

TELEPHONE EDIFICE CAUSES OPPOSITION

Irvington Residents Object to Proposed Location.

AGREEMENT NOT REACHED

Result of Committee's Action Is to Bring Matter Before City Council for Second Time.

Residents of Irvington, through a special committee headed by Charles Malarky have declared that the proposed telephone exchange building at East Twenty-fourth and Stanton streets must not be constructed within the limits of Irvington.

This decision was made Wednesday night and came to officials of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company as an "eleventh-hour" blow. Officials of the company contended that the committee representing the property owners after careful consideration had approved of not only the location of the building, but of architectural plans.

The subject will now come before the city council for the second time. A hearing will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon when the committee of the property owners and representatives of the telephone company will be heard.

Some weeks ago the council refused to grant the permit after residents of Irvington had protested against it. The engineers of the telephone company contended that unless the building was erected on the proposed site or within 200 feet of such site, adequate service could not be maintained.

Following the refusal of the city council, the company's officials conferred with residents of the community and entered into negotiations with a special committee. This committee named City Engineer W. H. G. as its chairman and directed him to study the situation from an engineering standpoint. He reported that the structure would necessarily have to be at Twenty-fourth and Stanton streets if proper service was to be given by the telephone company.

Being apparently convinced that it must be located within the boundaries of Irvington, the committee then took up the subject of the style of office. A. E. Doyle was named as architect to represent the property owners. Changes were ordered which were adopted by the telephone company officials. It is claimed, and an agreement was drawn up to finally settle the subject.

On Wednesday night the committee met and after several hours' discussion the telephone company officials were notified that the property owners refused to give consent to the erection of the proposed building.

SPRUCE MILL INSPECTED

GOVERNMENT PROPERTY AT TOLEDO UP FOR SALE.

Newport Commission Proposes Lease of Railroad if Capitalists Build Plant.

NEWPORT, Or., April 1.—Major Charles Vanway, Clement A. Parker and Henry E. Walker, comprising the board of trustees of the Toledo Spruce Production corporation, accompanied by Major G. B. Harrington and A. W. Stetsonman, Portland, and W. K. Patterson and Bert Geer of Toledo, made an inspection of the big mill at Toledo Tuesday and the Alsea Southern railroad and Blockett timber tract yesterday. They inspected the Yaquina Northern railroad today, leaving Newport for Portland at noon.

The object of the inspection was to get acquainted with present conditions of the property with a view of offering it for sale. The railroad north of Yaquina may be leased to the transportation commission should the commission uncover capitalists willing to erect a mill and purchase timber. If leased, the road will carry a common-user class and may supply logs to any or all Yaquina bay sawmills. The corporation officials have indicated a desire to alter the big government mill at Toledo so that mill men would be willing to take over the mill. Toledo and the Yaquina Northern road taps the same body of timber.

MEDFORD ELKS INSTALL

O. O. Alenderfer Is New Exalted Ruler of Lodge.

MEDFORD, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—Under the administration of George T. Collins as exalted ruler the Medford lodge of Elks a prosperous year was concluded, and last night, with one of the lodge's largest attendances, new officers were installed, following which there was a social session, the features of which were two boxing bouts, a general entertainment and a big feed.

The new exalted ruler is O. O. Alenderfer, a popular young man with the California & Oregon Power company. The other new officers are: Esteemed leading knight, Rawley Moore; esteemed loyal knight, George Hilton Jr.; esteemed lecturing knight, Frank P. Farrell; secretary, Lee L. Jacobs; treasurer, Vernon H. Vawter; trustee, three-year term, Glenn O. Taylor; tiler, John H. Henselman; representative to grand lodge, George T. Collins; alternate representative to grand lodge, J. J. Buchter.

Exalted Ruler Alenderfer appointed E. C. Jerome as enquire, Floyd Hart as inner guard and H. G. Lanspauch as organizer.

MAY QUEEN IS ELECTED

Willamette University Chooses Evelyn Gordon of Portland.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—The May queen election held on campus yesterday resulted in the choice of Evelyn Gordon of Portland. The two other candidates, Odell Savage and Freda Campbell, both of Salem and members of the senior class, will be made of honor at the annual crowning ceremony during the May day festivities. The 1920 queen is also a senior and has been prominent in student body and society affairs.

Ben Rickell of Spring Garden, Cal., who was elected manager of May day and junior week-end, is working out the two days' programme for the week-end of May 7-8, although there is possibility of the date being shifted to the previous week.

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps with Purchases Amounting to 10c or More—A Direct Cash Saving on the Money You Spend—Filled Books Redeemed on Third Floor Take Down-Town Luncheon in the Tea Room, Fourth Floor—Service From 11 to 2:30—Light Luncheon Served From 11 to 2 in the Basement—Shoe Shining Parlors in Basement

Easter Gloves—All Wanted Styles

Main Floor—Slip-Ons, one and two-clasp style, also 12, 14, 16 and 20-button lengths in kid, silk and suede. Now is the time to make your selections for Easter and avoid the Saturday crowds.

