

LAND AND WATER LINES PROJECTED

Harriman Interests Would Enter Coos Bay by Rail and Run Ships South.

C. J. MILLIS GIVES HINT

Work to Connect Coast With Main Southern Pacific Road May Begin at Once—Lumber Trade Needs Vessels.

New steamer service and a railway project for Coos Bay were business subjects that took C. J. Millis, superintendent of the Harriman steamship line between this port and Coos Bay, to San Francisco for a month. He returned yesterday morning.

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MUCH ASPHALTUM COMING

Season Likely to Break Record in Movements of Paving Material.

Shipments of asphaltum by steamer to Portland during the coming season is expected to be far in excess of that of last year. One firm in Southern California, the name being withheld for the present, has contracted already to send 10,000 tons of asphaltum to be handled over the North Pacific docks.

Last year the total shipment of asphaltum through Portland by water was only 17,000 tons. Receipts amounted to 160,000 tons. It has been learned recently that a large amount of paving material will be shipped through Portland to Spokane this year.

Kilburn May Come Here. The steamer Kilburn, which was burned several months ago while she was plying between San Francisco and Eureka, will soon be ready for service again, and there is probability that she will be placed on the run between Portland and Eureka.

Marine Notes.

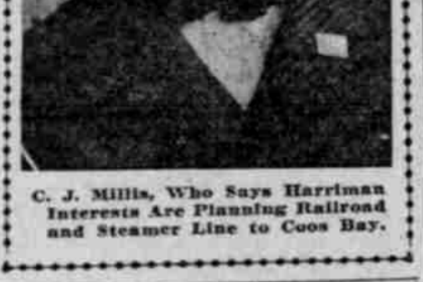
The British bark Oweness arrived late last night from Astoria. Many pleasure seekers took advantage of the pleasant weather yesterday to go boat riding on the river.

From Victoria, the Norwegian steamer Skogstad arrived late last night and is expected to begin loading lumber immediately.

With a full cargo and a big passenger list, the steamer Geo. W. Elder arrived at a late hour last night from San Diego and way ports.

A regular passenger steamship service between Los Angeles and Honolulu is being planned, says the Daily Commercial News of San Francisco.

With her usual amount of freight and a moderate number of passengers the steamer Breakwater arrived at 11:30 o'clock yesterday morning from Coos Bay.



C. J. Millis, who says Harriman interests are planning a railroad and steamer line to Coos Bay.

PORTLAND, March 12.—Arrived—Steamer Breakwater, from Coos Bay; steamer Geo. W. Elder, from San Diego and way ports; Norwegian steamer Skogstad, from Victoria; British bark Oweness, from South America; Astoria, Or., March 12.—Columbia at the mouth of the river at 5 P. M.; smooth; wind, west; weather, clear. Arrived—Steamer Breakwater, from Coos Bay. Arrived at 1:30 P. M. Left for Astoria at 2:30 P. M. Steamer Geo. W. Elder, from San Francisco. Arrived at 5 A. M. Steamer Skogstad, from Norwegian steamer Skogstad, from Victoria.

STEAMER INTELLIGENCE.

Table with columns: Name, Due to Arrive, Date. Lists various steamers and their arrival dates.

Scheduled to Depart.

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Tides at Astoria Monday.

Table with columns: High, Low. Shows tide times for Monday.

CHAMPION SPEED MOTOR-MAID ISSUES CHALLENGE FOR RACE WITH ANY PORTLAND WOMAN AUTO DRIVER.

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KARNOFF CLINGS TO FIRST STORY

New Witnesses Will Testify Today Man Is and Is Not C. T. Hubbard.

PHYSICIANS AID PRISONER

No Resemblance to One Who Applied at County Jail for Insomnia Treatment, Say Drs. Gillespie and Applewhite.

From a dozen to a score of witnesses will be present in Municipal Court this morning to give their testimony on the question whether George Karnoff, manager of a drink cure in Spokane, is also C. T. Hubbard, who applied at the County Jail six weeks ago for incarceration upon the plea that he was losing his mind through insomnia.

Not since a year ago, when John T. Davies, the "back-hand forger," confessed crimes for which O. R. Blystone had been in the penitentiary for nearly a year, has there been a case of identity which has aroused so much interest in police circles as this one.

On the other hand, Drs. Gillespie and Applewhite, who treated the man referred to, say that Karnoff bears not the slightest resemblance to him, and that they are by the same hand. They include the acknowledged writing of Karnoff, signatures on hotel registers, the signature of the bad check, and the name "C. T. Hubbard," found written in a note book carried in Karnoff's pocket.

