

BRITISH COLUMBIA OIL

11,500 ACRES OF SELECTED OIL LANDS IN THE KOOTENAY DISTRICT, BRITISH COLUMBIA

Southeast British Columbia Land & Oil Co., Limited
OF THE DALLES, OREGON

Capital \$375,000, Divided Into 1,500,000 Shares, Par Value, 25c
Shares Are Fully Paid Up and Forever Non-assessable.

\$18,000 Worth of DRILLING MACHINERY Bought, Paid For, READY FOR ACTIVE OPERATIONS

25 Cents Per Share

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VIEW UP SAGE CREEK, KOOTENAY DISTRICT, BRITISH COLUMBIA

Resources of the Company

The existence of petroleum in this field has been known for many years and was admirably described by the late Dr. Selwyn, the famous Canadian geologist, in his report to the geological department of Canada in 1891. To the day of his death he maintained that here was one of the greatest oil fields of the world. The capital of the company is small, its assets are very large consisting of 18 square miles of carefully selected lands in this rich oil territory, 12 sections lying close to the now producing wells of Alberta, the remaining six sections being selected in the immediate vicinity of other companies about to commence active boring operations, thus it will readily be seen that any lands developed in this field will benefit this company.

Value of the Oil

This oil being of a paraffin base is very valuable, and is of a grade superior to any except the finest of the Pennsylvania oils. What is more intelligible to investors is that while the average price of California crude oils range from 15 to 25 cents a barrel, the oil from this field is worth on the average over \$2.25 a barrel.

Government Bonus

The Dominion Government gives a bounty of 1 1/2 cents per gallon on all crude oil produced in the Dominion.

THERE IS AN OIL BOOM COMING!

We are safe in predicting that in a few months the spirit of speculation will be inflamed. It will be OIL! OIL! everywhere. Money will begin to flow in from every channel. Representatives of capital will begin to arrive in swarms. Hotels will be overcrowded. Workingmen will be eagerly sought at any price. THE OIL FIELDS WILL BE ON A BOOM. Everything will begin to move and the OIL CAMP WILL BE ALIVE WITH INDUSTRY. IT HAS STARTED NOW. It will outrival the riches of the Klondike. The Klondike during the first year of its development only sent out a trifle over one million, yet, when this became known, streams of humanity flocked thither. Yet the light that lured them on was the glitter of only a paltry million. Compare this with the results that will be obtained in these "OIL FIELDS," which are at our very doors. There is ten times as much money in a big oil well as there is in the best gold mine on earth. The quality of the crude product found in our fields is surpassed by no other locality in the world.

FORM OF APPLICATION
To G. N. MCGREGOR,
449 Sherlock Bldg., Portland, Or.:
Enclosed find \$_____ in full payment for _____ shares in the
SOUTHEAST BRITISH COLUMBIA LAND & OIL CO., Limited, at 25 cents per share.
Name _____
Address _____
Cut this out and mail with remittance to G. N. McGregor as above

For Further Particulars Call or Write to **G. N. MCGREGOR, General Agent**
449 Sherlock Building, Portland, Oregon

Description of the Territory

The lands of the Southeast British Columbia Land & Oil Co., Ltd., are situated in the Kootenay district, in the extreme southeast corner of British Columbia, directly south and adjacent to the coal fields of the Crow's Nest Pass, which rival those of Pennsylvania in extent and richness. They form a part of the block of land, over which there has been so much litigation of recent years between the Canadian Pacific railway and the Province of British Columbia. This controversy is now definitely settled for all time, and operations will now proceed rapidly, that the country is open for development.

A Going Concern

The company was incorporated in January of this year and has thus far displayed marked activity having already purchased and paid for \$18,000 worth of drilling machinery, and have same moved on their property and will soon be sinking their first well.

Directors

The investor has also in the character of the Board of Directors a guarantee that the interests of the company will be safeguarded and its business transacted for the benefit of all the shareholders and not for that of one or two promoters.

We invite your thorough investigation of the merits of this company, and the standing of the men in whom the management is vested.

THE FIRST SIN, AND WHAT IT LEADS TO

Dr. Chapman Holds Great Crowd Spellbound at Marquam as He Tells Story.

PHYSICAL STRENGTH POOR THING TO RELY ON

Preaches From Text, "The Man Who Said He Would, and Could Not."

About 1,500 people came out of the Marquam Grand theatre at the conclusion of the noon meeting today asking each other, "Of whom was he speaking?"—was it Dr. Toy?

