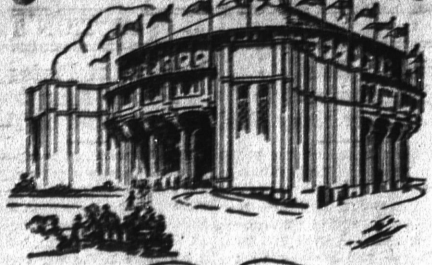


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Hermosa Council Opposes Joining of Three Cities

HERMOSA BEACH.—The city council of Hermosa Beach has passed the following resolution: "Referring to the proposed consolidation of Redondo Beach, Hermosa Beach, Miramonte Beach and Torrance, as recently notified, we the undersigned members of City Council of the City of Hermosa Beach, wish to say that, after due consideration we are of the opinion that because of conflicting interests and geographical location, and for other reasons it is better that each city remain under its present government and separate existence.

"We know of nothing that Hermosa Beach could do for the other cities in case of consolidation, nor can we see any advantage or benefit to be received by Hermosa Beach.

"We desire at this time to express and make public our friendly feeling toward the people of the various cities, and their city governments, and wish them a full measure of success and prosperity.

"We also wish to say that we stand ready to co-operate with our neighboring cities in all matters to their mutual advantage. This we have been doing in the past, and will be very glad to continue the same policy in the future.

"Yours very truly,
"E. K. HOLSTON,
"J. A. McMILLAN,
"W. E. J. KELTZER,
"JOHN W. CLARK."

Santa Fe Lands Big Factory for Inglewood Area

INGLEWOOD.—The Pickwick Stage Nine Coach company has purchased a tract of five acres adjoining the Moreland Aircraft company's plant south of Mines field and in the near future will begin construction of a \$400,000 first class factory, it was announced at the chamber of commerce.

The land was purchased from the Santa Fe railroad company after conferences between A. Watson, traffic manager for the stage company, and W. E. McMillan, assistant industrial agent of the railroad.

The first unit which will be a one-floor American plant style, will cover a space 500 by 150 feet. Stage coaches of the Pullman type exhibited during the air races and aeronautical exposition at Mines field will be manufactured.

Owing to the high class of workmanship that will be required on the fine coaches, it is expected that the new industry will bring many expert mechanics and other artisans to Inglewood for residence. A considerable amount of common labor also will be employed, it is believed.

Move to Unseat Chief of Police

Trustee Shea Tries to Oust Redondo Officer, But Fails

REDONDO BEACH.—Mayor of "unseating" motion" again passed the council chamber last Monday night when the city trustees met to discuss the business of the city.

During the week many reasons of what was going to happen had been heard and it was learned that the city street superintendent and the chief of police were to "get along."

Consequently, the regular crowd of excitement speakers were on hand and nearly caused the S.E.O. sign to be placed on the council chamber door.

People on the street have been aware for some time that things were not running smoothly and some one started the report that it was going to break Monday night.

It did when near the close of the meeting Trustee Shea arose to his feet and after questioning the chief of police as to the conduct of his office, particularly as to the way he was working the motorcycle officers, he made a passionate plea for the dismissal of the chief, stating he felt it was wrong that the chief should give it to the officers who had had some years of experience the day shift and putting on the night shift an officer who had had but one year's experience, thereby endangering his life.

The speaker did not "take" with Trustee McNally and he arose to his feet and defended the chief in his position, stating that if the chief were given a chance and was not hampered in his conduct of the office everything would be all right. He therefore said he had every confidence in the chief and could not see any reason for discharging him without some good reason.

A lady in the audience arose at this point and stated the chief was that he would not take a bribe.

Trustee Hoyt seconded Trustee Shea's motion and when the vote was taken it was lost with Trustee McNally, Huff and Hopkins voting the negative.

Trustee Shea immediately came to his feet and stated he "would take his and come up smiling." He then made another speech, explaining that he had not asked for the position of police commissioner, but that it was given to him, and that he was in favor of the office being abolished, making a motion to that effect. It was seconded and carried with all members voting yes.

A suggestion was then made that all commissioner offices appointed by the mayor be abolished and when this was put to a vote it carried. In the future all grievances will be taken to the trustees' committee of the whole to be thrashed out. This committee will meet once a month for this purpose.

The expected motion to dismiss the street superintendent was not made, but instead Trustee Hoyt made a motion to raise his salary and this was seconded by Trustee Shea and was carried with Trustee McNally voting against the motion, not because he did not think the rate was justified, but because he felt the city did not have the money at this time to grant the raise.

These were the highlights of the meeting and then followed the routine business as transacted by the August body.