SPECIAL DISPLAY OF EASTER RIBBONS FOR HAIRBOWS—DEPT. 1ST FLOOR

The Standard Store of the Northwest Olds, Wortman & King Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods

CORSAGE BOUQUETS AND BOUTONNIERES IN LARGE ASSORTMENT—DEPT. 1ST FLOOR

Easter Neckwear In Great Variety

Main Floor—Dainty new Collars, Sets, Vestees, Vests, Guimps, etc.—the very latest novelties of the season, here in a profusion of styles at REASONABLE prices. New Ostrich Fans, new Veils.

READY—With Matchless Stocks for the Easter Season!



Portland's Best Showing of Easter Apparel

The Garment Store is filled to overflowing with the new season's smartest fashions in Women's Suits, Coats, Dresses, Waists, Skirts and other wearables. A collection of high-class apparel that is the largest and most complete in Portland. Easter shoppers are cordially invited to visit this department. Courteous salespeople will see that you are given prompt attention. See special showing of Easter Apparel in the windows on Morrison and Tenth streets.

Women's Suits \$37.50 to \$210.00

Second Floor—Select your Easter Suit here from the largest and most complete stock in the city. Suits of Tricotine, Cire Satin, Tricolette, Wool Poplin, Homespun, Wool Jersey, Paulette, Velour and Serge. All the smartest styles—box, Eton, bolero, flare, semi-tailored and straight-line effects. Many exceptionally smart models in embroidered, beaded and braid trimmed styles. Some of the more dressy models have separate waist. All wanted colors—\$37.50 to \$210

Women's Dresses \$25.00 to \$115.00

Second Floor—Dress styles were never so charming as this season. And there is such a wide latitude for choosing that every woman can satisfy her desire for individuality and at the same time be gowned in the height of fashion. Here are Dresses of Serge, Tricotine, Satin, Taffeta, Georgette Crepe, Tricolette, and many other materials. Ruffled, plaited and embroidered styles—also many beautiful beaded models. All the new spring colors. Prices range \$25.00 to \$115.00

Women's Skirts \$10.00 to \$57.50

Second Floor—This is sure to be a great season for the Separate Skirt. The season's smartest models are here for your inspection. Serge, Wool Poplin, Wool Jersey, Novelty Plaids, Silk Poplin, Fan-ta-si, Kumsi Kumsa, Queen Anne Satin, Baronette, Georgette Crepe, Tricolette, Paulette, and other materials. Plaited and tailored styles—\$10.00 to \$57.50

Silk Sweaters

Second Floor—Beautiful new models in Silk Sweaters now on display. Tuxedo front and many other smart styles. Plain and fancy weaves. Plain colors, novelty stripes and the popular two-toned effects. Shashed or belted—\$38.95 to \$56.75



Betty Wales Dresses

Special Easter showing of Betty Wales Dresses. Charming, youthful frocks for young women. Made up in serges and silks. Prices \$79.75 range from \$25.00 up to

Women's Coats \$21.50 to \$115.00

Second Floor—Polo Coats, Sport Coats and Coats for better wear in a great diversity of styles. Unquestionably the finest collection in the city. Coats of Velour, Bolivia, Duvetyn, Silverstone, Jersey, Diagonal, Tricotine, Velveteen and other high-class materials. Short, 3/4 and full length models—mostly all are trimmed with soft, lustrous silks in plain or fancy patterns. There isn't a popular style missing in this wonderful showing. Prices range from \$21.50 to \$115

Women's Waists \$10.00 to \$75.00

Second Floor—Hundreds of women will buy new Waists for Easter at this store because they know they can rely upon getting the smartest styles here at reasonable prices. Immense display of the new models made up in Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Net and Tricolette. Braided, beaded, embroidered, lace and ostrich trimmed styles. Long or short sleeves, with or without collars. All the newest Spring colorings in the showing. Prices range from \$10 to \$75

Women's Petticoats At \$7.49 to \$25.00

Second Floor—The Easter Suit or Dress calls for a new Petticoat. Choose here from any number of beautiful styles—pleated, ruffled, tucked, corded and tailored models. Petticoats of soft taffeta, satin, messaline and jersey. Plain colors, changeables, plaids, figured and two-tone effects. Regular and extra sizes. Prices range from \$7.49 to \$25.00

Stylish Stouts

Women who wear large sizes will find here a splendid showing of Stylish Stouts in Suits, Coats, Dresses and Skirts. These garments are designed especially for women of large proportions and are not merely "extra sizes."—Second Floor.

