Norman Brothers Want 80 Per Cent Interest in Big Caravansary.

Agreement Expires February Prospective Buyers Plan to Expend \$200,000 in Improving the Hostelry.

W. F. and B. Norman, owners of large w. F. and B. Norman, owners of large hotels in Spokane, Tacoma and North Takima, have secured an option on the Portland Hotel, the option holding good until February b. If the deal is consummated, of which there seems to be little doubt, the present building will be remodeled, enlarged and will form a link in a chain of Northwestern hotels the Norman brothers control. The option is on 90 per cent of the capital stock, and the purchase price agreed upon is \$150 a share. On this basis the value of the entire hotel property is \$250,000.

Norman Bros. own the three hotels controlled by them, and their holdings are estimated at about \$2,000,000. They have had the purchase of the Portland Hotel in mind for a long time, and the fact that they have carefully planned changes in the building and agreed on leaving H. C. Howers in control of the place, is taken as proof that they will certainly complete the deal.

Stockholders Are Informed. hotels in Spokane, Tacoma and North

Stockholders Are Informed.

The Portland Hotel Company was capitalized at \$500,000, and the place has proved of late years a profitable investment, G. F. Kaufman, secretary of the Portland Hôtel Company, yesterday sent letters to the minor stockholders, notifying them than an option had been given on 80 per cent of the stock at the price quoted, and inform-ing them that they may secure the same price for their stock if they choose to sell, in case the deal is completed. In his letters, Mr. Kaufmann falled to state to whom the option had been given, but it was learned from another e that it was secured by the

To Enlarge Building.

of the building, in the direction of hereby given to the boosters. Let joy Morrison street, is to be remodeled en-

ever, to complete his general scheme of improvement, and the hotel was later taken over by a local corporation formed for that purpose.

Manager 16 Years.

H. C. Bowers became the manager of and the baxaar will be open afternoons, he hotel 16 years ago, succeeding with dancing at night. the hotel 16 years ago, succeeding Charles L Leland. Previously he was manager for three years of the Spo-kane Hotel, which soon after he left was taken over by the Norman Broth-ers. He came to Spokane from New York, where he had managed the Gadmey Hotel. In his 30 years of hotel management Mr. Bowers-has kept the same housekeeper, Mrs. M. C. Caples, who is afill with him at the Portland. At present the Norman brothers have the personal management of their Spo kane and Tacoma hotels, W. Fe Normar having charge of the former and B. Norman having the management of the Ta-

\$200,000 for Improvements.

about 16 years, contains Its rooms, and is one of the largest hotels in that part of the country. The Tacoma Hotel has been conducted by Norman brothers for five years, and the North Yakima Hotel for four years.

It is understood that the Norman brothers plan to expend about \$200,000 in improving the Portland Hotel if they complete its purchase. They were in Portiand recently, and are now in Spo-kane. It is not expected they will return here until the hotel purchase is definitely

decided.

The principal stock of the Portland

Hotel is owned by some of the wealthier
families of Portland. A large part of
the stock is owned by the estate of H. W.

### LOTTERY KEEPER CAUGHT

Chinaman, Allowing White Man to Play, Faces Charge.

and alder streets, Monday night, November 2.

At a meeting of the Hibernian Society last night in the Fenton building the following general committee on arranged white men to speculate on the lottery in his place. E. L. Closset, found in the Chinese resort, was also arrested. Chief Cox has an agreement with Chinese gamblers whereby they are permitted to run their games among themselves, but not to permit white men to indulge in them. Ah Sun is accused of violating this agreement.

