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RAILWAY ACCEPTS OFFER FOR LOCKS

PROPERTY TO BE TURNED OVER TO UNITED STATES FOR \$375,000.

SURVEY IS NEXT THING IN ORDER

Vice-President Fuller of P. R. L. & P. Co. Acts in Absence of President Josselyn—Question At Last Settled.

In the absence from Portland of B. S. Josselyn, president of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, F. I. Fuller, vice-president of the corporation, has accepted the proposal of the War Department, made through Major McIndoe, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., to dispose of the Willamette River Locks at Oregon City for \$375,000. Major McIndoe made the proposal in writing and a satisfactory reply having been drawn, it will be forwarded at once.

There are details that probably will rest until the return of Mr. Josselyn, but next week that portion of the company's holdings at the Willamette Falls that are to be included with the right-of-way of the locks and basin in the transaction will be surveyed. Assistant Engineer Thomsen will be on the ground to represent the Government in designating the boundaries. The abstract will be prepared and sent to Washington without loss of time and after its inspection by the Department of Justice the next step will be to order acceptance of the locks. When the locks will be thrown open to the public depends on the dispatch given the preliminary features.

PRESIDENT PLEADS FOR 2 DREADNAUGHTS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—President Taft, speaking at the peace meeting of the Navy League here today, declared that the time had not come for this country to be economical at the expense of and adequate naval establishment; expressed the hope that the present Congress would authorize the construction of two battleships, and said he would gladly sign a bill that carried such an authorization.

NEWLY WEDS GUESTS OF MRS. HANKINS

The "Newly Weds" were delightfully entertained Friday evening by Mrs. and Mrs. George Hankins, of Fifth and Center streets. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Price won the prizes, whilst being the game played. The Hankins' home was beautifully decorated and delicious refreshments were served. The following were present:

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Price, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Latourette, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hendry, Mr. and Mrs. William Logus, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Messner, Mr. and Mrs. George Hankins and Misses Helen and Bess Dauton, and Mr. Reno, of California.

REV. HAYWORTH GETS OFFER FROM INDIANA CHURCH



REV. S. A. HAYWORTH.

The Rev. S. A. Hayworth, who has resigned the pastorate of the First Baptist church, to become effective April 1, received a telegram from the pulpit committee of the Baptist church in Washington, Ind., Friday, asking if he would consider accepting that charge. Washington is a city of about 10,000 inhabitants, and the Baptist church there is one of the most prominent in Indiana. Mr. Hayworth replied that he would consider the

REBELS ARE READY TO ATTACK JAUREZ

OROZCO REPORTED AT HEAD OF 1,400 MEN MARCHING ON TOWN.

DEVELOPMENTS ALARM OFFICIALS

Road to City Is Open For Insurgent Attack—Few Parts of Country Are Quiet.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—War Department officials were concerned today by reports from Colonel Steever, in charge of the American forces patrolling the Mexican border, confirming press dispatches that large forces of rebels were moving on Juarez, opposite El Paso, Tex.

The advices said that General Orozco was leading one of these forces with 1,400 men. Officials of both the State and War Departments consider recent developments in Northern Mexico as ominous and are watching closely every move of the government and rebel forces.

From Casas Grandes a rumor has come of a serious state of affairs, with a large rebel force massing there. The rumored movements of General Orozco are without confirmation, but Chihuahua continues a hotbed of revolution.

A few parts of the republic are quiet but others continue to furnish a basis for the deep concern felt there. All the women and children living at Vellardent and Asarco, where the American Smelting & Refining Company is located, are reported to have departed. Disturbances are reported in Orizaba and Jalapa and Soledad in the state of Vera Cruz.

