

# WHO SAID SAND LACKED SILICA?

### Commercial Club's Offer for Discovery of Bed Brings Many Answers.

Publication of the Columbia Steel Works' offer for discovery of a permanent supply of pure silica sand appeared a few days ago in The Journal and other papers in the state, and the Portland Commercial club has been flooded with letters concerning deposits of sand in various parts of the Pacific northwest. It is believed that the interest shown everywhere in the states of Oregon, Washington and Idaho will, if it has not already done so, lead to the location of the desired sand.

John P. Robertson, of Salem, was the first to reply with a statement that he knows of a large body of silica stones that can be easily ground into sand. He said it has been pulverized and used by many for scouring and cleaning, and possesses marvelous qualities in this respect. The deposit is 40 miles from Salem, and but 400 yards from a railroad.

**Seattle Product Forwarded.**  
The Pacific Coast Silica and Clay company, of Seattle, has sent to the Portland Commercial club samples of a silica deposit that is being opened by this company.

John Nicholas, of Seattle, has written to the club to say that he knows of a deposit of millions of tons of the desired sand. He states that it has been analyzed and pronounced 99.10 per cent silica. It is four miles from a railroad, and easily accessible.

It is believed the Columbia Steel Works will be called upon to pay its proffered \$100 prize, and also will succeed in securing the desired raw material that it is now shipping at considerable expense from Minnesota.

Ira E. Sturges, of the American Copper Mines company, Baker City, has written that he has knowledge of a large deposit of silica sand having 99 per cent pure silica, and he forwards a sample of the material to the Commercial club. He writes that he believes Baker county can supply the entire coast.

W. A. Lewis, of Baker City, an old prospector who has tramped over the hills of eastern Oregon and Idaho for years, says he has so many tons of silica sand that the figures of his total could not be set down.

**Philadelphia Liked It.**  
He recently sent a shipment of the material to Powers & Waitman, Philadelphia, and they analyzed and pronounced it to be "the very best silica in the world." He will immediately ship the Commercial Steel Works a quantity of the sand for trial. The deposit is located 25 miles from Baker City and 2,000 feet above sea level.

Samples of sand ranging 75 per cent silica and 15 per cent aluminum have been sent by J. W. Pollock, of Boise, Idaho. His property is located three and a half miles from American Falls.

E. P. Badger, of Toledo, Washington, has begun an investigation of sand in the vicinity of a fire clay deposit owned by him, and has written that he expects to find silica sand.

## MINER KILLED FOR JUMPING MAN'S CLAIM

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Butte, Mont., Jan. 2.—Eugene O. Madden, a pioneer resident and well-known mining man, was shot and killed today during New Year's eve on a claim near Basin. He is supposed to have jumped the claim of a man named George Platt. The location notice was posted the day before by Platt on the claim.

Below the ordinary form of quartz lode location the notice said: "Whoever interferes with this claim or this notice will be filled with lead." Platt is in jail. Madden was one of the owners of the Copper Belle mine.

**Attorney Faces Disbarment.**  
(United Press Leased Wire.)  
St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 2.—Francis B. Hart, a prominent attorney of Minneapolis, who several weeks ago wrote a letter to Governor Johnson and Chief Justice Start of the Minnesota supreme court, in which he criticized the court for alleged incompetency in deciding cases, today appeared in court in response to summons to show cause why he should not be adjudged guilty of contempt and disbarred from practicing law in Minnesota. As the supreme court judges are disqualified from sitting in the matter the case is to be tried by five judges appointed from the state courts by Governor Johnson.

**Miners May Ask Increase.**  
(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Chicago, Jan. 2.—Officials of the United Mine Workers of America met in conference here today with representatives of the Illinois Coal Operators' association for the purpose of discussing the new wage agreement and working conditions. The miners' union is expected to make a demand for an increase of 10 per cent over the present scale of wages. The operators do not believe that present conditions warrant a raise in wages and it is probable that considerable trouble will be encountered before a satisfactory agreement is reached.

**TO PREVENT THE GRIP.**  
LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine removes the germs. To get the genuine call for full name and look for signature of E. W. Groves, 26c.