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That the prisoner had greater designs against property in the Bresslin Hotel is alleged by the residents. They say that during his residence there he was seen prowling about the halls at all hours.

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Agents for "Vudor" Porch Shades and Hammocks—Picture Framing Custom Tailoring—Women's Suits and Coats Made to Your Measure

Women's Gloves 59c Pair Regular Values to \$2. Messaline Silks 98c Yd. Regular \$1.25 Values.

Today we will place on sale 2000 pairs of Women's Kid Gloves in a complete line of sizes, and all wanted shades. Some with Paris points, others self or fancy stitched. Thrifty women will be here when the doors open this morning to take advantage of early choosing.



Women of exquisite taste and economical turn of mind will thoroughly appreciate this unusual offering of Messaline Silks. The dainty Easter girl will look charming in a gown of this fabric.

See the Sunday Papers for Today's Specials Which Are Not Mentioned in This "Ad"

Wool Blankets \$4.50 Values at \$2.75 \$16.50 Values \$10.75

In the big Bedding Store, third floor, a clean-up sale of broken lines and slightly soiled Wool Blankets, also a sample line which we picked up at less than regular. Today we place them on sale at the following very low price. Take advantage and buy early.

\$8 Cottage Rugs \$5.75 \$15 Cottage Rugs at \$10.50

Floor coverings which will appeal to any person wanting good, serviceable Rugs at moderate prices. Light colorings in materials which will stand the wear. They can be washed or dry cleaned.

Val. Laces \$3.50 Doz. at \$1.37 \$2.25 Dozen at 98c \$1.25 Dozen at 48c

Thousands of dozens of the much-wanted Valenciennes Laces, insertions, etc., in a great variety of dainty designs, all widths, suitable for trimming dresses, waists, fine underwear, for fancy work, etc.

Dress Nets \$1.25 Val. 79c

Several hundred yards of dainty 42-inch Dress Nets, in white, cream and ecru, in all the latest small-pattern effects, worth up 79c to \$1.25 yard, special, only 79c.

Operating Revenue of Roads West Takes Big Drop.

Operating Revenue of Roads West Takes Big Drop. Bureau of Railway Economics in Report for November, 1910, Shows Expenses Are Climbing More Than Gains.

Adjustment of finances on all Western railroads is forecasted in the summary of revenues and expenses of steam roads in the United States for November, 1910, prepared by the Bureau of Railway Economics and issued to the heads of the transportation companies.

Advertisement for Young Mothers Mother's Friend, featuring a woman's portrait and text about maternal health.

Embr'deries \$1.75 Values at 69c \$1.00 Values at 37c 35c Values for 17c

Embroideries for the new Spring Underwear and for trimming Summer dresses. Three sensational values are offered. Beautiful patterns in allovers, galleons, corset covers, edges, insertions, etc., at prices which will attract great crowds of thrifty women.

Allover Nets 98c Reg. Vals. to \$2.25

Today we feature many special values in Allover Nets, 18 inches wide, in white, cream and ecru; worth to \$2.25 a yard, special at low price of only, yd. 98c.

Combinations \$5-\$6 Gowns \$2.95

French Linen Gowns, high and square neck, slipover styles, long or short sleeves; beautifully trimmed; \$5 and \$6 \$2.95 values, special at only \$2.95.

Corset Sale \$6 Values \$3.79 \$1.75 Values at 94c

In the corset salon, 2d floor, a sale of the famous Bon Ton Corsets in sizes 25 to 36, made of fine coutil and batiste, with 4 and 6 bone supporters attached; trim'd tops; best regular \$5 and \$6 values, on special sale at \$3.79.

other track has increased 81.5 per cent. The growth of the truckage over and beyond that of the necessary single line is cited as a significant illustration of capital investment demanded imperatively by growing business.

KLAMATH TO SHOW SOUTH "Prince Booster" Rustles Exhibit for Los Angeles Display.

KLAMATH FALLS, March 12.—(Special.)—C. T. Oliver, "Prince of Boosters" for Klamath County, will leave here Monday morning for Los Angeles to attend the Midwinter Lumber and Products Exposition to open there on March 18.

HOOD RIVER Aids Chinese.

HOOD RIVER, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—Edgar Locke, one of the Valley's pioneer fruitmen, who resides near the Rutherford section, visited Hood River yesterday and started a subscription fund for plague-stricken Chinese. Mr. Locke headed the list of contributors by donating \$25.