

TENT TROUPES TAXED HIGH BY NEW ORDINANCE

The ordinance providing for a minimum \$50 a day license fee on tent and traveling shows, carnivals and theatrical exhibitions was passed by the city council last night. Councilman Colvin casting the lone opposing vote. The license fee is fixed at \$50 a day for shows seating 500 persons or less; \$75 a day for a seating capacity of 500 to 1,000 persons, and \$100 for shows seating more than 1,000.

Councilman Colvin moved that the daily rate be fixed at \$15, \$20 and \$30 a day, but his motion was lost for want of a second and the ordinance passed as originally drafted.

The tent show now playing in the city will not be affected, it is said, until their present license expires, which will be in about two months. Under the old ordinance they secured three months' license for \$12.

Paving Bids Received!

Warren Bros. Construction company, sole bidders, were awarded four important street paving contracts. All of the bids were below the engineer's estimate. Following is the lump sum on each unit, including excavation, paving, curbing and sidewalks:

Conger avenue, from Main street to California avenue	\$16,258.24
Klamath avenue, from Ninth to Eleventh	7,375.39
Pine street, Eighth to Eleventh	13,720.56

Inclinator Refused
J. E. Swanson, barber shop proprietor, asked permission to erect a rubbish inclinator in the alley in the rear of his shop. Permission was denied, the council feeling that it would establish a bad precedent in the disposal of garbage.

The city attorney was instructed to amend the house moving ordinance, making effective a charge of \$1 as a fee for the granting of permits. Each permit will be written and the mover will then have at hand a tangible evidence of authority if questioned.

Leslie Rogers was given permission to lay a sewer pipe to connect his residence with the main at Melross and Pacific terraces, the expense to be borne by Mr. Rogers with the understanding that later he might be reimbursed for one-half the bill by the city.

Traffic Officer Named

Charles Wyna was appointed city traffic officer by the mayor and the action was ratified by the council.

The new traffic ordinance, a blanket affair regulating traffic, parking, drivers' qualifications and all traffic details was passed to third reading. This ordinance was introduced a month ago.

Permits Allowed

The following permits were granted:

J. H. Carnahan, private garage, corner Eighth and Jefferson; Joe Takak, three-room house, lot 7, block 17, High addition, \$1,500; E. H. Jefferson, shed and garage, lots 17 and 18, block 25, Hot Springs addition, \$500.

Rooming house permits—Mrs. R. Gordon, house on Spring street known as "Seehorn building"; Fred Noel, "Marshall house," Main and Fourth; Tony Malatras, Metropolitan hotel, 1112 Main street.

Moving permits—A. Steffler, house from 726 Pine to block 4, Railroad addition; J. T. Ward, two houses from block 12, original town to block 3, Hot Springs addition.

A permit to move the old Christian church building from its present site to Main street, between Eighth and Ninth, granted last week to E. J. Murray, was rescinded on motion of Councilman Upp. The council held that the permit as issued was in contravention of the fire ordinance.

A permit to I. W. Goddard for moving his restaurant on wheels from its former location on Main street to a location next door to Hector's, store was revoked, on the ground that after the restaurant was moved to the new location, a permanent addition was built onto it, violating the terms of the permit.

PLAN TO SAVE WOOL GROWERS WORKED OUT

WASHINGTON, June 22.—Plans for financing the wool growers until the market for wool is re-established have been worked out at conferences between growers and the federal reserve board, it was announced here today by F. R. Marshall, of Salt Lake, secretary of the National Wool Growers' association.

Klamath county's wool industry, one of the big factors in county production, is as hard hit, or harder, than wool production in other sections, and local growers will earnestly hope the plan of salvation is feasible. In some wool producing states, Texas for instance, feed conditions are more favorable. There is little winter feeding and wool can be produced more cheaply, although it cannot be produced anywhere, growers maintain, at a profit under present conditions.

