# P. L. PRICE FOR TULSA FIRST, THEN HIMSELF

**Good Water Supply Will Wreck His Business But He Says Others Have Right to Consideration.**

## WILL VOTE FOR THE BONDS

**Manufacturer of Pumps Sees His Personal Interests Ruined for Good of the City.**

Although the point came if passed will practically ruin the business of which he is manager and render a large investment almost a total loss this business man and taxpayer is for the bonds. A loss of thousands of dollars annually to himself and the loss of an investment which will occur when Spavinaw water flows into the city reservoirs makes to this man which he sees is fighting for a good supply of water.

P. L. Price, local business man, is a living example of the true Tulsa spirit and unselfish citizenship which has been so instrumental in the building of the magic city of the southwest.

Regardless of the fact that passage of the Spavinaw bond issue will be a body blow to his personal business interests Mr. Price is enthusiastically in favor of the project and will vote "yes" on the "good water or nothing" question.

Mr. Price is manager of the Hydraulic Engineering Hydraulic Engineering company of Tulsa. This company manufactures a pump which lifts water by the compressed air method. It is in use in a number of Tulsa's buildings where well water is in use.

**Will Wreck His Business.**

Mr. Price at his own expense had some wells on his property and obtained a supply of drinking water. He is satisfied with this water and states that the bond issue for the Spavinaw project will not effect his water supply. He realizes that the investment on his wells will virtually be a total loss and that passage of the bond issue and installation of the Spavinaw system will almost wreck his pump business. But he is for the bonds.

"A man does not live solely for his own benefit in this world," said Price. "Although it might be to my interest to vote and work against the bonds my convictions are to the opposite. If I were the only person concerned over the outcome of this election I would vote 'no.' But there are about 60,000 other persons to think about in Tulsa.

"If we are going to build here a great city we must work always for the good of the people of that city. It is the welfare of the people over which each citizen should be concerned. I have lived in Oklahoma and Tulsa for 26 years and I believe I am familiar with the needs of the city since I have watched it grow up. This bond issue is one of the most vital questions that has ever arisen in Tulsa. I have faith in our ability to build Tulsa into a great metropolis. My personal interests amount to nothing in this issue. That is why I am for the bond issue."

**Know About Shell Creek.**

Mr. Price herded cattle in the Shell creek basin in the early days and says that there were many instances when there was not enough water in Shell creek for a small herd and that his cattle had to be driven to the river for water. He has been familiar with the Spavinaw for many years, has seen it at all times of the year, and never saw the stream when it was not running an abundant supply of water.

# If Spavinaw Will Be Dry Can the Dam Make a Lake Reaching Back 7 Miles to the Tulsa Ozark Club?

To the Editor of The World:

In the beginning I was opposed to the bonds but after considering the matter from all angles and reading everything printed on the subject pro and con, I have now decided to vote "yes."

There has been volumes of matter quoted in the newspaper discussion of the question which is incompetent, immaterial, and irrelevant, but I really do think that the anti-bond side has reached the limit in this particular.

For instance we are told in one breath, or on one page, that there will not be a sufficient supply of water at Spavinaw in the summer time, while on another page we are told that the proposed dam will make a lake of water that will reach the Ozark club house several miles away and give members of the club, yachting and fishing privileges in the summer time. Again in the morning paper there appears a cartoon on the first page showing the purchase of a lot deed demanding the possession of a house on which the owner could not pay the taxes, if the bonds pass. On the last page of the same paper appears the following, in black face type:

**Have you paused to reflect that Tulsa is the Wonder City of the southwest, and that Tulsa will continue to be the Wonder City irrespective of bond issues for water.**

Either the cartoon was intended for those who cannot read or the sign was written for those who cannot reason.

Seriously there has been no real argument made against the Spavinaw project that might not be made against any public improvement.

I believe still that we can get the water, yes that we can get it in quantity at Spavinaw.

# Engineering Fees

Some people who do not even know anything about contract work seem to have an idea that Mr. Pressey is to get the sum of $50,000 for his engineering work for the city of Tulsa. They should know that such is not the fact. Any competent engineer is estimating the cost of a project always, if he knows his business and the ordinary custom, figures a certain amount which is called engineering fees. The usual charge for this item is 5 per cent of the cost of the project. In some cases it is figured as high as 10 per cent of the cost.

But this does not mean that any one man is going to get all the engineering fees. When the work on the Spavinaw project is begun the contract may be let to eight or ten parts. One construction company may be the successful bidder on a portion of the conduit and another company may get another portion of the same kind of work. At the same time one construction company may be awarded the construction of the dam. Then there may be eight or 10 contractors at work on the Spavinaw project at the same time.

**Someone Must Direct.**

Of course there must be a superintendent engineer in charge. This will not be Mr. Pressey for he is not a construction engineer and would not take the job if he could get it. He is a consulting engineer. His work for Tulsa has been completed.

