

WIRELESS TELLS SHIP IN MIDOCEAN OF NORGE WRECK

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
New York, July 16.—The Campanian on her last trip to New York, published daily ocean newspapers both on her eastward and westward trips. The daily was first published on her last previous crossing to the westward.

The news of the wreck of the Norge, in which more than 700 persons went down, was received from the Marconi station at Poldhu and was of special and pathetic interest to the steamer passengers, many Scandinavians traveling on the Cunard line and the relations between the Scandinavian-American and



the Cunard companies being close.

There was on the Campanian one steamer passenger who missed sailing on the Norge through a delayed train. To him the wireless news was a cause for personal thanksgiving. The tragic news was received when the ship was 1,051 miles from Liverpool.

In addition to the editor in chief, the electrical and mechanical staff consisted of two Marconi operators one or both of whom are always present with the instruments; Mr. Bullock an electrical engineer, from the Marconi works, and two printers and pressmen. The telegraph office aboard the Campanian is connected by telephone with the office of the editor. The giant Cunarders now building will have editorial and publishing offices.



The middle picture shows the Scandinavian liner, Norge, going on the rocks off the Scottish coast, where more than 700 people were drowned. The upper picture shows the vessel and the chart below shows her course.

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\$750 Lots in Doscher's Second Addition, next to 1806 Fair.
\$1650 50x100, Nineteenth, near Northrup.
\$1800 Quarter block, Twenty-fourth and Reed.
\$3500 Quarter block, 18th and Northrup; will sell separately.
\$7500 Quarter block, 18th and Irving, Nob Hill.

Over the River

\$125 Each for choice lots in Gay's Addition; a snap.
\$700 Lot 114—Kern's Add'n, Union ave. and Ivon st.; corner.
\$1500 All of block 28, Patton's Second Addition—a snap.
\$2000 6 acres—Facilities, St. Johns car; beat buy in that vicinity.

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We are authorized to offer for sale the beautiful home of J. C. Havelly, located on Woodstock car line, consisting of one story and a half of ground, all set out in bearing fruit and choice shrubbery, with an unobstructed view of the city and suburbs. Home will do well to see this property. It is going to be sold at a bargain.

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Fine, new cottages near Woolen Mills and car line, for sale cheap, on installment basis.
One with 2 lots \$1,000
One with 1 2-3 lots \$1,050
Three with 2 lots \$1,000
The Woolen Mills will be in operation soon and 50 to 100 new houses will be needed in St. Johns.

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General Agents, St. Johns.
M. C. Zollbrock, Owner, 728 Chamber of Commerce.

his time and labor is lost, without using taxed into the bargain, the result is that camp alone they have to pay nearly \$1,000 per annum corporation tax and yet it is ten miles into the mountains where there are no roads and not even a trail that is safe to ride a horse over, and where they have no quartz mill, or reduction works of any kind whatever, and are not likely to have for many years to come. This is only one camp out of the many in this state that suffer according to the report made to me that the Marion county delegation should look into this matter for their own interests. They may not think that mining interests amount to much because they have no Sucker Creek strike to excite the people, but I can assure them that they have in Marion county some of the best prospects ever yet found in Oregon, for the development of large and well-paying mines that will produce over \$100,000 per month in gold, silver and copper. Then they can well afford to pay a tax on their capital stock, but not until then, it seems to me that the law should be amended, so that the machinery in the producing mines, or on the amount of production, or milling capacity. A mine that has but a five-stamp battery and can crush about ten tons of ore a day should be assessed at 30¢ per year, a ten-stamp battery \$20 per year, a fifteen-stamp battery \$30 per year, a twenty-stamp battery \$40 per year, and so on up. But no mine should be taxed until it has machinery in place, or until this is not done the prospector will have to avoid the tax by disposing of so many feet in his claim by deed, the same as was done on the Comstock mine in the early days.

Special Bargains

\$2300—New 6-room modern house, East 18th, near Burnside.
\$1500—1/2 block, small house; brings \$7 per month; would sell corner of inside lot separate; East 21th and Yamhill streets; sewer paid for; title perfect.
\$2300—5-room house, lot 50x100, East 21st, near Pine street.
\$250—Will buy choice lots, 50x100, in East Portland Heights, on car line; city water; very easy payments.

A Snap

I have several 1/2 blocks, choice location, East 15th & sewer; street improved; abstract up to date; \$2,250 per 1/2 block.

Farm for City Property

Will trade my 40-acre farm at Scappoose, house and barn, good orchard; 12 acres in fine state of cultivation; running water; best of soil.
\$2100—Will buy 40-acre farm at Mt. Scott; good house, fine orchard; 12 acres cleared; fine soil; plenty water.
\$75 PER ACRE—20 and 40-acre tracts; good soil; some cleared; close to town. This is a snap.

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Bargains in West Side Property

\$2100—Very nice 5-room cottage, near Failing school; hot and cold water; fine bath; lot 50x105 feet; all in fruit—\$450 down.

Two Elegant Lots

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245 1/2 MORRISON STREET.

the platform adopted and the tickets nominated. Through your kindness I desire to make a brief, public statement in answer to all such inquiries, which I trust will be both satisfactory and conclusive as to my opinion and position upon these points.

