

**MORE CABLES LAID**

Telephone Company Provides for Improvements to Cost \$50,000.

**PART IN MAIN DISTRICT**

Better Facilities South of Jefferson and West of Park Street and Lines for New Buildings Are Ordered.

Expenditures aggregating approximately \$50,000 have been authorized by the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company for the new cable lines to the plants and cable systems in the business districts.

One is for a 600-pair underground cable from the main office to Sixteenth and Jackson streets, which is to provide facilities for the extension and to relieve the present congestion in the main district, south of Jefferson street and west of Park street.

The second job is the placing of a 600-pair cable underground on Jefferson street between West Park street and Broadway. This proposed cable is to provide relief and facilities in the district south of Alder street and east of Park street.

The third job covers the placing of additional underground cables in the present subway on Burnside and Fifteenth streets. This is to relieve the present condition of the underground cables over this route, and to care for new buildings now in the course of construction.

**COURT WON BY EX-CONVICT**

Detectives Accused of Hounding Man After Release.

"Am I supposed to hang a sign across my back saying 'Ex-convict from Walla Walla?'" was the question asked by Abe Goldberg, who secured his freedom in Municipal Court yesterday after being arrested for vagrancy by Detectives Vaughn and Hyde.

The query and the rest of a 10-minute speech which Goldberg made freed him and his companion, Frank E. Rhoades, also an ex-convict. Goldberg said that he was hounded by the detectives. He said that he had served 22 months for the crime of which he had been accused, and had so expiated it.

**TWO ADDRESSES HEARD**

Four Members and 16 Infants Arrived to Temperance Union.

A mothers' meeting, under the auspices of the Woodstock W. C. T. U., was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Clara Ingham, 1185 Harold avenue.

Dr. Leon Story gave an address on the physical training of the child. He advised against the use of alcohol in every form by the mothers, and the medicines or soothing syrups by the child.

**VANDALS SMASH WINDOWS**

Plate Glass in Jewelry Stores Is Shattered Without Robbery.

With no apparent object save wanton destruction, two plateglass display windows, one at A. and C. Feldenheimer's jewelry store at Washington and Park streets, and the other at Friedlander's jewelry store at Sixth and Washington streets, were smashed presumably at about 2 o'clock Tuesday night.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

- N. Rabinowitz, of Oakland, Cal., is at the Carlton.
- Mrs. P. A. Tranna, of Medford, is at the Cornhill.
- Charles E. Harland, of Medford, is at the Washington.
- Louis Jacobs is registered at the Cornhill from San Francisco.
- Mr. and Mrs. P. Triaby, of Beaverton, are at the Washington.
- R. M. Harding, of Silverton, is registered at the Multnomah.
- Mrs. G. F. Ross and daughter, of The Dalles, are at the Cornhill.
- Mr. and Mrs. T. Howell, of Hood River, are at the Multnomah.
- F. W. Shanpleigh, a Medford hardware man, is at the Carlton.
- Russell Hawkins is registered at the Oregon from Tillamook Bay.
- H. R. Nelson, a hotel man of Redding, Cal., is at the Oregon.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hufford, of Stevenson, are at the Imperial.
- R. H. Dorman, a business man of Camas, Wash., is at the Perkins.
- H. D. Maynard is registered at the Washington from San Francisco.
- Mr. and Mrs. K. Gregerson, of Monticello, Or., are at the Washington.
- W. I. Ewert, of Seattle, was registered at the Multnomah yesterday.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Myers are registered at the Carlton from Lyle, Wash.
- M. E. Clement and George Cottingham, of Ridgefield, Wash., are at the Carlton.
- H. F. Wellington, a San Francisco manufacturer, registered at the Perkins yesterday.
- J. P. Boyd, of Tacoma, accompanied by Mrs. Boyd, registered at the Cornhill yesterday.
- George M. Gibson, of San Francisco, Pacific Coast manager for E. R. Durken & Co., is at the Oregon.
- F. W. Chrisman, of Silver Lake, Or., where he is in the hotel business, is registered at the Multnomah.
- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ames and Mr.

