

MUNICIPAL BUS SYSTEM ADVISED BY HOUSEWIVES

Resolutions recommending installation of a publicly-owned and operated bus system in Portland were adopted by the Housewives council in regular session at the library Tuesday afternoon.

Expenses are itemized: Here are the items of expense per passenger carried, as compared by the railway expert.

Figures are checked: The figures were obtained by Newell and Will Clarke of the public service commission after counting the men working in garages and shops and in the offices of the railway company.

Legal barrier exists: Questioned as to why the power department of the company was not made to add the railway department financially, Newell explained that the law made such an arrangement impossible.

Properties are separate: In reply to a question, Newell also explained that much of the property owned by the railway company is non-operating and therefore is not considered in connection with the railway system.

Competition is advised: "Make competition so keen that they will get down to business or go bankrupt," advised A. D. Cridge.

Old decree is granted: Oregon City, March 3.—Decrees of divorce were issued Tuesday as follows: Georgia I. Travers from William A. Travers, with custody of the minor child and \$30 per month for their care and support.

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PERSIAN LECTURER ON DOUBLE MISSION



Mirza Ahmad Sohrab

NO OVERT ACT IS DISCLOSED, COURT SAYS

The defense attorney asked and answered with the assertion that money, property and clothing were taken from the I. W. W. hall by a mob and destroyed.

On Labor day, at a Centralia park, Warren O. Grimm called the I. W. W. the American Bolsheviks, Vanderveer declared.

Men were planted in their ranks, however, the leaders of the raid and at the psychological moment it was launched.

Following up his charges of intimidation processes being used against defense witnesses, Va. Jerveer, in his complaint to Judge Wilson today, said he had found two "stool pigeons" in his witness room, sitting in the midst of a group, one in uniform and the other in civilian clothes.

LABOR JUROR SAYS TRIAL IS FAIR AND IMPARTIAL: Grays Harbor Courthouse, Montesano, Wash., March 3.—(U. P.)—That the Centralia murder trial proceedings have been conducted in a fair and impartial manner was the opinion of Paul Mohr, representing the Seattle Central Labor council as one of the so-called labor jury which is attending the trial.

Failure to File By March 15 on Income Tax Means Penalty: Milton A. Miller, collector of internal revenue, puts emphasis upon the statement that the last day for filing income tax statements is March 15, and those who fail to comply with the law are subject to a penalty of 25 per cent of the tax, and a fine not to exceed \$1,000.

Hurt by Melting Pot: A heavy melting pot fell on S. E. Spang at the Portland Iron works Tuesday night and severely injured his back and hip.

NOTED ADVOCATE OF BAHAIISM IS PORTLAND VISITOR

A double mission is that of Mirza Ahmad Sohrab, Persian scholar and lecturer, who on his American tour is visiting Portland this week.

"I am studying American educational systems so that they may be introduced in Persia," explained Sohrab, "and I am giving a number of lectures on Bahaiism."

On his present visit to America, Sohrab has been here a year, but before the war for four years he was secretary of the Persian legation in Washington. He wears American attire, knows English well, speaks it fluently and precisely and has a great admiration for American educational methods.

"Persia is awakening," the visitor declared, "it is going to establish a national system of education. It is realizing the equality of men and women. And it is developing a great spirit that seeks to group the nations together in universal brotherhood."

From Portland he will go to San Francisco and then hurry to New York where the international convention of Baha followers will be held in April.

Close Accepts Call As Pastor of Third Baptist Church Here

The Rev. R. E. Close, pastor of the Green Lake Baptist church, of Seattle, has accepted the pastorate of the Third Baptist church of Portland, Vancouver avenue and Knott street, according to an announcement made this morning by Dr. O. C. Wright, secretary of the state convention.

Johnstone Will Run As Candidate for National Delegate: Hamilton Johnstone is a candidate for election as delegate to the Republican national convention to be held in Chicago in June.

Springtime Warns That Lawnmowers Must Be Sharpened

Sharpen your lawnmower. Spring is coming. "It rained .06 of an inch Tuesday night," explained the weather bureau.

