

SIMON AND LANE STAND GUARD AT MAYORALTY GATE

Until They Talk, No One Will Know Just What Is What; Councilmanic Candidates Legion.

Travelers on the political highways in Portland are now largely concerned with the two large sphinxes standing on either side of the road. Until something definite is learned regarding the intentions of Joseph Simon and Dr. Harry Lane the vision of the onlookers will remain somewhat confused.

Councilman Gray Lombard, A. G. Linsight and George B. Cellars are all likely to try for the city's highest honors on the Republican ticket. State Senator Dan Kellaher is expected to get into the scrimmage at an early date.

There is also talk of candidates for the city, who is being urged as a candidate by many of his friends. John W. Smith, former postmaster, and City Treasurer Ed Werlein are others in the mentioned class.

One criteria of Democrats is boosting George H. Thomas, a war horse of the party, as chairman of the county committee. A petition is being circulated and he is expected to become a candidate.

A. I. Barbur, who is serving his second term as city auditor, will be opposed by Ed M. Lane for the Republican nomination. The Democratic field is apparently yet unoccupied.

For city attorney, Frank S. Grant, the incumbent, is the only one so far named. Bert E. Hanson and John H. Stevenson, who have been mentioned for the Democratic nomination, declare they would not accept it.

Five for Municipal Judgeship.
Municipal Judge Taswell, Major J. P. Kennedy, Joseph H. Jones, E. D. Williams and J. D. Mann are actively in the race for judge of the municipal court.

Taswell's fracas with Mayor Simon, when he refused to resign and make way for Mayor Kennedy, has given strong hopes to friends of other candidates.

City Treasurer J. E. Werlein may run for mayor and leave the office he has occupied for the last 17 years. If he decides to remain where he is, he may have no opposition, none having so far developed.

John Amund, M. J. Driscoll, John H. Burgard and George B. Cellars will re-appear as councilmen at large. Amund and Cellars will not be candidates for reelection, and Burgard, who was appointed to succeed Thomas C. Devlin, resigned, has not decided what he will do. He said today he has been under the impression that as he was named to fill an unexpired term he would not be required to file a petition as other candidates must do. He is having the law looked up and says if a petition is required he may not be in the race.

George T. Atchley and John H. Haak are among those talked about for councilmen at large on the Democratic side. T. J. Consonson of the first ward, the only Democratic member of the present council, will try for the place again.

In the Fourth ward George L. Baker wants to go back, but is expected to have opposition in the Republican primaries. A. J. McCabe is being mentioned as a Democratic candidate in this ward.

H. A. Belding is a candidate for another term in the Sixth ward. V. K. Stroebe, who has been mentioned for the Democratic honors, says he is not a candidate and is not inclined to not be. W. R. Lake, a candidate for the seventh ward, says he is not a candidate. Dr. M. A. Jones, a dentist, and J. C. Welch are roaming around the Democratic pastures.

In the Eighth ward K. E. Kuhl wants to serve again, and C. V. Howard is another candidate. There is a scaramble among Democrats here, with Frank T. Berry, Sam E. Holcomb, Frank M. Kelly and C. A. Gallinger entered.

Skeleton Uncovered.
(Special Dispatch to the Journal.)
Ashland, Or., March 6.—While excavating for the erection of a house George Mathes unearthed a skeleton. The skeleton was found buried standing up, and from an examination made of the skull and teeth it is supposed to be that of an Indian squaw. The supposition is that this was an Indian burying ground.

BOMB EXPLODES NEAR GREEK HOME

Attempt Made to Assassinate Colony of Foreign Labor- ers at Salem.

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.)
Salem, Or., March 6.—Wholesale assassination of a colony of Greek laborers, employed in sewer construction work in this city and housed on Miller street in South Salem, is believed to have been attempted late last night when a bomb was exploded within 10 feet of the door of a large shack containing 18 Greeks. A ragged hole was torn in the earth six or seven feet deep and gravel was thrown in all directions, shattering windows and generally shaking things up. The explosion was the source of much alarm to residents in the neighborhood.

CITY ENGINEER CALLS PUBLIC CHANGEABLE

"The public is a fickle master," sighed City Engineer Morris this morning, as he glanced over the unanimous protest of property owners against the proposed grading and curbing of East Thirtieth street from Clinton to Taggart.

In February last year a petition representing more than one-fifth of the property on the street, was filed in the city auditor's office asking that the street be improved.

"Every one of the signers of that improvement has put his name to the remonstrance," declared the city engineer. "It is only another proof that the people don't know their own minds from one month to another. But in this case the remonstrance came too late to be effective. The executive board can go ahead and let the contract, anyway, if it pleases."

