

PAYMENT THROUGHOUT  
MAYOR IS SCHEME

The Dalles Council Would Circumvent Present System of Signing Warrants.

RECALL TALK GETS NOUGHT

Lawyer Can't Be Found Who Will Institute Proceedings Against Council—Business Men Propose to Unite Factions Soon.

THE DALLES, Or., July 12.—(Special.)—The controversy over the issuance of city warrants, which followed as the result of the "falling out" between Mayor and the Council over the executive appointments, promises further excitement.

Mayor Anderson announced two days ago that he would not sign warrants ordered by the Council unless they were signed by L. H. Arneson, the unconfirmed appointee for Recorder. If the Mayor could not get the Council to annul the present ordinance and pass a new measure in its place, providing that some official other than the Mayor, the chairman of the finance committee, for instance, shall affix his name to the warrants.

Council Could Outvote Mayor. Mayor Anderson would undoubtedly veto such ordinances, but as it only takes the votes of two-thirds of the Councilmen, or six, to pass a measure over his veto, and as the strength of his opponents is seven, the ordinance could be enacted over his head.

The finance committee today ordered Treasurer Barnett to draw a check and send a draft for \$125 to a local bank, this amount being due as interest on sewer bonds. The matter of the issuance of the warrant to cover Barnett's check will be settled at a later date, Barnett followed the orders of the finance committee. The Treasurer announced last Wednesday that he would not honor any warrant unless it was signed by Arneson as Recorder.

After being threatened with arrest by City Attorney Wilson, if he failed to honor warrants for that reason, Barnett changed his mind and announced on the following day that he would accept any warrant which was signed by George F. Ross, whom Mayor Anderson has failed to oust as Recorder. It was then that Mr. Anderson announced his intention of signing no warrant without the signature of Arneson thereto.

Recall Talk Fruitless. Friends of the Mayor contemplate bringing recall proceedings against the seven Councilmen who are opposing the Mayor. They attempted today to retain a local attorney to represent them in the matter, but the lawyer absolutely refused to have anything to do with the proposed action. So far the friends of Anderson have failed to find a single local lawyer to institute the proceedings for the recall of the Mayor. However, the Councilmen say they would welcome an attempt to invoke the recall against them, because they expect such action would result in a large majority of the citizens are behind the Council in its fight with the Mayor.

The five men appointed as policemen by Mr. Anderson Monday, but who failed of confirmation at the hands of the Council and were later appointed special agents by Mayor West, continue to walk around the city without attempting to arrest any one. It is reported that some of them are tired of their jobs and the jobbing they have been compelled to take from people generally.

Compromise is Proposed. Business men have taken a hand in the differences between Mr. Anderson and the members of his Council. They are trying to effect a compromise on the matter of appointments and it is expected that an agreement will be reached early next week.

MORROW HARVEST STARTS

First Grain Threshed Gives Promise of Good Yields.

IONE, Or., July 12.—(Special.)—Harvest has started in Morrow County and the first load of grain was hauled to one today by Charles Hays. The grain is first-class and weighs heavy. The late rains have insured a good crop for most of the county. Ben Bushke, one of the county's leading farmers, says his crop will be fully as good as in 1912, when he had a record yield.

Many harvest hands, including college and high school boys from Portland, Eugene and Corvallis, are arriving daily. Average wages will be paid by ranchers.

REV. H. G. EDGAR DUE SOON

Seattle Pastor to Give Farewell Sermon Tomorrow.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 12.—(Special.)—The Rev. H. G. Edgar, pastor of the Olympic Court United Presbyterian Church, will preach his farewell sermon tomorrow, after a successful pastorate of seven years.

Mr. Edgar, who has won a multitude of friends, is a quiet, unassuming minister of kindly personality, and has made his presence felt in the community of his church as well as in the broader field of ministerial federation.

PIONEER PREACHER DIES

Rev. M. M. Skipworth, Methodist, Passes at Age of 84.

EUGENE, Or., July 12.—(Special.)—Rev. M. M. Skipworth, a pioneer Methodist minister of Oregon, died at his home here early this morning, aged 84 years. He came to Eugene eight years ago from Redmond.

Besides a widow he leaves four children: Mrs. M. L. Pipes, Portland; Rev. Walton Skipworth, Newburg, Or.; G. F. Skipworth, City Attorney of Eugene; and Mrs. W. H. Wood, Walterville, Or.

CAPITAL STOCK IS EXEMPT

Life Insurance Companies Not to Be Taxed on Fall Holdings.

District Attorney Evans has given the County Commissioners an opinion in which he holds that there is no law in Oregon permitting capital stock of

Life insurance companies to be assessed and taxed. The question came up on petition of the Columbia Life & Trust Company, which protested against a full assessment on its capital stock of \$200,000, asserting that only its tangible assets should be assessed. Mr. Evans agrees with this view.

SALEM MAN ACCEPTS CHAIR AT MONMOUTH NORMAL

L. P. Gilmore. MONMOUTH, Or., July 12.—(Special.)—President J. H. Ackerman has tendered the chair of science in the State Normal School to L. P. Gilmore, of Salem. Mr. Gilmore has accepted the offer. He will begin work September 1.

