

RAILWAY'S TYPE OF FENDER BEST Six Safety Devices Tested. Only One Fails to Mangle Dummy on Tracks.

DECISION DUE TUESDAY

Experiment at Twenty-Sixth and Uphur Streets Discard Five Appliances as Useless—Company's Saver Approved.

Out of six fenders tested at Twenty-sixth and Uphur streets yesterday afternoon, only one proved efficient in picking up the dummies without "mangling" them. The successful device was invented by the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. All of the other fenders jammed the makeshift "victims" and tore them to pieces.

No fender was decided upon for approval, but next Tuesday afternoon at the same time and place other devices will be tested. Mayor Simon urged immediate action, as did Councilman Lombard, chairman of the special committee, and Councilmen Ellis and Rushlight, the other members. It is a question that has been agitated long, but never solved satisfactorily.

Operation of the cars, furnished by the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, was under the direction of C. J. Franklin, superintendent of transportation. Every man believing he had a fender worth trying was given a car on which to make the tryout.

Long Dan, a Chinese, was the first inventor to be given attention. His fender projected in front of the car, and while it was said by the inventor that it would pick up the dummy and keep it from rolling under the network, it failed to do so and tore the dummy considerably.

Kiser's Also Fails. The Standard, a fender invented by L. M. Kiser, was then tried. It was recently given a test in the Washington Building, on the Lewis and Clark Exposition grounds, on a floor, the device being attached to a wagon. It proved a failure there, as it did yesterday. The dummies were invariably jammed hard and torn, and were also shoved along on the ground. It was tried with a living object, the car being run at three miles an hour. The man knew the car was coming, of course, and when it got to him, he simply fell into it, partly jumping in.

Superintendent Franklin, after trying all of the inventions offered by others, put the company's contrivance to a severe test. It was run faster than on any of the others and in each of three trials the automatic trip worked to perfection and dropped instantly an ample amount of work, cleanly picked up the dummies and saved them from being torn.

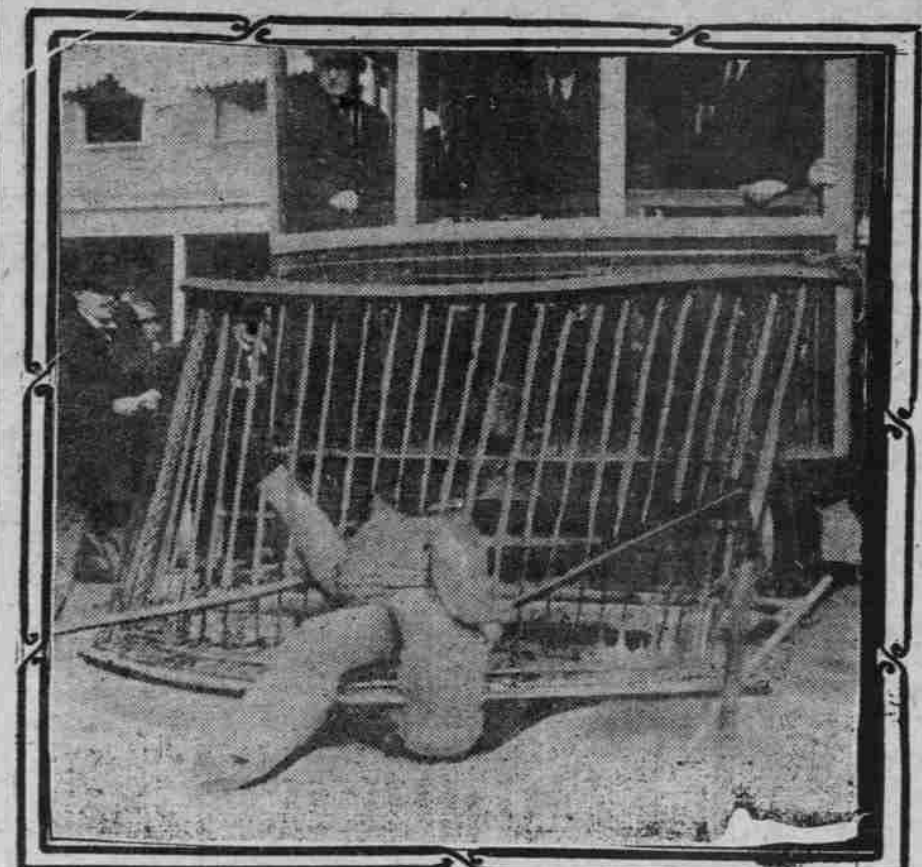
Mayor Simon and Councilman Rushlight discussed this device with the inventor, Superintendent Franklin. It is admitted by the company that if the car would strike a standing object damage would result, in all probability, but it is said by company officials that this fender will work to very good advantage even then. It is an impossibility for an object to get under the fender and strike a device on a car. The mayor and Mr. Rushlight said they believed if this could be used, it would be a pilot combined with what proved highly satisfactory. Mr. Franklin said he could not say what protection such a device would provide.

