

S. P. WILL ACCEPT NEW FRANCHISE FOR FOURTH ST.

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Suit Providing Terms as to
Limitations Are Made Satisfactory.

Willingness on the part of the South Pacific to accept a new franchise for the Fourth street line with limitations as to time of duration, abandoning the fight in the courts for the contention that it holds a perpetual franchise, was announced today in a statement made by General Superintendent J. W. Campbell, who said:

"An impression seems to prevail through an article appearing in the press that the Southern Pacific company had consented to dismiss the suit now pending in the United States supreme court relating to its Fourth street franchise. The company never gave such consent, and the reading of Mr. Grant's report to the council showed that, while Mr. Grant attempted to secure the company's consent to a dismissal, it was not given. The company has always believed that it was right in its contention, and it was desirous of having its franchise sustained by the courts, for many reasons, particularly the extensive development that it has in actual contemplation, which would seem to necessitate the upholding of the present franchise, and it was for this reason that we desired to have this franchise protected in the new franchise applied for."

"After giving the matter very thoughtful and painstaking consideration, and in view of the general public demand that all franchises now granted should be limited as to time, and other wise, and as it is the desire of the company to gratify the wishes of the people that it serves, we have today concluded to accept a franchise under charter limitations and would be willing to enter into an agreement with the city to dismiss the present litigation providing the city will protect us pending the granting of a new franchise."

NOTE IN HANDWRITING OF W. F. REID LAID BEFORE GRAND JURY

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destroying the note, however, the woman saved it, and in this way it came later into the possession of the district attorney.

Only two witnesses were examined by the grand jury this morning. Deputies in District Attorney Cameron's office were busy much of the morning in drawing up indictments, however, and there was a well defined rumor that indictments would be returned against all the persons implicated in the alleged bribery attempt either later this afternoon or early tomorrow morning.

Mayor as Chief, May Be Indicted.
It was current near the grand jury room that the grand jury was practically agreed that indictments would be found against Mayor Rushlight and Chief of Police Slover for their part in the alleged bribery attempt. The first person called to the grand jury room was Steve Connell, United States secret service operative, who was examined as to whether the action of the detectives in photographing the marked bills was in violation of a United States statute. He is said to have told the grand jury that the act was an indictable offense by a federal grand jury.

Later in the morning Deputy Collier was recalled, and after the jury was through with him, Deputy District Attorney Hennessy was closeted with the jurors.
H. H. Newhall, proprietor of the East Side bank, where Mayor Rushlight banks, was summoned to appear before the jury. This summons is taken to mean that the jurors desire to see the check which Mayor Rushlight, according to the district attorney, drew from his bank for the funds used in the alleged bribery attempt. The mayor himself says this money came from the secret fund at the disposal of the mayor.

Last Wednesday night, after the first bribe advances were made to him, Deputy Collier told the offer to District Attorney Cameron and to Professor Bach, physical director at Columbia university, with whom he was taking dinner. This was told by Mr. Collier today. If indictments are brought and the case comes on trial, Professor Bach is expected to be an important witness.

Section 2029 and section 2033 of Lord's Oregon code are the statutes under which the district attorney believes indictments will be returned, on the ground of offering a bribe to a public official. The penalty provided

JAMES' SELECTION IS UNANIMOUS

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(United Press Special Wire.)
Fifth Regiment, Army, Baltimore, Md., June 26.—James J. Moore, today was unanimously named for permanent chairman of the Democratic National convention by the committee on permanent organization.

Senator Culberson, of Texas, Senator Kern, of Indiana, Martin Wade of Iowa, and Governor Burke, of North Dakota, who were placed in nomination, sent word they could not serve, and the names were withdrawn in favor of James.

Theodore A. Bell, of California, who was this afternoon, personally appeared before the committee and declined the office.

What assurance have we that James will serve? demanded Delegate Altschuler of Illinois.

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for conviction is not less than one year nor more than 10 years in the penitentiary.