Mr. Gilmore is a graduate of Lehigh Valley University, Penn. He has been teaching in Oregon for the last four years. Last year he was a member of the Salem High School faculty. Mr. Gilmore is an expert in teaching agriculture in schools. Professor Beaumont resigns in order to study at Cornell University.

but the proper thing would be to assess his money, notes and accounts and other personal property and real estate. That is what should be done in the present case.

Portland Boy Wins Honor. Nelson Gammans Graduates at Harvard With High Honors.

Nelson Gammans, son of Mrs. G. G. Gammans, of Portland, has just been graduated from Harvard, together with 500 other students. Mr. Gammans was one of his classmates who graduated with cum laude honors.

Mr. Gammans won the Sumner prize for the best essay, which is regarded a high distinction. The subject of his essay related to international peace, the title being "Responsibility of the State for Injuries to Foreigners." The essay received the approval of the faculty and will be published in some established magazine.

Mr. Gammans will remain at Harvard to study law. Upon the completion of his course he will return to Portland to practice.

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Evening Ore

PORTLAND, OREGON, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 1913.

BIG BUILDING BURNED AS PARADE PASSES

Mack Furniture Store Damaged \$95,000

STREET THROWS IN DANGER Sparks Ignite Decorations on Perkins Hotel Building.

FLOAT GIRLS DRENCHED Police Break From Head of Municipal Pageant to Open Way for Apparatus Through Crowd.

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J. G. Mack & Co. Furniture store... Mack Furniture Store... Damaged \$95,000

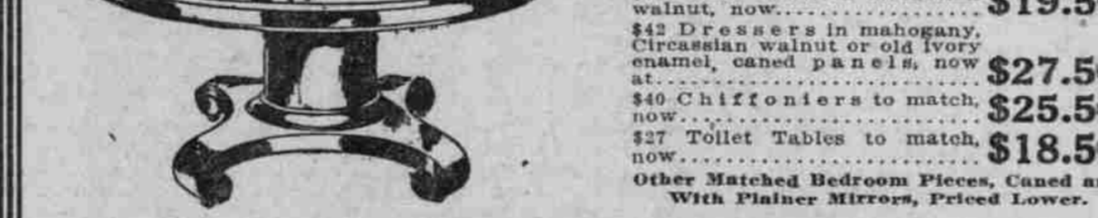
Fire broke out in the Mack Furniture Store... The fire was caused by sparks from the Perkins Hotel building... The store was completely destroyed...

DINING-ROOM FURNITURE  
Serving Tables, Buffets, China Cabinets and Dining Tables.

\$16 Serving Table in the fumed oak, now... \$5.75  
\$22.50 Serving Table in the fumed oak, now... \$11.00  
\$14 Serving Table in the fumed oak, now... \$11.50  
\$38 Serving Table in oak, early English finish, now... \$12.00  
\$20 Serving Table in golden oak, now... \$11.50  
\$25 Serving Table in golden oak, now... \$9.75  
\$35 Serving Table in mahogany, now... \$18.50  
\$32.50 Serving Table in mahogany, now... \$18.75  
\$75 Fine Serving Table in Circassian walnut, now... \$18.75  
\$55 Colonial Serving Table in mahogany, now... \$19.75  
\$35 Colonial Serving Table in mahogany, now... \$17.50  
\$43 Oak Buffet in waxed golden finish, now... \$21.50  
\$50 China Cabinet in fumed oak, now... \$23.50  
\$40 Buffet in the golden oak, now... \$24.00  
\$50 Buffet in the golden oak, now... \$28.50

BEDROOM FURNITURE  
Wood Beds, Dressers, Chiffoniers, Toilet Tables and Sannocers.

\$25 Full-Size Mahogany Bed, now... \$8.50  
\$35 Golden Oak Colonial-style Bed, three-quarter size, now... \$16.00  
\$32 Golden Oak Colonial-style Bed, three-quarter size, now... \$11.75  
\$27.50 Mahogany Poster Bed, full size, now... \$17.00  
\$42 Mahogany Bed, with cane top, 11 1/2 ft. full or 10 ft. in size, now... \$27.50  
\$65 Mahogany Four-Poster, full-size or twin beds, now... \$38.50  
\$15 Sannocers in mahogany, now... \$8.75  
\$18 Toilet Table in Circassian walnut, now... \$10.75  
\$25 Dresser in Birdseye Maple, now... \$12.75  
\$25 Dresser in mahogany now... \$16.50  
\$37 Toilet Table in Circassian walnut, now... \$19.50  
\$42 Dressers in mahogany, Circassian walnut or old ivory enamel, cased panels, now... \$27.50  
\$40 Chiffoniers to match, now... \$25.50  
\$27 Toilet Tables to match, now... \$18.50  
Other Matched Bedroom Pieces, Cased and With Plainer Mirrors, Priced Lower.



