With eyes shooting daggers, Mrs. Arthur J. Schureman and Miss Vyvian Groves, the alleged affinity of the former's husband, met this afternoon face to face in the courtroom of Justice of Abate, whose forces put the opposing the Peace Olson.

Miss Groves passed Schureman and his wife in the hall and courtroom and turned her head upon both. Schureman appeared to be in deep water and glanced first at his wire, whom he deserted in Houston, Texas, two years ago, and eloped with Miss Groves, a chool teacher.

Mrs. Schureman was well at ease and eagerly awaited to go on the witness stand and tell her story. Miss Groves eried a little, pouted some more, and positively refused to talk to any one except to a woman who has taken interest in the case and refused to disclose her name.

The schoolteacher was arrayed out in a handsome green suit, with hat to match, in which suit Mrs. Schureman saw her on the street Friday, and believing that her husband had purchased it, caused the arrest of her husband and his affinity.

James Nash, attorney for Schureman

and Miss Groves, appeared with his cli-ents, and Ralph Coan represents Mrs. chureman. The charge is illegal co-

Schureman sat on one end of the seat in the courtroom, while his wife and 18year-old son occupied the other. The wife and son frequently eyed the husband, but he would not meet their Schureman has offered to furnish oney for the support of his wife and

children, and the attorney for Mrs. Schureman asked to have the hearing continued a few days to allow the perfection of a settlement. Justice Olson refused to consider any proposition of dismissing the case, but hold the charge against the hus-

band and affinity until such agreement is made satisfactory to the wife. With his wife strictly holding that there should never be any divorces and his alleged affinity as staunchly supporting the free love theory, Arthur J. Schureman, sales manager for a large lumber concern, finds himself placed between cross fires in his elopement with Miss Vyvian Groves and the desertion of his wife at Houston, Texas.

Objects to Divorce. Mrs. Schureman will not consent to a divorce because she thinks it is against public merals, and directly opposite to the marriage vow. She is not seeking a divorce from Shureman as has been stated, and neither does she want to be a divorced woman.

Miss Groves, the Texas school teacher who was arrested with Schureman Friday night, has never been married, and She is charged by Mrs. Schurewoman says there was not a happier or more contented family in Houston and the charges were dismissed. than the Schureman family and that it was all upset, when Schureman met Miss Groves on a Pullman dining car one day. From that moment, the wife liam M. Abbott, counsel for the United immediately asserts, she lost control of her husband Railways, charged with receiving stolen as provided and the school teacher began to yield an influence over him. Miss Groves is ing on November 20.

The cases were an outgrowth of the city of Portland, which provides the city of Portland, which provides

Pays Wife Visit. children Sunday, where they are stayto forgive him, saying that the affinity was largely to blame. He also of-fered to return to the family, but to this Mrs. Schureman stated she would not at this time consent, since he had lived with the younger woman the past two years. She wished, however, that he contribute to the support of the children. The wife has agreed to a separation, but will not listen to a divorce for herself or for the husband.

Miss Groves is staying in her rooms at the Francis hotel. West Park and Morrison streets, and alleges she was not the means of taking Schureman from his wife and family. She asserts that she is as good a woman as Mrs. Schureman, and that her relations with the man have been proper. She further states that her people are of an old cial. southern family, and highly respectable. She has a sister 17 years old now teaching the primary grades in that state. Schureman has taken apartments at

another place. Schureman and Miss Groves were arrested Friday midnight by Constable Wagner and Deputy William Klernan at their rooms, Mrs. Schureman causing the warrant to be issued, in which she charged them with cohabitation. their former home. Miss Groves claims to have been doing sewing for several this could be found.

Schureman has started suit for a diverce at Oregon City.

FIERCE BATTLE FOR EVERYBODY

Then Orders the Vanquished Slain.

which listed 70 hours. The Gazetta stated that Abrahe was capture by army to rout,

wife of Emperor Menelik, prayed un-ceasingly for Prince Abate's success. For hours, the article states, she se-city authorities. cluded herself in a royal chamber, where

devastate Abreco's region and massacre the people living in the domains of the and other suburban clusters in the lowcaptured prince. Her terrible order slaughter of thousands was not carried into effect, however, as King Menelik countermanded her commands to Abate and issued an edict of mercy.