**STUDENTS IN SHOW**

Washington High Will Stage Vaudeville Acts Tonight.

**FOOTBALL GIRLS BILLED**

Gridiron Star Impersonates Devil and Christopher Columbus—Chinese Mob Mystery Is on Programme.

As a means of raising money for the student body fund, a vaudeville performance will be staged in the Washington High school auditorium tonight. The first act is scheduled to start at 8:15 o'clock.

**STATE TO AID WILKINS**

PROSECUTOR OFFERS TO PAY FOR OBTAINING MESSAGES.

Brother of Man Defendant Is Accused of Murdering Breaks Down While on Witness Stand.

All expense of obtaining evidence concerning the telegrams, which Attorney W. T. Hume insisted were taken from Lloyd H. Wilkins when he was arrested, will be paid by the state, said Deputy District Attorney Maguire yesterday afternoon at Wilkins' trial.

The defendant is charged with the murder of Lou Winters. The telegrams, the attorney for the defense said, were addressed to Wilkins and were in reply to messages he had sent inquiring as to the whereabouts of his wife.

"No such messages have ever come to my notice in examining the effects of the defendant, and the state will pay all expenses which might be incurred in bringing to light any evidence in regard to the telegrams," Maguire offered in good faith, that the defendant might have a fair trial and because I don't want it to be said that the state is suppressing evidence.

Deputy District Attorney Collier, who also had examined the effects taken from Wilkins when he was arrested, said he had seen only one telegram, which was offered in evidence, but which was not the telegram Mr. Hume wanted.

The fit between the attorneys came during the cross-examination of Detective Hellyer, who corroborated his fellow officer in his testimony.

**Y. M. C. A. GETS MONEY**

Astoria Campaign for Building Is Progressing, Says Report.

**GOOD HOME FOR SOMEONE**

"Oldish" Man Preferred by Moody, Or., Resident Who Offers.

**ROCK ISLAND MAKES MOVE**

"Railroad Row" Gains New Recruit on Order of W. J. Leahy.

**NEW LIBRARY TO OPEN**

Story Hour to Be Held Tomorrow in St. Johns Branch.

**PAVING PLANS DROPPED**

Commission to Discontinue Proceedings in Several Cases.

**STUDENTS IN SHOW**

Washington High Will Stage Vaudeville Acts Tonight.

**FOOTBALL GIRLS BILLED**

Gridiron Star Impersonates Devil and Christopher Columbus—Chinese Mob Mystery Is on Programme.

As a means of raising money for the student body fund, a vaudeville performance will be staged in the Washington High school auditorium tonight. The first act is scheduled to start at 8:15 o'clock.

**STATE TO AID WILKINS**

PROSECUTOR OFFERS TO PAY FOR OBTAINING MESSAGES.

Brother of Man Defendant Is Accused of Murdering Breaks Down While on Witness Stand.

All expense of obtaining evidence concerning the telegrams, which Attorney W. T. Hume insisted were taken from Lloyd H. Wilkins when he was arrested, will be paid by the state, said Deputy District Attorney Maguire yesterday afternoon at Wilkins' trial.

The defendant is charged with the murder of Lou Winters. The telegrams, the attorney for the defense said, were addressed to Wilkins and were in reply to messages he had sent inquiring as to the whereabouts of his wife.

"No such messages have ever come to my notice in examining the effects of the defendant, and the state will pay all expenses which might be incurred in bringing to light any evidence in regard to the telegrams," Maguire offered in good faith, that the defendant might have a fair trial and because I don't want it to be said that the state is suppressing evidence.

Deputy District Attorney Collier, who also had examined the effects taken from Wilkins when he was arrested, said he had seen only one telegram, which was offered in evidence, but which was not the telegram Mr. Hume wanted.

The fit between the attorneys came during the cross-examination of Detective Hellyer, who corroborated his fellow officer in his testimony.

**Y. M. C. A. GETS MONEY**

Astoria Campaign for Building Is Progressing, Says Report.

**GOOD HOME FOR SOMEONE**

"Oldish" Man Preferred by Moody, Or., Resident Who Offers.

