

THE OREGON SUNDAY JOURNAL

AND MRS. KIPP

Journal Receives Donations for Woman Left Destitute.

Roads Are Being Projected for Long Neglected but Immensely Wealthy Section of State—Plenty of Capital Offering.

"Coos Bay has passed the point when that corner of Oregon is longer to be neglected by the railroad magnates of our country," said Colonel E. H. Hoyer, president of the Oregon-Illinois Development company. He has been in the city taking part in the Taft reception as one of the officers of the German-American society of this state and is highly pleased over the situation so far as railroad development goes for the neglected areas of the state.

"Capital is offering to help Coos Bay in various ways, and the people down there now have their choice of several distinct propositions, and it seems to be a race to see who is going to close a deal first to get into the Coos Bay territory. I predict two railroads will go in there together.

"It took several years to get railroad people interested in the Tillamook country, but the Harriman and the United States are now going into Tillamook as fast as men and money can build there. Two railroads are going up the Deschutes and it was years before that they got into the central Oregon would even be considered.

"Coos Bay Electric. Two combinations of capital are at work trying to get rights of way and surveys into Coos Bay from Boburg while work on the Coos Bay Central Oregon and Eastern is pushing right along. Roseburg put up \$8000 to help complete the survey for that line, of which Grimes, Hanley and Shellenberger are the directors.

"They have over 100 miles of first class location survey, and nearly as much right of way. The Burns division has been incorporated with a \$50,000 holding corporation, just as the Coos Bay end was financed. The Burns section is well under way, and an election will soon be held to organize the first district.

"Our organization secured the enactment of the district railroad law of Idaho. The first district has been organized out of Boise, including that city and a large part of Ada county, and the project has the backing of the solid business men of Boise, and all the commercial organizations and the city and county government. The district will be submitted to a vote and a suit brought in the supreme court to stop the action of the legislature. The supreme court of Idaho will give the people a chance to try the new system of railroad building one case at a time.

"I have explained this several times in The Journal and I believe it is the greatest discovery that has yet been made in the word of modern promotion enterprises. In a way it is as great a discovery as ever emanated from the brain of Edison, and if the corporation interested do not find some way to stop its going into operation it is all off with the old system of fleecing the people build railroad.

"If a district can be organized like a drainage district or irrigation district and a railroad built by the owners of the land just as they would the building a canal to carry water at the expense of the property benefited, and the property owners own it, then all such districts as cannot get outside capital to build for them will build for themselves.

"It is a labor proposition, and I believe every laboring man in the state will vote for the proposition if it ever gets up to his action at the ballot box. It is not antagonistic to capital, but is a new and additional asset of creative wealth that emanated from the brain of a common, ordinary, cow puncher in Harney county—the Honorable Bill Hanley.

"Capital for Coos Bay. I am advised that capital is ready to take the Coos Bay and central Oregon off our hands, relinquish all the money put into the survey and right of way and promotion of that enterprise, and construct the line. Chief Engineer Haines was given an option on this property for this very purpose, as it was deemed best to have the whole enterprise while it could be turned over to a transcontinental system as early in the game as possible.

"That point has arrived and two sets of capitalists are ready to take the construction of the line through to Roseburg and on to Ontario. If the Harriman interests hold their line in the canyon of the Deschutes they will have to hustle, and may be put into the same position of being paralleled as they are in the Deschutes.

"In all these matters there is a psychological moment which must be taken advantage of or be lost forever. The Harriman interests are another Big Bill. There is a tide in the affairs of men which, if taken, leads on to fortune.

"Time for Portland to Act. What is Portland doing in the cause of development? Noble work has been done in the way of advertising the state, thousands of dollars have been spent by your Commercial club and chamber of commerce to scatter and bring master, and papers are used in the high class publications. They have to hustle, and may be put into the same position of being paralleled as they are in the Deschutes.

