

PASSED BY COUNCIL

Franchise for 35 Years Given Water Power Company.

EASTHAM IS SHUT OFF

Spokesman for Oregon City Business Men Is Denied a Hearing for His Protest on the Ordinance.

OREGON CITY, Nov. 4.—(Special).—The City Council, by a vote of 6 to 2, passed the ordinance tonight granting a 35-year franchise to the Oregon Water Power & Railway Company. The franchise was granted only three hours after the legal restraint was removed from the Council by the injunction being dissolved by Judge Frazer, of the Circuit Court.

Koerner Makes Objection.

When the franchise ordinance was read, Chairman moved that it be put on its final passage. Koerner objected, and made a short speech, saying to the Councilmen favoring the franchise: "If you do this, you will be marked men all your lives, and the finger of scorn will be always pointed at you."

Eastham Refused an Audience.

Mr. Koerner then moved that Mr. Eastham be permitted to make the request the citizens had come to the hall to make. Chairman quickly made a point of order and the Mayor sustained him and ordered Mr. Eastham to hush.

Mayor Is Also Criticized.

The Mayor and the City Attorney also came in for much caustic criticism for their attitude, because the present administration has been a strictly anti-franchise platform. Mr. Koerner was formerly inclined to favor the franchise, but he favored the special election, and all the time stated that he desired to be guided by the vote of the taxpayers of the city.

Klamath Land Is Selling

The latest deal of moment in realty here closed this week when E. K. Williams, land agent for the Union Pacific Railroad, closed a deal whereby he and others became owners of the Mitchell tract of 380 acres, lying two miles below Klamath Falls.

DIES IN A DENTAL CHAIR.

ANACORTES Woman Is Overcome by Administration of Chloroform. —Mrs. H. M. Parco, wife of William Parco, a manufacturer, died today from a weak heart in Mrs. Appleby & Butler's office as a result of chloroform administered in a dental chair.

Means to Guard the Forests.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 4.—(Special).—The State Forestry Commission will make another attempt to secure sufficient subscriptions from mills, loggers, timber-owners and railroads to carry on the forest warden service and protection work started early in the year and later abandoned for lack of funds.

Emmons Out on Bail.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 4.—Ex-State Senator E. J. Emmons, of Kern County, who was found guilty of bribery and sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary at Folsom, was today released from the County Jail on \$10,000 bail.

a weakness that appears in the working of the law, one party being permitted to vote for candidates of the opposite party. Ralston, who lost the Democratic nomination for Councilman, received the nomination on the Republican ballot, that party having no candidate in the primaries.

In the First Ward, Charles Pfeiffer, Democrat, succeeded in securing the nomination of both tickets, using the same system of writing the name in the ballot of the opposing party. The first trial of the primary law also resulted in a tie between two candidates, B. M. Huston and C. N. McKee, both Republicans, tied for the nomination for Marshal. O. P. Dunnals, Republican, and J. J. Whitney, Democrat, were nominated for Mayor without opposition.

WAR ON THE DANCEHALLS

ABERDEEN MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE GOES INTO POLITICS. Trades Council Given Representation at City Convention That Will Name a Full Ticket.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Nov. 4.—(Special).—Action looking to the suppression of dancehalls and other forms of vice was taken by the Ministerial Alliance in secret meetings held recently. Allied with the pastors of the churches are representative lay members. A call will be issued for a city convention to be held in W. O. W. Hall, November 14, and delegates to the number of five have been appointed to each church.

GOLD BRICKS FROM BOHEMIA

SECURITIES COMPANY IS NOT WORKING ON ITS RICHEST ORE. COTTAGE GROVE, Or., Nov. 4.—(Special).—The Oregon Securities Company, of Bohemia, sent out four gold bricks today weighing 98 pounds, containing about \$14,000. This output is the result of 21 gold bars over 100 pounds. The ore they were unable to run the other 20 stamps full time last month on account of the breaking of one of their rock-crushers.

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MINING COMPANY IN TROUBLE.

LA GRANDE, Or., Nov. 4.—(Special).—Attachment papers have been filed against the Carson Consolidated Mining Company, up the Grand Ronde River, to enforce payment of claims for supplies. Immediately after the attachments, Foley, Imhausen & Co. commenced foreclosure proceedings for a balance of about \$20,000 remaining due on the purchase of the mine, which are covered by mortgages. In addition to the foregoing there are labor claims aggregating \$100 or \$150.

Bellingham to Raise Bonus.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Nov. 4.—The Bellingham Chamber of Commerce has adopted plans to inaugurate a campaign for raising \$1,400,000 in land and cash as a bonus, which it is proposed to give for a railroad built eastward from here across the Cascade Mountains, through Northern Washington to Spokane. The proposed line would be about 300 miles long, costing in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000.

Hop Sales at Silverton.

SILVERTON, Or., Nov. 4.—(Special).—Lachmund & Co., of Salem, bought 167 bales of hops of N. A. Snell at 8 cents, and Wolf & Son, of this place, bought 51 bales of Peter Olson at 9 1/2 cents and 14 bales of S. C. Rue at the same price. They bought 49 bales of J. Amber at 9 cents.

IF YOU WANT TO KNOW WHAT SMARTLY DRESSED MEN WILL WEAR THIS SEASON, ASK BEN SELLING



THERE IS a difference between the sort of clothing we sell and that of other stores. THERE IS a certain style about it that is WORKED IN by skillful tailors—who are trained workmen—are paid good wages, and who labor in light, airy workrooms. THERE IS that undefinable something that distinguishes our clothing and proclaims the wearer a well-dressed man. BESIDES IT costs you no more than the ordinary sorts.

Suits \$15 to \$35. Raincoats \$15 to \$35. Topcoats \$15 to \$35.

If you paid the tailor double it could be no better

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ADD TO ITS WATER FRONTAGE.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 4.—(Special).—The Tongue Point Lumber Company today purchased 200 feet of water frontage adjoining its mill from the American Lumber Company.

FELL FROM ELECTRIC-LIGHT POLE.

MUTNE, Mont., Nov. 4.—Thomas Murphy, an electrician, was killed today morning at Anaconda by a fall from a pole.

NORTHWEST DEAD.

EUGENE, Or., Nov. 4.—(Special).—Matthew Laughlin, aged 90 years, died yesterday at his home near Elmira from the effect of injuries received three years ago, when he was caught under a falling tree.

EDNA HOPPER NEEDS CASH

Elegant Country Home Left by Her Mother Will Be Sold.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 4.—(Special).—Edna Hopper, the actress, is in need of funds, and today a petition was filed in the courts by W. S. Leake, the executor of the estate of the late Josephine Dunsmuir, to sell the beautiful home known as Sany Farm.

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Gas Plant Wrecks House.

ARMOUR, S. D., Nov. 4.—(Special).—An acetylene light plant exploded at James Carbo's \$2,000 residence, and the building and contents were destroyed.

Piles Quickly Cured at Home

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