

HILL BEHIND ROAD TO BLUE LEDGE IS LATEST STATEMENT

John R. Allen, Hill's Representative in Southern Oregon, Will Rush Work on Extension of P. & E.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Medford, May 12.—With the announcement that the Hill interests control the Pacific & Eastern railroad, now being extended to a connection east of the Cascades with the Oregon Trunk, the Medford booster has taken on new life and from the present outlook Medford will do more in a building and developing line in the next 15 months than she has ever done before in a like period. Announcement after announcement has been made within the past few days of the launching of new business enterprises, erection of buildings and the undertaking of the many things which tend to build a city. The commercial club is preparing to carry on its advertising campaign with greater vim than ever—in short, the entire city is enthused and confident of her future.

Will be assisting Governor. The extension of the Pacific & Eastern over the Cascades to a connection with the Oregon Trunk together with the building of a line westward to the Blue Ledge Mining district, is of incalculable value to Medford and will make this city a great distributing center for a vast district. Not alone will Medford be made the terminal of a great system extending seaward but she will be the center of a mass of interurban trolley lines, work upon which is to start in the immediate future. And Medford has raised upon these facts and is even now flinging them seaward.

Allen Hill Representative. John R. Allen of the Pacific & Eastern returned from Portland today, having been in conference with Mr. Stevens in Portland since Monday. From now on he will devote his energies to the interurban line and the proposed extension to the Blue Ledge.

To interest Mr. Stevens in the Blue Ledge extension was the object of Mr. Allen's visit to Portland and he has evidently been successful. There is no longer doubt that Mr. Allen is Hill's personal representative in southern Oregon and the fact that he has succeeded in enlisting the support of the empire builder in the Blue Ledge extension is the best news that southern Oregon has had in many a day.

The announcement that Hill will undertake the development of southern Oregon on an extensive scale means that the proposed interurban trolley line will be a Hill feeder and that eastern capital will be interested in the development of the natural resources of this section.

Construction of a line to the Blue Ledge, with feeder, probably, to tap the Applegate and Rogue valleys, and eventually an extension to the coast, assures Medford's future.

Mr. Stevens has visited Medford on several occasions and the great fact in the future of both the valley and the city. He is an old friend and associate of Mr. Allen and it was through this association that Mr. Allen induced him to come here, and that led to his interest in this section.

RAILWAY EXCHANGE RISING VERY FAST

Contractors say that all records for concrete construction have been exceeded by the United Engineering & Construction company, which is building the new Railway Exchange at Fourth and Stark streets. In six working days the company, under the supervision of Chief Engineer Lyons, completed the construction of a concrete floor slab 4 1/2 inches thick, 100 feet wide and 200 feet long. The work includes the floor beams and supporting columns.

Moeller to Do Some Boosting. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
The Dalles, May 12.—The town of Moeller will hold a booster meeting Saturday night and has invited the people of The Dalles to participate. In response to the invitation 100 Dalles business men have chartered a special car to take them to Moeller this evening and will assist the citizens of that enterprising little city to "whoop 'em up."

Portage Road to Be Rushed. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
The Dalles, May 12.—Several carloads of rails for the extension of the portage road from Big Eddy to The Dalles have arrived here and are being unloaded in the O. R. & N. yards. They promise to have the road completed and in operation in time to move the wheat crop next fall.

IT SLUGS HARD

Coffee a Sure and Powerful Bruiser.
"Let your coffee slugs be denied his cup at its appointed time! Headache, sick stomach—fatigue like unto death. I know it all in myself, and have seen it in others. Strange that thinking, reasoning beings will persist in its use," says a Tropicana, Kansas, man.

He says further that he did not begin drinking coffee until after he was 20 years old, and that slowly it began to poison him, and to reflect his hearing through his nervous system.

Finally, I quit coffee and the conditions slowly disappeared, but one cold morning the small of my wife's coffee was too much for me and I took a cup. Soon I was drinking my regular allowance, tearing down brain and nerves by the daily dose of the nefarious concoction.

"Later, I found my breath coming hard and frequent fits of nausea, and then I was taken down with bilious fever.

"Common sense came to me and I quit coffee for good and went back to Postum. I at once began to gain and have had no return of my bilious symptoms, headache, dizziness, or vertigo. I now have health, bright thoughts, and added weight, where before there was invalidism, the blues, and a skeleton-like condition of the body.

"My brother quit coffee because of its effect on his health and now uses Postum. He could not stand the nervous strain while using coffee, but keeps well on Postum.

