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Dance Ordinance Put Into Revised Form by Council

CLAUSE PROHIBITING RAGGING OR SUGGESTIVE DANCING IS RETAINED.

Reconstruction of the dance-regulating ordinance was undertaken last evening at a caucus held by the council and when they had concluded, it is said that the revised instrument bore little resemblance to the original. The clause prohibiting ragging and other forms of immoral or suggestive dancing was left and this will be the principal feature of the ordinance when it passes.

Many of the more drastic regulations are said to have been eliminated. The age limit for unattended young people was lowered from 18 to 16, it is said, and the clause requiring dances to close at midnight was stricken save where it applied to Saturday night dances. The provision for a permit to operate dance halls is said to have been stricken out, the councilmen taking the stand

that ordinances already in force give ample authority for the enforcing of sanitary and safety requirements. No dance inspector is provided for in the revised ordinance, according to report, and payment for re-admission to a dance hall is not required. Several other of the original provisions were either stricken out or modified.

The prohibition ordinance was also discussed but it is said that the councilmen were satisfied inasmuch as it is merely an adaptation of the state law. One councilman is said, however, to have refused to agree to its passage.

Mayer Best did not attend the caucus last evening.

RESIDENTS OF WEST WEBB STREET SEEK TO OBTAIN DAMAGES

ALLEGED THAT CONCRETE BRIDGE LETS WATER BACK UP ON THEIR PROPERTY.

Alleging that the concrete bridge built across Tutulla creek in the west end of the city by the city and county is so narrow between the piers and so low that the channel cannot carry the flood waters during a freshet and alleging further that on two occasions recently the bridge has so caused the waters to back up that their property has been damaged. Herman Peters, W. E. Welch, W. H. Isaac, Mrs. Catherine Stover, Ira H. Brown, Herman Wernebohl and Clarence Morse, all of whom own property on West Webb street or in the immediate neighborhood, today presented a claim of \$4000 damages against the city and county.

The waters, they allege, deposited alkali and debris over their premises, weakened their foundations, ruined their lawns and gardens and flooded their basements. They allege they called attention to this danger repeatedly while the bridge was being constructed and that, unless immediate steps are taken, there is further danger of the melting snow causing further damage. Raley and Raley filed the claim for them.

NEWS OF PENDLETON

Six inches at Hermiston. A telephone message from Hermiston this morning brought the information that there was a six inch fall of snow at that place during the night.

Will Leave All to Widow.

The will of Edward Anderson, who died Jan. 18, was filed for probate today. The will left the entire estate of the deceased, valued at \$5529, to his widow and failed to mention the three children.

Attorneys Sues Doctor.

Judge James A. Fee, local attorney, today filed suit against Dr. M. V. Turley, until recently of this city, asking judgment for \$341.95 and \$142.65 for professional services performed by himself and by the firm of Fee & Fee, J. A. Fee, Jr., is attorney for his father.

Search for Geo. Parsons.

Recorder Thos. Fitz Gerald this morning received a letter from Mrs. J. W. Parsons of Portland asking him to search the records to ascertain if at any time George C. Parsons had been killed in or about this city. She states that her husband, who is a brother of George C., is very ill in Portland.

Took Away Goods He Sold.

Alleging that he purchased of J. T. Canady goods, wares and merchandise located in the Joseph Hotel at Joseph, valued at \$502, and that Canady afterwards carried away the goods, F. C. Howe, through his attorneys, Raley & Raley, this afternoon brought suit to recover that amount.

Saw 500 Ducks.

L. R. Reineman, watermaster for Umatilla county, is authority for the statement that he saw 500 ducks in one band near the mouth of McKay creek yesterday. He was out searching for a location for a guano station and says he ran across band after band of ducks. The largest band consisted of not less than half a thousand large ducks.

Employs May Have Passes.

It is stated by T. F. O'Brien, local agent for the O.-W. R. & N. Co. that any employee of the railroad at Pilot Rock Junction or elsewhere may obtain a pass for traveling purposes by applying for the same in the regular manner. He says the difficulty over fares charged for employees at the terminal is due to the fact some of the men there have not applied for passes. Those who did not hold passes are required to pay fares.

To Forecast Spring Storms.

It is announced by W. W. Oyler, superintendent of the Umatilla forest, that a special arrangement has been made whereby the weather bureau will cooperate with stockmen and

sheepmen by furnishing special forecasts on severe storms in March, April and May, the period when lambs and newly shorn sheep are most in danger. The weather bureau will wire such forecasts to the following parties: S. H. Barker, Condon; T. J. Mahoney, Heppner; Dan P. Smythe, Arlington; R. B. Stanfield, Echo; and L. C. Scharpf, Pilot Rock.

Deputy Sheriff Ill

Deputy Sheriff J. A. Blakely is confined to his home today with an attack of la grippe.

