

# OFFICIAL VOTE CITY ELECTION AS CANVASSED

The board of canvassers, consisting of the Auditor and Police Judge Olof Anderson, P. J. Goodman, Justice of the Peace, and J. C. Clinton, county clerk, met at the office of the city auditor yesterday and canvassed the vote of the election held on Wednesday. Several changes were made in the vote on the amendments, owing to No. 5 precinct not being official, the judges failing to make a tally of the vote outside of the official tally sheets included in the ballot boxes.

The two amendments over which there was the most opposition was the one providing for electing the water commission, providing for nine members and placing the commission in the hands of the common council. This amendment was carried by 21 majority. Had five hundred of the leading property owners taken an interest in the election, sufficient to go to the polls and vote, the amendment would not have carried.

The second amendment was giving the mayor power to remove or suspend any officer in any department of the city. It was generally conceded

that this was placing too much power in the hands of the mayor, and the voters who are now kicking, are the ones that didn't have time to go to the polls and vote. The amendment carried by 79 majority.

Another amendment over which there was considerable opposition—in the minds of the stay-at-homes—was the one providing for municipal ownership of saloons. This was carried by 161 majority. Every amendment was carried by a substantial majority—not by the business men and property owners, as they did not vote—but by those who have no financial interest in the city government and who, in recent years, have dictated nominations and elected tickets, owing to the apathy on the part of representative citizens, who take no part in elections, but put in their time kicking after the election is over.

The following shows the official vote as canvassed yesterday. Mayor Wise will issue a proclamation declaring all the amendments carried as a part of the organic laws of the city:

CANDIDATES.	Prec. 1.	Prec. 2.	Prec. 3.	Prec. 4.	Prec. 5.	Prec. 6.	Total.
Herman Wise, for Mayor.....	107	110	127	112	26	115	597
C. H. Abercrombie, for City Attorney.....	85	8	123	122	26	111	590
J. H. Hansen, Councilman, 1st ward.....	92	109	19	...	...	...	279
L. Lebeck, Councilman, 1st ward.....	100	85	59	...	...	...	244
T. R. Davis, Councilman, 1st ward.....	37	77	99	...	...	...	198
L. O. Belland, Councilman, 3rd ward.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	110
Axel Jacobson, Councilman, 3rd ward.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	40

An amendment to Section 143, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, making the Water Commission elective and fixing the term of office at eight years, increasing the number of Commissioners to nine members and providing the method of filling vacancies in the Board.  
Yes, 307; No, 276.

An amendment to Section 40, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, defining the duties of the Mayor, and providing that he shall see that the laws and ordinances are enforced, and giving the Mayor the power to suspend from service any officer or employee of the Police Force, Fire Department, Street Department and Surveyor's Department, who shall refuse to enforce the laws and ordinances of the City.  
Yes, 340; No, 261.

An amendment to the Charter of the City of Astoria, fixing eight hours as a standard for a days work, and \$2.50 as the minimum wages of employees of the City, and that citizens or those who have declared their intention to become such shall be employed by the City, and providing that contractors shall be required to give bond conditional for the payment of all persons performing labor or furnishing material in executing the contract.  
Yes, 416; No, 157.

An amendment to Section 108, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, providing the method of assessing damages and benefits in laying out, widening and opening streets and alleys, and providing the method of collecting assessments levied for that purpose.  
Yes, 394; No, 132.

An amendment to Sections 4, 5, 6, 8, 11, 12, 137, and 118, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, creating four wards and defining the boundaries thereof, and providing for two Councilmen from each ward and one Councilman at Large, fixing the time of election bi-annually on the second Wednesday in December, in the even years, and providing that the term of Councilman shall be four years, and all officials of the City of Astoria, in office when this Act takes effect, shall hold until the first Monday in January, 1909, and extending the term of office of each Police Commissioner one year, and providing that commencing with the election of 1908, one Police Commissioner shall be elected every two years, and a person appointed to fill a vacancy shall hold the remainder of the unexpired term.  
Yes, 367; No, 216.

An amendment to Section 122, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, fixing the limit of indebtedness at \$250,000.00 and defining the assets and liabilities to be taken into consideration in fixing such limit.  
Yes, 363; No, 182.

An amendment to Section 129, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, exempting the City from liability from damages for accidents or injuries upon any street, unless the claim is filed with the Auditor and Police Judge within thirty days from the time of the accident, exempting Councilmen from liability for words uttered in debate and fixing their salary at \$100.00, per year.  
Yes, 376; No, 176.

An amendment to Section 75 of the Charter of the City of Astoria, providing for the manner of making assessments to defray costs and expenses of improving streets, and providing that assessments may be levied without regard to the assessed valuation of the property.  
Yes, 385; No, 196.

An amendment to Section 91, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, providing for establishing and re-establishing the grades of the streets of the City of Astoria, and that no grade shall be changed on an improved street or portion thereof, except upon a written petition of the owners of at least three-fifths of the property abutting upon said street or that part thereof upon which the change of grade is proposed.  
Yes, 403; No, 133.

An amendment to Section 47, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, defining the powers and duties of the President of the Council.  
Yes, 376; No, 176.