School Head Is Put Under Fire

Hawthorne Meeting Debates Ousting of Principal; Salary Hit as High

HAWTHORNE.—Approximately 150 people attended the special meeting of the board of trustees of the Hawthorne school district on Tuesday evening at the auditorium of the Bellona avenue school for the purpose of hearing statements and charges of those who are objecting to the removal of the contract of Superintendent of Schools O. F. Munson for a period of four years. The petition which the trustees signed against renewal of the contract had circulated during the previous week and was presented with the signatures of approximately 375 people, and the opening and chief argument for Mr. Munson's opponents was made by Benjamin F. Brown. Mr. Brown asserted that the present school taxes in this district are too high and charged Mr. Munson with responsibility therefor. The superintendent was charged with activities which the speaker said were not properly a part of his duties, and which took him away from them. The dismissal of several teachers was also charged to Mr. Munson.

Says Salary Too High

Mr. Brown attacked the amount of salary which is paid the superintendent and which it is proposed to pay him during the coming four year period. It was brought out that it is proposed to continue the present salary of \$4500 per year for the next two years, and write an advance of \$500 for the last two years, making his remuneration \$5500 for the last half of the four year period. In attacking the amount of the superintendent's salary Mr. Brown asserted that the salaries of some states are paid a less amount. The speaker voiced objections to what he alleged was the intention of the board to shorten the school year, asserting that the shortening of the year, even for a few days, was an injustice to the pupils. Mr. Brown made further charges of bias in the handling of school affairs, and asserted a lack of co-operation on the superintendent's part.

Mr. Brown spoke on several occasions during the evening, and at one time offered if the board would withhold renewal of the contract to secure the signatures of a majority of all the registered voters of the district to a petition asking the trustees not to renew the contract.

Billboard Fag Ads with Women Smoking Are Hit

Inglewood—Provision objection to billboard advertisements for cigarettes, which depict girls and young women smoking was heard from the Fairview Heights Baptist Women's society at the meeting of the city council recently.

Indications were that the city would take some action to prohibit such advertising. Mayor Lawrence was empowered to take up the matter with the advertising company and it was agreed by the city attorney that the city has full power to regulate such advertising.

The protest, as submitted by the Heights organization, follows: "We, the members of the Fairview Heights Baptist Church wish to plant with your honorable body a protest against the cigarette advertising now featured by billboards in various parts of the city, depicting the use of cigarettes by girls and women.

"As you are aware statistics show that the cigarette consumption has increased 28 per cent since such means of advertising have been permitted, and we, as mothers of the boys and girls of today, feel that we cannot allow this grave danger to continue, unprotected.

"If it is within your province, cannot something be done to eliminate these signs?"

Huge Mill Put in by Columbia

Becker Announces Purchase of Another For Operation at Pittsburg

PITTSBURG, CALIF.—Installation of the Columbia Steel Corporation of a \$400,000 twenty-four inch mill for making steel bars and the purchase next year of a similar machine, was announced this morning by N. A. Becker, general superintendent of the local plant.

The mill is the largest west of the Mississippi river and the motor is kind in the world. It is thirteen inches in size greater than any other.

More than four months have been taken in installing the mill which was shipped from the Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Co.'s factories in the east. Several days ago work on the mill was completed and site for operation was set on May 15 at 11 a. m.

This new mill replaces the 18 inch mill which is actually the father of the Columbia Steel Corporation and the nucleus of the plant. The old mill has a tonnage consumption of 20 tons while the new apparatus is able to handle 25,000 tons.

It is known as a continuous mill and operates on a process where the steel goes through a series of different stages. In the old mill, the steel had to go back and forth a certain number of times instead of going straight through as the new machine permits.

The installation of the mill is looked upon by Becker as a great step toward the future of the Columbia Steel.

"We have purchased such a mill to meet with the needs of the future when the consumption will be greater," he said this morning. "Our expansion in the last few years has necessitated the installation of this new mill and present indications are that a similar one, operating on different basis will be purchased next year."

No particular ceremonies have been planned for the opening of the mill. It will be merely a matter of Becker pressing an electric switch and allowing it to operate.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

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Seek Big Lease of Lennox Land

Committee is Striving to Sign Up Owners for Oil Deal

LENNOX.—A committee was appointed to sign up oil leases in more than sixty acres of land in the general area bounded by Pine street, Lennox avenue, Oak street and Fir avenue as a result of action taken at a meeting of citizens of the district at the Jefferson school last night.

John Matheson, representing one of the major oil companies, last night addressed the large gathering and placed the proposition before the land owners.

The well will probably be drilled just west of Inglewood avenue on Cedar street, Matheson said. The company will pay a rental of \$100 a month for each acre during the first six months, \$125 for the next six months and \$150 for the last six months, if the well is not then brought in. The property owners will receive one-sixth royalty.

Continuous drilling is guaranteed, according to the oil man. William Winkelman was named to head the committee which will sign up property owners. Others on the committee are Fred B. Manley, W. A. Rice, H. A. Hallett, Anselm Grieve, Mrs. Hilda Born and Mrs. West.

S. A. Monroe heads the citizens committee which called the meeting. It is said that Grieve will sign up eighteen acres of his own.

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