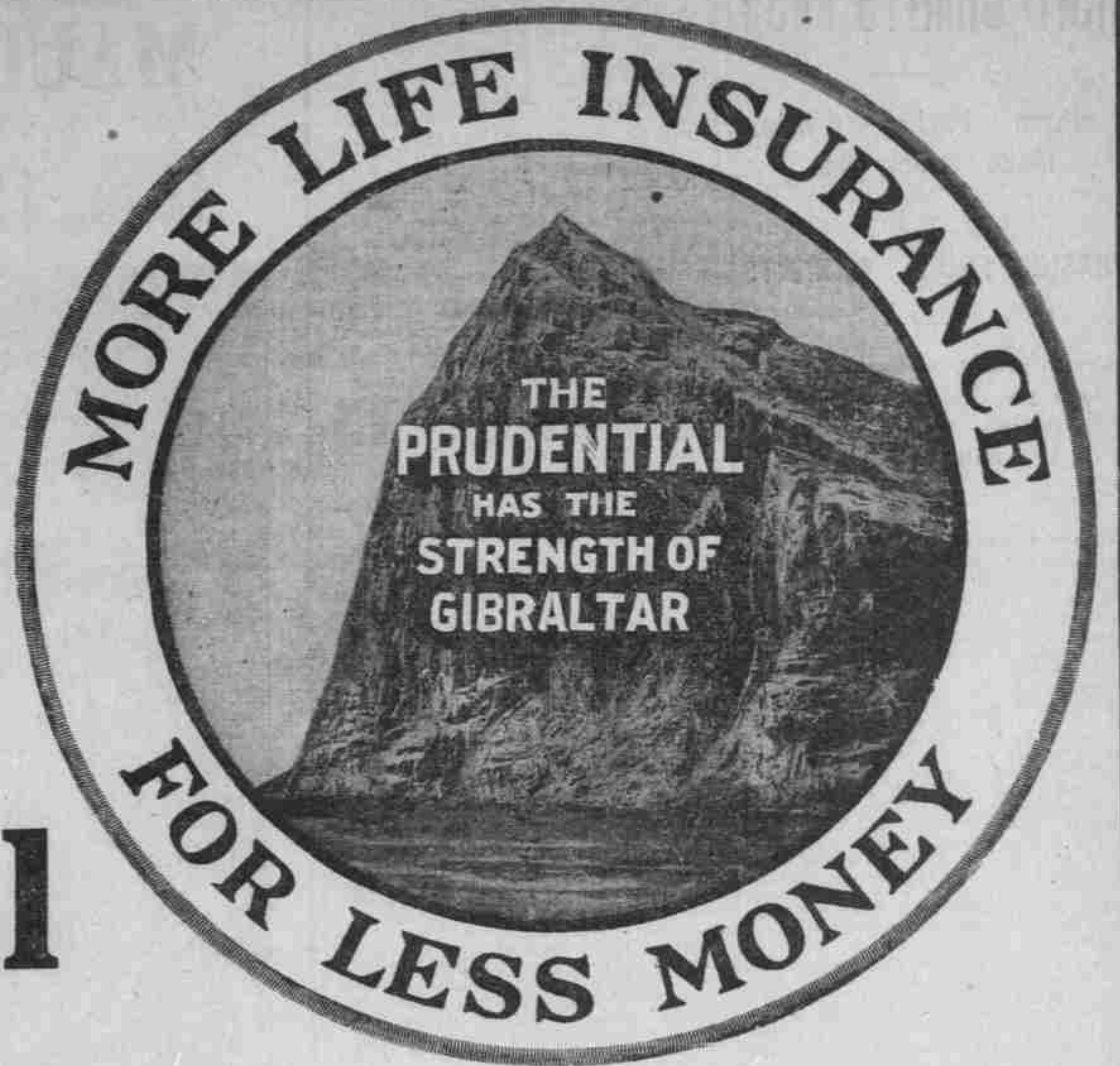


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### BUILD ROAD SOON

O'Brien Forwards Estimates  
on Central Oregon Line.

### EXPECTS EARLY APPROVAL

First Link of Line Up Deschutes  
Will Cost \$4,000,000 and Con-  
struction May Start by  
First of the Year.

General Manager O'Brien, of the Harri-  
man line in the Pacific Northwest, has  
forwarded estimates for the construction  
of the first section of the Central Oregon  
line up the Deschutes River, from a con-  
nection with the O. R. & N. at its mouth.  
Profiles of the new line and the probable  
cost were sent forward to the Chicago  
headquarters of the Harriman system  
during the past week.

The estimates call for the expenditure  
of \$4,000,000 for building the first 100 miles  
of the Deschutes line. This will construct  
the road as far south as Madras, tapping  
the big Central Oregon plain that is ex-  
pected to furnish a vast traffic during the  
coming few years.

