

Start On the Wapato Waterway Very Soon

The creating of the Wapato waterway will be started within 60 days, the city will raise \$100,000 to boost and land new industries here, and a general forward movement will be inaugurated in Tacoma, according to the statements and the temper of 200 men who dined at the Commercial club last night in honor of T. H. Martin, the new industrial secretary of the club.

James M. Ashton announced that digging will start on the Wapato waterway in two months. The plan to raise \$100,000 was approved by the club and an effort will be made to raise it. Mr. Martin assumed the new duties assigned him with a comprehensive statement of what is necessary.

In the raising of the big fund the city will be divided into districts and each man of wealth in the district will be listed with an assessment made against the individual or firm. The district men then will canvass for subscriptions on the assessments.

CARS BLOWN OVER BY WIND, CAUSE WRECK

(By United Press Leased Wire.) MacGREGOR, Man., May 25.—The terrific wind storm which raged here yesterday blew two freight cars over so that they fell on the main line, a G. T. P. passenger train, running into the obstruction being wrecked. The engine and several cars were derailed, the latter being destroyed by fire. The train crew jumped to safety and all the passengers escaped injury.

BATHTUB TRUST IS GETTING IT

(By United Press Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—Richmond is the scene today of another legal skirmish in the government's war on the "bathtub trust." The hearing will be held in the United States circuit court of appeals, sitting in the Virginia capital.

The object of the prosecution is to force the manufacturers of bathtubs to obey the Sherman act.

TWO GIRLS DROWNED

(By United Press Leased Wire.) TORONTO, Ont., May 25.—Two young women were drowned yesterday when a sailing dinghy upset opposite the exhibition grounds about a mile and a half from shore. But for the timely arrival of the steamer Turbina, the lives of their two male companions would also have been lost. The victims were Miss Olive Blain, 25 and Miss Hazel Hicks, 18, both music teachers. The two men saved were Harold E. Clarke of Kingston, Jamaica, 22, and C. J. Wolf, of Olds, Alberta, 35. Both are students at Trinity college.

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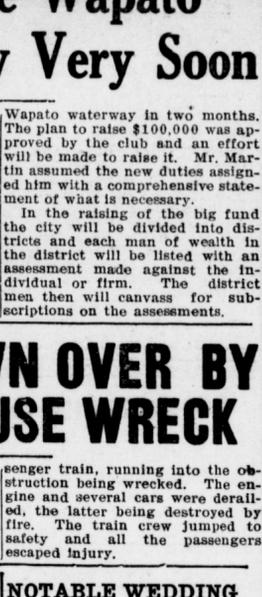
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Monument to the "Martyrs" of Aviation



The terrible accident of the start of the Paris-to-Madrid airship race, in which War Minister Berteaux was killed, brought home vividly to France this week the fearful life cost of aviation. It also made particularly appropriate the monument now on exhibition in the Salon des Artistes Francais, by the sculptor Roger Bloche. This work, executed at the order of the French government, commemorates the victims of the war for the conquest of the air, and has a pathos almost gruesome.

NOTABLE WEDDING IN ARMY CIRCLES

(By United Press Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—Miss Dorothy Langfitt, daughter of Col. William C. Langfitt, U. S. A., became the bride of Lieut. Francis Bowditch Wilby of the engineer corps, at a notable army wedding in Georgetown this afternoon.

Miss Margaret Wilby, sister of the bridegroom; Miss Claire Wilcox of Portland, Or.; Miss Eugenie Havard and Miss Margaret Brook were the bridesmaids. Lieutenant D. L. Sultan was the best man, and the ushers were all army officers.

HE QUIT CIGARETTES; THEN IT HAPPENED

CHICAGO, May 25.—Leslie Kearney, aged 19, from Los Angeles, figured it out that cigarette smoking was bad. "It leads to crime," he said to himself, "and I'll quit." Listen to what happened.

