

BOND ORDINANCE READ FIRST TIME BY CITY COUNCIL

The ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$300,000 bonds for the construction of the proposed railroad to the Blue Lodge was passed in its first reading by the City Council last night. The ordinance, drawn without an emergency clause, which would permit it to be passed in final reading at one session was drawn in accordance with a tentative agreement reached in a meeting of the council with Mr. S. S. Bullis Monday night.

In spite of the agreement among the council Monday night, councilmen Mann and Emmons endeavored to rush the ordinance through to its final reading. A word battle followed with the Mayor, Councilmen Hargraves, Davis and Keene arrayed against them. Councilman Amy was not present.

A. L. Hill, president of the Commercial Club, rose during the argument and asked that the matter be put through, explaining that it was the desire of the Commercial Club, Greater Medford Club and the Business Men's Association to have matters expedited. Mr. Hill took out of his pocket a draft of an emergency clause and asked its adoption. The Mayor explained that the ordinance could not be put through without a reading at another session, that in the event an emergency clause should be attached, the whole ordinance might be invalidated. He explained that it would also be necessary to fill in the blanks in the ordinance such as denominations of bonds, interest and dates of payment before the final reading could be passed.

Mann and Emmons still insisting on the passage, the Mayor explained that the program as being followed was satisfactory and that Mr. Bullis was not ready to proceed until he had assurance in the shape of a saw-mill and box factory, that the road was going to pay. Attorney Thomas, counsel for Mr. Bullis, thereupon declared that Mr. Bullis was anxious for all preliminaries to be cleared away and that he was ready at any time to proceed with his part of the contract. Hill then rose and suggested that the matter might be postponed until the adjourned reading.

The matter of placing streamer lights at street intersections was brought up and City Electrician Hinman instructed to place the lights at intersections in a permanent manner. W. F. Isaacs and Porter J. Neff explained that the light company will give the city the wires and lights now in place. They will furnish current for 500 lamps to burn four hours each night for \$12 per month. It was necessary, Mr. Isaacs explained, to have the work done at once, that the city might present a good appearance during the tourist season, which is now nearing its height, and during the editor's convention the latter part of this week.

The report of the police judge showed the arrest of three drunks and one speeder during the past month, with a total of \$32.50 fines collected.

BAND CONCERT ENJOYABLE EVENT

The fourteenth successful concert was given by the Medford concert band at the city park on Tuesday evening. Is it the change from Friday to Tuesday evening or is the steady musical improvement of Bondmaster Rowland's musicians that week after week continues to increase the crowd? Our 1916 band has undoubtedly set a new record in bringing the attendance at the concerts to what it is. Mr. Rowland and his loyal musicians are justly entitled to the volumes of praise heaped by the hundreds of music lovers of Medford. Tuesday evening's program was as much enjoyed as any of the preceding programs. A noticeable feature was the entire absence of rag-time, selections more musical even if they were rather quiet for the park were supplemented.

During the summer several musicians from outside points have profited their assistance for the concerts but the bandmaster thought it inadvisable to enter into any such arrangements, owing to the uncertainty of regular attendance and the general wish of the citizens to maintain only a "Medford band." Our 1916 band altho not large in quantity, is strictly a "Medford band," and we are proud of it, let Mr. Rowland continue to maintain it as such, with the new material he is developing, his unquestioned ability and thoroughness, the citizens are confident that Medford will soon be known by its unrivaled musical organization.

SHY OF ROOMS AND AUTOS FOR EDITORIAL MEET

Every day adds a few more to the list of newspaper men, who are coming to the convention here the last of this week. Three are coming from Umatilla County, about six hundred miles distant. The accommodations of the hotels are insufficient and private parties, who can offer rooms are requested to call on J. A. Westerlund, chairman of the room committee.

Arrangements for entertaining the guests are completed, save the fag end of the Crater Lake trip. For that a few more cars are needed. It is of first importance that this feature should be an entire success, for last year's convention was scheduled for another Southern Oregon city, which offered to take the guests to Crater Lake and absolutely fell down a month before the date set, and the convention was held at Salem. Medford is to make good on the plan, where another city failed.

The committee is sadly handicapped by the fact that the Elks have set their fish fry for the same day. This is unfortunate, but it means the committee is working harder and needs more support.

The best attended convention in the association's past has been about 75. They are coming to Medford 115 strong, with representatives from every section of the state.

Public Spirited Citizens.
The following have donated cars for the Crater Lake trip Sunday:

Jackson County Bank, Medford, National Bank, First National Bank, Gen. Trechler, Overland agency, Powell Auto Co., C. E. Gates, Bernard Motor Co., Court Hall, Young & Hall, A. W. Walker Auto Co., R. R. Valley Canal Co., Producers Fruit Co., R. R. Valley Fruit Association, R. R. Valley Canning Co., Gaddis & Dixon, Medford Grocery Co., Payne & Boatwick, Medford Sash & Door Co., F. N. McKeany, W. A. Folger, Gus Newbury, W. C. Leaver, John A. Westerlund, Robt W. Ruhl, Ed J. Trowbridge, C. C. Cate, Prof. F. C. Reimer, S. S. Bullis, Geo. A. Gardner, Ernest McKee.

