

# WATERING OF PARK TALKED BY COUNCIL

Frank Bechtel, representative from a district in Mills addition, appeared before the city council Monday night to see if something could be done about the city park in the 400 block on Martin street. Complaints have been made by residents of this district that the city has not been watering the lawn of the park.

However, it was reported by City Engineer E. A. Thomas that the grounds were not being watered because it had not been possible to keep sprinkler heads on the sprinklers. About 1200 of them have been taken in the past 10 years, it was reported. The matter will be referred to the park board.

**Paving Considered**  
The matter of paving the 400 block on Martin street was also brought up at this time. The residents of that block are willing to pay cash for getting the stretch paved, it was said, and the matter was turned over to the city engineer who will make an estimate on the cost and report back.

County Clerk Mae K. Short appeared at the meeting and reported that envelopes are now being addressed and ballots are being made up to send to men in service in this country and overseas for the fall election. She said that if filings for city ballots were completed by the middle of September, city elections could be included on the same ballot with the county and state elections.

**Dance Unsatisfactory**  
Police Chief Earl Heuvel reported to the council that several unsatisfactory conditions had been found at the Wednesday and Saturday night dances at the armory recently. The checking of soft drink bottles, to prevent their being taken onto the dance floor, was discontinued for a short time last Saturday night and this could present a menace to the crowds at the armory, Heuvel said. The complaint was also made that the orchestra sometimes played for a time after one o'clock.

It was suggested that perhaps soft drinks could be served in paper cups instead of bottles and so eliminate the necessity of checking the bottles. It was also asked that a civilian policeman be on duty at the armory to take care of any trouble among civilians as the military police and shore patrol take care of its men.

**Roughing Urged**  
Councilman A. H. Bussman recommended that the state highway commission be asked to rough the stretch of pavement on Oregon avenue from the city limits to Biehn street because of the many accidents that have taken place on that stretch of highway when the road is wet and slippery.

Angus Newton appeared on behalf of the military entertainment committee asking that an application be granted to navy men to open a service club at 919 Klamath, for chief petty officers in the navy. The request will be turned over to the Oregon liquor commission. The service club will be similar to the one just opened by the marines.

**License Considered**  
It was also brought to the attention of the council that the new Driftwood club, which has recently opened, may not have the proper license and Police Chief Heuvel was asked to look into the matter.

It was decided to hold a special session of the council Wednesday night to meet with navy authorities and discuss the proposed lease by the navy of the airport.

## Snell, Farrell Set Return to Salem

SALEM, Aug. 8 (P)—Governor Earl Snell and Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell Jr., will return to Salem Wednesday. The governor has been to St. Louis, Mo., to the conference of republican governors, while Farrell attended the national Elks convention in Chicago.

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## In Charge of Police Work



Four army and navy officials in charge of the military police and shore patrol branches of the local military police force are, left to right, CBM J. W. Irwin, S/Sgt. Edward A. Davis, Bos'n J. H. Kipple and Captain Hugh Erwin, provost marshal.

### 28 PARALYSIS CASES

PORTLAND, Aug. 8 (P)—Portland's health office has recorded 28 cases of infantile paralysis and five deaths so far this year compared with two cases and no deaths in the same

period last year. Thirteen new cases were reported in the past week.

### TWO MORE YEARS

PORTLAND, Aug. 8 (P)—Washington circles believe the

war with Japan will continue two more years. Willis Mahoney, democratic nominee for the U. S. senate seat of the late Charles L. McNary, said yesterday upon his return from the capital.

# INSPECTION OF POTATOES TO BEGIN

Second inspection of certified potatoes in Klamath county will start on August 10, with C. E. Otis, assistant extension specialist in farm crops, examining the fields.

While here, Otis also will inspect fields of small seeds and grain entered for certification.

Four growers have entered 103.6 acres of clover; five have entered 152 acres of alfalfa, and seven have entered 408 1/2 acres of Kanota oats.

Results of the first inspection, conducted from July 6 to 18, were disclosed today.

At that time, the following potato entries were made: 52 growers, 697 acres of Gems; 7 growers, 865 acres of White Rose; 1 grower, 30 acres of Burbanks; 1 grower, 21 acres of Katahdins.

Rejections were as follows: 105 acres Gems; 31 acres of White Rose. Twenty acres of White Rose and 25 acres of Gems were withdrawn.

In commenting on the first inspection, Otis said that better seed stocks are lowering disease counts here. The two diseases

which resulted in rejections were leaf roll and blackleg. Spring weather conditions caused some seed to rot.

Farmers were advised by the county agent's office today to rogue their fields prior to the inspections to start August 10.

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### DEADLINE NEARS

SALEM, Aug. 8 (P)—Tomorrow is the last day for submitting arguments in the voters' pamphlet for the six constitutional amendments, two laws and one referendum that will be on the general election ballot, the state department warned today.

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