"I tried to quit cigarettes," says Kearney, "and I went into a State street store and stole a pipe. Officer Flaherty pinched me and they sent me to the works."

Kearney got free one rainy day last week and he stole an umbrella in a State street store. Officer Flaherty again ran him in. Now Kearney declares Flaherty is his nemesis.

THE TACOMA MARKET

The first strawberries to be placed on the market from the Puget Sound section arrived yesterday from Hales Passage. The berries were by far the best that have been seen in the market so far this season and sold for \$9.25 a crate. From now on it is expected the local growers will begin sending in more of the berries although they are a little late.

RETAIL PRICES.

Meats
Round steak, 15c; sirloin, 15c; porterhouse, 20c; pot roast, 15c; mutton steak, 15c; chops, 15c; pork steak, 17c; chops, 20c; ham, sliced, 15c; liver, 8c; veal chops, 20c; hens, 25c; pork sausage, 12c; lamb shoulders, 10c; picnic ham, 12c.

Vegetables
Peas, 15c; or 2 lbs. for 25c; asparagus, 50c; radishes, 20c per doz.; cucumbers, 10c@15c each; potatoes, home grown, \$2.50; skatima, 12 1/2c; tomatoes, 10c@15c per lb.; cabbage, 5c lb.; lettuce, 2 for 5c; all bunch stuff, 2 for 5c; cauliflower, 5c@10c head; rhubarb, 3 lbs. for 10c; artichokes, 2 for 15c.

Fruits
Apples, \$1@2.25 box; oranges, 15c@20c doz.; grape fruit, 2 for 15c, 4 for 25c; strawberries, 15c box; lemons, 50c per doz.

Dairy Products
Eggs, 25c doz.; cream cheese, 17c; cottage, 15c; Swiss imported, 35c; domestic, 25c; butter, 25c@35c; dairy, 25c.

Fish
Halibut cheeks, 3 lbs. 25c; halibut, 3c lb.; salmon, 15c; smelts, 4 lbs. 25c; black cod, 10c; salmon trout, 15c; rock cod, 15c; clams, 3c per lb.; eastern oysters, \$1.00 qt.; \$1.50@2 a dozen.

Wholesale Prices
Turkeys, 25@28c; ducks, 15c; hens, 15c; 17c; springs, 25c; squabs, 15c; \$2.50@3 doz.; dressed, \$3@3.50.

Vegetables
Artichokes, \$1 doz.; beans, wax, 8c lb.; green, 5c lb.; bell peppers, 20c; chili peppers, 15c; tomatoes, \$1.25@1.50 crate; cucumbers, bothouse, \$1.50 doz.; carrots, 20c doz; bunches, \$1 sack; beets, 5c doz.; \$1.75 sack; radishes, 50c doz.; rutabagas, \$1.25 sack; parsley, 25c doz.; lettuce, \$1.50 per crate; spinach, 5c lb.; sprouts, 8c; green onions, 30c doz.

Butter and Eggs
BUTTER—Washington ranch, can-stated, 25c.

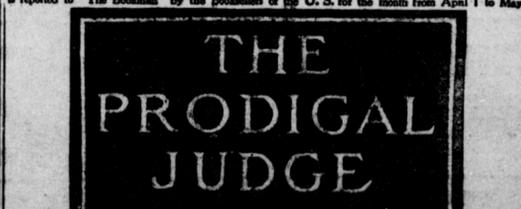
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FRUIT—Gooseberries, 6c; strawberries, 17c crate.

VEGETABLES—Hot house lettuce, \$1.50@1.60; cucumbers, 50c@55c.

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McHugh Gets Job Of Pipe Laying

After two weeks of strenuous logrolling by contractors for the \$400,000 job of laying the pipe line for the gravity water system from the reservoir to Tacoma, F. H. McHugh got the job this morning.