The Ashland committee promises four cars for Crater Lake, Medford providing all transportation for the guests to Ashland park event Friday evening.

In addition five lodges of the city, through committees, are arranging for three cars each. Two of the lodges have made this arrangement. The general committee urge members of these lodges to support their committees in this endeavor. John Perl, Rankin Estes and E. J. Klein will represent the K. P.'s and other lodges will report names soon.

HOG RAISERS TO PICNIC SATURDAY

Mr. Steele of Grants Pass, and Mr. C. D. Thompson, county agricultural agent of Josephine county have made arrangements for a meeting of hog raisers at the Winona ranch, near Grants Pass to be held on Saturday, August 5. There will be a picnic lunch at noon and the afternoon will be taken up with the Pig Show, judging and talks on the various phases of the hog industry.

The speakers are: O. M. Plummer of the Union Stock Yards, Portland; a representative of the Agricultural college; Mr. Steele, Mr. C. D. Thompson and Mr. C. C. Cate.

Hog raisers of Jackson county have a special invitation to be present and by all means should be there as they have something good in store. Cars will leave the Medford Commercial club about 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

APPEALS FOR AID IN ENTERTAINMENT OF STATE EDITORS

To the public:

The Oregon State Editorial Association, which is to be held in Medford Friday and Saturday of this week, promises to be one of the most important gatherings which has ever visited this city. It offers a brilliant opportunity to our citizens to attract the admiration and retain the goodwill of representative men from every live community in the state. No citizen of any town enjoys a greater power to influence public opinion, than does the editor of a local newspaper, and the citizens of Medford should not neglect any attention to our coming guests, which will leave a lasting impression of the hospitality for which our city is already noted.

The hotels of Medford have already responded generously to the invitation of the Commercial Club committee by arranging to place at the service of our editorial visitors, free of charge, all of their available vacant rooms for the two days of their stay here, in spite of the heavy tourist travel at this season of the year. They will not, however, be able to take care of all those who have signified their intention of attending the convention; the committee estimates that about 15 more rooms will be needed than the hotels can furnish, and they now have appealed to public spirited citizens of Medford to take care of the overflow.

Rooms only are needed, as all other entertainment will be provided for. Any citizen who can place a room in his house at the service of one of our guests Friday and Saturday of this week, without charge, will confer a favor on the committee and do the community a service by telephoning the undersigned at the Hotel Holland, without delay, as we must know before the arrival of the delegates where to place them.

J. A. WESTERLUND,
Chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Von der Hellen, Mrs. George Von der Hellen and Mrs. Robert Pelouze motored in from Eagle Point Wednesday morning.

WOMAN GIVEN TWO DAYS

To Make Up Her Mind for Surgical Operation. She Refused; Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"One year ago I was very sick and I suffered with pains in my side and back until I nearly went crazy. I went to different doctors and they all said I had female trouble and would not get any relief until I would be operated on. I had suffered for four years before this time, but I kept getting worse the more medicine I took. Every month since I was a young girl I had suffered with cramps in my sides at periods and was never regular. I saw your advertisement in the newspaper and the picture of a woman who had been saved from an operation and this picture was impressed on my mind. The doctor had given me only two more days to make up my mind so I sent my husband to the drug store at once for a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and believe me, I only took four doses before I felt a change and when I had finished the third bottle I was cured and never felt better. I grant you the privilege to publish my letter and am only too glad to let other women know of my cure."—Mrs. THOS. MCGONIGAL, 3432 Hartville Street, Phila., Pa.



BAN ON STORAGE OF AMMUNITION AT JERSEY CITY

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Aug. 2.—

Agents of the city commissioners were sent today to officials of all railroads entering this city to put into effect the order of the commission, placing a ban on the storage of ammunition in cars, upon piers in this city and upon its shipment through this city to steamers going to Europe. This action was taken, because of the great explosion of ammunition at Black Tom Island Sunday morning.

Two more bodies were found today, floating in New York bay within a few rods of the scene of the explosion. One of the bodies was identified as that of Captain Cornelius Leyden, chief of the Lehigh Valley Railroad police and previously reported missing.

The finding and identification of Leyden's body proves the way for the prosecution of those who may be found responsible for the explosion. In complaints, upon which warrants have been issued, and served upon four persons, the death of Leyden is made the basis of individual charges of manslaughter.

To make out the case, it was necessary to have the body found and identified and every effort was made to recover it.

The other body found today, bringing the death list up to six, has not been identified.

H. C. Applegate, for 27 years a resident of the Puget Sound section, has arrived in Medford to make the city his future home. He is the father of George Applegate and of Mrs. Ed White of the Antelope valley.

