

SHINGLEMEN TO PROTEST

OBJECT TO RAISE IN RATES EAST OF THE MISSOURI RIVER.

Lumbermen Will Meet With Them in Seattle October 24 to Discuss the Situation.

SEATTLE, Oct. 12.—The shingle manufacturers and the lumbermen of the state will meet on the afternoon of October 24 in this city to protest against the recent action of the highways in raising rates east of Missouri River point. The recent raise in these rates, as applying to shingles, has made the lumbermen fearful of similar action regarding their product. This rate increase has a serious impression on the shinglemen of the state. If it stands it is apt to injure a number of them. What action the lumbermen themselves will take has not been announced, but the shinglemen will send out a vigorous protest.

GERMAN METHODISTS.

Standing Committees Announced at the Annual Conference.

EPOKANE, Oct. 12.—The North Pacific German mission conference of the M. E. Church, held here this week, was one of the best in the history of the church. Bishop Mallon presided. Just previous to adjournment the following standing committees were announced:

Resolutions—George A. Jahn, F. H. Lantz and C. A. Moshering. Freedmen's aid and Southern education—Joseph Schwertlich, J. W. Beckley and Julius Traglio. American Bible Society—Karl Jans and F. W. Buchholz. German publications—C. A. Friesen, George E. Roeder and M. A. Dehuff. Deacons' cause—J. C. Jahn, J. G. Moshering and Adam Keppel. Education—George A. Jahn, C. A. Wentach, Karl Jans and George S. Roeder. Women's Home and Foreign Mission Society—H. J. Michel, Joseph Schwertlich and C. Pegelow. Church extension—J. W. Beckley, P. J. Schmitt and J. G. Moshering. Sunday School Union and Tract Society—Hans Hansen and Joseph Hepp. Sanctity of the Sabbath and temperance—H. F. Michel and J. C. Jahn. Historical Society—Adam Klippel and J. W. Buchholz. Conference stewards—Carl Jans, C. A. Friesen and Joseph Hepp. Missions—H. F. Lange and George Hartung. Traveling expenses—Julius Traglio and P. J. Schmitt. Auditing—J. W. Beckley. Orphan's homes—F. W. Buchholz, Hans Hansen and C. Pegelow. Public worship—George Hartung and H. F. Lange. Postoffice—Joseph Schwertlich. Episcopal fund—George Hartung and H. F. Lange. Church insurance—Adam Klippel and C. A. Wentach. Epworth League—P. J. Schmitt, J. Traglio and George S. Roeder. Correspondence—H. Lucke and Adam Klippel. Twentieth century tract offering—George Hartung, H. F. Lange, C. A. Friesen, J. C. Jahn and Joseph Hepp.

BONDS TO DRAW LESS INTEREST.

Pacific County Will Pay 5 Instead of 6 Per Cent Hereafter.

SOUTH BEND, Oct. 12.—The County Commissioners have closed a deal with the holders of the bonds of the county whereby the interest rate is to be reduced from 6 to 5 per cent. The bonds amount to \$30,000 and the county had the option to take them up or let them run 30 years longer. The new bonds which will now be issued to the bondholders will run for 30 years, but have the same 30-year option clause. It is estimated that the county will save 10 per cent for the county to pay off the old general fund warrants which are outstanding.

Tax Levy of Pacific County.

The tax levy of Pacific County for state and county purposes is fixed at 23 mills, or one more mill than last year, the increase being in the levy for road and bridge purposes. The levy is divided as follows: State general fund, 2 1/2 mills; state school fund, 5 1/2 mills; military, 1/4 of a mill; state interest, 1/4 of a mill; county current expenses, 1/4 of a mill; indebtedness fund, 2 1/2 mills; roads and bridges, 1 mill. The levy for current expense would have been considerably less this year than last but for the Gates murder trial, which cost \$600.

Oyster Reserve Lines Run.

The County Board of Oyster Commissioners and the Surveyor for the State Land Commission have just completed running the boundary lines for two natural oyster reserves for the preservation and propagation of the native Shoalwater Bay oysters. One reserve is off Diamond City, on Long Island, and comprises 120 acres, and the other at the mouth of the Nema River. The latter embraces 260 acres. There are two other large oyster beds which will be surveyed and reserved next year.

HOLD-UP AT SPOKANE.

Robbers Then Tried to Kill a Man—Thieves Very Bold.