When the engineer who has charge of the actual construction is employed and is notified that work is to begin, he will have to be ready with a force of men. No doubt he will be required to employ the services of at least three engineers to superintend the work. He will have to have on the job linemen, transmitmen, rodmen, inspectors, timekeepers, bosses, water boys, and so on. He will have to employ men who know their business, men who know the difference between a fall of 1-4 of one inch to the running foot and a level; men who know the difference between a one, two, three mix and a one, four, six mix, men who know that you do not use lead in the joints of a concrete reinforced pipe.

The engineering fees estimated will go to pay such men for their work and what they know. Tulsa wouldn't want them to work for nothing. Then why not figure an item in the cost of the Spavinaw project to pay such men? Mr. Pressey has done so. He has figured the customary amount. If he had not done so other engineers and contractors would have made a joke out of it. But Mr. Pressey's estimates are not jokes. They are serious facts.

# STRAY BULLET KILLS A NON-COMBATANT

**Two Held in the County Jail for Death of Man Who Was On-Looker at Pistol Duel.**

Guss Tidwell and Joel Davis, negroes, are being held in the county jail awaiting charges of murder as the result of the killing of Henry Williams, also colored, a non-combatant who was hit by a stray bullet when Davis and Tidwell engaged in a revolver duel Thursday on north Lansing avenue.

Williams had driven Tidwell to the latter's home at 426 north Lansing, and according to the story given out at the sheriff's office, Tidwell and Davis had quarreled earlier in the day. When Tidwell saw Davis through the window of his home he is alleged to have began firing. Davis returned the shots and a stray bullet is said to have struck Williams, killing him instantly.

# YANK EQUIPMENT SELLS FOR HIGH PRICE IN ITALY

ROME, July 4.—The American army reaped a harvest in Italy when it disposed of its surplus equipment. Automobiles which sell for but $900 when new in America brought $2,000. Typewriters which sold for $100 in the United States were bought for $200. All the material was second-hand, the automobiles having been used on the Italian front. The importation restrictions and the scarcity of material is the cause attributed for the high prices.

**Increase Salaries.**

DENVER, Colo., July 4.—After voting to increase salaries of officials more than $50,000 yearly the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, in convention here today reconsidered the step and finally decided to cut the increase approximately 10 per cent.

# SAPULPA STILL WALKS WHILE STRIKE HANGS

**O. C. R. Officials Say All Trouble Is Past but Only Part of Cars Are Operated.**

No definite date has been announced for the re-establishment of street car service in Sapulpa, and no changes have occurred in the controversy between the striking operators and the O. C. R. company. Interurban service is not being maintained in Keifer, cars are now going only as far as Sapulpa.

The work of repairing the Sapulpa power plant is going ahead, and as soon as it is finished complete service will be resumed, officials say.

The situation between the striking operators and the officials of the company has reached a deadlock. According to the officials of the company the strike is over as far as the company is concerned.

A damage suit for $100,000 has been filed against the union by the company and six warrants have been issued for the arrest of a half dozen Sapulpa men, as the result of the recent riot in Sapulpa, in which a mob attacked a O. C. R. car and shamed three of the company's employes.

# MRS. R. M. ERWIN DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

After an illness which extended over many months Mrs. R. M. Erwin, 1522 Admiral, died at 8 o'clock yesterday evening at a local hospital. Mrs. Erwin had lived in Tulsa for more than 15 years and had many friends. A husband, three sons and two daughters survive.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the Emmanuel Baptist church and will be conducted by the Rev. C. E. Siler. Arrangements for burial had not been made last night.

**Not Manager of Oil Flyer.**

A story in the morning World (Friday issue) that William Hagerhammer, who was bound over to the grand jury on a charge of being connected with the theft of 70,000 cigarettes from a Frisco train, was manager of the Oil Flyer cafe, M. Burnod and L. M. Strait, owners of the cafe, stated that he has no connection with the restaurant.

# *Antis Apparently Don't Bank Much on Their Tax Figures*

The opponents of the bond issue are not talking in figures any more about the tax rate. The World statistician is still willing to wager $100 with any anti who believes that the rate of 48.4 mills for next year as given "conservatively" in the anti hand book, is correct.

The proposition still stands that the rate will be closer to the World rate of 36.5 mills than to 48.4 mills. In order for the World statistician to win the rate will have to be lower than that of last year which was 43.4 mills.

A bet, of course, isn't an argument, but it sometimes indicates how much confidence one has in his opinion.

# *Whipped in News Field the Democrat Employs Trickery to Deceive Fight Followers*

The World scored a decisive victory with two distinctive news beats Friday afternoon, giving in two sporting extras the complete news of the day up to the hour of going to press. The first extra, which preceded the street seven minutes before the opposition, carried the full account of the Willard-Dempsey fight by rounds and the full report of the first game of the doubleheader at Oklahoma City.