"It would serve the remonstrators right if the board should let the contract, too. Here the city has been to the expense of engineering and clerical labor and advertising twice and if the property owners' whim is honored my department will have expended money and will have nothing to show for it at the end of the year. I think I will just sit down and write a letter to the street committee of the executive board, recommending that the five remonstrators sign the original petition for the improvement be made to pay the expenses incurred by the city, that is, if proceedings are to be resuscitated."

Engineer Morris suited his action to his words and wrote the letter, whereupon he felt more cheerful.

ALBANY COUPLE WED; GIVE FRIENDS SLIP

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.)
Albany, Or., March 6.—The parents and friends of Bert Francis, son of County Treasurer W. W. Francis, and Miss Marion Mervin, daughter of Mrs. J. J. Collins, of this city, were this morning considerably surprised to learn that the young couple had been quietly wedded late yesterday afternoon by the Rev. H. Ralph Gile at the Evangelical parsonage and had gone to Portland on their honeymoon. Both are of age, and have long been residents of Albany. The groom conducts a plumbing business here. The parents of neither bride nor groom were aware of the contemplated marriage. After the ceremony the newly weds drove to Jefferson and took the train for Portland, thus eluding notice here.

Baltimore Police on Gridiron.

Annapolis, Md., March 5.—Governor Crothers today took up for hearing the charges of incompetency and official misconduct made against Colonel C. Baker Clotworthy, Peter B. Tome and John B. A. Welta, members of the board of police commissioners of the city of Baltimore. The board is alleged to have protected rank incompetency and inefficiency, and in some cases actual dishonesty, in the police department.

TULSA GIRLS ORIGINATED NOVEL SCHEME



Oracles List (on left) and Olive Adair.

Here is another picture of the Tulsa girls who will sell Journals every day around the world. How do they do it? Well, it is easy to sell Journals anyway, it is always the most popular paper on the street, and when you add to that the fact that two of the prettiest girls that ever came to town are apt to step up and smilingly ask you to buy a copy, why the combination is quite irresistible. Everybody is curious about the Tulsa girls. Why are they selling papers? How much do they make? Who gets the money? Have they a manager? How did they think of that scheme?—all these are questions that The Journal has been asked a hundred times over the telephone since Oracles List and Olive Adair came to town.

They are selling papers because they have found it an easy way to do what they have set their hearts on—make their own way around the globe. What they make depends upon how many people let them "keep the change," though it isn't to be forgotten they always have the change with them, ready to give you, and the price of The Journal from them, as from every newswoman in the street, is only 3 cents. They haven't a manager—the girls are traveling alone and were bright and original and resourceful enough to think of this way of making their traveling expenses. Has it worked well? Just look at them and see if they look poor and hungry.

GREEK CLAIMS HIS "PULL" SAVES HIM

Dreadful Stories Told of His Conduct but Bail Is Only \$200.

George Chaptis, Greek restaurant man who was arrested at 2 o'clock Sunday morning after making an attack on Miss Anna Bird, in the rear of his restaurant, 32 North Sixth street, was released on bail of only \$200, in spite of the fact that Judge Taswell was informed there have been many complaints against the man.

Chaptis was arrested in a booth in the rear of his restaurant by Patrolman Cameron after he had heard Miss Bird pleading with the Greek to permit her to go and finally in desperation, shouting for help. At the police station, Chaptis claimed he had influenced a fraternal order and had money enough to prevent any action being taken against him.

This morning an attorney appeared for Chaptis and asked bail, which was set at \$100 on a disorderly charge. Shortly after Mrs. L. G. Baldwin, who had been given the custody of Miss Bird, filed another complaint against Chaptis charging him with assault and battery. Deputy District Attorney Hennessey placed the bail in this case at \$200, but in spite of that fact and the excuse that the defendant was a "business man," the \$200 bail was allowed to suffice.

Mrs. Baldwin is preparing to make a complaint against the Hansen Employment agency which sent Miss Bird to the Greek restaurant.

The restaurant that Chaptis has been conducting has been under suspicion for some time. Four girls have been employed in as many days and the case of Miss Bird is the second that has come to the attention of the police.

Last Friday night Mrs. Edith Hardist, who had been employed there but one day, rushed onto the street at 3 o'clock in the morning and begged Sergeant Wandless for protection from Chaptis.

Arrested by this and other cases, Chief of Police Cox has decided to ask the council for assistance in fighting Greeks who use their restaurants and fruit stands as pitfalls for young women and traps for white slave traffickers. Stringent regulations and high license are proposed.

CALIFORNIA MATCHES OREGON COLONIST DAY

California celebrated "Invitation Day" March 1 when "Colonist Day" was observed in Oregon. California sent out large postal cards, articles of clothing and many features appealing to the traveler and calling attention to the fact that between March 10 and April 10 colonist rates will be granted to all Pacific coast points from the east. Some of these cards were received this morning by Manager C. C. Chapman of the Portland Commercial club. They are mailed by A. H. Devers of this city, who is now enroute to Brazil and other South American countries.

