

NEW DEAL FOR POOL PLACES COUNCIL PLAN

License Committee to Investigate Reopening of Three Front Street Places—Will Reissue Permits All Other Halls.

At the suggestion of Mayor A. W. Pipes after the attorney representing the proprietors of the three front street pool and card rooms, whose licenses were revoked a week ago Monday and their bonds forfeited following their pleas of guilty and heavy fines in justice court because they sold "bitters" or tonics by the glass, had appealed before the city council in their behalf, that body last night voted that they be granted new licenses, provided the council license committee at an investigation begun today, found that they would comply with all laws and ordinances.

At the same time the council decided to recall all the licenses of all other pool and card rooms of the city, and along with the three in question reissue them under a new or amended ordinance approved last night, which, in addition to containing all clauses in the old one regarding regulation of gambling, card playing and the like, contains a new clause forbidding the sale of intoxicating liquors, in compliance with federal, state and municipal laws.

It seems that the wording of the old licenses issued did not exactly conform with the ordinance governing card and pool rooms, thru a clause being omitted in the license form, which prevents bond forfeitures for sale of intoxicants being collected. The new ordinance regulates this, and under it the bonds can be realized on when forfeited.

A special meeting of the city council will be called to act on the matter of granting renewed licenses under the new ordinance to all card and pool rooms, as soon as the council license committee completes its investigation. No card or pool room will be granted a license unless all its card tables are located publicly where any one who chooses can look on. No card table will be behind a partition or in a closed or partially closed small room.

Published Enough. Attorney Porter J. Neff, in his plea asking that the three offending pool and card room proprietors be granted new licenses, declared that the proprietors had already been sufficiently punished through the heavy fines inflicted on themselves and their clerks in court, and the financial loss of over a week's business because of revoked licenses, and said that they would promise to comply with all state, federal and municipal laws, if granted new licenses.

Mayor Pipes outlined the policy of himself and the council in being determined that the pool and card rooms must obey all laws, and that the action of the offending three continuing to sell bitters after the city administration had warned them to stop it and comply with all laws was a flagrant violation, which left the city council no other alternative than to revoke their licenses and declare their bonds forfeited.

However, the mayor said he did not want to appear unfair and punish them any further, if they meant to keep their promises to offend in no way in the future. He then suggested that all pool and card room licenses be revoked and new licenses issued under the new or amended ordinance, if the council license committee on investigation recommended such action.

SPORTSMEN READY FOR BIG BANQUET

That the Rogue River is being depleted of fish and that some steps must be taken to avert further depletion will be among the main topics of discussion at the annual banquet tomorrow night in the main dining room of the Hotel Medford of the Jackson County Game Protective Association. The banquet promises to be one of the most important ever held in Medford, and letters have been received from many out of county points from sportsmen declaring they will be present.

A recent issue of a Gold Beach newspaper indicated the seriousness of the fishing situation, as on the opening night of the season, only 160 salmon were caught, a very small number in comparison to opening catches in previous years. Gus Peret of Eugene will also be present and will show two reels of interesting game life moving pictures.

Boy King Turfman RICHAREST, May 22.—(AP) The boy king is on the turf. His favorite pony, Black Beauty, is to be entered in several races. He commanded right after being elected president of the National jockey club.

CITY EXTENDS HEARING DATE ON PAGE RUIN

A feature of last night's city council meeting was the presence for the first time of James C. Collins, the new councilman of the First ward, who was recently appointed to that body in place of E. H. Janney, resigned, and who took to the duties of that position like a duck to water, participating in the discussions and giving pleasing promise to the city officials that he will become a quite valuable member of the council when he becomes better acquainted with city affairs.

Besides devoting much time to the new airport and licensing of pool and card room matters, and passage of the new traffic ordinance as related elsewhere in this paper, the council also had time to pass a number of minor ordinances, and take action toward remedying several complaints.

The oil Page theater ruins suit case was brought to the attention of the city officials again when Attorney Frank P. Farrell, on behalf of George A. Hunt and associates, who own the ruins and site, asked that the city council grant a further extension of time for the councilmanic hearing against the owners relative to the council's orders to remove the ruined walls, which was to have been held last night.

Attorney Farrell explained that Mr. Hunt and associates now had a deal on to rebuild the property and make use of it, which looked at present like it would be carried out and therefore a continuance of from 30 to 60 days was asked for. He declared that Mr. Hunt and associates would fight the city council's recent orders to have the building removed, the hearing, and would call in many witnesses, architects, builders, etc., to testify as to the present safety of the structure, etc.

It was also pointed out by Mr. Farrell that if the hearing was continued for the length of time asked and the deal went thru, there would no longer be occasion for the court side people and other citizens to complain of the unsightly and alleged unsafe ruins. But if the owners were forced into a hearing now, the fact that they were at war with the city council might put an end to the pending deal.

The councilmen finally granted a continuance of the hearing until the second meeting in June, which they held would give ample time for the deal to be carried to fruition, but made it plain that the city administration meant business and would condemn the Page theater ruins, if at the end of that time nothing was done about removing the ruins, either by tearing down or being utilized in building a new structure.

Nick Young on behalf of himself and other property owners in the neighborhood of the Phillips auto camp on North Riverside complained over alleged surreptitious extending of the auto camp by Mr. Shaw, the owner, so as to interfere with the peace of the homes of people residing adjacent. It was especially explained by Mr. Young, and his attention was upheld by several of the members of the council building committee, who had visited the scene that an ostensible small cottage on which work had already been started, was but the opening wedge to construct a row of such cottages to be rented by the night as a part of the auto camp.

