

CITY IS LIMITED IN ITS POWER TO CREATE A POPULAR BOND SALE

Dock Commissioners Favor Amending Charter, if Necessary to Get Best Results.

The action of the dock commission Saturday in authorizing the sale of \$250,000 dock bonds in small lots to local bidders has called attention to the city's established limitations in actually establishing a popular bond sale policy.

A real popular bond sale is one where an investor goes to the city treasurer and buys bonds in any amount at par without bidding.

Governed by the city charter and the act creating it, the dock commission's order is that one fourth of its total issue be offered in \$100, \$200, \$500 and \$1,000 bonds to those who bid the highest amounts for small lots. At the same time the entire \$250,000 may be sold to one bidder if the bid is high enough. The bonds are 30 year, 5 per cent securities. Members of the dock commission this morning expressed a desire that changes be made in the law to permit of a genuine popular sale of bonds.

May Amend Charter.

Deputy City Attorney Latourette, who has been advising the commission, said that a charter amendment would have to be made, and to the provision requiring the sale of bonds to the highest responsible bidder, add a provision giving the city or the commission power to sell in any amount—in its rather than to sell to one bidder in a lump sum. Also a proviso could be added permitting the deposit of municipal bonds with the city treasurer to be sold at par to local applicants.

"I am in favor of the city's underwriting its own bond issues," said Commissioner Dan Kallaber. "I am in favor of any change in the law that permits our people here to get hold of municipal securities at par. It is a much better investment for them, and equally safe, than to deposit money in the postal savings bank where the interest is but 2 per cent, as the city pays 4 1/2 or 5 per cent. I am aware that the bond brokers don't like to have bonds distributed, and I think all should be sold in a lump, but I don't see why the bond brokers should dictate to the city. I would like to see the entire \$1,000,000 of dock bonds offered in such a way as would permit Portland people to bid for them."

Others in Favor.

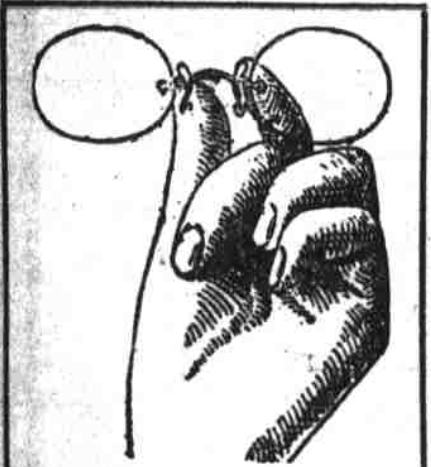
"My view is that the city shouldn't issue more than 4 1/2 per cent bonds, and that these would make a splendid investment," said Commissioner Burgard. "At the same time I don't believe the city should relinquish its authority to sell to the highest bidder, but that it should be given power to use discretion one way or the other."

DEMOCRATS BEGIN CAUCUS ON GLASS BILL

Washington, Aug. 11.—The house democratic caucus began today. The program is for the adoption of the Glass bill as approved by the house committee on banking and currency. Scores of delegates have returned from their vacations to take part in the caucus.

U. P. DIRECTORS SET SUBSCRIPTION PRICE

New York, Aug. 11.—Directors of the Union Pacific railroad, who held their special meeting here today, issued the following statement: "The board of directors of the Union Pacific today set the subscription price to stockholders for certificates of interest in Southern Pacific stock at 42 1/2 per share, including dividends accumulated on the stock since January 1, 1912."



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JUVENILE MARKET IN NEED OF PROVISIONS

Youngsters Are Swelling Fund for Relief of Little Laura Fewless.

"Send in more corn, turnips, best greens, cauliflower, dill, tomatoes and wild blackberries," exclaimed the young woman in charge of the juvenile public market booth, Yamhill and Second, this afternoon. "It is not a matter of how much we can sell; it is how much we can get for it," she added.

Last Saturday the proceeds of the market amounted to \$30 and the market was "cleaned out" long before the place closed up. Today there is a decided lack of produce on sale, "for all the children have gone to Peninsula park," exclaimed the woman in charge.

Considerable attention is now being paid to the fund that has been started in behalf of Laura Fewless, the 10 year old crippled girl in whom the children have taken a decided interest. The child, who lives at 373 Baldwin street, has suffered most of her life from the results of infantile paralysis.

She has never been able to attend school. Her case was called to the attention of the local school children who have all flocked to her aid, by earning money to provide her with medical care.

One five year old girl, hearing of the plan to care for this child, made six tiny doll dresses which she contributed. There has been a big demand for these, which have been resold numerous times, and three of which remain to be again resold.

