

EAST SIDE NEWS WEST SELLWOOD TO FILE PETITION TO SOAK IN BOOZE

PENINSULA CLUBS PREPARE DESIGNS WANT NEW STREET FOR MANY ARCHES

Citizens Will Take Steps to Secure Sewer For Their Section. Leaky Whiskey Barrel Develops Peculiar Evidence in Damage Suit.

It is quite likely that the citizens of West Sellwood will petition for a sewer system regardless of the attitude of the property owners in the eastern portion of the suburb. According to estimates submitted to the Sellwood board of trade the cost of a system for the western neighborhood of \$125,000 or from \$70 to \$80 a lot. The district extends from the crematory to the golf links and will include about 1,000 lots.

The entire matter will be left to the property owners. Since one system is sufficient for the entire section, it is probable that two separate and complete systems. The cost of draining the east side will be much greater than that of the west side. It was thought by the members of the board that it would be much more satisfactory to include both portions in a petition for a sewer and divide the greater expense of construction between the two systems among all the property owners in Sellwood.

However, the property owners on the east side are not unanimously in favor of such a plan. They argued that the property did not yet require a sewer system, that the value of the property would be much greater if it were not. Therefore it has been necessary to exclude the people of east Sellwood in the petition. It is not known whether the petition will come in later remains to be seen.

The accusation has been made that the Sellwood board of trade is trying to crowd this improvement on the people of the suburb against their will. Members of this organization give the assurance however, that they are only endeavoring to put Sellwood on a basis where it can compete with other suburbs of Portland in its desirability as a residence section.

Will Ask Council Committee to Recommend Improvement of Portsmouth.

A delegation from the University Park board of trade, the Peninsula, Arbor Lodge and Willamette push clubs, representing the interests of the peninsula will attend the meeting of the street committee of the council tomorrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock, to ask for the improvement of Portsmouth avenue from the Willamette boulevard to the harbor with Belgian blocks. The improvement will necessitate the changing of the present grade and will mean considerable expense to the property owners.

Portland Amateur Architects' Club Assists in Plans for Rose Festival.

In order to assist the east side push clubs in their endeavor to erect a number of arches over the route of the festival pageant on the east side, the Portland Amateur Architects' club has prepared designs for arches which are on exhibition in the quarters of the festival management in the Sweetland building. Despite the fact that the East Side Business Men's club has offered a prize to the organization that erects the most beautiful arch none of the clubs are displaying much energy in the way of starting plans for erecting arches.

The time of the festival is little more than two months away, not too far distant to begin the discussion of plans for arches if any are to be erected. It has been suggested that a number of the clubs collaborate in the erection of one arch. It is not known whether the East Side Business Men's club would agree to such union among the clubs in competition for the \$50 prize with other clubs who might compete separately. However, such an arrangement might be acceptable if no other action is taken for the east side streets should be decorated.

Parades Defend Upon Energy.

It has already been announced that the number and size of the parades to be sent to the east side depends greatly on the condition of the east side streets and the welcome and energy displayed by the east side. So far the East Side Business Men's club has been the only one to show a desire to go to any expense or trouble in order to secure any part of the festival for the east side.

The plan as suggested by the East Side Business Men's club and as endorsed by the United East Side clubs is to erect many beautiful arches on the route of the parade as possible. The route has not yet been determined, but it will follow the main thoroughfares on the east side of the river. Only the Morrison and Burnside bridges may be used. There are more than 25 active clubs on the east side, and it was thought when the plan was suggested that the clubs would enter into the contest enthusiastically, especially after the business men of the east side came forward with their generous offer of \$50 to the club which affects the finest arch. The decision is now left to a committee to be appointed by the United East Side clubs or the president.

HEAVY ODDS IN FAVOR OF BRIDGE

While not yet completed the figures gathered by the committee on draw regulation show that where 4,000,000 people and 100,000 vehicles pass over the four bridges in a month but 15,000 people pass up and down the river in the river craft. When the work of gathering these statistics is completed they will be compiled in a neat form and presented to the county court, the war department and to the Oregon delegation at Washington.

BUILD NEW SCHOOL ON BASE LINE ROAD

Ernest Kroner, architect, is preparing plans for the erection of a two-story frame school house to be built on the Base Line road. The building will contain four rooms and will cost \$7,000. It is expected that the building will be ready for occupancy in September. The old building has been sold to the Rockwood group.

