

FLAMES LICK UP HISTORIC DOCKS

Grain and Hops Burn Also and Loss at Port Costa Is Over \$500,000.

HEAT TWISTS S. P. TRACKS

Five Trains Held on Main Line Till Fire Is Over—Origin Unknown. For Over 25 Years California Grain Shipped From Here.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Two thousand feet of the Nevada grain docks, located on the bay at Fort Costa, 20 miles from here, where for 25 years all the grain from California for foreign ports has been loaded, were destroyed by fire tonight. The loss is estimated at nearly \$1,000,000.

MUST CHANGE TICKETS

Closing of Hellig Compels Management to Show Goodwin at Baker.

Owing to the closing of the Hellig Theater, the engagement of Nat C. Goodwin and Edna Goodrich, which was to have opened there tonight, will be given in the Baker Theater.

TUG SENT TO QUARANTINE

Water Tanks of Samson Will Be Properly Cleaned.

ASTORIA, Or., May 31.—(Special.)—Under the direction of the City Physician, Dr. Clara Reames, the tug Samson, which an investigation has shown is a breeding place for typhoid germs, will be taken to the Federal quarantine station tomorrow morning, when Dr. Holt, the government quarantine officer, will have her tanks cleaned with the proper antiseptic.

WILL WED CHICAGO GIRL

Engagement of Julius Jacoby, of Portland, Is Announced.

CHICAGO, May 31.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Gustel 4746 Indiana avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Elsa to Julius Jacoby, of Portland, Or.

WILL BE INTERRED HERE

Body of M. H. Meyers, Snowalide Victim Has Been Recovered.

The body of Marshall H. Meyers, who was killed in a snowalide in Abercrombie Canyon, Alaska, on May 27, has been recovered and will be sent to Portland for interment. Marshall Meyers was familiarly known as "Shorty" Meyers among his Portland friends.

MEMORIAL SALUTE FATAL

Cannon Explodes and Old Soldier Is Killed.

WAPAKO, O., May 31.—By a premature explosion of a cannon, Henry Mahan, aged 70 years, a former soldier, was killed at St. Mary's today, while officially opening the Memorial day observance.

ZEPHYR DEAD ARE NOW 39

Injured Persons Being Cared For in Nearby Towns.

TEMPLE, Tex., May 31.—More than a score of persons injured in the tornado at Zephyr and who were brought here today are being cared for in the Santa

pe Hospital. Reports from Zephyr today state that up to daylight 27 bodies had been recovered from the ruins.

FOURTEEN KNOWN TO BE DEAD

Communication Resumed With Stricken Oklahoma District. GUTHRIE, Okla., May 31.—When communication was resumed today with the stricken area of Saturday's tornado it was learned the following persons had lost their lives: Near Paden, Okla., Miss W. T. Alice and infant daughter; Alice, aged 11 years, and Bertha, aged 5. Near Sparks, H. Reeves, L. Allen. Near Arlington, eight unidentified negroes.

ZEPHYR IN NEED OF COFFINS

Not Enough in Stricken Town to Bury Dead. BROWNWOOD, Tex., May 31.—Late reports from Zephyr today, where 29 of 40 persons were killed by a tornado, state there are not enough coffins in the town to bury the dead. The relief fund has reached \$25,000.

WOMEN STEAL FLOWERS

OLD MAN CRIES WHEN HE LEARNS OF HIS LOSS.

Trainmen Take Up Collection and Graves of Loved Ones Are Decorated Despite Theft. SPOKANE, Wash., May 31.—(Special.)—Four women, residents of Pullman today outdid the petty thieves who steal pennies from dead children's eyes, when George Hillies, the aged pioneer driver of the Hotel Colfax bus, familiarly known as "Dad," was on route to Moscow laden with four boxes of flowers gathered from the garden spots of his friends in the Palouse country, on his way to the graves of his wife and two daughters on Memorial day.

NEW PASTOR FROM EAST

Rev. Frank D. Findley Comes to Portland From Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 31.—(Special.)—Rev. Frank D. Findley, who is going to the First United Presbyterian Church of Portland, is the son of Rev. W. A. Findley, a retired United Presbyterian minister. Although his parents were Ohioans, he was born at Allegheny, Pa., a few years ago. He graduated from the Allegheny United Presbyterian Seminary and was given his charge at Mansfield, Ohio. Later he came to Seattle, in 1891, and about a year ago came to the Third United Presbyterian Church of Seattle.

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Rev. Frank D. Findley, Seattle Pastor, Who Accepts Portland Call.

father having been in charge of some of the leading United Presbyterian churches of Ohio and Pennsylvania. He is a deep student of the Bible and an able orator, according to members of his congregation, and pastors associated with him in the work. Rev. Mr. Findley's father and mother both live in Seattle, and he resided with them for a time.