Daughter is Born.

An eight pound daughter was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cheney at the residence of Mrs. I. E. Earl.

Best Jerard Ill.

Bertrand S. Jerard, local newspaperman, is confined to his home today by illness.

Fixing Up Pennant Window.

The Charles Company is having the north window of the cigar store enlarged so that it can house a pop-corn and peanut wagon.

Hard Snow in Portland.

County Clerk Frank Saling returned this morning from a short business trip to Portland and states snow fell in that city most of the day yesterday.

14 Marriage Licenses in January.

Though this is leap year there has been no abnormal activity in the marriage market during the first month of the year. January started off with a license a day for the first week but failed to keep up the record and ended with only fourteen issued.

Picture Show Man Back.

E. L. Cooper, former proprietor of the Cozy (now Temple) theater in this city, came up this morning from Portland where he has been living for some time past and near which city he purchased a ranch. On leaving here Mr. and Mrs. Cooper went to California but did not remain there long. Mr. Cooper states he came up just to look around.

Ash vs. Belles.

Samuel A. Ash is the plaintiff in two suits filed in the circuit court, the defendants of one being Charles G. Belles and Olive Belles and in the other C. G. Belles. In the former suit he seeks to foreclose a mortgage alleged to have been given to secure a note for \$1200 and in the other he asks judgment for the balance due on a note for \$355.15. Carter & Smythe are his attorneys.

Assignee Files Suit.

F. C. McKenna, Hermiston merchant, acting for himself and other alleged creditors of Charles H. Benson, yesterday filed suit against Benson to secure judgment. His own claim for merchandise is \$13.50 and he has assigned claims of \$189 on a note executed to H. G. Parks, \$519.35 for labor performed by Harold Adams and \$119.70 rent due Levi Hillis. J. T. Hinkle is attorney for the plaintiff.

Carrier Bag Afire.

Yesterday morning Bobby McFee, East Oregonian carrier boy, was walking down the street with his empty carrier bag on his back. Someone accidentally or intentionally tossed a lighted match into the mouth of the bag and a little later Bobby felt an uncomfortable warmth at his back. Investigation revealed the bag afire and also the back of his coat. He has a new bag now but his coat, which was a new one, will have to be patched to be serviceable.

Rail Service Suffers.

So heavy was the snow between Pasco and Pendleton that the Northern Pacific passenger train, due here at 10 a. m. did not reach Pendleton until 2:30 today. The train came in under power from a freight engine. The O.-W. R. & N. service is not far from normal today. Train 17 passed through at 1:45 and the Portland train are reported on time this evening. The Pilot Rock train was late leaving the local yard today.

70,000 SOLDIERS ARE BLINDED BY SPLINTERS

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Seventy thousand Austrians were blinded within six months by rock splinters caused by high explosives in battles on the Italian-Isonzo front, according to the Italian correspondent of the Daily Mail.

Impeachment to Proceed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The house adopted a resolution authorizing the judiciary committee to examine the witnesses in a preliminary impeachment investigation following Representative Buchanan's charges against United States Attorney Marshall of New York.

Policeman Fatally Injured.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—A policeman was fatally shot and an unidentified henchman was wounded, but escaped with two others, when policemen interrupted burglars in a saloon this morning. Three robbers were captured after a desperate battle.

SOCIAL PERSONAL

The Maize Burnett School of Piano playing will give a recital at the Presbyterian church Saturday, February 6, at 8:15 p. m. Those taking part will be pupils of Miss Burnett and Miss Nellie Dose Whiting. There will be no admission charged and the public is cordially invited.

Ed Martin of Echo was in the city yesterday.

Victor Mason was in from his home at Helix yesterday.

Evelyn Skinner of Echo is a guest of the Bowman.

E. C. Biddow of Hermiston is a Pendleton visitor today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hughes of Walla Walla are at the Pendleton.

J. M. Harrison, prominent Birch creek farmer, was in the city yesterday.

H. G. Hurlburt was among the Hermiston visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Retta Wombach, well known trained nurse, is absent from the city, having been called to the east end of the county.

Mrs. S. E. Paine was hostess yesterday afternoon at four tables of auction bridge. Honors were won by Mrs. Dean Tatom.

George C. Earley, an employe of the Portland water office, will arrive in the morning to visit Ray Le Ferre chief clerk of the Hotel Pendleton.

STORM CAUSES LOSS

(Continued from page one.)

George Red Hawk, an Indian on McKay creek, has reported to Major Swartzlander that he has lost 10 head of cattle.

The Indian bureau has taken up the feeding of 100 head of cattle belonging to an Indian woman, Amikayayeh, an aunt of Joe Craig. The cattle are at Cayuse and were without feed.