Orchard Company Incorporated.

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.)
Albany, Or., March 5.—Articles of incorporation of the J. B. Dickover company were filed with the county clerk this morning, the incorporators being J. B. Dickover, Max Aemus and J. W. Dickover, with the principal place of business at Portland. The capital stock is placed at \$10,000. The company, which owns the Ideal Orchard tract of 1446 acres in this county, is authorized to do a general land and mortgage business.

TWO MISSING IN \$1,000,000 BLAZE

Dozen Rescued From Death When Flames Attack Min- neapolis Building.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 6.—Firemen are today searching for the bodies of Miss Mary Buck, proprietor of the Arion restaurant and an employe, Bertha Radons, who are believed to have been burned to death in the fire which early Sunday destroyed the Synchro block on Nicollet avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets, entailing a loss of \$1,000,000. The women were asleep in the buildings.

The fire was replete with thrilling rescues, a dozen persons being removed from the upper stories of the structure while the flames were bursting from the building.

It was necessary to call on the fire department of St. Paul to furnish aid in subduing the flames, which raged for the greater part of the morning.

The fighting of the fire was made extremely hazardous by numerous explosions of gas under the sidewalks blowing large stones high in the air and scattering them broadcast in the streets.

For a time it was feared the fire would spread, as a high wind blew flaming brands many blocks from the scene of the conflagration.

Among the heaviest losses are: Minneapolis Dry Goods company \$250,000; Model Clothing company \$150,000; Hudson and company \$300,000. The loss to the building is estimated at \$200,000.

It is believed that most of the losses are covered by insurance.

ISOLATED COUNTRY SOON TO BE SETTLED

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.)
Marshallfield, Or., March 6.—Loon Lake, a district just over the line of Coos county and in Douglas county, and located between Coos Bay and Drain, is to have a sawmill in addition to other improvements which are being made.

The district was for years isolated, without any outlet but a trail. Recently a wagon road was built from Loon Lake to Allegany, and the result is that a number of farmers are going there to settle. J. McDonald, a member of the logging firm of McDonald & Vaughan, will build this spring a mill at Loon Lake. It will cut about 15,000 feet a day, and will supply the ranchers and settlers with lumber for building. The only structures in the district now are built of shakes. There is about 4000 acres of fine bottom land, which is attracting the attention of the dairymen.

Now that the district has an outlet, besides an auto line is to be run from Drain to Coos Bay through the Loon Lake country this summer, and there is to be some road building which will require lumber.

In the locality there is some 50,000,000 feet of myrtle, maple and other hard woods, and this will be handled by Mr. McDonald in his mill if he can find a market for that class of lumber sufficient to pay him to haul it out.

O. E. Franchise to Pass.

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.)
Salem, Or., March 6.—Mayor Louis Lechmund of Salem says he will not veto the Oregon Electric franchise for the proposed rights of way out of Salem for the Albany extension 80 feet as he knows at this time. The franchise ordinance has not yet been presented but will be at regular meeting tonight and unless there is obvious objection to it the mayor says he knows of no reason why he should veto it. Franchise ordinance granting Salem, Falls City & Western right of way for a steam railroad over the streets of Salem will come up for passage over the mayor's veto tonight at a regular session of the city council.

Good Roads Men at Bandon.

Marshallfield, Or., March 6.—A good roads convention will be held at Bandon March 7. County officers have been invited to attend, and others who are interested in the good roads movement in this county will take part. The convention was arranged by the Commercial club of Bandon.

WOMAN WRITES OPINION OF TELEPHONE SERVICE

"I have lived north, south, east and west in small towns and in large ones and the service of the Pacific Telephone company of Portland, is the only really bad telephone service I ever encountered," says Mrs. A. D. Cleveland, of 53 E. 60th street, north, in a protest to the judiciary and elections committee of the city council. The protest was filed in the city auditor's office this morning and will be considered by the committee this afternoon.

"The company charges enough," reads the remonstrance, "and I pay the phone rental cheerfully. What I object to strenuously, though, is the fact that I am caused. Cheap and untrained operators render service so inefficient that not infrequently from 30 per cent to 50 per cent of the rings are for the wrong number."

"The wrong connection is made in about three out of ten calls, but perhaps the most trying annoyance of all is to stand from one to three minutes awaiting central's leisurely 'number.'"

"About six weeks ago the company published a new telephone directory. I wanted one, but after repeated futile attempts to make known my wants over the telephone I was actually forced to write a letter to the company. With the Pacific Telephone company's telephone in my house I was compelled to use the United States mail as the less laborious and speedier method of communication with the office of the Portland Pacific Telephone company!"

