

EBERMAN'S FIGHT FOR POSITION

Patrolman, Twice Removed, Seeks Reinstatement on the Force.

LAW OF CHARTER INVOKED

Civil Service Passed Him as of Good Vision, Though He Lacks One Eye, and Attorney insists Cannot Revoke Order.

R. L. Eberman first achieved local distinction a few months ago by reason of having been suspended from duty as a patrolman on account of the loss of an eye. It was no new thing for him to be thus berated, but it was evidently news to those in authority, as he had passed the physical examination satisfactorily before the examiners of the Civil Service Commission, and had been certified by Dr. Zan, the City Physician, as a possessor of fact he had lost the sight of one eye.

The rules, orders and regulations for the government of the police force are observed and enforced, and he shall have power to suspend any subordinate officer, member or employee for a violation of the same, as prescribed by the Civil Service rules, and shall forthwith report such violation in writing, with his reasons for suspension, to the Executive Board. Upon consideration of the matter, the Executive Board may approve the action of the Chief of Police or may disapprove the same and remand such officer, member or employee to the appointing authorities under the Civil Service rules.



R. L. Eberman, Deposed Patrolman.

LAUREN PEASE IS PROSTRATED

Deserted by His Friends, He Is Under the Care of a Physician.

BOND NOT SATISFACTORY

Watched by Private Detectives Until His Sureties Can Be Investigated by Municipal Judge Cameron.

A dramatic climax has been reached in the career of Lauren Pease. Held to the grand jury by Municipal Judge Cameron on a charge of larceny by embezzlement, deserted by his "butterfly" companions of former days, and now about to be surrendered by his bondsmen, the society man and choir singer lies prostrated in his apartments at the Hobart-Curtis and is under the care of a physician.

Watched by Detectives.

While Pease is held under the present bonds, he is being watched by private detectives to make absolutely certain he does not get away from the city and leave the state in the lurch, in case his bondsmen could not be held. Deputy District Attorney H. G. Gage heard that Mark W. Gill and B. G. Gage were not able to qualify and he decided the state would demand that each appear before Judge Cameron in the Municipal Court tomorrow and satisfy the authorities as to whether they are gilt-edge sureties. If they cannot clearly show their ability to qualify, as shown by them when they were originally accepted by Judge Cameron, the state will demand a new bond and new bondsmen.

While in Washington He Will Speak for Jetty.

Pease has been in ill-health and on the verge of nervous prostration since his arrest. When held to the grand jury by Judge Cameron Friday, he turned ghastly pale and had to hurry from the room to his bed. There he is said to have been confined ever since, under the care of a physician.

HARRIMAN'S ACT PUZZLES

Employees Wonder at Magnate's Request for Insurance Statement. OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—Attaches of the Union Pacific continue to be much perplexed over the strange request of E. H. Harriman for a statement of the amount of old-line insurance each employe carries. The roll at the shops develops that only 3000 out of a total of over 170,000 of insurance is carried in the old-line companies. Harriman's act puzzles the employees, and they are wondering why the magnate should want to know the amount of old-line insurance each employe carries.

GOES TO FAIR OFFICIAL

Mrs. Robert Livingston, wife of the prominent director of the Lewis and Clark Exposition, purchased a superb 1000 Webster Piano at the Elfers Piano House. The case is one of the most beautiful ever shown in the West—a dark mahogany, exquisitely grained and polished to the highest degree possible.

Plumbers' Board Named.

Under the provisions of the city charter requiring the appointment of two master plumbers and one journeyman plumber as a Board of Examiners, Mayor Lane yesterday named Alexander Multhead and Ernest Gillan as master plumbers for the place, and William Gower, journeyman. They are authorized to pass upon all applicants for plumbers' licenses. The Commission has been out of existence ever since the last municipal election, all the old members having tendered their resignations. The Mayor was moved to make the appointments on account of the growing demand for their services.

Another Front-Street Sale.

Another transaction in Front-street property took place yesterday, Mrs. C. A. Morden and Mrs. Robert V. Hall selling their dock between Salmon and Main streets. The purchaser is a Mr. [Name obscured], but the name of the purchaser is withheld.

Elks' Lodge of Sorrow.

The memorial services of the B. P. O. Elks will be held in the Marquam Grand Theater on the first Sunday in December. The programme, which will begin at 2:30 o'clock, will include addresses by some of the most prominent speakers in the city. Arrangements are in charge of a committee consisting of A. H. Ellers, E. W. Moore, Charles A. Boyce, E. E. Peterson and Charles K. Garey.

RAIN! RAIN! RAIN! THOUSANDS OF CRAVENETTE RAINCOATS AT 1-3 VALUE Sale Begins Tomorrow, Monday, Morning at 9 o'Clock and Will Continue for TEN DAYS ONLY!

Cravenettes, Raincoats and Mackintoshes freshly unpacked and every one made by the GOODYEAR RAINCOAT CO., NOW LOCATED AT 109 THIRD STREET. You know what that means. Think of 40,000 Raincoats from the best makes in the world; at such slashing prices they can't last long. Every one was tailored by the best men in the East and made especially for this season's wear. Single or double-breasted, loose or tight fitting, with or without belts, all colors, all weights and many are silk lined. A VISIT TO OUR STORE WILL TELL MORE WONDERS THAN A PAGE OF ADVERTISEMENT.

