

CAR-FARE BATTLE OPENS TOMORROW

City Council's Suit to Overthrow Ruling Is to Be Filed Immediately.

EARLY DECISION EXPECTED

City Attorney Declares He Has High Hope of Winning Action—Power of Service Commission to Be Fully Determined.

The City Council's suit, in an effort to overthrow the 6-cent streetcar fare in Portland, will be started tomorrow, according to plans announced yesterday by the attorneys in the case.

The complaint, which has been framed by City Attorney LaRoche and Special Attorneys Martin Pipes and Wilson T. Hume, will be filed probably tomorrow morning and will be filed at once in the Circuit Court. An effort will be made to get an early decision and to carry the case to the State Supreme Court as quickly as possible.

City Attorney LaRoche said yesterday that he and the other attorneys in the case have high hopes of winning the suit. "One thing is sure," said Mr. LaRoche, "we are going to make as hard a legal battle as we are able. When we get through there will be no unsettled question as to the law regarding franchises and the jurisdiction and power of the Public Service Commission."

Commission's Power Questioned.

The complaint to be filed will tackle the legality of the 6-cent fare from various angles. The main question will be on the power of the Public Service Commission to alter the provisions of the franchise of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company calling for a 6-cent fare. Although this question has been decided once by the State Supreme Court, the attorneys in the case now figure they have additional points which may cause a different decision. Also they have other contentions to make.

Mr. LaRoche said yesterday that unless the City Council gives instructions, the attorneys will go ahead with the case without consulting the council. The value, as arrived at by the accountants and engineers to be sent in to the company's books by the council, will be of no use in the case of the 6-cent fare, if the figures should show that the appraisal as made by the Public Service Commission is too low. If such facts are established, the council can be used in subsequent action by the city.

Although the City Council has appropriated \$20,000 to cover the cost of the appraisal of the company's property, no steps have been taken as yet to perfect an organization of accountants and engineers. This task was left to City Commissioners Kehlaker, Bigelow and Barber, the three having been appointed by Mayor Baker. They may have a meeting early this week to discuss the matter, but it is not expected to get started until this week and the extent to which the city intends to go is determined, the length of time to be required for the work is uncertain.

Yakima Students Graduate.

YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 2.—(Special)—Forty-nine students of the Yakima grammar school graduated today into high school work. The enrollment of the high school already is 413 and is expected to reach 750 before the close of the year. The high school building is inadequate to the present attendance and several portable buildings will be erected on the campus to accommodate the overflow classes.

Cottage Grove Berry Plants Bloom.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., Feb. 2.—(Special)—As further testimony to the mild, springlike weather that has prevailed during the winter season, the cottage grove has found a patch of wild strawberries in full bloom. Undoubtedly the hillsides about the city are covered with the blossoms, but it is not likely that any berries will be produced from them.

Farmers' Union Petitions Congress.

PENDLETON, Or., Feb. 2.—(Special)—The Farmers' Union of Umatilla County has telegraphed the Oregon delegation in Congress asking that the warehouse, where the grain is actually turned over to the Government instead of the terminal city such as Portland or Spokane, be established as a primary market.