"Your people should show their determination to get into the heart of the state by direct independent line and forever have a competing railroad from central Oregon direct to their magnificent harbor, and they would worth more than all their efforts to fight their battles before the courts and the interstate commerce commission.

"Your big capitalists should do something besides lay low and squeeze the life out of promoters as they have done a little hard up. I happen to know that is what was done with two enterprising men who have gone to the state of Oregon to get hold of the great treasure, known as central Oregon. That state is drained off to San Francisco and can never be recovered.

"That has been the making of every city in the United States and would do more to make Portland an attractive metropolis than all connections with transcontinental lines that are not and let it stop here and use it to protect yourself against outrageous prices of the bonds of the railroad.

"It would even be a great lever to use with the government in getting back the contracts for the army and navy, which have gone elsewhere. There is not a city the size of Portland in the world that cannot afford to recover itself.

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The fund started by J. W. Crossley for Mrs. M. Kipp, whose son and only support was run over and killed by a street car last Tuesday, reached a total of \$10.50 last night. The contributions sent in yesterday amounted to \$10. It is expected that the fund will increase rapidly as the public learns of the movement to help the sorrowing woman.

Of those who added to the fund yesterday O. W. Elliott sent in \$5, and a like amount was contributed by The Journal, Russell Brice, a 9-year-old boy, who lives at University Park gave \$1. Of this sum he paid 25 cents himself, his little sister 15 cents, and he collected 50 cents from other sources.

Following is a list of the contributions made up to date:

J. W. Crossley	\$1.00
P. H. Foster	1.00
Cash	1.00
J. O. Elrod	1.00
J. K. Cochran	.50
J. Eder	.50
Cash	.50
Mrs. Ellen O'Neil	.50
Mrs. E. R. Clark	.50
Mrs. L. C. Davison	.50
W. A. Hicks	.50
O. W. Elliott	5.00
The Journal	5.00
Russell Brice	1.00
N. B. Williams	1.00
Mrs. H. Meister	1.00
Mrs. Christensen	.50
Cash	.50
Mrs. Brown, 254 Eleventh street	.50
Total	\$30.50

The Journal will receive all contributions that may be offered and the money will be turned over to Mrs. Kipp.

WASHINGTON TO BE ILLUMINATED

Property Owners Close Contract for Charters of Gas Lights.

Lighting contracts have been entered into between the Gas company and Washington street property owners, which will result in making Washington street from Front to Fourteenth the most brilliantly lighted thoroughfare in the city. One hundred and thirty-six lights will be placed on the street east of Fourteenth. Over 100 of these lights have already been signed for by the property holders, and it is expected that in a few days contracts for the remaining lights will be signed.

The lighting plan calls for 10 posts to the block, five on each side, and each post to be equipped with three powerful lights. The posts are highly ornamental and were all cast in Portland foundries. In fact, the whole equipment, which will cost between \$10,000 and \$20,000 to install, was fabricated in Portland.

With two or three exceptions every Washington street property owner approached has signed up for the lights, and it is not doubted that all of them will ultimately do so.

Property owners throughout the retail district are beginning to realize the value of having the streets in front of their holdings brilliantly lighted, and the prospect is that the whole business center of Portland will be as well or better lighted than that of any other city in the country.

UGLY SNAKE IN HEART OF CITY

Rattler Crawls From Hole in Floor of an Old Building.

Business was pretty slack at the box-alley at 49th North Third street yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock and Mrs. L. W. Rosebrook, who has charge of the establishment, and Rolfe Gaar, one of the patrons, were exchanging gossip over the counter. Suddenly Mrs. Rosebrook heard a sibilant sound issue from the rear of the alley.

She and Gaar investigated, thinking the gas meter was leaking, and found a rattlesnake, five feet and eight inches in length, frisking about in the enjoyment of its liberty. Mrs. Rosebrook screamed and fled. Gaar tried to kill the snake with a stick until it finally crawled beneath the floor.