"I want to get 10 cents for the silk one, because I know they cost more than calico ones," said the tot when an offer was made. Two dozen clever broom holders that were sent in by the Sunny-side Manual Training school for the relief of Laura, and a contribution of several camp stools by the Lents Manual Training school, has been entirely sold out. Laura now has about \$7 in the fund. A mechanical genius is now being sought to build a chair for the little cripple so that she can be more easily handled. Dr. George Brighting, who is treating her, declares that it will be five years before she can walk. Since the school children have taken her case in hand it has been possible to bring the little girl to the doctor every day, while before, once in two weeks was as often as she could see the doctor.

A luncheon was given last Saturday by the girls of the Washington High school at the booth in the Yamhill market and another luncheon will be given next Saturday.

Today was moving day at the juvenile booth, which is now located on the Yamhill side of the market near the Third street entrance.

LIND ARRIVES SAFELY IN MEXICO CITY AND HOLDS A CONFERENCE

Continued From Page One. to leave until official word came of Lind's safe arrival in Mexico City. Now that Lind is in the United States embassy in Mexico City, the danger of any outrage directed at him is believed to have been greatly reduced. It is officially stated that no further steps will be taken to carry out the Wilson administration's peace plan until Lind completes his investigations. He will make it plain that the United States cannot recognize Huerta as president of Mexico in any circumstances, and will do all in its power to induce Americans to leave Mexico.

It is admitted here that the work of getting Americans in Mexico started home has been unostentatiously in progress for some time. The greatest danger in the situation now is that some positive outrage on American administration would force stern measures by the administration.

Americans in No Danger.

Mexico City, Mexico, Aug. 11.—Assurances were given here today by Nelson O'Shaughnessy, charge d'affaires of the United States embassy, that the lives of Americans in Mexico are not in danger. He declared that no trouble is anticipated.

Cavalry Ready for Field.

Leavenworth, Kan., Aug. 11.—The second squadron of the Fifteenth cavalry stands ready today to take the field at a moment's notice. All equipment is packed and 50,000 rounds of ammunition issued. Officers say they are ready for any emergency, but will not admit having received any orders from Washington.

LIBERAL PARTY BREWERY FALLS INTO EVIL WAYS

London, Aug. 11.—The fact that the Liberal party brewery in the North Riding district of Yorkshire has been running a brewery for the past three years came as a shock today to temperance folk throughout the country. Until court proceedings were begun to wind up the business it was not generally known that in 1910 the Yorkshire federation of Liberal clubs subscribed funds for the founding of a brewery and lent its name to the business. According to reports from Yorkshire, they made good beer and sold it at a considerable reduction from the price charged by rival establishments. The Liberal management, however, profits had fallen off, and the other day the brewery's heaviest creditor obtained an execution for such a large amount that the concern was forced to go into voluntary liquidation.

ENVOY LIND GREETED BY PORTLAND FRIEND

The following message has been sent from Portland to John Lind, personal envoy of President Wilson to Mexico, and former governor of Minnesota, by N. Campbell, former mayor of Crookston, Minn., and a personal friend of Mr. Lind: "Our heartfelt congratulations. Mexico can not estimate the value of services rendered by you. The general opinion is that peace will soon be consummated. As soon as you have communicated with O'Shaughnessy, believe you will manage in some way and have everything settled before leaving. May God make your mission of peace a complete success."

Rotary Club Talkfest.

The speakers at the Rotary club luncheon in the Commercial club at noon tomorrow are to be William E. Woodward, on "Man's Dependence on His Fellow Men," and Dr. G. H. Douglas, on "The Care of the Skin." Five men in one-minute talks are to complete the program. They are Fred Speer, W. F. Scott, Harry T. Dray, William R. Boone and Joe Sandvall.

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COURT'S FIRE AROUSED BY NATURE OF SUITS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Judge McGinn Dispenses Summary Justice in Short Order and Delivers Opinions.

Three different cases this morning aroused the ire of Circuit Judge McGinn. The first was an attachment case in which Gunther & Dean sought to recover \$250 from the Yamhill Sanitary Market company for fixtures. Laborers with liens had secured all of the money in sight and the firm wanted to force these laborers to return the money that they might get their share.

"No lawyer or combination of lawyers can get me to cheat these day laborers out of the money they have justly earned by toil," declared Judge McGinn, when it was urged that the liens were not filed according to law. He finally ended by ordering that all parties be brought into court that he might hear the trouble from all sides.

