

MAY GIVE RAILWAY ADDITIONAL TIME TO BUY FENDERS

Ordinance With This Ostensible Purpose Presented by Annand—O. W. R. & N. Wants Track Privileges.

An ordinance introduced in the council yesterday afternoon by Councilman Menefee, seeking to grant the O. W. R. & N. company a special permit to construct and operate a railroad track across many city streets in the Peninsula was referred to the street committee.

The council passed an ordinance giving the same company a temporary permit for eight months to lay and use spur tracks from its main line to the approaches of its new steel bridge.

A new fender ordinance was submitted by Councilman Annand and referred to a committee. The ostensible purpose of the ordinance is to grant the Portland Railway Light & Power company an extension of time in which to comply with the provisions of the ordinance requiring the company to equip all its cars with Nelson automatic air controlled fenders.

Menefee Objects.

Councilman Menefee objected to the third reading of an ordinance that reduced the license fee on park amusement resorts of the sixth class from \$500 a year to \$100. The measure was recommended by the license committee in the interest of A. Duchamp, proprietor of the Council Crest amusement concessions.

Menefee's motion was put, but his was the only vote cast for it. The council paying but little attention to him. The councilman managed to prevent the passage of the ordinance, however, by interposing an objection to its third reading at one session. The measure will come up regularly for its third reading at the next council session.

An ordinance submitted by Councilman Dunning, authorizing the mayor to negotiate for rights of way for the proposed Sullivan's gulch sewer, was passed unanimously.

Playground Also Taken.

The council also authorized City Attorney Grant to enter into a stipulation with the O. W. R. & N. company whereby the city can proceed to construct a playground in Marquam gulch, pending the result of a friendly condemnation suit to be brought by the city against the company.

The East Side Business Men's club will hold a carnival and street fair for one week commencing April 24, an ordinance giving the club the privilege of using the streets for that purpose being passed by the council. The purpose of the street fair is to obtain funds for the decoration of east side streets during Rose Festival week.

An ordinance providing for a refund of \$1095 to Dan Kellaher and others was passed unanimously, on the recommendation of the city attorney and the judiciary committee. The money was paid in to the city treasury under the provisions of an old vehicle tax ordinance that has since been declared invalid.

"It strikes me," said Mayor Simon to Chief Deputy Auditor Grute, "that you are reading so many resolutions for street improvements that it will take years to complete them if the council adopts the resolutions."

Mayor Is in Error.

The mayor's remark was occasioned by the fact that a large number of old resolutions ordering the publication of notices of improvements were being read. On being told of this fact and that he had been mistaken in thinking the resolutions new ones, the mayor appeared satisfied.

F. William Kraft, attorney for Farnon & Sons of Chicago, appeared before the council in a final effort to have that body order a certified check for \$25,000 returned to the company. The check was given as a good faith deposit when the Chicago firm bid for \$500,000 of Broadway bridge bonds. These bonds were afterward rejected by bond buyers on what appeared to Mayor Simon and City Attorney Grant to be a flimsy excuse, namely, the claim made by an eastern firm, of attorneys that the city has no right to sell bonds below par.

"Either take these bonds or sue for your check," was Mayor Simon's last word to Attorney Kraft.

STEUNENBERG'S WIDOW VISITS HARRY ORCHARD TO OFFER FORGIVENESS

(United Press Lead Wire.) Boise, Idaho, April 12.—Forgiveness for Harry Orchard, the famous dynamiter, who confessed to having killed Governor Frank Steunenberg with a bomb and who later accused Moyer, Pettibone and Haywood, officials of the Western Federation of Miners, of instigating the crime, has at last been extended by the widow of his victim, Mrs. Steunenberg. It was learned here today, recently went to the Idaho penitentiary, where Orchard is confined, and asked to see her husband's slayer to tell him.

Grants Pass Fruit Protected. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Grants Pass, Or., April 12.—A hard frost was felt last night, but orchardists protected their fruit and little damage was done.

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC INVOLVED IN PLAN

Use of Slough for Sewage Would Be Sheer Folly, Warns Dr. White.

"Empty sewage into Columbia slough and it will be returned to Portland in the milk of about 600 cows. Let the Woodlawn sewer empty into the slough and Portland will have a typhoid epidemic that will make the epidemic at Eugene seem an incident."

This warning against the plan approved by the city engineers for having the proposed sewer to drain the greater part of the northeast side known as the peninsula platform empty into the slough, was issued yesterday by Dr. Calvin S. White, state health officer.

"Nothing could be more dangerous—no municipal folly could be greater than to carry out such a plan," insisted Dr. White.

The region which the proposed sewer would drain is broadly included between the corporate limits of the city on the east, going street on the south, and University Park on the west. More than 25,000 people live in the district.

A great protest has been made by these people against having the proposed sewer empty into the slough, because of the fear of the sickness that they believe would follow from having sewage distributed over the surface of the surferous body of water constituting the blind Columbia slough. This protest was voiced at yesterday morning's council meeting. Dr. White and others addressing the body. It is stated that the opposition will be continued vigorously until the plan is defeated.

No reason is assigned for the approval of Morris, the city engineer, to the plan, save that it is more convenient, as the water shed is toward the slough.

