

CANADIAN BOYS ROAD

North Coast Railway Projected From Walla Walla to Seattle Is Sold to C. P. Ry., According to Reliable Report.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Seattle, Oct. 22.—The Canadian Pacific railroad has purchased the franchise, right of way and all property acquired by the North Coast Railroad company, according to what is considered absolute reliable authority. The North Coast company was incorporated two years ago for the purpose of building a railroad from Walla Walla to Seattle and will complete the line to this city connecting with the main line of the Canadian Pacific near Sumas and extend the coast branch from Walla Walla to Spokane.

All of the negotiations have been concluded and the final surveys are now being made preliminary to the actual construction between this city and the boundary line near Sumas. The North Coast road was incorporated by Robert Strahorn together with Seattle and Spokane parties about two years ago. At that time it was announced that the road was to be a part of a new transcontinental system. Property was purchased for terminal purposes in North Yakima and Seattle and right of way for practically the entire line between Seattle and Walla Walla secured. Considerable construction has already been done and the surveys through the Cascades completed. It is the intention of the Canadian Pacific to have the line completed to Seattle and in operation in time to participate in the direct business to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition in 1909.

CRIMINAL CASES NEARING AN END

Three More Trials Remain Before Federal Docket Is Cleared.

Three more cases remain to be tried in the federal court before the docket is cleared of work for which provision of immediate trial has been made. This morning the arguments were made in the case of the United States against Franklin, the old man accused of having sent obscene letters through the mail, and the case was given to the jury.

Following the retirement of the jury in the case Deputy District Attorney Cole asked that the cases of James W. Curran and William Jennings, accused of having tampered with the mails be continued. This was done by the court. The defendants in this case were accused by the government of having taken letters out of boxes in Clackamas county.

Tomorrow morning William J. Bulger will be placed on trial for having tampered with the mails and it is expected that his trial will be a short one, it being the expectation that the evidence will all be in the hands of the jury before the day is over or by noon of the following day at the latest.

Following the Bulger case John P. Sherry will be placed on trial for a similar offense and it is expected that his trial will consume but a short time.

Butler Fought will follow the Sherry case as defendant in an action charging him with assault with intent to kill. This is a case having its origin on the Siletz Indian reservation, the defendant being an Indian of that reservation.

These three cases will close the work of Assistant United States Attorney Cole, insofar as his criminal docket is concerned. Following it the court will take up the civil docket and hear the cases waiting for trial in that department.

LARGE STEAMER DRIFTS ASHORE

The Lituanian, From Malmo, Sweden, With Emigrants, Is in Grave Danger.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
London, Oct. 22.—Carrying 500 passengers, the Russian steamship Lituanian is ashore off Skulle, according to a dispatch to Lloyds, from Malmo, Sweden. The vessel ran on the rocks during a heavy fog. The Lituanian is drifting to reach and the passengers, who are bound for America, are in grave danger.

THREE FIST BLOWS DID FOR DUSTY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Spokane, Wash., Oct. 22.—"Dusty" Dean fell dead today at the Favorite saloon. Witnesses say it was because the bartender, George Ragsdale, hit him three times on the head with his fist. "Dusty" and Ragsdale had long been friends. "Dusty" asked the loan of a dollar. Ragsdale asked him why he had not paid an old debt of \$12. "Dusty" denied owing it and called him a liar. Ragsdale then hit "Dusty," who was intoxicated, fell against a railing, stood up and then fell dead.

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"Such a gladness," echoed a deep baritone, and the thrills were taken up by a mezzo-soprano, a romantic tenor and a score of feminine voices. There was a flash of prettily-turned ankles, while pronounced blonds and clearly enunciated brunettes jumped off the San Francisco train and a scurrying was made to follow up the furnished rooms ads in the newspapers.

For the San Francisco opera company, with most of the old voices and a good many new ones, to say nothing of

OVERWORK CAUSES OAKLAND MAN TO LIVE BACKWARDS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Oakland, Cal., Oct. 22.—Through some strange lesion of the brain, Ralph Cummings, aged 37, has had his conception of things reversed, and he does the common things of every day life backwards.

The man was reported missing from the Juanita hotel, where he had been living with his mother and sister, several days ago, and last night he was found on the street by the police. He had his coat on wrong side out and was walking backward.

When taken to the police station, no one could make out what he was saying. He spoke in a strange jargon, fluently and connectedly.

SAILOR BOY ENLISTS FOR YEAR'S CRUISE IN VICINITY OF KELLY'S BUTTE

Dressed in the garb of a sailor of Uncle Sam's great seagoing fleet, young, good-looking and with a face that rather resembled that of a young woman, George Palmer was sentenced to serve one year in the county jail by Judge Cameron this morning on a charge of larceny. Palmer, it was proven, had been guilty of working the double-cross game on Portland lodging-house keepers in which he secured clothes and other valuables.

His partner, who worked with him, is still at large. Palmer's game was to have his confederate leave a suit case with the proprietor of a rooming-house

a brand new "beauty chorus," reached Portland this morning from San Francisco, bound for the Marcus theatre, where they will open their long engagement tonight in "The Idol's Eye."

Manager Frank W. Healy of the company was with them and personally conducted the more timid of his girls through the streets and to the theatre, where Charles Myers Ryan took charge of them and will direct their future routing.

