

CARS RUN AFTER \$132,154 IS PAID

Settlement of Back Taxes at Last Moment Averts Complete Tie-Up.

DEPUTIES MEET BARRICADE

Tacoma & Seattle Streetcar Systems Lose in Long Fight to Avoid Paying Taxes When Election Plan Is Seized.

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—A tie-up of the streetcar system of Tacoma and Seattle was averted at 2:45 o'clock today, after deputy sheriffs, acting under orders of County Treasurer Ed Meath, had seized the Puget Sound Power Company's plant, at Electron, when James R. Howe, of Seattle, general counsel for the Stone & Webster Interurban, paid \$132,154 in cash into the hands of the county treasurer.

CARS CONTINUE IN OPERATION.

The company succeeded in keeping its cars running. Back taxes are also due from the Tacoma Railway & Power Company and the Puget Sound Electric Company, the latter operating the Tacoma-Seattle Interurban. Treasurer Meath says he expects an amicable settlement of those taxes now and will not seize the property, unless the two companies unless they refuse to come through.

COMPROMISE OFFER REFUSED.

J. B. Howe, of Seattle, chief counsel for the Stone & Webster Interurban, in the Northwest, then telephoned to Treasurer Meath offering to bring a check immediately for the entire sum, minus \$26,000 interest, but Mr. Meath refused to accept. Howe declared he would sue for damages if Meath shut down the plant, which would tie up the Tacoma and Seattle street railway lines and the interurban line between the two cities. In answer, Meath, receiving word from the men that they had reached the plant, directed the men to shut it down. Then the payment was made and the shutdown was averted.

SUSPECTED ROBBER FREE

Witnesses Unable to Identify Assailant of Express Clerk.

SEATTLE, Nov. 15.—Richard Howley, on trial charged with robbing a Great Northern Pacific car in this city May 12, 1908, was discharged today at the request of the prosecuting attorney, whose witnesses were unable to identify Howley as the robber.

ILLEGAL VOTING CHARGED

Washington Election Judges to Be Arrested for Violation.

EVERETT, Wash., Nov. 15.—Warrants were issued yesterday for the arrest of H. L. Huddle, S. G. Bell and Edward Brumby, election officers at Arlington, charging them with violating the law on November 8 by knowingly permitting Chris Sauttos, a Greek, to vote illegally. It is charged that the vote of Sauttos was challenged and he admitted that he had not his second papers, but was permitted to vote.

CHILD KICKED BY HORSE

Infant Has Chance of Recovery From Wound on Head.

CORVALLIS, Or., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Lyle, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Malby, of Alisha, Benton County, was kicked by a horse, inflicting a very severe wound on the child's head. Dr. Johnson, of Corvallis, attended the little fellow. Unless complications arise, the chances for recovery are very good.

CHINAMAN IS MURDERED

Mutilated Body of Oriental Found in Hoquiam River.

BERDEN, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Ah Fook, a Chinese gardener, 65

years old, was murdered in his little cabin on the Hoquiam River on the outskirts of Hoquiam Sunday. His body was found this morning in the Hoquiam River, where it had been thrown. The throat was cut from ear to ear and the body was lying in the mud where it was left by the outgoing tide. The motive for the crime is unknown, but it is thought to be the act of a drunken fiend. Fook's head was badly battered and his hands were chopped up with a hatchet which was found, stained with blood, on a table in the cabin. Signs in the cabin indicate that he fought desperately for his life. The body was dragged 150 feet and thrown over a fence before being thrown into the river.

LAW'S RESPECT SOUGHT

SALOONKEEPERS URGED TO OBEY SUNDAY CLOSING.

Brewers and Wholesalers Insist That Violation Should Mean Loss of License.

The Oregon State Brewers' Association, the Oregon Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Association, and the Oregon State Retail Liquor Dealers' Association, at a joint meeting yesterday afternoon recommended that the penalty for saloonkeepers keeping open Sunday, selling liquor on Sunday and violating other laws regulating the liquor traffic be revocation of the license, and the City Council is urged to take such drastic action.

GROWERS WILL ORGANIZE

Starbuck District Orchard Owners Plan Co-operation.

DAYTON, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—With the rapid development of the fruit industry at Starbuck growers are planning to organize this month for co-operation in production, harvesting, shipping and selling. A meeting will be called in Starbuck the last of November to organize a growers' association. Funds will be raised for maintaining the association and advertising the fruiting possibilities of the banks of the Snake River from Riparia to Grange City.