An amendment to Section 38, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, defining the powers of the Council and providing for licensing, taxing, regulating, restraining, restricting and prohibiting barrooms and drinking shops and places where liquors are sold; prohibiting gambling and providing for levying taxes, providing for contracting indebtedness and prohibiting any officer from being interested in any contract, and restricting the granting of franchises for street rail-ways for a longer period than thirty years, and regulating the manner of issuing franchises.  
Yes, 388; No, 207.

An amendment to Section 2, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, giving the City power to build, purchase, lease and operate Street car lines, Telephone, Telegraph and Lighting Plants, and to control, lease, sell or dispose of the same for the benefit of the City.  
Yes, 423; No, 149.

An amendment to Section 15, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, defining the qualifications of electors, fixing six months residence as a qualification to the right to vote and providing for registration of electors.  
Yes, 458; No, 114.

An amendment to Sections 27 and 28 of the Charter of the City of Astoria, relating to vacancies in office, and providing for filling vacancies by appointment by a majority of the remaining members of the Common Council, to continue for the remainder of the unexpired term.  
Yes, 416; No, 143.

An amendment to Section 51, of the Charter of the City of Astoria, defining the duties of Superintendent of Streets and making it his duty to inspect the construction of street improvements and sewers, and, with the City City Surveyor, and Committee on Streets and Public Ways, certify in writing of the completion of the same, and to perform other work.  
Yes, 459; No, 113.

## THE IVORY MARKET.

Tusks by the Acre Exhibited at the Big London Docks.

One of the sights of London is the great ivory floor at the London docks, where previous to and during the periodical sales ivory may be seen literally by the acre, for the tusks are laid out in lots on the floor of one of the great warehouses for inspection by intending purchasers. For weeks previous to the actual sale the special staff of the ivory department has been busy preparing the various consignments and arranging them according to the sizes and quality and classing them into the various grades, each of which has some particular use for which it is especially adapted.

There is practically no waste in the manufacturing of articles from ivory. The smallest chip is not thrown away, but carefully preserved to be utilized for some purpose. Even the shavings from the turning down of a billiard ball have a market value for use in billiard work. Consequently the lots in an ivory sale by no means consist of tusks and sections of tusks alone, but include the residue from many previous sales. Buyers purchase the particular class that they require for their own individual industry and subsequently return what in most other materials would be waste to be resold to manufacturers of a different class of goods.

Though there is "no waste," oddly enough the most important consideration, from a buyer's point of view, is "how much waste" will a certain lot produce in the course of transforming it into his own particular line. Thus a lot that would be dear to one would be a gift to another, and vice versa. The most valuable class of ivory is that suitable for making billiard balls. To conform to the requirements the tusk must be perfectly sound and solid, without the slightest suspicion of a crack or flaw, and, moreover, they must measure only a trifle more than the regulation size billiard ball or they will cut to waste, from the manufacturers' point of view. On the arrival of a consignment of unworked elephant ivory from abroad the first preparation for the sale floor consists of a thorough cleaning of the interior or hollow part of the tusk. This is done by means of wads attached to long sticks. The exact length of the hollow is thereby revealed, and in addition cracks and flaws that cannot be observed on the exterior are at times disclosed. Soundness is the one thing that sways every class of buyer; flaws mean waste; waste means resale at a lower figure per pound.

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## An Avaricious Woman.

A woman who carried love of money to an incredible extreme was Lady Margaret Jardine, sister of the first Duke of Queensbury. Although her husband was a rich man, Lady Margaret would actually carry foot passengers across the little river Annan for a halfpenny, and whenever there was a fair or market day she would sit on the banks of the stream all day long waiting for customers. She usually wore rags to save her clothes, but on the rare occasions when she visited anywhere she packed up a few decent garments which she slipped on before entering the house, exchanging them for her dirty ones when leaving.—London Queen.

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## DID NOT CHOOSE A PRINCE.

Fraulein Krupp Reversed the Case of King Cophetua.

The story of King Cophetua and the beggar maid is reversed in the case of Fraulein Bertha Krupp and the man she has chosen as her partner for life. Fraulein Krupp is a queen in all but title, and the man who has won her love is comparatively poor. He is not by any means a beggar, and he belongs to a family which is very proud of its ancient lineage. Nevertheless whatever he possesses is a beggarly sum in comparison with the fortune of over a hundred million dollars left to Fraulein Krupp by her father, the famous gunmaker of Essen. The man this rich young woman picked for a



BERTHA KRUPP AND HER FIANCE. husband, Gustavus von Bohlen-Halbach, is secretary of the German legation at the Vatican.

According to all accounts, he is a fine young man and will make a good husband for the fair owner of the big gun works, but those whose idea of marriage is that it should be "an advantageous match" say that when she could have married a prince it is a pity she should have taken up with a poor young secretary in the diplomatic service. As the daughter of a house which has often refused rank she is following family tradition in forming a matrimonial alliance without regard to such considerations. She is twenty-one years of age, has for several years been the real as well as nominal head of the great industry founded by her grandfather and is considered a young woman of remarkable ability as well as kindness and generosity. She spends a great part of her time in looking after the advancement of her 10,000 employees, who often call her "Our Lady of the Cannon." Her fiancé was born in Holland, where his father was at the time minister from Baden, was educated at Heidelberg and a few years ago was in America as secretary of the German legation at Washington. He was sent to China in 1900 as secretary of the international conference to arrange peace after the Boxer troubles.

## DO NOT DOSE THE STOMACH.

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