

PORTLAND, OREGON, SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 21, 1912.

## ENGINEER'S DEATH IS GREAT BLOW TO PORTLAND FRIENDS

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Railway & Power Co.



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Cecil B. Smith, civil engineer, who died a few days ago at his home in Toronto, Canada, was well known in Portland, having lived here the greater part of the past two years as general manager of the Mount Hood Railway & Power company, recently purchased by the Portland Railway, Light & Power company. It was Mr. Smith who mapped out the project and started construction of the power house and the reservoir now being completed by the P. R. L. & P. company on the Bull Run river. He also carried to completion the construction of the railroad from Montaville to Bull Run.

Mr. Smith was in Portland about a month ago and went from here to Los Angeles on business in connection with a large power project in Idaho, the Crane Falls Power & Irrigation company, of Boise, of which he was president. Shortly after his arrival in Los Angeles he was taken ill, the physician pronouncing it a hopeless case of cancer of the liver. He hurried home and died a few days later.

Mr. Smith was a member of the Portland Press club and was also connected with the local association of civil engineers. He was regarded as possibly the foremost engineer in Canada and was rapidly becoming known as a builder of large projects on this side of the line. He was born at Winona, Ontario, in 1865, and received his first technical education at the Collegiate Institute, at Hamilton, whence he went to McGill university. He graduated in 1881, receiving his first honors and being awarded the governor-general's medal.

After having been connected with a number of large railroad projects, Mr. Smith entered extensively into hydro-electric work and was chosen by the council of Winnipeg to lay out the 60,000 horse power transmission plant for that city. In the meantime he formed the engineering firm of Smith, Kerry & Chace, Toronto, and he and his associates, laid out, in some cases, financially organized various power plants, among them the Trenton power company, the Seymour Power company, Sydney Power company, Nipissing Power company, British Canadian Power company, the Calgary Power company, the municipal plants at Leithridge, Rexdale and other places. He was a member of the Institute of Civil Engineers of Great Britain, and a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

He is survived by the widow and two sons, one brother and four sisters. The Canadian Engineer, in speaking of Mr. Smith, says that by his death the country has lost one of its most successful and brilliant engineers.

W. R. Brereton, of this city, who came here with Mr. Smith from Toronto and was chief engineer for the Mount Hood company, says that Mr. Smith, speaks of him as a man liked by everybody with whom he came in contact socially or in a business way.

"Mr. Smith was one of the finest men I ever met," said Mr. Brereton, "and it was with the deepest sorrow I learned of his sudden death. I saw him when he was in Portland about a month ago, and thought he did not look well, but had no idea that he was seriously ill."

## JOE BONDS SAVES FOUR PEOPLE FROM DROWNING

Tacoma, July 20.—Joe Bonds, heavy-weight boxer and University of Puget Sound athlete, saved the lives of four: Mrs. Blanchard, Park Buck aged 12; Ruth Gerberich, aged 14, and Gertrude Mauthaus, aged 11, while the party was bathing in the Puyallup river near Bond's summer boxing camp at Sumner, Wash., by swimming ashore with one at a time when they had waded beyond their depth and clung to a piece of drift-wood.

## GOES ABROAD TO FIGHT FOR COLOSSAL ESTATE

Chicago, July 20.—In quest of a \$185,000,000 estate, which has been accumulating for nearly 250 years, Mrs. Estelle Ryan Snyder left here today for Hamburg, Germany. The estate is that of Paul Wertz, a German field marshal, who died in 1674. Mrs. Snyder represents the Wertz family association of America, which is fighting three nations—The Netherlands, Germany and Austria—for the estate.

## POLITICAL EYES NOW RIVETED ON THE LOCAL FIELD

Attitude of Third Party in  
Multnomah County Still in  
Doubt; Hard Fight Facing  
Some Candidates.

So much attention has been attracted by the shows in the big rings that the local political campaign has for some time escaped general discussion. With the definite launching of the third party movement and an unusually early start to be made on the presidential campaign, renewal of interest is being shown in the fight in Multnomah county.

Whether the third party will go into the local field remains to be decided. Some of its leaders favor the nomination of a full ticket, while others are opposed. The Republican county committee has sent out a letter to put all candidates on record, and it proposes to work against those who are opposed to Taft. Dr. Henry Waldo Cox, one of the third party leaders, is equally determined that no candidate who stands for Taft shall be left unopposed by a third party rival.

**Local Situation.**  
As the contest now stands, the main fights in Multnomah county will come on the election of congressman, judge of department No. 4, the legislative ticket, county commissioner, sheriff and assessors. Congressman Lafferty, who has been renominated, is against Taft, and dissatisfaction among the supporters of the president, added to the hostile feeling already existing with the party ranks, threatens the congressman's reelection.