"I think early approval of the plans for  
the Central Oregon line may be expected,"  
said General Manager O'Brien. "This  
will mean the early resumption of the road  
into the interior of the state, following  
up the Deschutes River canyon from its  
mouth. As soon as surveys and figures  
can be prepared for the construction of  
the line south from Madras, they will be  
forwarded for approval of the Chicago  
officials of the system."

The line to Madras, the first unit of  
the Central Oregon line, will drain the  
big interior plain on both sides of the  
Deschutes canyon of their wheat, cattle  
and other products. Practical grades  
have been found for the proposed line,  
and construction will be unusually diffi-  
cult.

From Madras, the road will be built  
south to Bend, opening up the new irriga-  
tion district surrounding that place, and  
reaching the whole Eastern slope of the  
Cascades to the center of the state, the  
district that has waited so long for trans-  
portation facilities.

The early approval of the estimates just  
sent forward will mean that construction  
forces will be assembled and work started  
within the next few weeks. Plans are  
already being made by the engineering  
department of the Harriman lines for be-  
ginning on the Central Oregon line, and  
by the opening of the new year it is ex-  
pected operations will be under way. The  
country and climate are such that work  
can be prosecuted throughout the Win-  
ter months.

### SAYS OFFICER WAS CRUEL

Woman Objects to Manner of Ar-  
resting Drunken Husband.

After having asked the police to pro-  
tect her from her drunken husband,  
who was smashing the furniture and  
threatening her with all manner of dire  
calamity, Mrs. Herman Olson of 714  
Thurman street, visited the police sta-  
tion yesterday forenoon to protest at  
the vigorous methods used by Patrolman

McCulloch in subduing the head of the  
Olson household. She said the officer  
knocked her husband down and gave him  
a severe beating. She wanted charges  
preferred against the patrolman.

Admitting that he handled Olson in a  
way that was not exactly gentle, the of-  
ficer explained that no other course was  
practicable. Mrs. Olson called him in to  
try to pacify the man, he reported, and  
he approached the house to hear the fur-  
niture being slammed about and broken.  
The moment he got inside, Olson forgot  
all about his ambition to wreck the  
house and proceeded at once to render  
the Police Department a trifle short-  
handed. McCulloch brought his club to  
play and Olson surrendered. Olson was  
taken to the City Jail and locked up on  
a charge of disorderly conduct in addi-  
tion to the charge of drunkenness.

This occurred Monday night and Mrs.  
Olson was quite satisfied with the dis-  
position made of her husband until the  
hour of his trial in the Municipal Court  
arrived yesterday morning. Then she re-  
fused to testify against him, but on the  
testimony of the officer Olson was found  
guilty and fined \$10. Indignant that her  
husband had been deprived of so large a  
sum, Mrs. Olson began her protests at  
the manner in which Olson had been  
clubbed before his arrest. City Physi-  
cian Ziegler was called to examine Ol-  
son's scalp and he found one slight abra-  
sion, but nothing more. The woman's  
complaint was pressed no further.

### STRIKE BLOW AT GRILLS

OPPONENTS OF CELLARS LAW  
WOULD REFUSE LICENSE.

Enemies of Women-in-Saloons Ordi-  
nance Threaten to Take Steps  
for Its Repeal.

The deadlock in the City Council relative  
to ten applications for licenses to  
dispense liquor with meals in downtown  
restaurants and grills still continues.  
An effort was made at the adjourned  
Council session yesterday morning to  
dispose of the matter some way, but  
it resulted in failure. The Councilmen  
who opposed the Cellars anti-women-in-  
saloons ordinance refuse to vote for  
any of the licenses, with a few excep-  
tions, and some who favored the Cellars  
law refuse to sign the applications, be-  
cause they feel that the licenses should  
be increased.

City Auditor Barber, acting upon the  
advice of City Attorney Kavanagh,  
will ask Chief of Police Gritzmacher to  
enforce the law in regard to the sale  
of liquor in restaurants, which means  
that all establishments not possessing the  
licenses will have to stop serving liquor  
with meals. Included in the number  
are the Hotel Portland grill, the Ore-  
gon and Perkins grills, the Hof Brau,  
the Queije, the Lounge and Tare Halls.  
The Cellars law is still in force, and  
is the cause of much bitterness in the  
Council. That further efforts will be  
made to destroy its usefulness is be-  
lieved by those who have followed the  
actions of the Council since the pas-  
sage of the ordinance. There is some  
talk of attempting to repeal the meas-  
ure.

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sale stock, Front and Oak streets, in  
the wholesale district.

### REVIEW TRADE TRIP

Pacific Coast Delegates Find  
Japan Friendly.

### PORTS OPEN TO AMERICA

Visitors to Orient Speak in Highest  
Terms of Entertainment Ac-  
corded Them by Govern-  
ment of Island.

That the feeling for the people of the  
United States is most friendly in Japan  
and that the relations between this coun-  
try and the land of the Mikado should  
continue to be amicable is the opinion of  
delegates from the Pacific Coast com-  
mercial organizations who participated in the  
recent commercial excursion to the prin-  
cipal ports of Japan. The delegates have  
made a preliminary report to the various  
commercial bodies of the Pacific Coast  
represented on the excursion and Sec-  
retary Giltner of the Portland Chamber of  
Commerce received a copy of this report  
yesterday.

