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5th Annual 5th January Clearance Sale.

Dress Goods, Black.

15c line for 10
25c line for 20
35c line for 25
50c line for 40
75c line for 60
100 line for 80
125 line for 100
150 line for 125
175 line for 150
200 line for 175
250 line for 205

Pesian Flannels.

85c line for 65

Skinner Satin.

\$1.60 for \$1.35

Taffeta Silk.

90c for 80
1.00 for 85

Dress Goods, Colors.

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25c line for 20
35c line for 20
50c line for 40
75c line for 60
100 line for 80
125 line for 100
150 line for 125
175 line for 150
200 line for 170

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6.50 for 4.95

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50c for 40c

Table Linen.

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50c for .40
75c for .60
1.00 for .85
1.25 for \$1.00
1.50 for \$1.25
1.60 for \$1.35

Napkins.

75c Dz for 60
1.00 Dz for 75
1.50 Dz for \$1.25
2.00 Dz for 1.75
2.50 Dz for 2.00
5.00 Dz for 4.00
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CHICAGO GAMBLER BROKE.

George Phillips Ex-Corn King Suspended
From Produce Exchange.

SENATE CONSIDERS PANAMA ROUTE.

Special to the Guard.

WASHINGTON, Jan 14—The Senate took a vote today on the proposition of considering the offer of Panama stockholders to sell all their rights to the unfinished canal for the sum of \$40,000,000.

The vote resulted in the affirmative, 40 to 31. This is not a test vote on the merits of the canal route to be definitely selected, several of the senators voting for consideration of the Panama people's offer simply to allow free and fair discussion of the relative merits of the Panama and Nicaragua routes.

PRODUCE GAMBLER BROKE.

Special to the Guard.

CHICAGO, Jan 14—The combination of two local house in the Chicago Produce Exchange has probably finished the spectacular career of George Phillips, a former heavy dealer in produce futures.

Phillips was suspended from the exchange at the noon meeting, being unable to meet his contracts. His liabilities are very heavy, running into the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

The unfortunate dealer was formerly considered a veritable "corn king," his wealth running up into the million mark.

AFTER BOTHA'S SCALP.

Special to the Guard.

JOHANNESBURG, Jan 14—General Botha and his force, estimated at four hundred men, were pursued and nearly captured by the British under General Bruce Hamilton today.

The Boers escaped with the loss of one killed and 35 made prisoners.

GORMAN BACK TO SENATE.

Special to the Guard.

ANNAPOLIS, Maryland, Jan 14—Ex-Senator Gorman was elected a United States senator from Maryland by the legislature at noon today.

[Arthur P. Gorman first served in the United States Senate as a page. Was elected a senator from the body where he held official position when a boy, and was re-elected several times, losing his seat to Wellington, Republican, six years ago. He is regarded as a very astute politician.—ED. GUARD.]

SOME CHINESE POLITICS.

Special to the Guard.

WASHINGTON, Jan 14—A pamphlet of unknown authorship, attacking the policy of this government in excluding the Chinese, was scattered about the public places of the capital today.

It is suspected that the Chinese minister, Wu, is the author, at least is responsible for the circulation thereof and the matter contained therein.

THE NAVY SECRETARYSHIP.

Special to the Guard.

WASHINGTON, Jan 14—Secretary of Navy Crane denies that his succession to the place was brought about by a forced resignation of ex-Secretary Long.

CITY COUNCIL.

Peter's Substitute Passed—Elec-
tion by the City at Large
in 1902.

SAOON LICENSE RAISED TO \$500.

Daily Guard, Jan 12

City council met in regular session last evening. All members present excepting Councilman Barker.

Minutes read and adopted.

A number of bills read and referred. Street commissioner reported \$879 feet of lumber used during the month.

The matter of abating a nuisance under the Olive street livery stable was brought up but nothing was done.

Chairman Peter of the fire and water committee submitted his report and asked for further time in which to consider application for more lights.

A resolution from the Fortnightly Club accepting the terms on which the city of Eugene is to contribute to the support of the club was read and accepted. This amounts to about \$250 annually.