The next was a fraud case. Nellie Olson was suing J. E. Leonard and H. E. Leonard to recover a confectionery store at Fourteenth and Washington streets valued at \$2500. She traded the store recently to the Leonards for 35 lots near Tillamook and a second mortgage, she alleges. The lots she found to be 13 miles from Tillamook and logged off, the mortgage claims was by no means worth \$2000.

Looks Like "Film-flam."

"This has all the earmarks of a 'film-flam,'" said Judge McGinn, after listening to the attorneys. "It should be investigated by the district attorney's office. I'll protect the woman's interest and appoint a receiver for the store."

E. L. Shaffer, acting bailiff of the court, was appointed receiver of the place and will take charge at once. The third case was for divorce. Georgia Richardson, comparatively young and good-looking, sued her husband for divorce on grounds of cruelty. S. Richardson, the husband, suffering from a black eye which he said was received in a runaway on his way to farm near the river, was present. He is a farmer well past middle age. The hearing was for the purpose of determining the amount of temporary alimony and suit money to be paid.

Brief Wedded Bliss.

"How long have you been married?" asked the judge. "Seven months," was the answer. "No alimony until the suit is heard and no order to restrain Richardson from disposing of his property," he answered. "I order you to keep away from her."

"Can't I speak to her?" asked Richardson. "She doesn't want to speak to you and I shouldn't think you would want to speak to her. I can see from looking at you two what this is. Seven months is too quick for a woman to be married. Let the husband and wife were conversing pleasantly in the corridors of the courthouse."

THREE WIDOWS' PENSIONS REDUCED FOR REASONS

Three widows' pensions were reduced this morning as the result of further investigation. The pension granted to Mrs. Kate Bryant was reduced from \$85 to \$40. Mrs. Bryant's husband, a consumptive, died after the pension was granted and his death was followed by the death of a 7-month-old baby, one of triplets. Another older child has gone to relatives out of the state, leaving five children from 7 months to 11 years old for Mrs. Bryant to support. Because Mrs. Bryant has a son who owns her own home and is being assisted by her two oldest boys, 15 and 13 years old, her pension was reduced from \$47.50 to \$32.50. She has four other children from 2 years old up. Mrs. Beula V. Meloy also has her own home and her pension was reduced from \$32.50 to \$25. She has four children ranging from 8 to 13 years old.

CRAWFORD LEAVES FRIDAY ON INQUIRY

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Aug. 11.—Attorney General Crawford stated today that he will leave either Thursday or Friday for Marshfield and Bandon to present to the court the facts in the Marshfield case, and Dr. Bailey K. Lewis of Bandon, deportation cases. He is going at the request of Governor West. The attorney-general will go by way of Drain, from where he will go in auto stage to Allegany, at the head of navigation on Coos river, and will take the boat down Coos river to Marshfield.

GIVES CONDITIONAL SUPPORT TO TARIFF

Washington, Aug. 11.—Begging the Democrats to bring the tariff bill "into the open" and not settle its terms by caucus, Senator Charles McNary of Oregon has declared that he would support the Underwood measure if it were properly amended by placing trust-made articles on the free list.

CRAMP CAUSE OF DEATH OF GRAYS HARBOR BATHER

Aberdeen, Wn., Aug. 11.—Albert Coskery, a single man aged 30, drowned in the Little North river yesterday while bathing. Coskery was seized with cramps and before his companions could do anything he sank. His relatives reside in Montesano.

Dr. Joslyn Goes Free.

San Francisco, Aug. 11.—The case against Dr. Otto C. Joslyn, a wealthy physician here, charged with a statutory offense against Ethel Williams, formerly of Seattle, was dismissed today by Superior Judge Lawlor as a result of the continued absence of the complaining witness from the state. Miss Williams left California shortly after Dr. Joslyn's second trial had resulted in a disagreement.

Evelyn Thaw in Contempt.

New York, Aug. 11.—Evelyn Thaw, wife of Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, appeared before Justice Green today in contempt proceedings for failure to answer a summons in a suit filed against her last May. She had not realized what the summons meant, and the court dismissed the contempt proceedings.

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OLD ALABAMAN SHOOTS AFTER YEARS OF ANGER

Wm. Anderson, Age 64, Likely to Die From Bullet of His Father-in-Law.

(Special to The Journal.) Baker, Or., Aug. 11.—J. A. Alexander, age 72 years, shot and probably fatally injured William Anderson, aged 64, at Halfway late last night. This was the second shooting affair between the parties as the result of a family feud which Gunther & Dean sought to recover \$250 from the Yamhill Sanitary Market company for fixtures. Laborers with liens had secured all of the money in sight and the firm wanted to force these laborers to return the money that they might get their share.