KEEP UP FAIRY STORIES This Writer Wouldn't Enlighten Children on Life's Mystery.

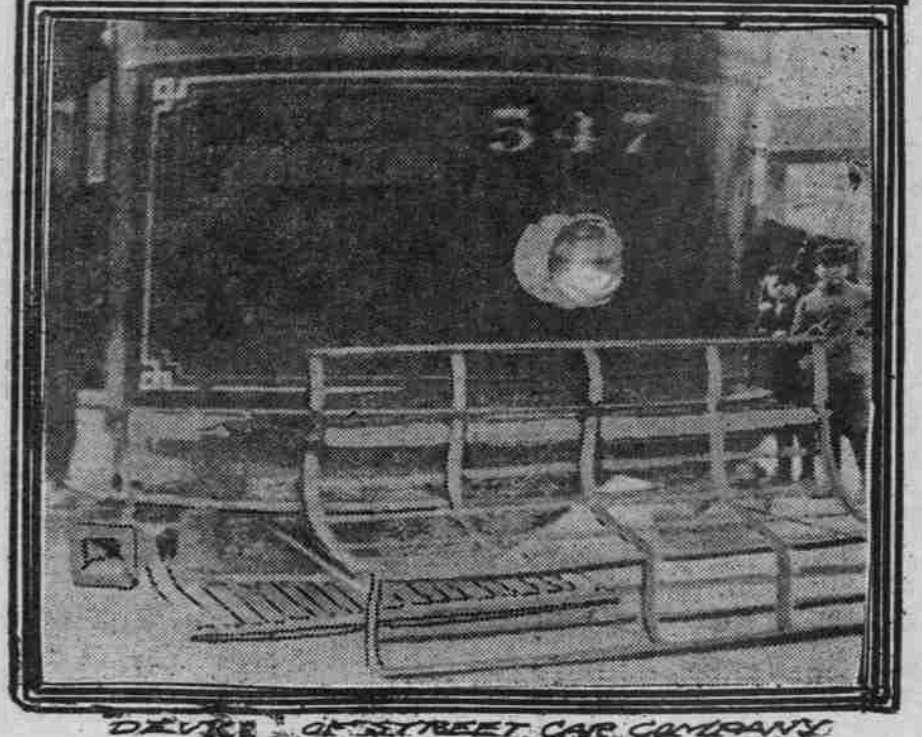
PORTLAND, March 15.—(To the Editor.)—Having read a news report in The Oregonian yesterday giving the views of Helen La Reine Baker, with regard to the enlightenment of children on the vital subjects of life, I suggest that children, but it is a favorite gossip those fundamental truths in such a way as to convey but little of their real significance. Children are usually imaginative, and love fairy stories and all the pretty fiction that our old nurses and mothers love to beguile us with. Why seek to make childhood prosaic and practical and burden children with these matters at all? Everyone knows the inquisitiveness of young people, and to tell them these truths would only lead them farther into the realm of questions, which might be difficult to answer, and which are suitable for a child to understand. For my part, I do not see that any great harm is done to tell children that pretty stories about the "stork" or "Santa Claus" or any pretty fairy story. As they grow older they come to realize that these are only play stories, and laugh with their elders at their ready belief in the old-fashioned delusions. Why should anyone seek to destroy all poetic imaginings, and make this old world dull, prosaic and uninteresting, when there are so sweet memories of the dear old innkeeper by the fireplace where we were all assembled to listen to a fairy story by Grimm or Hans Anderson, of the "Little Match-Grinder" there are many others, not to mention "Alice in Wonderland," a favorite with every child, and as it remembered these stories all points a moral, which should be explained to the children so that they may understand the purpose of the story. It is time enough to tell young people the mysteries of life when they are able to understand them, and it is better to be taught by the knowledge, but good indication would be the disposition and tendencies of the child itself, and accordingly.

