

AS THEY VIEW IT IN THE EAST



WANT THE SULLIVAN'S GULCH BRIDGE MATTER SETTLED BY CITY AUTHORITIES. SAYS NIGHT WORK AND LOW WAGES MENACE HEALTH OF NATION.

Residents in the Holladay park district are anxious to have the Twenty-eighth street bridge matter taken up for solution and are awaiting developments with much eagerness. As it now stands, the Board of Public Works is responsible for the present condition of the bridge, whether the city or the contractors must pay for the repairs and the expense will be recommended by Mr. Harrington.

How long it will take to make this investigation cannot be estimated at this time, but it is believed that the work can be finished within the next 15 days. Mr. Harrington has left for Kansas City and has taken the records in this matter with him and will forward his report.

The report will be received by the bridge committee and it will then be necessary for them to find out who is responsible for the present condition of the bridge, whether the city or the contractors must pay for the repairs and the expense will be recommended by Mr. Harrington.

Relative to responsibility in the premises, Henry M. Estery, who was a member of Mayor Lane's executive board and this morning's executive board, was a member of the bridge committee of Mayor Lane's executive board and this morning's executive board.

No other plans or specifications were ever submitted to the board, and the board, without authority or knowledge of the board, attempted to accept them conditionally. In building the bridge the contractor did not follow the plans but by the attempted permission of a city engineer, left out the steel reinforcement.

Plans for sewerage a large district east of the city first started in the vicinity of Hawthorne avenue were discussed at a meeting of the sewer committee of the council yesterday and finally laid on the table.

There are signs of nearly two inches in some of the main girders of the bridge which are not in the original contract, and they are reinforced in only one direction.

In the whole length of the bridge—558 feet—there are not an expansion joint to allow for the inevitable strains produced in the material by any expansion joints in the whole length of the concrete main rails.

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LOOK INTO EDUCATIONAL LIVES OF PORTLAND YOUTHS.

Cooperative effort is desired by the Educational Life commission of the Y. M. C. A. in their investigations of educational opportunities for young men. At a meeting of the commission yesterday, active, energetic and systematic work was urged by Frank E. Smith, chairman, and in order to carry this out, the help of the public was necessary.

The object of the commission, as near as I can tell you, said Mr. Smith, "is to find out the present educational conditions of Portland youth, to make an investigation of the various schools and colleges in the city and from the findings so obtained to ascertain how best to better these conditions, if there is any need for betterment."

To that end I would like to have you through the courtesy of your paper, submit to the public the following questions, which will probably give a better idea of what we want than any other plan that we could devise. We would like to have the hearty cooperation of the public and urgently invite any and all to submit their answers to questions or all of them as they are able and direct the answers to Frank E. Smith, 505 Corbett building. The questions follow:

Public schools—Give statistics including ages of boys in Portland public schools. Do you have any manual training in the public schools? Explain the curriculum of the high schools. Are there any vocational schools in the city? If so, what are they? Give statistics and ages of boys. What is the curriculum? What proportion of boys are in the public schools? If not, why? If so, why? Are there any vocational schools in the city? If so, what are they? Give statistics and ages of boys.

Business colleges—Give statistics, number of students, ages, etc. Give curriculum of each. Do you have any work superficial or thorough? Proportion of boys and girls. Proportion of resident and nonresident students. Give statistics showing number of boys and girls, also ages. Give statistics showing number of boys and girls, also ages. Give statistics showing number of boys and girls, also ages.

Popular movements—Educational clubs, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Camera club, Art Museum, Chautauque, lecture courses, etc. Give statistics showing number of students, ages, etc. Give curriculum of each. Do you have any work superficial or thorough? Proportion of boys and girls. Proportion of resident and nonresident students. Give statistics showing number of boys and girls, also ages.

Registration runs lower at Missoula. Missoula, Mont., July 24.—In the last 20 days a total of 115 applications have been received for first and second naturalization papers by foreigners desiring to register in the city. Many were refused on account of insufficient knowledge of the English language. Registration yesterday was light, there being only 23 for the day at 4 p. m.

Naval officers land at Victoria. Victoria, B. C., July 24.—The steamer Empress of China arrived here early today from the Orient with a number of naval officers. Among them being Lieutenant Youngblood, governor of the Island of Hawaii, and other members of the crew. The steamer will leave for Manila.

