

June 12th, 1911.

Henry E. Reed, Esq.,

C I T Y .

Dear Sir:

There will be a meeting of the Committee of Fifteen Appointed by the Mayor to prepare and formulate a charter providing a Commission Form of Government for the City of Portland, held on Thursday afternoon, June 15th, 1911, at three o'clock, at the Council Chamber in the City Hall.

Your attendance at the time and place stated is earnestly requested.

Very truly yours,

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Sanderson Reed
Attorney at Law
Fenton Building
Portland, Oregon

May 11, 1911.

Hon. Joseph Simon,
City Hall, City.
Dear Sir:

The Lewis-Wiley Company is making a lake in Balch's Creek Canyon under the Thurman Street bridge, by damming up the canyon and the water is probably thirty feet deep there now.

During this summer it will be a green, slimy hole and is not a benefit from any standpoint. Why they have not drained it is a mystery to me, because a tile drain could have been laid to have taken off this water with practically no expense.

Mr. Lewis states that the whole canyon is to be filled and makes statements to indicate that nothing but good will result.

However, it is supposed that this work is done for the railway company, and if not and if it is a private enterprise, it is likely that should times get a little hard the expense will be discontinued, because it is not apparent to a looker-on that there is any income.

If work is discontinued we will have a stagnant pond which will be a menace to the health of the people in the neighborhood and dangerous to the children by reason of the fact that it is in a very steep canyon.

I cannot see why the City Engineer did not compel Mr. Lewis to lay a ten inch tile drain which would have taken off all of the water, and it is no doubt easy to do, because I live on the hill and I have watched water matters carefully for some years.

I called the attention of Mr. Morris, the City Engineer, to this sometime ago, but his views are that the company is financially responsible and will do no damage. As to this, however, I am not posted and that is the reason I have taken the liberty of writing to you.

They ought to be made drain the pond as they proceed.

Yours truly,

Sanderson Reed

===== OREGON =====

RETAIL HARDWARE AND IMPLEMENT DEALERS'
ASSOCIATION CONVENTION

January 24-27, 1911

1:30 P. M.

Admit *Ray* **R** *Joseph* **A** *Simon* **S** *Mayor* **S**

CONVENTION HALL, COMMERCIAL CLUB BUILDING

Presented by.....

H. J. ALTNOW, Secretary

This pass will be unnecessary after the first attendance to the Convention.

Portland - Ore. [Kajalsty B]

Hon. Joseph Quinn.
Mayor's Office.
Portland.

Dear Sir:

The women of the State
Woman's Press Club of Oregon wish
to express their appreciation of
your courtesy in permitting
the use of the Committee room
for club meetings, during

the past year.

Accordingly they have
instructed me to extend to
you their heartfelt thanks
for the accommodation.

Very truly,

Mrs. Blanche Rajalsty,
Cor. Sec.

June 14 '11.

537 Sherrett Ave

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Portland Ore

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"Hon Mayor & City Council".

I have two lots in Ina Park
Lots 9 and 10 in block 9. they
were nice and high, the
highest lots in that vicinity.
And the Graders have just
spoilied them piling all
that dirt on them.

I did not want the
dirt on them.

They ~~put~~ put it there
without ever mentioning
the fact to me.

I would like to have it
removed. You will please
see to it at once.

Respectfully

Florence Rhoades.

Mr. Morris

June 14th, 1911.

O. W. Taylor, Esq.,
Railway Exchange Bldg.,
C I T Y .

Dear Sir:

I beg to advise that I have this appointed you a member of the Committee of Fifteen to prepare and formulate a charter providing a Commission Form of Government for the City of Portland.

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ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, May 26, 1911.

A. L. BARBUR

Auditor of the City of Portland.

By L. E. Burdick,

Deputy.

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The Republican Club

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PORTLAND, OREGON, Feb. 14th, 1910.

Hon. Joseph Simon,
City,

My Dear Mr. Simon:-

I have to inform you that at the last meeting of the Executive Board of The Republican Club you were appointed on the committee to make the necessary arrangements for a fitting and proper celebration of the 87th birthday of our distinguished fellow-citizen and one of our honorary members, George H. Williams.

President George has called a meeting of the Committee for next Saturday afternoon, the 19th, inst., at 5 o'clock, at his offices, Rooms 29-30, Washington Building, and it is earnestly desired that you be present.

Very truly yours

Secretary.

January 12th, 1910.

Charles E. Lockwood, Esq.,

Secretary The Republican Club,

315 Columbia Building,

C I T Y .

My dear Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your valued letter of the 10th inst., inviting me to attend the dinner to be given by the Republican Club on the anniversary of the birthday of the late President McKinley.

I thank you very sincerely for your kind invitation, and accept the same with pleasure.

Very sincerely yours,

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PORTLAND, OREGON, Jan. 10, 1910.

Hon. Joseph Simon,
City,

Our Dear Mr. Simon:-

At the meeting of the Executive Board of the Club and the Banquet Committee having charge of the arrangements for our annual Club Dinner, held last Friday night, I was directed to communicate with you and request your presence at the dinner as the guest of the Club. The dinner this year will be given on Saturday evening, January 29th, at 6:30, at the Commercial Club. This date has been fixed in accordance with By-Law No. 8, of the Club, to honor the 67th anniversary of the birthday of one of our martyred Presidents, William McKinley. We note that you were one of the delegates chosen to the National Republican Convention of 1900, that re-nominated President McKinley.

At our dinner, the toast: "The City Of Portland," will be proposed by Toastmaster, President George, to which you are invited and expected to respond.

With kindest personal regards, I remain,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

Republican Club

The Republican Club

ROOM 512 COLUMBIA BUILDING
PORTLAND, OREGON

PORTLAND, OREGON, Feb. 10, 1916.

Dear Sir,

Very truly yours,

The meeting of the Executive Board of the Club, held last Friday night, I am pleased to announce to you that the same was held at the Club on the 10th of the month. The Board will be given an advisory meeting on the 15th of the month. This date has been chosen in accordance with the plan of the Club to have the 15th anniversary of the signing of the our original constitution. It is also felt that you are one of the delegates named in the original constitution of 1910. That is, you were one of the original members of the Club. It is our desire to have you "re-pledge" and be present at the meeting. It is felt that you are one of the delegates named in the original constitution of 1910. It is our desire to have you "re-pledge" and be present at the meeting.

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