Three carloads of merry village scenery and other habiliments of chorus girls arrived with the opera company and by tonight the entire production will be safely enfolded in the wings of the Marquam.

A detective suddenly thought he caught a work spoken backward. Spelling phonetically, he then wrote a sentence Cummings had repeated several times, and phonetically pronouncing it backward, it read: "Work too hard."

With this as a key some other fragments were made out, which led to the discovery of the man's identity. When this was learned one of the officers exclaimed loudly as he recollected the report of a missing man, "Oh, yes, you are Ralph Cummings." The sound seemed to set the man right, for he replied correctly. "Yes, I'm Ralph Cummings."

Since then Cummings has been speaking correctly most of the time, but occasionally lapses into his backward method.

MUST PROTECT ALL EMPLOYEES

California Court Declares That Employers Must Value Their Men's Lives.

San Francisco, Oct. 21.—Employers engaged in pursuits hazardous to the life or limbs of their employees will be obliged to make use of all the appliances known to science to guard the safety of their workers. Otherwise they will be liable for heavy damages.

Such is the decision rendered by the United States circuit court of appeals in affirming the judgment of the United States district court of the state of Washington in the case of Clifford Twitchell against the Northport Smelting & Refining company. In that case Twitchell, who is a 13-year-old boy, received a verdict for \$13,303 damages for injuries.

Twitchell was injured by the bursting of a "cone" containing molten metal while trying to break it with a mallet. It was proved at the trial that the brick floor provided by the company as a place for depositing slag was worn into hollows, in which water was allowed to accumulate. In affirming the judgment of the lower court, Judge Ross said:

"If an occupation attended with dangers can be prevented by proper precautions, such precautions must be taken by the promoters of the pursuit or the employers of labor thereon. Liability for injuries following a disregard of such precautions will otherwise be incurred and this fact should not be lost sight of."

ADVANCE SEAT SALE BEGINS TOMORROW

The advance seat sale will open at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock for the world's greatest woman violinist, Miss Maud Powell, who will be heard in a grand recital next Friday afternoon, October 25, at 2 o'clock at the above theatre.

FITZSIMMONS IS AFTER O'BRIEN

Australian Declares He Will Slap Enemy's Face the First Time They Meet.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Pittsburg, Oct. 22.—"I will slap the face of Jack O'Brien and kick him into the street the first time I meet him, whether it be on Broadway or in a drawing-room." This remark was made by Fitzsimmons at the Pittsburg hotel last night.

Fitzsimmons says he will devote the rest of his life to telling what he thinks of O'Brien because of the latter's statement about the last fight between Fitzsimmons and Johnson at Philadelphia.

Fitzsimmons says he has sent word to O'Brien that he will punch him on sight and that O'Brien is keeping out of the way.

The Australian declares that Johnson, the colored fighter, is the only man in the country today who has a chance against Jeffries.

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CAUGHT ROBBING SLEEPING SOLDIER

George Washburn, a bartender at the Merchants' hotel, Third and Flanders streets, was arrested last night by Policeman Tennant and has been charged with larceny from the person. The case will come up in the municipal court tomorrow morning, notwithstanding an attempt to keep his freedom by offering his captor a bribe of \$20.

When Policeman Tennant strolled into the Merchants' hotel bar room last night he heard a strange whistle that aroused his curiosity. He investigated quickly. In the back room he found Washburn in the act of searching the pockets of Thomas L. Thompson, a private in the Fourteenth Infantry, United States army. The soldier was asleep. The proprietor of the saloon was in the front part of the house at the time, the policeman says, but denies having any knowledge of a well-planned robbery. Consequently, only Washburn was arrested.

Thompson had only recently been discharged from the regiment at Vancouver and had already re-enlisted. But before going back to the life of a soldier he had endeavored to spend something like \$124 which he had received as back pay.

When found asleep by the policeman, Thompson had \$90 left. Just for the soldier's carelessness, the policeman says, George Washburn was tempted and was about to fall when the strong arm of the law appeared.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, the original Little Liver Pills, although the first pill of their kind in the market, still lead, and when once tried are ever afterwards in favor. Easy to take as candy—one to three a dose. Much imitated but never equaled.

TACOMA'S MEAT MEN PARALYZED

Meat Trust Diverts Five Hundred Refrigerator Cars to California.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Tacoma, Oct. 22.—By diverting more than 500 refrigerator cars supposed to have been consigned to Tacoma packing house and cold storage companies, the packing house trust has paralyzed the meat industry in this city.

Officials of the Pacific Cold Storage company are authority for the statement that the Armour company has succeeded in having all the available refrigerator cars on the Northern Pacific, Southern Pacific and Great Northern roads routed to California for use in the shipment of fruit. Scarcely a car has been left for the disposal of local meat industries.

A conference between the packing house, fisheries and cold storage men is being arranged and complaints will be filed with the interstate commerce commission.

JEW'S EYES GOUGED OUT BY TORMENTORS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Berlin, Oct. 22.—News has been received of a fresh outbreak against the Jews at Odessa. Thirty men and women were mutilated by rioters in an attempt to make them surrender their valuables. One Jewish boy's eyes were gouged out.

BRIDGE WORK CAN NOW BE STARTED

The county commissioners today put the final touches on the contract for repairing the Burnside street bridge. It had been signed once before, the formalities today dealing with the amendments.



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