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Ideas of geography are relative. A year ago the Philippines seemed far more distant than they seem today.

Gen. Porter, ambassador to France, and Secretary Alger; so the gossips are saying; will soon exchange portfolios.

A southern river steamboat stopped two hours and waited for a farmer to find and milk a cow in order to accommodate a sick passenger.

The latest reports available place the total capitalization of railroads in the United States at \$10,859,240,000. Last year the government paid the railroads \$50,444,291 for carrying the mails.

The New York Onondagas have deposited their wampum belts with the state University for safe keeping. Since the Jeffersonian banquet it would be a good idea to put the Chicago platform in the same glass case.

Hon. F. C. Reed of Astoria has been appointed state commissioner of fisheries. Gov. Geer knew what he was about when he "ignored other petitions" to make this selection. There is not a better man for the position in Oregon or out of it.

The Mayflower mine at Ochoco, of which Hon. W. P. Keedy is president, will soon become one of the leading properties in the mineral belt of the Waite Empire. It is now reducing 50 dollars a ton ore into 500 dollar mats, which it finds profitable to ship to the refinery by long drives to the railroad. The mats will perhaps be placed on board cars in this city.

When the collier Brutus reached Mare Island recently after a long voyage to Manila, her bottom was found covered with mature oysters, from stem to stern, which became attached to her while lying in Manila bay. The bureau of construction has been bothered to classify samples—it is presumed the flag-ship will be in similar condition when she comes home, and those may be classed as Olympia oysters.

MORO CITY COUNCIL.

The following Ordinances have been passed, and are now in force: No. 1. To regulate and prescribe the duties of the recorder. No. 2. Defining the duties of the treasurer. No. 3. Defining the duties of the city marshal. No. 4. Describing the Seal of the City of Moro. No. 5. Describing the duties of the city attorney. No. 6. Regulating fees of the city officers. No. 7. To license, tax and regulate certain callings. Hawkers, pedlars, circus, theatrical troupes, jugglers, traveling shows, bowling alleys, billiard tables, etc. No. 8. To tax dogs. No. 9. To remove dead animals, bury the same, etc. No. 10. To prohibit keeping hogs within certain limits. Published by Authority.

RULES OF ORDER.

RULE 1. The regular meetings of the council shall be held upon Monday evenings of each week, and the hour of meeting shall be at 7.30 o'clock p. m.

The council may, at any meeting, adjourn over the next regular meeting by a majority vote, or designate a different day on which to meet, but such order shall apply only to the time named.

RULE 2. The mayor shall call the members to order at the stated hour. Should there not be a quorum present it shall be the duty of the city marshal immediately to inform the absent members, except those known to be unavoidably detained, that their presence is required to enable the council to proceed to business.

Should they fail to appear on such notice the members present shall adjourn to the next regular meeting, or an earlier day. In the absence of the mayor the members present shall choose one of their number to preside—and should the recorder be absent any meeting the members present shall choose one of their number

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to record the proceedings of the meeting. After the calling of the roll the presiding officer shall cause the journal of the preceding meeting to be read, when it shall be corrected if necessary, and approved.

RULE 3. The presiding officer shall announce, at each meeting of the council, the business in order as follows:

- 1. Calling of the roll. 2. Reading of minutes of previous meeting. 3. Reports of standing committees. 4. Reports from special committees. 5. Reports from city officers. 6. Unfinished business. 7. Petitions and remonstrances. 8. Introduction and first reading of ordinance bills. 9. Second reading and commitment of ordinance bills. 10. Third reading of ordinance bills. 11. Communications and resolutions. 12. New business. 13. Bills against the city and other financial business.

Messages from the mayor shall always be in order. All questions relating to the priority of business shall be decided without debate. RULE 4. The presiding officer shall preserve order and decorum. He may speak on all questions of order in preference to any other member, rising from his seat for that purpose, and he shall decide on all questions of order, subject to an appeal of the council. In case of an appeal from the decision of the chair, the appeal shall be stated as follows, "Shall the decision of the council?"

RULE 5. The presiding officer shall rise to put a question, but may state it sitting. Questions shall be distinctly put in this form, to-wit, "As many are of the opinion that (as the question may be), say aye," and after the affirmative vote is expressed, "As many as are of a contrary opinion, say no." If the presiding officer doubt, or a division is called for, the council shall divide—those of the affirmative first arising, and afterwards those of the negative.