Then a call was sent to police headquarters and Martin E. Gruber, driver of the patrol wagon, was dispatched. While Patrolman Mike Lillie, a telephone switchboard, delivered a lecture on the capturing of snakes for the edification of the frightened man at the other end.

For more than an hour Gruber prodded about under the flooring with a stick, until finally the snake struck. Seizing the opportunity Gruber fired two shots into its head.

The snake was taken to the police station and measured by Captain Moore. It proved to be five feet, eight inches in length.

It is the third time in as many weeks that a rattlesnake has been killed in the city. Rosebrook has had a weird experience with animals. Three weeks ago the cub bear which is kept chained up in the rear part of the alley, broke loose and chased her around the block. A week later she attempted to carouse one of the monkeys kept caged in the alleys, and had her arm painfully bitten.

The snake is supposed to have escaped from a snake charmer, who for several weeks occupied the adjoining room to the box-alley. She left, however, more than a month ago and the girl can not understand how the snake could have lived for such a time without being seen.

ST. LOUIS GENTLEMEN WEAR BLUE BUTTONS

(United Press Special Wire.)

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 2.—A gentleman in St. Louis is being distinguished from the common herd by a blue button. This is worn on the lapel of the coat and it signifies that the wearer is pledged to give up his seat in a street car to any woman who is standing.

The unique means of fostering gallantry was started by A. H. Stafford, who arrived here from Chicago recently. He has lived in New York also, but today he declared that St. Louis has the highest ratio of polite men. This is because he has introduced the idea of wearing "blue buttons" every man who is willing to pay the price of gallantry, by giving up his seat in a street car to a female passenger.

Twins Falls Buys Brick.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Twins Falls, Idaho, Oct. 2.—One million bricks were ordered this week for use here in new structures. The order was sent to a Salt Lake cement and brick manufacturing company.

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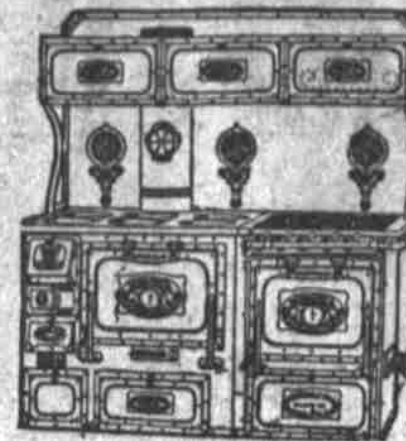
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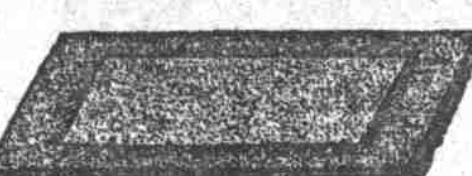
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18x30	fine	\$1.35	\$1.00
20x33	fine	\$1.75	\$1.25

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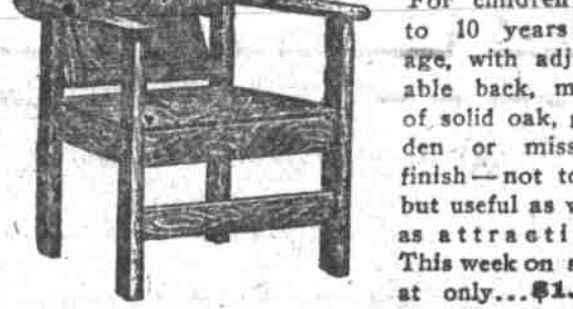


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SKYSCRAPER AT THIRD AND ALDER

Purchaser of Dekum Corner Will Erect a Fine Building.

Final transfer of the title to the property at the southwest corner of Third and Alder streets, which was reported sold some weeks ago, brought to light the fact that Alex E. Miller, president of the Miller Clothing company, is the actual purchaser. The property is just half a lot, and the premises are occupied by the Gunst cigar store.