Patrolmen Montgomery and Flack, in plain clothes, constituting the moral squad, brown and Flack, moral squad, brown and Flack, moral squad, brown and squad, brown and flack. Patrolmen Montgomery and Flack, in plain clothes, constituting the police moral squad, brought in two men last night in pursuance with the general cleanup policy of Chief Cox and a woman was arrested by Sergeant Goltz and Patrolman Klingle. She is charged with contribution to the Adlance of the Cox and a contribution to the Adlance of the Cox and a contribution to the Adlance of the Cox and a contribution to the Adlance of the Cox and a contribution to the Adlance of the Cox and a contribution to the Adlance of the Cox and a contribution to the Adlance of the Cox and the Cox

### CONDENSED NEWS BY WIRE

with contributing to the delinquency

Hongkong—The steamer Minnesota, from Manila, arrived here Monday, Ex-Vice-Presi-dent Charles W. Fairbanks is a passenger, From Hongkong he will depart for India by steamer.

chicago Increases in salary from \$1500 to 8090 for the Aldermen elected last April o not seem to have made the Council-ten any more regular in attendance upon ammittee seasions.

Washington-The horse as a means of

New York—Following the arrival Thursday of E. Clarence Jones, president of the Amer-lean Embassy Association, a vigorous cam-paign will be waged in all the states of the country to induce the American Government to purchase Embassy buildings in foreign

mpitals.

New Tork—To the Par East and back, a 10,500-mits rane, ended Monday when the Indrawadia, a British cargo steamer, was decised, and the Weish Prince, another Hritish tramp, came into quarantine Saturday night. Officers of the Indrawadia

Pittsburg—It is asserted that the United States Steel Corporation has decided to make an effort to control the drink of 15,000 persons in Fayette County, Pennsylvania, who are interested in the manufacture of coke, and will invest \$20,000,000 in a project to obtain possession of nine brewerles now running in the county.

New York—If the Industrial Employes' Welfars Committee of the National Civic Federation has its way, cleak models in garment factories and showrooms will have to seek other means of livelihood. The cape-

FETE AT CHRISTIAN BROTHERS' COLLEGE IN FULL SWING.

Booths and Various Entertainments Attract Crowds, and Dancing Will Be Nightly Feature.

Mayor Simon opened the six-day bazaar of the Christian Brothers' Business College iast night at the college building on Grand avenue and Clackamas street in the presence of a great crowd. Brother Andrew, principal of the institution, made a few introductory remarks, thanking all who had worked for the success of the bazaar. He then introduced Mayor Simon, who said: "It is with great pleasure that I am here tonight to assist in the opening of this bazaar and participate with you in these exercises. I did not know of the splendid work that has been done in the past and is being done now by the Christian Brothers' Business College, but I looked up the history of the institution today and was surprised at what it has accomplished for young men. It is an institution which stands for Chris-tian education. It fits young men for business and professional careers, and stands for the development of moral character. Christian education means Tentative plans for the improvement of the Portland Hotel, if the sale is completed, it is understood include raising the building to a greater height. In doing this it is planned to extend the building over the court of the Sixth-street side, and over the present small annex on the Seventh-street side, which contains the grill. The dark side of the building in the direction of the building in the direction of this assembly and the city is barried to the populars. Let joy

Morrison street, is to be remodeled entirely, and stores may be placed there on the ground floor, and above these the grill may be located. The lighter sides of the building will thus be reserved for rooms for guests.

It was reported yesterday that A. D. Chariton, in charge of the local offices of the Northern Pacific Rallroad, who is known to be a personal friend of the Norman Brothers, was interested in the deal, either from a personal way or in behalf of the railroad he represents. This, however, Mr. Chariton denies. He said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night, when questioned about it, that he had no fairerest in the said last night. When the constant is a postoffice, horoscope, college pennant, and the Alumni Hall on the top floor. Contests were started for the President Taft flag among the fraternal societies, also for the most popular lady and gentleman Catholic Forester, the most popular volume to the first developed by the Cathedral parish, Holy Bosary St. Lawrence Parish, the Poetal was removed Lawrence Parish, the Foresters and St. Joseph's Society will be in charge. The programme will be as follows: Vocal selections, Miss Dabner Kelly; specialties, W. W. McCulloch; dancing in the Alumni Hall. Admission is free,