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## THREE DAYS' FEAST OF PUBLICITY TALK

Admen's Oakland Convention Will Be Greatest Ever Held on Coast.

The Oakland Ad club, through its secretary, Don Williams, has sent the following letter to the commercial and organizations of Oregon, Washington and Idaho:

"For three days, beginning January 20, 1908, the greatest gathering of advertising men this coast has probably ever seen, takes place in Oakland, California.

"The Pacific Coast Admen's association, members of local and distant commercial bodies, representatives from newspapers, not included in the above, and delegates from eastern points, one of whom is Milton Bucklin, editor of Judicious Advertising, Chicago, will be in attendance.

Talks on all phases of advertising, retail, wholesale, fraudulent, municipal, state and national will be made by well known and brilliant men. From an educational standpoint, anyone interested in any form of advertising or progress should not fail to attend this convention.

"The entertainment committee will see that you are well taken care of, and an opportunity given you to see the numerous points of interest around the bay. Other forms of entertainment will be given so that the trip, while instructive, will also be pleasant, and the members of the Oakland Ad club will do all in their power to make each one welcome and happy.

"Portland will have at least one excursion car leaving that city the night of January 18. A round trip rate of \$16.70 between Portland and Oakland has been made by the Southern Pacific for that occasion.

"For the welfare and knowledge that would be gained by your organization, I believe they would be glad to send you here and I hope you will present the matter to them, that you may come as a representative of your city.

"If you desire to take any active part in the convention, such as making an address or reading a paper, we would be pleased to have you do so, and if you decide to be on the program and know beforehand what your subject will be, please let me know.

"If there is any other information you desire, please communicate either with me or Rinaldo M. Hall, president, P. C. A. M. S., Portland, Oregon, and it will be gladly furnished."

**OUR GOOD FRIEND, TIME.**  
LET us try to keep on good terms with time. As the Hatter says to Alice, "If you keep on good terms with time he'll do almost anything you like."

Really, it is no fault of time, if we cannot manage to get in 10 minutes a day for reading or for gymnastics. We want to be healthy and wise, but we are so imbued with the idea of being wealthy that these others have to wait. Nor is it the fault of time if with added years we grow hard, or bitter, impatient or ungenerous. It is the part of wisdom to spend our time upon the things that we care the most for, to conserve our energies, not to fret, not to worry, but to use time wisely.

For it is of no use to attempt to cheat time, to hold the clock back, to hurry the weeks nor the years, but by falling into step we may march along easily without being overtaken by the wear and tear of time. And speaking of time, have you not noticed that there are no longer any old ladies?

One of the brightest and most womanly of Portland women has recently returned from a trip east where she visited friends whom she has not seen for a half-century. She is herself 77 and she says that she is not old because her hold on the real things of life is vital. She has unflinching interest in people, keeps well abreast of the times in her reading, has enthusiasms for beautiful sunsets, is made glad by the glint of moonlight on the front-gemmed waves of the sea, and she is not weary of her journey she will not tell of wearisome delays at one place, of cold waiting-rooms, of the weariness of travel, of the bad manners of the traveling public nor of poor hotel accommodations. Yet, we all know that many people who travel bring back nothing else.

Instead she will tell of the latest public improvements in the cities she has visited, of the delight of meeting friends of her girlhood, of how much kindness she met, and of the pleasure of seeing fine pictures in public galleries.

One could point a similar lesson in the beautiful life of an old man of 83, also a Portlander, who, on the occasion of his little grandson's birthday comes to see him and takes him out for a walk upon the hillside where they gather wild grape leaves.

A soul at peace, a mind alert to catch the message of the times, a heart filled with sympathy and love for humanity are the touchstones that keep one on good terms with time.

It is pitiful to see the efforts of the man or woman whose whole effort is clutching to the clock, who seems to be in a desperate hurry, who is in a hurry to get to the office, to the factory, to the store, to the school, to the church. We all know that sort of a woman. She pursues all the known modes of beauty culture, in an effort to cheat beholders into the belief that her years are not so many as they are; powder and rouge instead of healthy clear skin, blackened eyebrows, false hair and juvenile clothing. It is not only amusing—it is pitiful to see one who is supposed to have reached years of discretion living according to such false standards.