W.C.T.U. BEGINS CAMPAIGN TO KEEP STATE DRY

Mrs. Jennie Kemp, state president of the W. C. T. U., who is now touring the state and speaking on prohibition issues to come up at the fall election, will be in Medford August 7 and will speak at the Baptist church afternoon and evening.

Speaking on the issues to come up in the fall, Mrs. T. A. Howell, a member of the local W. C. T. U., said: "The people of Oregon will have three very important issues before them this fall. First, the effort to repeal the Sabbath observance law. The law as it stands is not just what we would wish but to repeal it and leave the state without a Sabbath observance would be very unwise."

"The measure which will forbid the importation of all liquor for beverage purposes into the state will appeal to all moral voters. Those that found fault with the Anderson bill because it allowed the shipping in of small amounts of liquor should now get busy and work for this amendment; as you well know, no measure will carry itself no matter how good it is. It must be supported by votes at the polls. And who is going to solicit those votes? The answer is very plain to be sure. The friends of the measure against the foe. Which side are you on, or are you on the fence? Time is short and work is needed."

"The greatest menace which confronts us is the measure to reopen the Oregon breweries. This will mean distributing stations, saloons in effect, will be here and the law which has already brought such good results will be handicapped and many parts of the state will be worse off

25 MORE CARS BARTLETTS SOLD \$1.75 MEDFORD

The Rogue River Fruit and Produce association has closed a contract for 25 cars of Blue Triangle Bartlett pears at \$1.75 per box f. o. b. Medford, cash when cars roll. This makes a total of 50 cars of Bartletts sold or approximately one half of the association's total Bartlett tonnage. The auction markets are still very strong. Tuesday's averages were as follows: New York, \$2.86; Chicago, \$2.45; Boston, \$3.20; Philadelphia, \$2.60. S. V. BECKWITH,
Manager.

than before the measure was passed. "Our 1914 fight was to abolish the saloon and protect the young. Our slogan is still "The Saloon Must Go." Mrs. Jennie Kemp, State President of the Oregon W. C. T. U. is in the field, speaking on these issues and will be in Medford August 7. She will speak at the Baptist church afternoon and evening. Everyone who is at all interested should hear her. She is a practical speaker and does not work on sympathy, but facts."



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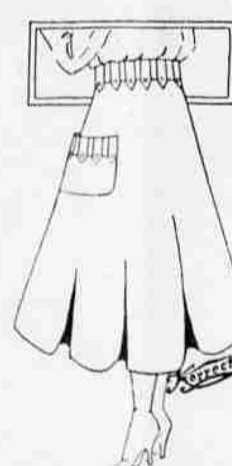
Clean-up Sale of Dresses

Ad odd lot of Women's Dresses, Coats and Skirts, all sizes and colors, sold regular up to \$10.00, clean 98c up price, each

AUGUST CLEAN-UP SALE

The final wind-up of all Spring and Summer Merchandise. We must have room for new Fall and Winter goods arriving daily. Prices cut deep to clean up quick. Don't miss this sale.

WASH SKIRTS
20 per ct OFF--20 per ct
\$2.00 Wash Skirts\$1.60
\$2.50 Wash Skirts\$1.98
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\$6.00 Wash Skirts\$4.79



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\$6.00 Wool Skirts\$4.48
\$8.00 Wool Skirts\$5.98
\$10.00 Wool Skirts\$7.48
\$12.00 Silk Skirts\$8.98
\$15.00 Silk Skirts\$11.25

Final Clean-up of Wash Goods

500 yds Fine Figured Crepes, good patterns, worth 12 1/2c, this sale, yard 8c
500 yds Ribbon Striped Voiles and Dotted Swisses, up to 40c values, sale price, a yd 25c
2000 yds. New Flowered Dimities and Organdies, values up to 20c this sale yd 12 1/2c
500 yds. Crepe de Chine, Marquisette and Voiles up to \$1.00 value, sale price, yd. 39c

CORSET DAY

100 pairs of Women's Coutil Corsets has two pairs hose supporters, well worth \$1.00, while they last, each 59c
100 pairs Women's New Model Corsets, good style, made of splendid materials, real \$1.25 val- 89c ties, now, each

Embroideries

Fine Cambrie and Swiss Embroideries, good width values up to 15c, this sale, a yd 5c
Cambrie and Swiss Embroideries, wide widths, worth up to 25c, this sale a yd 10c
18 and 27 inch Swiss Flouings, worth up to \$1.00, this sale a yard 48c

WAIST SALE

The WIRTHMORE WAIST, new styles, good as most \$2 val, always sold at the low price of each \$1.00
The "WELWORTH" Waist, distinctive in style, made of splendid materials, good as most \$3.50 values, all ways, each \$2.00



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Women's and Children's Fast Black Hosiery, all sizes, sale price pair 10c
Women's White Lisle Hose, sale price pair 48c
Kayser's Silk Hose in Black and Colors, all sizes, special pair \$1.00

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Women's Union Suits very special each 35c
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