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OF TWO FENDERS TESTED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON, ONLY THE STREETCAR COMPANY'S DEVICE WAS FOUND USEFUL.



STANDARD FENDER STRIKING DUMMY



DEVICE OF STREET CAR COMPANY

AUTOS TO AID SALE

Shamrocks May Be Bought at 6 A. M. Tomorrow.

WORKERS EAGER TO BEGIN

Small Army of Women Cautioned Not to Become Too Aggressive in Disposing of Tags—Additional Names Are Listed.

General sale of shamrocks for the benefit of the Catholic orphanage at Oswego will begin promptly at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning. The women in charge of this "tag day" affair have provided themselves with a sufficient supply of tags to meet all demands. In fact, the small army of workers is so enthusiastic in its campaign that it has become necessary for the members of the general committee to caution the sellers of tags not to become too aggressive in their efforts. The sale will not be confined to Portland.

FUNERAL SERVICES OF PIONEER WOMAN TO BE HELD TODAY.



Late Mrs. Jeannette Evans. Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Jeannette Evans, a pioneer of 1852, who died at her home at 1281 East Ninth street, North, March 15, will be held this afternoon from Finley's Chapel, and interment will be made in Greenwood Cemetery. Mrs. Evans was 63 years old, and came to Oregon with her father, Samuel White, in 1852, settling on the Tualatin Plains. In 1855 the family moved to Southern Oregon, where they remained at Kerby during the Indian war of that year. Mrs. Evans was married in 1864, and moved to Portland in 1872, later going to California and returning to Portland in 1881. Mrs. Evans is survived by a son, Phillip W. Evans, and two brothers and two sisters, as follows: Alexander and James White, of Kerby, Or.; Mrs. Harriett Waldron, San Francisco, Cal., and Mrs. Lavina Gaudard, Sawtelle, Cal.

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Remember, we are basing our statements upon what has already been accomplished by the use of Rexall "93" Hair Tonic, and we have the right to assume that what it has done for hundreds of others it will do for you. In any event you cannot lose anything by giving it a trial on our liberal guarantee. Two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember, you obtain the Rexall Remedies in Portland only at our store, —The Rexall Store, Owl Drug Co., Inc., cor. 7th and Washington Sts.

vague nebulous appearance, but is too near the zenith to cause much confusion. We may expect later on to hear of almost any object being mistaken for the comet when enthusiasts begin to leave their early couches to get a view, before the gray of dawn. Even Venus may come in for her share of mistaken identification, until the weird strangeness of Hieley's namesake renders error impossible. J. D. THOMPSON, M. D.

HYPNOTIST MAKES TEST HEAVY ROCK TO BE BROKEN ON CHEST OF SUBJECT.

Complete Catalepsy Will Be Proved. Pelham Anxious to Convince Skeptics of Ability.

Professor Pelham proposes to take the chance of prosecution for manslaughter or something worse at one of his performances this week. Breaking a 300-pound rock with blows from a 12-pound hammer when the stone rests on the breast of a cataleptic subject will be the feat with which Professor Pelham will attempt further to convince the Portland public of his ability as a hypnotist. Pelham has sent out several of his troupes to scout for a suitable rock. As soon as one has been procured and delivered at the Grand Theater the act will be performed.