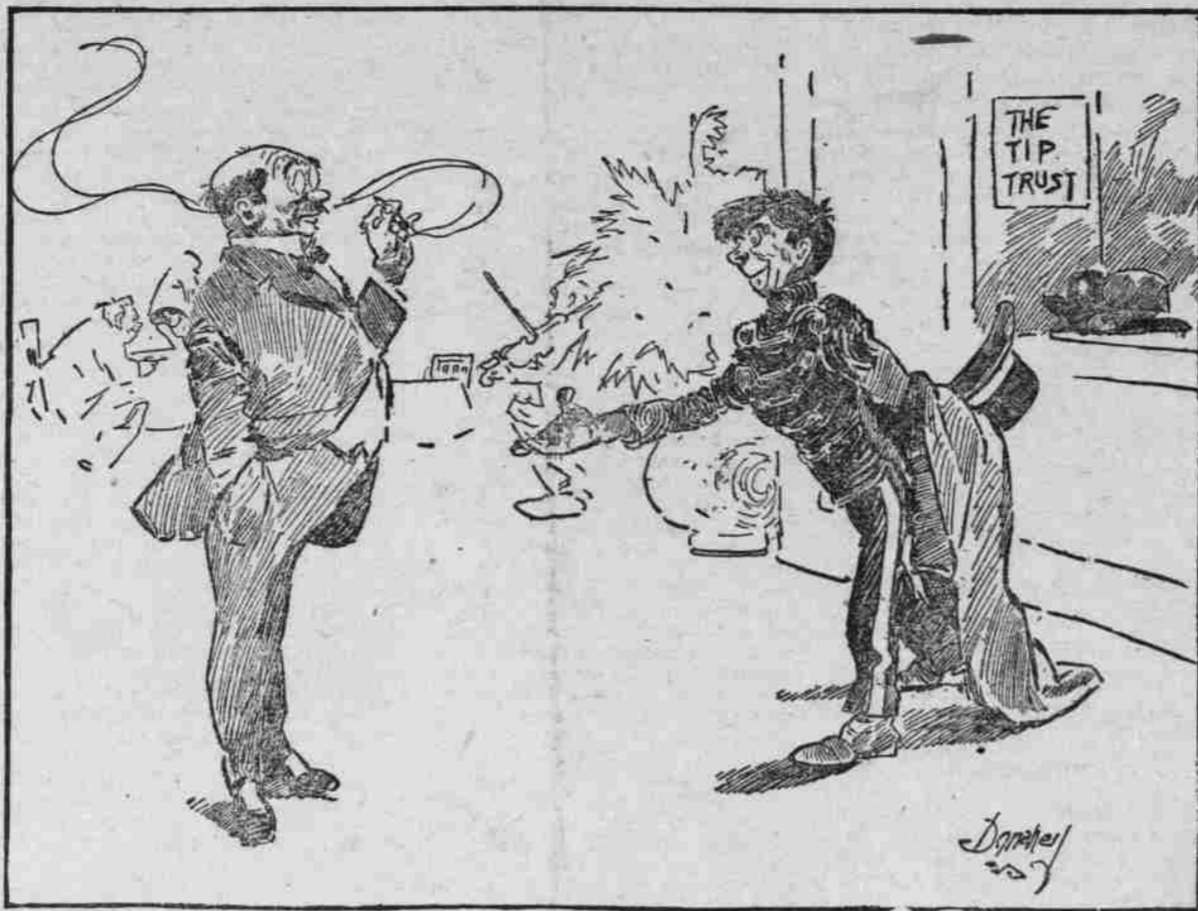
BACHELOR GIRLS ARE ENTERTAINED

Mrs. E. Kenneth Stanton, of Gladstone, was hostess of the Bachelor Girls at a delightful reception Friday evening. Cards were played at four tables, the games being five hundred, hearts, whist and Dutch whist. Miss Wynne Hannay won first prize, and after the games delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. Stanton's guests were the following:

Misses Vera Caufield, Nettie Kruse, Ada Frost, Nell Caufield, Beryl Long, Mary Ellen Long, Marjorie Caufield, Maud Gallogly, Edna Caufield, Elaine King, Amie Hollack, Wynne Hannay, Nieta Harding, Dolie Pratt, Kathryn Simont, Clara Caufield, Miss Parker and Mrs. W. L. Mulvey.

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"MISTER, HERE'S YER OVERCOAT AND HAT!"



WIFE PELTED HIM WITH PANS, HE SAYS

Alleging that his wife frequently attacked him and struck him with pans and other kitchen utensils, Mark K. Stryker Friday filed suit for divorce against Amber K. Stryker. They were married June 4, 1902, in Helena, Mont., and the plaintiff charges that his wife began treating him cruelly soon after.

Madeline Mann seeks a divorce from Harry R. Mann, on charges of cruelty and desertion. They were married in Denver, Col., July 10, 1909. The plaintiff says that her husband once stayed away from home five weeks, and January 3, 1912, left home and has not returned. She asks the custody of their child and \$20 a month alimony.

Margaret Shafer, who was married to John Shafer in Portland, December 14, 1908, sues for a decree alleging that her husband deserted her February 28, 1910.

