

FREIGHT WAGONS ARE TURNED BACK

Twohy Bros.' Men March Up to Locked Gate, Then March Back Again.

LEGAL ISSUE NOW FORCED

Laborers and Equipment Rushed to Deschutes by Rival Contractors—Chances for Clash Increased.

on the way to light rails and 20 rock ties for tunnel and cut construction.

PORTER BROS. ARE CHECKED

Harriman Agent Slips Into Canyon and Buys Right of Way.

Porter Bros., the rival contractors who are operating in opposition to the Harriman interests in the Deschutes canyon, do not have a monopoly when it comes to acquiring the right-of-way across advantageous tracts of land included in the route of the contesting railroad.

The fact leaked out in this city yesterday that J. B. Eddy, one of Harriman's right-of-way agents, ran around Porter Bros. on the Deschutes River and bought a farm, the possession of which will hinder Porter Bros. in moving up that stream.

OREGON CITY BAPTISTS SECURE NEW PASTOR.



Rev. S. A. Hayworth, of Delta, Colo.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 30.—(Special.)—Rev. S. A. Hayworth was a night chosen pastor of the First Baptist Church, to succeed Rev. John M. Linden, who resigned three weeks ago to join Rev. Billy Sunday, the well-known evangelist.

Mr. Hayworth will arrive here August 29, from Delta, Colo., where he has been for some time. He has been for some time in the Delta Church, and while he was at Fargo, N. D., he built a \$25,000 church.

Mr. Hayworth has a wife, but no children. He is 35 years old, and a graduate of Chicago University. He is said to be very popular in church and fraternal circles where he has been, and was recommended highly by his predecessor, Rev. Mr. Linden, who knew him personally.

OREGON TRUNK CAMPS IN AN EFFORT TO SHUT HARRIMAN OUT OF THE CANYON.

Portland Trunk Camps in an effort to shut Harriman out of the canyon.

GIRLS WOULD SEE WORLD

Portland Misses Get as Far as Vancouver Police Station.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 30.—(Special.)—Two runaway girls who said that they were from Portland were arrested last night in the Ferry Hotel and taken to the police station. Both of them had a small amount of money when taken into custody, and said they had left their homes to go first to the city of Seattle and later to see the world.

First they told the police they were Irene Lee, 18 years old, of 522 Twenty-third street, and Hazel Rogers, of East Twenty-sixth street. The Vancouver police asked Portland officials to communicate with the girls' parents and see what they wanted done. Later the Portland police reported that the names and addresses were "phony" and the girls then said they were Lena Shipley, of 444 East Thirty-third street, and Hazel Shraake, of 1351 East Division avenue.

No people of these names appear in the Portland directory, so the girls are still being held by the local police.

TROLLEY MERGER MADE

Walla Walla Traction Company Is Secured by Northwestern.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., July 30.—(Special.)—Authorizing a transfer of stock of the Northwestern Gas & Electric Company and the Walla Walla Traction Company to the Northwestern corporation, a meeting of the stockholders of the two former organizations was held today perfecting this arrangement.

President I. W. Anderson, of Tacoma, ratified the idea and made announcement that in the future the operations of both the Northwestern Gas & Electric and the Walla Walla Traction Companies would be controlled by the corporation which now owns 12 electric stations in the states of Washington and Oregon, in addition to several traction lines.

WISCONSIN NOT SATISFIED

Officeseekers Find Disadvantage in Listing of Names on Ballot.

SALEM, Or., July 30.—(Special.)—N. P. Haugen, ex-member of Congress from the Ninth District of Wisconsin, ex-railroad Commissioner of that state and at present Tax Commissioner, called at the Statehouse this morning on his way to Southern Oregon for a fishing trip. He was accompanied by Judge A. G. Zimmerman, of the Dane County (Wisconsin) County Court.

Mr. Haugen is dissatisfied with the primary law in Wisconsin, said that it is a failure in one respect, viz., that it requires the arrangement of candidates' names in alphabetical order and that the first candidates on the ballot always poll the largest vote.

SUSPECT IS BOUND OVER

Salem Man Accused of Attempted Hold-up Will Fight Charge.

SALEM, Or., July 30.—(Special.)—L. J. Arstall, accused of holding up J. J. McDonald on the Liberty road, south of the city, the first of the week, was given a preliminary hearing in Municipal Court this afternoon and bound over to the Circuit Court for trial.

While the officers claim that Arstall admitted his guilt when first arrested, he now declares that he is innocent. He has retained Attorney P. H. D'Arcy and will fight for his freedom.

ACTION BEGUN TO DEBAR DE WOLFE

State Association Will Also Take Action Against ex-Judge Root.

TACOMA MAN IS DEFIANT

Asserts He Will Fight Case to Supreme Court—Bar Association Selects Bellingham for the Next Meeting Place.

ABERDEEN, Wash., July 30.—(Special.)—Action to clear up the scandals attaching to the courts of the state, especially to clear away the charges made against the Supreme Court, was taken at the meeting this morning of the State Bar Association when the report of the grievance committee of the association recommending the appointment of a committee of three to institute disbarment proceedings against Attorney Herbert N. DeWolfe, of Tacoma, whose charges against the court resulted in an investigation by a legislative committee, was adopted.

