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The United Wireless at Smith's Point reported the steamship Watson off the Columbia bar at 10 o'clock a. m. Sunday, with all well on board and en route to San Francisco. When the Watson was coming out she was called into Port Townsend, and from there she carried the mortal remains of the late Mrs. Captain Henningsen and her little daughter (both killed in the recent wreck of the Sequel on the coast of Vancouver Island, Captain Henningsen accompanying the bodies. The remains of mother and child were encased in a single casket, a dark, plain coffin, with brass mountings, but covered with wreaths and floral offerings, including a beautiful white cross. There were crowds of people on the waterfront at Port Townsend to bid the stricken master farewell. At 8 o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Ferland, at Smith's Point, picked up the steamship Buckman, then off Cascade Head. And at 4:40 o'clock p. m. yesterday he caught the steamship Queen of the Pacific, at a point 120 miles north of Cape Blanco. She reported continuous rains; light nor-westerly winds; a falling barometer, then at 29.76, and temperature at 48.

The Brown-McCabe Stevedoring Company went to work yesterday morning on the French bark Eugene Schneider, at the Hammond Lumber Company's docks, at the Tongue. She will load out 1,500,000 feet of square timbers for Europe. Some of the pieces being stowed on the Schneider, measure 80 feet by 18 inches square.

The steamer Argos is expected down the river tomorrow morning bound for the Tillamook country.

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**WILL GET AFTER
GAMBLING SHOPS**

**Council Puts Enforcement of Laws up to the
Police Commission**

After a very business-like and quite serene meeting of the council last night, and just as everybody was waiting for the motion to adjourn, a resolution was introduced by Councilman Belland that came like a tiny bolt out of the blue.

The resolution sets after the gambling known to be going on among the Chinese and cigar stores; gets after the open saloon on Sundays, and, as the result of an amendment insisted upon by Councilman Curtis, gets after the three or five "blind pigs" that Mr. Curtis says he knows of his own knowledge to be doing business in Uppertown.

The Belland resolution calls upon the board of police commissioners to "instruct" the police department to enforce the statute laws of the State of Oregon, and the very apparent object of the whole resolution is to put the whole matter "up to" the three members of the police commission. The resolution was adopted without a dissenting vote, and there was not a dissenting voice raised in objection to it, though Councilman Karinen rather pooh-poohed it as being a thing which would soon die away and be forgotten, as had been the experience of a similar agitation once before.

The resolution first recited, that whereas the district attorney has given notice he will strictly enforce the gambling and Sunday closing law; but that the said enforcement of the laws has been rendered difficult owing "to the failure of the police department to co-operate with the district attorney's office," therefore it was resolved that the city auditor be instructed to communicate with the board of police commissioners and state to the board that it is the desire of the common council that all statutes and laws relative to gambling, Sunday closing of saloons and to the sale of liquors in local option districts be strictly enforced; and that the police commissioners "instruct" the members of the police force to make arrests in such cases.

"It is well known," said Councilman Belland, "that the members of the police force are willing to enforce the laws; some of them would go through fire and water in the course of their duty, but they have been told not to enforce these laws. What we want is to have the commissioners now tell them to make arrests."

The matter could hardly have been put up to the police commissioners in a more forcible or a plainer way. As soon as the resolution was first read Councilman Curtis arose and

said he favored it, but he wanted it to apply to all alike and he asked Mr. Belland in rather a caustic tone why it did not include the "blind pigs" in Uppertown. "I know they are there," went on Mr. Curtis, "because I got out the United States revenue license for three of them. If we are going into this thing let us see that all are treated alike."

Councilman Belland at once stated that the "blind pig" omission was an oversight on his part and he asked that a clause be inserted including them, and this was done.

Then came the best part of the whole matter. Mayor Smith, with a smile which did not conceal his earnestness, asked the president of the council to take the chair while he spoke on the matter.

But Mayor Smith's address was quite short.

"I believe the Mayor has the right to suspend police officers for not doing their duty," he said. "I think I'd like to suspend some of them if they don't make arrests in some of these gambling cases. Everyone knows about the Chinese lotteries—and we need the revenue. Let 'em be fined pretty stiffly once in a while."

