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MEN BACK AT WORK ON HARRIMAN ROADS

SHORTEN ROUTE VIA NEWLY PLANNED LINE

Lane Cut-Off Employing Hundreds of Men and Teams as Predicted in The Journal. Orders for New Rolling Stock Have Been Placed.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal)
Omaha, Neb., Dec. 5.—Work of the Lane cutoff, one of the most gigantic shortening tasks ever undertaken by the Harriman lines, has been fully resumed, as predicted in The Journal; 600 men and 100 teams now being employed in completing construction. Work on the cutoff was discontinued the last week in October, when Harriman ordered a cessation of construction work on the Union Pacific line. The cutoff will be completed this winter at a total cost of over \$2,000,000. It is a succession of fills and cuts, shortening the main line of the Union Pacific seven miles between Omaha and Lincoln. The grading has all been done.

Bridge work is now the principal part of the labor on the cutoff. In addition the Union Pacific here is storing ties at the rate of two carloads daily in Omaha for line renewal. Work will also begin December 15 on the opening of new quarries to supply rock to ballast the main line of the system, in which work over \$1,000,000 is to be spent immediately.

WORK ON S. P. LINES.

The Union Pacific has placed the eleventh order with the Pittsburg Pressed Steel company for 1,500 cars to be delivered as soon as possible and another with the Baldwin Locomotive works for 25 locomotives to be delivered within one year, as exclusively foreshadowed in The Journal.

Work will commence next Monday on the construction of a 10-mile branch road from Kemmerer, Wyoming, to the new coal fields, expected to yield 3,000 tons of coal a day. The entire system is resuming construction work.

General Manager Calvin Says Construction Continues.

San Francisco, Dec. 5.—General Manager E. C. Calvin of the Southern Pacific company says that work is going on unceasingly on the Bay Shore cutoff, and that men are being assembled for construction work. The Harriman lines had determined to renew activities the first of December and railroad work in this state will progress as usual.

BRYAN IN ACCORD WITH THE PRESIDENT

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 5.—William Jennings Bryan is strictly in accord with the president concerning postal savings banks and guaranteed banks. He said yesterday:

Million Salary NOT BIG ENOUGH

John H. Hammond Resigns Highest Salary in World to Be Own Employer.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Santa Barbara, Cal., Dec. 5.—John Hayes Hammond, greatest of mining experts and highest salaried man in the world, will quit his \$1,000,000 a year job January 1.