PASSENGER AGENTS DISCUSS BUSINESS

Passenger business of the Pacific Coast Passenger association.

Those in attendance on the meeting

are William McMurray, general passenger agent Oregon Railroad & Navi-gation company; George F. Nevins, manager of the Oregon Electric; J. M. Scott, assistant general pas-senger agent, Oregon Railroad & Navigation company; Ralph Jenkins, auststant general freight and passenger agent Seattle, Portland & Spokane and the Astoria & Columbia River railroad; Waldo G. Paine, traffic manager Inland Empire system; H. A. Jackson, assistant general freight and passenger agent Northern Pacific; A. D. Charlton, as-Northern Pacific, A. H. Charlon, as-sistant general passenger agent North-ern Pacific; V. E. McCarthy, Chicago, Milwaukes & Puget Sound; Edward C. Robbins, of the Northern Pacific; A. C. Martin, of the Oregon Railway & Navigation company, and Henry Dickson, of the Great Northern.

The meeting is to discuss routine mat-ters saising in the passenger departments in this section of the country, and at it such matters as advertising, special rates for conventions and simiar matters are agreed upon:

THREE "GRAFT" VICTIMS OF BURNS DISCHARGED city

San Francisco, Nov. 9 .- Jeremiah Van Wormer, William Corbin, Rex Hamlin city limits and using city water shall and Albert McKinley, who were arrested on the complaint of lays her claim to the man, since she Burns, graft prosecution's detective, has been in his company the past two four months ago and accused of looting his private office of papers and man with stealing her husband, and documents connected with the graft that subscribed by law, and wholly conkeeping him away from his family. The prosecutions, were released from custody today because of lack of evidence

> Luther Brown, Eugene Platt and Atwith grand larceny, and Attorney Wilgoods, will appear for preliminary hear-

graft prosecution in San Francisco. At and appropriates a sufficient sum for Schureman visited his wife and three the time the men were arrested Detective Burns charged that men in the ing at 188% Graham street. He was employ of the defense had stolen origin a repentant mood and asked his wife inals and made duplicates of his papers in connection with the graft cases,

NEW RAILROAD HAS TARIFFS IN FIELD

Frieght and passenger tariffs for the the city.

The meter system is the only just system for determining Grangevile-Riparia joint line, owned by the O. R. & N. and the Northern Pacific, will be issued next week, and the actual operation of the line under the new company incorporated last week will begin within a few days-or as soon as the tariffs can be published and go into effect.

While General Manager Finch will have charge of the operation of the joint attempt to see to it that the system line, he will be its only general offi- is adopted as the standard of the city. The freight and passenger traffic over the line will be handled exclu-sively in the offices of the two parent is the intention of the club to send the roads in this city and there will be no resolutions adopted by it to every push appointments as general frieght or general passenger agents. The minor appointments are said to be in the hands can not be secured." of Mr. Finch.

Brakeman Careless; Man Dead. Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 9 .- Two trainnen were killed, another was severely She traced them from Houston, Texas, injured and a passenger named Inkleroad, was badly hurt in a collision toto have been doing sewing for several day between a freight and a passenger prominent women, but no indication of train on the Louisville & Nashville railroad. The cause of the accident

COOPER'S FOLLOWERS GIVE REASON FOR THEIR BELIEF

With a theory that human health is | been beneficial, and that he could af-

spread over the entire country, and is years without bringing on one of those growing enormously each year. In view terrible spells of indigestion.

"For the past five years I have been orrholds, which were very distressing, the guardianship matter is being taken a sufferer from acuts indigestion, ner-vonsness, constitution and hemorrholds. Cooper medicine.

Cooper medicine.

The nemthe guardianship matter is being taken in the county court today. Hubert is being taken authorized and the county court today. Hubert is in disfavor with his mother, who still in the county court today. The nemthe past five years I have been orrholds, which were very distressing, in the county court today. Hubert is thinking I might at any time die in that I am confident this medicine will because she has been influenced against one of the spells of indigestion, took completely restore me to good health, him by his haviners. The brothers want me to London, Chin, in order that I words fall to express my gratitude for him removed and assert that he has not might be near my relatives. While there the benefit I have thus far received. I properly managed the estate.

I had twenty-seven attacks, in each of consider it marvedous."