Along the slough are many dairies, which supply a large proportion of the milk sold in the city. The water which these cows drink comes from the slough. Water for washing milk vessels frequently comes from the slough. The cows wade in the water. The emptying of a great sewer into this water, says Dr. White, would make a most perfect breeding place for typhoid, which would inevitably be introduced into the milk, and thus contaminate the entire city. It is also pointed out that there are many market gardens in the valley south of the slough, and the water from the slough is the sole source of supply. Dr. White went today to Salem, where Governor West and he will inspect the state tuberculosis sanatorium and pass upon its administration under the new superintendent, Dr. Fitzgerald.

NEW LINE BRINGS OUT CARLOADS OF SHEEP

Three carloads of sheep were brought out yesterday from central Oregon over the new Harriman line up the Deschutes river canyon. The line was opened for regular service last Monday by the Gateway, about 10 miles from Madras.

The line is being operated by the construction department, and will be under that department until the line is completed. The schedule for the present consists of one mixed train each day, the train going up the canyon, leaving shortly after the arrival of O. W. R. & N. train No. 2, that is scheduled to arrive at Deschutes Junction about noon. No. 2, which is also known as the Pendleton passenger, leaves Portland at 7:40 a. m.

The evening train leaves Gateway at 6:20 a. m. and connects at Deschutes Junction with the Pendleton passenger, which arrives in Portland at 6:15 p. m. It is expected to have trains running into Madras May 1.

To Debate on Bank Plan.

Palo Alto, Cal., April 12.—The seventeenth annual intercollegiate debate between representatives of the University of California and Leland Stanford Jr. university takes place tomorrow evening and promises to be one of the most notable events of the college year. California will support the affirmative and Stanford the negative side of the question: "Resolved, That the United States should establish a central bank, the constitutionality of the move being waived."

The California debaters are F. M. Shipper, '12; N. B. Drury, '12 and J. J. Miller, '12, the same team which represented California in the intercollegiate debate last year.

The men selected to uphold the honors for Stanford are R. Justin Riley, '11; Frank Howard Hilton, '11, and Harry Robert Person, '12.

Military Tournament.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 12.—All of the commanding officers and military attaches now with the United States troops at San Antonio have been invited to attend the great military tournament of the Texas National Guard which opened here today. The tournament will last until the end of the week. A sham battle tomorrow will be one of the features.

Recall Stirring Events.

Springfield, Ill., April 12.—The Illinois Historical society has arranged for a special meeting to be held in this city tomorrow to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the beginning of the Civil war. The chief speakers will be General Smith D. Atkins of Preopert, Judge Marcus Kavanagh of Chicago and Eugene F. Baldwin of Peoria.

BAILEY'S RELEASE MEANS THAT FOOD DANGER CONTINUES

Manufacturers of Adulterated Products Saved From Publicity by Dairy Commissioner and Ruling of Court.

That there will continue to be no state protection against makers of illegally adulterated food and drink is the fear of good food advocates following the release yesterday of J. W. Bailey, state dairy and food commissioner, from an indictment charging failure to publish monthly the names of food manufacturers, telling whether or not their product was safe for use that the people might be warned, makes it possible for the commissioner to continue his violation of the 1907 law which required this monthly publication of food tests and examinations. In addition to the monthly publication of food tests and examinations, the directed verification caused by the directed indictment against Bailey because the indictment against him was held by the court to be faulty and fatally defective, was most noticeable among the members of the retail grocers' association.

The grocers sell the manufactured food and drink and they do not desire to buy from those who do not comply with the state pure food laws. They were, consequently, anxious for the publication of the bulletin that they might know.

Merrick Expresses Opinion.

"It was a shame to let Bailey get away," declared Charles B. Merrick, formerly secretary of the Retail Grocers' association and now postmaster. "Had he published the bulletins required of him by law he would have had to give the names of manufacturers of illegal stuff. That is what we wanted, but that is what he apparently doesn't want to give. When he said he was unable to publish the bulletin because he had no funds, the Retail Grocers' association offered to publish the results of these tests in its monthly trade magazine. The information would thus have reached those who needed most to have it. But he wouldn't give the information. I sent my stenographer twice to his office to get the list. She couldn't get it. Bailey either never made up such a list or didn't want to give it."

"Realizing the need of such a publication I was instrumental in having the bulletin law passed in 1907. Such publications are issued in other states by the food commissioners, and are of inestimable value."

Bailey Again Responsible.

"We also tried to secure the passage of a law requiring Bailey to give lists of examinations of food and drink to newspapers and retail publications. Bailey killed that bill in committee. He said he would give the lists without a law, but he never did it."

Mr. Merrick and the stenographer who had been sent to get the lists from Bailey were both called to testify in the trial which ended so suddenly yesterday.

Following the directed verdict finding Bailey not guilty which was moved by John Manning, attorney for the defense, and approved by Judge Morrow, Deputy District Attorneys Fitzgerald and Dennison moved that the case be submitted again to the grand jury, the charge being that Bailey has not published monthly bulletins since the first indictment was issued in 1907. It is said that had not Judge Morrow asked the jury to give a verdict of not guilty before the state had rested its case, the case could have been sent back to the grand jury and a new and technically correct indictment returned.

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