A resolution was also passed ordering the institution of disbarment proceedings against Mr. A. Root, of Seattle, ex-Judge of the Supreme Court, who was forced to retire by reason of scandals attaching to his conduct on the bench.

Bryan's Charges Delayed.

The charges preferred by State Senator J. W. Bryan, of Bremerton, against Judge B. Yakey, of the Superior Court of Kitsap County, in which Bryan charges that Yakey travels on a pass and that his expense accounts are irregular, were referred to the grievance committee for investigation.

Action in the case of Judge M. J. Gordon, of Spokane, ex-counsel for the Great Northern, under indictment on a charge of embezzlement from the railroad, was deferred pending the outcome of the trial. Should conviction be secured, disbarment proceedings will be instituted. Disbarment of DeWolfe will be withheld until the report of the legislative committee on his charges has been made.

Action in these instances followed the report of the grievance committee in which DeWolfe's charges are pronounced "without a shadow of foundation" and the lawyer himself is declared "unfit longer to practice law."

Robinson's Charges Pending.

The quarrel between Bryan on the one hand and State Senator R. F. Booth, of Seattle, and Judge Yakey on the other, is referred to the association by the committee. The squabble grows out of the last primary campaign in which Bryan was a candidate for the State Senate and had its origin in a statement said to have been made by Yakey to Booth that Yakey held facts sufficient to warrant disbarment proceedings against Bryan. Bryan was dissatisfied with the report of the committee and submitted charges to the association against Yakey on which Yakey's disbarment is asked.

At the afternoon session, S. R. Stern, of Spokane, introduced a resolution which was adopted providing that charges against ex-Judge Root and Judge H. D. Crow, said to have been made by Judge J. W. Robinson, of Olympia, of the Supreme Court, be presented to the grievance committee and "be either proved or forever silenced."

Meet Next at Bellingham.

Bellingham was chosen as the next place of meeting. C. C. Gose, of Walla Walla, brother of Judge M. F. Gose, of the Supreme Court, was elected president; C. W. Shaffer, of Olympia, re-elected secretary; and Arthur Remington, of Olympia, treasurer.

C. E. Shepard, of Seattle, W. V. Tanner, of Olympia, and Walter Christian, of Tacoma, were named by the State Bar Association to the next meeting of the National Bar Association, which will be held in Detroit during the latter part of August.

In an interview just before leaving for his home in Tacoma this afternoon, DeWolfe said that he would fight disbarment proceedings to the United States Supreme Court, if necessary.

MAN'S DEATH MYSTERY

Kittrell's Friends at Montesano Refuse to Believe He Is Suicide.

MONTESANO, Wash., July 30.—(Special.)—The mystery surrounding the death of William Kittrell, whose body was found last week some miles below here in the Chehalis River, is still unsolved. The Sheriff and the Coroner have both pronounced it case of suicide and have stated facts bearing out their side of the case, but there are friends of the deceased who decline to accept this theory and who still declare that he was murdered.

Kittrell was a member of Montesano Aerie No. 363, F. O. E., and at a meeting a few days ago a committee was appointed to make a thorough investigation of the circumstances surrounding his death.

THE POPULAR SCOTCH WHISKY IS BLACK & WHITE

"CLEANLINESS" Is the watchword for health and vigor, comfort and beauty. Man and is learning not only the necessity but the luxury of cleanliness, SAPOLIO, which has wrought such changes in the home, announces her sister triumph.

HAND SAPOLIO FOR TOILET AND BATH. A special soap which energizes the whole body, starts the circulation and leaves an exhilarating glow. All grocers and druggists.

OUR SPECIAL TRAIN TO BROADMEAD Leaves the Jefferson-Street Depot This Morning at 8 o'Clock. \$1.50 for the Round Trip. Going With Us? Columbia Trust Company Board of Trade Building

WILL CONTEST LOST

Mrs. Mabel Warner Loses Right to \$50,000 Estate.

FOURTH WILL NOT FILED

Judge Gilliland Holds That Mysterious Document Was Never Probated—Contestant's Counsel insists Appeal Will Be Taken.

PENDELTON, Or., July 30.—(Special.)

Mrs. Mabel Warner has again lost out in the battle which she has been waging in the courts of Umatilla County for more than three years for possession of the \$50,000 estate of the late James W. Young, of Weston. The latest blow was suffered this afternoon, when County Judge Gilliland held that the "fourth" mysterious will to the estate, was not entitled to be admitted to probate.

Though the findings of fact have not yet been signed, this afternoon's decision means one or both of two things. He has either found that the will is a forgery, that it was never executed or that it was both forged and never executed. The findings of fact will probably be submitted to the judge and signed by him tomorrow.

Attorney Douglass W. Bailey, representing Mrs. Warner, stated this evening that he would serve notice of appeal tomorrow, and that he would rush the appeal as rapidly as possible. He declared that this was no more than they expected, that they considered the hearing in the County Court merely preliminary and that they would make their real fight in the Circuit Court.