CANDLE FINDS GAS LEAK

Acetylene Explosion Wrecks Skamokawa Postoffice.

SKAMOKAWA, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Seeking the origin of a strong odor of acetylene gas that permeated the warehouse of West & Thompson, general merchants here, Mr. Thompson and Lowell C. Kennedy, the postmaster, searched with a lighted candle. The flame exploded the gas and the explosion started a fire that destroyed the warehouse, the store with its stock of goods and the postoffice in the store.

TIMBER BRINGS \$100,000

Paper Company Secures 5000-Acre Tract in Clatsop County.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Deeds were filed for record today whereby the Ferguson & Stewart Timber Company and the Astoria Title & Trust Company sell to the Crown-Columbia Pulp & Paper Company, of Oregon City, 5000 acres of timber land five miles south of Svensen, in this county.

ORCHARDISTS ARE ACTIVE

Goldendale Country Sees Thousands of Apple Trees Set Out.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—There has been a great deal of activity the last week among orchardists, as the first shipments of trees this fall have been arriving. O. J. Nelson received 8000 trees which he will set out this fall. The R. E. Nichols Company received 8000 trees which they will set out on the Old Ward place to the east of town. In the Spring they intend putting 300 acres more into apples. The Wahkiakum Heights Orchard Company, which has just been incorporated here owns 800 acres 12 miles west of Goldendale and three miles from Wahkiakum. W. D. Gordon, of the Minnesota Fruit Land Company will set out about 3000 trees this fall.

CANAL ORDER MODIFIED

Supreme Court Issues Supersedeas Writ in Seattle Case.

SEATTLE, Nov. 15.—The State Supreme Court today issued a supersedeas order against the injunction granted by the Thurston County Superior Court stopping work on the Lake Washington canal.

COLUMBIA DOES FINE WORK

Following work started by the dredge Columbia between the North Bank bridge and Swan Island, it was yesterday reported by Captain Hugh Grives, of the Port of Portland dredges, that the channel is scouring and that he is positive excellent results will be obtained at that point. Tonight the Columbia will complete the task and is then to shift to the mouth of the Willamette and cut a channel as wide as conditions will permit, extending upstream nearly a mile, with a depth of 25 feet.

PLAN TO SILENCE

Brewmasters Will "Educate" Public in Future.

CONCERTED ACTION SOON

Campaign Will Extol Beer's Merits as "Temperance" Beverage and Oppose Sale of "Booze".

Spokane Brewer Talks.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—To stem the swelling tide of local opinion by extolling the merits of beer as a "temperance" beverage and promoting the sale of more rigorous intoxicants is the announced purpose of the Northwestern Brewmasters' Association, which has just concluded sessions here.

A campaign of public "education" in this direction is to be undertaken by the brewmasters working for the present independently, but later it is planned along more concerted lines. "Beer is not booze and is not properly classed as an intoxicating liquor," said Brewmaster Wenzel J. Marx, of the Schade Brewing Co. "We are as much opposed to whisky, gin and other strong drinks as anyone but it isn't fair to put us out of business because of other people's sins. Beer will not hurt anyone if used in a reasonable manner, on the contrary it has a very considerable food value. Of course, it will intoxicate if people drink too much of it, but why condemn beer wholesale because a few people make fools of themselves? We are going to try, as we have in the past, to make the public understand that they should sell beer to their patrons instead of strong drinks, which we call 'booze' and also that they should be careful to work for their own interests that their patrons may not become intoxicated."

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE PROPOSES TO CALL LOCAL OPTION ELECTION.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—"Spokane will have a special local option election next year. You can bet that we will not wait two years before calling the election," said Lewis R. Horton, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League for Eastern Washington.

VALLEY PIONEER IS DEAD

"Mother" Stephens, Early Salem Settler, Passes at Age of 87.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Through the death of "Mother" Stephens, Oregon loses another famous Willamette Valley pioneer. She was born in Missouri in 1823 and in 1842 she was married to Adam Stephens. Together they endured the hardships of an overland journey across the plains, arriving in Marion County, Oregon in October, 1848. Here they traded a pony and a rifle for a squatter's right to a portion of land now known through the name of the late Adam Stephens as the Stephens claim, which lies a mile north of Salem. Here they located and here they resided until their death.