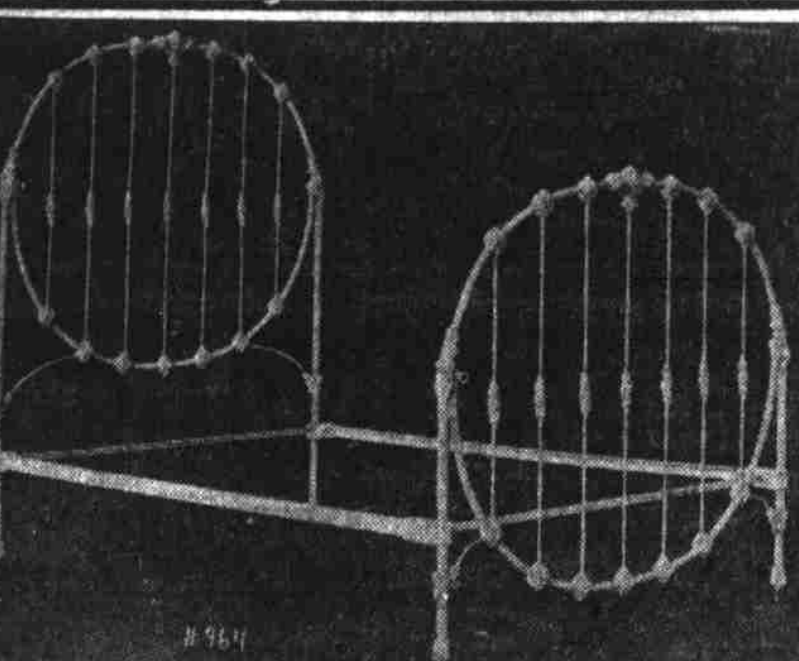
BUSINESS MEN'S CLUB TO MEET

The East Side Business Men's club will meet this evening in the Healy building, East Morrison street and Grand avenue. A number of matters of importance to the business men are to be taken up at the meeting tonight.

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- BIOGRAPHY.**
Edison—Thomas Edison: Sixty Years of an Inventor's Life; by E. A. Jones, 1908.
Napoleon—The Surrender of Napoleon, by Sir F. L. Martineau, 1904.
BOOKS FOR CHILDREN.
Bible for Young People.
Gates—Live Dolls' Busy Days.
Gates—More About Live Dolls.
Howland—The Story of Locomotives.
Polevoi—Russian Fairy Tales.
Smith—Children's Primer.
Verhoef—All About Johnnie Jones.
DESCRIPTION AND TRAVEL.
Edwards—Literary Rambles in France, 1907.
Rand, McNally & Co.—Enlarged Business Atlas and Shippers' Guide, ed. 35, 1907.
Wright—Picturesque Mexico, 1897.
FICTION.
Calkins—Two Wilderness Voyagers; a True Tale of Indian Life.
Denmar—The Noisy Years.
Lewke—The Morals of Marcus Ordway.
Nicholson—Rosaling at Red Gate.
FINE ARTS.
Brahms—Personal Recollections of Johannes Brahms, by George Henschel, 1907.
Dillon—Glass, 1907.
Jacobson—Possibilities, with Dances and Drills, 1907.
Mitchell—Practical Stencil Work, 1906.
Osborne, ed.—Country Homes and Gardens of the East. Plans and Photographs of Houses and Gardens, 1907.
Stokes—Etchings of Charles Neryon.
HISTORY.
Clark—Story of Steelhead, 1906.
Northmen—Columbus and Cabot, ed. by J. E. Olson and E. G. Bourne, 1906.
LANGUAGE.
Carpenter—English Grammar, 1907.
Clark—Foreigner's Manual of English, 1902.
LITERATURE.
Marvin—Poems and Translations, 1907.
Methews—ed.—The Short Story: Specimens Illustrating Its Development, 1907.
Modern Eloquence, ed. by T. B. Reed, 10 v., 1907.
Gardner—The Growth of Christianity, 1907.
Harnack—Luke the Physician, the Author of the Third Gospel and the Acts of the Apostles, 1907.
SCIENCE.
Brown—Alpine Flora of the Canadian Rockies, 1907.
Shaler and Davis—Illustrations of the Earth's Surface, Glaciers, 1881.
Stephens—California Mammals, 1906.
SOCIOLOGY.
Riley and Grayson—Lays and Lyrics for the Schoolroom, 1907.
Saylor—American Form Book: A Collection of the Most Improved Legal Forms and Instruments, 1907.
Snedden—The Administration and Educational Work of American Juvenile Reform Schools, 1907.
USEFUL ARTS.
Andrews—Electricity: Control: A Treatise on Electric Switch Gear and Systems of Electrical Transmission, 1904.
Brown—Practical Arboriculture, 1906.
Dixon—Basketry Designs of the Indians of Northern California, 1902.
Fowler—The Car Wheel, 1907.
Gardner—The Elements of Electric Traction, for Motormen and Others, 1907.
Graphic Arts and Crafts Year Book, 1908.
Davis—Railroad Location, Surveys and Estimates, 1908.
Lindsay—The New Psychology: Its Basis, Principles, 1908.
Ryan and others—A Text Book of Electrical Machinery, 1908.
Steinmetz and Hergl—The Theory and Calculation of Alternating Current Phenomena, ed. 2, rev. 1898.
Ward—Timber and Some of Its Diseases, 1897.
 pamphlet of interest to be found in the reference department:
United States military information division—Espionage of the Russo-Japanese War, 1907.
United States geological survey—San Francisco earthquake and Fire of April 18, 1906, and their effects on structures and Structural Materials, 1907.
United States geological survey—Burning of Coal Without Smoke in the Boiler Plants, 1908.
St. Paul (Minnesota) capitol approaches commission—Report to the Common Council.