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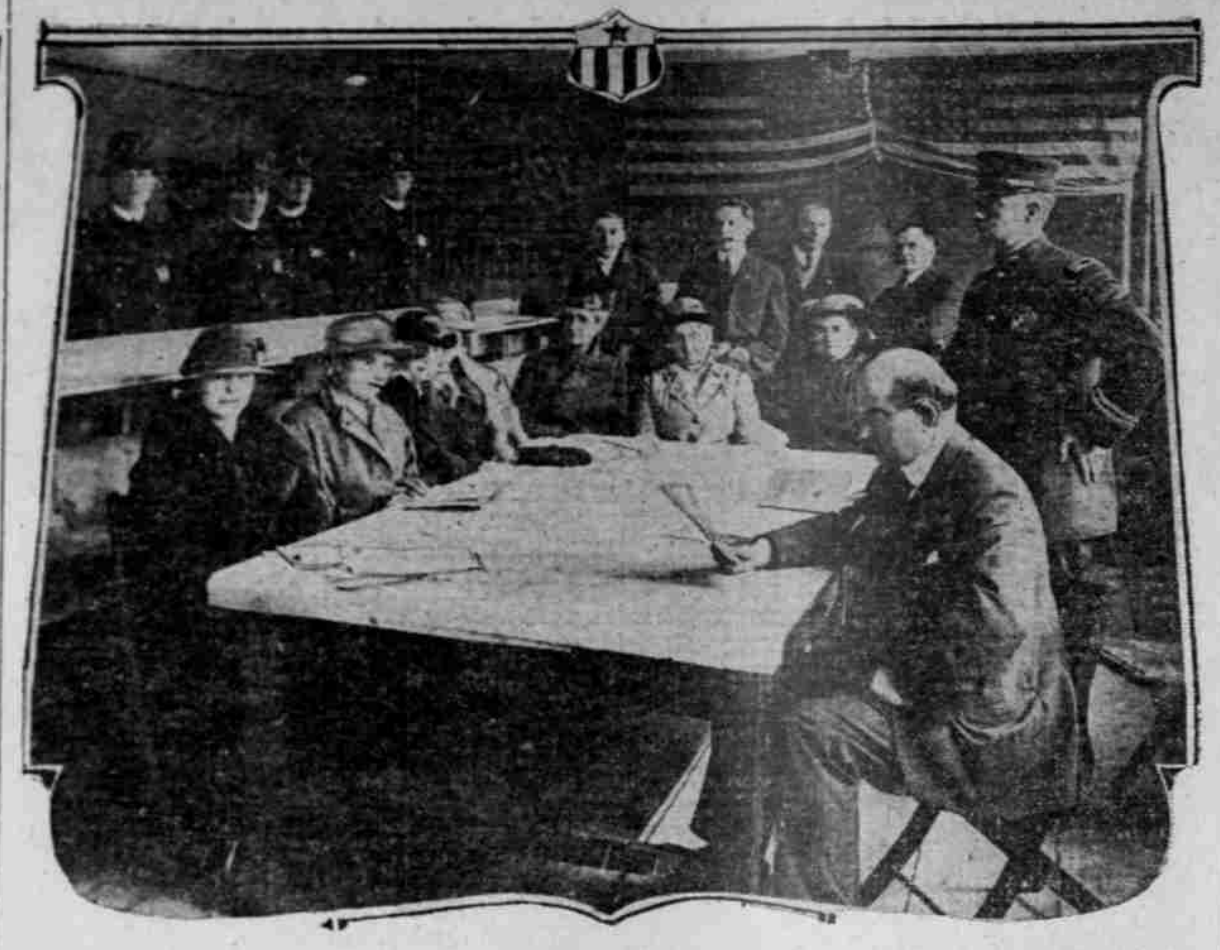
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Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danduffe from any drug store or toilet counter for a few cents, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of flowery hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Danduffe is the hair wash that fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. It stimulates and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.—Adv.

REGISTRATION OF GERMAN ENEMY ALIENS, NUMBERING ABOUT 2000 IN PORTLAND, WILL BEGIN TOMORROW.



CHIEF OF POLICE JOHNSON AND CAPTAIN HARMS DELIVER FINAL INSTRUCTIONS TO MEMBERS OF STAFF WHO WILL ASSIST IN THE WORK.

POLICE ARE READY

Registration of Enemy Aliens to Begin Tomorrow.

EXTRA FORCE IS REQUIRED

Work of Signing Up Germans to Continue for Five Days From 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.—2000 Affected by President's Order.

Registration of German enemy aliens, as provided for by proclamation of President Wilson, will start at police headquarters, Second and Oak streets, at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning and will continue for five days under the supervision of Chief of Police Johnson and Captain Harms. They will be assisted by a picked staff of 30 men and women.

As the regulations require that the registration places shall be kept open from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M., it will be necessary to work two shifts, thus doubling the number necessary to carry on the work. The staff has been recruited from the bureau of police and from various other departments of the city and a few have been employed from outside.

Among the requirements of the Government is that each enemy alien—any unnaturalized German above 14 years of age—shall furnish four photographs of himself on this paper with a white background. This provision has served to bring about a string of small temporary galleries along Oak and Second streets, near police headquarters, those entering the business figuring that it will be impossible for the 2000 Germans affected to furnish the type of picture demanded, and they are in readiness to do this work on short notice for all who need it.

The police have been designated by the United States authorities to perform this work and have made all arrangements, so that they will be ready to proceed on the dot tomorrow morning.

"I hope that those who must be registered will not hang back and later regret the registration room," said Chief Johnson yesterday. "It is a task of no small proportions to handle 2000 people in five days and we hope those concerned will not put off their part in this until the last minute, but will register forward and have done with it. We should have a steady stream of aliens at the room all day long, as that will keep our force busy and will make it possible to give everyone the best of treatment without hurrying anyone."

Chief Johnson and Captain Harms yesterday afternoon gave the final instructions to the staff that is to handle the first registration of German enemy aliens.

FRANK WATKINS NAMED

AUTOMOBILE CLUB RE-ELECTS HIM AS PRESIDENT.

Active Campaign for New Members Planned to Make Organization Greater Aid to Motorists.

Frank H. Watkins was re-elected to a second term as president of the Oregon State Motor Association, formerly the Portland Automobile Club, and James D. Abbott was re-elected secretary at the first meeting of the new board of trustees of the association, which was held last week at the Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. C. W. Cornelius was elected vice-president, and F. C. Stutzler was named treasurer. George M. Chambers was again chosen assistant secretary.