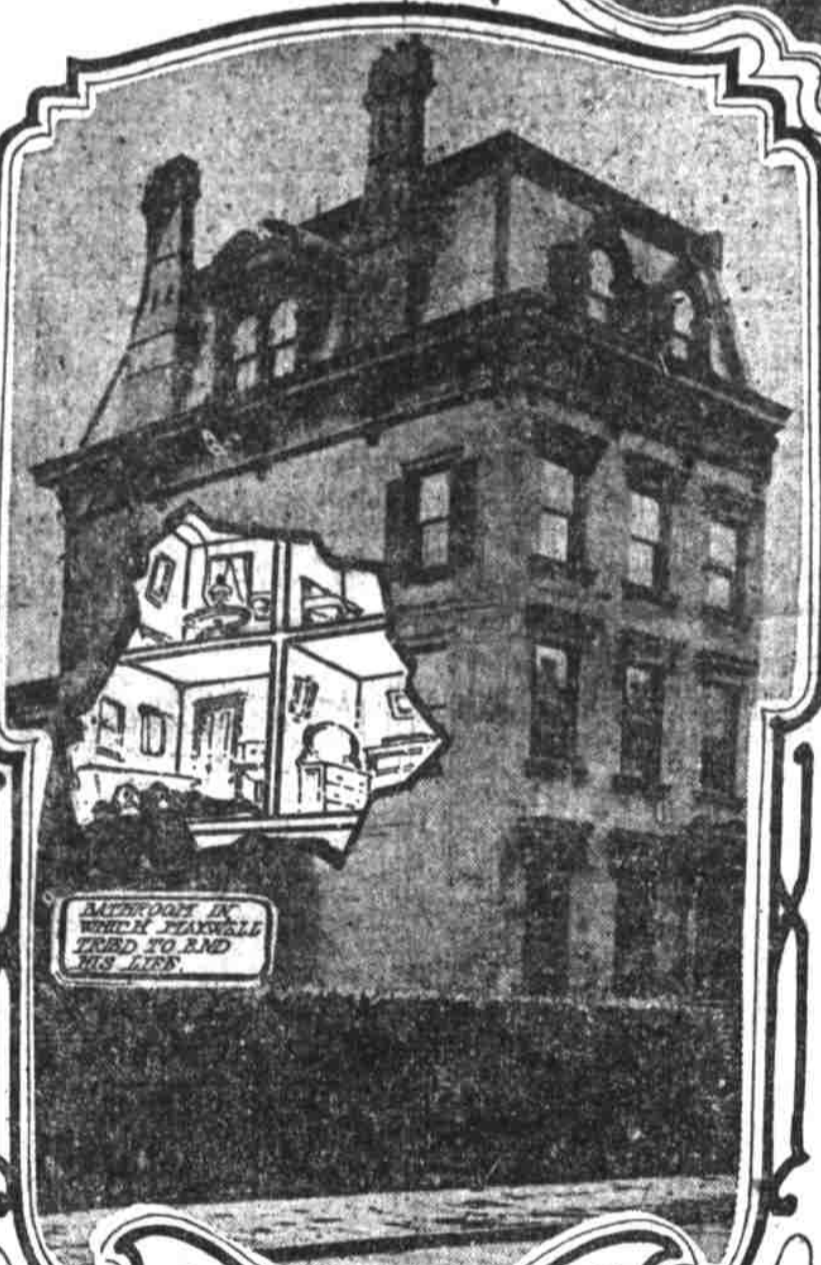
MEN SELECTED TO DRAFT MONEY BILL

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Chairman Fowler of the house currency committee today announced the following sub-committee to draft a currency bill:

Fowler, chairman; Prince, Illinois; Calderhead, Texas; Lewis, Georgia; and Gillespie, Kansas.

BISHOP RIORDAN TO BE NEXT AMERICAN TO SECURE RED HAT

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Rome, Dec. 5.—The next high cardinal in America will be Archbishop Riordan of San Francisco, according to a statement of a man close to the pope's secretary, Merry Del Val. A new cardinal would receive red hats in the old country next month if the pope did not



MAN WHO HELPED WRECK BANK



Special photos taken for the American-Journal service show Howard Maxwell, who was president of the Borough Bank of Brooklyn and whose name is the latest to be added to the list of tragedies growing out of financial conditions in New York. The Borough bank closed its doors and discoveries of forgery in the manipulation of accounts resulted in criminal prosecution. Maxwell was stripped of every cent he had in the world. On the day he was arrested his mother died. Shortly afterward, in a fit of sudden reclusion, he cut his throat. There is also a picture of the Maxwell home in Brooklyn, with an inset drawing showing the interior. Maxwell did not die at once, but surgeons could not save him and he never regained consciousness.

Prices Will Go Up Even If the Babies Get Worst of It.

Portland faces another advance in the price of milk.

Milk and cream are getting scarcer every day, and some milkmen are of the opinion that there is likely to be a famine before the grass season opens.

A local creamery has advanced the price to the milkmen, and the latter are expected to put the raise up to the public. The advance was made on very short notice, and in consequence there is much complaint from the deliverers, who say that they cannot advance their customers for at least a month, and until that time will have to stand for the advance themselves. They claim that the profits of delivering milk are altogether too small, and in order to make the business profitable the advance to consumers should be sharp.

IT IS TO READ! THE OREGON SUNDAY JOURNAL

Big packing plants have located on the peninsula near St. Johns and when the work of building the various departments for housing the business is completed there will be 500 men employed in dressing and packing meats for the Pacific northwest at the plants of Swift and Armour in next Sunday's Journal the progress of the work is described.

Portland's public spirited citizens have donated many ornamental drinking fountains to the city. Next Sunday's Journal will have something about the fountains and a batch of pleasing illustrations.

