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ALL NEARLY DROWN

Coos Bay and Inlets are Very Dangerous.

The wholesale drowning of Saturday night recalls other disasters of similar magnitude, and some of less consequence. Coos Bay and its inlets have many lives to answer for in the memory of the oldest inhabitant and while there have been single drownings from time to time, the incidents of greater import are more vivid in the minds of those who have been here for a number of years. The accident happened between twenty and twenty-five years ago. Ben De-launey, a resident of the Coos Bay country was taking his family to some point on North Inlet, when his skiff capsized, and he and his wife and three children were drowned. Three years ago, on the 4th of August, three young women lost their lives while bathing in the North Coos river near Allegany. They were Misses Margie and Hilda Sawyers and Ethel Gehrhardt, the two former, daughters of an Allegany family, and the third was a school teacher from Eastern Oregon.

In the past three years there have been a number of men drowned, besides several children. Two men lost their lives by falling from a boat while plying the river. There is a peculiar fatality, it seems about the waters of Coos Bay and the river, for good swimmers have gone down after being in the water but a short time.

The three men who were drowned Saturday night, it has been learned, were all good swimmers and had also been speaking about their prowess as swimmers just before the accident happened. Many believe the shock and chill of the water is accountable for so many being unable to reach the shore after having fallen in. A man who fell from the Alert last year had but thirty or forty feet to swim but he sank within ten feet of the bank. He was known to have been a good swimmer. (Nearly all who get into our rivers in Douglas county are also drowned. Both the North and South Umpqua are veritable graveyards.—Ed.)

their assistance in the deportation of political exiles seeking refuge within our borders; and of the direct violation of the constitution of the United States in denying the right of free speech and the right to peacefully assemble.

Dated at Roseburg, Douglas county, Oregon, this 14th day of November, 1909.

(Signed)
JOHN FERGUSON, Chairman
E. L. CANNON, Secretary.

MAJOR BUILD ROAD.

Major Kinney Building Grand Central Railroad.

Marshfield Mall: Men and teams at work on Plat D, indicate that there is something in the wind about which the general public is not informed, and those who are fond of sneering at Major Kinney's talk of building a railroad are somewhat puzzled to account for his present activity.

There are fifteen men and eight teams at work, and the Major says that the first dirt has been moved in earnest for the construction of the Great Central Railway. It will be remembered that Great Central was the name of the road which Major Kinney was working to build when he first came to the Bay, and which he would have undoubtedly have succeeded in putting through if his efforts had been properly backed by the people here and the Portland financiers who were to furnish a certain amount of financial backing.

The Great Central has hardly been mentioned for several years, but indications are that we will hear more of it now.

Major Kinney says he has ordered one mile of construction track, two Dinky construction engines and a Marlon steam shovel. Mr. Fulton, a master mechanic from the East has charge of the work. He pronounces the mill all right and it is being fixed up to turn out ties and railroad timbers. John Foss, the man who has charge of the mill, is a first-class millwright, is to spend Thanksgiving in Portland with his family who have just come from Minneapolis, and on his return the mill is to commence operations.

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Notice is hereby given that on and after Saturday, November 29, 1909, the dances given at the Armory Hall will be conducted by Prof. W. E. Williams. Social dances every Saturday night from 9:30 to 12 o'clock.

Dancing lessons will be given from 7 to 9:30 same evening on any of the following dances: Waltz, Two Step, Three-Step, Rye Waltz, Schottische, Newport, Var Souvinnia and Barn Dance.

All those coming into the class on November 29, and not later than November 27, will be given a full term of 12 lessons on any of the above dances for only \$5.00. After November 27 the full rate of \$9.00 a term will be charged. Private lessons given by appointment at the hall or at your own homes. We guarantee or money refunded.

SOCIALISTS PETITION

Senators and Congressmen Asked to Investigate Conditions.

Local Socialists have taken up the fight instituted by the party and its newspapers for their constitutional rights, as they believe. A copy of the following memorial has been forwarded to each of the Oregon Senators and Congressmen, and to this newspaper for publication.

Whereas, the right to the free use of the United States mail for free expression of an intercourse of thought is, at the present time, being prohibited by being denied to certain persons and publications, as is shown in the case of the Appeal to Reason, a weekly newspaper of wide circulation (over 360,000 paid subscriptions) published at Girard, Kansas; Post masters have repeatedly held this paper and refused to deliver the same to bona fide subscribers and, without authority from said subscribers, have notified the Appeal to Reason to discontinue sending said paper to said subscribers; and

Whereas, This nation was founded as a refuge for political and religious exiles, and in reality was and always has been such until recent years, when now it is no longer a safe refuge, or asylum for the oppressed of the world; the same recently being shown in cases with Russian and Mexican political exiles, some of said exiles being unlawfully arrested and deported, while others are now languishing within the walls of our own dingy prisons; and

Whereas, It is alleged that extensive corruption has been found to exist in some of our federal courts, viz., in the courts of Judges John C. Pollock, Smith McPherson and John F. Phillips; and

Whereas, The constitution of the United States has been shamefully violated by citizens being denied the right of free speech and the right to peaceably assemble in public gatherings for the discussion of vital public questions; as is shown in the present situation in Spokane, Washington, as well as arrests for public speaking in many other cities and the breaking up of meetings by over-zealous and incompetent officials.

Therefore, We, members of the Socialist party, of the Roseburg Local, Douglas county, Oregon, in regular session assembled, make our appeal to you, not only as our representative in Congress, but as the representative of all the people of this nation and a defender of the freedom and liberties guaranteed us by the constitution of the United States, not only ask, but demand (as we as free moral agents claim the right to do) that you, as our servant and delegate, exert all your effort and ability, not only on the floor of Congress, but in and every way possible, to bring about an immediate and thorough investigation of the methods now being employed by the United States mail department in holding up and hindering the delivery of certain mail; and also of the practice of our courts in lending

Watch us for another great sale of couches. In order that those who came too late for the last sale might avail themselves of deep cut in the prices. Rice & Rice.

Dr. Hoover performed an operation on Francis Rondeau, of Tillamook, yesterday. The affliction was in the form of a cancer on the face and was removed with but little difficulty. The patient is said to be recovering from the effects of the operation even better than he had anticipated.



EDW. OLNEY
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There was a large attendance at Mr. Olney's lectures, while in Portland, Sunday, October 3. Those who were fortunate enough to attend the public demonstrations of healing, given last evening by the gifted healer, were treated to a sight seldom witnessed anywhere.

Men and women were healed in quick succession, as fast as they came on the platform in the most startling and wondrous manner.

The large and intelligent audience was held spellbound as one case after another told how their pains vanished and their sight or hearing had been restored, or their rheumatism, asthma and hearing had yielded to the magnet touch and the suggestion of the white magdalen. Here are a few of the cases.

B. Denton, 469 East Morrison St., healed of rheumatism and liver trouble. C. L. Weber, 488 Pine street asthma. D. H. Gifford, 1379 Irvington street; people healed of stiff knees and catarrh; P. Lee, healed of fever sore. Mr. Snider, cured of lumbago; Mrs. Delmore, 248 South Portland, healed; R. W. Smith, kidney trouble and stiff knees.

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