### DE LARA ASKS OPEN TRIAL

Mexican's Friends Want Public Hearing-Money for Defense.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25.-The De Lara Defense League, of this city, formed for the purpose of aiding L. Guiterrez de Lara, alleged allen anarchist, in his efforts to resist deportation to Mexico, to-night sent Secretary of Commerce and Labor Charles Nagel a telegram re-questing him to permit the hearing of De Lara before Immigration Inspector The Spokana Hotel, owned by them for bout 16 years, contains 25 rooms, and is no of the largest hotels in that part of the country. The Tacoma Hotel has been country to the country to th sent for an open hearing.

Bondsmen for De Lara in the sum of.

\$3000 have been secured in the persons of C.C. Reynolds and J. M. Saleyer, busi-ness men of this city. A fund for his de-fense is being raised, and already several hundred dollars are in the hands of the treasurer of the De Lara Defense League.

### EXERCISES ARE PLANNED

Hibernians to Commemorate "Man-

chester Martyrs."

Arrangements are being completed by the Ancient Order of Hibernians of this city for observing with appropriate exerclies the 42d anniversary of the "Man-chester Martyrs," Allen, Larkin and O'Brien. The exercises will be held in the Woodmen of the World Hall, Eleventh and Alder streets, Monday night, Novem-

there was a big catch of salmon at Yaquina last night, and that the fish are running freely. Sportsmen are having the time of their lives. Special round-tip rate of \$6 from Portland; tickets on sale daily. Run of salmon usually lasts from one to two weeks.

Conference With Miss Bender Today.

Miss R. K. Bender, National secretary of the Needlework Guild of America, will confer with the section presidents of the organization this morning at 10 o'clock, n her rooms at the Seward Hotel,

Consul Alfred A. Winslow reports that work was begun August 3f on the first railway locomotive ever built in Chile, at the works of the Sociedad de Maestrantas y Galcanizacion in Valuaraiso.

# Begin Saving Money

There are very few people who do not make many new resolutions, and there are very few who keep them.

One of the most common resolutions is "to begin to save money." but as a rule, action on this resolution is deferred from day to day until the best years of a man's life have passed-until his opportunities are gone, and then it is too late.

Nearly everyone could save something if he would. A little self-denial while young will bring comfort and peace of mind when old. Therefore, every young man-every man in the prime of life -every man who is earning a competence, should set aside a part of his earnings as a reserve fund to be placed in some good

More large fortunes have been made from real estate than from any other investment. You can invest your savings in good real estate that will increase in value year after year, if you will only make up your mind to do it.

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Northern Pacific Said to Have Located New Line.

LIND PLAN IS ABANDONED

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Instead of Road From Ellensburg, Route Will Be Run From North Yakima to Connell and Site for Columbia Bridge Is Sought.

The report that the Northern Pacific has definitely decided to build the longtalked-of "Lind cut-off" or its equivalent, is again revived as the result of engineer-ing activities in that section of Washing-

The original cut-off, as projected by the Northern Pacific, followed much the same 15 to 20 inclusive route as the Milwankee has adopted. It is now reported that the company is about to locate a line-from North Takima to Connell, instead of from Ellensburg to Lind. Either route would materially shorten the line between Puget Sound and Spokane by eliminating the long dip

southward to Pasco.

It is said that engineers are now seeking an available point at which to bridge the Columbia. Northern Pacific officials are believed to have two plans in view. One is to start the cut-off at Connell and to cross the Columbia somewhere between White Bluffs and Hanford. In this event the road would head towards North Yaki-

The other soute is said to take a more northerly course, leaving the The other soute is said to take a more northerly course, leaving the main line at Ritzville, passing through the Moses Lake country and crossing the Columbia a few miles south of Beverly. From this point it is figured the road will follow the Hanson Creek canyon into the Badger pocket district, reaching the main line between Thrall and Eliensburg through the Desmark district.

lumbia River. Bather the plan is believed to construct a high bridge. This will cost far more money than a low bridge such as is now in place at Kennewick and at Beverly, but while the cost will be greater, the grade of each end will be considerably lessened.