OREGON NORMAL ACTIVE

Girls Divide Themselves Into Groups to Work for Red Cross.

OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL, Monthmouth, Feb. 2.—(Special)—The Oregon Normal school is taking an active interest in the work of the Red Cross. The girls have divided themselves into groups of 12. Each group is providing

WOMAN IS HONORED

Mrs. Frank Luncheon Guest of Co-operative League.

CHILD LEGISLATION URGED

President of City Federation of Women's Clubs Is Presented With Bouquet of Roses in Appreciation of Her Uniting Work.

Mrs. J. G. Frankel, president of the newly formed City Federation of Women's Organizations, was honored yesterday at a luncheon given by the Women's Co-operative League in the Portland Hotel. The hostess organization was founded by Mrs. Frankel, and she had been its presiding officer for more than a year, and the gathering of 250 persons was to pay tribute to her as a retiring leader of one club and her inauguration as head of a larger and broader body of women.

The addresses of the day were of a serious nature, expressing first of all the great appreciation of the women for Mrs. Frankel's "ability, fine womanliness and splendid leadership."

Mrs. George W. McMath, successor of Mrs. Frankel as head of the Co-operative League, presided with distinction. Mrs. Frankel spoke graciously after she had been presented with a handsome bouquet of roses by Mrs. Lee Arnett. The aims of the federation to be helpful, to consider the interests of women and children, to co-operate with the best efforts of all the clubs but to interfere with none, were enumerated by Mrs. Frankel.

Insect Control Discussed.

A. J. Jaenicke, forest examiner in charge of insect control in the forests of Oregon and Washington, has returned from a conference with the insect experts of a number of the Eastern National forests, in which co-operative work was arranged for the control of insects in the forests of this district.

Portland Forester to Lecture.

A. G. Jackson, in charge of educational work in the Portland offices of the United States Forest Service, will leave Monday for Ellensburg, Wash., where he will deliver a lecture before the State Normal School on the subject of Government forest work in Washington.

Child Legislation Sought.

Among the plans, the federation will endeavor to sponsor a bill providing for a juvenile court that shall be separate and distinct; to back another bill to control the attendance of children at

"LUANA" FOUND IN COUNTRY OF "THE BIRD OF PARADISE"

Miss Marion Hutchins, Who Plays Leading Role in Famous Play, Met Author on Hawaiian Islands.

SELECTED by the author of the play in the country where the scenes of that drama are laid, photographed under the shadow of Mount Pelee in native costume among the palms and given an opportunity to learn the customs of the people on the island was the unusual experience of Miss Marion Hutchins, who, in season, appears in the role of Luana in "The Bird of Paradise" at the Helix Theatre, February 7, for three nights and Saturday matinee.

It all came about through Miss Hutchins spending her summer vacation on the Hawaiian Islands. There she met Richard Walton Tully, author of the play, who also spends several months each summer in Honolulu and the surrounding country.

"Just the woman I have been thinking about for the Luana part," exclaimed Mr. Tully on being introduced to the actress. "I have seen you in several plays in New York. Will you assume the role this season?"

Miss Hutchins decided she would. She had seen "The Bird of Paradise" and been impressed with the possibilities of the Hawaiian girl. As she said afterward, it was a role entirely to her liking.

Mr. Tully and Miss Hutchins traveled together to the city of Honolulu. Here another surprise was in store for the author. Harry Atwell, Chicago photographer, was also spending the summer in "the paradise of the Pacific" and was enthusiastically "Heaven surely sent you here."

Atwell was introduced to Miss Hutchins, and Tully immediately arranged for the taking of special photographs of the actress. Tully knows his Hawaii well. He knew just where to obtain a picturesque native costume and where the choice and pretty locations were.

MISS MARION HUTCHINS



Miss Marion Hutchins as Luana.

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the motion-picture shows, to secure a hospital for crippled children, to provide for the censorship of public amusements and to get the School Board to provide deans of women in all high schools and colleges. Miss Edna Groves, censorship of public amusements, Mrs. Anton Gieslich. The remaining chairmen will be appointed next Saturday.

Mrs. Frankel announced that she is not receiving any salary in connection with any club or public office, and that she has no political ambitions.

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THE WILL OF GOD

THOUGH OPPOSED, YET EVENTUALLY SUPREME

By Dr. JAMES E. TALMAGE
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Do you believe that "Whatever is in the right" I do not; I cannot believe it. If right means accordance with the will of God surely there is much wrong in the world.

But it is argued, God is omnipotent, and therefore has power to direct all things as He wills. Granted. Nevertheless both scriptural and secular history, as also the turbulent course of current events combine to show that transgression of Divine law is as old as the race, and as persistent.

