

ST. JOHNS AT LAST MAY ELEVATE BELL

Firemen Claim It Would Be of
More Use in Minaret Than
at Present.

A petition which originated with the Volunteer Firemen's association, asking that the fire bell be hung on the roof of the city hall, is receiving great support and will probably be laid before the council at the regular meeting Tuesday next. When the present city hall was under construction the architects made provision for creating a minaret in which the fire bell was to be suspended, but when the present fire bell was purchased, it was decided to erect a wooden structure on the ground alongside the city hall building for the bell. The firemen claim the usefulness of the fire bell, which was purchased second hand at a cost of about \$200, would be considerably increased if located on the position originally designed for it.

Two years ago steps were taken toward placing the bell in this position, but when it was discovered that those responsible were beginning to erect a wooden structure for the support of the bell, an injunction was obtained on the ground that the framework would be a fire trap within the hazard limits of the city. Since then no active steps have been taken, but in view of the large number of tax payers and residents who have already signed the petition, it is expected the project will receive favorable consideration at the council meeting.

The death of Herbert Pickle of 934 North Kellogg street, at the age of 52, scarcely came as a surprise to his friends. He originally came to the millwright. He has been suffering from dropsy, complicated by paralysis in the latter stage of his illness. The Woodmen of the World had charge of the funeral, which was held from the parlors of Zeller & Byrnes Wednesday.

George and Bertha Guilmon, parents of a little one who lived only four weeks, the cause of death being strangulation induced by whooping cough. Their home is situated at the corner of Addison and Burlington streets.

Brother Brothers are planning to erect a brick building of one and a half stories, in the heart of the city on North Jersey street on the site at present occupied by S. L. Doble, a real estate operator, and the adjacent millinery store. Plans and specifications have been approved and it is intended to have the building ready for occupation by May 1. The building is designed for use as a first class moving theatre and arrangements have been made with Mr. Salmond, proprietor of the Electric theatre, to transfer his business to the new building.

K. C. Couch returned from Salem yesterday, well satisfied with the progress of the ferry bill. He reports that the interest displayed in the bill is general throughout the county and the dispatch with which the bill passed the house showed that the matter was not considered of mere local interest, he said. Mr. Couch will return to Salem on Monday and it is hoped that the bill will meet equal success in the senate.

A. L. Lawson of the firm of Lawson & Strong, cattle dealers of Montana, was in the city yesterday. He made a careful inspection of the property along the waterfront and visited the Swift packing plant. There have been rumors lately of the establishment of a second packing plant in the neighborhood.

BILLS ALREADY IN ASK \$4,009,611; TRIMMING IS IN PROSPECT

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With the general deficiency and maintenance appropriation bill. Among the heaviest demands to be met by the legislature is an appropriation of \$515,258, asked by the University of Oregon. This is in addition to the \$250,000 now provided in a continuing appropriation for general maintenance. The University of Oregon this session asks for money enough to build and

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ministration or commonwealth building and a modern library and museum, each to cost \$175,000. It is likely the friends of the institution hardly expect to get all they ask for. The bills for these appropriations were introduced by the Lane county delegation.

Another bill appropriation is for the maintenance of the insane asylum. The legislative committee that visited that institution believes that \$592,157 is not too much for the asylum. It is a cut of more than \$250,000 from that asked for by Superintendent R. E. L. Stenger.

Needs of Other Institutions.

The state fair board wants about \$160,000 for improvements, including a new exhibition pavilion. The institute for the training of the feeble minded desires nearly \$50,000, and the secretary of state has recommended that a new building be built to relieve the congested condition of the capitol building. This would require at least \$150,000. Deficiencies at the asylum, penitentiary and institute for the feeble minded range from \$17,000 at the penitentiary to \$40,000 at the asylum.

If the University of Oregon is generously treated at the hands of the legislators, the agricultural college must also have consideration. Senator Hawley has introduced bills asking for about \$340,000 for the Agricultural college. Several other bills providing for the extension of work of the institution and experiment stations as well as for a bureau of mines at the agricultural college will increase this appropriation to nearly \$375,000.

Astoria Has Fighting Senator.

Among the other larger appropriations asked for is \$100,000 for the centennial celebration to be held at Astoria this summer. Senator Lester is piloting the bill through the senate, and seems to be an aggressive pilot, for yesterday when the ways and means committee of the senate reported the bill out to \$25,000, the senator from Clatsop immediately arose to his feet and demanded that the appropriation be put back to the original figure, which was done. There was protest, but Senator Lester had the majority with him.

The state militia and naval militia want money. So far Abrams, the special guardian of military affairs in the house, has introduced bills asking for about \$140,000 for the militia. The friends of the normal school at Monmouth want \$50,000 for a new dormitory, which they say is badly needed. Senator Turner Oliver has introduced a bill in the senate asking for an appropriation of \$100,000 to establish and maintain another normal school at La Grande.

The medical department of the University of Oregon, through Representative Ambrose, asks for \$60,000 for a new building. Senator Kellaher wants \$100,000 for a building for the Oregon Historical society, to be erected at Portland. Buchanan wishes to see \$75,000 worth of Indian war veterans' claims satisfied, and there are numerous smaller appropriations desired for fish hatcheries on Olney lake and Young's river, a small appropriation for the Oregon Humane society and numerous small sums, usually \$3000, for fairs in Clackamas, Tillamook, Multnomah and other counties, not to mention salaries for new officials, including a fire marshal, hotel inspector, a public utilities commission, secretary of a board to purchase supplies for the institutions, a lieutenant governor, and other boards and commissions.