J. Wilbur Chapman, leader of the evangelists, had been telling them a story. "Once," said he, "I was seated in my room at the Piedmont hotel in Atlanta, Ga., when there entered a ragged, half-clad man in soiled linen, the stench from whose clothing almost made me sick. He called me by name without any prefix or suffix and holding out his hand, said: 'Give me two—just two dollars, that's all I want.' Stunned, I gave him the amount. Once I heard that man preach. I asked him what his salary was and he told me. 'Come with me,' he said, 'and I will increase your salary.' For he was the best preacher I ever heard. He began with morphine, then whiskey, then—well, now he is a minister of the gospel."

This nameless story was related by Dr. Chapman to illustrate the awful consequence of the first sin; and the overruling power of redemption. His sermon was on "The Man Who Said He Would and Could Not." His text was Judges, xvi:20 Carefully and analytically the evangelist recounted the story of Samson's life, to which he referred as one of the saddest of the Bible's pictures.

"What a poor thing is physical strength after all!" he exclaimed. "When you need it most it falls you. I pity the man who relies on his outward self and I pity the man, too, who has only mentally. Samson was a child of special blessing. His parents were nearly perfect. There are men in this audience whose mothers were the purest of women and whose fathers were the noblest of men. But good birth is not all sufficient, great as it is. Each man must have a spiritual association with Christ. If a man is short tempered, all the more reason that he should be a Christian. Temper is a splendid servant, but an awful master. So strength is dangerous, as in Samson's case, unless God controls it. Samson was a great joker, but he joked once too often. Strength—physical strength—was not infallible, as we are shown. He ignored the strength of the adversary and fell by slow degrees. For no man can sin and remain in touch with God."

"Samson was having a good time with the women to whom he gave the secret of his strength; he was trifling with the adversary, as some of you are. And he was slain. So shall all men be who follow his example."

GUANO ROCK SINKS BENEATH THE WAVE

Guano rock, which had withstood the storms of centuries and was the best known sentinel for mariners along the Pacific coast, has fallen. It stood at the south side entrance to the channel leading into Coos Bay harbor, but in the last big gale it toppled into the sea.

The rock was about 30 feet square and at high tide was 15 feet above the sea level. It is presumed that the continuous washing of the water wore away the base of the ancient landmark. Captain Hardwick of the steamer Alliance was the first to note its disappearance. Not seeing it he remarked to the purser:

"The roughest hymns sung by the congregation, led by Charles F. Allen, the Chapman quartet was heard and Fred Butler rendered "Was That Somebody You?" Tickets are being distributed for the next Sunday's meeting for men only at the Marquam, which promises to be equally as great as that of last Sunday. Dr. Henry Ostrom will be the speaker, and his subject "The Every Day Man." The music will be under the direction of John P. Hillis.

WITNESS IN SEWER CASES IS MISSING

Deputy sheriffs are unable to find Morris Reinsteint, the most important witness for the state in the case against W. C. Elliott, J. M. Caywood, Henry Chandler, E. W. Riner and E. M. Riner, for alleged wrong doing in connection with the Tanner creek sewer construction.

Two deputy sheriffs have been searching for him and have been informed that he has gone east. However, they assert that it is believed Reinsteint has not left Oregon. Efforts to locate him will be redoubled, and if found he will be compelled to appear at the trials as a witness.

GREAT NORTHERN TRAIN WRECKED IN MONTANA

(Journal Special Service.) Butte, March 30.—The Great Northern overland west-bound passenger train was derailed at noon today near Basin, Mont. Engineer John Weber was scalded and crushed to death, and Fireman Tom Davis seriously hurt. The engine jumped the track. The train was late and running 20 miles an hour.

HENEY TO WORK IN CALIFORNIA NEXT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) San Francisco, March 30.—United States District Attorney Francis J. Henevy is about to set the engines of the law in motion to restore to the state of California 250,000 acres of school land, alleged to have been siphoned from it by John A. Benson and F. A. Hyde. Governor Pardee has asked Henevy to submit to him all the facts in his possession, concerning these alleged land frauds. Henevy will go so on his return from Oregon in May. Then he

will file a suit in the name of the state to recover lands and declare forfeited the sum of \$210,000 paid by Benson and Hyde as part of the purchase price. The suit which Henevy proposes to institute will be brought under the provisions of the act passed by the last legislature. This law provides that where a court of competent jurisdiction decides that state school lands have been obtained by fraud, the purchase price paid for the same shall be forfeited to the state. This measure was introduced through the influence of Henevy, and when it had passed both houses, was immediately signed by Pardee.

BURGLARS ROB CITIZENS AS THEY SLUMBER

A woman, whose name the police are withholding, but who lives at 660 East Taylor street, reported to the police this morning that her pocket was picked about 9 o'clock last night on the corner of Third and Morrison streets. She lost a purse and \$12.