MANY TRANSFERS IN CITY REALTY

Real estate continues to change hands with great rapidity, and people are still hard pressed for homes to live in. J. T. Ward and company alone have been the medium through which six property sales were made this past week.

One of the larger sales was the 12-room house, owned by Mrs. Ray Telford at 707 Washington street, to R. Vance Hutchins. Another was the Frank Schmitt bungalow in Mills addition to Charles Jacobs. Mr. Jacobs came here recently from Craig, California.

H. J. Winters sold his home on Seventh street to T. L. Bowman, who resides near Merrill. William North has purchased a four-room house from John Thorsen in Mills addition. The K. D. company sold a lot on Spring street to Lilly and C. F. DeChain. Joel T. Ward sold lot 3, block 29, Nichols addition, to George B. Chamberlain.

COUNTY CLUB PICNIC LARGELY ATTENDED

At least 250 persons, members of the county boys' and girls' clubs, their parents and friends, attended the club picnic at the ranch of F. W. Seaton, county club leader, Sunday. A picnic dinner was a big feature of the day.

L. J. Allen of the Oregon Agricultural college, state livestock club leader, and A. E. Lawson of Spokane, representative of the Northwest Shorthorn Breeders' association, were present and both made addresses along the line of their work.

Other speakers were E. E. Hall, president of the county chamber of commerce, who told of the county development plans of the chamber; E. H. Thomas, county agricultural agent; R. B. Wilcox and W. H. Mason.

FIRE DESTROYS BIG LAKES COMPANY LOGS

Two hundred and fifty thousand feet of logs owned by the Big Lakes Box company were destroyed by fire yesterday, at the Round Lake sawmill.

Reports are that the fire caught from slashings that were burning near by.

There was a rumor about town yesterday that the Cristy-McCollum mill and yards at Round Lake were burning, but the rumor was denied by the owners, who said the lumber and camp were at no time in danger.

OREGON STATE TROOPS TO DRILL AT CAMP LEWIS

TACOMA, June 22.—Oregon state troops, comprising infantry, engineers and coast artillery will arrive at Camp Lewis July 6th for fifteen days drill and maneuvers, it was announced at camp today.

TWO MORE MILLS WILL BE BUILT AT SHIPPINGTON

Two more sawmills are to be erected as a result of the sale of the two millsites at Shippington, announcement of which was made in The Herald yesterday. The first will be erected by a company of local capitalists. Articles of incorporation for this company are in course of preparation and will be filed with the secretary of state within a few days. The proposed mill will be a single band, with provision made for the addition of a gang or another band, and will have an initial capacity of about 25,000,000 feet annually. It is expected that construction work will start within six weeks. Arrangements have been made for a supply of timber sufficient to run the mill for several years.

The active management of the proposition will be in the hands of E. W. Doe, who was manager for the C. A. Smith Lumber company of Coos Bay until about a year ago.

The second mill will be erected under the direction of F. Hill Hunter of the Sawmill Engineering & Construction company, who will have associated with him parties who have not heretofore been interested in this territory. The mill will be similar to the plant just completed for the Swana Box company and will have a capacity of 25,000,000 feet annually. Work on this plant will not start until sometime next year.

FLYER DENIES HE'S DEAD ONE

Orvar Sigurd Thorsten Meyerhoff is by way of acquiring a reputation as a humorist. At least he followed the precedent laid down in the immortal "considerably exaggerated" reply of Mark Twain on the premature report of his death.

The Northern California Motors company of Yreka yesterday in some unaccountable manner got a telephatic impression that Meyerhoff had taken a fatal fall while flying here. They wired the White Pelican garage to ascertain if the report were true.

Hasty investigation followed and the aviator was discovered at the Mills addition field in robust health and imperishable spirits.

"I'll answer that telegram," said the flyer when the reason for the sudden interest in his bodily welfare was explained, and he evolved the following message:

"Reports of my death are a lie. Only the good die young. As per advertising, 'Aviators come and aviators go but the big Swede fly on forever.'"