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ROAD WILL BRING MORE GRAIN HERE

Northern Pacific Organizes Connell & Northern as Subsidiary.

TAP BIG BEND COUNTRY

Will Give Direct Water-Grade Haul From Wheat District Direct to Portland—Line to Run From Connell North to Adrian.

IRRIGATION LANDS OPENED

SEATTLE, Wash., May 31.—(Special.)—One of the first steps toward connecting the water-level haul of the North Bank line with the Great Northern and Northern Pacific and carrying the wheat of the Big Bend country to Portland was taken today, when the Northern Pacific organized a subsidiary company, the Connell & Northern Railway.

IRRIGATION LANDS OPENED

The new road will tap the country on the east side of Moses Lake and open fully 10,000 acres for irrigation. The right of way has already been secured and the construction of the line will begin at once. Railroad officials say as fast as the grade is made from Adrian and north from Connell, the track will be laid, and before the wheat crop of next year is harvested it will be finding a way to the Coast over this line.

LINK IN NORTH AND SOUTH LINE

With the construction of the Connell & Northern Railway begins the making of a cross-country line in the central part of the state which eventually will, by the building of a few short lines, make a complete connection between the southern limit of the state and the Canadian boundary.

NEW GRADE MAY BE SECURED

Portland-Tacoma Route Is Likely to Avoid Heavy Climb.

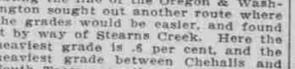
CHEHALIS, Wash., May 31.—The announcement of the change in the plans of the three transcontinental railroads, whereby the Union Pacific and Great Northern will operate between Portland and Tacoma, has revived discussion here of the possible abandonment of the Newaukum Hill route south of this city.

WILSON TO JOIN IRISH-AMERICANS

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Every Woman Will Be Interested

IS YOUR BLOOD THIN AND POOR?

Then Read What This Wisconsin Woman Says About Her Own Case.

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In no disease is delay or neglect more dangerous than in anemia, or poverty of the blood. This disorder is common in persons who are overworked or confined within doors and makes its approach in so stealthy a manner that it is often well developed before its presence is recognized.

But taken in time the disease is readily curable, the specific being a tonic medicine which increases the number of red blood-corpuscles thus enabling the blood to carry the life-giving oxygen to all the tissues of the body.

Such a tonic is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills have had unbounded success in curing this stubborn disease because of this wonderful property.

The following cure of anemia by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills deserves a careful reading by every person, whose blood is impure.

Mrs. Ida Keller, of R. F. D. No. 6, Tomah, Wis., says:

"About ten years ago my health began to fail. I was all run down, could not do any work, had no appetite and was not able to sleep. I had night sweats, which were very weakening and my feet and limbs were swollen. My stomach was in such a bad condition that I could not even retain the doctor's medicine. My head ached all of the time and I was subject to dizzy spells. I became reduced in weight from 148 to 106 pounds and was confined to bed for days at a time.

"I was under the care of two doctors but they gave me relief only for the time being. One of the doctors told my husband that it would be only a short time before I would be in the first stages of consumption. My mother finally advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and, while I didn't have any faith in them, did so to please her. Before I had taken the pills long I felt much better. I took several boxes and was able to do my work again. I gained rapidly in flesh, could eat without distress and soon felt like myself again. I always speak well of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for I know that they saved my life."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for \$2.50, by Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

these voices could be heard and when the orchestra wasn't playing. The voice quality was better than at the opening concert. The most artistic number of the programme was Arthur Poe's "The Farewell of Hwa-wath" and Paul Wessinger sang the baritone solo with beautiful tone quality and fine phrasing.

The soloist of the occasion was Miss Elizabeth Harwas, soprano, who was heard in one selection, an aria from Verdi's "Aida," and she scored a big success. I was a professional teacher of music I should very naturally (for we are all human) measure Miss Harwas against my own pupils, but seeing that I do not teach music and am only music critic on a newspaper, I am unbiassed.

There was great curiosity to hear Miss Harwas sing, because of her recent experience as a professional in Italian opera, and she did not disappoint. She is a born singer, just as others are born with special gifts—one to make money and others to succeed in law or medicine. Miss Harwas is a singer that one likes to hear sing, and this has been cultivated by study. She sang last night to high B flat and aroused her audience to the enthusiasm by the musical terms she gave. She used Italian words exclusively, sang from memory, and both looked like a cultivated singer and sang like one.

She is one of the new American solo singers, and the pity of it is that she cannot make this city her home. She will soon be again called away to the Grand Opera in Europe. It's a pity she ought to go. This town is only a pleasant rest for her. Miss Harwas deserved the encore she got and repeated a part of the aria.

The audience gave both chorus and soloists a great reception. William H. Boyer was efficient as conductor and deserves great credit for the hard work he has done to bring the Apollon to such excellence.

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