These are only two of the good things. The Saturday special announcement will give a list of new features that will surprise you. Keep your eye on The Sunday Journal. Portland's brightest and best illustrated Sunday morning newspaper.

MILKSMEN MAY CLOSE MILLS BY RUSSIAN STRIKE

Workmen Resent Arrest of Douma Members Charged With High Treason.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
St. Petersburg, Dec. 5.—Employees in every mill in St. Petersburg and vicinity struck today in sympathy with 53 progressives, 37 of whom were members of the douma, who are being tried on charges of high treason. The Cosacks are driving the people from the streets.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Modesto, Cal., Dec. 5.—Miss Muriel Elliott, the handsome daughter of Arthur Elliott, prominent farmer of this place, was the heroine of an exciting elopement last night and her marriage to William Gilbert followed in spite of parental opposition and threatened gun play.

CALIFORNIA COUPLE ELOPE ON HORSES

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Los Angeles, Dec. 5.—Two important departments of Los Angeles Pacific Railway company are to be abolished at once. They are the engineering and the maintenance of ways departments. Six hundred men employed in these departments, including their officials, highest to lowest, are to be discharged. General financial stringency is given as the reason for the shutting down of the construction work.

RAILWAY ABOLISHES TWO DEPARTMENTS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Brest, France, Dec. 5.—Hardly able to stand on account of seasickness, King Alfonso of Spain received delegates from the French and English officials at deck of the British warship to port in the harbor today.

SCHNABEL'S CLIENTS MAY TAKE BONDS

Attorney Confers With Depositors' Association of Oregon Savings and Arranges Meeting to Be Held With Bank Officials.

Developments at the Oregon Trust & Savings bank today showed encouraging signs of progress in the Depositors' association movement toward reorganization and payment of dollar for dollar to depositors.

C. J. Schnabel, who represents clients with claims aggregating more than \$50,000, called at the bank this morning, and after a long conference with President John L. Ivey, Judge A. E. Reames and W. H. Moore, it was announced that Mr. Schnabel had volunteered to arrange a meeting between his clients and the bank's representatives. A strong effort will be made to induce these depositors to come into the reorganization plan.

It has been stated many times in the public press that my advice to my clients prevented a number of depositors from entering into a plan of reorganization of that institution. As to a large number of those supposed clients, they are in a letter to The Journal today. Mr. Schnabel made the following statement in a letter to The Journal today. Mr. Schnabel made the following statement in a letter to The Journal today. Mr. Schnabel made the following statement in a letter to The Journal today.

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Meeting Causes Renewed Hope.

Replies to Criticisms.

Schnabel's Action Encouraging.

M. TAKAHIRA WILL COME TO AMERICA

Ambassador Aoki's Place Will Be Filled by Present Japanese Envoy to Italy as Soon as Resignation Is Accepted.

Washington, Dec. 5.—"Your president? How can I understand him, when Americans cannot?" This was Ambassador Aoki's only reply to a request for his opinion of Roosevelt today.

Believing that the officials of the Title Guarantee & Trust company unlawfully juggled the money on deposit in order to cover up the looting of the trust funds the Depositors' association is planning action to force the replacement of these funds.

WILL FORCE RETURN OF BANK LOOT

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Force Officials to Replace Money.

FEDERAL TROOPS FOR GOLDFIELD, NEV.

Washington, Dec. 5.—President Roosevelt issued orders yesterday to have federal troops in readiness to aid in restoring order at Goldfield, Nevada.

HOLIDAYS END NEXT WEEK

Governor Chamberlain Announces That He Will Allow Business to Proceed as Usual After December 14 Unless There Is Another Scare.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Salem, Or., Dec. 5.—Governor Chamberlain has issued the following letter to all judges in the state:

"I will have great confidence in the patriotism of the people, and now that conditions are understood will be lent with the debtor until confidence is fully restored and the financial stringency entirely relieved by further shipments of money from eastern banks and individuals."

ALPHONSO PROVES THAT EVEN KINGS MAY BE SEASICK

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