IRISH POLICE HEAD SHOT

DUBLIN, June 22.—An automobile carrying the assistant director generally of the Royal Irish constabulary and four constables were attacked with revolvers and fire bombs today.

Assistant Director General Reynolds was shot in the head but is expected to live. The chauffeur was shot in both legs. No arrests have been made.

NEW HI SCHOOL HEAD CHOSEN

Robert Goetz, former superintendent of schools in North Bend, will succeed J. P. Wells as principal of the Klamath county high school for next year, it was announced today by Miss Twyla Head, county school superintendent. Mr. Wells resigned his position to take up the work of city superintendent of schools here as successor to R. H. Dunbar, who resigned to go into business. Mr. Goetz' appointment was made by the school board yesterday.

Mr. Goetz is a graduate of the University of Oregon, having won his degree of LL. B. in 1909. He attended high school in Bend and also has the degree of B. S. D. from Philomath college.

MAYOR RETURNS ORDINANCE ON WIRE CUTTING

Mayor Struble last night returned to the members of the city council the wire-cutting and house-moving ordinance recently passed, without his signature and with a written summary of his objections to the measure. The city attorney was instructed to draw a new ordinance.

The ordinance as passed provided that the mover of a building or other structure through the streets of Klamath Falls should bear the cost of cutting the wires of the telephone, power or telegraph companies and that the cutting should be done by linemen of the companies whose wires interfered with the moving. It provided against any interference with the lines by the moving contractor and also provided that the contractor should give not more than 48 hours notice to the company when wires needed to be cut.

The ordinance stirred up considerable opposition among the house-moving contractors.

Mayor Struble, among reasons for objecting to the ordinance says that he has found that the majority of cables in Klamath Falls are not 22 feet above the ground, the height provided by state law. He says that many of the telephone and light wires are from 10 to 12 feet above the crossings and that the ordinance does not provide for the raising of the wires and cables when below the required height and concludes by declaring his belief that it would be unjust to house-movers to bear the expense of raising the wires or cables when they are below the specified legal height.

TOWNSEND FLATS CHANGE OWNERS

Nap Hamel, of North Yakima, Washington, has purchased the Townsend Flats from James Watkins, Jr., and is taking immediate possession. Mr. Hamel is the father of Mrs. P. C. Jackson, one of the owners of the Jackson Taxi Service. He has engaged his daughter to assist in the management of the apartment house.

Mr. Watkins is disposing of most of his other interests in order to devote his entire time to the development of the Eagle Ridge mint growing enterprise, in which he is interested with Capt. J. W. Siemens. He purchased the Townsend Flats last August from W. C. Townsend.

Before the sale Mr. Watkins had several experiences with Herald advertising which convinced him of its merit but since two display insertions in the paper took the Townsend Flats off his hands in less than a week after he decided to market the property, he is more than ever certain of its efficiency.

BOURBONS BOUND TO HAVE W. G. M'ADOO

NEW YORK, June 22.—William G. McAdoo today wired Burriss A. Jenkins, Kansas City clergyman and

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publisher, requesting that his name be not suggested for the Democratic presidential nomination.

KANSAS CITY, June 22.—Burriss A. Jenkins, clergyman and publisher of the Kansas City Post, issued a positive statement today that the name of W. G. McAdoo would be placed in nomination before the Democratic convention at San Francisco whether McAdoo consents or not.

DAMAGE SUIT TRIAL STARTS

Taking of testimony in the damage suit of Mrs. Lettie Ethridge against the city of Klamath Falls was started in the circuit court this morning before a jury. Judge D. V. Kuykendall is presiding. The plaintiff is represented by Attorneys Yaden and Mills. City Attorney Carnahan, assisted by W. H. Renner, appears for the defendant.

The plaintiff asks damages in the sum of \$2500 for injuries alleged to have been received in a fall through a hole in the sidewalk in this city about a year ago. She alleges that defendant's negligence in allowing the defect in the sidewalk to exist is responsible for the injury. She asks \$2250 general damages and \$250 for specific damages on account of expenses incurred. Mrs. Ethridge now lives at Dorris, California. She was the first witness called this morning after the jury had been impaneled.