Cooper's New Discovery can be ob-

dependent on the stomach and with a ford me no relief, my physician advised few days. medicine which he says proves this theus to return to the ocean. I could
mense following during the past rear
Cooper has visited most of the leadin our daily papers of Cooper's New
in clits as aroused a storm of discussion
to try it.

about his beliefs and his medicines. Before taking half of the first bot-Wherever he has gone, people have tle, I felt better. Believing it was do-time has been in jail a called upon him by thousands, and his ing me good, I continued taking it. I preparation has sold in immense quan- am now on the fourth bottle, and am improving rapidly. I can now eat food The sale of this medicine has now that I have not been able to eat for

of this, the following statement from "I have also been a great sufferer Mrs. Nettle C. Harris, living at 16 S. South Carolina Avenue, Atlantic City, lower limbs caused by dervousness and cided that Mrs. Eva Simmons, wife of preventing me from sleeping, but I have have had no distress in that way for the nest five years I have been the New Discovery credit. The hem-

Cooper's New Discovery can be ob-Whetless that the change had not tained from all druggists

Club Interviewing City Officials.

(United Press Leased Wirs.)

Cologne, Nov. 3.—The Cologne Ga- what the Seventh Ward Improvement Water meters and water mains are eth today prints the details of a battle club are after. It contends that the between armed forces commanded by charter specifies that every consumer in Prince Abate and an army led by Prince, the city shall be placed on a meter. Abrahe, both of whom are minor Abyatian rulers. According to the dispatch committee of the city council what they sian rulers. According to the dispatch committee of the city council what they over 2000 men were killed in a fight think of the subject and, from communication had with the mayor, they hope to be able to secure the relief asked for. This afternoon a committee of nine,

During the battle Empress Taitu.

The push clubs of the Ninth ward, wife of Emperor Menelik, prayed unceasingly for Prince Abate's success.

The push clubs of the Ninth ward, with the water committee and seasingly for Prince Abate's success. This plan provides in general that

she knelt with a heavy wooden cross on the districts of Woodstock and Mount her back.

When Abate won she ordered him to from the upper reservoir, while the districts embraced by Sellwood, Kenilworth land vicinity be supplied from a main from the lower reservoir.

Has Data Prepared. The committee of nine has gone into the question in a systematic and has prepared drawings and data to show just why their plan is the best. These maps and other data show the size of the mains needed, the extensions of the gross-mains and laterals and all of the details of the proposed construction work for the two districts.

Pacific northwest railroads are holding organization has been assured of care-the quarterly meeting of the North ful and perhaps faverable considera-tion by the city authorities when the employes of the department unearthed matter is presented to them. It is hoped therefore that as a result of the meeting this afternoon the city will order the improvements made which are being asked for by the improvement

The Seventh Ward Improvement club has taken a decided stand in regard to the meter question. At a recent meeting of the club resolutions were adopted favoring the meter system and stating that this system of paying for water of 1536 Madrona street, "but sometimes used by the citizens was the only fair it not only appears of a brownish color, and just way, and advocating that meters be installed wherever city water was consumed.

What Charter Provides. The resolutions set out that the charpay for the water actually consumed. lows:

the members of the Seventh Ward league of the city of Portland, being desirous of furthering equalizaion among the citizens of Portland and giving our fair city and householders therein a right which has been pledged to them by our city laws under our city charter as adopted on the twentythird day of January, 1903, and amend-bursting the mains, ments adopted thereto on April 1, 1907. In the Mount Scot which charter and amendments provide that every water consumer within be placed upon a meter, and such consumer shall pay only for the water consumed by him; and, whereas, the water beard of the city of Portland is causing to be charged a different rate than trary to the city charter and amendments thereto,

'Now, therefore, be it resolved by the members of this league that we use torney Frank Murphy, who are charged every endeavor to prevail upon said water board of the city of Portland to install the meter system as provided by our laws and the city charter and the amendments thereto. meters to supply the water to consum-

ers of Portland. "And be it further resolved that copy of this resolution be sent to every push club within the city of Portland."

Active Campaign. Ben Riesland, president of the Seventh Ward club, says that an active ef-fort will be made to secure the adop-

and equitable system for determining the charges for water consumption, said Mr. Riesland. "With the meter system-every man will be taxed for the water he actually uses and not for water which he does not use. The Seventh Ward Improvement club considers that this system is just and right and will

"As yet no definite plans for the city, and see if some concerted action

Man Who Wounded Railroad Men Soon to Be Sentenced.