Prineville Man Is Sentenced and Fined

Conspiracy to manufacture wine was admitted by Charles Kirchner of Prineville in federal court today. He must serve 20 days in jail and pay a \$400 fine. Federal Judge Bean decided.

A. Strauss Resigns From Reserve Board

Washington, March 3.—(U. P.)—Albert Strauss, vice governor of the federal reserve board, today tendered his resignation to President Wilson. It was announced at the White House.

Hot Lake Arrivals: Hot Lake, March 3.—Arrivals at Hot Lake sanatorium Sunday were: W. H. Vinson, Burley, Idaho; D. E. Shumway, Twin Falls, Idaho; W. L. Slater, La Grande; and Mrs. A. T. Smith, Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Vinson, Wallace, Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Price, La Grande; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wright, Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd, Joseph; R. S. Clore, Caldwell, Idaho.

District Governor of Kiwanis Honored By Portland Club

To honor Dr. H. W. Riggs, district governor of Kiwanis for the Northwest region, more than 100 members of the local club and their wives assembled at dinner at the Boston hotel Tuesday night. Dr. Riggs, who is here from his home at Vancouver, B. C., was the chief speaker in a program of excellence.

Mendicants Busy Making Nocturnal Calls at Houses: "Robert Williams," and a score of others of his ilk, are abroad in Portland.

Three Japanese Are Denied to Full Citizenship

San Francisco, March 3.—(U. P.)—News of the naturalization of three Japanese former service men and their admittance to this country with the status of citizens has aroused much comment and inquiry.

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Low Salaries Drive Teachers to Other Work, Plea for Tax: Salem, March 3.—With hundreds of competent teachers deserting the profession in favor of more remunerative lines of endeavor the two mill state tax for support of the elementary schools of the state is absolutely necessary.

Portland Man New O-W. Division Chief

Yakima, Wash., March 3.—The change of the railroad to private ownership brought back to Yakima a division superintendent on the O-W. R. & N., removed when the consolidation took place, and Harold M. West from the Portland office will be in charge.

Marriage Licenses

Vancouver, Wash., March 3.—Marriage licenses have been issued to the following couples: George T. Drew, 25, and Alice J. O'Connor, 19, Portland; Ralph W. Potts, legal, and Rebecca E. Ward, legal, Portland; Clay Faine, legal, Portland; and Beattie Hodge, legal, Nampa, Idaho; Thon L. Cochran, 24, and May Ledford, 2, Portland; J. Schrimsher, 24, and Madge Ledford, 20, Portland; Leroy T. Hamman, 23, and Grace Robbins, 23, Portland; Ralph Wiley, legal, and Minnie E. Brackman, legal, Portland; V. J. McKinstry, 28, and Irene Tompkins, 21, Portland.

Pollard Nomination Confirmed

Washington, March 3.—(I. N. S.)—The senate has confirmed the nomination of John Garland Pollard of Virginia, to be a member of the federal trade commission.

Dancing Guaranteed

In eight three-hour lessons — ladies \$2.50, gentlemen \$5.—at Du Hone's, Beautiful Ball Room, 20th and Washington. New Classes for Beginners, Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays evenings. Advanced class Tuesday, 8 to 11:30. Tickets are good until used.

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Judge Butler Is to Be Main Speaker at Emmet Celebration

Judge R. R. Butler of The Dalles will be the main speaker at a celebration to be held at the Lincoln high school auditorium Friday night in honor of Robert Emmet, Irish patriot.

Oak Grove Woman Dies

Oregon City, March 3.—Mrs. Lena Metzen, wife of H. N. Metzen of Oak Grove, died Tuesday night of heart trouble, the result of influenza a year ago. She is survived by her husband, two daughters and a son at home and a son, Nels T. Metzen of Oregon City. The body is at the Holman & Pace parlors.

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Opening, "Star Spangled Banner," by Mrs. Lulu Dahl Miller and audience; introduction of chairman by Judge William N. Gatens; vocal solo by Miss Geraldine McCallan; Miss Green, accompanist; selection of Irish air, violin, by Miss LaVerne Hedberg; Miss Ellen Costello, accompanist; vocal solo by Dr. Stewart McQuinn; address by Dr. W. T. McMillen; chairman; vocal solo by Miss Dahl Miller; address by Judge R. R. Butler.

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