The following are the jurors: Frank H. Jones, J. W. Depay, E. M. Laver, Ed Bair, Charles Ager, William Choyne, J. W. Doland, L. D. Parks, J. R. Ratliff, W. M. Chandler, Louis Brannon and L. H. Kruger.

GRANTS PASS VOTES \$400,000 FOR IRRIGATION

GRANTS PASS, Ore., June 22.—With only three votes cast against it, the proposition of bonding the Grants Pass irrigation district in the sum of \$400,000 was carried at the special election Saturday, the proceeds of the bond issue to be used in the construction of a gravity irrigation project.

The district in 1917 bonded itself for \$290,000 and has installed a pumping project covering the lower lands of the valley, five pumping units having been put into operation during the past week.

The new bond issue will cover the estimates for the construction of a concrete diversion dam at Savage Rapids, five miles above Grants Pass, the 22-foot dam to divert the waters of the Rogue into gravity ditches. The project contemplates the watering of 10,000 acres of lands adjacent to Grants Pass and will bring into production thousands of acres of lands now in brush.

Bids for the building of the dam and the main canals of the gravity project will be called for at once by the directors of the district and it is expected to have it constructed this present season.

QUAKE CAUSES \$100,000 LOSS IN LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, June 22.—Another slight shock was felt here at 12:35 o'clock this afternoon.

LOS ANGELES, June 22.—Earthquake shocks which started at 6:09 o'clock last night and continued intermittently until 5 o'clock this morning caused property damage in Los Angeles county estimated at \$200,000, three-fourths of which is in Inglewood, 10 miles southwest of here. One death was indirectly due to the most severe shock and several persons slightly injured by falling debris. Twenty-one business buildings were wholly or partially destroyed at Inglewood, and nearly every dwelling in the place was damaged to some extent.

LOS ANGELES, June 22.—Los Angeles railway officials announced that a slight earthquake at 10:30 o'clock this morning put its power plant at Huntington 20 miles east of Fresno out of commission for half an hour. Traffic here was tied up for that period.

LOS ANGELES, June 22.—A survey early today of the damage done by an earthquake last night indicated that Inglewood, 10 miles southwest of here, suffered much more severely than at first reported. Many plate glass windows in Los Angeles were shattered by the shock and several buildings otherwise damaged. Several persons were struck by falling bricks shaken from chimneys.

San Pedro, Long Beach, Santa Monica and Venice also reported minor damage.

The earthquake area was confined to Los Angeles county, Inglewood bearing the brunt of its severity. Another slight shock was felt at Inglewood at 5 o'clock this morning but there was no additional damage.

SHRINERS OPEN BIG CONVENTION

PORTLAND, Ore., June 22.—With great throngs of visitors already in the city, the 46th annual session of the imperial council of the Order of the Mystic Shrine opened here today with the Daylight Shrine Parade escorting the Imperial Potentate W. Freeland Kendrick of Philadelphia, and the Imperial Divan and Imperial Representatives, from the headquarters to the public auditorium where the sessions will be held. Past Potentate Hofmann of Al Kador temple (Portland) will preside at the sessions.

The program for the first day will include an auto trip over the Columbia river highway, Willamette river trips, launching of steel ship at the Standifer shipyards, Vancouver, Wash., for which Mrs. Ellis Lewis Garretson, of Tacoma, will be sponsor, tribal dances by Oregon Indians, circulating band concerts all over the city and various temple band concerts at grandstands erected on the principal downtown streets of Portland past which the big parades will move. Among the big parades will be the electric parade Tuesday evening, which will be two miles long and will include more than a score of floats, built at a cost of more than \$30,000. It is predicted this parade will surpass in splendor anything before attempted in pageantry before in this country.

WEATHER REPORT
OREGON—Partly cloudy and Wednesday generally fair, cooler tonight in part.