BOYS SNAP GUNS AT ONE ANOTHER IN PLAY

Harry Mooney, Age 12, Kills Younger Brother With Shotgun Charge.

(Special to The Journal.) Drain, Or., Aug. 11.—A supposedly unloaded gun claimed another victim yesterday when the 12-year-old son of Harry Mooney, residing five miles north of here, fired a charge of shot into his younger brother, tearing a large hole in the left side of his abdomen and killing him almost instantly. The boys had been left alone for a day and were snapping the guns at each other in play when the fatality resulted.

AND THE SUN SHONE, AND IT WAS SOME HOT

And the City Man Did Hie to a Cool Place and Did Seek Peace and Quietude.

And it came to pass that it was the morning of the tenth day of the eighth month—the day of rest. And the alarm clock being muffled, the tired city man slept until long after the cock crew. He awoke with his housewife feasting for the sweetness of the milk on the front stoop. And it behooved him to arise, and remove the lactical fluid to the congealing precincts of the cooling closet. And he returned to the pillow of his couch, and his ears were deaf unto the call of the tolling church bell.

But it grew exceeding warm, and for him there was no further rest. And at high noon did he arise and the temperature was 84. He consumed his first meal, and was restless. He harkened to the lure of the river, and the park, and the shady places, and gathering about him his family brood, he hid himself thither. And at the second hour after 12, even was the temperature 90, and going up.

Sans coat and collar, he findeth some peace where the sun's rays do not so, so remaineth he there until the hour of 5 before the moon's rising. And at that hour was the temperature 93. "Garooks," quoth he, "tis sure some hot."

And time fleeth, and the sun retirith. The breezes did blow and the mercury did descend. Whereupon did the tired city man repair with his family unto their own fireplace where fire there was not, and the evening was filled with comfort.

And on the day following, which is this day, of heat there was less. "A probable maximum of 75 degrees this afternoon," forecasteth the weather man, which, if he speaketh the truth, were well.

And it shall come to pass that eventually there will be an abundance of rain. "We should worry," seeliah.

MULHALL EXPLAINS IT WAS M'KINLEY WHO DUBBED HIM COLONEL

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The house committee read into the record a letter from Representative Richard Barthold of Missouri, who is now in Germany, offering to answer any questions propounded by cable. He declared he could not return to the United States while without endangering the health of Mr. Barthold. In his letter Barthold declared he never regarded Mulhall as anything but a messenger boy for Emery and other officials of the N. A. M., and that "his dignity would never permit him to discuss pending measures with Mulhall."

Emery admitted to the senate committee that the N. A. M. tried to control the National Industrial Commission in 1912 by repeatedly advocating the appointment of men known to disapprove of union principles. He said his organization tried to get six out of the nine places on the commission for men who were opposed to union principles.

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AMUSEMENTS

BASEBALL RECREATION PARK

Corner Vaughn and 24th Sts. Oakland vs. Portland August 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17. Games begin week days 2:15 p. m. Sunday at 3:30 p. m.

LADIES' DAY FRIDAY

Boys under 13 free to bleachers Wednesday.

SULZER IS READY FOR ATTACK EXPECTED AT CALLED EXTRA SESSION

Effort Will Be Made to Show Up Tammany Hall; Sulzer's Statement.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Albany, N. Y., Aug. 11.—With the reconvening of the extra session of the state legislature here today it was expected that steps would be taken soon to start impeachment proceedings against Governor William Sulzer on charges of malfeasance in office. The governor is prepared to defend himself against such charges.

John Hennessy was ordered by the legislature today to begin an investigation of the state department and as the inquiry proceeds an effort will be made to show up Tammany Hall to divert attention from Governor Sulzer. Hennessy first questioned Commissioner Delaney of the department of efficiency and economy.

The Frawley investigating committee arrived from New York this afternoon but it is not known whether Governor Sulzer will be asked to testify. Governor Sulzer gave out the following statement last night:

"It would be unwise for me at this time to make any detailed statement in reply to the matters that have been brought to the attention of the Frawley committee, but having promised that I would furnish a statement to the press, I make the following reply:

"I deny that I used any campaign contributions for personal use. "I deny that I speculated in Wall Street, or used money contributed for personal use.

"I never had an account with Fuller & Gray or Boyer & Griswold. I never had business with either of these firms; I do not know the members; and know nothing about transactions with these firms testified to before the Frawley committee until recently threatened with exposure, and the alleged transactions were brought to my attention by the Frawley committee.