RULE 6. The following standing committees shall be appointed by the mayor at the beginning of the council year:

- 1. Committee on ways and means. 2. Committee on ordinances. 3. Committee on accounts and current expenses. 4. Committee on streets and public property. 5. Committee on licenses. 6. Committee on fire and water. 7. Committee on health and police.

All special committees shall be appointed by the presiding officer, unless otherwise ordered by the council. RULE 7. Each committee to which any matter is referred shall submit it at the next regular meeting after such reference, unless further time is granted by the council, a written report of the facts in relation to the matter referred, with an opinion thereon. Such report shall be presented in order, and in open session by the chairman, or other member of the committee. It shall be filed with the recorder and entered upon the journal. When a committee fails to report on a subject, the matter may be brought before the council by a motion properly made, seconded and carried.

That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce a grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

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RULE 8. Proposed ordinances shall be known as ordinance bills. They shall be entered upon the journal, unless otherwise ordered by the council, and filed by the recorder. It objection be made to the introduction of an ordinance bill, it shall lie over until the next meeting, except when the bill is reported by a committee, or is otherwise directed by the council.

RULE 9. Every ordinance bill shall receive three readings, previous to its being passed. The presiding officer shall give notice at such reading whether it be the first, second or third. If the bill shall be objected to on its first reading, the presiding officer shall immediately state the question to be, "Shall the bill be rejected?" If no objection be made, or if the question to reject be lost, the bill shall be read the second time at once. By unanimous consent the bill may be read the second time by title.

RULE 10. Upon the 2d reading of the bill, the presiding officer shall state, "This is the second reading of the bill. It is ready for commitment or amendment." No bill shall be amended or committed until after it has been read twice.

RULE 11. If a bill be so amended as to make it necessary, in the opinion of the majority, that it should be engrossed, it may be referred to the recorder for that purpose, and he shall at the next regular meeting report a correctly engrossed copy of the bill.

RULE 12. No bill shall be read the third time during the same session at which it is introduced, except by unanimous consent of the council, expressed by an affirmative vote on calling the roll.

RULE 13. The final question after the second reading of every bill shall be, "Shall the bill be read a 3d time?" No amendment shall be received for discussion after the third reading of any bill, but it shall be in order, before the final passage of any such bill, to move its commitment under special instructions.

RULE 14. After the third reading of the bill the presiding officer shall state the question to be, "Shall the bill pass?" The recorder shall call the roll and enter the ayes and nays in the journal.

RULE 15. After the passage of a bill, the question shall be stated to be, "Shall the title of the bill be the title of the ordinance?"

RULE 16. The recorder shall number the ordinances as passed, every ordinance receiving the number to which it is entitled.

RULE 17. All ordinances shall be signed by the mayor and the recorder before being published or posted as required by the charter.

RULE 18. All unfinished business shall be attended to before new business is introduced.

RULE 19. No motion shall be debated until it has been seconded, and distinctly announced by the presiding officer—and it shall be reduced to writing. It shall be read by the recorder, when required, for information. A motion may be withdrawn at any time before amendment.

RULE 20. Every member, when a question is taken, shall vote, unless the council, by unanimous consent, for a special reason, shall excuse him; but no member shall be permitted to vote on any subject in which he has a direct pecuniary interest. Two members may demand the ayes and noes on any question except a question to adjourn, when it will take three members.

RULE 21. When the reading of a paper is called for, except petitions, and the same is objected to by any member, the question as to whether it shall be read, shall be determined by a vote of the council without debate. This rule is not applicable to any bill, resolution or amendment or other proposition which may be at the time directly under consideration.

RULE 22. Every member, when he arises to make any remark, or offer any motion or other proposition, shall arise in his place and address the chair. He shall confine himself to the question and avoid personalities. Objection being made, no member shall speak more than twice in any debate on the same day, and at the same stage of the question, without leave—and a member who has once spoken shall not be again entitled to the floor, except for explanation, to the exclusion of another who has not spoken.

RULE 23. When two or more members rise at once, the presiding officer shall name the one who is to speak first.

RULE 24. When a member is called to order, he shall sit down until the chair shall have determined whether he is in order or not, and every question of order shall be decided by the chair, subject to an appeal to the council by any member. If a member be called to order for words spoken, the exceptional language shall immediately be taken down in writing.

RULE 25. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but the following privileged questions, which shall have precedence in the following order: 1. To adjourn.

- 2. For a call of the council. 3. To lay on the table. 4. To postpone to a day certain. 5. To commit. 6. To annul. 7. To postpone indefinitely.