R. E. Brooks, the negro who shot B. H. Trumbull and John McLoughlin several months ago at Heppner, and who was indicted yesterday by the grand jury of Morrow county, pleaded guilty upon his arraignment this morning, and sentence will be passed upon him in a

ness. He was captured, and since that time has been in jail awaiting the ac-

NEW ADMINISTRATOR MAY BE APPOINTED

Last week of Miracle Painting. Meler & Frank company, Francisco,

Not Get the Famous Clear Bull Run.

From users of city water in outlying districts comes an ever increasing chorus of complaints as to service. Some users complain because they are unable to secure enough of it, while William Long, following Simpson's which was entitled "The Whitewashing in another section of the city they are collapse last night while under the of Ballinger." The secretary said: objecting because they get too much.

Out at Woodlawn taxpayers are protesting at the variety of water sup-Just as their palates get accusomed to delectable Bull Run they are switched to fluid pumped from the Albina wells, which is said to be so bitter at times that druggists serve it when they run short of the real article of nasty mineral water. Numerous good housewives of that suburb have no regular "wash day," because they caim that it is first necessary to they claim that it is first necessary to morning to be assured that it will free enough from sediment to avoid "streaking" the clothes.

When the city water department took over the independent plant which first supplied Woodlawn with water, the supply came from the wells above mentioned, and was distributed by means of a standpipe. The mains were of wood, and it is now urged that the time has come when the latter should be sucby better material. In many the Wells Fargo building where the by correspondence by the mayor and lowing a seepage which keeps the Pacific northwest railroads are holding organization has been discussed places the pipes have begun to split, allowing a seepage which keeps the the ancient conductor and with a maul inserted a wedge. It is charged that quite frequently the Bull Run water reaches the consumer in such a degree of impurity that it is of a dark brown color and it is necessary to open the faucets for a considerable period of time in order that the stream may purify itself.
"I don't know what is the matter

with the water," said Mrs. G. H. McKee but it carries a peculiar odor that is most disagreeable. At such times we do not use it for drinking purposes."
Other patrons of the water system

emphatically protested against water ter provides that all consumers of from the Albina wells, which is supwater be placed on meters and shall plied them during portions of the summer season, claiming it to be brackish The resolutions in full, as adopted at and so "hard" that it would fail of a the meeting of the club, are as fol-certificate of good character in any com munity.

Property owners in that vicinity will soon urge the city government to re-place the old wooden pipes because of the necessity for better fire protection. It is said that if a large fire should start in Woodlawn it would be impossible to put on a pressure greater than 40 pounds because of the danger of

In the Mount Scott district much criticism of the Woodmere Water company is being indulged because of the alleged action of that utility corporation in discontinuing the supply of Bull Run water. It is charged that the company is now sending water from their pumped wells to the consumer. Under present conditions the city water department appears to be helpless, however much it district to secure a better supply. The Woodmere concern is entirely independ-

Under arrangements recently consummated the city allowed the Woodmere company to connect their plant with the secured Bull Run water at fixed meter rates. While this arrangement was Mount Scott people received an excellent the bank had no right or authority to and satisfactory water pressure. It is obey the order of the military comnow stated that the pressure is so light mander. as to fail in raising water to the second story of dwellings, which again raises military rule in these islands at that the question of fire protection.

these suburbs will give the matter a perfectly proper one. prompt attention.

PERSONAL

ompany, with headquarters at Seattle, Wash., is in Portland today on business court will adjourn and send Colonel for the road.

W. C. North, deputy County assessor returned yesterday from a two months' trip through the east and south, during which time he visited his old home in Sweetwater, Tenn.; which he had not seen for 21 years.

E. T. Allen, now district forester in charge of Oregon, Washington and Alaska, will relinquish the reins of the national forest service in this district November 15 to take charge of his new work, the Pacific Northwest Forest Protection and Conservation association. C S. Chapman, who succeeds him as district forester, will assume the management November 16. The offices of the association will in all probability be in-stalled in the Beck building in order to be near the national forest service of-fices.

C. S. Chapman, district forester to be, and H. K. O'Brien of the national forest service are attending the sheepmen's convention at Pendleton.