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 12.—Two well-dressed men tonight held up, robbed and deliberately attempted to murder J. H. Gudua, on the Olive-street bridge. He was about to cross the bridge and the men separated to let him pass between. He felt the muzzle of a revolver on his neck and heard the command to throw up his hands. After taking \$7 and throwing Gudua's revolver into the river, one of the thugs said: "Let's kill the — — —" and shot, the bullet whizzed near the victim's neck. He whirled in time to clutch the revolver of the second thug but lost the end of a finger as the desperado shot. Since the reduction of 14 in the Spokane police force, which occurred October 1, the police have reported 10 hold-ups. Police Sergeant Sullivan is in the hospital now with a wound inflicted by a desperado robber. The police say houses have holdy been entered and shots fired at the occupants. A stealing window in the heart of the business district was broken and contents removed, while robberies are all too common. The aggregate losses suffered by victims of hold-ups foot up nearly \$100. Nearly all the robberies have occurred just after dark, but there have been several in daylight, one within plain sight of the police station.

\$30,000-FIRE AT WALLA WALLA.

Framing Mill Factory Was Completely Destroyed.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Oct. 12.—At noon today the extensive buildings and fine machinery erected here two years ago for the manufacture of a new-fangled framing mill were totally destroyed by fire. Loss, \$30,000; insurance, about \$15,000. The framing mill factory proved a failure, and the property was sold at auction. It passed into the hands of W. C. Condit, E. G. Fox and John A. Bailey, who used it in repairing agricultural machinery and the manufacture of different articles. The cause of the fire is unknown.

STONED TO DEATH.

Man and His Wife Quarreled With a Neighbor and His Son.

NEW WHATCOM, Wash., Oct. 12.—The news reaches here that just across the international boundary line from Delta, Whatcom County, two families engaged in a quarrel over a road which passed through a field belonging to one of them. On one side was a man and his wife,

A HERO Of the Spanish-American War Has Been Cured by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.

Colonel Fox Resigns. OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 12.—Colonel E. H. Fox has resigned his position as colonel of the First Regiment, National Guard of Washington, and Lieutenant-Colonel George B. Lamping, of Seattle, has been promoted to the colonelcy. Major Ord Hamilton, of Colfax, has been promoted to the lieutenant-colonelcy. Colonel Lamping is a veteran of the Philippine War, is thoroughly interested in the guard and will undoubtedly make a most efficient officer. Major Hamilton, who has been promoted to the lieutenant-colonelcy, is energetic and alive to the interests of the guard. The colonelcy of Lamping is Auditor of King County.

Centralia Brevities.

CENTRALIA, Oct. 12.—Mrs. Clara Ryan has been elected by the Centralia school board to teach the seventh and eighth grades in the High School. Mrs. Ryan is from Vancouver, Wash., and is a member of the State Board of Education. The contract for building the power house for the electric light plant was let last night by the City Council to N. Melenzahl, of this city. The building will be erected in the west part of town near the Chehalis River. Large new electric light poles are now being put up for this service. The new power plant will be in operation by the last of the month.

Suspected of Bilking People.

TACOMA, Oct. 12.—Complaints have been made to the police of Daniel J. Long, who was in Tacoma during September, advertising money to lend at 6 and 7 per cent, requiring \$10 in advance for an investigation fee. He disappeared September 23. An Oregon attorney who wanted \$500 sent him \$150, an Everett real estate man \$50, and various smaller amounts came from Ballard and other towns. From the stack of mail found at his office it is believed he raked in a large sum, chiefly from applicants in Washington, Oregon and Idaho.

Gambling-Houses Closed.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Oct. 12.—A score or more knights of the green cloth are idle in this city, for gambling has quietly been closed down. The order came from the Chief of Police and was generally obeyed. Games have been running for several weeks, or since the resignation of Deputy Prosecuting Attorney J. H. Pedigo last month.

Logger Commits Suicide.

EVERETT, Wash., Oct. 12.—An employe of a logging camp named L. Morrison committed suicide here today in the Eureka Hotel, by swallowing laudanum.

Treasurer Huntley Seriously Ill.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Oct. 12.—City Treasurer C. G. Huntley was taken seriously ill last night and is now lying unconscious at his home in West Centralia. According to the attending physician, he is suffering from hemorrhage of the brain. Little hope is entertained of his recovery.

Reserve Agent of Olympia Bank.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The Controller of the Currency today designated the Merchants National Bank of Portland as reserve agent of the Olympia National Bank of Olympia, Wash.

Road Supervisor Elections.

YANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 12.—Road Supervisor elections were held in the 41 road districts of Clark County today.

New Washington Postmaster.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—G. A. Maroon has today appointed postmaster at Gig Harbor, Wash.

AT WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY.

Larger Attendance Than at Any Former Opening.

SALEM, Oct. 12.—The students at Willamette University are now well started on their year's study and the registration books show a larger attendance than at any corresponding period since 1890. Since Pacific University was opened at Willamette, two years ago, the pioneer university has felt the strong, beneficial influence of the undivided support of Oregon Methodists. The school has regained its former standing and now looks forward to a future that grows brighter year by year.

