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ABOUT THE CITY PRINTING.

Regarding the printing of 150 copies of the revised city charter in book form, the Leader is informed by Recorder C. H. Vandenburg that at a recent meeting of the city council, Councilmen Lawson and Elledge were appointed as a committee to receive from printers an estimate, and not a bid, as reported in the Leader, of the cost of this work. At the next meeting of the council, Councilman Lawson reported that he had ascertained that the cost of printing the revised charter in book form would be about \$1.12 per page or about \$125 for 150 copies, whereupon the Recorder was authorized to have an ordinance drawn covering the expense of this printing, as stated in Tuesday's Leader, and the council committee was instructed to proceed to have the work done. Councilman Kime stated at the meeting, if the printed copies of the charter were to cost so much he thought a moderate price should be charged those desiring to secure a

copy. Councilman Elledge objected and Councilman Lawson settled the discussion by stating that the council would see that they were judiciously distributed. The recorder states that as soon as this ordinance is prepared covering the expense of this job, the contract will be let in the usual way for the work, and that the Leader was misled in its conclusions by the report that "the council committees was instructed to receive bids for printing 150 copies of the revised charter," when it should have read, "instructed to receive estimates" for this printing.

At Lincoln, Nebraska, the supreme court has just affirmed the constitutionality of the 8 o'clock closing law enacted by the last Nebraska state legislature, which provides that all saloons shall cease to do business at that hour. The law was attacked by an organization of Omaha brewers and liquor dealers.

Cottage Grove now has nearly 20,000 feet of sewer, \$2,500 worth of new sewer having been completed by Contractor Harry Hart this year, while the city has expended \$5,200 in new street improvement work this season.

Frank Haley has filed notice with the county clerk of the location of the "Fritz" mining claim in the Bohemia district.

Good streets cost less than a town loses when given the go-by because of its mud and wallows,

COLD COMFORT FOR NEAR BEER AGENT

A near-beer agent of the Roseburg brewery, visited this city this week for the purpose of conferring with the mayor and city council regarding the repeal of the near-beer ordinance in full force and effect in this city, but the Leader is informed that he received cold comfort from Mayor Job and the councilmen interviewed. He called the mayor's attention to the recent ruling at Eugene effecting Eugene's lame charter on the sale of near beer and ventured the bluff that his company had a long sack. The mayor very promptly called the bluff and told the fellow that he did not care how long his company's sack was, if he attempted to sell near beer in this city he should bring his sack along as he would most certainly need it.

The mayor informed the fellow that the sale of near beer was invariably used as a blind for selling all kinds of real booze and in the past had given the city officers much trouble and annoyance, while, since its sale had been prohibited very few violations of the local option law had been reported and municipal affairs had been gliding along very smoothly and most satisfactorily to the city officials and citizens alike.

The Leader heartily commends Mayor Job's stand on this question and feels that he and his council are entitled to great commendation for their action in stamping out this nuisance and keeping it stamped out.

Shortridge Hill Improvement Offered.

In behalf of certain citizens now obliged to travel to and from Cottage Grove over the Shortridge Hill on Coast Fork, Mr. Weeden who resides in that vicinity has requested that we allow the public to leave the present county road and cross our property to the east in order to avoid that muddy hill, which he declares to be almost impassable to the public, even with light rigs. Powell & Shortridge, who have the contract of carrying the U. S. R. F. D. mail have also called our attention to the imperative need for a different route of travel during the winter season only now beginning.

We are glad to note the growing sentiment in favor of good roads among the residents of Coast Fork and we heartily grant the wishes of the public for a route, and furthermore will give the right of way across our 30 acre tract providing they will petition the county court and secure such road to follow the route as defined by our petition for this improvement cut-off to the bridge, which was presented to the county court last summer.

Signed,
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By JOHN F. WOODARD.

Treasure Mine Sold.

The Treasure mine, in the Blue River district was sold Monday at sheriff's sale, and was bought in by Glen O. Powers, as trustee for the creditors for \$496.3.

We will take a few more horses to pasture, large shed with good oat straw to run to. PHILLIPS BROS.

Oregon seems inclined just now to go wet.

WOMANS CLUB TENDERS TEACHERS RECEPTION.

A reception was tendered the teachers of the public schools by the Womens Club last Wednesday evening in Phillips Hall. After the introductions, all engaged in a progressive conversation game.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served. The Hall was beautifully decorated with vines and chrysanthemums, a large chrysanthemum being the favor for each guest.

The following persons were present: Mr. and Mrs. Abrams, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Rosenberg, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Aubrey, Mr. and Mrs. Conley, Dr. and Mrs. Macy, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Elkins, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Inlow, Mrs. Briggs, Herbert Eakin, Goodman, B. R. Job, Alice Richmond, Misses Burdick, Wilson, Perkins, Riley, Hazleton, Purvance, Moore, White, Dickerson, Mickey, Curriu, Messrs R. Sanford, H. Kinter, D. J. DuBrulle, H. Short, Worth Harvey, M. H. Anderson, Sherman, Applegate, Ed Finnerty, Ray Trask, Lloyd Bisby.

State Deputy Simmons will meet with the local camp M. W. A. Monday evening in closed session. All Modern Woodmen are requested to be present. An oyster supper will follow the business session.

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