GRAIN PRICES INCREASE

FARMERS HOLD ON TO WHEAT WHEN BIDS ARE BETTER.

Walla Walla Growers See Rising Market and Hesitate to Sell Despite Good Offerings.

CLASSED, THE BEST.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Wheat has been climbing this week, steadily although slowly, and prices quoted today were 2 cents and the low-water mark of the season's quotations. Clob today brought 67 cents, although little of it was sold at that price. Turkey red and forty-fold were a cent higher, 68 cents being offered with no sales. Bluestem was sold in small quantities at 70 cents.

PORTLAND WOMAN MARRIED.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Mrs. Nellie S. Langley, of Portland, was married to Charles E. Young, of Vancouver, here today.

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MORRISON AT SEVENTH

PORTLAND'S LEADING FURNITURE AND COMPLETE HOME-FURNISHING STORE.

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Toyland—Portland's Best and Most Varied Toy Showing—The World's Cleverest Toymakers Have Contributed to This Wonderful Gathering.

Thanksgiving Crockery, Cut Glass, Table Silverware, Roasters, etc., in the Basement Store. Your Thanksgiving Dinner Will Be Best Cooked on a "South Bend Malleable" Range. We'll Place One in Your Home on the Most Liberal Payment Terms of \$1 Down and \$1 Weekly. Get Yours Today.

That Very Important Sale of Beautiful Gowns and Dresses and Fine Tailored Suits Continues

Resplendent in styles and materials, and in tailoring, with that added touch of distinctiveness that is conspicuous in Tull & Gibbs' garments—and then the opportunity that this special selling presents—it's the one that many have already taken advantage of—that means savings not to be overlooked by those who have given more or less thought to a new Tailored Suit, Dress or Gown.

Bringing to Notice That Most Exceptional Sale of Lily of France Corsets

\$5.00 FOR LILY OF FRANCE MODELS WORTH \$10 AND \$7.50

A special offering that we planned in place of the Fall demonstration—the giving of unusual values in these high-class Corsets—and there are models for every type of figure, so that no one should be disappointed in selection. Made of fine imported corset materials—French coutil, broche and brocade. Sizes 18 to 36. No charge for alterations or fittings.

Our Heating Stove Service

what kind of a stove you may want you'll find it here. And we're ready to extend most convenient terms of payment.

An Additional Special Group Women's, Misses' Tailored Suits

\$35, \$37.50 and \$40 SUITS at \$29.50

The above price has proven most popular with Portland suit buyers, so we have decided to add one hundred more Suits to the special \$29.50 group that we announced a few days ago. In this increased special group of Suits are beautiful materials—plain, fine serges, handsome rough weave fabrics, worsteds and many pretty fancy mixtures. The very newest skirt styles. Both women's and misses' sizes. Choice of style is not limited to a few—the collection surely covers every need of those who seek an admirably Tailored Suit. The savings are indeed important.

Prices Lowered Considerably on Hardwick Wilton Rugs

\$44.50 for \$60 Rugs

Fourteen sample rugs of this celebrated weave to be closed out to make room for the new ones that are coming in—right up-to-date patterns and color combinations—smooth all-over effects, medallion designs, Persian patterns, etc. The tan shades are conspicuous in this special group. A chance for homemakers to secure at a notable saving a room-size rug that will give the best of service. Carpet Store—Sixth floor.

BANKERS ARE ACCUSED

THEY TOOK MONEY, KNOWING INSOLVENCY, IS CHARGE.

Officials of Halley Institution Each Placed Under \$10,000 Bonds. Property Is Mortgaged.

FORGER WORKS IN KLAMATH FALLS.

KLAMATH FALLS, Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Three checks aggregating \$13 were turned down by the local banks today as forgeries which were passed upon business men of this city. The forger came here and registered at one of the local hotels under the name of Henderson. He bought a \$7 pair of boots, and tendering a check for \$4, received the remainder in cash. He then bought several drinks and cashed another check for \$40. Then he bought an overcoat and hat, and offered another check for \$44 which was cashed. The checks were drawn on the Klamath County Bank and had the name of J. Frank Adams, a prominent farmer and rancher of this valley, forged thereto and were indorsed under the name of J. F. Riggs.

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This addition is in the center of Kenton and borders on the great manufacturing district. There are several large factories in operation at present, and three of the larger ones are within 200 feet of National Addition.

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