

MAHOGANY NOT EQUAL OF FIR

The Pacific Northwest Attracts a Famous Artist From England

PORTLAND, Or., Sept. 29.—The Portland Commercial club finished its new building with Oregon Douglas fir, and in addition to this used this same exquisitely grained wood in making some high class permanent furniture for its main parlor. Nine out of ten visitors admire it more than they do mahogany. During the visit of E. H. Harriman he requested that samples be sent him for the consideration of his architects who are now building his country home, which will probably be the finest residence in America. Last Saturday President B. L. Winchell of the Rock Island system made a visit to the club and particularly admired this same wood. He gave notice to a social of the Harriman line who was present that if they didn't hurry the Rock Island would have the first dining car or sleeper finished in the chief wood of the Pacific northwest—of which there is sufficient yet left to turn out more and richer millions than has the iron and steel district of which Pittsburg is the center.

Edward Erix of Devonshire, England, member of the Society of British Royal Artists and of international reputation, heard so much about the beauties of the Pacific northwest that he is now making a very leisurely stay in this region. The Columbia river, Crater lake and other famous scenic attractions of the North Pacific coast, he says, have no equal.

A meeting of the representatives of all the Pacific coast commercial bodies will be held in San Francisco on Monday, October 5. There will be delegates in attendance from several of the important organizations of Washington and Oregon. On Tuesday morning opens in the same city for a five days' session the Trans-Mississippi commercial congress, which gives promise of being one of the most successful gatherings of that influential body. Delegates from Washington and Oregon are materially increased by the fact that the congress has held meetings in both Portland and Seattle.

Vancouver, Wash., one of the old towns made famous by having General Grant and General Sherman located at the barracks there, is giving some of the newer towns a sample of civic enterprise. Not satisfied with putting down hard-surfaced pavements, on last Saturday they celebrated the completion of an electric street railway system which reaches well into the suburbs.

At the Bijou.

A large and well pleased audience greeted the new program at the Bijou last night. The performance is especially strong, being composed of a good variety and the latest feature attractions.

"The Lion's Bride," the late dramatic hit of the season, is not to be surpassed. The appearance of a large lion, gnawing over the body of a woman in the last scene, form a strong climax.

The crowds were in an uproar during the comic picture entitled "Buried Alive."

Don't miss the performance tonight. It is a good one.

If you have lost or found anything, need work, or have something to sell, it doesn't matter what you want is, try a Want Ad in The Tribune.

Found a Spider In His Copy of the Paper.



When Mark Twain was editing the Virginia City Enterprise he received from a superstitious subscriber a letter stating that the writer had found a spider in his copy of the paper and wanted to know whether that was good or bad luck. Mark replied in his "Answers to Correspondents" column:

Old Subscriber—The finding of a spider in your copy of the Enterprise was neither good luck nor bad. The spider was merely looking over our pages to find out what merchant was not advertising, so that it could spin its web across the door and lead a free and undisturbed existence forever and ever.

And Mark hit the mark. Does it hit you?

Social and Personal

A good house lot, close in, for sale at a bargain; easy terms. Write M. T. Tribune.

The county board of equalization will meet at the courthouse in Jacksonville on the third Monday in October.

Dr. W. L. Cameron was over from Applegate Monday, accompanied by his family.

J. T. Miller of Sterling and his family are being visited by Mrs. H. C. Huston of Lane county, who is Mrs. M.'s mother.

James C. Twoby, a member of the well known firm of railroad contractors whose headquarters are in Spokane, Wash., died recently at Pasadena, Cal., of asthmatic complications. The remains passed through the valley a few days ago for burial in the state of Washington. Twoby brothers visited Medford not long since.

James I. Froelich of Sams Valley, the energetic road supervisor, spent several hours in Medford Monday.

Richard Swacker of Roots Creek and his party had several garments stolen from their back, which stood in the rear of Davis' flour mills, Monday afternoon. A hanger of Buffalo Bill's show is suspected.

I. J. Hansen, who lives west of Central Point, was in Medford Monday. He has about recovered from painful injuries received by a scaffold he was standing on giving way not long ago.

Be sure to register now. It will soon be too late.

The Crater Lake Lumber company has given up the block it used for storing lumber and located north of its extensive yards on Sixth and E streets, the lease having expired.

William Sorenson, J. L. Woodruff and C. M. Rexford of Applegate were among the multitude in Medford Monday.

Southern Oregon woods are likely to be used largely in the interior finish of Pullman coaches, according to President Winchell of the Rock Island system. He recently said that if Harriman didn't hurry his road would have the first sleeper on the road to be finished in Oregon fir and pine.

Grapes, tomatoes and potatoes have been "knocked" out in Oregon this year by the unusually early frosts, according to Secretary Williamson of the state horticultural commission, who has been receiving reports from the interior since J. Back Frost paid his first visit to the northwest a few nights ago.

W. K. Price of Tolo and his wife have returned from a visit to the Willamette valley.

For the purpose of constructing a railroad from Grants Pass to Waldo, in the southern part of Josephine county, a distance of about 50 miles, articles of incorporation of the Rogue River & Oregon Southern Railway company have been filed in the corporation department of the office of secretary of state O. S. Blanchard, Glenville A. Collins and H. B. Buddenberg, all of Grants Pass, are the incorporators of record, and the capital stock is fixed at \$1,000,000. An office will be maintained at Grants Pass, but the principal business office is to be at Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Narregan of Eagle Point precinct were among their Medford friends Monday.