Pelham asserts this feat to be the supreme test of his ability to bring about a complete state of catalepsy, hardening the entire body so that it will sustain the great weight of the stone and not suffer from the impact of the blows necessary to crush it. The visit of 14 Portland physicians to the theater to witness Pelham control the flow of blood in the arm of a subject and to restore it through suggestion has intensified interest in his hypnotic performance. The audience watches the arm written as the current of blood is cut off, and reddens with its return at the command of Pelham. As they find their way out of the theater many are unconvinced, characterizing the performance as a deception of the eye or some trick of legerdemain. Pelham proposes to dispense the minds of skeptics by convincing them that he has secured absolute control of the body and its organs. The great danger of the act serves to excite interest in its exemplification. The subject may not respond to suggestion in such manner as to be able to withstand the weight of the stone, or as a result of delivering crushing blows the body may sustain injuries.

Medford Honors Miss Maude Powell

MEDFORD, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—A reception this evening in honor of Miss Maude Powell, the violinist by the music lovers of Medford.

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NEBULA OF ANDROMEDA This Was Seen Over Silverton, Or. Not Halley's Comet.

WINLOCK, Wash., March 14.—(To the Editor.)—I have been much interested in the discussions in The Oregonian as to Halley's comet. While W. H. Bowers of Silverton was evidently mistaken in what he saw, yet his letter in The Oregonian of last Saturday was peculiarly fortunate, as it awoke a new interest in this heavenly visitor, which otherwise would have passed hence without attracting local notice and remained unnoticed until its reappearance late in the Spring. However, Mr. Bowers did see something in the sky, and his sight is keen; he has detected it with unaided vision. It is the Great Nebula of Andromeda, which presents a faint misty patch of light, very comet-like in appearance, and at this time of the year is in the northern part of the sky. It is not in Perseus, but as its name implies, in Andromeda. There is, in Perseus, a beautiful double cluster of stars which also has this

A Record Sale of Ladies' Handbags at The Owl Drug Co.

Saturday evening will mark the close of the greatest sale of Ladies' Handbags Portland has ever witnessed. That the people are taking advantage of the remarkable discount—33 1-3 per cent—is proven by the tremendous number of Handbags we have sold during these first few days of the sale. Even at the former prices you would consider the bags bargains, for they were marked at Owl Cut Rates, but at 33 1-3 per cent discount, we doubt that anywhere in the United States you can duplicate them. The line is still complete and includes bags usually sold at from \$1.00 to \$25.00, and, mind you, every one is offered for sale at the same discount—33 1-3 per cent. Take advantage of it while the lines are still complete.

Table with 4 columns listing handbag styles and prices. Includes items like 'A ten-inch frame bag, real leather lined, gusset bottom, double strap handles, gilt trimmings and change purse' and 'A Seal Grain Leather Bag with leather-covered frame, strap handles, in either gilt or gunmetal trimmings—regular \$4 value, now at \$2.67'.

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Read the Opinion of Oregon's Celebrated Scenic Photographer, B. A. Gifford, About NEAH-KAH-NIE MOUNTAIN

"In all my trips up and down the Pacific Coast, for several years past, I have been taking photographs of the points of exceptional interest. There is scarcely a rock or other natural formation that I have overlooked, from the southern point in Oregon, quite a distance up the Washington coast. "As a result of these journeys, I now regard Neah-kah-nie Mountain as the finest location on the Pacific Coast, both from the standpoint of scenic beauty and a Summer home resort. It is a wonderfully entrancing property, and I wish you well in the sale. (Signed) BENJ. A. GIFFORD." March 1, 1910.

So far as scenic effect is concerned, it is probable that there could be no better authority in the state than Gifford.

It is a fact that Neah-kah-nie's natural beauty is unapproached on this Coast. It is phenomenal in one respect: its topography includes every known character of surface, such as mountain and meadow; bare spots and groves; hills and dales; sand beach and rocky coast; precipices and plateaus; thrilling trails and pleasant paths; dashing streams and bubbling springs; deep forest tangles and great open vistas; steep mountain sides and level, expansive plains, more or less gently rolling.

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