RULE 26. The previous question shall be in this form, "Shall the main question be now put?" It shall only be admitted when demanded by two members present, and its effect shall be to put an end to all debate, and bring the council to a direct vote; first upon amendments reported by a committee, if any; second, upon pending amendments; and then upon the main question. On a motion for the previous question, and prior to the seconding of the same, a call of the council shall be in order; but after two members shall have seconded such motion, no call shall be in order prior to the decision of the main question.

RULE 27. On motion for the previous question, and under the same, there shall be no debate. All incidental questions of order arising after a motion is made for the previous question, or while acting under it, shall be decided, whether on appeal or otherwise, without debate.

RULE 28. When the question has once been put and decided it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority, to move for a reconsideration thereof, and such motion shall take precedence of all other questions, except a motion to adjourn. No motion shall be reconsidered more than once.

RULE 29. No motion to reconsider shall be entertained at a later period than the next regular session of the council after the vote to reconsider has been taken; but when any vote shall be reconsidered the council may at the same time proceed to reconsider any previous vote or order in relation to the same subject matter, without further notice.

RULE 30. All motions, resolutions, orders, bills, petitions or other communications, shall be entered upon the journal unless otherwise ordered by the council.

RULE 31. Any member voting in the minority on any question, and protesting against the vote of the council, may have his protest entered on the journal, if the language and subject matter of such protest would have been admissible in the discussion of the subject.

RULE 32. The recorder shall prepare a journal file for each meeting of the council, in which shall be entered the title of all ordinances, reports, resolutions or other business on the table, and any new business, that may be proper to bring before the council.

RULE 33. Appointment of officers shall be by ballot and a majority of all the members of the common council shall be necessary to constitute a choice.

RULE 34. If the question in debate contains several points, any member may have the same divided—but the mover of the question shall have the right to designate upon which point the vote shall be first taken.

RULE 35. A motion to adjourn shall be decided without debate and shall always be in order, except that when once voted down it shall not be in order until some other business has been taken up.

RULE 36. The rules of the council shall be observed in committee of the whole, so far as applicable, except as to the time of speaking, and except also, that the ayes and noes shall not be taken thereon.

RULE 37. In all cases not provided by these rules the council shall be governed by the law and practice as laid down in Cushing's Law and Practice of Legislative Assemblies.

RULE 38. No rule shall be suspended without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present, and no additional rule or amendment shall be made without giving at least one week's notice, and the concurrence of two thirds of the members present. Provided, that no rule requiring unanimous consent shall be suspended by operation of this rule.

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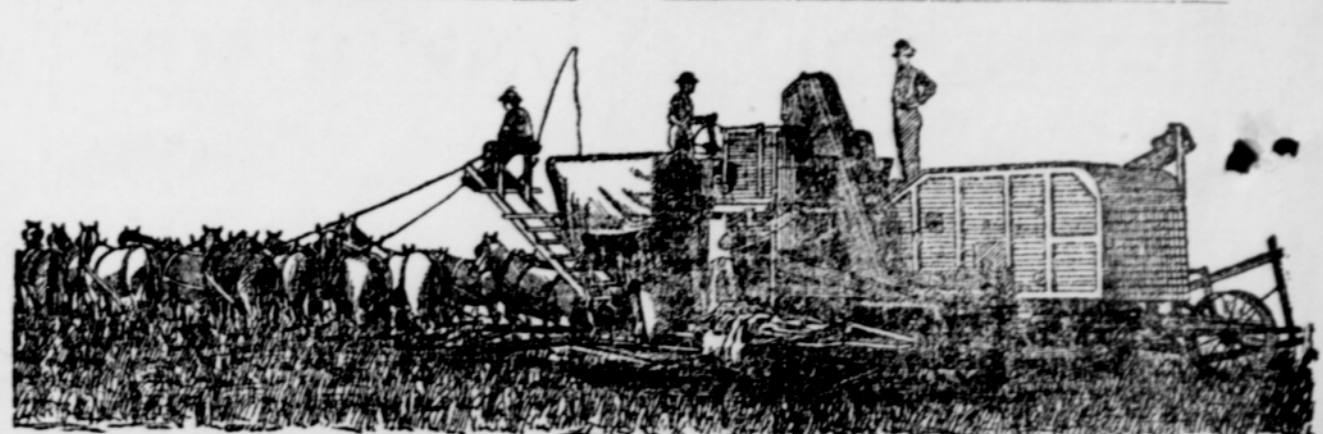
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