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## STRANGE AS IT SEEMS—

By **JOHN HIX**

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### CHARTER

### ON ORGANIC CHANGE, APRIL 11

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vote on its adoption at the  
general election, Monday, April 11,  
1922.

Barlett will present the charter  
to the city council next Tuesday  
night. It is expected that the  
council then will order it pub-  
lished at once and that copies be  
printed in pamphlet form for dis-  
tribution to all interested citizens.

**Has Four Salient Points**  
Copies will be available at the  
city clerk's office and voters will  
have more than three months in  
which to study the proposed con-  
stitutional law of the city in de-  
tail.

This instrument, which has  
been taken by the 15 freeholders 171 days  
in preparation, has five salient points,  
according to Judge Rippey. He said  
today that, in his opinion, these  
are the most important divisions are as  
follows:

(1) The creation of a Tor-  
rance school district, with the  
control, administration and  
management of all schools  
located within the city limits  
under a Torrance Board of  
Education elected by the peo-  
ple, and serving without pay.

(2) A change in the form of  
councilmanic government. Under  
the charter, councilmen  
will be nominated from five  
districts and will be elected at  
large. The mayor will have a  
veto power and will be pre-  
siding officer of the council.  
He will be chief executive offi-  
cer of the city and will have  
general supervision of all de-  
partments.

(3) Legislative, executive  
and judicial powers in the city  
will all be distinct and inde-  
pendent divisions of govern-  
ment and administration.

(4) The financial structure  
of the city will be established  
on a strictly cash basis. A  
"three-cent cash basis" fund is  
to be created from municipal  
taxes which will prevent any  
such thing as a registered war-  
rant ever being issued in the  
city when the fund is once  
operating.

(5) Perhaps the most im-  
portant factor in the charter  
is that it is so drawn as to  
permit this municipality to  
continue to operate under the  
general state laws applicable  
to cities in this state unless or  
except a different procedure  
has been provided by the char-  
ter or city ordinance.

"Of course these are not the only  
important points in the charter,"  
Rippey said. "We have tried to  
incorporate in the document an  
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### Invest, Now On, ests, Official Says

ed Press  
Christmas tree crop from the  
700,000 evergreens will be used

ing of these trees is devastating  
thy. W. B. Rider, deputy state

cutting trees for Christmas is a  
legitimate use of our forests.

"In the second place, discrimi-  
nate cutting of trees, removing  
only those which have become  
timber or have no chance to de-  
velop, would actually improve the  
condition of forests.

**Regulation Removes Evil**  
"The commercial loss is compar-  
atively small, because the silver  
fir and white fir, which are the  
favorite Christmas trees, do not  
develop into a high class lumber  
land.

"The evil of our present system  
is cutting on private lands. In  
our national forests, only those  
trees tagged by expert foresters  
as having no chance in life, may  
be cut. But on private land, there  
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SENT IN BY  
R. S. MASLEY

**LOVE  
THE ICE MAN**

Sign in  
Minneapolis, Minn.

**PALAZUELOS...  
THE TOWN OF  
DOUBLE THUMBS...**

PRACTICALLY EVERY INHABITANT  
IN THIS REMOTE SPANISH VILLAGE  
HAS FOUR THUMBS...  
DOUBLE THUMBS ARE MARKS  
OF DISTINCTION AND A PERSON  
WITH LESS THAN 6 FINGERS  
ON EACH HAND IS CONSIDERED  
SUBNORMAL...

John Hix

**DAVID M. NEWELL...  
casting expert of Florida...  
CAUGHT A FLYING  
OWL WITH A  
CASTING  
ROD...**

HERE  
LIES ONE BLOWN  
OUT OF BREATH,  
WHO LIVED A  
MERRY LIFE AND  
DIED A  
MERIDETH...

Epitaph in  
Oxford, Eng...

SUGGESTED BY A. M. PAAP

**THERE ARE NO BONES  
IN A SHARK...**

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**FRED A.  
LOCKMANN,  
Otoe, Nebr.  
PLAYED 4 YEARS OF  
HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL  
WITHOUT SCORING  
A SINGLE POINT...**

**MALCOLM POPE...  
JUMPED 35 FEET  
IN AN OUTBOARD  
MOTOR BOAT...  
Winter Haven, Florida  
- 1928 -**

**ANN  
BERTHA  
CECILIA  
DIANA  
EMILY  
FANNY  
GERTRUDE  
HYPATIA  
INEZ  
JANE  
KATE  
LOUISA  
MAUD  
NORA  
OPHELIA  
QUINCE  
REBECCA  
SARAH  
THERESA  
ULYSSES  
VENUS  
WINIFRED  
XENOPHON  
YETTA  
ZENUS  
PEPPER  
IS THE NAME  
OF A LONDON  
WOMAN...**

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