REMARKABLE ESCAPE OF TRAIN FROM DISASTER

(Journal Special Service.) Los Angeles, March 30.—The east-bound Santa Fe last night, crowded with over 200 passengers, had a remarkable escape from disaster, the result of a deliberate plot. The train was climbing a heavy grade. Passing along a deep gulch, the front wheels of the engine left the rails and ploughed along the ties for 40 yards. Striking the guard rails, the wheels again found the rails. When the train was stopped, the locomotive was only partly derailed. Investigation showed that the brake rod pin had been placed in a frog in such a position that it was plain the purpose to derail the train.

SWORE HE'D LICK FIRST OFFICER MET

"Boxcar" Casey Takes Field for Big Game, But Meets Sheriff Word.

IS AT POLICE STATION IN DEEP MEDITATION

If He Had Gone Up Another Street, Might Have Made Good.

"Boxcar" Casey took the field for big game this morning, announcing that he intended to lick the first officer he met. The first officer he met was Sheriff Tom Word. He tried to "make good," and now rests in a cell at the city prison, on a charge of drunk and disorderly.

"Lick this man up on a charge of drunk and disorderly," said the sheriff, addressing Captain Gritzmacher. "When were you given a special officer's star, Tom?" inquired a bystander jocularly.

MANUAL TRAINING FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

The Portland section of the Council of Jewish Women was incorporated today by three of the officers of the local council, Hannah K. Etumauer, president; Hannah Baruh, vice-president, and Ella Hirsch, treasurer. The property owned by the council is worth \$10,000. The other officers are: Sarah Sichel, secretary, and these directors, Mrs. Sol Hirsch, Mrs. A. S. Rosenthal, Mrs. A. Fleischman, Mrs. Gus Simon, Mrs. H. Gerson, Mrs. E. Neustader, Mrs. Abe Goldstein, Mrs. S. Rosenfeld and Mrs. J. Gelsom. One of the objects expressed in the incorporation articles is to establish a school for boys and girls in which shall be given industrial and manual training.

GET YOUR PICTURE ON COMMUTATION TICKET

At a meeting of the executive board of the Lewis and Clark fair at noon today the matter of commutation tickets was discussed, and the board finally reached a decision in regard to it. It was decided to offer two photographic tickets for sale, one good for 157 admissions for \$30, and the other good for 50 admissions for \$12.50. Subscriptions for commutation tickets will be received for a period of one month, and it was also decided to print only the number for which subscriptions were received.

SAYS HE WAS ROBBED IN NORTH END SALOON

Missing Edward J. Delast, Collector for Brother, Tells Strange Story.

BEEF TRUST GOT RAILROAD REBATES

(Journal Special Service.) Chicago, March 30.—Proof of railroad discrimination in favor of packers, it is said, has been laid before District Attorney Morrison by Frank S. Bennett, formerly attorney general of Ohio, who has been investigating the subject. Remarks by witnesses indicate that the grand jury is not condoning all its attention to the business methods of the packing firms, but is also taking testimony opening an inquiry into the freight rate question, which will follow the beef inquiry.

COMMISSION LOOKING INTO RATE ON CORN

(Journal Special Service.) Washington, March 30.—The interstate commerce commission has issued orders for an investigation of the matter of rates on corn and corn products from Missouri river points to Washington, Oregon and California. Railroad officials interested will appear in Chicago May 8.

WOULD DEPRIVE JAPAN OF FRUITS OF VICTORY

(Journal Special Service.) Berlin, March 30.—The Frankfurter Zeitung says that a conference of the powers will soon assemble in Paris to determine conditions of peace. This is regarded as an indication that a movement is on foot to deprive the Japanese of the fruits of victory on the ground of the "yellow peril."

URBAN-SEA GIVES JOKERS A CHANCE

First, Between Madison and Columbia Streets, Impassable to Man or Horse.

POLICE AND FIREMEN ARE NOT CITIZENS

Four men, members of either the police or fire departments, have been refused the privilege of registering for the city primaries, because they are not yet citizens of the United States. Yet the city charter expressly provides that employees of the city must be citizens and qualified voters. Today, out of 19 members of the city departments who were in the county clerk's office, four were not allowed to register, and the others were barely eligible. Some of them had been in Oregon but a few days more than six months and all were residents of not more than 15 months standing.

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL

Few People Know How Useful It is in Preserving Health and Beauty. Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

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Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines, and carries them out of the system. Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables. Charcoal effectively cleans and improves the complexion, whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic. Charcoal sweetens the breath, which collects in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

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