I am a Democrat. Recognizing the fact and necessity of political parties in this country, I have always adhered to the policies and principles of the Democratic party and, as a party man, have always submitted my humble judgment to the superior collective wisdom of my party, as declared in platform and represented by its ticket, in national convention assembled. While Judge Parker was not my personal choice prior to his nomination for that high office, yet I shall most heartily support him and the platform adopted by that convention. I now believe he is the strongest man that could have been nominated at this time and I also believe that he is the strongest man that has been nominated on any ticket. In addition to the solid south, I believe he will carry New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Maryland, West Virginia and Delaware, with a good prospect of gaining one or more of the middle western states of Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin, and a good fighting chance to carry one or more of the states of Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Idaho and Montana, and that he will surely be elected the next president of the United States.

H. W. PARKER.

Campaign With

From the New York Herald.
O. carry me far from the haunts of men,
Where politics is unknown;
To an island, say far away
In a cool but temperate zone;
And there let me bask through this hot campaign.
Somewhere that other men shun;
Some resort that's swell or a summer hotel
Where girls are sixteen to one.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The Eddy Corporation Law.

Portland, July 16.—To the Editor of The Journal—I have been frequently asked by views on the Eddy Corporation law and, noticing E. S. McCormas' article in The Journal issued on the 15th beg space to express my views on the subject matter. I have procured a copy of that law, and after carefully examining it find that it is much more harmful and detrimental to the mining interest than I had expected it to be. I think had Mr. Eddy understood and taken into consideration the mining interests in comparison with other industries, he would have at once seen the injustice of it.

As long as gold is the standard and all values are fixed by it, gold mining must ever remain of paramount importance to all other industries. The production of gold must be maintained in order to preserve it as a standard. Let gold mining cease today and in a very few years what would become of our gold standard? Prices of everything would dwindle into insignificance, for there can be nothing more true than the fact that the greater the production of gold the higher the prices of all other commodities, and the scarcer the gold the lower will be the prices of all other products. This is equivalent to the rise and fall of gold.

This is not politics but cold blooded facts, therefore the production of gold must be maintained. Therefore every ounce of gold that is extracted from the earth, adds \$20.67 to the wealth of the state and the nation. Therefore gold mining must be of paramount importance, above all other industries, and should be fostered, assisted and protected by all the encouragement that can be extended to it. Instead of taxing it, it should be rewarded by being exempt from all taxation of any kind. If the money received from all the mining companies was set aside and expended by the county court in building roads to and from the mines, it would be in some measure justifiable. I need not mention more than one incident in which this Eddy law worked a hardship. Up on the Elkhorn river, a branch of the north fork of the Santiam river, in Marion county, there are a dozen or more prospects which are incorporated for the purpose of development, and determining whether they will prove to be a paying mine or not. For this purpose they have incorporated into a stock company, not for any immediate gain, but to protect and see if it will prove to be a paying mine, worthy of putting machinery on; if so then it will develop into a taxable property that will net more to the state than any other method. It is not only an injustice, but it is preventative of development and resources of the state being opened up for the investment of capital.

It is bad policy to throttle an infant industry in this way and still harder on the poor prospector who may never develop a paying property, where all

Marquam block, and the degree of honor will hold its sessions in the A. O. U. W. hall, in the Selling-Hirsch building. It is expected that there will be about 400 people in the city next week attending these grand lodge sessions. One important matter that will provoke considerable discussion is the proposed acceptance of the new rates of assessment, passed by the supreme lodge.

D. Solis Cohen and Ralph Feeney, who were delegates to the recent session of the supreme lodge held at Chattanooga, Tenn., will submit a report of the proceedings.

The meaning of Success is failure kicked to pieces by hard work.

GAIN IN BUILDING PERMITS IS GREAT

Rains Stir Up the Homeless to Sense of Responsibility and Totals Are a Third More Than For Last Week.

Permits, Transfers.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Monday	2,450	14,582.51	9,875	2,022.00	11,150	8,855.00
Tuesday	11,150	23,842.00	62,700	11,496.00	700	10,449.31
Totals for week	\$99,825	\$91,545.24	Totals last week	\$4,249	\$6,796.48	

There was a gain in the building operations of the week, the rains evidently acting as a reminder upon the homeless that now was the time to build. That the building permits totals shows a gain as the summer season advances is remarkable, and contractors and builders are unanimous in their expressions that the real activity in this market will begin during the early winter months and then everybody will want to build at once. This, they say, will in all likelihood cause a shortage in the supply of carpenters, although just now there are more than enough.

According to one of the local architects there are several large buildings that will soon be erected along the principal streets. Among the places mentioned as the location for new buildings is the northeast corner of First and Washington streets, known as the stronghold of Jacob Kamm, but at present this prediction does not appear probable, as Mr. Kamm has carpenters and painters working on the

GRAND LODGE TO MEET HERE TUESDAY

Will M. Marvis of Muscatine, Ia., supreme master workman of the A. O. U. W., is expected to arrive here tomorrow to attend the grand lodge of the jurisdiction of Oregon, which convenes Tuesday. Past Supreme Master J. G. Tate of Colorado, also will be in attendance. He is now in southern Oregon, and has been doing lecture work for the order.

The grand lodge of the A. O. U. W. will be held in the Elks' hall, in the

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\$1300—Beautiful new and modern 5-room cottage, full lot; would exchange in part for vacant lot in desirable part of city.

\$250—Beautiful acre lot, seat and new 5-room cottage; a very cozy home; 1 block electric cars.

\$500—Two beautiful lots, including 2 blocks cars, summit of Mt. Tabor; fenced and in fruit; make an elegant home.

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