

SIX WEEKS' AGREEMENTS. CITY COUNCIL MEETS AS COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Chapman's Proposed Amendment Rescinding the Number of the Council and Giving the President \$1,200 a Year Killed by Unanimous Vote.

The members of the city council in committee of the whole last night killed Dr. Chapman's proposed amendment to the city charter providing that the council should consist of one member from each of the nine wards of the city and one councilman at large.

The members of the council offered various objections to the amendment. Hurd did not believe that the charter relating to the board of public works as it now exists should be changed for another two years.

Another matter which came up for discussion and which was quickly disposed of involved James' proposed amendment that hereafter corporations asking for railroad franchises should be compelled to pay to the city a certain percentage of their gross earnings.

Probably the most serious matter which received consideration from the council, and because of its importance went over until a future session, relates to the river water plant. It will be impossible for him to give any of his time to the duties of chairman of the board of public works, which is the present charter imposes upon him.

In view of these facts it will be necessary to relieve him of the duties of chairman of the board of public works. None of the councilmen seemed willing to assume the responsibility of an amendment bringing about the change. They feel certain that it must come, but as Mr. James said it will be necessary to have the matter carefully considered and an amendment prepared by the corporation counsel.

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DIVORCED FROM NAT YOUNG.

His Youthful Wife Tells the Court Her Troubles.

Eledena E. Young, the youthful bride whom Nat E. Young espoused four years ago under what amounted to compulsion after having accomplished her ruin, was granted a divorce yesterday on the ground that her husband had failed to provide for her support.

Marriage Licenses.

License to wed was issued yesterday for Abraham O. Houghton (44), of Burlington, Wash., and Marie Venemast (25), of Seattle; Soren Cristian Kristofferson (41) and Anna Wainin (33), both of Port Blakey;

Probate Calendar.

The probate calendar for today will be heard by Judge Hadley. That for next week, Friday, December 31, will be heard by Judge Benson.

New Suits Filed.

The following new suits were filed yesterday in the superior court: Alfred Crebbin vs. William D. Simpson et al., promissory note for \$1,000, interest and fees and foreclosure of mortgage.

Court Notes.

Robert C. Polhill, a native of England, was yesterday admitted to citizenship. Sheriff Meyer yesterday took George J. Johnson, charged insane, to the asylum at Steilacoom.

Personal.

J. Reed, of Everett, is at the Stevens. W. A. Parker, a shingle mill operator of Big Lake, is a guest at the Stevens.

BREVITIES.

W. K. Mitchell, who is employed at Yeeler dock, caused the arrest of Charles Sutherland, a dairyman, last evening, on the charge of assault with a knife.

ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE.

Necker is always a suitable article to give a man for a Christmas gift. It is showing now and exclusive lines of Anson's, puff scarfs, four-in-hands, bows, etc.

CAR LOADS OF FANCY PATTERNS.

Gold, stockings for holiday gifts at Evered's, 900 First avenue, given after holidays and glasses fitted at the Palace of Sweets.

ATTEND THE GREAT LIQUIDATION.

There is no better medicine on the market than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have seen it when all others failed, and in every instance it proved effectual.

THE PASSING THROUGH.

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THIS MAN IN MICHIGAN. WILD AND STARTLING TALK ABOUT THINGS IN SEATTLE.

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