

MANY TOWNS IN BOOSTER CAMPAIGN

Commercial Bodies of Southwestern Washington Says Must Be Recognized.

From a small beginning of 13 towns the Southwestern Washington Development association has grown until it embraces 34 organizations and, although still only a few months old, is growing into a formidable commercial body. J. E. Barnes, of Centralia, secretary of the association, who is a Portland visitor today, speaks hopefully of the work to be accomplished.

"Our executive committee is going to Tacoma next week and we propose to tell them up there just what we want and what they ought to do for us. We feel we are accomplishing big results. Until now we have had no recognition from Tacoma or Seattle. It is quite different now."

"Our country has been overlooked, having suffered because of the jealousies of the three big cities of the Pacific Northwest. Settlers have not been stirred our way for fear that a growing country in southwestern Washington might be of benefit to a rival city. Occupying, as we do, debatable trade territory equally accessible to Portland, Tacoma and Seattle, we feel that we have a strong position, and we propose to make the most of it. We are now collecting data from the various sections of southwestern Washington showing how much business is being done in our territory by Tacoma, Portland and Seattle. This will be furnished to the various commercial bodies of the three cities for their information. What they will do about it is up to them, but we feel it cannot help but be to our advantage."

"We now have data in hand for the first book on southwestern Washington, which is to be published by the Northern Pacific. This will be out soon and will be very attractive. We are making a special effort on roads. A concrete road will be built between Centralia and Chehalis within a short time. The next meeting of our development association will be held at Bellingham August 15, 4 and 7, and a later meeting will be held at Goldendale in the middle of October."

The department of agriculture has demonstrated that bamboo from China and Japan can be profitably grown in the United States.

FLAMES DESTROY EARLY LANDMARK OF CITY



Yesterday afternoon's fire on Twelfth street near Alder.

The structure at 128 Twelfth street which was destroyed yesterday afternoon in the fire that occurred while people crowded the streets to see the festival parade, was an old landmark. The little cottage, occupied at the time of the fire by M. F. Dennis, was built in 1869 by Captain G. W. Taylor and his family of several sons and daughters were born and raised there. It stood for a long time in the middle of Twelfth street, which is now known as Twelfth, with the wagon road winding

around it and the feed stable which Captain Taylor operated at that time. Captain Taylor is still alive, living with his son on a ranch at Sycamore.

The cottage was moved back to the street line in 1869, when Tenth street was graded. A few years ago the name was changed to Twelfth when the west side streets were renumbered. Among the Taylor children born in the little cottage was Mrs. James Kiernan, mother of Deputy Constable M. W. Kier-

nan, who died in this city about a year ago.

The property is now owned by C. W. Cornelius. The cottage was totally destroyed with all its contents. St. F. Dennis, the occupant, carried \$600 insurance on his furniture. The building was valued at about \$1500.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson was sick in bed when the flames attacked 433 Alder street, adjoining the Dennis cottage. She was carried to safety across the street by a woman in the lodging house.

CONGRESS IS DIVIDED

(Continued From Page One.)

tative Goldfugel of New York and Kellher of Massachusetts, with Harrison, were selected as the special committee. The president received the representatives mentioned, but "turned down" Harrison.

Opinion is that the president would better have received Harrison in his official capacity. Had he desired to snub the congressman he could have "damned him with faint praise" during the reception or raked him with such shafts of satire as repose in the Taft quiver as a result of a legal and judicial training.

The critics of the president hold that the president of the United States in his capacity as chief executive of the nation, must act on state occasions in other than a social capacity, and as the visit of the rabble was of a semi-official character Harrison should have been received as a representative of the people of New York and not as Francis Burton Harrison, one among many of our plain citizens.

It is expected that the president will issue an informal statement through his secretary that he considered the visit of the congressmen and rabble of a social character, and in light of this he had a right to act with a view to eliminating an unwelcome guest.

Harrison said today that the incident was closed so far as he was concerned. He will make no statement in the house on the question of personal privilege.

A familiar shaving paste known as cream of almonds is made by melting one part of cosmetic potash into three parts of lard, with enough essence of almonds added to give it a flavor.