"Since I, I know personally, was incapable of doing a day's work while she was using coffee. She quit it and took up Postum and is now well and has perfectly regained her health."

SEN. CHAMBERLAIN IS GIVEN PRAISE

Board of Trade of Erie, Pa., Congratulates People of Oregon in Message.

The following message was received by The Journal from the board of trade of Erie, Pa., where Senator Chamberlain addressed a meeting composed of prominent citizens Tuesday evening:

"Before an audience representative of the industrial and professional interests of Erie, Pa., at the annual banquet of the board of trade, Senator Chamberlain delivered a message to his listeners and to the people of the east which thrilled and inspired and which brought forth spontaneous, emphatic and prolonged applause.

"Senator Chamberlain, speaking from the standpoint of his broad experience and his wide and characteristic sympathy, roused his auditors to a new realization of the interdependence of the various portions of our nation in its future development and the inestimable value of unselfish cooperation among the official and industrial forces of a common country. He gave his audience and those whom they represent a charming and alluring picture of his own constituency, its natural resources, and the vitality of its people, its astounding history of almost superhuman effort and its glowing promise of future growth in a manner to convince and to convince."

"The board of trade of Erie congratulates the state of Oregon on its rare good fortune in having so creditable and able a representative in the senate of the United States."

SUNNYSIDE CHILDREN
SUBSTITUTE FOR FLOAT
The Sunnyside Push club, in its regular meeting last night at the office of Dr. J. A. Pettit, decided not to enter a float this year in the Rose Festival. It was decided to participate instead in a special feature of the children's parade and to introduce another feature, the nature of which could not be announced this morning. This action was taken following the report of the committee appointed to see President Egypt of the Rose Festival association, and to confer with the East Side Business Men's club.

One hundred school children from five schools will participate in an elaborate and special feature of the Rose Festival children's parade. In this the Sunnyside school will have 20 children. The details of the program have not been made known, but it is said the public will see something novel. Special uniforms will be required and the Sunnyside Push club will help provide the uniforms for the children from the Sunnyside school, as well as boost the whole proposition.

The Sunnyside club is particularly interested in the special meeting to be held in the Hawthorne Park ballroom on the Sunday afternoon before the festival. This will be in the nature of a big rally and there will be special music, elaborate floral decorations, addresses, etc. The idea was originated in the Sunnyside Push club by Rev. W. R. Eustace, who is the principal promoter of the scheme. The plan was discussed last night.

MIDNIGHT RUNAWAY AROUSSES NEIGHBORS

If residents along East Salmon street failed to get up this morning to search the heavens for Halley's comet it was probably because their slumbers had already been disturbed by a sensational midnight runaway. A milk delivery team got away from the control of the driver at Twentieth street and started down Salmon at breakneck speed. Thirteenth street wagon collided with a lumber pile in front of a building in course of construction.

The jolt sent the wagon out of its course and threw the team in a heap. A gravel pile a few feet ahead. He threw the driver, who had clung tenaciously to his seat, on top of the horses. He was painfully bruised, but managed, with the assistance of people in the vicinity, to gather his outfit together again. The rig belonged to the Santary Milk & Cream company, East Sixth near Salmon streets. One of the horses was bruised. The wagon load of milk and cream bottles practically escaped damage.

Earl of Cadogan's Birthday.
London, May 12.—The Earl of Cadogan, former lord lieutenant of Ireland, celebrated his eventful birthday today. The earl is one of the largest holders of London realty, being the possessor of a vast area between Knightsbridge and the Chelsea embankment. The heir to the title and the vast estates is the earl's grandson, the 7 year old Viscount Chelsea, whose mother was married a week or two ago to Admiral Sir Hedworth. Lady Chelsea is a distinguished naval officer and brother of the Earl of Durham.

Anti-Tuberculosis League Meets.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Butte, Mont., May 12.—Montana has its first anti-tuberculosis league meeting yesterday at Livingston, the session being attended by medicine men from over the state in addition to the league members. Among the out of state visitors were Dr. A. C. Smith of the Oregon state board of health and Dr. White, also of Oregon. Mrs. T. J. Walsh of Helena was elected president of the league.

Cost \$25 to Fish.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Forest Grove, May 12.—Deputy Game Warden George E. Leach of Tillamook county has notified State Game Warden Stevenson of this city that Charles Anderson, Peter Johnson, Gus Mann, Gus Longie and Emilie Lundberg of Nehalem, Tillamook county, had been arrested by him for fishing without a license, taken before Justice of the Peace Joseph Behringer, and fined \$25 each. Five others arrests had been made for the same offense.

