

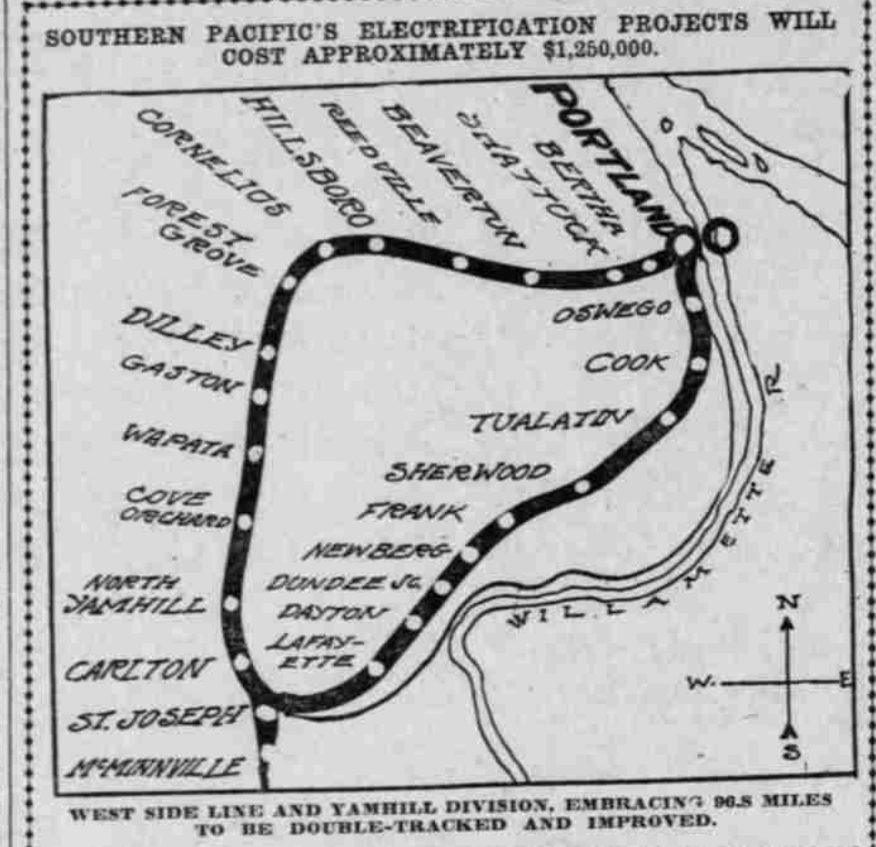
RETAIL HARDWARE DEALERS CONVE... Honor Roll and Blacklist of Wholesalers Proposed by President Griffin. PARCELS POST ATTACKED Merchants Declare Mail Order Firms Unfair and Say Catalogues Should Be Watched—Affiliation With National Body.

of the Union Pacific at Omaha, are registered at the Carlton. P. G. Elsh, a prominent business man of The Dalles, is at the Bowers. L. L. Jewell, postmaster of Grants Pass, is registered at the Imperial. J. W. Dakin and W. E. Colby, Hood River merchants, are at the Carlton. E. A. Churchill, woolen mill operator of Washougal, is registered at the Imperial. James J. John, a stockman of Chinook, Mont., is registered at the Cornhusk. Joseph Wheeler, a merchant of Baker, is at the Perkins accompanied by Mrs. Wheeler. A. W. Leuders, a lumberman of Aberdeen, is at the Bowers accompanied by Mrs. Leuders. Will Wright, state bank examiner, was in Portland yesterday in attendance upon the United States Court.

RAIL RIGHTS ASKED Southern Pacific Seeks Grant on Fourth Street. ELECTRIFICATION IN VIEW City Council to Be Asked for Franchises to Permit Double-Tracking in City With Connection at Jefferson Station.

STATE SOCIAL IS FRIDAY Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. Members Who Lived in East Will Meet. As the auditorium of the Young Men's Christian Association will be occupied next Friday night by the banquet of the teams in the membership contest.

Double tracks on Fourth street, and a connection between the Jefferson-street depot and the Fourth-street line will be asked by the Southern Pacific Railway in a franchise that



SOUTHERN PACIFIC'S ELECTRIFICATION PROJECTS WILL COST APPROXIMATELY \$1,250,000. WEST SIDE LINE AND YAMHILL DIVISION, EMBRACING 90.5 MILES TO BE DOUBLE-TRACKED AND IMPROVED.

the weekly social event will be held at the Young Women's Christian Association, and will be participated in by members of the Y. W. C. A. It is to be a state social and the attendance will be limited to 75 women and 75 men. Only young men and young women who have come from the following states will be eligible to attend: Maine, Vermont, Ohio, Michigan, Massachusetts, New York, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey. Membership will be by free tickets, which are being issued by the social secretaries of the two associations, and all who desire to attend must secure these tickets. An interesting programme of music and games is being arranged. The games played will be games that are popular in the states that are to be represented.

will be presented to the City Council for passage within the next few weeks. These changes are in connection with the general plans for electrification of the West Side and Yamhill divisions, which have been in progress for the past three years. Passengers in the Yamhill territory between McMinnville and Portland will be brought right into the heart of the city, according to the plan, instead of unloading at the Jefferson-street depot as at present. William Sproule, president of the Southern Pacific, and E. E. Calvin, general manager, departed from Portland last night, after spending four days here, in which they completed arrangements with D. W. Campbell, general superintendent, for making the changes. With the exception of obtaining the franchises, virtually all the preliminary work in connection with the electrification has been done. The engineering department of the Southern Pacific is in San Francisco, where the plans for the entire project were completed more than a year ago. The visit of Mr. Sproule and Mr. Calvin did not necessitate additional work on the part of the Southern Pacific's Portland force, as the preliminaries had been completed. Present plans contemplate the electrification of the Fourth-street line between Portland and St. Joseph, and of the Yamhill division between the same two points, the two lines forming a loop, almost heart-shaped, through

MASHING PLAIN DROPPED Woman Not Appearing Case Against W. C. Earle Is Dismissed.