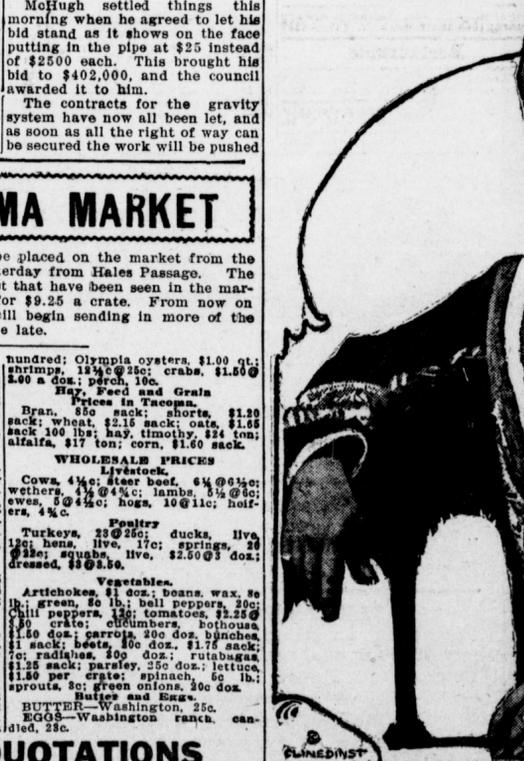
McHugh was low bidder, with a bid of \$417,000. But one item in his bid was a mistake. He intended to bid \$2,500 for certain pipe and got it \$25 each instead. This made several thousand dollars difference. He stuck by his original intention, but the council hesitated.

Then W. B. Slick of Seattle, who was second low bidder, and Galucci & DeRose, who were third, got in the game, and it has been lively.

McHugh settled things this morning when he agreed to let his bid stand as it shows on the face putting in the pipe at \$25 instead of \$2500 each. This brought his bid to \$402,000, and the council awarded it to him.

The contracts for the gravity system have now all been let, and as soon as all the right of way can be secured the work will be pushed ahead.

DE LA BARRA WILL BE PRESIDENT AD INTERIM



MEXICO CITY, May 25.—Minister De La Barra issued an official statement here today declaring that the resignation of President Diaz and Vice President Corral will be sent to the chamber of deputies this afternoon and that the provisional government will immediately thereafter assume definite form.

De la Barra declares that he himself will take the office of president ad interim. The president and his cabinet are expected to arrive here tomorrow night or Sunday.

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IS BILLY HITT TO MARRY KATHERINE?

(By United Press Leased Wire.) NEW YORK, May 26.—Miss Katherine Elkins and her mother today are in New York in company with the well known society man, "Billy" Hitt, who has been in almost constant attendance upon her since her father's death. They are en route to London to attend the coronation. Hitt denied that he had married Miss Elkins, and also refused to discuss the Abruzzi affair.

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(By United Press Leased Wire.) WINNIPEG, May 25.—Eber Jones, son, and Miss Maggie McLeod, sister-in-law of the Rev. J. Phillips Jones, pastor of St. John's Presbyterian church here, were drowned yesterday north of Klondal Park, while boating. Eber was writing for his matriculation examination. Both were well known.

George E. Hunt and his sister Jessie were drowned at Elm Park last evening. Miss Maud Steele and J. Hunt were also in the canoe but escaped. The party had been out at the regatta and were swamped in the waves caused by a sudden windstorm. The bodies have not been found.

AUTO HITS A STREET CAR

(By United Press Leased Wire.) SPOKANE, May 25.—Attorney E. M. Gallant, L. B. Nisley, and Robert Bowers were all seriously hurt last night when an automobile in which they were riding at 35 miles an hour crashed into a street car.

LIGHT SYSTEM TO BE EXTENDED

City electric light service will be extended to Titlow beach on the Narrows out Sixth avenue. The council ordered the work done this morning. Titlow is now putting in a sewer system, and will soon start on a water system and on paying all the streets through his tract and he will spend \$125,000 there this summer.

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