Picture Notice

The last picture shipment has been exhausted and another shipment is on the way and will arrive in a few days.

BACKBONE OF SCARLET FEVER EPIDEMIC BROKEN

"The backbone of the scarlet fever epidemic is broken," Dr. C. H. Wheeler, city health officer, announced this morning.

"Only a few new cases are being reported and the malignancy of the contagion is disappearing. If no longer have any fear that the schools will have to be closed. I advise no particular alarm over the situation. But I want to insist that every precaution be taken to prevent the spread of infection. Let the quarantine be strictly observed in every home where a case of scarlet fever is being treated. Let sanitation be rigidly enforced."

Dr. Alan Welch Smith, president of the city health board, expressed his belief that great care will need to be taken to prevent further spread of the disease.

"It is more endemic than epidemic," said Dr. Smith. "Our reports show that many other cities throughout the United States are suffering from scarlet fever, many of them worse than Portland. No particular cause can be assigned why scarlet fever makes its appearance about this time every year and disappears when the season is advanced. I am inclined to share the theory that cases along the newly torn up streets develop a malignancy that otherwise they would not have. I agree with Dr. Wheeler that the fact of the streets being torn up all over the city does not necessarily originate scarlet fever, but that it does make it more dangerous, I feel sure."

The serious illness from scarlet fever of Melville and Lander Ross, the two younger children of J. Thorburn Ross, are among the most recent cases reported. Mr. Ross, who was in Washington preparing the submission of his case to the supreme court, was recalled by telegram and will arrive at his home again tomorrow evening.

WESTERN UNION MOVES FROM FOREST GROVE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Forest Grove, May 12.—The Western Union Telegraph company has discontinued its office in this city, owing to a lack of business. The company has an office at the Southern Pacific depot, located one mile from the business section of town, and has maintained the office just closed for a great many years for the convenience of the citizens, but claims that the business of the office will not justify its continuance. The closing of the office will work a real hardship on the people of Forest Grove, and it is hoped the company will soon be able to reopen the office.

2 ELECTRIC LINES FOR MARSHFIELD

One Per Cent to be Paid When City's Population Has Reached 25,000.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Marshfield, Or., May 12.—The Coon Bay Rapid Transit company has secured from the city council a franchise to operate an electric street car line in this city with the provision that 1 per cent of the gross receipts be paid to the city after the population has reached 25,000. The company has secured in North Bend a franchise under the same conditions. The road is to be built to the city limits of Marshfield within four months and the work in the city finished within two months, thereafter.

J. M. Blake also has a franchise for an electric line in Marshfield but on different streets, so that the two do not conflict.

Nampa Bank Changes Hands.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Nampa, Idaho, May 12.—Announcement has been made of the sale of a controlling interest in the stock of the Citizens State bank of this city to T. L. Burkland and E. F. Larson, both of

No Trouble to Have Beautiful Hair

(From the Chicago Inter Ocean.)
A well known New York society woman, renowned for the exquisite loveliness of her hair, is reported to have said: "I attribute the abundance and glossiness of my hair to the fact that my hairdresser never uses water on my head. She uses only a dry shampoo, sitting it evenly over my head and then brushing it thoroughly—brushing it until all the powder is removed. 'She says wetting takes the life and color out of the hair and leaves it dull and brittle. In reply to my inquiry she told me she made the shampoo herself—simply mixing 4 ounces of ether with 4 ounces of powdered orris root. She explains that the orris root cleanses, while the ether keeps the hair light and fluffy and retains its natural color."

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Britt, Iowa. The new owners will take formal charge of the bank on May 15 and they announce that the capital stock will at once be increased to \$50,000. The bank before has had \$20,000 capitalization.

Improve Lighting Plant.
Forest Grove, Or., May 12.—The city

council has authorized bids for a new boiler and engine to be installed at the city lighting plant, the boiler to be 160 horsepower. A great many new buildings have been built this year, and many more are in course of building in the city, which will require electric lighting, and the recent installation of incandescent lights on every block for

street lighting call for more power than the present machinery will supply.

Work for Ashland Normal.
(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., May 12.—Petitions to initiate a measure to establish a normal school at Ashland are being circulated in Salem by the normal school people.

Clean Sweep Sale

The hour has arrived when there must be a clean sweep of all our woolen Spring Suits, and we accordingly place some three hundred on special sale this week. Values to \$35 and even \$40. The price is a remarkably low one for such values as we are giving, but there must be a general clean up of all Tailored Suits before the Summer season opens.

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