**ROCK ISLAND MAKES MOVE**

"Railroad Row" Gains New Recruit on Order of W. J. Leahy.

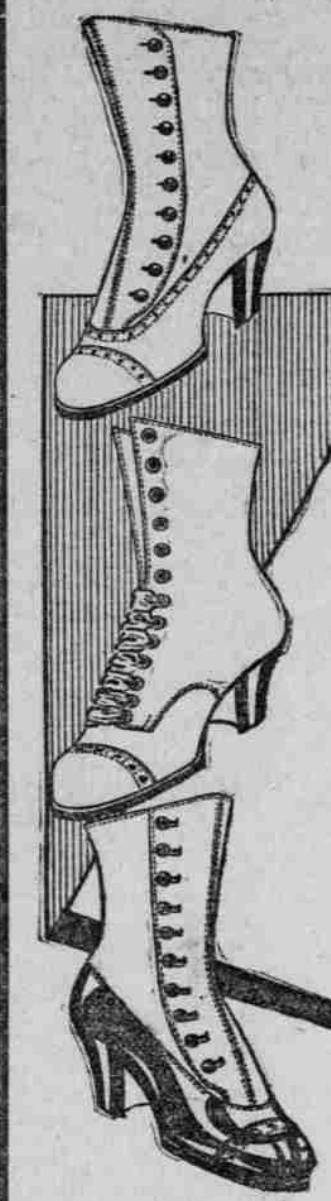
**NEW LIBRARY TO OPEN**

Story Hour to Be Held Tomorrow in St. Johns Branch.

**PAVING PLANS DROPPED**

Commission to Discontinue Proceedings in Several Cases.

**15,000 Pairs of High Grade Shoes to Be Sold at 1-3 to 1-2 of Their Regular Price**



Entire Shoe Stock to Be Completely Wiped Out



**Ladies' Shoes**  
\$1.48 for Ladies' \$2.50 and \$3.00 Dress and Street Shoes. These come in blacks, tans and patents; neat toes and welted soles; all sizes and the best \$2.50 and \$3.00 grades. Now on sale at \$1.48

**Men's Shoes**  
\$1.98 for Men's \$3.00 and \$3.50 Fine Dress and Work Shoes. Hundreds of pairs of these in black, tans and patents; button and blucher styles. Now on sale at \$1.98

**\$2.29 for Ladies' High-Grade \$3.50 to \$5.00 Dress Shoes.** All the latest styles are here in button and lace. These come in blacks, tans, velvets, patents and suedes, in all sizes and widths. Remember, \$3.50 to \$5.00 quality, now on sale at, pr. \$2.29

**\$2.48 for Men's High-Class \$4 to \$6 Dress Shoes,** in blacks, tans and patents; newest styles in button or lace; all have welted extension soles and are first-class \$4.00 to \$6.00 grades; all sizes. Now on sale at \$2.48

**Ladies' Sample Slippers 98c a Pair**  
Will Buy These \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Values  
This big lot consists of men's \$3 and \$3.50 Oxfords in patents and tans—Men's \$2.50 and \$3 box calf Shoes—Ladies' \$2.50 Pumps—Ladies' \$2.50 Dress Shoes—Ladies' \$2.50 Tan and Black Kid Oxfords—Boys' \$2 Box Calf Shoes—Boys' \$2 tan Oxfords—Misses' \$2 Strap Pumps—Misses' \$2 Dress Shoes—Misses' \$2 tan Oxfords and hundreds of children's Shoes in all sizes. COME EARLY. Shoes in this lot worth up to \$3.50.  
Now on Sale at, Pair 98c

**High Tops**  
\$2.45 for boys' \$3.50 and \$3 High Tops, with buckles.  
\$2.95 for men's \$4.00 and \$4.50 High Tops, blacks and tans, all sizes, 12 and 14-inch tops.  
\$3.95 for men's \$5 and \$6 Waterproof High Tops, blacks and tans, all sizes, 14 and 16-inch tops.  
\$2.50 for men's \$3.50 Rubber Boots.