THE OLD WAY
FACTORY TO JOBBER



BUY
FROM THE
FACTORY

SOLID OAK
Mission Furniture

SAVE ALL
Middlemen's Profits

YOU ACTUALLY
Save 50% to 100%

To out-of-town customers we ship in "SECTIONS." Easy to setup and finish. Send for catalogue or visit our salesroom. STUDY THE ARROWS.



RETAILER TO YOU

Peters Manufacturing Co.
Salesrooms - Factory 441 Hawthorne
Ave., Corner East Broadway



BANNON & CO.

THE EAST SIDE PEOPLE'S STORE

388-390 East Morrison St. Near Grand Avenue

Summer Apparel

COMBINING STYLE AND ECONOMY can be purchased at ANY EAST SIDE STORE for much less money than at the higher-priced, more expensively conducted West Side establishments. That is logic, isn't it? Think it over. Merchants in this newer and busier East Side shopping center are straining every nerve to make this location hum with trade. WE ARE ANXIOUS FOR BUSINESS—WE ARE SATISFIED WITH A SMALL MARGIN OF PROFIT. When you trade on the East Side you are not compelled to share the burden imposed by the syndicate landlord, in many cases running into thousands of dollars a month. Discerning women are bringing their trade this way, and those of experience know that they can purchase stylish garments, millinery and the thousand and one little extras that go to make up the feminine outfit at the same fair prices and the same narrow margin of profit that they pay at this store for calicoes, muslins and notions. WE HAVE SOME COMPETITION-DEFYING ITEMS FEATURED BELOW THAT CLINCH THIS ARGUMENT.

Summer Parisiana Corsets Have Arrived

We have been selected by the firm of Marshall Field & Co. of Chicago to be the sole and exclusive Portland distributors of their famous "Parisiana" Corset, worn by thousands of the best-dressed women of the big eastern cities. We are busy this evening opening up and arranging an immense shipment, consisting of 400 dozen of ONE STYLE OF "PARISIANAS," No. 555, THE SELF-REDUCING CORSET, JUST LIKE DRAWING, for medium and stout figures. We are instructed by Marshall Field & Co. to feature this corset in the newspapers, to strictly guarantee them to our trade, and as a grand introductory offering of the new summer model to sell all sizes up to 30s at

\$1.00

This particular number will prove a boon to women inclined to be stout. Made with the abdominal reducing strap, six hose supporters, and of the finest-wearing coutil, double-stayed throughout. Will reduce the figure from 2 to 4 inches. Every Parisiana Corset is positively guaranteed to hold its good shape and style or you will receive a new pair free of charge. Model on sale tomorrow sold in other makes at \$2.25.



100 New Styles of Dress Skirts

In black, blue, brown or gray all wool panamas and sicilians, the best \$7.50 qualities, on sale tomorrow—

\$3.48



All sizes. An event that eclipses any previous event at value giving. All new multi-colored styles, plain or trimmed. Tomorrow only at this price.

LONG KIMONOS

Japanese Crepe and Colored Lawn and Challies

Full length, handsome large floral patterns, wide Japanese sleeves. A range of the most handsome patterns you have ever seen. Not a kimono in the lot ever before shown at less than \$1.50 each. THE VALUES ARE PHENOMENAL. See them on display in our windows this evening. All sizes and but two to a customer. Saturday only.

69 Cents

SALE STARTS AT 9:30 A. M.

There Is No Doubt But That Highly Developed Residence Property Fronting on or Convenient to a Public Park Is Always in Great Demand

LADD PARK IS PORTLAND'S MOST BEAUTIFUL PUBLIC PARK AND IS IN THE HEART OF

Laurelhurst

The Addition With Character

WHICH IS PORTLAND'S MOST BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE PARK SITUATED IN THE MILE AND ONE-HALF CIRCLE

The Most Highly Improved and Restricted Residence Property in Portland—The Closest in High-class Residence Property Now on Sale—Every Improvement Being Rushed to Completion.

LOTS FROM \$900 UP

Terms 10% Down, 2% Per Month

Take Rose City Park or Montavilla Cars Direct to the Property—Take Sunnyside or Mt. Tabor Cars to East Thirty-Ninth Street and Walk Four Short Blocks North Or Call at our Office and we Will Show You the Property in Our Automobiles

Actual Photo Taken in Ladd Park Showing Its Natural Lake

Laurelhurst Co.
522-26 Corbett Bldg.
Corner Fifth and Morrison Sts.