DISEASED MILK IS SOLD AT BELLINGHAM

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Bellingham, Wash., March 19.—The county board of health has discovered that dairy herd near this city which is believed includes diseased cattle. Diseased milk is coming into this city daily, and until an examination can be made of the herd, its products are temporarily condemned. Dr. Martin, county health officer, yesterday telegraphed the state veterinarian at Pullman to come here at once and make an examination of the cattle alleged to be diseased. Dr. Martin took this action on the instructions of State Food Inspector Davies.

The owner of this herd was also notified by the county board of health to ship no more milk, cream or butter.

PRINCE MENELIK IS UNDESIRABLE CITIZEN

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Berlin, March 19.—Prince Ludwig Menelik, a near relative of Emperor Menelik of Abyssinia, has been expelled from Germany as an "undesirable." The prince was expelled from history some time ago on charges of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was preferred against him in several cities. For some companies to develop Abyssinian mines, rubber and cotton plantations.

POLICE HUNTING FOR RENO ORE ROBBERS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Reno, Nev., March 19.—An organized search, principally between Reno and San Francisco, was inaugurated by the state police in an attempt to capture the thieves who stole \$50,000 worth of ore stored in the lower tunnel of the Mammoth hill, and carried away by the robbers. The robbers entered the vault through the upper tunnel and then went down a slope to the depository. In spite of the fact that the tunnel was guarded by the police, the \$50,000 worth of ore in bags and boxes, although it is thought to have been committed a day or two ago. The police are watching the tunnel closely and say that the thieves will try to market the ore in that city.

FISH'S EMPLOYER MAKES A DEFENSE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Spokane, Wash., March 19.—"I do not believe Percy Fish ever used opium," declared Mr. Reynolds, president of the Portland Novelty Manufacturing company, who is here to investigate the death of his employe. "Fish was one of our best men, and I am sure I saw him had a cracked lip, and had used iodine on it. I believe this explains the brown stain on his lips, which was taken by the coroner's opium staff. He was not a hard drinker and was a good business man. I believe robbery was the cause of his death. He had just received his check and also wore a diamond ring."

PUSH CLUB WILL BE FORMED AT NEWPORT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Newport, Or., March 19.—A citizens' meeting was held Monday evening to organize a push club. A temporary organization was effected. S. G. Irvin was elected chairman and Robert Lyng, secretary. A committee of three was appointed to solicit members. The meeting adjourned to meet Friday evening, March 20, when a permanent organization will be perfected and election of officers for one year held. It is expected the membership will number over 50. An initiation fee of \$3 will be charged.

DALLEES TOO BUSY TO "BOTHR WITH ROSES"

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
The Dalles, March 19.—The Dalles business men have decided not to participate in the rose carnival this summer. They stated at their meeting that they were assisting in the construction of a new building and that the association could not take up any new work.

Fat Is An Offense.

"The female form being capable of expressing a supreme degree of grace, should be an inspiration in our daily lives and lead up to higher ideals of beauty," said the art lecturer. "Therefore the fat woman is an enemy to the artistic uplift, for she is entirely too heavy for any wings of fancy to raise. It is not understood how any woman will remain fat when it is so easy to reduce one's flesh. In the Latin quarter of Paris one never sees a gross figure. Although the art models take things easy, sit around a great deal and eat just whenever they please, yet they keep their flesh firm and their figures beautiful. They have a simple fat-reducer that takes the place of starving and gymnastics. It consists of a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime of this simple receipt: One half ounce Marmola, 1/4 ounce Fluid Extract Cassia Aromatic, and 1/4 ounce Syrup Simplex. It's all. Why don't fat, pudgy American women try that? It's harmless—nay, very good for them—and will, I understand, take off as much as a pound of fat a day. Any one with a little more change and a drug store handy can have a decent figure."