The officials, it is said, recognize that the control will be an expensive piece of

the Northern Pacific is to compete successfully with the Milwaukee.

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all laid, the matter will be put before se in authority.

CARLOADS TO BE DISPLAYED Shipments of Apples to East to Stop for Spokane Show.

Arrangements have been made whereby the O. R. & N. will, on request, cut out at Spokane during the National Apple Show carload shipments of apples des-tined from Oregon or Washington points through to the East. Under this plan shippers may arrange with the consignees to have the fruit held in Spokane for exto have the fruit held in spheane to ex-hibition without cost to either party and displays may thus be provided without the expense of special preparation. The National Apple Show is to make a specialty this year of displays of apples

specialty this year of displays of apples from each section in carload lots, and after the fruit siready sold has been displayed, it may be shipped on to the Eastern consignees. The railroad, when this plan is followed, dees not become responsible for any damage to the fruit caused by the changed conditions.

It is now expected that Oregon will be reall expressingly at Suokane. Medford well represented at Spokene. Medford has already provided for a display of Rosus Biver fruit of a carload or more and Ashland and some of the points in and Ashland and some of the points in the Willamette Valley may also come in. Hood River is also expected to send at least a carload of apples. The National Apple Show will be held from November

DEMONSTRATION TRAIN LEAVES

O, R. & N. Educational Feature Starts on Its Trip.

The O. R. & N. farming demonstration train left Bortland at S. P. M. yesterday for the four days' trip through Sherman, Gilliam and Morrow counties. The lectures and demonstrations will begin at Ione, on the Heppner branch, this morning at 9 o'cfock. The train consists of two doaches and a Pullman sleeper. The evening lectures, which will be given in the halls at Heppner, Condon and Moro, will be illustrated by colbred stereopticon views.

Accompanying the train are Dr. James Withgombe, C. I. Lewis, James Dryden, H. D. Scudder, C. E. Bradley and F. L. Kent, of the Oregon Agricultural College faculty: A. A. Morse, district freight agent of the O. R. & N., who is in charge of the train, and several assistants, photographers and newspaper men.

SLIGHT CHANGES ARE NEEDED

North Bank to Cut Time From Spokane 15 Minutes.

Some miner changes in the new sched-ule the North Bank road has announced to take effect next Sunday were decided the officials, it is said, recognize that the cut-off will be an expensive piece of to take effect next Sunday were decided roadbed, but competition is said to require the construction of such a road if the running time between Spourie the Northern Pacific is to compete such that the Northe

the new time card the Columbia River local from Cliffs would arrive at North Portland at the same time as one of the trains from Astoria. The jocal has therefore been set back 15 minutes and will
leave Cliffs at S. A. M. instead of 7:45,
and arrive here at 12:25 instead of noon.
The Goldendale train will connect with
the local at Lyle at 9 A. M., but the leaving time from Goldendale will not be
chapsed from that announced Sunday.
Twenty more minutes will be consumed
in running between the two points.
In preparation for the new electrictrains from Astoria. The local has therein running between the two points.

In preparation for the new electriclighted through service all passenger engines on the North Bank, are being
equipped with steam pipes for use in the operation of dynamos in the express cars.

TENANTS OF OFFICE BUILDINGS GET PRIVILEGE.

Occupants of Corbett Structure Bring About New Order-Superintendents to File Requests.

Tenants in the large office buildings of Portland may have their mail delivered to their offices every Sunday morning under the direction of the Superintendents of the buildings if the latter will file of the buildings if the latter will file with the Postmaster an order directing him to obtain such mail on the Sabbath. This was the substance of an opinion received yesterday by Postmaster Young from the Department at Washington.