CHATTEN ANNOUNCES FOR REPRESENTATIVE



W. H. CHATTEN.

W. H. Chatten, of Portland, has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination of Joint Representative from Clackamas and Multnomah counties. Mr. Chatten served in the House last session. He is unusually well situated, being a resident of Clackamas county, living near Oswego, and a business man of Portland, where he is owner of the Hicks-Chaten Engraving Company. Mr. Chatten subscribes to Statement No. 1.

If the present winter is an average sample, it is lucky that the United States has reached the first place in mining coal and has vast deposits to draw upon.

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COUNCIL TO DISCUSS PUBLIC QUESTIONS

The City Council will meet with members of the Commercial Club Monday evening in the Commercial Club rooms to discuss several questions of public importance among them being the proposed army, public playground, public dock and library site. At the meeting of the Live Wires club Wednesday evening it was decided that these questions should be brought to the attention of the City Council. It was suggested that owing to the large attendance that was expected the meeting should be held in the Court House or Commercial Club rooms. The matter was explained to Mayor Dimick and he suggested that after the regular meeting of the Council an adjournment be taken to the Commercial Club.

KNIGHTS OF KING ARTHUR HAVE SCHOOL DISCUSSION

The Knights of King Arthur, a boy's organization of the First Presbyterian church of this city held their regular meeting in the club rooms in the church Friday evening. After the business meeting, and the initiation of a member, Clayton Edwards, a short debate was given. The question was, "Resolved, That self government should be adopted in the High Schools." The decision was given to the side taking the affirmative which was composed of William Angus Matheson, Gilbert K. Morris and Kent Ray Wilson.

Those taking the negative were Ray D. Morris, William Clyde Green and Charles Fountain Beattie. The judges were Rev. J. R. Landsborough, Richard P. Frederick and Clayton Y. Edwards. John Myers Beattie presided over the meeting.

Watch the automobile contest.

PATHE'S WEEKLY

(Always on Saturdays.)

Many Interesting Topics Featured Today

- NEW YORK, N. Y.**
F. Rodman Law, "the dare-devil steeple-jack" with aerial aspirations makes his first parachute jump from the hand of the Statue of Liberty, 311 feet from the ground.
- WALLSEND-ON-TYNE.**
The launching of a dry dock proves a success for the first time. This dock weighs 12,000 tons and has a lifting power of 32,000 tons. It is built for repairing ships of the Dreadnought type.
- THE ITALO-TURKISH WAR.**
The Italians intrench themselves under the protection of their new 12-inch guns. Fourteen traitorous Arabs are court-martialed and hung by the Italians.
- MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA.**
Thirty-eight competitors start in the Melbourne Cup race which is won by "Parisian," winning a \$50,000 purse.
- TARRYTOWN, N. Y.**
The frozen Hudson offers a splendid course for the automobile races which are occupying the attention of the racing fans.
- FLAGTOWN, N. Y.**
A freight engine explodes, wrecks the train, kills the fireman and brakeman, and seriously injures the engineer.
- PAUILLAC, FRANCE.**
Two hundred Senegal steers are imported by the Government in an effort to overcome the high cost of beef.
- PARIS, FRANCE.**
The Irish team playing against the French Fifteen wins the first international Rugby football game of 1912.

THE GRAND

AUTO CONTESTANTS PUBLISHED SUNDAY

ENTERPRISE WILL PRESENT NAMES OF CANDIDATES IN ISSUE TOMORROW.

WHOLE COUNTY INTERESTED IN RACE

Series of Special Prizes To Be Given At Intervals Attracts More Entrants Are Expected.

In tomorrow's Enterprise will be published for the first time the complete list of names and standings of the contestants thus far entered in the Grand Automobile Contest. The public as well as each contestant has wondered who the candidates are and how many votes they have secured to date in the race for the automobile.

As the prize to be awarded is the most expensive gift ever awarded in a similar contest in this part of the state, the whole county is interested in the progress of each contestant. As all restrictions in this contest as to who may enter have been removed, men, women, boys and girls have entered and all are out working hard to stand at the top of the list when votes are counted for the first time tonight.

There are still a few more people who are endeavoring to arrange their affairs so they can also get in the running for the automobile, and in order to accommodate these late entries the nomination blanks will appear once or twice more. As long as these blanks appear each nominee will receive one thousand free votes as a starter.

The announcement that the Enterprise is going to give a series of special prizes throughout the race for the Ford automobile was welcome news to the contestants. Every ten days a valuable prize will be awarded the one who gets the largest number of votes in the specified time. The first of these special "ten-day contests" closes March 1st and the candidate receiving the most votes will be presented now and that time will be presented with a \$15 merchandise certificate. This entitles the leader to unrestricted choice of \$15 worth of merchandise in the specified store.