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Lane County Citizens Urge Oregon Delegation to Urge Passage of Bill.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Eugene, Or., March 19.—At a meeting of a large number of Eugene and Lane county citizens interested in the purchase of railroad grant lands, held in this city yesterday afternoon the following message was formulated and sent by wire last evening to each of the members of the Oregon delegation in congress:

"To members of the Oregon delegation in congress: At a general meeting of the citizens of Lane county, called on notice duly published, and held at the Eugene Commercial club rooms, March 18, 1908, it was resolved: That it is the sense of this meeting that the resolution introduced by Senator Fulton relative to the Oregon & California land grant should be passed as introduced and without amendment. We heartily concur in the position taken by the senate and Congressman Hawley in reference to the amendments proposed."

INDEPENDENCE WILL BUILD A CANNERY

Independence, Or., March 19.—Independence is to have a cannery. Local capital has been subscribed to the extent of the \$10,000 required. A meeting of promoters and other stockholders will be held Saturday to complete the permanent organization. It is the intention of the stockholders to build and operate a modern, up-to-date plant in time to handle this season's fruit and vegetable crops. The rich bottom lands in the vicinity of Independence is especially adapted to the growing of peaches and vegetables for canning purposes.

CROKER HAS ANOTHER DERBY WINNER

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Dublin, March 19.—Richard Croker, former Tammany chieftain, is confident of winning the English derby again this year and thus duplicate the feat of the Duke of Portland and the Earl of Rosebery who jointly held the record of two successive derby victories. Croker expects to turn the trick with Battler, a full brother of Orby, last year's winner. Battler was born and trained on the Croker estate at Sandford, outside of Dublin, and has never left the farm. Croker has been trying to keep quiet his belief in Battler as he did in the case of Orby. However, Croker is advising his personal friends to bet heavily on the horse, as he intends to plunge on him.

Change Route of Race.

Los Angeles, March 19.—The route of the New York-to-Paris automobile race has been changed, and the competing cars will come through this city. E. L. Thomas, vice-president of the Thomas Motor car company, who is here to arrange the details of the finish of the transcontinental part of the round-the-world run, made this decision today. Thomas left today for Daggett, to direct Driver Brinker of the Thomas car to take his machine through this city. The leader in the race should reach here Saturday morning.

Recruits Smother Angels.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 19.—Eleven runs were made against the Angels yesterday by the Chicago American recruits, the Berry bunch putting over three scores. The score: R. H. E. Chicago..... 11 14 3 Los Angeles..... 3 6 4 Batteries—Thorsen and Hogan; Most and Armbruster.

Because they wrestled instead of boxed, Referee McLagan declared the Mullin-Ross mill no contest in Aberdeen Tuesday night. Ross deliberately threw Mullin to the floor in the nineteenth round, but the referee refused to allow a fight. Mullin was by far the cleverest fighter.

Danny Long thinks that nine pitchers are enough to take over the training camp at Bakersfield and he released three of his twirlers, Eifman, Hoag and Sibley. He believes the others will give him the best material to choose from.

NEW BUILDINGS FOR BIG SCHOOL

Contractors Prepare to Resume Work at Washington State College.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pullman, Wash., March 19.—Hastie & Dugan, the contractors who have the contract for erecting the new college buildings at the Washington State college, are making preparations to resume work, which was suspended when cold weather began. Men are being assembled here for all kinds of work, including brick masons, stone masons, carpenters, concrete men and laborers. It was planned to begin work yesterday, but the heavy rains made this impossible.

The library and auditorium will be the largest building on the campus, and will cost \$130,000. This is as much as the aggregate cost of the administrative building, science hall and Morrill Hall. The recitation building will cost \$120,000.

The first story walls of the recitation building are up, having been built last fall. The work will be rushed to completion as rapidly as possible, as it is imperative that it be finished before the school year opening in September.

Reinforced concrete, crushed stone and native rock will be used extensively in the building to be erected this year, this being the first time that reinforced concrete has been used in a building for the Washington State college.

Diphtheria at La Grande.

La Grande, Or., March 19.—The six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Graham died yesterday of diphtheria, at the home of her parents, South La Grande. There are still a few cases of this dread disease in this section of eastern Oregon, and everything possible is being done to prevent a serious spread.

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