In accordance with a custom of long standing, a reception to new students and faculty was given this evening in the society hall by the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations. The early part of the evening was occupied with an address on musical entertainment. Later the students enjoyed themselves in a social reunion, the first of the new school year. The purpose of the associations on occasions of this kind is to make every student acquainted with all his schoolmates, and at the reception tonight that object was accomplished.

The Student Body, to which is entrusted considerable power in the management of affairs of interest to the students, organized this week by electing H. Ennis Savage president; Miss Nellie Clark vice-president; and Miss Sophie E. Townsend secretary. A treasurer will be chosen later. Arrangements have been made for the publication of the Willamette Collegian, the university paper, as usual. The following staff has been chosen: Editor-in-chief, Carl Baker; associate editors, E. F. Averill and Miss Sophie Townsend; business manager, Earl S. Riddell.

The newly chosen officers of the College Y. M. C. A. are: President, H. W. Swafford; vice-president, E. F. Averill; secretary, D. O. Forbes; treasurer, S. A. Siwert. The members of the Y. W. C. A. have elected Emma M. Clark president; Louise Van Wagner, vice-president; Ada Dayton, secretary; Lila Swafford, corresponding secretary, and Mary Field, treasurer.

There are two literary societies in the school, the Philodorian, composed of young men, and the Philodorian, composed of young women. The Philodorians have elected the following officers: President, Ennis Savage; vice-president, F. L. Granby; secretary, Walter Winslow; assistant secretary, C. C. Brown; censor, E. F. Averill; sergeant-at-arms, G. M. Hunt. The officers of the Philodorians follow: President, Louise Van Wagner; vice-president, Lucy Edwards; secretary, Sophie Townsend; assistant secretary, Lila Swafford; treasurer, Gertrude Carter; censor, Winnifred Byrd; sergeant-at-arms, Athlea Lee.

It was announced in chapel Friday that Professor S. A. McCall, who temporarily filled the chair of English and modern languages during the illness of Professor Baker, had accepted the chair of modern languages tendered him by the board of trustees. That Professor McCall has made many warm friends during his brief period of work at Willamette was evident when the students broke the rules of chapel decorum and loudly applauded the announcement.

SCHOOL-CHART SCHEME.

Minnesota Man Writes That It is Being Worked in Oregon.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 12.—M. F. Burdette, of Minneapolis, Minn., has written Superintendent of Public Instruction Ackerman, warning him that a clever scheme is being worked in Oregon in selling charts to rural school districts. According to Burdette the charts cost but \$5 to the manufacturer, and are not worth \$10 to any school. The agents work upon "easy" members of country school boards and sell the charts for from \$10 to \$20. Superintendent Ackerman does not know Burdette and has no other information

A HERO Of the Spanish-American War Has Been Cured by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.



SERGEANT JAMES J. WARD, Sergeant Ward, Company C, Seventy-first Virginia, stationed at Newport News, Va., returned from the Spanish-American War broken down in health from exposure and the hardships of the tropical climate. His doctor prescribed Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. After he had been using it for two months he said he had fully recovered his robust health and cleaned his system of all fever and other disease germs. He was troubled with indigestion and it cured him. He cannot say too much in favor of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey and what it has done for him.

Many of our brave soldiers returned sick and broken down just as Sergeant Ward did, and have been restored to perfect health by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. It is a blessing to the thousands who need a body-builder, it rids the system of all disease germs, and it aids digestion, stimulates the blood and is a food for body and brain. If you feel tired and worn out just try Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. We just try Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. We



will guarantee that inside of two weeks you will feel so much better that you will say it is the best medicine in the world. Do not fill your system with harmful drugs. Doctors prescribe and hospitals use Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey whenever an absolutely pure alcoholic stimulant and tonic are required. Write Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y., for free advice and free medical booklet. All druggists and grocers sell Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey; \$1 a bottle. Be careful and see that you get the genuine, look for the trade-mark and name on the bottle and see that the seal on the cork is unbroken. Refuse substitutes; they are injurious.

regarding the working of this scheme to obtain money from Oregon schools. Whether there is anything in the story told by Burdette it is well known by school superintendents all over the state that directors of country schools are frequently imposed upon by smooth agents for school supplies, and there is no school in the state that has not charts and maps for which an exorbitant price was paid. City school districts do not furnish so profitable a market for that kind of apparatus. In country districts where the directors transact business separately, each saying that he "is willing if the others are," a shrewd and unscrupulous agent can effect sales to great advantage.

DEATH OF ELI C. MASON.

First Judge of Lake County and Oregon Legislator.