Because a woman who said she had been insulted by W. C. Earle, consulting engineer of the State Railroad Commission, was not in court to give her testimony, the case against Earle was dismissed in the Municipal Court.

W. M. LADD LAUDS Y. M. C. A. Rotary Club Told Association Is Doing Great Good in Portland.

W. M. Ladd, in his address on "Dividends" before the Rotary Club yesterday, declared that the Y. M. C. A. is Portland's best dividend-paying institution, pointing out its influence in giving many young men a start toward success in life. Many brilliant careers, he asserted, had their inception in the night schools and other educational departments of the Y. M. C. A. Edward Cookingham, speaking on "Currency Reform," outlined the progress of the Aldrich monetary bill, which he believes will, if passed, make the recurrence of financial panics in the United States an impossibility. Following are the names submitted by the nominating committee, from which, in the annual election, six will be chosen for club directors: A. M. Cronin, C. V. Cooper, M. W. Hunt, C. B. Merrick, O. G. Walker, H. Clausenius, H. P. Coffin, R. S. Jesselyn, J. C. English, Phil Grossmayer, A. F. Bickford and C. T. Prall.

YOUNG CHINA ASSOCIATION OF SEATTLE AND NURSES WHO ARE AFFILIATED WITH SIMILAR ORGANIZATION IN PORTLAND.



THE YOUNG CHINESE ASSOCIATION OF SEATTLE

PERSONAL MENTION. J. H. Hamilton, of Dayton, is at the Oregon. H. J. Olive, of Cashmere, is at the Portland. F. A. Phelps, a Baker merchant, is at the Imperial. W. J. Water, a Medford banker, is at the Imperial. E. C. Judd, judge of Clatsop County, is at the Imperial. H. W. Hoefler, an Astoria merchant, is at the Perkins. Dr. J. R. Parsons, of Ashland, is registered at the Oregon. Henry Sherman, of Astoria, is registered at the Cornhusk. C. O. Sexton, a Grants Pass merchant, is at the Perkins. J. K. McGregor, a fruitgrower of Mosier, is at the Bowers. Dr. E. A. Carr, of Lincoln, Neb., is registered at the Portland. Horace Lilly, a merchant of McMinnville, is registered at the Perkins. A. Farquhar, R. C. Tischmeyer and G. P. Spaulding, prominent officials



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Portland and St. Joseph. The electrification will extend to McMinnville, three miles south of the junction point at St. Joseph, the entire project embracing 98.8 miles. Franchises for operation of service through the streets of Newberg and Forest Grove already have been granted. The question now is pending before the City Council at Hillsboro. At McMinnville the Southern Pacific tracks cross the main streets, so no additional privileges will be asked. An appropriation of \$12,250,000 has been made to carry on this work. Some of the money has been expended already in ballasting and laying heavier rails.

Current Contract Let. As soon as the franchises in Hillsboro and Portland are granted, work on these enterprises will be started. The entire line will be double-tracked and equipped with 90-pound rails. Overhead construction and bonding will consume a large portion of the appropriation. New equipment will be ordered.

The Southern Pacific has a contract with the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company to supply it with the current necessary for operating its cars on these lines, according to the terms of which power must be delivered on or before or at any time after January 1, 1912, that it is demanded. Eventually the double-tracking and electrification will be extended south of McMinnville to Corvallis. The Southern Pacific recently took over the logging road operating between Corvallis and Monroe. Construction work between Monroe and Eugene now is in progress. With the completion of this progress, the Southern Pacific will have a new entrance into Eugene operated by electricity, which will afford competition with the Oregon Electric on an equal basis.

Mr. Sproule and Mr. Calvin expressed their satisfaction with the progress Mr. Campbell has made with the work. They departed last night for Salt Lake City.

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Lad Undergoes Operation. Andrew Cook, the 5-year-old son of Mrs. Archie A. Cook, and nephew of John C. McCue, was operated on for appendicitis in St. Vincent's Hospital yesterday at 4:30 o'clock, and is reported to be doing well.

ELKS COMING IN AUTOS Philadelphia "Bell" to Travel by Motor to Convention City.

Automobiles will be used to bring half a dozen prominent members of the Philadelphia Lodge of Elks to the annual convention of their order in Portland next July. Chester Ray, a banker of that city, yesterday wrote Harry C. McAllister, secretary of the convention commission, advising him that he and a party of friends will start from the Quaker City early in the summer and make the trip across the continent leisurely. They will not endeavor to establish speed records, but will aim to be here in time for the reunion, which will start Monday, July 8. As soon as the route is determined, the lodges at the various points at which they will stop will be notified, that the travelers may be received properly everywhere. The main body of Philadelphia Elks will travel in a special train. Another meeting of Elks living in

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SAPOLIO CLEANS SCOURS POLISHES Solid Cake WORKS WITHOUT WASTE

Portland who are members of lodges in other parts of the country, will be held in the lodgerooms this evening.

Charles Lebegood, commercial artist for the O. W. R. & N. Company, has been awarded the prize of \$20 offered by the Elks' publicity committee for the best cover design for the booklet explaining the convention which now is in course of preparation.

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