The opposition carried neither of the accounts of the Tulsa fight except the first round and the flash of Dempsey's victory and had nothing complete on the baseball game.

The World's second extra, which was upon the street ahead of the opposition, carried a full account of the Willard-Dempsey fight and the fight-by-round account of the Greb-Brennan match. Box scores of the second game at Oklahoma City were also given in detail. The opposition had nothing on the fight, having match except the results and only one inning of the second baseball game.

A newsboy representing the Tulsa Democrat sold to fight fans gathered in front of the World building copies of the afternoon edition of the Democrat, which he palmed off as fight extras, but which carried not a line of fight news.

The newsboy drove a small wagon-load of the papers to a point near the World building. Gathering an armload he entered the World building very quietly and mounted the front stairway half the distance. Turning around he hurried down the steps and rushed from the building shouting "Extra."

The fight fans stampeded believing they were obtaining copies of The World extra, and in a short time the tricky newsboy was sold out. He made a trip to his wagon for more papers but when he returned found the copies he had sold scattered about the ground and the spokesman of an angry crowd ordered him away. This happened shortly after the end of the Willard-Dempsey fight had been announced from The World office.

Following is a list of the items in which The World, as usual, surpassed its competitors in delivering the news to the public Friday afternoon.

The World extras beat the Democrat extras on the street by seven minutes each.

The World carried complete returns of the Willard-Dempsey fight to the point where it ended when Willard quit in the third round, whereas the Democrat carried only the fight returns of the first round.

The World carried at least four columns of fight news in comparison to the two columns for the Democrat.

In addition to the returns of morning games from the National and American leagues The World carried returns from three afternoon National games which the Democrat missed.

The World extra carried complete play-by-play returns of the first Tulsa-Oklahoma City game up to the seventh inning and a box score of the same game up to and including the first half of the seventh. The Democrat extra carried no report of the Tulsa-Oklahoma City game.

Once more the public has learned that The World can be depended upon to be first in the field with the complete news. Compare the extra editions of the two publications of Friday afternoon and establish for yourself the proof as to who makes real service.

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| Picnic Hams per pound | 27½c |
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# *To Banish Wrinkles and Freshen Up Quickly*

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Just get an ounce of powdered saxolite and a half pint witch hazel at the nearest drug store, mix the two and bathe the face in the solution for two or three minutes. Then look into your mirror and behold the wonderful transformation. Wrinkles have vanished, loose, tired muscles have been rested and "firmed up," marks of fatigue have flown, and you look so much brighter and younger you can hardly believe your eyes. No one need hesitate to try this, the witch hazel and saxolite being so perfectly harmless.—Adv.

# JAILED FOR CHEATING UNCLE SAM OF 4 CENTS

TEXARKANA, July 4.—Held under bond of $500 to await the action of the federal grand jury, a resident of Naples, Texas, stands accused of defrauding the United States out of 4 cents on the purchase of a railroad ticket.

The complaint alleges that the defendant desired to travel from Naples to Stover, Texas, but instead of purchasing one ticket for the entire distance, bought one for 25 cents in a point between the two towns, got off and bought another ticket from that station to his destination for 15 cents, thereby escaping the payment of the war tax of 8 per cent charged on all railroad tickets costing more than 25 cents.

It is asserted here the practice was common among persons traveling between nearby railroad points.

# RUMANIAN PEOPLE ARE NEVER KNOWN TO BEG

BUCHAREST, July 4.—Red Cross field workers have noticed that one of the most striking traits in the Rumanian people is their sense of pride. With all the misery and poverty of the past, they never beg. They are always content with what the Americans give them.

At the distribution centers there is never complaint, protest or clamor. The Rumanians are always grateful for what they get, however little it may be. Probably no people on earth endure hunger and suffering with more resignation and patience.

**Wait on Austrian Treaty.**

PARIS, July 4.—(Bureau.)—Presentation of the completed peace treaty to the Austrian delegates will suffer a few days delay at the hands of the Peace Conference, it has been learned here. The reason for the delay concerning Fiume remains to be discussed in the treaty.

# FOOLING WITH HEALTH SERIOUS

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# ANOTHER TULSAN HOME WITH CROIX DE GUERRE

Carl W. Willis, who has just returned from overseas, where he served through the entire war with the second division, came home wearing the croix de guerre for bravery in action during the Champagne offensive in October, and a campaign bar bearing seven bronz stars denoting that he had fought in seven major battles of the war.

During his service with the Ninth United States regulars, who fought side by side with the marines through the entire war, Willis was wounded only once in the seven battles and then but slightly. The local hero is now visiting his aged mother, Mrs. Mary Willis, 1117 A West Second street.


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