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CITY COUNCIL HOLDS LONG SESSION ABOUT WATERWORKS

Meet Again Wednesday Consider Date for Special Election.

CITY ORDINANCE TO INCREASE DEBT LIMIT

Special Committee Unable to Agree on Value of Water Right—Other Prices.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON VALUATION

Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Marshfield: Gentlemen: We, your committee appointed to fix a valuation on the property of the Coos Bay Water Company...

Table with 2 columns: Description of property (e.g., water right, land, pumping plant) and Value (\$56,232.50, 21,300.00, etc.)

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MAY AVERT BIG COAL STRIKE

England's Great Labor War On Verge of Amicable Settlement.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

LONDON, Feb. 27.—An early settlement of the dispute in the coal trade, which threatened to throw a million miners out of employment on March 1, is apparently more than probable, although it cannot yet be definitely announced.

WANT TO END WAR IN EAST

Powers of Europe Plan to Intervene in Turko-Italian Contest.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

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MONOPOLY OF DOCKS IS ALLEGED

Claim That Foreign Shipping Combine Controls Situation Along Pacific Coast.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—A report tending to show that the so-called "foreign shipping combine" has practically a monopoly of the docking facilities of all ports on the Pacific coast in the United States and South and Central America and the West Indies has been submitted to the House Interstate and foreign commerce committee...

MEXICAN REBELS CAPTURE JUAREZ

Town Across Rio Grande From El Paso Falls During Bloodless Assault Again Today.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 27.—Juarez is in possession of the Vasquista rebels. Firing but one or two volleys and meeting with no resistance except a few scattering shots in reply to their first volley, the rebels this morning marched into the town, captured the machine guns that had been purchased to repel them...

The rebels made the assault at 10 o'clock sharp, entering the outskirts of the city from the northwest and firing as they entered, using rifles and one cannon.

ELECTIONS IN CITY CHANGED

Council Will Have State-Law Govern Them in Future—Other Proceedings.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

Plans to amend the Marshfield city charter and place all city elections under the regulations of the Oregon state election law were made by the Marshfield city council last evening. A special meeting of the council was called for Wednesday evening to adopt the necessary ordinance to submit the amendment at the proposed special election to be held before May 1.

The matter was brought up by Councilman Cope's introducing a preliminary draft of an amendment to the charter providing for dividing the town into wards for registration and in fact making the state law apply to elections here. Mr. Cope stated that the draft had been drawn hurriedly and that he would not have introduced it last evening only that it seemed necessary that action be taken on it before March 1...

The proposed ordinance divided the city into three wards, the First ward embracing that part of the town south of Elrod avenue, the second that part of the town between Elrod avenue and Market avenue and the third that part of the town north of Market avenue. It provided that three councilmen should be elected at large and one from each of the wards. It provided that all voters should be required to register between September 1 and November 15 of each year...

City Attorney Goss, after the reading of the amendment said that all it provided for could be enacted by the council without submitting it to a vote of the people. He said that the

Health conditions of the entire island never have been better than during the past year.

SPALDING Baseballs, BATS, Mitts and GLOVES at MILNER'S. FRESH Silver SMELT at WASSON'S FISH MARKET. PHONE 37J.

Don't forget the Turkish Baths. PHONE 214J.

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COL. ROOSEVELT DENIES ANY PERSONAL ATTACK ON TAFT

Gov. Johnson Running Mate

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WILL DISCUSS MILL SLOUGH

Closing of Inlet to Be Taken Up at Chamber of Commerce Friday Evening.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce to be held next Friday evening, the matter of closing Mill Slough will be taken up for discussion again. Petitions to the war department for closing the slough have been circulated and largely signed by property owners along the slough. Petitions opposing it have also been signed. It is understood that Judge Hall has been retained by F. M. Friedberg and others opposed to closing the slough to stop it.

The matter has been brought up in the Chamber of Commerce a number of times and it is expected that definite action will be taken on it as it is regarded as a public matter on which that body should act.