Several notable units on the Republican legislative ticket face a formidable revolt and will have to fight for the job. Municipal Judge Tazwell, having won the nomination for the circuit bench by a narrow margin, is opposed by a Democrat and an independent and a lively campaign is in prospect.

County Commissioner Lightner, who seeks another term; W. H. Fitzgerald, the nominee for sheriff, and H. E. Reed, candidate for assessor, are other Republicans who are "scrapping" ahead of them. As the campaign moves on the battle is likely to be carried to other offices, and there is no telling how far the battle line will extend if the third party goes out for the scalp of all who will not declare for Roosevelt.

**Who Candidates Are.**  
Candidates of the leading parties for offices to be filled in Multnomah county in November are as follows:  
Congressman, third district—A. W. Lafferty, Republican; M. G. Munly, Democrat.

Circuit judge, department No. 2—Robert G. Morrow, Republican; John Van Zante, Democrat.

Circuit judge, department No. 4—George Tazwell, Republican; Olesby Young, Democrat; E. S. J. McAllister, Independent.

District attorney—Walter H. Evans, Republican; John A. Jeffrey, Democrat.

**State senators**—I. N. Day, Robert S. Farrell, Dan Kellaher, Gus C. Moser and T. L. Perkins, Republicans; Richard W. Montague, W. I. Page, Frank Schlegel, J. Woods Smith and John C. Welch, Democrats. Five to be elected.

**Joint representatives**, Clatsop and Multnomah counties—David E. Lofgren, Republican; no Democratic candidate.

**State representatives**—James D. Abbott, C. A. Appleken, L. G. Carpenter, H. C. King, John R. Latourette, Arthur W. Lawrence, C. N. McArthur, Michael J. Murrane, John H. Nolte, Conrad P. Olson, W. Spencer Irving and Jay H. Upton, Republicans; Benjamin Brick, A. F. Flegel, Robert W. Hagoood, Mark D. Hawes, Martin Kronenberg, Ernest Kroner, Oscar E. Lent, Elmer R. Lundburg, J. G. Nichols, Robert J. Upton, George H. Watson and Jack M. Yates, Democrats. Twelve to be elected.

**County commissioner**—William L. Lightner, Republican; John E. Cronan, Democrat.

**Sheriff**—W. H. Fitzgerald, Republican; Tom M. Word, Democrat.

**County clerk**—John B. Coffey, Republican; James B. Carr, Democrat.

**Assessor**—Henry E. Reed, Republican; H. D. Wagner, Democrat.

**Treasurer**—John M. Lewis, Republican; no Democratic candidate.

**School superintendent**—A. P. Armstrong, Republican; no Democratic candidate.

**Surveyor**—Philo Holbrook, Republican; John A. Quinn, Democrat.

**Coroner**—Sam C. Slocum, Republican; Frederick S. Smith, Democrat.

**Justices of the peace**, Portland district—J. W. Bell and Joseph H. Jones, Republicans; John B. Moon, Democrat. Two to be elected.

**Constable**—Andy Weinberger, Republican; no Democratic candidate.

**NEGLECTED CHILDREN  
SUBJECT AT Y. M. C. A.**

Having completed a series of discussions of the social evil, the religious work department of the Portland Young Men's Christian Association has arranged to take up consideration of "Neglected Children and Youth" at the meeting this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The speakers will be R. B. Perkins, religious work director of the Y. M. C. A., and Philip E. Bauer, state parole officer and right hand man of Governor West in his prison reform policies. The meeting will be led by E. M. Brown, assistant religious work director.

Mr. Perkins is especially well qualified to talk on juvenile delinquency, as he has spent years in the study of this subject and has written several books on the topic. Mr. Bauer also has had much experience in the care of delinquent youth.

The same subject will also be discussed next week, the speakers at that time being John G. Kilpack and Rev. M. E. Snedecor.

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VALUES UP TO 85c.  
A more limited assortment is offered at this price, but every piece is useful if not absolutely essential to kitchen work: 10-quart Lipped Preserve Kettles, 10-quart Water Pails, 10-quart Lipped Sauce Pans, 10-quart Berlin Kettles and Sauce Pans—ONLY... **33c**

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\$29.75 Quartered Oak Library Table, top measures 30x46 inches. Has full lower shelf, golden wax finish—special... <b>\$21.50</b>	\$37.50 Fumed Oak Table, a very attractive Arts and Crafts design. Top measures 28x48—special..... <b>\$29.75</b>
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