Women's Fancy Silk Hose—Special Easter Display

Main Floor—The woman of fashion will wear fancy silk hose this season. Knowing this, we have assembled here all the very newest Novelties in hemstitched, French checked, lace striped and beautiful new drawn work effect. Black, white and all the desirable new colors here for your selection at prices ranging from \$4.25 up to \$6.00 a pair. Supply your Easter hosiery needs today. —Department, 1st Floor —EXTRA QUALITY SILK HOSE with little tops, hand-embroidered clocks in self or contrasting colors. Special; a pair \$3.95

32-Inch Chambray 25c

Main Floor—Mothers should take quick advantage of this sale and lay in a good supply of this splendid wash material. The ideal fabric for children's dresses, aprons, house dresses, boys' blouses, wash suits, etc. Full 32 inches wide. Light blue, medium blue, pink and maize. Limit 10 yards to a customer. 25c Priced special, the yard

Groceries

—Experienced telephone clerks at your service from 8 A. M. to 5:45 P. M. S. & H. STAMPS. Sale of Canned Goods —Swing brand String Beans, \$1.75 doz.; can —Standard Tomatoes, 25c —Paris brand Maize, 20c —Sweet Corn, \$2.40 doz.; can —Columbia River Salmon, No. 1/2, 2 cans for 35c

\$22.50 to \$35 Easter Hats Special \$20

Selecting an Easter Hat is a matter of quite considerable importance to every woman of fashion. This sale offers about 150 beautiful models that represent the last word in smartness at savings that are decidedly worth while. Models from Rawak, Joseph, Bendel, Cupid, Curtiss and other famous artists, and reproductions from our own workrooms. Regular \$22.50 to \$35.00 \$20.00

New Sailors \$7.50 to \$15 —Excellent showing of the latest in Sailors—black and colors—at \$7.50, \$10, \$15

Sale of Sheets Continues

Main Floor—Good heavy grade Sheets—one of our very best makes. Full bleached. Enough of these for today's selling if you shop early. No phone orders. —Bleached Sheets in \$2.55 size 81x99 inches, at —Bleached Sheets in \$2.65 size 81x108 inches, at

Pillow Cases —Bleached Pillow Cases of excellent quality; size 45x36 inches —special 38c, 40c and 45c —Domestic Dept., First Floor.

Women's \$12 Oxfords \$9.95

Main Floor—Strictly high-class footwear from our own regular stock. Sizes 3 to 8; widths A to D. Welted walking soles.



Dark Brown "Novilla" kid, 1-eyelot Tie—military heel, pointed toe, \$12 grade, pair \$9.95 —Black Vici Kid one-eyelot Tie, with military heel, pointed toe, regular \$12 grade; pair \$9.95 —Black Kid one-button Oxford, narrow toe, military heel. Regular \$12.00 value; a pair \$9.95 —Havana Brown Kid One-eyelot Oxford Tie. Leather half Louis heel; \$12.00 value; pair \$9.95 —Black Kid Pumps, with military heel, receding toe, without tips; \$12 value, per pair \$9.95 —Golden Brown Kid Oxfords on long, slender last; half Louis heel; \$12 grade; a pair \$9.95 —Black Kid One-button Oxford with narrow tipless toe, high curved heel; \$12 grade at \$9.95 —Dull Kid Laced Oxford on pointed toe last with stitched tip, high leather heel; regular \$12.00 value, priced, pair \$9.95

Girls' Easter Apparel

Dept., Second Floor —Second Floor—GIRLS' SILK DRESSES in delightful new styles. Made up in Georgette Crepe in plain colors and in fancy plaid silks—\$27.00 to \$49.50 —GIRLS' EASTER COATS in the smart new sport models—\$17.00 to \$49.00 —GIRLS' EASTER SUITS \$29 to \$69

Sale of Girls' Tub Frocks

Girls' plain and fancy Plaid Gingham Dresses. Ages 6 to 14 years. \$2.98 Regular \$3.50 values. Special —Fancy Plaid and Plain Gingham Dresses—regular \$4.50 values at \$3.98 —Gingham Dresses, sizes 2 to 6 years; Children's Creepers, 1 to 3 years—\$1.98

Great Sale Fiber Rugs

Room Sizes —Third Floor—We have a small lot of high-grade Fiber Rugs that were slightly damaged in transit which will go on sale at great reductions. A splendid opportunity for you to buy floor coverings.

