

WORK ON BIG MILL WILL START SOON

New Railroad Into Timber to Be Completed in 60 Days.

LENGTH TO BE 33 MILES

Central Coal & Coke Company's Operations Near Vernonia of Importance to Oregon.

Within two months' time work on the big lumber mill of the Central Coal & Coke company in or near Vernonia, will be started.

Railroad Is Taken. Immediate development of the timber property was held up, due to the fact that the railroad, which had been started several years ago, had been delayed.

Trains to Run Soon. Logs will be hauled from the woods to the mill, manufactured into lumber and this product loaded on cars for shipment to all parts of the country.

EDITOR'S VIEWS RAPPED Relief Worker Declares Needs in Europe Urgent.

PLATFORM AIDES PICKED Advisers for Washington Republican Committee Named.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 19.—A charge of grand larceny against Walter J. Nichols, stock broker of this city, was dismissed today by Superior Judge Oswald, who ruled that the facts set up by the state did not constitute embezzlement.

LARCENY CHARGE FAILS Embezzlement Evidence Against Broker Held Insufficient.

Another charge of grand larceny filed against Nichols was dismissed recently on a motion of the prosecuting attorney after a ruling adverse to the state had been made in the case.

Society News

The home of Mrs. Harvey W. Scott was the scene of an attractive and interesting luncheon party yesterday in honor of the 84th birthday of Mrs. Mary Frances Cook, sister of the late Harvey W. Scott and one of the widely beloved pioneer women of Oregon.



MISS LOUISE GRAY, WHO IS TO ASSIST AT CHI OMEGA CARD PARTY TODAY IN PORTLAND HOTEL.

A benefit card party for the disabled veterans will be given under the auspices of the Red Cross Cantenary club at the Portland hotel on Friday, May 26, at 1:45.

A delightful affair of the week was the tea given by Mrs. M. H. Lamond at the Portland hotel Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Jean McLeod of San Francisco, who is the house guest of Miss Helen McLeod.

Interesting visitors in Portland are Miss Hilda McCormick and Miss Janet Drysdale of Vancouver, B. C., prominent leaders of the horse show movement.

A dancing party will be given tonight in the ballroom of the Hotel Benson, which will be a brilliant event of August.

Mrs. Andrew D. Norris and Miss Lucia Morris will be hostess today at a luncheon at the Waverly Country club for Mrs. Hattie Shroyer, who is being married to Preston Brady Delano.

Virginia and Elizabeth Gallagher, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Gallagher, will be hostesses at the afternoon to the Children of the American Revolution, Columbia society.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Morey and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walker plan to leave this morning for Eugene to pass the week end.

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PIONEERS TO ASSEMBLE

STATE ASSOCIATION TO HOLD FIFTIETH REUNION. Unusual Features Will Mark Celebration of Semi-Centennial of Organization.

Pioneers from all sections of the state will be in Portland for the 50th reunion to be held under the auspices of the Oregon Pioneer association at the public auditorium Thursday, June 15.

The afternoon programme of the convention at 2 o'clock will include the following numbers: Music, patriotic, great municipal organ, Ralph Hoyt, organist, and audience, led by Miss Carrie E. Adams; call to order, Ellen Chamberlain, 1917, president, Portland; invocation by the chaplain, Rev. John W. Cullen, 1847, Portland; song, "The Star-Spangled Banner," organ and audience, Rev. John W. Cullen, 1847, chaplain.

The morning programme included an inspection of the university, inspection of the cadet battalion and the student assembly.

The annual meeting of the Indian war veterans will be held Wednesday, June 14, at 10 A. M. The banquet will be held from 12 to 1:30 and the final business meeting at 2 o'clock.

Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and other necessary business transacted at the business meeting, which is scheduled for 7:30 P. M.

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BANK SUED FOR \$177,363

Shipping Concern Brings Action Against Defunct Institution. OLYMPIA, Wash., May 19.—(Special.)—Another suit against the defunct Scandinavian-American bank of Seattle and John P. Duke as supervisor of banking and E. L. Farnsworth, director of taxation and examination, was filed in superior court yesterday by the Oriental Navigation company of New York.

The action asks judgment for \$177,363.11 on two causes of action growing out of alleged delays in the completion of shipbuilding contracts by the Anderson Shipbuilding corporation and Sampson & Ronde, and for defective workmanship on the vessels.

Supervisor of Banking Duke, after taking over the affairs of the defunct bank, rejected the claims now sued upon.

KLANSMEN SHOVE PRIEST

Storm of Protest Greets Interruption of Speaker. THE DALLES, Or., May 19.—(Special.)—Rev. F. J. O'Rourke, pastor of St. Peter's Catholic church here, came near to being the storm petrel of a Ku Klux Klan meeting held in the municipal auditorium last night on the occasion of a showing of Klan motion pictures, when he attempted to defend Catholicism against the attacks of the speaker, K. H. Sawyer of Portland.

A storm of protest from the audience greeted the priest's remarks, and when he continued to speak several white-robed figures forcibly shoved him back in his seat. H. C. Hurley, grand knight of The Dalles council, Knights of Columbus, also attempted to speak and was given the same treatment.

Dr. Livingstone Appointed. CENTRALIA, Wash., May 19.—(Special.)—Dr. David Livingstone, whose appointment as superintendent of the Western Washington Hospital for the Insane at Steilacoom was announced Thursday by W. J. Hays, state director of business control, has been practicing medicine in Centralia for the last 15 years.

MILL AND LUMBER BURN

Forbes-Wilson Plant Destroyed. Loss Estimated at \$60,000. BELLINGHAM, Wash., May 19.—The sawmill of the Forbes-Wilson Lumber company, near Maple Falls, and 500,000 feet of lumber were burned late yesterday.

SANITY PROBE ORDERED

Examination to Determine if Woman Can Stand Trial. VANCOUVER, Wash., May 18.—(Special.)—Judge George B. Simpson, of the superior court, today issued an order to have Mrs. Frances Bieseker examined by three reputable physicians to determine if she is able to stand trial May 24 on a charge of grand larceny. She is now in Astoria, Or., and is to be brought back at once for examination.

Kelso Landmark Removed. KELSO, Wash., May 18.—(Special.)—One of the oldest buildings in the city of Kelso was removed this week when the building at the corner of Second and Allen streets, vacated by Abbott's pharmacy, was torn down to make room for a modern store building, which will be erected by Emil Mottman, Olympia merchant. This building, a two-story frame structure, was built in 1859 by Judge Dan Kelly.



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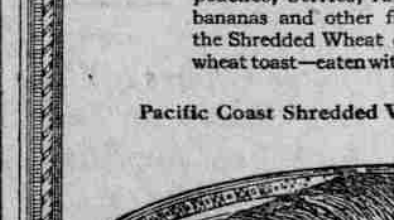
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Shredded Wheat. the more nutriment you will get out of it and the more delicious it will taste.

Two Biscuits with milk or cream make a complete nourishing meal. Delicious with peaches, berries, raisins, prunes, sliced bananas and other fruits.

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IDAHO OLD TIMERS' BODY TO BE PERMANENT. Committee Appointed to Outline Plans for New Organization Launched at Moscow.

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GHIRARDELLI'S - a man's drink



Men whose brains are bread-winners can't afford to tamper with their breakfast drink. Say "Gear-ar-delle" in the morning and you say good-bye to "jumpy" nerves all day.

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