

SALARIES AGAIN UP IN ASHLAND

Initiative Petitions Are Being Circulated by Voters in Neighboring City Asking for Election for Granting of Salaries.

ASHLAND, Ore., Feb. 15.—Initiative petitions are in circulation today providing for a vote of the people of the city of Ashland upon the question of providing a reasonable salary for the mayor and members of the council, the limit fixed being \$90 per month for the mayor, and \$30 per month for the councilmen, six in number, bringing the city salary budget on account of the city mayor and members of the council to \$3240 per year.

The petition is directed to the City Recorder and inasmuch it will undoubtedly receive the necessary number of names to make it effective, it will devolve upon the council to submit the question to vote. If the plans of those who have the matter in charge are carried out the proposed salary authorization will be submitted at the same special election at which the armory election is to be held, on the 4th day of March.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 15.—Police investigation today of the recent hold-up of Rector's restaurant reveals the fact that a woman, who is now believed to be in San Francisco, escaped with most of the loot. She double-crossed the man who double-crossed his pals by drugging them after they had held up Charles Willard, robber No. 1, and relieved him of the \$3,200.

WORKS FINDS SUPPORT IN CRITIZING COURT

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 15.—"The statement of Senator Elect Works that certain supreme court justices should be impeached if the contention of Attorney General Webb that they illegally signed the Ruff rehearing decision be true, is a just one, in my opinion," said City Prosecutor Guy Eddie of Los Angeles today. "According to information that has come to me from authority competent to speak on the subject, several of the facts in connection with the supreme court's action on the rehearing decision have not made public as yet. If the public were satisfied that the legislators were zealously guarding their interests in watching over the judiciary and would courageously institute impeachments proceedings when necessary, there would be very little inclination on the part of the public for a direct interference.

"If the rumors be true there is abundant reason why the legislature should institute an investigation, but if it did its duty in this respect the cause stirring up public uneasiness regarding the judiciary would be set at rest."

Haskins for Health.

EXTRA SESSION MAY BE FORCED

Magazine Publishers Declare That They Have Enough Friends in Senate and House to "Talk the Bill to Death."

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 15.—Threats of forcing an extra session of congress if the administration adheres to its plan of increasing the second class postal rate were freely made here today by friends of those magazines which it is said the increase would put out of business.

The magazine publishers declared they had received promises enough from democratic and progressive republican senators to insure a successful filibuster against the increase. They plan to "talk the bill to death" and by holding up the entire post office appropriation measure, make an extra session necessary.

Great bitterness has developed in the contest. It is certain that as long as Taft is president he will continue to recommend the postal increase and shrewd political observers say that in this far more than in his reciprocity program lies danger to the president's ambition to remain in the White House another four years.

The publishers here today laugh at the administration's ordering United States District Attorney Wise of New York to investigate with a view to prosecuting the magazines as a trust. They declare they have no fear of any probe into their affairs, and that no business in the country is of so competitive a nature.

HILLS BUYS BIG ORCHARD TRACT

W. J. Hills, formerly of Juneau, Alaska, but more recently of Seattle, Washington, has closed a deal for the purchase of the twenty acre apple and pear orchard known as the Lux and Townsend orchard. Frank Goulet was the seller and the price paid is believed to have been \$21,000.

The tract is planted to Yellow Newtown apples and Bartlett pears, eight years old just coming into bearing.

Mr. Hills left for Seattle last night but will return shortly with his family and household effects.

He was for several years clerk of the Federal Court in Alaska and is said to be wealthy.

Clark & Bittner made the sale.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Feb. 15.—Shot through the breast and lungs by an unknown person who early today was trying to break into the dining car of which he was conductor, D. J. Reeder of Portland, Ore., lies in a local hospital hovering between life and death.

The man who fired the shots fled and no trace has been found of him.

Haskins for Health.

MRS. FRANK CHANCE
Selects Oranges for Shipment.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 15.—(Special to the Medford Mail Tribune) Included in the trainload of "Sunkist" oranges that left California for the eastern market is the produce from the Chance groves. Mrs. Frank Chance, wife of the "Peerless Leader" of Chicago's Cubs, personally

helped in the grading of their crop. None but the most perfect specimens of the Chance fruit was allowed to be shipped in the trainload of "Sunkist." These oranges are the finest grown in all California, and those from the Chance groves, according to Mrs. Chance, are among the most perfect ever grown in Southern California.

The golden fruit was shipped in such a quantity that "orange week" will be an event in all towns that are fortunate enough to be on the route of the "Sunkist Special."

Mrs. Vest Felt Like Crying
Wallace, Va.—Mrs. Mary Vest, of this place, says, "I hadn't been very well for three years, and at last I

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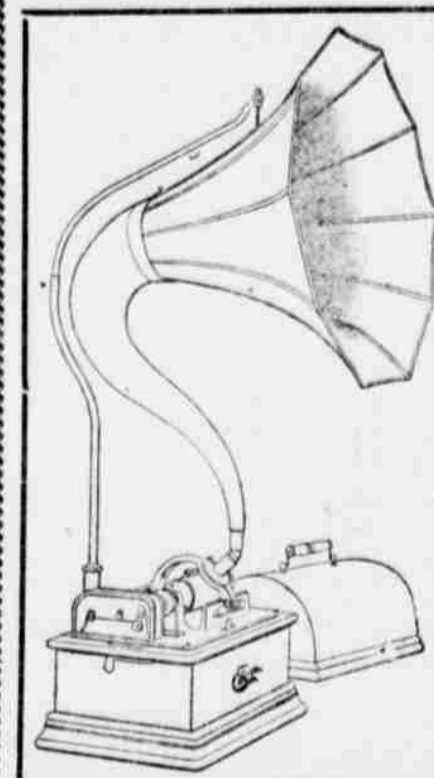
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