COACH DOLAN PREFERS TO STAY WITH O. A. C.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Or., March 4.—Sam Dolan the big Notre Dame football tackle and at one time a star on the Oregon Agricultural college team, who has been elected head coach at Notre Dame, says that he prefers to remain at O. A. C. and will do so if an agreement can be reached with the local athletic management.

Members of the athletic council interviewed this morning express themselves as agreeable to a proposition which will probably be acceptable to Dolan.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

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Mrs. Marlon Bruce, Cumberland, Me., writes: "I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a great many years, and I think it the best blood medicine in the world. I take it both spring and fall. This last winter and spring I was in very poor health. I was weak and had lost all my appetite and I was all run down. As soon as I began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla my strength came back and my appetite returned. I am now well, do my housework, and no longer have that tired feeling."

Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.

ROOSEVELT BEGINS TOUR WEDNESDAY

Will Visit Big Majority of the States; in Portland in April.

(United Press Landed Wire.)
New York, March 6.—Ex-President Roosevelt will start Wednesday on one of the longest speech-making tours of his career. Before he returns to his home he will have visited every state in the Union except the New England group, Florida and Utah. He is scheduled to make two or more speeches in each state, and his rear platform talks will run the total number of his appearances to many hundreds.

The former president's political opponents are somewhat pumiled by the announcement of the trip. It has been suggested that it will be made an object lesson for the old guard to demonstrate that Roosevelt is as popular throughout the country as during the days of his presidency, and in the south the ex-president will appear in several cities only a day before or after President Taft.

In some quarters it is declared that Roosevelt is paving the way for nomination to the presidency in 1912. That he retains his popularity in the west is indicated by the fact that he has been forced to refuse more than 2000 invitations to speak.

At Grand Canyon, Ariz., Colonel Roosevelt will be joined by Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Ethel, who will accompany him to the Pacific coast. The party will visit Portland, Or., in April.

POOR PROVIDERS ARE ORDERED TO PAY UP

L. V. Edwards, a horseowner, was ordered this morning by the county court to pay \$4 a week for the support of his wife. The young couple have been having trouble of late, and Mrs. Edwards caused the arrest last week of her husband for not supporting her.

E. H. Simon was ordered to pay \$7.50 to the county board of relief each week for the support of his wife. She caused his arrest several weeks ago for failure to provide, the court deeming he should pay this amount Saturday. Mrs. Simon complained to County Judge Cleston she was not receiving the weekly payment.

George Noah was ordered to pay his wife \$30 a month. He has been paying \$20. She is suffering from tuberculosis and is in an open-air sanatorium.

NOTHING YET TO DO FOR MARCH GRAND JURY

The March grand jury was selected from the monthly panel this morning in the circuit court and discharged until there is something for it to consider. The February jury cleaned up all business. The new grand jury is composed of F. Baer, T. K. Abbott, W. S. Bacha, John W. Rae, George Kampp, J. N. Faris and Alexander Abbott. The list of jurors for this term was enlarged in view of the possibility of securing another judge for the circuit court. Since the additional judge was not allowed there will be no lack of jurors. There are very few cases this term for a jury. The most important criminal case will be that of William Hasting, charged with murdering his wife last Thanksgiving evening. He professes to be insane.

CITY FILES BRIEFS IN INMAN-POULSEN CASE

Briefs in the case of the city against the Inman-Poulsen Lumber company were filed with Judge Gantenben by the attorneys in the matter. The city contends the lumber company is occupying several streets in the vicinity of the mill that should be opened. Suit was started five months ago in the municipal court to reclaim use of the streets. The lumber company contends the streets have become its property by virtue of improvement.

I. W. W. ARMY NOW NEAR LOS ANGELES

First Members Reach City and Are Promptly Thrown In- to Jail.

(United Press Landed Wire.)
Los Angeles, March 5.—The advance guard of the I. W. W. army, which recently lifted its siege of Fresno, has arrived in Los Angeles and three of its members are in the city jail. The trio were arrested in the Southern Pacific railroad yards as they rolled off a freight train and will be charged with vagrancy.

The men stated that they were among the speakers jailed at Fresno. Within a week, they said, 1000 members of the organization will be here to test the strength of the Los Angeles street speaking ordinance.

NEPHEW OF MRS. EDDY CLAIMS HER PROPERTY

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.)
Concord, N. H., March 5.—George W. Baker, a nephew of the late Mrs. Mary Eddy, has filed a motion for permission to intervene in the suit of George W. Glover, son of the late Christian Science leader, who seeks to obtain the estate. Baker declares that Glover is barred from any benefits from the estate because of the release which he and other relatives signed several years ago. Baker declares that "as the nearest of kin" he is entitled to the property under the New Hampshire laws.

A STEADY DRAIN

Sick Kidneys Weaken the Whole Body—Make You Ill, Languid and Depressed

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