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HEARD ON STREETS Expressions of Opinion on a Variety of Subjects.

THE POLICE COMMISSION They Are Many People Who Have Ideas of Their Own and Who Are Not Afraid to Express Their Convictions in Public.

"No, sir," said a prominent republican yesterday, "I consider this police commission business a farce. One would think that it was intended as a joke. That kind of politics will not be indulged even by those who have been in the habit of swallowing anything the leaders demand. President Roosevelt is determined to purify national politics and is careful about his selections for various positions, and it is the duty of the republicans of Clatsop county to follow his example. "What will the council do about the police commission?" said a councilman yesterday morning, in answer to an inquiry. "Well, I'll tell you what they ought to do. Some time ago I was importuned by a republican leader to use my efforts to have the offices of Barker and Cook declared vacant, and have the mayor appoint two police commissioners. I agreed to it, provided that one republican and one democrat be appointed, as Barker is a republican and Cook is a democrat, leaving the board as it now stands. We are willing to do this or we will put up candidates against their candidates and elect them. The offices of Barker and Cook ought to be declared vacant by the council and the vacancy filled. If this is done and Mayor Surprenant appoints one republican and one democrat, I am satisfied the council will confirm the appointments unanimously. "The time has come," said a prominent business man, "for a reorganization of the republican party. All of its best workers have been read out of the party, and it is completely demoralized, so far as city and county politics are concerned. I will tell you what we are going to do. We are going to form an organization of all republicans opposed to ring rule, unite with the citizens at next December and June elections, and put up a citizens ticket, composed equally of republicans and democrats. The democrats have agreed to this. Then the manufacturers of police commissioners on the installment plan, can put up their slate and we'll put a bigger crack in it than has been discovered in the moon. A large majority of the republicans are with us in this movement, and it is a sure go. "Well, sir, what do I think of the police commission business? Well, I believe as a great many others do, that when men leave the state, take their families with them, and have no interests here, as neither Barker or Cook have, that their offices should be declared vacant, and the vacancies filled according to the charter. They would hold until the next city election, at which time a new police commission can be elected. I am opposed to political chicanery and the nomination of officers by a few of the select. The republicans will not stand for it any longer and it is time this was understood by those who are trying to wreck the party. "No! Honest to God, I didn't know a thing about my name being put on the ballot for police commissioner until the votes were counted in the Second ward," said one of the recently self-elected police commissioners. "I haven't decided what to do in the matter. I am like Carnegie, I don't care to be interviewed on such a painful subject. "Oh, I don't care," said Chief Hallock. "As soon as the item appeared in the Astorian, I was offered three different jobs, at larger salaries than I am receiving now. I have tried to be honest, and there is not a man living who can say there has been any graft in my office. I know I am accused of it, like everybody that holds a public office, but I am charitably inclined and overlook the ignorance of politicians who are only actuated by mercenary motives. I expect to continue as chief of police until my successor is appointed. I have handled over \$50,000 of the city's money this year, and every cent has been turned over to the proper officer, and I have the receipts. No city on the coast is as free from crime as Astoria, and I think the police ought to be given some credit for it. It has certainly saved the tax-payers of the city and county thousands of dollars. "My opinion is," said a conservative republican, "that the police commission should be reorganized. We have no police commission now, and haven't had for five years. It is a disgrace to the city that such a state of affairs has been allowed to exist. While I don't exactly coincide with the action

of Wednesday, yet they were justified in a certain measure. The people are not satisfied with the present police force, and think a change would be beneficial. I don't know that there is anything wrong, but no man should be married to an office. I believe in passing the honors around."

EXECUTIVE SESSION. Red Cedar Shingle Association Hold a Meeting.

At an executive session of the Red Cedar Shingle association, which was held in this city yesterday afternoon, it was decided to dissolve the organization. The meeting was executive and no one outside of the regular to be present. From an inside source, however, it was afterwards learned that the general impression prevailed that the conditions warranted the radical measure of incorporating the association. The action terminating the official existence of this association will probably not be taken until after the first of the year, when the stockholders will hold a meeting. The real object to be obtained by this action is the organization of a new company on an entirely different plan from the first. It is desired to provide for a better control of the market, steady prices and to improve conditions generally for the mill owners. The particular feature of the new organization is said to be the object of cutting adrift from the agents' or dealers' interests, which heretofore have been largely influential in the working in the interests of the cutters or mill owners. To secure this result it is declared that the executive committee has worked diligently, and, for obvious reasons, the members attending the meeting exhibited great disinclination to speak of the matter for publication. Originally, when the market was becoming demoralized, the mill owners formed the organization to protect the sales and better prices for their goods. For a time this worked out successfully, but the bad winter in the east and other conditions brought about a poor trade there and the mill owners themselves refused to cut the output materially. The result was that the eastern markets became overstocked and the overplus, or a portion of it, from the Washington mills was dispatched by the association in transit. The dealers and agents then came in and it is from this direction, the claim is made, that the existing troubles came. It is the intention, after the present association is dissolved, to reorganize with an entirely different set of stockholders. Army Celebrates. Berlin, Dec. 16.—Emperor William will go to Bromberg to attend the celebration of the 200th anniversary of the Count Von Derfflinger Mounted Volunteer regiment, one of the oldest and most famous cavalry regiments in Prussia. Advertised. There's another feature about newspaper advertising that the merchant can't afford to overlook. He can have a fresh ad. every day and find that people do not weary of it, but rather that the effect is cumulative. If he sends a circular or letter by mail to a person every day the path to the wastebasket will be greased, and the baskets will go often to the furnace door. If he has a handbill stuck in the doorknob of a house every day he'll find a deputy sheriff waiting for him with a writ of injunction as a nuisance. If he looks around to find the reason it is not difficult to trace. People want newspapers, want them badly enough to buy them, want them enough to go sixteen blocks to complain if the paper is missed any day. The Morning After a heavy and rich meal will be unattended by discomfort or sickness if, before going to bed, you will take Beecham's Pills Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c. HANDKERCHIEF CARNIVAL. A large shipment of Japanese initialed silk handkerchiefs just received from the Orient. They contain all the latest Oriental designs and fashions. You will want some for Xmas, if you see them. J. W. KWONG CO. 420 Commercial Street. Every Woman is interested and should know about the wonderful MARVEL Whirling Spray. The new Vaginal Spray. Injection and Sterilizer. Best—Safe—Most Convenient. It Cleans Instantly. Ask your druggist for it. If he cannot supply it, write to MARVEL, accept no other, but send stamp for illustrated book—free. If you full particulars and directions in-consultable to ladies. MARVEL CO., 41 Park Row, New York.

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