

# EAST SIDE NEWS

## CITY BOARD NOT WANTED

East Side Improvement Club Plans to Abolish Present Water Board and Replace It With Commissioner of Public Works.

To abolish the water board and establish in its stead an elective commissioner of public works to hold office for two years is the proposal now made by the Northeastern Improvement association. The residents of Vernon are displeased with the present arrangement and will endeavor to have a new system substituted by initiative.

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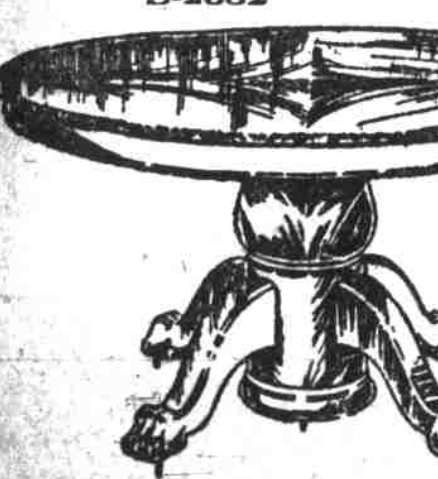
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ent arrangement and will endeavor to have a new system substituted by initiative. A committee was appointed at the last meeting of the organization to start the movement and it will be carefully planned before it is put before the people. George B. Frank, president of the Northeastern Improvement association, is behind the move and he has the full support of his organization besides some other support in the outlying districts where it has been impossible to get water.

On account of the inability of the water board to extend water mains into the more swiftly-growing sections of the city as fast as it would like, it is blamed by the people of the district. The water board is more and more becoming the object of much attack though it has been unable for sometime to do anything at all because of the city bond issue measure now pending in the supreme court of Oregon. They are unable to act either under the old provision or under the new amendment until the decision is made.

"Last night we read of two families that were robbed of their homes early in the morning by fire, both of which could have been saved if there had been water there," said Mr. Frank today. "For the last 18 months we have been unable to get fire hydrants in these districts where they are needed worse while down town where new mains are being laid daily, hydrants are put in at every corner. The people that lose their homes in these outlying districts are usually less able to lose them than those living in town."

"We will endeavor to have our measure ready to place before the people as soon as we can prepare it and will start right now to create public opinion in favor of the measure. I believe there is not another city in the United States the size of Portland that possesses such an institution as our city water board. It is unsatisfactory in many particulars. It is appointive and is filled by the voters who have no other duty to fulfill than to reward their friends."

## WILL SPEAK ON CIVIC PROBLEMS

Rev. A. J. Montgomery will lecture this evening at the Third Presbyterian church on the "Submerged Portion of New York." The lecture will be liberally illustrated with stereopticon views of which there will be about 100. It is the plan to form a reading circle after the lecture for the purpose of studying municipal problems. Josiah String's book, "The Challenge of the City," will be used as a text-book or guide.

## ATHENA MAYOR FINED FOR SELLING BOOZE

Plamondon Pleads Guilty to Charge and Pays \$100 to Court.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pendleton, Or., Feb. 20.—Mayor J. D. Plamondon of Athena, was fined \$100 in circuit court here last evening for selling liquor in violation of the local option law in force in the South Athena precinct in which the mayor's drug establishment is located. Plamondon pleaded guilty to one charge, although there were eight other charges against him.

## ACTOR DIES WHEN HE HEARS HIS CUE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Grand Junction, Colo., Feb. 20.—Just as he was about to go on the stage in the second act of "The Wheel of Love," Hal Newton Carlyle of New York, who had a national reputation as an actor, dropped dead Tuesday night of the attack of heart disease. He was 66 years old.

## WABASH ROAD WILL FURNISH SERVANTS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) St. Louis, Feb. 19.—Patrons along the line of the Wabash railroad have been having so much difficulty in finding servant girls that the officials of the company have decided to establish a bureau for the special purpose of accommodating persons in towns on the road who are in need of help. All applications for servant girls will be attended to promptly. Providing you live along the Wabash.

## Celebrate Anniversary.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Roseburg, Or., Feb. 20.—Alpha lodge No. 47, K. of P., celebrated the 44th anniversary of the order in this city last night. An extensive musical and literary program was listened to by the members of the order and their families. Z. N. Agnew gave the address of welcome, and the program was a very entertaining one, interspersed with music by the orchestra, moving pictures and illustrated songs.

## SUNNYSIDE ADDS ITS SMALL MITE

New East Side Club Will Boost for Portland Generally.

Last night the Sunnyside Push club was added to the long list of east side progressive organizations. The club is similar to the other improvement associations and will have for its object a greater Portland in general and a healthier and more beautiful Sunnyside in particular.