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Northwest championship. Minneapolis, July 24.—McLaughlin defeated Burry and Sinsbaugh of Los Angeles in the finals of the Northwest double championship at the Deep Haven club this morning. McLaughlin and Nate Morrison clash this afternoon in the finals of the singles championship.

100 MEN SEEK HIDING MANIAH

Lodge man evades posse; campers flee from hills. Ellensburg, Wash., July 24.—More than 100 men are in the mountains searching for "Buck" Alverson, the Ellensburg lodge man who suddenly went insane while camping with friends in Nanum canyon, 40 miles from this city, Thursday afternoon.

Friends fear his death. Friends express little hope that Alverson will be found alive. The Eagles and Red Men lodges of Ellensburg have raised sufficient money to employ a systematic search.

Albany clubroom very attractive. Albany, Or., July 23.—The new Commercial clubrooms in the building of the Albany State bank, which will be completed in about a week, will be the most attractive place in the city.

Three day race meet at Albany. Albany, Or., July 24.—The board of directors of the Albany Fair association met last night to further the arrangements for the three-day race meet which is scheduled for September 2, 3, and 4. Messrs. Bailey and Simpson were appointed to look after the details of the grandstand. Arrangements have been made with E. J. Arnold, the carriage maker, for some of the races during the races and between the heats.

Mason-Mathews wedding. New York, July 24.—A wedding today of wide interest in social circles was that of Miss Isabel Rutherford Mathews, daughter of William John Rutherford Mathews and William J. Mason Jr., of Washington. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's mother, on Cortlandt Manor, at Croton-on-Hudson.

Bradley caught at Portland. Vancouver, Wash., July 24.—J. M. Bradley, wanted at Chehalis on a status quo charge, was arrested at Portland last night and brought to this city. Today he was taken back to Chehalis. After his arrest at Portland Bradley was taken a car back only to find he had been landed in the state of Washington.

Death of an Australian M. P. Melbourne, July 24.—Sir Frederick Holder, member of the commonwealth parliament, died yesterday at his desk in the chamber. Parliament had just concluded an all night session and Holder is thought to have collapsed as a result of the strain.

MT. BAKER WILL BUILDERS HOPE TO HAVE MONEY

High climbers plan to scale dizzy heights of old Sentinel. The Mazamas are completing preparations for their annual outing, which will be held this year at Mount Baker. The last several days of warm weather have given stimulus to their zest for mountaineering and the members are looking forward in eager anticipation to life in camp on heathery slopes and amid the cool of the glaciers.

Very early climb. Three years ago the Mazamas camped on the northeast slope of Baker and found the ascent of the mountain on that side exceedingly difficult, although the route was a simple one.

Many side trips. Numerous side trips will be made from the Mazama camp and those who are fond of angling for the game trout will find this sport in abundance in several fine streams that put into the Nookack a short distance down the trail.

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ROCK LAKE WATERS WILL BE RAISED

Colfax, Wash., July 24.—An interview at Washington yesterday, H. C. Peters of Seattle, president of the section of the irrigation company, stated that work on the dam would be started in a short time, regardless of the decision of the commissioners. Mr. Peters claims that while the board could grant the request, he was in favor of a friendly condemnation suit and he inferred that this would soon be done.

The purpose of the irrigation company in constructing the dam is to store the flood waters of the lake, which would be raised about five feet, for irrigating and reclamation of the large body of land in the Washington valley. President Peters claims that promoters of the scheme have full control of the water right of Rock lake.

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CHURCH STIRRED TO FOUNDATIONS

Prosecution of Cardinal Andrieu brings crisis in France. Paris, July 24.—The prosecution by the French government of Cardinal Andrieu, archbishop of Bordeaux, promises the most serious consequences, as the unrest of the Catholics, which has slept for years, is now being stirred by the cardinal in receipt of a new batch of letters from bishops and other church dignitaries congratulating him on the step.

At the time Cardinal Andrieu took charge of affairs at Bordeaux, he sought to bring about a reconciliation between the church and state which Catholics do not recognize, following the example of the French revolution.

Judgment was taken against the cardinal by default, he refusing to present himself. At the same time the cardinal was sentenced to pay 100 francs. At the same time the cardinal was sentenced to pay 100 francs.

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