

### 400 CARS COMING TO CARRY LUMBER

Request of State Commission Is Answered Promptly by Southern Pacific.

### DEMAND DECLARED HEAVY

Telegram to President Sproule From Salem as Result of Many Complaints Declares Condition of Industry Is Critical.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—With 400 cars dispatched today by the Southern Pacific to points in Oregon, the shortage of cars in the lumber industry of the state will soon be over. Responding to an urgent inquiry sent by the Oregon Public Service Commission as to why the Southern Pacific Company had failed to provide sufficient equipment, William Sproule, president, today telegraphed from San Francisco that he had at once ordered 400 cars to Willamette Valley points.

"The demand for cars is heavy," said Mr. Sproule in his reply, "and we are making special efforts to meet the needs in Oregon. Four hundred cars are now moving to Willamette Valley points."

Because of complaints which have poured into the Public Service Commission of the car shortage in Oregon in the lumber industry, the following message was telegraphed to President Sproule early today, resulting in the reply above given:

"Investigation shows that the lumber industry in the Willamette Valley and Portland is suffering intensely because of failure of the Southern Pacific to furnish the cars needed for shipments to California. In view of the critical condition of the industry this failure to afford reasonable facilities is having a far-reaching effect. Please state your reasons why your company is unable to furnish cars for these shipments and also what relief may be expected."

### GERMAN TRAVELER IS BACK

Richard Koehler, Retired Railroad Man, to Live Here.

Richard Koehler, retired purchasing agent for the O.W. R. & N. Company, and Mrs. Koehler have just returned to Portland after a year's visit with relatives in various parts of Germany. They arrived in New York a week ago and started for San Francisco to see the exposition, but altered their plans so that they came directly home instead.

In the period of his absence Mr. Koehler visited most of the important cities in Germany, including Berlin, Frankfurt, Munich and others. He came in contact with all classes of people and observed what effect the war is having upon the lives and the manners of the people.

Mr. Koehler is a native of Germany and gained his earlier railroad experience in that country. As a young man he came to Portland to represent German financial interests holding bonds of the old Oregon & California Railroad, which succeeded by the Southern Pacific. He held many important positions with both the Southern Pacific and the O.W. R. & N. Company, retiring a year ago, at the age of 70, after many years as purchasing agent for the latter road.

He expects to pass most of his time in the future in Portland.

### OLD BURNS CAUSE DEATH

Vancouver Boy Is Thought Recovering When End Comes.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—Rex Madsen, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Madsen, of 1100 West Thirteenth street, died today at the home of relatives in Goldendale from burns he received about three weeks ago when he had gone into the basement of the family home, accidentally spilled some gasoline on his clothing and ignited it with a match while groping about in the dark.

He was apparently recovering from the effects of the burns, and had come to the home of his grandmother in Goldendale to remain until he had recovered and could return to school. He contracted a cold in the burns and his condition gradually grew worse.

Mr. Madsen left for Goldendale and will bring the body to this city for interment.

### JITNEY OCCUPANTS HURT

Car Partially Capsized Trying to Avoid Collision.

When R. A. Kirk, jitney driver, tried to avoid a collision with Henry Miller, operator of an auto truck, on 11th avenue and Mason streets, yesterday noon he ran his machine over the curbing and it partially capsized, throwing Mrs. Katherine Hemmer, of Tenth and Columbia streets, and her infant baby, and A. W. Kaufman, of 1915 East Twenty-third street, onto the ground. The woman and Mr. Kaufman were badly bruised and the latter was taken to the emergency hospital by Patrolman Shafter. The baby was unhurt.

Kirk, who lives at 1025 East Seventeenth street North, and Miller, who lives at 751 East Eleventh, were both arrested.

### MOVEMENT IS SPREADING

National Industrial Board Sessions Are Opened at Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 30.—The second annual convention of the National Association of Industrial Accidents Boards and Commissions was begun here today. President John F. Kinnane, in his opening address, said that the sweeping strides made by workmen on the compensation legislation within the last few years seem to indicate these laws soon will become universal and embrace the entire American Continent.

He pointed out that the workmen's compensation laws are no longer regarded as created and existing solely for the benefit of workers. They have proved, he declared, to a large degree beneficial to the employers.

### CARD OF THANKS.

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### PIONEER OF 1852 PASSES

ANDREW JACK, MEMBER OF COUNCIL AT HILLSBORO, SUCCEUMS.

Former Washington County Hop Man Is Survived by Several Children, Brothers and Sisters.

HILLSBORO, Or., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—Andrew Jack, pioneer of 1852 and member of the City Council, died at the family home in this city today from an attack of heart trouble and paralysis. He was born in Highland County, Virginia, June 22, 1845, and came to Oregon across the plains in 1852 with his father, the late John Jack, who settled near Farmington, 10 miles southeast of here.

Mr. Jack married Martha Jane Stewart, a daughter of the late Charles Stewart, pioneer of 1845. His widow and the following children survive him: Calvin Jack, Jr., cashier of the American National Bank, of this city; William Jack, of Beaverton; Miss Hettie Jack, Mrs. F. E. Cornelius and Via Jack, all of Hillsboro.

Of his immediate family the following are brothers and sisters: Calvin Jack, St. Portland; John Jack, Farmington; Albert Jack, Portland; Mrs. Rebecca Rowell, Scholls; Mrs. George Campbell, Laurel, Or.; Mrs. La Fayette Harris, of Cheney, Wash.

Mr. Jack was one of the pioneer hop-growers of Washington County, and sold his farm and moved to Hillsboro seven years ago. He has been a reader of The Oregonian ever since coming to the state. He was a school district officer for many years and was a member of the Grange.

### NIGHT SCHOOLS TO START

CLASSES, BEGINNING MONDAY, WILL EXTEND SCOPE OF STUDIES.

Practically All Work Available in Day Courses Will Be Taught—List of Places Announced.

To teach English to foreign-speaking people, chiefly adults, to help complete the education of boys and girls who have left school before completing their regular courses, and to give instruction in special subjects, night school work in the Portland schools will be initiated next Monday night at 7 o'clock.

Practically all the work that is available in day school work, either high school or grammar school subjects, will be offered in the night courses.

One of the new things in which instruction will be given this year is the art writing that will be taught at Jefferson High.

Night instruction will be given in the following schools: Lincoln High School, Park and Market streets; Jefferson High School, Emerson and Kerby streets; Ladd, West Park and Jefferson streets; St. Johns, Shattuck, Park and College; Albina Homestead, Beech and Malloy streets; Sellwood, East Fifteenth and Umattilla streets; Arieta, Sixty-fourth and Fifteenth avenue Southeast; Montavilla, East Seventy-sixth and Pine streets; Benson Polytechnic, boys, Eleventh and Davis streets; Benson Polytechnic, girls, Fourteenth and Morrison streets.

Small Boys and Mothers. Cartoons Magazine. The small boy, as the cartoonists

make him, is often unfortunate in his selection of a mother. Some mothers object to a fellow's getting down on his knees to play marbles, claiming that it wears out the pants. Some object to stray dogs that follow a kid home and are entitled to consideration. Others insist on one's practicing the piano and learning Bible verses. They have an uncanny divination when it comes to cars and feet. A few select ones have read "Tom Sawyer" and can

imagine how it feels to be a boy. These mothers can be counted on usually for cookies, and will at least dissemble their dislike for dogs. Also they pack lunches when one wants to go upon a pirate cruise or to camp out for a day in the woods. Briggs creates mothers of the former type; Webster, of the latter.

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