\$17 Rugs \$11.50 —Heavy Fiber Rug, size 7.6x9 feet. Regular \$17.00 grade, priced special \$11.50 —\$18.00 Fiber Rug, size 9x9 ft.; special \$12.50 —\$21.00 Fiber Rug, size 8x10 ft.; special \$12.50 —\$22.50 Fiber Rug, size 9x12 ft.; special \$17.50

Boys' 2-Pant Suits Special \$13.85

Main Floor—"Double-Service" Suits—the extra pair of pants practically doubles the life of the suit. Compare these with others shown about town at \$15.00 to \$16.50. Latest styles with loose belts. Gray, brown, tan mixtures. Pants full lined. Ages 8 to 17 \$13.85

Boys' Blue Serge Suits Priced \$13.50 to \$20 —Main Floor—Every boy should have a Blue Serge Suit for dress up occasions. We show a splendid line of Blue Serges that are all wool and that will not fade. Ages from 6 to 18 years. Prices range from \$13.50 up to \$20.00

Boys' Pants \$2.69 —Fancy Tweeds in brown and gray mixtures. Full lined. Odd lines from our regular stock. Ages 6 to 18 years.

STOVALL IS NOT KICKING

TELEPHONE SERVICE ALL RIGHT IN WRITER'S OPINION.

Letter to Commission Expresses Satisfaction With Conduct of Corporation and Owner.

SALEM, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—That the Philomath Telephone company is a much abused corporation and that its owner, D. H. Jones, has been treated unjustly in complaints filed by dissatisfied patrons, is the substance of a letter written by Don-

is H. Stovall of Fernwood, Benton county, and received at the offices of the Oregon public service commission here today.

"I understand that certain parties have addressed a letter or letters to you, in which the statement was offered that I have a 'kick' to register against our beloved Mr. Jones and the telephone company, because Mr. Jones did something to me that he, naughty man, should not have done," says Mr. Stovall.

Now, when I have a kick to make I prefer to make it myself, steadily for the reason that I would lose half the fun of kicking if I did it by proxy. Also, let me state, sincerely and truthfully, Jones is no fault to find with the aforesaid Mr. Jones. Honestly, truly, cross my heart—I have no complaint to make against him! Now wouldn't that get the scales off a dog's tail?

say for him that he has more fight and courage, more stand-up-and-take, more vinegar and pep, in spite of his size, than any six of these who are arrayed against him. I'm inclined to think that nine-tenths of the fuss being made over tele-phones here in the City of Brotherly Love is due to the overbearing desire of some folks to kick against anything that is offered in the way of public service. The main trouble is that we have been getting our "phone service for nothing, and when the price was raised then a howl went up.

I had certain changes ordered done on my telephone line. The changes were made and the service is all to the good. I would rather pay the primary circuit rate and get real service than be on a ten-party, neighborhood butinsky ramification in which no service can be given. If the public service commission has undertaken to settle all the personal and class differences, arguments, quarrels and disputes that have supplied our local folk with something to do for the past half century, it has some job on its hands. I honestly hope it can do this and set the

dove of peace on a permanent perch here in the Holy City. But I'm afraid you'll be obliged to back out and leave the task for Saint Peter to finish.

Just the same, I wish you luck. I must break off, my telephone is ringing.

STOCKMEN WILL CONVENE

Harney County Preparing to Give Visitors Unique Welcome. —BURNS, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—Preparations are being made for the entertainment of the Stockraisers' and Cattle Growers' convention, to be held the latter end of May at Burns. The stockmen of Harney county are active and determined to give their visitors a rousing and unique cattle county welcome. Heretofore the annual convention

has been held in towns around which cattle are raised, but adjacent to railroads. Burns is an inland town and Harney county has cattle on a thousand hills. A. R. Olson of the Pacific Livestock company is chairman of the stockmen's executive committee in charge of arrangements for the convention. He has delegated Charles M. Faulkner, the energetic president of the Burns commercial club, to carry out details. Captain R. M. Duncan is making the arrangements for tents, cots, etc., and Representative Gallagher has a promise that they will be ready for use when required.

Moose Officers Installed.

ABERDEEN, Wash., April 1.—(Special.)—Aberdeen Moose lodge has installed the following officers for the ensuing year: P. H. Metz, dictator; Thomas Mortimer, vice-dictator; O. E. Williams, prelate; B. L. Fox, treasurer; E. B. Cass, trustee for three years. G. F. Wellman was appointed sergeant-at-arms and W. Lanford, outer guard.

TEACHERS' PAY IS RAISED

Eugene School Board Sets Minimum Salary in Grades at \$1125. —EUGENE, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—The Eugene board of education at a meeting last night adopted State Superintendent Churchill's recommendation as to salaries for grade teachers, which is a minimum of \$1125, with the three advances made in two periods, namely, \$30 credit for one year's work in Eugene, \$45 Dur-

ther credit for two years' work in Eugene and with a provision for making allowance for experience outside of Eugene.

The salaries of the principals will be made the subject of later action. The high school salary schedule has been practically settled and will be announced early next week.

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