Behind the Mayor's ostensibly humorous suggestion lies a policy so important and of such far-reaching consequences that it may be well worthy of study.

The Mayor's policy would seem to be that since—like the poor—we are bound to have some of the gamblers among us, let them pay for their rich privilege, especially since the city needs their aid in filling its depleted exchequer.

Of course this is not compatible with the terms of the Belland resolution, which calls for the suppression of the gambling entirely—but it shows an understanding of the presence of the board-of police commissioners, who are said to "order" the police not to make arrests of the gambling shops.

Every member voted aye in a loud and clear voice when the Belland resolution was put to a vote. Therefore the board of police commissioners will now be formally asked by

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the council to instruct their blue coated servants to make arrests of violators of the gambling, Sunday closing and "blind pig" laws.

Ordinance Rejected.
The Curtis ordinance providing for the appointment by the Mayor of the various standing committees, and of the creation of a new judiciary committee, was rejected on its third reading. Objection was made that the ground was already covered by the present ordinance, and some thought that the proposed judiciary committee was not necessary. The ordinance had been prepared by Councilman Curtis, and the city attorney took occasion to state that a present ordinance requires that all proposed ordinances and resolutions be prepared by him—which was a very gentle hint that in the future Mr. Abercrombia would like to draw all ordinances as it is provided he should.

Adair Drain.

While the council passed upon such important business perhaps the most important city matter was that of the Adair drain. For years this has demanded attention. It was voted to investigate and prepare resolutions for the construction of a general drainage system there. This highly important step has finally been taken. It is planned to improve certain streets, making an assessment therefor, and to make a different district for the drainage system itself. The matter is not yet in definite shape, though the committee recommended that improvement be made on 37th street, Irving to Harrison; and on Harrison, 37th to 36th; and on 36th between Irving and Franklin.

Other Business.

It was decided to improve 18th street, where it leads to the Seow Bay Iron Works, as petitioned for by James L. Lovell.

Invitation was also received from the Alaska-Yukon fair committee to attend the fair, and to have an "Astoria Day" on Saturday, July 17. This invitation was accepted and Mayor Smith was instructed to appoint a committee to work up the Astoria day plan. As such committee Messrs. Curtis, Fox and Prael were appointed.

Also it was voted to construct a temporary wooden slip joint drain on 35th street, a distance of about 500 feet. There is imperative necessity for this to be done at once. The water is very bad there now.

The question of the grades in the vicinity of Irving and Seventh came up for earnest consideration. Attorney Frank Spittle and others were present on this matter, but it was decided to have all the interested property owners appear before the committee on streets for discussion of the problem.

Petition for improvement of 39th street, Franklin to Irving, was placed on file.

Petition to improve Bond street by private contract, asked for by A. C. Fisher, was granted, provided the proper bond be given.

George Flavell's petition to improve by private contract Bond street, 10th to 11th, was also granted upon proper bond being given.

Petition to improve 39th street was granted.

Jens Nelson was appointed an inspector to watch over the improvement in the street car alley beyond 39th street.

Petition to improve Cedar street was filed.

The petition of Frank Patton asking for relief for the Astoria Savings Bank property on Bond street was placed on file.

Licenses were granted to Carlson Bros., John Tiberg, Durham & Dible, and the American Importing Co.

Resolution of intention to improve 18th street, Exchange to Grand, was adopted.

Resolution to improve Hume, Duane to Commercial, was adopted.

Resolution to improve Duane, Lincoln to Hume, was adopted.

Resolution to improve 39th, Franklin to Grand, was adopted.

Petitions.
Petition for retail liquor license from D. J. Cummins, August Danielson and Johnson & Engstrom. Referred.
Petition for sewer on West Commercial street. Referred.
Petition for improvement of Grand and 1st to 5th. Referred.
Also petition to improve Grand avenue, 4th to 5th. Also referred.
Petition of Oregon Coast Railway Co. for right of way across Ocean View Cemetery. Referred.
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