The document which Judge Gilliland refused to admit to probate was the one which Mrs. Warner alleged came through the mail to her from Walla Walla last December. It purports to give practically all of the Young estate to Mrs. Warner and immediately after offering it for probate she seized and forcibly took possession of the valuable wheat ranch belonging to the Young estate and located in the Northern part of the county. She has now been in possession of this farm for several months, but will immediately be forced by the contesting heirs to surrender possession. The decision seems to have been what was generally expected, but it was not expected so soon.

Farmer Finds Gold in Well.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 30.—(Special.)—While digging a well on the Teal farm, east of the city, H. C. Teal noticed that the sand glittered, so he had some of it assayed and it showed .04 of an ounce of gold to the ton, or \$2 cents a ton.

Harris Trunk Co. for trunks and bags.

GIRL FOUND ON SLOUGH

NEW PHASE DEVELOPS IN CUVREAU MYSTERY.

Doubt Cast on Flynn's Statement That He Swam With Girl for Long Distance.

TACOMA, Wash., July 30.—(Special.)—Suspicion that John Flynn has not told the entire truth in regard to the drowning of Margaret Cuvreau in Commencement Bay Sunday evening, still lingers with the police authorities, and today several detectives visited the scene of the drowning in an effort to gain some clew. Flynn was taken along and re-enacted the drowning for the benefit of the officers.

Investigation goes to show that at the time and place of Miss Cuvreau's drowning there was neither water enough nor sand enough to capsize a boat or drown its occupants, whereas the young man states emphatically that there was considerable sea running, that his boat became filled with water, and that he swam a distance of two blocks to the shore with the girl.

Deputy Prosecutor Ralph Woods and Deputy Sheriff Peter Steno talked with "Dad" Adams and with some of the campers who were present at the time Miss Cuvreau's body was brought back. They obtained a witness to a conversation Flynn held with Charles LaBlanc,

WATER SYSTEM FAVORED

Newport Almost Unanimous for Issuing Municipal Bonds.

NEWPORT, Or., July 30.—(Special.)—At a special city election here today to amend the charter for authorizing the City Council to issue \$300,000 bonds for a gravity water system the vote was almost unanimous, only four being cast against it. Good water from a mountain stream has already been secured by city authorities at distance of less than four miles, and can be brought in at an estimated cost of \$25,000.

Alabama for Income Tax.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 30.—Both houses of the Legislature reported favorably the National income tax amendment.

Says I to myself, The Rex Dental Co., Abington Bldg., In the place to go. Says I.

A NOTE OF THANKS With the close of today's business we also close the first six months of our eleventh year in business. At the same time we close the most remarkable sale of brand new pianos in our entire history, remarkable in the number of instruments sold and also in the quickness with which all the pianos included in the sale were taken. July, usually our most "quiet" month, will go into our records as the third greatest month in point of sales ever recorded upon our books. We desire to return sincerest thanks to our friends and patrons for the confidence that has been bestowed upon us during this sale. We desire to express our high appreciation for the spontaneous and hearty co-operation with us in our successful endeavors to sell high-class pianos at lowest possible prices. We promise in our advertising that everything connected with the Eilers houses shall be found exactly as represented, and the enormous July record again demonstrates our good faith. There was scarcely a day when less than a dozen of pianos were sold here. Last Monday we actually sold 31 new pianos. No mere advertising could have accomplished such magnificent results. We realize the measure of confidence that was bestowed upon us in this matter, and we assure every buyer—big or little—that this confidence shall never be abused. We have never been identified with the sale of so-called cheap or low-grade pianos, and we never will. The name of Eilers Piano House has always been, and always will be, a synonym for highest quality at lowest price. We not only aim to furnish the best of everything, but we aim to furnish everything at the lowest possible living price—prices greatly lower than obtainable elsewhere for same grade and quality. The great business of the Eilers houses, greater than the total of all other houses combined—has been built upon the above as one of its cardinal principles. No misrepresentation is ever permitted here. The same price, and that the very lowest, is given to all alike. No more is asked, no less accepted. A child here buys as advantageously as does the shrewdest of shoppers. No effort ever is spared here to see that every patron of ours is absolutely satisfied. Again we desire to express our gratitude for the co-operation on the part of our many thousands of patrons hereabouts—those who have bought their pianos from us in the past years and those who so quickly responded to our recent splendid offering, which will end some time during today. There are less than a half dozen of splendid brand new pianos at \$138, \$146 and \$169 left. There are also some eight or nine slightly used pianos in our Piano Exchange and Bargain Room for those who may come too late today to secure one of the new ones. There is a Fischer for \$95 in very good order; there is a Hamilton, exactly like new, for \$138; there is a superb Decker for \$180—bring \$5 for a first payment down and pay the balance as best suits your convenience. An extraordinary and altogether unusual discount of 4 per cent to those who wish to pay all cash. Come today or this evening. Eilers Piano House 353 Washington St., at Park (8th) St. The Home of Highest Grade Pianos.