**Buy Rubbers Here**  
Children's Rubbers... 29c  
Ladies' Rubbers at... 39c  
Men's Rubbers, pair 59c

**Boys' Shoes**  
In Box Calf Blucher Cut Now on Sale at, Pair 98c  
These come in heavy soles, cow toes and a shoe that has a 100% guarantee.  
Sizes 8 to 12, 98c pair  
Sizes 12 1/2 to 2, \$1.19 pair  
Sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, \$1.39 pair

**Knight's SAMPLE SHOE SHOP**  
244 Washington Street, Between Second and Third Near Corner of Second Street  
Send Your Mail Orders Here

**COUNTY SCHOOL TAX SET**

Superintendent Armstrong Estimates Requirements at \$458,751.

Approximately \$458,751 must be raised next year for the county school fund, according to estimates submitted yesterday by County School Superintendent Armstrong to the County Commissioners. The law provides that \$8.79 shall be raised for each child in the county between the ages of four and 20 years.

**PAVING PLANS DROPPED**

Commission to Discontinue Proceedings in Several Cases.

By the adoption of a report today prepared by City Commissioner Dieck, the City Commission will discontinue proceedings on a long list of proposed street paving, grading, sidewalk and sewer improvements which have been hanging fire in the city engineering bureau for from one to five years. The largest proceeding to be dropped will be that for the hard-surfacing of Eighteenth street and other streets.

**CITY CONCERT ARRANGED**

A. DeCaprio Will Conduct Band at Auditorium on Sunday.

The second municipal band concert will be given at the temporary auditorium Sunday at 3 o'clock, under the direction of Commissioner Brewster, head of the city park department. The concert will be by the park band, led by A. DeCaprio, and by local singers.

**PAVING PLANS DROPPED**

Commission to Discontinue Proceedings in Several Cases.

By the adoption of a report today prepared by City Commissioner Dieck, the City Commission will discontinue proceedings on a long list of proposed street paving, grading, sidewalk and sewer improvements which have been hanging fire in the city engineering bureau for from one to five years. The largest proceeding to be dropped will be that for the hard-surfacing of Eighteenth street and other streets.

**\$20,000 DAMAGES ASKED**

Judge Cleaton's Court Closes While Teachers Are Addressed.

Damages to the amount of \$20,000 are asked by Phillip M. Lang, of the Camden Iron Works, for injuries he alleges he sustained last May while at work on a gas tank which was being erected at Linnton. When Circuit Judge Cleaton adjourned court at noon a jury to try the case had been impaneled and the hearing of evidence begun.

**CITY CONCERT ARRANGED**

A. DeCaprio Will Conduct Band at Auditorium on Sunday.

The second municipal band concert will be given at the temporary auditorium Sunday at 3 o'clock, under the direction of Commissioner Brewster, head of the city park department. The concert will be by the park band, led by A. DeCaprio, and by local singers.

**VETERANS HOLD MEMORIAL**

Anniversary of Gettysburg Cemetery Dedication Celebrated.

In celebration of the 50th anniversary of the dedication of the Gettysburg Cemetery the two local posts of the Grand Army of the Republic held a reception at their rooms in the Courthouse Wednesday night. Multnomah County officials were the special guests of honor and the posts took occasion to thank them for the commodious quarters that have been provided by the Commissioners.

**\$20,000 DAMAGES ASKED**

Judge Cleaton's Court Closes While Teachers Are Addressed.

Damages to the amount of \$20,000 are asked by Phillip M. Lang, of the Camden Iron Works, for injuries he alleges he sustained last May while at work on a gas tank which was being erected at Linnton. When Circuit Judge Cleaton adjourned court at noon a jury to try the case had been impaneled and the hearing of evidence begun.

**NEW DEPARTMENT PROPOSED**

The public welfare department of the Oregon Civic League will be organized tomorrow at 4 P. M. in room G of the Central Library under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Cotton Newhill. Members of the league are invited to participate in the discussion of a programme concerning matters of public welfare embraced in the subjects of public health, cost of living, civic art and conservation of amusements.