- FOR MEN WOMEN WOMEN'S RAINCOATS Cape and Coat Styles All Colors. \$1.50 Plain and fancy shades. Actual value \$5.00. \$2.00 to \$3.00 Sale price. Regular \$6.00 to \$10.00. Ladies' Raincoats made of superior quality covert cloths, in tan, gray; full belted back, very latest sleeve; cape effect; trimmed with velvet collars. \$3.75 to \$4.00 Fancy Tweed, Brocade or Serge. Actual value \$10.00 to \$12.00. LADIES' CRAVENETTE RAINCOATS SMART WEAR FOR RAIN OR SUNSHINE. \$5.00 Regular \$11.00 value. Fitted Full Length Raincoats, single and double-breasted styles. Warranted all wool, light and dark colors. \$6.50 and \$7.50 Regular \$12.00 to \$14.00 values. Extremely stylish Raincoats in Oxford, green, tan and brown, in fitted and loose belted back; wing shoulder cape, also triple cape effect; perfect fitting. \$9.75 Regular \$18.00 value. An unusually attractive model fashioned in cape or collarless style; new box plaited or inverted back; semi or tight fitted style; latest sleeve; colors olive, tan or gray; hand-tailored throughout. SPECIAL. \$12.50 to \$15.00 Imported models, made of the finest cravenette cloths. We ask that you see these splendid garments, that you note the style, the make, the finish, that you compare our prices with others that are asking \$25.00 to \$30.00.

MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED IF ACCOMPANIED BY THE MONEY OR EXPRESS ORDER. STATE CHEST AND LENGTH MEASURE. Goodyear Raincoat Co. 109 THIRD ST. Formerly occupied by Portland Trust Co., Bet. Washington and Stark Sts. STORE OPEN EVERY EVENING DURING THIS SALE UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK.

CAREY WILL GIVE HIS AID

While in Washington He Will Speak for Jetty.

Hopes to Assist in Convincing Authorities That Work Should Continue at the Columbia's Mouth.

To aid in obtaining an appropriation by Congress for the continuance of work on the Jetty at the mouth of the Columbia River, Charles H. Carey left last night for Washington, D. C. The Portland Board of Trade at a recent meeting passed a resolution requesting ex-Judge Carey to call upon President Roosevelt and the Secretary of War, and also to talk with prominent members of Congress and urge them to use their influence as far as possible to have an appropriation made and to continue the work on the Jetty. Ex-Judge Carey will remain in Washington for several days, and while there will argue in the United States Supreme Court the suit of the Mead estate and Meier & Frank Company against the City of Portland to prevent the closing of the entrance to the lower Morrison-street wharf. The closing prevents the use of the lower dock. The city won in the state courts, but as there is a constitutional question involved, it was possible to carry the case to the United States Supreme Court. The plaintiffs are the owners of adjacent property. Williams, Wood & Lathrop are counsel with Mr. Carey, and City Attorney L. A. McNary represents the city. The question at issue is if the property owners are entitled to damages and whether the city can close the approach to the wharf without compensating the adjacent property owners.

Speaking concerning the jetty, ex-Judge Carey said: "There will be no river and harbor bill this year. This has been decided by the Secretary of War. The Government is spending so much money on the Panama Canal, and there is a shortage in postal receipts. The coming season will be a hard one for the Government. I am inclined to the opinion, however, that the maintenance of a good jetty is different than other work. The fact that the jetty is liable to be raised by tides and winter storms. The moneys already expended will be lost unless sufficient money is provided to carry on the work during the coming season. I think the matter stands with the Government. Just the same as it would stand with any business man under the same conditions. No business man would allow all his money to be lost entirely simply because he was a little hard up."

What the Charter Says.

Eberman was discharged under section 317 of the charter, which provides that "no employe in the classified civil service shall have been appointed under the provisions of this article shall be removed or discharged except for cause, upon written charges of which one copy shall be served upon him and a duplicate filed with the Commission. Any employe so removed may, within ten days from his removal, demand for investigation a written demand for investigation, which shall be forthwith investigated by or before the Commission, or by or before some officer or board appointed by the Commission to conduct such investigation. The report of the Commission, or such officer or board, when approved by the Commission, shall be certified to the appointing officer and shall be a final order of removal, and shall be a bar to any further employment by the city."

WE'LL SELL IT ANYHOW

The Following Appeared in the Sheet Column of Yesterday's Oregonian. "The latest abomination is a combination clock and music-box, which plays a tune every hour in the day and on the quarter and half hour if desired. Imagine the feelings of a third man returning home at 3 A. M. from a hard night's work at lodge, and hearing the rattling timepiece in the hall executing 'I Don't Care If I Never Wake Up.'"

DELIGHTFUL NEWPORT.