In case indictments are brought, it is hinted that there may be even further interesting developments. "I'm not going to the pen without a sword," says a fellow must get me out of the hole," he said to have been the way that Reid expressed himself when the alleged bribe attempt fell through.

All through their testimony to the grand jury Reid and Maddox have held to the statement that Collier did not at any time "fall" for the game. It was told to the jury that in case he was not trapped, their instructions were to get Deputy District Attorney Hennessy.

Chief of Police Slover did not appear before the grand jury, and he was not subpoenaed.

Says Reid Made Advances.
"I guess they have all they need about the affair without anything from me," said the chief. Of course, I can't tell what the grand jury may do, but if the case ever comes to trial, I have not the slightest doubt of the outcome.

Relative to Reid's efforts to "pass the buck" to me as having instigated this affair, however, especially in the face of his affidavit saying he proposed it first, I have a few words to say. Reid came to my office and told me he could get Collier. I said I didn't want to get anybody, and that I doubted if we could do so in any event.

"He answered that it could be done, because he had done it."

Then he cited the case of a Chinese being tried before Judge Van Zante in the district court. He was the complaining officer, he said, and he said Deputy Hennessy arranged with him to take the Chinese to the justice court, let him out on \$500 bail and "split" the money three ways.

According to Reid, \$200 was to go to him and Detective Hyde, and \$300 to Hennessy. He said Hennessy explained this by saying that he had to "split" with Collier.

"I didn't like it even then, and only agreed to investigate Collier's conduct when Reid swore it was true."

No Criminal Intent.
"I have no fears of what would happen on a trial for there was no criminal intent on our part. We were merely doing our duty in investigating. As to the possibility of indictment for photographing the bills, I don't fear that. There was absolutely no wrong intent."

"Mayor Rushlight said this morning that he felt that he had only done his duty to the public in approving the trap to catch Collier."

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"In fact, if I heard rumors of similar conduct today, I would do the same thing over again. I don't care if it hits judge, district attorney or jury. It would be simple duty."

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Pastor to Continue Work.
Hood River, Or., June 26.—Members of the local United Brethren church are expected to return to the Rev. J. R. Parsons to serve the Hood River church the third year.

CLUB PRESIDENT FAVORS REFORMS

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San Francisco, June 26.—Mrs. Philip North Moore, the outgoing president, made her farewell address at the opening working session today of the committee on the work of the last two years and made recommendations for the future.

"I fully believe," she said, "that the General Federation is united as it has never been before. I have had a brief but crowded tenure of office. But I believe in the short term. I believe that we are only in this way prevented from getting into the work and given a chance to work out old policies from different viewpoints."

"I wish to recommend that we have permanently appointed watchers at the capital in Washington to report progress on the bills in which we are interested."

Reforms Recommended.
Among additional reforms recommended for this year, Mrs. Moore endorsed the peace propaganda work, mine inspection and the suppression of the newspaper supplement.

Among the chairmen of committees and officers whose reports and speeches occupied the remainder of the morning were:

Mrs. Edward D. Knight, Mrs. J. D. Whitmore, Mrs. C. M. McManis, Mrs. J. K. Cowles, Mrs. E. G. Dennison, Mrs. George O. Welch, Mrs. Mary I. Wood, Mrs. Frank N. White, Mrs. John Sheppard.

DELIVERS BLOW AT CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

"When society seeks to protect itself rather than punish the criminal, when men become less bloodthirsty and vindictive and more civilized, when the causes of crime are reached rather than the results of criminal conditions permitted by society, then," said Dr. C. H. Chapman, before the Ad Club this afternoon, "capital punishment will no longer be tolerated."

He further said that capital punishment is a survival of barbarism, and is the desire to inflict pain for pain, rather than a scientific plan of punishment for correction or restraint or prevention of crime. He called other crimes of passion a disease or product of heredity, and advocated a plan that will sterilize criminals. He called every saloon and dance hall a "manufactory of criminals."

