimmed

Department, Second Floor—Odd lines of high-grade Waists suitable for wear on all occasions.

Girls' \$14 Summer Dresses, Special \$6.48 Dresses Worth to \$11.50 at \$2.98

Second Floor—Odd lines girls' Summer Dresses—limes, voiles, challies, organzies, repps and sponge—in all the new colors and styles.

Girls' \$2.25 Wash Dresses, Special at \$1.39 \$1.25 Wash Dresses for 59c

Percales and Chambrays, in plain colors and stripes. Also white duck Middy Dresses and 14. Dresses worth \$1.39

Children's Wash Dresses 98c With FREE Parasol to Match \$18 to \$25 Hats

Center Circle, Main Floor—Dainty little Wash Frocks for girls 2 to 6 years of age.

Undermuslins Underpriced Bargain Circle—Main Floor

AT 90c—Crepes and Long-cloth Gowns, in great many pretty styles. Some with colored embroidery wreaths and edges.

"Standard" Central-Needle Sewing Machines Select Yours Now at Special Low Price

Department, Second Floor—Standard Sewing Machines are made in the largest single establishment in the world, devoted exclusively to the making of Sewing Machines.

Basement Bargain Center \$1.00 Corsets at 59c All Sizes, 19 Up to 30

Hundreds of women will be here today to partake of this splendid bargain. Stylish, new low-bust Corsets of batiste, coutil and Summer net; non-rusting steel bonings; nicely finished and guaranteed to fit perfectly.

Our famous "OWK" Imperial Roast Coffee—Regular 40c quality on sale today at 29c—No deliveries except with other purchases in the Grocery Department



Plume Hats \$12 See Window Display

Offered very special for Thursday's selling in Millinery Department on the Second Floor. Beautiful White Millans, trimmed with snow-white ostrich—White Eleven-End Tuscan, trimmed with cream white plumes—the new Barnt Leghorns, trimmed with pure white plumes—Beautiful Black Hats, trimmed with large white plumes—White Hats, trimmed with colored plumes, Summer shadings—White Hats, trimmed with dainty tinted plumes. These are all Summer Hats and all trimmed this week.

White Hats \$2 On Sale in Basement

These were bought especially for the Underprice Store and represent the utmost in value-giving at the price.

Flowers. Priced special at \$2.00

