

SALOONS CLOSE AT MIDNIGHT AND LICENSE RAISED TO \$600

CITY DADS PUT IN A BODY BLOW

Reform Saloon Ordinance Passed Unanimously by City Council.

HALF A LID INTO EFFECT

No Saloon to be Less Than Four Hundred Feet From Public Schools of Marshfield.

- WHAT THE CITY DADS DID TO THE SALOONS LAST NIGHT
Raised the license from \$400 to \$600 a year.
Ordered closing of saloons at 12 o'clock each night, to remain closed until 5 a. m.
All licenses will expire at the same time each year hereafter, similar to federal licenses.
One window must be left, after closing hours, in a shape to allow the police to see that the saloon is empty.
The ordinance will go into effect thirty days from yesterday.

The foregoing are a few of the principal points in the saloon ordinance passed unanimously by the city fathers who met at the city hall last night.

No saloon will be allowed within 400 feet of any school house in the city limits and the board reserves the right to reject any and all applications at any time, and to revoke any licenses at any time.

Petitions for a license must be signed by a majority of the business men in the ground space of the buildings in the half block in which the saloon is to be located.

After closing hours one window of each saloon must be left clear of curtain or other obstruction in order to see that the law is observed in regard to the closing.

WILL SELL GOVERNMENT WOOD

Quantity Cut on Public Land Near Bandon Offered for Sale.

BANDON, Ore., Jan. 21.—An echo of the land investigations of the recent past is the advertisement by notice issued from the Department of the Interior, to the effect that they will receive sealed bids for the purchase of a quantity of cord wood wrongfully cut on government land and by the government confiscated.

Fresh herring at Ellerby's market.

RUSHING WORK ON WARSHIPS

New Cruiser South Dakota Will Be Placed in Commission Soon.

(By Associated Press.) VALLEJO, Jan. 21.—The work of coaling the cruiser South Dakota is proceeding at Mare Island Navy yard, preparatory to placing the ship in commission.

MINERS HOLD CONVENTION

Nineteenth Annual Session of United Mine Workers Meets Indianapolis.

MITCHELL WILL RETIRE

After Being at Head of Organization for Nine Years Withdraws Because of Ill Health.

(By Associated Press.) INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 21.—The nineteenth annual convention of the United Mineworkers of America opened today with one thousand delegates representing the anthracite bituminous coal mining districts of the country.

BANDON BUILDING BOOM

Low Prices of Lumber Results in Renewal of Activity in Building.

BANDON, Ore., Jan. 21.—Low prices in the lumber market have furnished incentive to the more progressive and optimistic of Bandon's business people, to build more extensively than ever before.

CALICO AT THE DOOR

It will not be necessary for those attending the Redmen's ball Saturday evening to bring calico with them as calico will be given to all at the door.

AS SEEN BY JAPAN.



Our secretary of war is looked upon as a dove of peace by Japan.

LOOKS LIKE SOMETHING DOING ON BAY

That there is action among the citizens of Coos Bay when there is something tangible to work upon has been proved by the sending of a delegation from this harbor to Portland to meet the engineers sent out from Washington to consider river and harbor improvements and defenses on the Pacific coast.

There are now three men from this section who will button-hole Colonel D. W. Lockwood and Colonel Leach, of Washington, immediately upon their arrival in the Rose City, which is expected to be sometime this week.

When the message was received from Secretary Lyon asking for assistance Dr. McCormac, Mr. Oren, of the Smith mill, and Dr. Mings went over to North Bend to see L. J. Simpson regarding the sending of a good man to represent the bay interests to the Portland visitors.

The Marshfield Chamber of Commerce then offered to bear part of the expense of the delegation and fifty dollars was set aside for this purpose.

A story in Friday's Portland Telegram, and some rather surprising inside information secured by Mr. Lyon, was responsible for the telegrams sent to the bay for more delegates to lay the situation before one of the coast defense experts.

Several members of the rivers and harbors committee of the National Congress, together with two members of the National board of engineers, who act in an advisory capacity, will be in the northwest before the end of this month to inspect the many important government improvements now under way and projected.

Just how many members of the Congressional committee will visit Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and other

points in the Northwest which are appealing to congress for additional appropriations is not known, but Colonel S. W. Rossler, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., stationed here, has been advised of the coming visit of the two members of the board of engineers.

They have just completed a visit to Port Los Angeles, and are now either at San Francisco or other points in California, where government work is being done, and according to their itinerary, they should arrive in Portland somewhere about January 30.

While in Portland and this vicinity, the projects they will inspect and familiarize themselves with, as to the advisability of approving additional appropriations are: The Cello canal and jetty at the mouth of the Columbia river.

The visit of the Congressional committee with the board of engineers is of particular importance at this time, because, upon its favorable or unfavorable report on the present and proposed projects will depend the action of congress on the rivers and harbors appropriation bill, which certain leaders of the house, led by Speaker Cannon threaten to throttle.

TWO KILLED BY AUTO UPSET

Baltimore Couple Dead and Owner of the Machine is Badly Hurt.

(By Associated Press.) BALTIMORE, Jan. 21.—George Billups and his wife were instantly killed by being thrown from an automobile and Lee H. Shadd, the owner and driver was seriously injured, at an early hour Saturday.

COMMUTATION TICKETS —On sale at Melrose Restaurant.

THE LITTLE BROWN MEN ARE NO LONGER "COCKY"

IDAHO BANK GOES UNDER

Directors of Capitol State Bank of Boise Close Its Doors.

(By Associated Press.) BOISE, Jan. 21.—The Capital State Bank of Idaho, limited, of this city, failed to open its doors this morning. At a directors meeting last night it was decided that temporary suspension would be necessary owing to recent heavy withdrawals of deposits.

BIG CANADIAN BANK ASSIGNS

Other Banks Take Over Concern and All Depositors Paid in Full.

(By Associated Press.) TORONTO, Can., Jan. 21.—All the branch banks, seventy-six in number, of the Sovereign Bank of Canada which assigned yesterday, opened for business Saturday, the business having been transferred Friday night by the Bankers Association to other banks, which took possession today.

BIG SHOE FIRM HAS ASSIGNED

Assets Are Double Its Liabilities —Stops Huge Output.

(By Associated Press.) CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 20.—The James Donovan Shoe Manufacturing Company of Everett, has made an assignment. The liabilities are \$180,000, the assets being \$300,000.

THE WEATHER

Western Oregon—Light rain tonight or Wednesday. Easterly winds.

—Surpassing coffee at the Melrose.

JAPS ARE FOR RESTRICTION

Will Absolutely Prohibit Emigration to Hawaii if Necessary.

RIGID WITH THE STUDENTS

Japs Coming to America as Students Will be Required to Furnish Two Sureties.

(By Associated Press.) TOKIO, Jan. 21.—Viscount Hayashi in an interview made a statement concerning the emigration question which may be considered the official declaration of the attitude of the government, in which he says the government is determined to investigate the personal standings of those who go to America as students, requiring two sureties before they leave.

EVELYN MAKES GOOD WITNESS

Thaw's Wife Sticks to Her Story Under the Lash of Jerome's Questions.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw continued her story today under the lash of Attorney Jerome's cross examination. The prosecutor spent much time pouring over the evidence at the former trial but the witness adhered to her original story declaring it all true.

RUEF WILL BE TRIED NEXT

Prosecutor of Graft Cases Causes Surprise by Announcing Change of Program.

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Emphasizing the break that occurred between the prosecution and Abraham Ruef in the graft cases because of the latter's alleged failure to live up to the immunity contract signed last May, the prosecution today made the first move to place Ruef on trial on one of the 117 indictments returned against him.