E. S. J. McCallister argued in behalf of free speech and not restraint of any opinion, saying restraint will breed more violence than liberty, that to restrain speech is un-American. Fred Bates made a report on a tour of the east just completed, saying that the quality of service given by the Harriman and Hill lines and by the stores of Miss Whitney is unequalled.

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Wyman was generally known, and for several years a driver for the Star Sand company, staying with them up to a few years ago. Since that time he had been working at odd jobs. Of late, he had been suffering from paralysis. It is thought while in his room last night he sustained a similar stroke and before help could be summoned he had fallen to the floor.

Little is known about the man, as he kept himself somewhat hidden. It is said, it is believed that there are no relatives in this city or on the coast.

**CARL R. GRAY TO PAY
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Carl R. Gray, president of the Great Northern railway, is expected to pay Portland a visit the latter part of this week. It is expected, too, that he will probably remain over the Fourth of July when the Oregon Electric's extension to Albany will be thrown open to traffic with a big celebration at Albany.

Mr. Gray was president of the Hill lines in Oregon till a few weeks ago when he was succeeded by Joseph H. Young. While Mr. Gray has been acting president of the Great Northern since he left Portland, his appointment becomes effective July 1.

**LIQUOR DEALERS'
MEETING DATE SET**

Governor West has announced that the meeting of representatives of the various liquor dealers' organizations in the state, called by him, will be held at 2 o'clock next Saturday at the Armory in Portland. This meeting is for the purpose of giving the governor an opportunity to outline his plans of law enforcement to the liquor dealers, so they may have a chance to get into the clear by living strictly up to the law, if they so desire.

Herrings, great quantities of which are caught in Japan every year, are chiefly used to fertilize rice fields.

ACTRESS BORN IN LAND OF MIKADO



Clara Blandick.

Clara Blandick's nativity, as well as her histrionic talent, figured in her selection by David Hays for the leading role of "Madame Butterfly," the head-line act at the Orpheum this week. Miss Blandick was playing leads in Belasco productions at Hartford, Conn., three years ago, when the noted playwright and producer was searching the theatrical world in secret for an actress to take the part of Cho-cho-San in his masterpiece, "Madame Butterfly."

He was attracted by the charm of Miss Blandick in "The Warrens of Virginia," and "The Girl of the Golden West." He called upon her and learned that the actress was born in the far east. Miss Blandick, thereupon, was put down on the Belasco calendar to be his "Madame Butterfly."

Miss Blandick is the daughter of a sea captain and was born in Hongkong, China, on her father's vessel, the Willard Mudgett, a baroque. Her childhood was passed in Japan. That accounts for her Japanese perfection in her portrayal of Cho-cho-San. Miss Blandick has been on the stage for 15 years. She made her debut in Boston in "The Walking Delegate," a musical comedy.

ADVISES SUFFRAGISTS WHAT ROCKS TO AVOID

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Papers in the suit of Ladd & Tilton bank against the Lewis A. Hicks company for \$3600, filed in the United States district court yesterday, were served on the construction company this morning. According to the complaint, the Sullivan-Emerson partition company, which did work for the Hicks company amounting to \$17,500 on the new Lincoln high school, became indebted to the bank and secured the debt by assigning all moneys due it from the Hicks company general contractors of the building, to the bank. The Hicks company made several payments as the work progressed and notified the bank that when the work was completed \$3600 would be due, of which the Hicks company would pay \$1500 on completion and the remaining \$2100 on May 1. The Sullivan company's work was completed April 1 last and the \$700 paid. The bank claims that though repeated demands have been made for the \$2600 it has never been paid, and the Hicks company refuses to pay it.

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Father Vaughn is noted both in America and Great Britain for his distinctive services in behalf of the Catholic church. He is immensely pleased with Portland and says it is one of the most genuinely hospitable and beautiful cities he has ever visited. He is particularly interested just now in promoting the friendly relations between English and Irish Catholics, also in opposing Socialism.

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