The Enterprise Ford Automobile, which is a new five-passenger four-door type, will positively be given away June 1st to the one getting the most votes. Votes are given for every subscription taken for either the Weekly or Daily Enterprise and so far the candidates report no difficulty in securing subscribers for their one to five years. The vote schedule is arranged so that the longer term subscriptions are worth in votes far more than those for short terms. Consequently each candidate is specializing on the long-time subscriptions.

The Ford, as presented to the winner, is fully equipped in all particulars, having windshield, top, speedometer, lights and a complete kit of tools. There is not a single part missing which one would have to buy before taking the car away for several years hard use. Fords are the most popular cars in the county, their strength and durability being well known. One-half the local cars are of this make and perhaps the essential reason for this fact is the extremely low cost of their maintenance. In selecting a car worthy of being given as first prize in an Enterprise contest, all these things were considered. An up-to-date automobile is the fondest wish of every one and here is the chance to obtain a \$785 car without cost. Enter the contest now, while there is still a chance to catch up with the rest. Get out and work—you will be surprised to find how easy it is to get subscriptions to the Enterprise. The car goes to the best worker who gets the best results and you have the same chance as the other fellow. Send in the nomination blank at once and watch for your name in the list tomorrow.

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PORTLAND WOMAN TO LECTURE ON HEALTH

Miss Clara Moser, of Portland, will give a series of educational lectures on "Health and Hygiene," beginning Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock, in the Commercial Club rooms, under the auspices of the Woman's Club. Her subject will be, "How to be Young at Sixty." The members of the club and their friends are invited to attend. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock Miss Moser will give a talk on "Healthy and Beauty." In the Congregational church parlors, to which all the women of the city are invited. On Wednesday afternoon, February 28, from 2 to 3 o'clock she will talk to the Methodist Women's Aid and from 3 to 4 o'clock she will lecture to the Baptist Aid Society and their friends on, "Perfect Womanhood." Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock Miss Moser will give an illustrated lecture to men and women on "How to Possess and Make the Most of Life." This will be at the Baptist church, and the men of the city and vicinity are especially invited to be present. These lectures are very interesting and instructive and the subject of right living ought to appeal to every thinking man and woman. All are invited to attend, there being no charge.

How strong are you going in the support of your candidate in the Enterprise automobile contest?

TONGUE CONFERS WITH COURT TODAY

DISTRICT ATTORNEY TO TELL OF INVESTIGATION OF HILL MURDER.

LEVINGS AND MASS TO BE PRESENT

Judge Says Object of Court in Asking Conference Is To Aid Prosecution If He Wants It.

District Attorney Tongue today will confer with the Court regarding the suggestion that a special prosecutor be appointed to serve in the Hill murder case. Mr. Tongue will arrive in the city at 10:30 o'clock when the conference with the court will be started. Detective Levings, Sheriff Mass and probably a legal adviser of the court will attend the session which will be held behind closed doors.

Friends of Mr. Tongue said Friday that the district attorney would have no trouble proving to the court that he had done everything in his power to aid the prosecution in solving the crime. Mr. Tongue's attitude is understood to be that there is no use of the grand jury returning an indictment in the case if conviction apparently is impossible.

"Our object," said County Judge Beattie, "in asking Mr. Tongue to meet with us is to find out whether he desires legal assistance and to determine after the matter is investigated whether it is advisable to employ a prosecutor to assist Mr. Tongue."

It was declared Friday that there is doubt as to whether the county court has a right to interfere in a matter which has been considered entirely within the jurisdiction of the District Attorney. Mr. Tongue, in a conversation over telephone, said he would be perfectly willing to take up the case with the county court, but it is known if he thinks his rights have been imposed upon, he will say so in plain words. The court, however, from the start has tried to make it plain that no reflection upon Mr. Tongue has been intended, and that the case was considered only after several citizens had made certain statements regarding reports emanating from the grand jury room.

By long distance telephone Mr. Tongue, who was at Astoria, said that he had not advised the grand jury to indict Harvey or not to indict him. "If any grand juror told the county court that I advised the grand jury not to indict Harvey, the statement is a lie," said the prosecutor. Continuing, he said: "Since the grand jury's action, and not before, I have publicly stated that the evidence that went before the grand jury—the evidence that would be permitted in a court of justice—was not sufficient to hang a dog on."

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Edward Busch

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