According to Major Swartzlander few of the Indians have reported any losses. In most cases the Indian work horses are provided for, but their cayuses, running on the range, will undoubtedly suffer. The cayuses, however, are not of great value so the financial loss won't be heavy.

INTERIOR HARD HIT

Reports received by Superintendent Cryder of the Umatilla forest, indicate the hay supply is becoming scarce with an advancing price. Cattlemen seem to be suffering more than the sheepmen. In some cases stockmen have run out of feed and have resorted to driving their cattle to other ranchers where feed is to be had. It is a hardship on the stock to be driven through the snow.

The most serious reports received by Supt. Cryder relate to the sections around Spray and Lone Rock. There is an unofficial report that there is six feet of snow on the ground at the forest ranger station on Granite Meadows at the head of Birch creek.

WINTER LAMBS SOON

"We are all right but the feeding is expensive," says Dan P. Smythe of Smythe Bros. "At present prices it is costing us from \$1200 to \$1500 per day to feed. Most of our stuff is at Arlington or cross the river in Washington. We have enough feed to last until March 1 and can buy more if we need it. It is merely a question of expense. Our winter lambing is to start February 10 and the storm is bad on that account. However, we have sheds and sufficient feed so the lambs will not suffer."

FEED PRICES UP

The strenuous winter has not only depleted the supply of hay but has also caused the price to advance materially. Baled alfalfa has been bought here at \$21 per ton. Wheat hay unbaled can be bought at \$15 per ton, it is said. Some baled hay was purchased yesterday at Enterprise, Walla Walla county, for local sheepmen at \$18 per ton. Enterprise. Barley cannot now be bought in Pendleton.

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There are conflicting reports as to the amount of hay available. It is reported the Albers Co. of Portland has bought up all the Hermiston hay. It is known too, that in other sections much has been sold recently.

THE HEPPNER SITUATION
In a phone interview with the East Oregonian this morning, T. J. Mahoney, cashier of the bank at Heppner, said that the situation though serious, was not alarming in that section. There has been some cattle lost at Spray, he said, but none at Lone Rock. Feed is being shipped in from the outside and yesterday some baled hay was bought for \$20 per ton Heppner. He says there is hay to be had at Echo. Thus far the losses in Morrow county have been only normal, but the snowfall is extremely heavy. There is now two feet of snow on the ground at Heppner and the total snowfall for January was 41 inches. (This is practically the same as Pendleton.)

FEEDING 10,000 HEAD
From his company's ranch near Pilot Rock this morning Senator J. N. Burgess said he believed most stockmen in that section were well prepared to feed two weeks more if necessary. However the heavy snow is causing uneasiness. The secret feature is to make it very difficult to move stock or to move feed. The Cunningham company is feeding 10,000 head and will not suffer from any loss of feed. The early lambing will not start until March 1 on the company's ranch and the senator says the lambing season generally will be later this year in that section.


FUTURE LOSSES POSSIBLE
While the losses thus far are few anywhere in eastern Oregon the chief danger is in the future. If feed supplies should run short before the spring grass becomes good stock will go onto grass feed in poor condition. That always means losses to cattle or to sheep, as the early spring weather is often hard on stock.

Stanfield Sheep Safe
It is understood that the Stanfield sheep are amply provided with feed and that the only trouble from the storm will be in the extra expense of feeding. R. N. Stanfield is one of the heaviest growers in eastern Oregon and his sheep in various parts of the northwest. Most of these sheep are close to transportation where feed may be shipped in if necessary.

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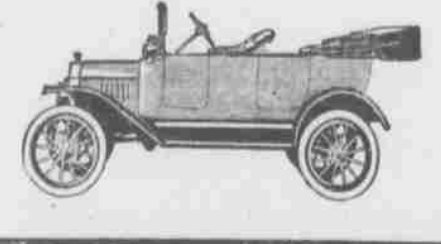
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General Weyler Heads Spanish Army



GEN. VALERIANO WEYLER.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—General Valeriano Weyler has been appointed president of a central general staff which has been created by royal decree, according to a dispatch from Madrid. General Weyler was governor of Cuba just before the Spanish-American war, and his policy of severity in waging war on the revolutionary movement, and particularly his action in forcing the concentration of the rural population in certain sections, have generally been regarded as having laid the basis of that war.

After his return to Spain his reputation as an iron-handed soldier brought him appointments to positions where energy and stern measures seemed to be required. His appointment in 1900 as captain general of Madrid resulted in more than one ministerial crisis. He was minister of war in 1901 and again in 1905. In 1905 he was appointed captain general of Catalonia with headquarters at Barcelona, where the disturbances connected with the execution of sentence of death on Francisco Ferrer were quelled by him without bloodshed. General Weyler is in his seventy-seventh year, or 12 years beyond the American retirement limit.

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