Carpets, Rugs and Linoleum  
Were Never Before so Low in Price

RIGELOW AND WHITTALL WILTON CARPETS—A few patterns left. These fabrics are the standard of excellence in carpet weaving. Regular prices \$2.50 to \$3.50 yard. NOW... 75c to \$2.50 Yard

PLAIN VELVET AND PLUSH CARPETS—Much in vogue at present—brown, rose, tan and green. Some colors in double width. Regular prices from \$2 to \$4 a yard. NOW... \$1.35 to \$2.75 Yard

EXTRA WILTON VELVET CARPETS—In single and double width. Several especially good patterns. This very durable but medium-priced carpet. Regularly \$3.00 to \$4.00 yard. NOW... 90c to \$2.75 Yard

VELVET CARPETS—The best of low-priced pile carpets in artistic designs and colorings. A few good patterns. Regularly \$1.50 to \$2.50 yard. NOW... 65c to 90c Yard

AXMINSTER CARPETS—The standard qualities only, and never priced so low. Regularly \$1.50 to \$2.50 yard. NOW... 75c to \$1.25 Yard

BODY BRUSSELS CARPET—Several dainty chintz effects in yellow, blue, pink and green, with artistic narrow borders. The ideal bedroom carpet. Regular price \$1.50 a yard. NOW... 50c to \$1.15 Yard

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS CARPET—The best ten-wire grade that means years of good service. Regular price \$1.50 a yard. NOW... 57c to \$1.15 Yard

VELVET STAIR RUNNERS—One yard wide, in soft rich colorings and small all-over designs. Regularly \$1.25 to \$1.75 yard. NOW... \$1.25 to \$1.75 Yard

INLAIN LINOLEUM—Some very good patterns that sell regularly from \$1.25 to \$1.35 Sq. Yd. to \$1.80 sq. yd. NOW... 95c to \$1.35 Sq. Yd.

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300 Slightly Soiled Window Shades ranging in size from three feet by seven feet to 54 inches by seven feet, in assorted colors, NOW 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 50c EACH

LINOLEUM REMNANTS—Printed and Inlaid Lino. ranging in size from 3 1/2 ft. by 2 1/2 ft. to 6 ft. by 7 ft. 6 in. NOW... 25c to \$1.50 EACH

COCOA MATTING—The highest grade, in one-yard, one-and-a-half-yard and two-yard widths. Regularly 90c sq. yd. NOW 65c Sq. Yd.

Several Remnants at 10c to 15c Square Yard. \$40 to \$47.50 Royal Worcester, Serapi, Tepra and Qualities of Winton. Regularly \$1.25 to \$3.75. NOW... \$26.75 to \$35.75

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Including our splendid line of Rag, Chenille and Wilton Rugs, ranging in size from the 24x36-in. to the 36x72-in. size: priced regularly from 90c to \$1. NOW AT... 65c to \$7.75

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Upholstered Easy Chairs and Rockers, Sofas, Library Tables, Piano Benches, Desks, Cellarettes, Magazine Stands, Etc.

\$17.50 Large Fumed Oak Arm Rocker, with leather seat, now... \$12.50  
\$27.50 Upholstered Arm Rocker, with solid Cuban mahogany frame, now... \$16.75  
\$32 Mahogany Arm Chair now... \$18.00  
\$30 Solid Mahogany Arm Rocker, now... \$19.50  
\$33 Upholstered Arm Chair, with mahogany frame, now... \$21.50  
\$45 Mahogany Arm Chair, upholstered, now... \$22.50  
\$35 Solid Mahogany Arm Rocker, upholstered, now... \$23.00  
\$45 Large Fumed Oak Arm Rocker, with Spanish leather cushion seat and back, now... \$22.50

\$27.50 Fumed Oak or Waxed Golden Oak Heavy Library Table for... \$15.75  
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\$42.50 Massive Library Table in fumed oak, now... \$25.00  
\$42.50 Library Table in waxed golden oak, now... \$27.50  
\$130 Colonial Secretary, mahogany, now... \$65.00  
\$35 Solid Mahogany Oak-Top Colonial Library Table, now... \$67.50  
\$170 Solid Mahogany, Hand-Carved Library Table, now... \$98.00  
\$35 Solid Mahogany Colonial Library Table, now... \$49.50  
\$135 Mahogany Library Table, heavy Colonial scroll, now... \$79.00  
\$18.50 Mahogany Table Desk, now... \$12.00  
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\$22.50 Solid Mahogany Book or Magazine Rack, now... \$14.50  
\$28 Fumed Oak Cellarette, now... \$16.25  
\$35.50 Mahogany Cellarette, now... \$22.50  
\$75 Mahogany Cellarette—a complete appointed piece—humidor, decanters, glass, porcelain tray, card and chip rack, etc., now... \$52.50  
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\$45 Upholstered Easy Arm Chair, now... \$33.00  
\$75 Mahogany Arm Chair, upholstered, now... \$40.00  
\$37 Chippendale Arm Chair, upholstered, with horse cushion seat, now... \$39.00  
\$35 Overstuffed Easy Arm Chair, now... \$34.00  
\$125 Elizabethan High-Back Sofa, solid mahogany frame, now... \$60.00  
\$135 Mahogany Sofa, Colonial, now... \$88.50  
\$15 Mahogany Center Table for... \$6.50

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