Printing Plant Is Bought. Then there is the eastern Oregon branch hospital which will need more money, and if the printer is put on a salary the state will have to buy the printing plant and provide for its maintenance, estimated at \$115,000. Small items such as \$1250 to preserve the McLoughlin home at Oregon City, \$1741 to reimburse George Nossing for injuries received while in active service as a national guardsman for the state of Oregon, \$15,000 for barns and horses for battery A, all count rapidly toward the grand total.

"SCHOOLS OUTLANDISH, SCHOOL FUNDS WASTED"

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of instruction, fuel, janitor service, repairs and supplies.

"We found where six men worked a week repairing one little roof drain pipe," said Mr. Haak. "Our object was to obtain what the school board could not furnish us, namely, a statement of comparative costs. Our accountant could not obtain the records for more than a year past."

Old Records in Utter Confusion.

"The accounts as made by R. H. Thomas, present school clerk, are in excellent shape so far as he has been permitted by his handicaps to make them. But records of transactions before Mr. Thomas became clerk are in absolute confusion. No one could tell what had been spent nor what had been done, with any degree of accuracy. I understand that the school board will publish a report based on our findings. We are perfectly willing that this should be done. We think the public should have this detailed information. 'Injustice was done the City' Council," concluded Mr. Haak, "when the school board gave to a local morning paper for criticism, a draft of a suggested school law which we submitted. The measure was not in permanent shape, nor had it been passed upon finally by the council. It was merely a suggestion. We have been trying our best to work with the school directors in framing new school laws. Our main idea is that the public has the right to investigate the acts of its servants elected to office. In this we contend we are right."

English Chemist Has Taken the Drunk Out and Left the Beer

(United Press Leased Wire.)

London, Jan. 27.—Announcement was made here today that Otto Overbeck, an English chemist, 1st, after 20 years of "dabbling," has discovered the secret of manufacturing beer that will not be toxic. However, that portion of London that likes its mug red to get excited over the matter, and are asking "What's the use?"

Overbeck, nevertheless, is receiving the congratulations of his fellow chemists, who for years have been trying to "de-alcoholize" beer, and although they had in a measure succeeded in getting rid of the liquor to such a temperature that its palatability was destroyed.

By Overbeck's system, he is able to take from beer and stout, the power to produce intoxication, while leaving the flavor, sparkle and palatability unimpaired.

Major B. Toberman Dead.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Los Angeles, Jan. 27.—Major B. Toberman, first American mayor of Los Angeles, died at the age of 74. Toberman lived here 45 years. He was elected mayor in 1872.

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ANTI-ALIEN BILLS NOT FAVORED IN CALIFORNIA

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Sacramento, Jan. 27.—That the anti-alien land and school bills now before the legislature will be either buried in committee or unfavorably recommended is the belief of many members following the action of the federal relations committee in demonstrating that it fears to offer an affront to Japan.

There is division among the insurgents along the lines of anti-alien immigration. Many express disapproval of the bill prohibiting Japanese, Chinese and Hindus from holding land in California and barring Japanese children from schools attended by whites.

BURNS CLUB OF OREGON HONORS POET'S MEMORY

The annual dinner of the Burns club of Oregon was held last night at the Oregon grill and 60 Scotchmen and their invited guests were in attendance. Songs were sung, toasts were drunk, and a review of the life and character of Robert Burns given. The chairman of the evening was District Attorney Cameron, who was assisted by James Hislop and A. G. Brown, croupiers.

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"I can't tell in words how happy the word 'Cuticura' sounds to me, for it cured my baby of itching, torturing eczema. It first came when she was between three and four weeks old, appearing on her head. I used everything imaginable and had one doctor's bill after another but nothing cured it. Then the eczema broke out so badly behind her ear that I read of thought her ear would come off. For months I doctored it but to no avail. Then it began at her nose and her eyes were nothing but sores. I had to keep her in a dark room for two weeks. The doctor did no good, so I stopped him coming."

"For about two weeks I had used Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and began to see that. In a week there was a marked improvement. In all I used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and my baby was cured of the sores. This was last November; now her hair is growing out nicely and she has not a scar on her. I can not praise Cuticura enough, I can take my child anywhere and people are amazed to see her without a sore. From the time she was four weeks old until she was three years she was never without the terrible eruption but now, thanks to Cuticura, I have a well child."—Mrs. R. H. Householder, 2004, Wilhelms St., Baltimore, Md., May 10, 1910.

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Ice plant and bottling works soon for Redmond.

N. W. CORPORATION NAMES ITS OFFICERS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 27.—Officers of the Northwestern corporation which is now a part of the Pacific Power and Light company, were filed yesterday in the office of the county auditor here. The officers are those of the Pacific company and are as follows:

President, H. M. Byllesby; vice-president, C. E. Groesbeck; treasurer, J. J. O'Brien; secretary, Isaac Milkewitch; assistant secretary and assistant treasurer, Elmer Dover; trustees, H. M. Byllesby, Arthur S. Huey, J. J. O'Brien.

WILL TELL SILVERTON ITS WATER IS UNSAFE

Dr. Calvin S. White, state health officer, will speak in Silvertown tonight in behalf of the new water system which it is proposed shall be installed in the town. During a visit to Silvertown some time ago Dr. White found cases of typhoid fever directly traceable to an unguarded water supply. The source of water supply was a stream

which had on its banks slaughter houses, barns and objectionable out-houses.

Socialists Condemn Japan.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Los Angeles, Jan. 27.—A resolution condemning the Japanese government for hanging 12 Socialists accused of plotting against the mikado, was telegraphed to Washington today, following its adoption at a mass meeting of local Socialists last night. Under the auspices of the Proletariat club, the Socialist party, the Socialist-Labor party, the Liberal club and the Industrial Workers of the World, a public meeting to protest against the executions was held at Labor Temple.

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