Splendid Weather at This Popular Pacific Coast Resort. Delightful in every particular is the weather at Newport, and the Southern Pacific and the Corvallis & Eastern railroads have resumed their cheap rates to this place for the winter. Particulars by calling at Third and Washington streets, Portland.

PROTEST THE ASSESSMENT

RAILWAYS SAY THE AMOUNTS ARE TOO HIGH. Attorneys Appear for the Corporations to Argue That Assessor Sigler's Figures Be Reduced.

County Judge Webster and Commissioners Barnes and Lightner will hold a conference within the next few days for the purpose of looking into the merits of the protests filed by the various railroad companies possessing properties in this county against the assessments made by Assessor Sigler. Arguments were presented to the board yesterday morning, and many things were brought out that will be given earnest attention. So far, the members of the Board have not ventured to state whether or not the arguments of the representatives of the railroads will be given favorable consideration. J. W. Morrow, tax and right of way agent for the O. R. & N. Company, bringing the case before the Board morning by making the startling statement that not 10 per cent of the personal property of Multnomah County was on the assessment roll. He said the county could enforce the collection of the assessments of the railroads will be given favorable consideration.

NOT AGAINST BELT LINE

Thomas McCusker States His Position Regarding Front Street. Thomas McCusker says he is not opposed to a belt line along the waterfront; that he does not want a franchise for it; that he is perfectly willing to have the shippers themselves establish rates for the handling of cars along Front street, and he believes that if anything shall be done at all for the benefit of commerce in the way of transportation facilities it should be attended to without delay, or the interests of the merchants will suffer materially. He says that the best belt line could not be made ready for operation within five years.

"PUBLICITY IS THE PRIME MINISTER OF TRADE"

Announcement Extraordinary

We take pleasure in announcing the creation of a new department, in addition to those we now have, to be known as the Department of Practical Advertising Modern Advertising In all its branches COST OF FULL COURSE—SIX MONTHS—\$25.00 STUDENTS ARE NOW BEING ENROLLED For further particulars apply to Behnke-Walker Business College ELKS' BUILDING—SEVENTH AND STARK STREETS H. W. BEHNKE, President I. M. WALKER, Principal DAY AND NIGHT GLASSES—ALL BUSINESS BRANCHES TAUGHT

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL

Few People Know How Useful It Is in Preserving Health and Beauty. Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant, purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose. Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better. It not a drug at all, but it absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestine, and it cleanses the system. Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables. Charcoal effectively clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and removes the tartar that accumulates on the teeth and throat from the poison of decay. All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless substances in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant-tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey and carried them out of the system.

FRONT-STREET FRANCHISE.

PORTLAND, Nov. 18.—(To the Editor.)—We presume that nearly everyone is familiar with the agitation now going on regarding the Front-street franchise. We desire to present the facts to the public and ask only that you treat it on its merits. We have known Mr. McCusker personally for a number of years, and having the utmost confidence in his judgment and integrity, asked him to represent us in trying to secure a franchise to operate an electric line on Front street. While we thought that the public might at first glance think that Mr. McCusker represented other interests, still we felt sure that those who knew him could rely on his word when he made the positive assertion that he only represented ourselves, but it seems that he has been handicapped by Mr. Harriman, consequently we take this opportunity of saying that neither the Harriman system nor any other railroad corporation is interested in this matter, and we trust that the public will give us the credit as citizens and business men of Portland of not being a party to any scheme to obtain a franchise under false pretenses for the purpose of turning it over to some railroad corporation to the detriment of the interests of the city. We think that our standing in this community entitles us to this consideration.

Painting of Crater Lake.

Through the efforts of Colonel L. L. Hawkins, the Museum at the City Hall has been enriched by the addition of a beautiful oil painting of Crater Lake, from the brush of Edwin L. Foraker, a young artist of Klamath Falls. It was secured as a special attraction and suspended yesterday from the fourth floor of the north corridor of the City Hall, where it attracted a great deal of attention. It is 25x10 feet, and will be on exhibition for at least a year under special arrangement with Artist Foraker.

AFTER CLOUDS COMES SUNSHINE.

AFTER SICKNESS COMES HEALTH. AFTER WEAKNESS COMES STRENGTH. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is what does it all. It's a wonder worker for women because it is Nature's remedy, adapted to the needs of twentieth century women. NO ALCOHOL, NO NARCOTIC, NO INJURIOUS DRUG. Made of glyceric extracts from roots, therefore their virtues grow in them in Nature's laboratory, viz: Lady's Slipper root, Black Cohosh root, Unicorn root, Blue Cohosh root, and Golden Seal root; extracted, combined, preserved without alcohol, by Doctor Pierce's own scientific process, and in the most exact proportions to secure the best effects. If in need of careful, competent advice before beginning treatment, you will receive it without charge by writing, and stating your case, to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y. All letters confidentially received and answers sent in securely sealed envelopes. "I was a great sufferer for six years," writes Mrs. Geo. Borden, of 64 Bond Street, Saratoga, Mich. "I commenced to take your Favorite Prescription" and have taken ten bottles in all. Am now regular after having missed two years and suffered with pain in the head and back. Was so nervous could not eat or sleep. Now I can thank you for my recovery." Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic.