

EXTEND LIFE OF FRANCHISE

North Bend Council Grants Seymour Bell Gas Privileges for 50 Years.

WORK TO BEGIN AT ONCE

Construction of Plant Will Be Rushed to Completion—Located at Porter.

The city council of North Bend held a meeting Tuesday night and extended the franchise lately granted Seymour Bell for gas privileges for thirty years to fifty years. Work on the gas plant has been waiting some time on this action and now that the extension has been made, Mr. Bell has ordered work to commence the first part of next week and continue uninterruptedly until the plant is ready for operation both in Marshfield and North Bend.

As stated in this paper some weeks since, the plant will be located on land adjoining the central station of the electric system, at Porter. The gas system will be high pressure, and will be manufactured by the Cincinnati Gas Machine Company of Cincinnati, Ohio. Crude oil from the California oil fields, will be employed in making gas, and Mr. Bell states the plant will be completed and in operation within five months. The piping for the main conduits leading from the plant to each city will be three-inch steel, and it will follow the water level for most of the distance both ways.

FURNITURE COMPANY BEGINS OPERATIONS

North Bend Concern Has Orders Enough to Keep Running Several Months.

The Coos Bay Furniture Company, of North Bend, will open its factory the first of next week and commence operations with a force of seven or eight experienced workmen. Mr. Duncan, manager of the concern, has work ahead for a period of six months, all first class and high grade. Among the first articles he will turn out is the set of fir upholstered furniture which was ordered for the Governor's room in the state house by the North Bend Commercial Club. There are other orders for specially finished work, and all native and several foreign woods will be worked. A specialty will be slash-grain fir, another myrtle.

BERT McCULLOCH TO RESIGN POSITION

Popular Night Watchman Has Better Prospects in View—Excellent Record.

The resignation of Bert McCulloch will be considered at the next meeting of the city council. Mr. McCulloch has been night watchman for nearly a year or nearly four

years, and during that time has never missed a shift. When asked if the rumored action was to take place, Mr. McCulloch verified it and said he had other prospects which promised well, and therefore intends to resign. His numerous friends will be pleased to learn that he is likely to improve his circumstances.

CHAMBER COMMERCE MEETS FRIDAY EVE

Will Be First Meeting Which Walter Lyons Will Have Attended.

The regular meeting of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce will be held on Friday of this week in the room on Front street. The president and members are anxious there should be a large attendance, and believe that since the meeting of Tuesday night was so propitious, there will be meetings hereafter which will be of great moment.

This meeting will be the first the new secretary, Walter Lyons, will have been present at, and it will offer an opportunity for the members and citizens to meet him and aid him in becoming familiar with the conditions in the Coos Bay country.

The Chamber of Commerce executive committee held a meeting at the assembly room yesterday morning.

SALOON MEN PROTEST LICENSE

Do Not Fancy the Raising of the Yearly License Fee to \$800.

Since the Times published the proceedings of Saturday night's meeting of the city council, some dismay has prevailed among the liquor interests of the city, and steps are being taken towards presenting an appeal for no change in the license fee. The proposed license would raise the present saloon fee to \$800 a year.

MRS. MCKINSTRY LEAVES MARSHFIELD

Goes to Parents' Home in Oregon City—Husband Has Always Mistreated Her.

Rev. D. W. Thurston, who, with Mrs. Thurston, interested himself in the case of Mrs. McKinstry, has received several letters from Mrs. Mc-

Kinstry's relatives in Oregon City. Her mother, Mrs. Surfus, is anxious for the woman to return to Oregon City and reside there.

Her sister, Mrs. J. C. Ware, wife of the United Brethren minister of Oregon City, writes that McKinstry has always abused his wife and they have often tried to prevail upon her to leave him, but without avail. She also wrote that the friends have always been expecting such an unfortunate and disgraceful termination of the marriage. Mrs. McKinstry departed for the city by the falls on Tuesday.

VAUDEVILLE FOR COOS BAY PEOPLE

Skating Rink Will Be Converted Into Amusement House for Summer Months.

What will no doubt be good news to the amusement loving people of Coos Bay is the announcement that Gus A. Hager of Hager's Amusement Enterprises, left Portland

on the Alliance, July 10, for Marshfield, where he and Mr. Avery, manager of the skating rink, will combine interests and turn the skating rink into a vaudeville house for the summer months.

Mr. Hager comes very highly recommended and there is no doubt but what the undertaking will be highly successful.

HOTEL COMMITTEE HOLDS MEETING

The Hotel Committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night met last evening in the Chamber of Commerce building and discussed the hotel outlook. Arrangements were made to solicit subscriptions for a suitable hotel site, and it is believed before night this committee will have corralled enough funds for presenting a valuable and convenient place for the erection of a modern hotel.

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