### Want Stronger Trade Relations.

The visitors to Japan speak in highest  
terms of their entertainment abroad and  
of the character and accomplishments of  
the Japanese people. They desire to  
maintain the peaceful relations between  
the two countries and to increase their  
mutual commercial interests. Before leav-  
ing Japan, the delegation from the Pac-  
ific Coast adopted resolutions thanking  
the Japanese government for the recep-  
tions everywhere accorded them and for the  
friendship manifested by the people of  
the Mikado's Empire.

The report of the entertainment  
offered by the Japanese government and  
the Chambers of Commerce of Tokyo,  
Kyoto, Osaka, Yokohama and Kobe  
partook of the nature of an ovation and  
the Japanese spared no attention or ex-  
pense to show the country to the visitors  
in a way never before undertaken.

### Text of the Report.

Their earnestness and enthusiasm became  
contagious, and the Japanese people, with-  
out regard to rank, vied with each other  
that the Commissioners from the Pacific  
Coast might know and feel that Japan is  
the sincere friend of the United States. It  
would be absurd and wrong, after the man-  
ifestations of affection which were accorded  
us by the Japanese people, to question the  
sincerity of their friendship. Every mem-  
ber of the Commission realized that it was  
not the Commissioners whom the Japanese  
sought to compliment, but that through them  
they were seeking to reach the hearts of  
the people of the United States.

Before visiting the Empire of Japan none  
of us had the slightest conception of the  
entirely new world which the people of that  
country bear to the people of the United States.  
Commodore Perry's memory is as much re-  
vered as that of almost any patriot who has  
ever died for Japan. The people of that  
country feel that the United States has  
dealt fairly with them and has given them  
advice which was not in any way tinged  
by selfish interest. They declare that the  
moral support of the American people and  
our sympathy during the war with Russia  
assured them that they would be success-  
ful. They constantly spoke of the friendship  
manifested by our country when President  
Roosevelt suggested that hostilities between  
Japan and Russia should cease and an  
honorable peace be concluded.

In Japan we found many things that were  
crude and many of these were pointed out  
to us by the Japanese themselves. Through

us they sought a remedy and we were in-  
vited by them to criticize whatever, in our  
judgment, appeared wrong, and for us to  
suggest reformation.

### Great Progress of People.

Bearing in mind that only 33 years ago  
Japan was a hermit nation and that today  
she is a world power, realizing to what ex-  
tent they have developed their natural re-  
sources and, through their Emperor, changed  
their form of government, established edu-  
cational institutions and performed a work  
more gigantic than has before been un-  
dertaken by any other people, we deem any  
such criticism as this time improper.

There is no mistaking the onward and  
upward trend of commerce, manufacturing  
and education in Japan. She has within her  
the elements of a very high civilization and  
her people are not blind to these factors.  
The commerce of Japan has had a rapidity  
of growth unequalled by any other modern  
nation. The Japanese build, man and nav-  
igate their own ships and they have built  
ships which seem equal to the best that  
ply the Pacific Ocean.

Many of their manufacturing plants are  
on a large scale and are in conformity with  
the latest models of either Germany, Eng-  
land or the United States. While we found  
the wages paid in the factories small as  
compared with wages in America, they were  
sufficient to enable the employees to accumu-  
late savings, as the cost of living in Japan  
is extremely low.

Years ago Japan borrowed from the  
United States our school system and educa-  
tion is compulsory. The schoolhouse there  
has become a sight as common as in Amer-  
ica. The eagerness of the ordinary Japanese  
children to gain an education is remarkable  
and they seem to learn readily. English  
is quite generally taught. Thus far those  
who are educated in modern ways seem to  
co-operate in the advancement of every-  
thing that benefits their country to a de-  
gree surprising to foreigners.

That the Japanese are going to become a  
great trading nation is apparent. That the  
material development of the Empire is  
making a great demand for all the  
labor of their people is quite evident.

We were impressed with the idea that

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is essential to the uplifting of Asia.  
There is more in the Orient than both of  
these nations can do, and they can afford to  
encourage the awakening of China and ex-  
tend to her a helping hand.  
Our visit to Japan, while important, can  
be made doubly so, if at no distant date a  
similar visit is paid to the United States  
by a body of representative men of that  
country.

### BID ON BAKER'S BUILDING

Salt Lake Contractors Make Lowest  
Estimate for Public Structure.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-  
ington, Nov. 24.—Bids were opened to-  
day at the Treasury Department for  
the construction of a public building  
at Baker City, Or. The bidders were

the Campbell Building Company, Salt  
Lake City, \$63,964; C. A. Gray, Port-  
land, \$65,898; George C. Mourer, Salem,  
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pany, of Milwaukee, \$71,000; Welch  
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