God is the author of the law of liberty of action. It is the will of God that this birthright of human freedom shall be inviolate; but it is contrary to the Divine intent that man shall abuse his agency, and misconstrue his liberty as license for wrongdoing.

In the days of Samuel the Israelites clamored for a king. They were tired of the theocracy under which they had prospered, and wanted to be "like all nations," a monarchy, with a king wearing a crown, wearing a scepter, and sitting enthroned in state. Read I Samuel, chapter 8. This condition had been foreseen and foretold; nevertheless the people and their king, and the Lord yielded under protest. There is real pathos in His words to the prophet: "They have not rejected thee, but they have rejected me, that I should not reign over them."

They had their king, and a long succession of monarchs, many of whom proved to be veritable tyrants, and the people groaned under the oppression against which they had been forewarned.

In the course of Israel's troubled journey from Egypt where they had dwelt as in a "house of bondage" to the promised land, the Lord gave them many laws and established ordinances for their government in both temporal and spiritual matters. He promised and His encouragement promised blessings of inestimable worth, predicated upon their obedience to the laws of righteousness, and their allegiance to Himself as God and King. In contrast He described in harrowing detail the state of abject misfortune and blighting suffering into which they would fall if they departed from the path of rectitude and followed the sinful practices of the heathen. As the result of their progress, the fact is made plain that Israel had chosen the evil alternative, forfeiting the blessings and reaping the curses.

Was it the will of God, think you, that Israel should sin? Can it be the Divine will that any man, or nation shall come under the thrall of iniquity? Is it the will of God that man shall make of himself a drunken sot, with reason dethroned, and might and judgment as if by magic, and that man shall oppress his fellows by unrighteous dominion, robbing them of the rights upon which the Lord has bestowed to inflict upon them even though those rights be grossly misused? Is it the will of God that woman's virtue shall be bartered for gold, and that she shall stalk unchallenged through the world?

To hold that these abominations accord with the Divine will is to make God responsible for the sins of men, and the author of sin. The very thought is blasphemous.

God's omnipotence is manifest in the over-ruling of which eventual good results from immediate evil. The crime of the ages, consummated on the slopes of Calvary, provided the means of salvation to the world; but the awful guilt of the betrayal, of the false testimony and the crucifixion is no whit diminished by the glorious outcome.

Through the successive captivities and the general desolation of Israel, which came as the consequence of their infidelity to Jehovah, a knowledge of the true and living God has been diffused among various and sundry peoples. And thus the nation's calamity has been made to serve Divine purposes.

Sanctified upon the frightful carnage and inhuman atrocities of the world war as a manifestation of the direct will of God. This dreadful conflict was not the result of man's power and greed of gain. It sprang from an unholy determination to rob mankind of God-given rights, and to subject the world to the domination of a few. It is a repetition of the issue at stake in the primeval struggle, when Michael, the champion of free agency, led his hosts against Lucifer and his demons, who sought to rule by might. (See Rev. 12:7-9). Read the record given to the world through modern revelation.

"And I, the Lord God, spake unto Moses, saying: 'That Satan, whom thou hast called the anointed one, and the Only Begotten, is the same which was from the beginning, and he came before me, saying: Behold, here am I, send me, I will be thy servant, and will redeem all mankind, that one soul shall not be lost, and surely I will do it; wherefore give up the Son of Man, which I have loved, and whom I have chosen from the beginning, said unto me:—Father, thy will be done, and the glory.'"

Wherefore, because that Satan rebelled against me, and sought to destroy the agency of man, which I, the Lord God, had given unto man, who did not believe upon me, and who should give unto him mine own power; by the power of mine Only Begotten, I caused that he should be cast down; and he became Satan, yea, the devil, the father of all lies, to deceive and to blind men, and to lead them captive at his will, even as many as would not heed unto my voice. (Pearl of Great Price, Moses 3:1-4).

In the free exercise of agency and the right of decision, our nation has been solemnly entered the present conflict in the interests of righteousness. Out of the seething carnage shall crystallize the Kingdom of peace and the liberties of men; and thus enriched the world shall be the more prepared to receive the Christ, whose coming shall be the consummation shall be holy, whereby the rights of all men shall be respected and assured.

God's power and glory shall be manifest in eventual victory for the right, and in the good that shall spring from present evil. But in the eternal accounting, responsibility for the crime whereby this war was precipitated shall weigh upon the man, men, nation or nations, who did the bidding in the attempt to thwart mankind.

Thus the hand of God is potent in the furtherance of right; and though His will be done, yet He will not blot out the transgression, evil shall be followed by good. Divine displeasure is directed against all "who confess not His hand in all their doings, and who have not kept His commandments." (Doctrine & Covenants 62:21).

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