PARADE TO START AT 7:30 TONIGHT

Visiting members of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah orders, as well as local citizens, are reminded the grand parade this evening will not begin until 7:30, instead of 6:30, as had been previously announced. The parade time was set back for 30 minutes due to the fact that the route of the parade down Main street will be illuminated with electric lights. The line of march will include bands, drill teams, canton and auxiliary members in costume. Prizes will be awarded for the best floats representative of Oddfellowship.

Public Market

Open Tuesdays—Thursdays and Saturdays

We will buy anything in the vegetable or fruit line.

We also carry a full line of vegetables and fruits for retail.

Meat Market

The meat market is now reopened with a full line of all kinds of meats, chickens and fryers.

IMPROVEMENT LAKE O'WOODS ROAD PROMISED

County Court to Hasten Snow Clearance—\$30,000 Will Be Expended During Year in Betterment of Lake Resort Route.

A delegation of Ashland business men called upon the county court this morning at their regular session, and received assurances from that body that instead of abandoning the road to the Lake o' the Woods, as rumored, the county intended to expend about \$30,000 on the route the coming year and carry out an extensive program of improvement. Attorney W. M. Briggs, Jr., acted as spokesman of the party.

The Klamath road entry to the resort is open to travel, and the Ashland entry is still more or less snowbound. The delegation urged that the snow banks be broken to hasten the thawing, so the resort could be reached. Members of the delegation said that the road would clear rapidly if the top coating of ice was crushed, so the warm sun could have free way.

The county court said it would take steps to crush the ice top as soon as possible, which was later reduced on a promissory basis to next week.

Attorney Briggs said that the delegation had called in no spirit of criticism, but to gain information and to thank the county court for what had been done last year on the Lake o' the Woods road.

A large number of Ashland people own summer homes at Lake o' the Woods, and the road is widely used.

County Engineer Rynning reported that the Lake Creek market road in his opinion, would hardly be ready for travel to Lake o' the Woods this year, and that the unit of the road reaching to the lake was forest service work. The county court said that both roads would be kept open for travel.

The county court also announced that the work of adjustments of the right of way for the Medford-Sams Valley highway had been settled, that a fencing and brush clearing crew were at work.

County Engineer Rynning said he hoped to have the road ready for the fall fruit hauling.

A mild sensation was created at the session by Commissioner George Alford alleging that he had

arisen at 4 o'clock this morning and rushed through a day's work before coming to court. Judge Sparrow and Commissioner Victor Bursell, also agriculturists, upheld their colleague from the jibes of skeptics who doubted that Commissioner Alford was up before the roosters.

The county court transacted a large amount of routine business.

ADAM JESSIMAN SUCCUMBS TO AUTO INJURIES

Adam Jessiman, 80 years old, died last night at the Sacred Heart hospital as the result of injuries sustained two weeks ago when struck May 8 by a car driven by P. R. Shelley on Stewart avenue at the end of Peach street, on the outskirts of Medford. The accident was declared today by Coroner W. H. Conger to have been unavoidable, and there will be no inquest.

Jessiman is reported to have taken his mail from the rural box and was crossing Stewart avenue when he became confused by two approaching cars and stepped directly in front of the Shelley machine, which was being driven at a slow rate of speed. He was not thought seriously injured and was believed to be on the road to recovery until he took a turn for the worse several days ago.

He was born in Scotland and came to the United States in 1874. He leaves two sons and three daughters, Mrs. C. Dennis, Pasadena, Calif., Mrs. C. E. Harpe, La. Moni, Iowa, Mrs. H. C. Danielson, Los Angeles; Earl D. Jessiman, Washington, D. C., and Chas. D. Jessiman made his home.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Conger funeral parlors Friday, May 24, at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. Savage of the reorganized church of Latter Day Saints will have charge of the services, and interment will follow in the Jacksonville cemetery.

BONDS WILL BRING PAR

(Continued from Page One.) combined structure under one roof will be \$19,000, a saving of \$9,000 over the original estimated cost of the two separate structures.

Every phase of the new airport question was discussed, together with the reports made by Messrs. Pipes, Scheffel and Hall on the knowledge they had gained on their recent trip.

The Boeing concern volunteered free use of its airport building experts, both from the Seattle and OAKLAND AIRPORTS, and they will come here as soon as the preliminary work has reached the stage where they are needed.

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Bathing suits for men, women and children priced at, suit **\$5.00 and \$6.00**

When you swim, swim in the best. See the New Sunback Suit

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In all colors, sizes two to ten years. Opportunity Day price, suit **\$1.00**

Infants' Soft Soled Shoes

In white, tan, and black, regular price \$1.75. Thursday, pair **\$1.00**

Satin Garter Belts

and girdles, in all sizes, regular price \$1.25. Opportunity Day price, each **\$1.00**

Women's Crepe Gowns

in pink, peach and white with fancy figured crepe trimmings, \$1.00 values Thursday, each **69c**

SUMMER SILK SALE

\$3.45 Values \$1.95

"Stelli's" 40-inch flat crepes in printed and plain colors, 40-inch crepe satin, 40-inch georgettes in plain and printed colors, also 32-inch all-silk broadcloth in stripes, washable and guaranteed fast colors, these silks are sold at regular prices up to \$3.45, Opportunity Day price Thursday, yard **\$1.95**



39-Inch Figured Voile

Fine quality, comes in a good assortment of patterns in both light and dark combinations special, yard **39c**

Domestic Specials Turkish Towels

18x40-inch fine grade Turkish bath towels with plain and fancy borders, up to 39c values, Opportunity Day price, each **19c**

Unbleached Sheetting

81 inches wide, good quality. Opportunity Day price, yd. **35c**

Silk Hosiery

Blue Crane Hosiery Pure silk in all the popular summer shades, has the new pointed or square heels, all sizes special pair **\$1.00**

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