Agate district has one of the neatest and best schoolhouses in Jackson county. It was built by H. C. Messenger and will soon be occupied.

Charner Bros. of Gold Hill precinct made Medford their first visit in a long time Monday.

W. T. Kane and Nate Bates of Ashland, accompanied by their families, spent Monday in Medford. They formerly resided in our city.

Sam Edwards, a young man residing at Phoenix, was thrown from a wagon Sunday and suffered the fracture of an arm.

William Bybee, the well known pioneer, is confined to his room and his condition is considered rather serious.

Frank B. Lankey, who has been the steward at the Emerick cafe for some months, left this morning for Los Angeles, Cal.

A choice building lot, close in, in good section, is for sale at a bargain. Easy terms. Write Box 508.

JACKSONVILLE ITEMS.

Miss Kathryn Chapman has returned from Portland, where she has been purchasing her winter stock and will soon have her opening.

Frank Towne of Phoenix was in town Saturday, his daughter, Miss Mollie Towne, returning home with him.

Misses Mollie Britt and Lizzie McCully were Medford visitors on Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Robert Nye and Mrs. Josephine Russell were visiting in Medford one day recently.

A large crowd from here attended Buffalo Bill's wild west show at Medford Monday and were fairly well pleased with the performance.

COOK M'DONALD—In Medford on Monday evening, September 28, Leslie A. Cook and Miss Adelaide M'Donald of Roots Creek. Rev. M. P. Mora officiated, the services being held in the Christian church at 9:30 p. m.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On the way to the show grounds, Monday, red suitcase, containing check, \$50.00, return to this office 167.

STRAYED—The horse, pop. on street 8 1/2 miles afternoon. Later will be rewarded by sending this office 470.

LOST—Red watch, containing bank ticket to Vancouver office.

Classified Advertisements

One Cent a Word—No single insertions less than 15 cents. Six insertions for the price of four. Seventy-five cents a line per month.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Automobile; bargain; small touring car or runabout; used less than four months; good condition; must be sold immediately. See C. H. Snyder, Covey Motor Car Co., Medford. 166

FOR SALE—Dry cordwood, pine, fir, oak and laurel; 200,000 brick. P. Osenbrugg, Studebaker Bros.' warehouse. 167

FOR SALE—Homestead relinquishment; 120 acres; small house; 8 acres 2 year old orchard; 40 acres fenced; 3 miles from town; \$500. P. O. Box 430, city. 170

FOR SALE—Largest rooming house in Medford; location unsurpassed; genuine bargain for the right party; cash proposition only. Address J. C., care of Tribune. 175

ANYBODY wishing a nice, new residence property, 100x150 feet big, with lawn, fruit and ornamental trees, Logan and strawberries, modern in every way and located on the best street in Medford, should address P. O. Box 572. 165

FOR SALE—320-acre ranch, \$12,000, first class improvements, well, family orchard, etc. This is a bargain. See L. E. W., Tribune office. 177

FOR SALE—Dry oak stove and cordwood. Apply Hotel Nash. 178

FOR SALE—A good small business on Seventh street. Reasons for selling. Address, P. O. box 512 or call at this office. 179

FOR SALE—A first-class piano-piano; a bargain. P. O. Box 95, Medford. 174

FOR SALE—Improved or unimproved city lots, 5 and 10-acre blocks, near city; orchards and farm lands. W. M. French, over Jackson County bank. 179

FOR SALE—Five acre tracts inside and adjoining city limits of Medford, on five years' time, Apply Gold Rye Realty Co., in office Condon Water & Power Co. 169

WANTED.

WANTED—To rent a ranch, by a reliable man; hay, grain or dairy; must have stock on place, Box 508, Medford. 170

WANTED—Chambermaid; married woman who can live at home preferred. Only forenoon's work. Hotel Emerick. 179

WANTED—Unfurnished room in suburbs preferred; cheap work at frame making or finishing or other light carpenter work. Address C. Tribune office. 165

WANTED—Three teams, work horses, about 2500; one team ponies about 2000; one team about 2300; must be in good order and reasonable. W. H. West & Co. 171

WANTED—To trade, timber claim for city property; Baker City property for Medford property; piano for good horse. W. H. West. 172

WANTED—Horses for pasture, \$2 per month; no wire fences; shade, water and grass. Apply to Walter Moore, Phoenix, Or. 185

WANTED—To buy from 100 to 300 head of stock sheep. Write Box 131, Medford, Or. 173

TO TRADE—Light single covered buggy for two-seated rig. L. E. W., Tribune office. 174

BUSINESS CARDS.

COLVIG & DURHAM, Attorneys-at-Law. Geo. H. Durham, Grants Pass, Or. Wm. M. Colvig, Medford, Or.

Medford Furniture Co., Undertakers—Day phone 353; Night Phones: C. W. Conkling 36; J. H. Butler 148.

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Write for program of studies, also for booklet concerning dress regulations, etc. Address: SISTER SUPERIOR, ST. MARY'S ACADEMY, MEDFORD, OR.

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