W. York of Grand Rapids, Mich. who has been visiting his brother. Charles E. York, for the past two weeks, leaves this evening for his home. Mr. York is the senior member of the house of York, manufacturers of musical in-struments, and has been combining business with pleasure on his trip.

Astoria business men are holding "get together" dinners. At the last one 125 and it is expected that it will be adopt-were present.

taking of Kedol.

MANY COMPLAIN HYPNOTIZED MAN BALLINGER GIVES OF POOR WATER REPORTED DEAD

sional Subject, Fails to Come Out of Trance.

known means of restoring life had been tried in vain, Robert Simpson, 18 years old, was today declared dead by Dr. Glavis article in this week's Collier's hypnotic influence of Arthur Everton,

Simpson was a "professional subject" and traveled with Everten, who claims the boy is not dead but in a cataleptic state.

young man in a rigid state and after life failed. Dr. Long today tried the use of elec-

tric batteries, the injection of maline solution and artificial respiration, as well as all other known heroic measures in his endeavor to restore life. Everton has been arrested on a charge

of manslaughter, but probably will be released on bail pending the action of the grand jury. An autopsy will be held in an effort to determine the exact cause of death. giverton said today that he could not

planation was that Simpson had been drinking before he appeared at the theatre. Dr. Long's decision that the boy is

dead is official and the body has been placed in the hands of the authorities for the autopsy.

Test Authority of a Military Ruler.

(United Press Lessed Wire.)
Manila, Nov. 9.—Important litigation before the court of first instance at issue will determine the authority of a Early in 1900 Augustine De La Pena had on deposit with the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking corporation of Iloilo 19,000 pesos. In December of that year Pena was arrested by the military authorities as an insurgent and an investigation resulted in the commanding general's determining that the funds deposited in the bank by Pena were in-

General Hughes, who was at that time commander of the department of Visayas, issued an order directing the bank might desire to assist the people of that wetherspoon. The bank immediately condistrict to secure a better supply. plied with the order and the funds were deposited in the treasury of the United States as seized insurgent funds.

Pena died subsequently and the ad-ministrator of his estate commenced his estate commenced suit against the Hong Kong and Shang-Tabor reservoir, from which it hai Banking corporation to recover the money that was paid over to the government by order of the military auutilized by the Wood mere plant the thorities, alleging in his complaint that

The corporation contends that time was supreme, and it was forced to Improvement associations for both obey the order, which it considered was

Lieutenant Colonel Edwin F. Glenn, Twenty-third infantry, who is in pos-session of certain papers in connection with the seizure of the funds, has been called as a witness, but as the docu-A. Gray, assistant general freight ments are packed in cases in governagent of the Great Northern Railway ment storehouses at Jefferson barracks, at St. Louis, Mo., it is probable the Glenn to the United States to secure the desired data.

Recommends Trial in Labor Contempt Cases.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 9 .- The executive council of the American Federation of Labor today recommended, in its report to the convention, that an appeal be taken to the United States supreme court from the jail sentences imposed on President Gompers, John Mitchell and Secretary Morrison in the contempt charges.

The council also recommended that jury trial be demanded in contempt cases growing out of labor disputes. The report will be voted on tomorrow

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GLAVIS THE LIE

Empress Prays God to Help, Seventh Ward Improvement Suburbanites Say They Do Robert Simpson, Profes-Says Whitewashing Story Coroner's Jury Holds In-Tissue of Falsehood-Taft Says Nothing.

> (United Press Leased Wire,) Washington, Nov. 2.—Secretary Balinger this afternoon made a statement the United Press regarding the "The Glavis story is a tissue of false professional hypnotist, at a local hood, utterly unwarranted in view of the facts, which could easily be obtained by anybody who wants them." The secretary continued:

"It is not surprising that a publica tion which could, in the pursuit of the Dr. Long insists that Simpson was same propaganda, under date of Octodead when he first fell to the stage ber 30 recklessly reproduce a view, ap-floor. The hypnotist had placed the pearing in a familiar railroad folder, of the Grand River canyon in Colorado, as stretching his body from one chair to a picture of an available power site in another stood upon it. When Everton danger of unlawful acquisition on the attempted to arouse him, Simpson fell South Platts river, 200 miles away over and all efforts to restore him to across the continental divide, should be willing, without the slightest effort to ascertain the real facts, to give wings to a story which heretofore has been submitted to so great and just a man as the president of the United States, who after careful consideration pro nounced the same disingenuous and un

"The Glavis statement has nothing either in veracity or justification in the interval since its presentaion to the president and in view of explain why he was unable to awaken other officials of the department, I will simpson. He said the only possible exthe complete vindication of myself and

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 9 .- When President Taft's attention was called to the Glavis article, which appeared in this week's Collier's, he refused to make

UMATILLA GASES

Case in Philippines Will United States Court Prepares to Hear Pleas of Several Defendants.