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is supposed to bring and which we ought to welcome. Clearness of vision is one of these, an ability to discern clearly the real values of life, repose of mind and manner is another, greater sincerity, a gentler toleration of foolish mistakes and errors, a firmer hold on the eternal verities.

There is much that the years take with them in their swift circling anniversaries, but for all that they take they bring something of value. We are but foolish children if we cling to last year's broken toys and refuse to see the better things that the new year brings. So, to go back to the statement of the Hatter, if you keep on good terms with time he'll do almost anything for you. He will bring you new friends for those you have outgrown, new evidences of old truths, new opportunities for love and service, a deeper trust in God, a clearer vision of the things that are worth while. Time is not an enemy but a friend—take him and use him well—he's worthy of it.

Eleven School Lunches.  
Two lettuce sandwiches, two of brown bread and cranberry cheese, two margerites, two olives, an orange.  
Two chicken sandwiches, two of chopped figs, a handful of peanuts, a little sponge cake, a pear.  
Two brown bread and egg sandwiches, two of white bread and orange marmalade, a chicken drumstick, a square of fruit wafer, a peach.  
Two sandwiches of dates and white bread, a slice of lamb, two gingersnaps, some molasses candy.  
Two sandwiches of whole white bread and cranberry cheese, two chopped nuts, two chocolate wafers, two olives.  
Two sandwiches of cream cheese, lettuce, white bread, two of preserved ginger, a little round cake, an orange.  
Two sandwiches of dates and nuts, a small spice cake, a jar of orange salad, a bunch of grapes.  
Two roast beef sandwiches, two of cream cheese and chopped peanuts, two small celery stalks, two sugar cookies, a jar of apple jam.  
Two minced ham sandwiches, two of chopped celery with a dressing, cantaloupe.  
Three sandwiches of plain bread and butter, a jar of mixed fruit, salad, a slice of cold meat, three finger cookies.  
Two celery sandwiches, two of chopped chicken and olives with a little mayonnaise, a jar of stewed prunes, gingerbread.

### EUGENE CHRISTIAN CHURCH ELECTION

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Eugene, Or., Jan. 2.—The First Christian church of Eugene held its annual business meeting and church dinner on New Year's day. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Elders, A. C. Jennings, D. M. McCready and John McMahon; deacons, J. M. Shelley, O. J. Hull and J. M. Wells; deaconesses, Mrs. J. M. Shelley, Mrs. U. C. Holman and Mrs. C. R. Vanduyt; trustees, E. G. Hendricks, A. C. Jennings and Presley Comery.

The pastor J. S. McCallum read his annual report showing that during the year there have been 220 additions to the church. There were 42 letters granted and five deaths occurred during the year, leaving a net gain in membership of 173. The total membership is now 1,963, the largest congregation in the city and the largest of that denomination in the Pacific northwest. When the present pastor came to Eugene about seven years ago the church had little more than 200 members.

The amount of money raised by the church during the year was \$15,187.11, of which \$1,213.25 was for missions.

### Manitoba Legislature Opens.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Winnipeg, Manitoba, Jan. 2.—The Manitoba legislature opened in regular session today. After the opening ceremonies and the reading of the speech from the throne an adjournment was taken till Monday, when the regular order of business will be taken up. The session gives promise of being one of more than ordinary interest and importance.

### Must Post Correct Ballots.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 2.—The state corporation commission today gave a hearing on its proposed order compelling railway companies operating in Okla-

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### The Passion Play

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Songs by Miss Millie Perkins

homa to bulletin the correct time of train arrivals. The proposed order also demands clean depots, comfortable equipment, toilet-rooms and drinking water at every station, courteous station agents and stations open both an hour before and after train arrivals.

**To Increase Stock.**  
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Freewater, Or., Jan. 2.—At a meeting of the Hudson Bay Grange company it was decided to increase the capital stock from \$2,000 to \$3,000. The grange hall is just about completed and has only \$200 of debt, which will be covered by stock sales in the very near future.



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