J. T. Wilson was elected president; A. S. Dresser, vice-president; Rev. J. J. Staub, second vice-president; O. A. Boserman, corresponding secretary; J. M. Walker, recording secretary, and J. L. Newell, treasurer. The following were appointed a special committee to draw up a constitution and by-laws to be submitted at the next meeting: W. H. Sawtelle, D. C. Wood and E. D. Curtiss. There has been much complaint of the health conditions surrounding the Sunnyside schoolhouse. It will be one of the first objects of the new organization to correct these conditions. The unusual amount of sickness in Sunnyside this winter is attributed to the unhealthy conditions at the schoolhouse by Mr. Wilson and others of the organization.

The next meeting of the Push club is subject to the call of the president, and notice will be given through the press. The meetings are held in a room of the Sunnyside school building, and it is not always known at what times the room is available.

Improvements will be taken up by the club in the order that they are proposed and carried out through committees.

## BELIEVE CZAR HAS KIDNAPED PROFESSOR

Philosopher Disappears at Los Angeles After Delivering Hot Speeches.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 20.—Detectives from the police department, deputy sheriffs and a squad of private detectives are searching Los Angeles, city and county, for Professor Wincenty Lutoslawski, the eccentric and world famed Polish philosopher, who disappeared from his home early yesterday morning, and who is believed by some to have been kidnaped by Russian secret service men.

Within less than an hour after the professor left his home, a mysterious telephone message was received by one of his intimate friends stating that Professor Lutoslawski had been killed in a street accident, and would never be heard from again.

This message proved to be false, no street accident having occurred.

For weeks, it is asserted, secret emissaries of the czar have been warning the professor that if he again delivered his lecture on conditions in Russia and the approaching crisis in the affairs of the empire he would be killed.

## Refused License to Marry Relative, He Takes Her Best Friend.

Pittsburg, Feb. 20.—Andrew Stofa, a millhand of Bradnock, appeared at the marriage license office early this morning with his first cousin. The clerk explained that a license could not be granted to full cousins, and the pair left crestfallen.

An hour after noon Stofa appeared again. "Here's another," was his enthusiastic greeting. "She's no cousin. Plenty more up in Bradnock," concluded the persistent suitor, triumphantly.

The bride-to-be, a fine-looking Hungarian girl, promptly answered the necessary questions, and Stofa got the license.

The young woman explained that she was the other candidate's best chum.

## NOT WED MY COUSIN? WELL, HER CHUM'LL DO!

## GROWTH SHOWN IN REGISTRATION

Expanses of East Side Reflected in the List of Voters.

As the registration of voters proceeds at the courthouse the number of those who register from the east side continues to grow steadily over the number registered from the west side. The significance is only realized when a comparison is made with the registration of past years and the distribution of population as shown by the census.

Sunday was the last comparison was made at the clerk's office there were 10,569 voters registered, of which 6,146 were registered from the east side and but 4,423 from the west side. In the face of this showing is the fact that the west side polled two more votes at the last congressional election two years ago than did the east side.

Furthermore, when it is considered that in 1890 the population of what then comprised Albina and East Portland combined was only 17,344 by the federal census and the population of West Portland was 47,447 some grasp of the growth of the east side can be obtained. In addition to this some more recent statistics as to the number of homes that have gone up on the east side during the last 12 months as compared with those on the west side reveal a very strikingly significant difference.

The registration figures and confirm the showing.

During the 12 months between January 1, 1936 and 1937, the building permits for houses averaging between \$2,500 and \$3,500 on the west side amount to \$1,003,450; the city issued also for the same time to property owners on the east side \$3,233,288 in building permits for residences averaging in cost from \$1,500 to \$2,500.

Ever since the registration was begun the total number of registered voters from the east side has steadily gained over the west side until it is getting beyond any estimates made by enthusiastic east side boosters. It seems likely at this time that the east side will this year poll at least a fifth and perhaps a fourth more votes than will the west side, while two years ago the vote was evenly divided, even last year it was not certain from the vote cast for mayor by which side of the river most of the voters lived.

## BOOSERS IN BROOKLYN TO MEET

There will be a meeting of the Brooklyn Republican and Improvement club this evening at 8 o'clock at 577 1/2 Milwaukee street. A number of important matters will be taken up this evening, including the hall building project. A delegation is expected from Kenilworth to discuss joint action on several improvements of interest to both districts. An effort will be made to improve one thoroughfare through Brooklyn to Kenilworth.

## BUSINESS CLUB MEETS TONIGHT

The regular meeting of the East Side Business Men's club will take place this evening in the quarters of the club at Grand avenue and East Morrison street in the Healy block. Some new advertising schemes are to be authorized by the club this evening. Urgent action is to be taken on the plans of the Joint Rose Festival committee for that part of the carnival that will be carried out on the east side.

## MASONS WILL OPEN NEW TEMPLE

The Masonic temple at East Eighth and East Burnside streets recently opened for the use of the order will be open again tomorrow night for speculation. There will be a short program with refreshments. The entertainment will be in the nature of a house-warming. All Masons and their families are invited.

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