A number of other matters, including the selection of a committee to choose the site for the Coos county exhibit at the Panama exposition in San Francisco March 14, are to come up.

LITTLE STIR IN POLITICS

Not Much Enthusiasm Aroused in Coos County Yet—Democrats to Meet.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

Coos county politics is not living up very much, despite the fact that it is only about two months until the primaries will be held. A number of candidates are in the field for the Republican nominations and are now circulating their primary petitions. Most of the old county officers, in fact all of them, it is understood, will be candidates for re-election.

The Democrats are less active. Hugh McLain, chairman of the Coos county central committee, stated yesterday that he was considering the advisability of calling a meeting of the committee with a view of bringing out candidates for the various offices.

Mr. McLain stated that although a number have been urging him to be the Democratic candidate for state senator, he had decided not to make a fight for the nomination and will not even circulate petitions to get his name on the primary ballot. However, if a sufficient number of Democrats write in his name to give him the nomination, he probably will not refuse the nomination.

Mr. McLain has been apprised that W. H. Meredith of Port Orford will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for joint representative from Coos and Curry counties.

COOS INQUIRY BEGINS MARCH 1

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The commission appointed to make an inspection with a view to moving the Coos Bay life saving station to Charleston, will not begin work before March 1.

For House CLEANING use SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS and VARNISHES at MILNER'S. GRAND ASSEMBLY DANCE for ALL scholars and their friends; FOUR-PIECE ORCHESTRA; I. O. O. F. HALL, Wednesday night. PROF. RAYMOND.

TROUT LEADERS with LOOPS 30 inches apart at MILNER'S. TROUT FLIES, Silk Lines, LEADERS and POLES at MILNER'S.

GOV. JOHNSON RUNNING MATE

California Executive May Be Roosevelt Candidate for Vice-President.

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ATTACK ON ROOSEVELT

Former President Charged With Making False Pretenses.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The Evening Star today displays prominently on the first page the following statement: "From sources entirely independent of the White House, it is ascertained that the confidence entertained by the administration and others that Colonel Roosevelt would not be a candidate against Taft, was based on definite and repeated statements by Colonel Roosevelt, made within a year, that he would not be a candidate in 1912 and did not intend to oppose President Taft for renomination."

ROOSEVELT'S PLATFORM

Roosevelt was asked to explain the position he will maintain during the campaign and in reply issued the following statement: "I could not more definitely state my position on the great issues of the day than I stated in my Columbus speech and again yesterday before the Massachusetts legislature. In addition to calling attention to what I said there on the subject of popular government, I also will call your attention to what I said at Columbus on the business situation and the proper attitude of the government toward business to insure conditions that will make for prosperity in the business world and of all our people."

In my Ohio speech, I dealt with emphasis on the two great subjects of immediate moment to our people, the need of having real and not merely nominal popular rule and the need of securing prosperity for the business man, the wage earner and the farmer alike. As I then said, I most emphatically believe that it is necessary to have equitable division of prosperity, but that it behooves us to keep in mind that we cannot divide prosperity unless the prosperity is there to divide and that to secure the well being of the business world is emphatically in the interest of every citizen of the United States."

ORDERS PROBE AT LAWRENCE

Attorney General Wickersham Takes Up Action in Strike Situation.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

LAWRENCE, Mass., Feb. 27.—Five women pickets, who are said to have used persuasion which approached violence to keep employes from going to work in the textile mills, and one man accused of throwing pepper in a policeman's eyes, were arrested today. The plan to export the children to Philadelphia has been abandoned and aside from the children who are to be sent with the committee of strikers to Washington tomorrow there may be no little ones sent away in groups. City Marshal Sullivan intimated that he may prevent the children from going to Washington unless the court decided he was acting contrary to law. Indications are that the mills have made further gains in the number of operatives at work. It is estimated that 18,000 operatives are at work and 2000 are still on a strike.

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