Mr. Miller announces that upon the expiration of the lease of the present building, two years hence, he will erect a skyscraper on the site. Negotiations are now under way with the Wilson opera house, which is located on the south, looking to the joint erection of a 10 story building on the two half lots.

Mr. Miller has received a flattering proposal for a long time lease of the lot, but is not inclined to accept it, preferring to improve the corner himself.

Splendid Peaches.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Musum, Wash., Oct. 2.—Colonel E. B. Wilson, living in the central part of the county, has forwarded a box of peaches raised on his ranch to the A. Y. P. exposition. Several of the peaches measure 1 1/2 inches in circumference. The peaches are known as "Kinkaid's Beauties."

EAST SIDE WOMAN INHERITS FORTUNE

Mrs. E. J. Sutherland of East Conch street received a message from England announcing that she is one of four heirs to \$5,000,000, or about \$25,000,000. Her share would be \$15,000,000.

Mrs. Sutherland was aware of discussing her good fortune for publication, because of a possibility she said, of mistake, which would place her in an embarrassing position. The Sutherlands were at one time owners of a large portion of what is now Oakland, Or. The fortune comes from the estate of a relative of Mrs. Sutherland in England.

PERSONAL

Miss Sherma Dana, who lately appeared creditably in a local amateur play, has received a flattering offer from James Young of the Orpheum circuit to accompany him in his playlet, "Wanted, a Sister."

Miss Dana has the matter under consideration and may accept, though her family consider her a little too young to go on the stage. Mr. Young was the original star in "Brown from Harvard."

Mrs. Blanche Beasley and daughter Irene of London, England, arrived in Portland yesterday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Harris, 198 East Sixty-seventh street. Postmaster and Mrs. F. E. Ellis of St. Louis, Mo., are also guests at the Harris home.

There are also indications of coal in Malheur county.

PROSPECTS GOOD FOR BIG YIELD OF COAL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Vale, Or., Oct. 2.—The Dr. Gulch Coke & Coal company of Vale has spent considerable money in prospecting a vein of coal 20 miles north of the town, and present indications point to a successful result. They drove a tunnel that tapped a 30-inch vein at a depth of 75 feet, and drove a lower tunnel in which they have struck the vein at a depth of 200 feet, and find it widening at that depth.

When the coal was reached in the lower level, they found a tree, five feet in diameter, standing straight up, and turned to coal.

During the latter half of the tertiary period, it is supposed, evolution went on too fast for the formation of large coal beds. The mountain chains were thrown up during that time, one upheaval succeeded another, and long flood periods followed, making it impossible for the necessary organic matter to grow undisturbed, but this vein is pitching at a sharp angle, and probably belongs to the eocene, or early tertiary period, and much good lignite is found at that age.

Superintendent Carvins brought in several samples, which were as hard as anthracite and burned well. The company is made up entirely of local men, and it is hoped by their friends here that their venture will prove to be a profitable one.

Alleged Swindlers in Jail.

(United Press Special Wire.)

San Jose, Cal., Oct. 1.—Charles S. Ronger and William Alonzo of the St. Louis division of the postoffice department, who, with the assistance of James O'Connell of the San Francisco division and the assistance of local men, captured four alleged members of the notorious Maybray gang in this city, have left for their posts in the east. Their prisoners, R. H. Herriman, P. C. Brown, E. C. Moore and W. F. Knox, are in jail here, where they will probably be kept until Wednesday, when they will be taken to San Francisco and presented before United States Commissioner Hancock.

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Memorial at Stony Point.

Stony Point, N. Y., Oct. 2.—With interesting exercises and in the presence of a large and distinguished throng of spectators, a memorial arch erected on the battlefield of Stony Point was dedicated today by the New York society of the Daughters of the Revolution. General Stewart L. Woodford presided over the ceremonies and the speakers included a number of men and women of prominence.