LAKEVIEW, Or., Oct. 10.—Eli Cravin Mason, the first Judge of Lake County, and a member of the Oregon Legislature in 1873, died at New Pine Creek, Cal., just over the Oregon line—October 4, 1901. Deceased was born in Kentucky, September 5, 1825. He was a veteran of the Mexican War and a pioneer of California. In 1872 he was a commissioner for the construction of a wagon road through Jackson, Grant and Baker Counties in this state. In 1878 he was appointed Assistant Comptroller-General of the Oregon Volunteer Militia, with the rank of Major, and the same year was elected Representative from Jackson County to the Oregon State Legislature. In 1874 he was appointed the first Judge of Lake County, Oregon, was reappointed in 1875, and elected in 1876 for four years. Judge Mason leaves a wife and seven children—Mrs. Laura Batey, of Port Bidwell, Cal.; R. L. Mason, Fort Bidwell, Cal.; Mrs. George Barnes, of North Powder, Or.; Mrs. Lizzie Chastain, of Klamath Falls, Or.; W. C. Mason, of New Pine Creek,

Or.; Mrs. Fannie Strief, of Lake City, Cal., and Mrs. Susie Dietrich, of Pittsburg, Kan.

Wilbur F. Cauthorn.

GERVAIS, Or., Oct. 12.—Wilbur F. Cauthorn, aged 59 years, died today at his home near here. Deceased came to Oregon in 1867. He was a son of A. Cauthorn, of Corvallis, Or., who came to this state from Missouri. Mr. Cauthorn was engaged extensively in the cattle business in the Yakima and Kittitas Valleys in Washington, before the thriving towns of North Yakima and Ellensburg existed, and is well known to the old settlers of that part of Washington. He afterwards engaged in the general merchandise business in Wells and Silver, Or., but owing to ill-health retired from business several years ago. The funeral will take place here Sunday at 10 o'clock. A wife and three children survive him.

Mrs. J. A. Kramer, of Monmouth.

SALEM, Oct. 12.—Mrs. J. A. Kramer died at her home at Monmouth yesterday, aged about 70 years. She was the mother

of Miss Emma Kramer, a teacher in the Salem public schools.

Allan T. Holt, of Ashland.

ASHLAND, Or., Oct. 12.—Allan T. Holt, a well-known school teacher of this county, died at Tucson, A. T., last night, aged 28 years. The deceased, who had been in ill health for about two years, left Ashland with his father, Hon. S. H. Holt, last Tuesday for the benefit of the change of climate, and only reached Tucson the day of his death.

SAWMILLS AGAIN AT WORK.

COQUILLE RIVER benefited by Settlement of San Francisco Strike. COQUILLE, Oct. 12.—The final settlement of the strike at San Francisco means much to the Coquille River. The sawmills at Prosper, Parkersburg, Coquille and Johnson's mill, near Coquille, have all been shut down. All have now started up except the mill at Coquille, which will start up as soon as a broken shaft has been replaced, which will be

at once be provided. There are now about 100 children in the school, where two years ago there was no school at all. Another teacher will now be employed and the school made a graded one.

Northwest Pensions.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Pensions have been granted as follows: (Issue of September 11, 1901): Oregon—Increase, restoration, release etc.—Jacob Crox, Ashland, 190. Washington—Original widow, etc.—30—nor of Benjamin Teedale, 110. Idaho—Increase, restoration, release, etc.—Samuel Taylor, Payette, 31.

Knappton Mill Starts Up.

ASTORIA, Oct. 12.—The Columbia mill at Knappton started up again early this week with half a crew, but yesterday put a full force of men at work. While the mill was closed down, on account of the strike at San Francisco, a new floor was put in and a number of changes made to facilitate operations.

Overcoat Season. One-Half His Price. Boys' Overcoats. Sailor Suits. Ben Selling. LEADING CLOTHIER. S. E. cor. Fourth and Morrison Sts.

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THE CARNIVAL THIS AFTERNOON SACRED CONCERT By DeCAPRIO'S FULL MILITARY BAND 3 TO 5 O'CLOCK Klickitat and Wasco Warriors in Wild and Weird War Dances Monday afternoon and evening. WOODMEN'S DAY MONDAY SEE PROGRAMME PUBLISHED ELSEWHERE IN THIS ISSUE. ADMISSION 25c, CHILDREN 10c. ADMISSION TO FIELD 10 CENTS. CHILDREN UNDER 12 FREE. Carnival Tickets may be purchased during the day at A. B. Steinbach's and Meler & Frank Company. Special Rate Tickets issued by Transportation Companies—Good seven days.



Suffered 20 Years. Cured of Piles.

A. L. Husung, Alma, W. Va., writes: "I suffered frightfully for 20 years from itching, blind and bleeding piles. I tried many remedies without relief the first application gave blessed relief and part of a 50-cent box cured me completely." For sale by all druggists. Little book, "Piles, Cause and Cure," mailed free. Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

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