Recorder Dorris reported having paid the semi-annual interest on the sewer bonds amounting to \$351.13.

A petition for a sidewalk on the south side of East Thirteenth street was read and on motion prayer of petitioners was granted.

Application of Will M. Morrow for plumber's license was referred to committee on fire and water with power to act.

The following resolutions were read and approved:

Resolved, That no truckman in case of fire alarm, hauling any fire apparatus of the city to a fire, shall permit more than five other persons consisting of firemen only, to ride on the day to the fire.

Councilman Osburn introduced an ordinance amending ordinance No. 99, raising license from \$400 to \$500 per annum. The ordinance was read a third time and placed on its final passage. Councilman Green moved to amend by raising the license to \$700.

The Green amendment was lost by a vote of 3 to 2. The ordinance was then passed, raising the saloon license from \$400 to \$500 per annum, those voting aye being Councilmen Osburn, White, Roney, Green, Peter.

VETO MESSAGE.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Eugene:

Gentlemen:—I herewith return to your honorable body an ordinance entitled, a license to persons to erect buildings within the city of Eugene.

My only objection is to that part of Section 2, which compels a citizen to pay a license of \$1 for the privilege of erecting a building of the value of \$100 or more. I think the city should freely and willingly grant a permit to any citizen to build free of cost, who desires to help improve the city. The city's expense would be but nominal as the city recorder is on a stated salary. I do not think it just to lay a special tax on those who are willing to build up the city by improvements. It seems to me to be in the nature of class legislation. I would suggest if you see fit to pass this ordinance, or

one similar, it should include a fine for not placing the proper number on said building when completed and also to give the approximate cost.

For the reason above given I return to you this ordinance without my approval.

G. R. CHRISMAN, Mayor.

The veto was, on vote, sustained.

TO THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF EUGENE:

GENTLEMEN:—Your special committee appointed at the meeting of the council in December, 1901, to confer with the county court as to the advisability of establishing wards in the city to conform to the voting precincts established by the county inside the city limits, begs to report that inasmuch as the city charter fixes the number of councilmen at six, a greater number of wards than three would be both awkward and impracticable. The city is in no way bound to establish wards to accommodate the county. The county has already established its voting precincts inside the city limits regardless of the boundaries of the wards, and if any law has been violated because of this fact it is no affair of the city.

As for the passage of the substitute adopted at the meeting of the council in December, 1901, providing for the alternate election of three councilmen at large and three from the wards every two years in lieu of the original ordinance introduced in October, 1901, providing for the doing away with the wards and the election of all the councilmen at large, your committee are not wholly agreed.

It will be remembered that at the meeting of the council in December, Councilman Green, a member of this committee, favored the adoption of this substitute if put in operation in 1903. We believe if it is a good thing or even permissible in 1903, the principle holds good for 1902.

No possible harm can come from the passage of this substitute. We believe in majority rule, and if a majority of the people, as many assume to believe are opposed to this change, that same majority has the power to elect every officer to be voted for at the coming election next April and thereby re-establish the old order of things, should they deem it advisable to do so. An opponent of majority rule is an enemy to republican institutions, though he be so unconsciously.

On the morning of Nov 13, 1901, the Eugene Register, a consistent opponent of doing away with the wards, in speaking of the different phases of the original Roney ordinance, closed an editorial with special reference to electing councilmen at large as follows:

"If those three councilmen are so anxious to have councilmen elected at large, they will find in section 137 of the city charter a provision for that very thing without abolishing the wards. The last clause in section 137 reads: 'But in case it shall not be practicable to provide for the election of an equal number of councilmen from each of said wards, it (the council) shall provide for the election of one councilman from each ward and the remaining councilmen from the city at large by the voters thereof.' Now here is the golden opportunity for the anti-ward councilmen to test their contention by naming three councilmen elected alternately one year from the wards and the next year at large and this would not necessitate doing away with the wards. We believe that in abolishing the wards the council would be summing too much power and that the act would not be in conformity with the city charter. Let the question of abolishment be submitted to a vote of the people of Eugene."