The decision came in response to a request from the superintendent of the Corbett building, who had asked permission to call at the Postoffice every Sunday morning, secure the mail for the tenants of his building and distribute it in the proper offices for the convenience

in the proper offices for the convenience of the occupants. Many of the tenants of the Corbett building had been making of the Corbatt building and been making the practice of calling personally at the Postoffice on Sundays for their mail. The new arrangement will prove not only a convenience to tenants of office buildings, but will relieve much of the congestion which exists every Sunday morning at the Postoffice during the short time mail is delivered to anxious patrons.

COQUILLE MILL RESUMES

Aasen Bros. Lease Property Closed for Past Half Year.

COQUILLE, Or., Oct. 25 .- (Special.)-At 1 o'clock today, the whistle of the Coquille sawmill blew for the first time since last March, when the general depression in the lumber market caused a shutdown. The mill is under lease by Aasen Bros., a firm which has been in the logging business in this section for

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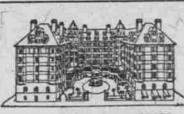
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erected on the river, two miles above the city where Assen Bros. own con-siderable waterfront property. The company is sawing the products of its own logging camp exclusively.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. PORTLAND, Oct. 25.—Maximum tempera-ture, 58 degrees; minimum, 45 degrees. River reading, 8 A. M. 23 feet; change in last 24 hours, rise 05 foot. Total rainfall since Sep-tember 1, 1909, 2.84 inches; normal, 4.12 inches; deficiency, 2.38 inches;

PACIFIC COAST WEATHER Observations taken at 5 P. M., Pacific time, October 25:

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WEATHER CONDITIONS. A small high pressure area overlies the North Facilic States and fair weather prevails generally throughout the district Some rain feel during the forences on the Strait of Fuca, but the weather in that section is now elsar. The temperatures have remained nearly stationary since yeaterday.

The indications are for fair weather in this district Tuesday, with light from in the sarly morning.

FOREGASTS. Portland and vicinity—Fair, with light frost in the early morning; northwesterly winds. Gregon and Washington—Fair, with light frost in the early morning; northwesterly winds.

Idaho—Fair, with light frost in the early morning.

EDWARD A. BEALS,
District Forecaster.

Phones in every !

Your cough annoys you. Keep on hacking and tearing the delicate membranes of your throat if you want to be annoyed. But if you want relief, want to be cured, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

AUCTION SALES TODAY.

For the furniture, etc., removed from Flanders-street residence, at our salesrooms, 152 Park street, at 10 o'clock. Haker & Sons, suctionsers. auctioneers.

Fine furniture of residence, 742 Irving st. near 23d Take 28d-st. car. J. T. Wilson, auctioneer.

At salesroom, 128 2d st. at 10 o'clock A.

M. S. L. N. Gilman, auctioneer.

MEETING NOTICES.

IVANHOE LODGE, No. 1. K. P., will give an entertainment in their castle hall, lith and Aldes sts. Tuesday evening, October 26. Entertainment consisting of recliations, songs dancing and whist. Members, their families and friends invited. E. M. LANCE, K. R. S.

WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 46.
A. F. AND A. M.—Special communication this (Tuesday) evening 7:30 E. 8th and Burnwide. M. M. degree. Visitors welcome. Order W. M. H. RICHMOND, Secretary.

MOUNT HOOD CIRCLE No. 15t, W. OF W. will give bilitary whist and dance. Tuesday evening Oct. 26, al W. O. W. Hall. East 6th and Alder sta; refreshments. Ad-mission 15c. All are offdially invited. COMMITTEE.



ELLISON ENCAMPMENT NO. 1, I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting this (Tuesday) evening. October 26, at 7:20 o'clock, Odd Fellow's Temple. Golden rule degree, Visitors welcome. Members urged to attend.

E. E. SHARON, Scribe.

CORINTHIAN CHAPTER NO. 84. O. E. S.—Stated communication this (Tuesday) evening, Masenic Temple. Halloween social. Members cordularly invited. By order W. M. (Signed) ELIZABETH SILKNITTER, Sec.