"The stock account with Harris and Fuller was not a speculative account, but a loan on stock as collateral which stocks had been acquired and paid for years before my nomination for the office of governor and from other sources than Harris & Fuller.

"Certain checks given me for campaign purposes were deposited to my personal account and thereafter I had to repay the amount of said checks to my campaign committee.

"In filing my statement of receipts and disbursements with the secretary I relied on statements furnished me by those in charge of my campaign and in whom I have the most implicit confidence and I believe the statement furnished by them to me to be accurate and true."

Irvine Appointed City Messenger. Ward Irvine this morning was appointed city hall messenger at a salary of \$25 per month. The appointment will be temporary, pending the civil service examinations.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

AMUSEMENTS

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HALF BLOCK BURNS IN EARLY MORNING FIRE

Livery Stable, One Horse, Saloon, Cigar Store, Restaurant, Lost.

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 11.—Fire broke out in a restaurant on Main street between Fourth and Fifth streets about three o'clock this morning and before it could be checked burned half a block, including a large livery stable, an empty saloon building, a cigar store, restaurant, a residence and several small buildings in the rear of the block.

When the blaze was discovered it had gained such headway in the cluster of wooden buildings that the entire fire department of Oregon City was necessary to keep the fire from burning out the entire southern end of the city. So intense was the heat that plate glass windows a block away were cracked.

A horse owned by Dr. J. W. Norris was burned to death. All the other live stock in the stable was safely taken out. A large amount of grain and hay burned. County Coroner Wilson, owner of the livery stable, said this morning it was impossible to estimate his loss at present as he had not checked up the harness and vehicles saved. His stock was insured.

William Kreuzger, proprietor of the restaurant in which the fire broke out, was away. His family was sleeping in the rear of the eating house and came near being burned to death. One member was suffocated by smoke and had to be carried out. The family saved nothing. The hot water tank in the restaurant exploded, coming down near Charnon's drug store.

The buildings and the ground upon which they stood belong to James Tracy, a wealthy retired farmer of Clackamas county, who lives in Gladstone. His loss will not exceed \$10,000 for the half block of buildings.

Rubber Stamped Checks.

A complaint charging Carl Siegel, alias C. Clark, a youth of dandified appearance, with issuing forged checks, was made out this morning. The boy is in jail. Siegel had a stamp made which printed on the check the name "Deering Implement Company, 303-5-7 Yeon building." He signed the check E. Stoneman Jr., and cashed it with a saloonman named Charles Clemens, who signed the complaint. Many other checks were found unused, but singly signed. The check passed amounted to \$32.35 and the boy secured cash for the entire amount. It was passed last Saturday.

No Theft in 100 Years.

Munich, Aug. 11.—The village of Densauher, in Bavaria, claims to be the most honest town in Europe. In the past 100 years not a single case of theft has been recorded, either in the village or in its immediate neighborhood.

ONE GENERAL CASTRO CAPTURED IN BATTLE

Caracas, Aug. 11.—Fighting continued today in the state of Zulia between government forces and rebel troops. Although no definite word of the progress of the battle has been received, government officials are certain that the revolution will be of short duration.

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WORKMEN ON STRIKE IN ITALY CLASH WITH POLICE OF MILAN CITY

Mobs Throw Stones and Sing Anarchist Songs Until the Troops Charge.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Milan, Aug. 11.—Proclamation of a general strike throughout all Italy was made here today by the Syndicalist and Socialist workmen's organization here.

Strikers and troops clashed frequently throughout the day, the mobs throwing stones and persisting in singing anarchist songs until dispersed at the bayonet point.

POISONOUS FOOD KILLS MINING MAN

W. J. Evans, Principal Owner of Molly Gibson at Bourne, Or., Victim.

(Special to The Journal.) Sumpter, Or., Aug. 11.—As a result of ptomaine poisoning caused by eating canned food, W. J. Evans was dead at his home at Bourne, Mr. Evans was a prominent citizen of that place. He was the principal owner of the Molly Gibson mine and it was at the mine that he was poisoned. He is survived by his widow, two sons and three daughters. The oldest son is superintendent of a mine in Korea. He was a prominent member of the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges of this place.

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President Gomez is leading the government forces, having arrived at Maracaibo last Friday with a federal army. Official dispatches received here today say that Generals Coreogas and Bustamante have captured Torres Castro, a relative of former President Castro.

There are 23,442 miles of railway in the United Kingdom, 10,806 miles of which are single line.