We believe in the passage of this substitute we are submitting the whole question to a vote of the people of Eugene. In dealing with a question like this, honest men may honestly differ, but we may all rest easy on one point, and that is, if the people are not satisfied with what may be done, they will seize the first opportunity to set matters right.

Respectfully,

F. W. OSBURN,
A. L. PETER,
Committee.

F. W. Osburn read the report of committee appointed to confer with the county court with reference to dividing the city into four wards, and recommended that the Peter substitute be adopted, electing alternately three councilmen at large and three from the wards. The report was adopted.

The Peter substitute was then put on final passage. Councilman Green

moved that the substitute be postponed. The motion was lost. The vote stood, aye, White and Green; noes, Osburn, Roney and Peter.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote: Ayes, Osburn, Roney, Peter; noes, White, Green.

J. T. Rowland, president anti-saloon league, addressed the council and stated that the petition of 505 names opposed changing in any way the present manner of conducting city elections.

Councilman Roney objected to Rowland speaking again over the petition matter and he, Rowland, sat down.

The Peter's substitute was then passed, and which provides for election of three councilmen at large in 1902 and three from the wards alternately thereafter. The vote stood, aye, Osburn, Roney, Peter; noes, White, Green.

Chairman Osburn, of the finance committee, submitted a statement of the expenditures of the city for the past year as follows:

Lights.....\$2,687.10
Water.....1,000.00
Fire department.....642.58
Lumber.....826.51
Streets.....4,216.98
Street commissioners.....780.00
Police department.....1,611.30
City attorney.....326.00
Recorder.....600.00
Treasurer.....150.00
Incidentals.....665.00

Total.....\$13,401.22

THE TAX LEVY.

An ordinance was passed fixing the city levy at 8 mills as follows:

General.....5 mills
Hewer.....1 mill
Roads and streets.....1.45 mills
Library.....1.5 mill

Total.....8 mills

This makes the city tax levy the same as last year.

A number of bills were read and referred to the finance committee. Council adjourned.

MR WAGNON RETURNS.

Eight Carloads of Woolen Mill Machinery Will Arrive Soon.

Daily Guard, Jan 14

H. D. Wagon, vice president of the Willamette Valley Woolen Mills Co., which has erected a building in readiness for the machinery for the operation of a first class woolen mill in Eugene, returned this afternoon from an extended trip in the Eastern states where he has purchased the necessary machinery, eight carloads of which will arrive here in about two weeks.

Mr Wagon purchased the machinery at Pittsfield, Mass., Philadelphia and Fremont, Neb., and it consists of some of the best to be had.

Contractor N. B. Alley has the building entirely completed ready for installing the machinery when it arrives.

Mr Wagon, in speaking to a reporter concerning his trip stated that the Eastern states are enjoying a very open winter. He found pleasant weather all during his trip, with very little snow.

BUSINESS CHANGE.—Hugh Hampton has sold to his brothers Al and John his one-third interest in the well known dry goods firm of Hampton Bros and the latter two now own the whole establishment. These gentlemen will no doubt continue as prosperous as they have been heretofore. Frank Hayes, formerly of T. A. Gilbert's shoe store, and a first-class young man, has recently accepted a position as salesman with the firm, taking the place of Austin Hampton who is in Salem attending business college.

BANK OFFICERS.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Eugene, held in the bank parlors January 14, 1902, the old board of officers were unanimously re-elected consisting of T. G. Hendricks, S. B. Eakin, G. R. Chrisman, F. L. Chambers and P. E. Snodgrass. The board organized by the election of T. G. Hendricks president; S. B. Eakin, vice president; P. E. Snodgrass, cashier, and L. H. Potter, assistant cashier.

MARRIED.—E. H. Craig and Miss Cella Barnett, both of Walterville, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Justice of the Peace C. A. Wintermeier in his office. The contracting parties are both well and favorably known in the community in which they reside. The GUARD congratulates.

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