

TWO OTHER CITIES WANT TO COME IN

Annexation Sentiment Develops in Milwaukie and Lents; Strongest in Former.

Milwaukie wants to come into the Portland family group and be a part of the city. Recently the annexation sentiment has been rapidly growing in the progressive little city up the river, and meetings have been held, at which the question was discussed and received with enthusiasm.

The movement has been given added impetus because of the long fight the Milwaukie people have been waging to secure a 5-cent fare between there and Portland. Although the place is no farther away than other places which are served by the 5-cent limit, the Portland Railway, Light & Power company refused to make the reduction from 10 cents to 5 cents. The people of Milwaukie took the matter up with the state railroad commission, and were successful. The company since that time has been taking its contention through the courts, and although defeated at each turn, has now taken its last stand in the United States supreme court.

It is estimated that it will require nearly three years for the case to reach a decision in the high tribunal, and because of that fact largely the sentiment to annex Milwaukie is rapidly growing. The question will be submitted to the voters of the district as soon as possible, and from indications the proposition will meet with favorable consideration.

Out at Lents, also, there is a growing annexation sentiment. The city limits now extend to Grays Crossing, which is the limit of the 5-cent fare service. It is estimated that there are 10,000 people living between Grays Crossing and Lents Junction, and they have to pay an added 5 cents in car fare for the half mile they ride outside the city limits.

There is more opposition to annexation in the Lents district, however, than in Milwaukie. It is argued that the district escapes the city tax by being just over the boundary, that it is not now assessed for street improvements, that it has a fairly good water supply and that the advantages of annexation would not compensate for the increased civic charges. There are a large number of people, however, who desire to come within the boundaries of the city, and the indications are that they will submit the question to the voters at the next opportunity.

"JOY RIDE" DELIGHTFUL, BUT FINISH—OH, MY!

A woman clad only in a raincoat, night dress and stockings started a commotion in the Rex rooming house at Washington and Chapman streets early yesterday morning and Patrolman W. H. Royle was called in to evict her. The woman told the officer that she had been "joy riding" with two young men and that they had forcibly removed her clothes from her in the machine and then had left her on the

WHAT THE CENSUS SHOWS

Washington, Aug. 28.—In order that a comparison may be made between the population of various cities reported to date by the census bureau your correspondent has prepared the following table showing the cities whose population has been given in the order in which they come. Some of the figures reported are surprising and have not yet been explained further than that it is known that in certain cases what might be described as "ruses" were employed to boom the statistics. For example, it is said that Denver, on the day the population was to be taken, hired a lot of brass bands and gave a parade and had other festivities calculated to draw in the people from the

surrounding country who might be counted as inhabitants of the city. At Great Falls, Mont., the enumerators included all the guests at the hotels during the census period of 15 days and had men at the railroad stations to count everybody who alighted from the trains. It is fair to assume, however, that in the majority of cases the increases as reported are legitimate, due to the natural growth of population or the annexation of surrounding territory. The population of the various cities for 1900 and 1910 and the percentage of increase during the last 10 years as reported by the census office, to date, are as follows:

Table with columns: City, 1910, 1900, P. Inc. to 1910. Rows include Five Hundred Thousand and Over (St. Louis, Mo., 687,929; Pittsburgh, Pa., 633,905), Four Hundred Thousand and Over (Detroit, Mich., 465,786; Buffalo, N. Y., 423,716), Three Hundred Thousand and Over (Milwaukie, Wis., 373,857; Cincinnati, Ohio, 358,469; Newark, N. J., 347,469; Washington, D. C., 321,065), Two Hundred Thousand and Over (Jersey City, N. J., 267,779; Indianapolis, Ind., 233,659; Providence, R. I., 224,256; St. Paul, Minn., 214,744; Denver, Colo., 203,729), One Hundred Thousand and Over (Columbus, Ohio, 181,548; Toledo, Ohio, 198,497; Atlanta, Ga., 184,839; Syracuse, N. Y., 187,249; New Haven, Conn., 133,605; Scranton, Pa., 129,867; Paterson, N. J., 129,600; Grand Rapids, Mich., 117,571; Bridgeport, Conn., 102,054; Albany, N. Y., 100,253), Fifty Thousand and Over (Hartford, Conn., 78,915; Reading, Pa., 76,071; Camden, N. J., 74,538; Wilmington, Del., 74,411; Fort Wayne, Ind., 73,249; Houston, Texas, 72,800; Waterbury, Conn., 72,141; Schenectady, N. Y., 72,326; Hoboken, N. J., 70,224; Evansville, Ind., 69,467; Akron, Ohio, 67,067; Oklahoma City, Okla., 64,205; Portland, Ore., 63,832; Bayonne, N. J., 58,545; South Bend, Ind., 53,684; Allentown, Pa., 51,913; Pawtucket, R. I., 51,221; Mobile, Ala., 51,221), Twenty-five Thousand and Over (Sioux City, Iowa, 47,828; Sacramento, Cal., 44,696; Pueblo, Colo., 43,157; Davenport, Iowa, 43,028; Flint, Mich., 39,437; Kalamazoo, Mich., 38,550; Waco, Tex., 38,125; East Orange, N. J., 34,371; Jackson, Mich., 31,435; Niagara Falls, N. Y., 30,445; Lynchburg, Va., 29,494; Colorado Springs, Colo., 29,078; Danville, Ill., 27,951; Newport, R. I., 27,149; Warwick, R. I., 26,629; Muskogee, Okla., 25,278; Battle Creek, Mich., 25,267).

ALARM CLOCK FEEDS CHICKENS

Hermiston Barber Has Scheme for Doing Chores While He Shaves Customers.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Hermiston, Or., Aug. 28.—Ting-a-ling-a-ling-a-ling! Cut-a-cut-a-cut-a-cut! Patter, Patter, Patter. (Meaning the falling of chicken feed.) It is like this: Frank Thomas is a barber who raises chickens. Thomas barbers in town and raises chickens on his farm a mile or two in the country, of course. Now, no well regulated barber shop will close its doors in the middle of the afternoon. Not if the owner expects to pay his rent regularly. So, in order to avoid closing the shop and making a tour into the country for the sole purpose of feeding the chickens, Thomas bought a dollar clock, spent a few hours training it, wound up the alarm and came away. And now when 5 o'clock rolls round, the clock sounds and the chickens prick up their ears and run toward the feed box. That's the way Thomas feeds his chickens. Thomas's invention is attracting the attention of many people on the Hermiston project, for it is wonderfully successful. A spring is attached to the clock and as the alarm sounds a trap door is raised and the feed falls out. The invent on has never failed to work, so far. And so, if a hen and a half lays an egg and a half by this new method, how many would one say that is fed by hand? Echo, (Or.) answers, "How many?"

WORLD CONFERENCE IN INTEREST OF PEACE

Brussels, Aug. 28.—The annual conference of the Interparliamentary Union, a gathering of peace advocates from the world over, was formally opened in Brussels today, to continue until the end of the week. The American delegation, of which Representative Richard Barthold of St. Louis is chairman, will have a conspicuous part in the proceedings. The delegation will present several resolutions looking toward the establishment of permanent peace among the nations of the world. The most important of these resolutions is one asking the conference to request governments which are signatory to The Hague peace conference and the London Naval conference to sanction the American proposition that the international prize court be invested with the jurisdiction of an international court of arbitral justice.

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SEMI-MADE CORSET COVERS—The much advertised lily white, come in eyelet designs, dainty and particular garments well liked by the fastidious woman; regular values to 85c, special tomorrow at this price, each 50c

\$16 Dining Table \$11.69 Our large Fourth-Floor Furniture Section is always noted for its good values, and this week you'll find two unusually attractive offerings. Read over the descriptions, then see the pieces. Extension Tables, six-foot size, made of solid oak, finished in either golden oak or Early English, pedestal style, as shown in illustration. Strong and handsome pieces of furniture that will be an ornament to any dining room, \$16 val. \$11.69

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The early arrivals in Autumn Tailored Suits show trimness and smartness perhaps not to be equaled in any other stock you'll see on the Pacific coast. At any rate, you'll find here as complete a selection as the most exacting could ask for. The tailored suits for fall show marked changes in style, but the extremes are avoided in the Meier & Frank stock. The best adaptations of French and American fashions, in such materials as broadcloth, worsteds, serges and fancy rough materials. All the leading shades and fancy mixtures. We invite your inspection and admiration. Priced from \$20.00 to \$55.00

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