By an order entered today in the United States court all the defendants indicted by the grand jury and charged Hollo in the Philippine islands and the with conspiracy to defraud the government in the entry of lands in the Umacommander under war power, tilla Indian reservation will be called upon to plead and stand ready for trial during the third week of the December term of court. The cases will be

According to the indictments found the grand jury, the principals in 13 cases are J. H. Raley and Alonzo Knotts, alleged to have connived with ing of homestead entries upon unallotted Indian lands, and which were subject to sale under the agreement between the government and the state of Oregon. In every case it is alleged & S. and the A. & C.; Archibald Gray that Knotts and Raley were to become assistant general freight agent of the the owners of the realty as soon as Great Northern; Henry Blakeley, assisttitle should be obtained from the government and that these men furnished the money and proofs whereby final patents were obtained. It is antici- bureau. pated that many of the persons acted for them as "dummies" will be called by the government as witnesses. ACCEPTS AMOUNT The defendants cited to appear are

Alonzo Knotts, J. H. Raley, John H. row, William Caldwell, William Slusher, John Rahe, John Vert, John M. Wynn, C. W. Mathews, Bailey Ross, suit against the Independent Foundry M. Olmstead, P. E. Porter, U. R.

quest Over Remains of Bank Cashier.

(Special Disputch to The Journal.) Wampa, Idaho, Nov. 8.—The coroner's jury has just brought in a verdich of suicide in the case of the death of J. In Ocheltree, eashier of the Middleton State bank. The jury finds that the not was prompted by worry because of "friendly loans made by Ocheltree without the knowledge of the bank directors."

The loans were made to W. T. Shurtliff, who was promoting the Middleton Ore Reduction works, which is said to be bankrupt. Assistant Cashier J. C. Painter closed the bank Saturday, after Ocheltres had, as he told his wife, gons to Boise. Investigation by the directors and Mr. Painter so far do not show any bank deficiencies. The state examiner will come tomorrow and will examine the bank's book's books.

Ocheltree was employed on the Santa Pe ratiroad for 18 years before coming to Middleton three years ago. The safe robbery a short time ago has no connection with the cashier's act.

IS THE PROJECT

Representatives of all the transce tinental lines are meeting in Portland today arranging a plan for the weighing of freight in carload lots by the Transcontinental Freight bureau. The meeting is being held by the Transcontinental Freight bureau of weighting and inspecting and is attended by leading freight officials from the western

It is proposed to devise a bureau this meeting that will assume entire charge of the matter of weighing carload lots of freight, a duty which has heretofore been left to the individual roads and been performed usually by the train crews themselves. Under the arrangement being dis

cussed it is proposed to create a bureau under the Transcontinental Freight bureau that will take charge of this feature of railroad work, just as the work of inspecting cars was given over to the bureau some time ago. Two weighers will probably be main ained by the transcontinental bureau

n each of the larger cities and all carload weighing will be performed by them. In this way the haphazard fashion of weighing freight that has existed more or less under the weighing by train crews will be done away with and the weight figures returned the transcontinental bureau will final, and presumably accepted as co rect by both railroad and shipper. Among those who are conferring or the matter today are W. E. Coman, as-sistant general freight agent of the Harriman lines, Harry Adams, go freight and passenger agent of the S. P. ant freight agent of the Northern Pa cific; and Superintendent of Weighting Cade of the Transcentinental Freight

COVERING HIS COSTS

Edward E. Leonard has settled his company for \$2500 damages by accepting \$137.50, the amount of certain coats From Falls City to Newport is about 50 miles. It may prove that while the Southern Pacific is building to Tillamook bay, the Oregon Electric will come through the fertile Siletz valley to the Yaquina bay. This would be a stragetic move for the Hill forces, says the Signal.



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